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(ADVANCE) NEW YORK,APRIL 27-(AP)-HERBERT HOOVER CALLED TONIGHT FOR SCRAPPING OF THE PRESENT UNITED NATIONS ORGANIZATION AND THE SETTING UP OF A NEW ONE WITH THE COMMUNIST COUNTRIES SHUT OUT.

THE FORMER PRESIDENT SAID THE NEED IS GREAT FOR A DYNAMIC "NEW UNITED FRONT" AGAINST "CREEPING RED IMPERIALISM."

THIS COUNTRY, HOOVER DECLARED, IS BECOMING "MORE AND MORE ISOLATED AS THE SOLE CONTENDER IN THIS COLD WAR," AND IS "STEADILY LOSING GROUND" TO RUSSIA AND HER ALLIES.

"THE UNITED STATES," HOOVER SAID, "NEEDS TO KNOW WHO ARE WITH US AND WHOM WE CAN DEPEND ON." X X X

THE 75-YEAR-OLD FORMER PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS WAS INTERRUPTED FREQUENTLY BY APPLAUSE AND HIS SUGGESTIONS CONCERNING THE UNITED NATIONS DREW CHEERS LASTING NEARLY A HALF MINUTE.

BOTH BEFORE AND AFTER THE ADDRESS THE 1,800 PERSONS PRESENT STOOD, SHOUTED AND WHISTLED FOR NEARLY A MINUTE.

HOOVER SPOKE AT A BANQUET OF THE BUREAU OF ADVERTISING OF THE AMERICAN NEWSPAPER PUBLISHERS ASSOCIATION, IN THE WALDORF-ASTORIA HOTEL. THE BANQUET CLOSED THE A.N.P.A.'S ANNUAL CONVENTION. THE ADDRESS BROADCAST ON THE MUTUAL NETWORK AND TELEVISED BY STATION WPIX, NEW YORK.

HOOVER WAS INTRODUCED BY RICHARD W. SLOCUM, GENERAL MANAGER OF THE PHILADELPHIA EVENING BULLETIN AND CHAIRMAN OF THE A.N.P.A. ADVERTISING BUREAU.

SLOCUM DESCRIBED THE FORMER PRESIDENT AS "AMERICA'S MOST DISTINGUISHED CITIZEN--A ROCK OF GIBRALTER AMONG REPUBLICANS FOR A NATION THAT SORELY NEEDS SALVATION."

HIS DARK RIMMED GLASSES WELL DOWN ON HIS NOSE, THE TALL FORMER CHIEF EXECUTIVE BEGAN HIS ADDRESS IN A LIGHTER VEIN BUT TOOK ON GRIM SERIOUSNESS AS HE PROCEEDED.

"I SUGGEST," SAID THE ONLY LIVING EX-PRESIDENT, "THAT THE UNITED NATIONS SHOULD BE REORGANIZED WITHOUT THE COMMUNIST NATIONS IN IT.

"IF THAT IS IMPRACTICAL, THEN A DEFINITE NEW UNITED FRONT SHOULD BE ORGANIZED OF THOSE PEOPLES WHO DISAVOW COMMUNISM, WHO STAND FOR MORALS AND RELIGION, AND WHO LOVE FREEDOM. X X X

"IF THE FREE NATIONS JOIN TOGETHER, THEY HAVE MANY POTENT MORAL, SPIRITUAL AND EVEN ECONOMIC WEAPONS AT THEIR DISPOSAL.

"THEY WOULD UNLIKELY EVER NEED SUCH WEAPONS.

"SUCH A PHALANX OF FREE NATIONS COULD COME FAR NEARER TO MAKING A WORKABLE RELATION WITH THE OTHER HALF OF THE TWO WORLDS THAN THE UNITED STATES CAN EVER DO ALONE.

"BY COLLECTIVE ACTION WE COULD MUCH MORE EFFECTIVELY KEEP THEIR (THE COMMUNISTS') CONSPIRING AGENTS AND BRIBERS OUT OF ALL OUR BORDERS AND OUT OF OUR LABORATORIES."

HOOVER SAID THE RUSSIANS, SINCE THE DAYS OF PETER THE GREAT, HAVE GRABBED TERRITORY "LIKE A BURGLAR GOING DOWN A HALL."

THIS CZARIST EXPANSIONISM, HE CONTINUED, WAS THE FIRST OF SEVEN PHASES OF RUSSIAN DEVELOPMENT, ENDING IN "THE BELATED RECOGNITION THAT THIS IS NOT ONE WORLD BUT TWO WORLDS."

"THE ONE WORLD IDEA," HE SAID, "SEEMS TO BE LOST IN THE SECRET FILES.

"ONE WORLD IS MILITARISTIC, IMPERIALISTIC, ATHEISTIC AND WITHOUT COMPASSION. THE OTHER WORLD STILL HOLDS TO BELIEF IN GOD, FREE NATIONS' HUMAN DIGNITY AND PEACE."

HOOVER SAID THAT NINE YEARS AGO HE WARNED THE AMERICAN PEOPLE THAT COLLABORATION WITH STALIN TO BRING FREEDOM TO MANKIND WAS "A GARGANTUAN JEST."

"I USED THE WRONG WORD," HE COMMENTED. "I SHOULD HAVE SAID TRAGIC."

UNTIL NOW HOOVER HAS MADE VERY FEW PUBLIC COMMENTS ON THE UNITED NATIONS.

HE SAID AT SAN FRANCISCO, SOON AFTER THE U.N. CHARTER WAS ADOPTED THERE IN 1945, THAT IT WAS "AS GOOD AS COULD BE OBTAINED" WITH WORLD CONDITIONS AS THEY WERE, AND SAID THE SENATE SHOULD RATIFY IT PROMPTLY.

BUT HE WARNED THAT WHATEVER THE CHARTER SAID, PEACE WOULD DEEPEND ON CONTINUOUS COOPERATION BETWEEN THE U.S., GREAT BRITAIN AND RUSSIA.

IN FEBRUARY, 1948, HOOVER CAME OUT FOR A FEDERATION OF WESTERN EUROPE WITHIN THE U.N. CHARTER. "SUCH AN ACTION," HE SAID AT THAT TIME, "WOULD BRING MORE VITALITY AND STRENGTH INTO THE UNITED NATIONS. IT WOULD ALSO AVOID THE UNITED STATES BEIFG INVOLVED IN MILITARY ALLIANCES."

THERE WERE ACHOES OF THE 1948 SPEECH IN HIS ADDRESS TONIGHT.

"MORE AND MORE," HE SAID, "THE BURDENS OF DEFENDING FREE MEN AND NATIONS ARE BEING THRUST ON THE AMERICAN PEOPLE, WHO ARE ONLY ONE-SIXTH OF THE POPULATION OF THE GLOBE.

"WE ARE BECOMING MORE AND MORE ISOLATED AS THE SOLE CONTENDER IN THIS COLD WAR.

"WE ARE STEADILY LOSING GROUND BECAUSE THE NON-COMMUNIST STATES ARE BEING PICKED OFF ONE BY ONE OR ARE COMPROMISING WITH THE COMMUNISTS."

HOOVER SPOKE TARTLY OF MARSHALL PLAN "SUBSIDIES TO BEGUILE PEOPLES TO RECTITUDE FROM INTERNAL COMMUNISM."

AND OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC PACT HE COMMENTED: "IN PERSISTENCE TO AN OLD HABIT, WE ARE TAKING UP THE CHECK."

HOOVER TOLD THE PUBLISHERS AND EDITORS THE "NEW UNITED FRONT" HE ADVOCATES IS NOTHING LIKE "A PROPOSED EXTENSION OF A MILITARY ALLIANCE."

"IT IS," HE SAID, "A PROPOSAL BASED SOLELY UPON MORAL, SPIRITUAL AND DEFENSE FOUNDATIONS.

"IT IS A PROPOSAL TO REDEEM THE CONCEPT OF THE UNITED NATIONS TO THE HIGH PURPOSE FOR WHICH IT WWU CREATED. X X X

"IT MAY BE THE NON-COMMUNIST WORLD IS NOT WILLING TO TAKE SUCH A VITAL STAND. AT LEAST IT WOULD CLARIFY WHAT WE HAVE TO DO.

"THE TEST I PROPOSE IS THE LOGICAL AND PRACTICAL METHOD OF TOTAL DIPLOMACY. IT WOULD MAKE DIPLOMACY DYNAMIC AND LESSEN THE DANGERS OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE.

"ALL THIS MAY GIVE PAIN TO SOME PEOPLE. BUT BY THEIR CRIES YE SHALL KNOW THEM."

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HOOVER CONTINUED:
"WHAT THE WORLD NEEDS TODAY IS A DEFINITE, CONCRETE MOBILIZATION OF THE NATIONS WHO BELIEVE IN GOD AGAINST THIS TIDE OF RUSSIAN AGNOSTICISM.
"IT NEEDS A MORAL MOBILIZATION AGAINST THE HIDEOUS IDEAS OF THE POLICE STATE AND HUMAN SLAVERY X X X THIS CREEPING RED IMPERIALISM."
THE FORMER PRESIDENT ALSO SPOKE OUT AGAINST THE IDEA OF "SECURITY FROM THE CRADLE TO THE GRAVE" IN THIS COUNTRY--CALLING IT "THE NEW GENEROSITY" OR "AN AMERICAN IDEOLOGY OF GIVE-AWAY PROGRAMS."
HE SAID 70,000,000 PROVIDERS FROM 20 TO 65 YEARS OF AGE "MUST PROVIDE FOR 80,000,000 CHILDREN, AGED, SICK, NON-PRODUCTIVE GOVERNMENT EMPLOYES AND THEIR WIVES."
"UNLESS THERE IS THE CONSTANT PRESSURE OF COMPETITION ON THIS GROUP BETWEEN 20 AND 65 X X X THE CHILDREN AND THE AGED WILL BE THE VICTIMS," HOOVER SAID. "THIS MIDDLE GROUP CAN FIND ITS SECURITY ONLY IN A FREE BUT TOUGH SYSTEM OF RISK AND SELF-RELIANCE."
HOOVER SAID MARXISM AND OTHER "MIXED DRINKS" IMPORTED FROM ABROAD HAVE BROUGHT ABOUT A LEFT-RIGHT SPLIT IN AMERICAN POLITICS.
THE RESULT, HOOVER WENT ON, IS THAT "A MAN FROM THE MOON" WOULD QUICKLY BE ABLE TO TELL BOTH SIDES WHAT THEY SHOULD DO:
"HE WOULD SAY TO THE REPUBLICAN PARTY: THERE IS NO ROOM FOR YOU ON THE LEFT. YOU MUST BE THE PARTY OF THE RIGHT, OR YOU WILL SPLIT INTO INEFFECTIVE FACTIONS.
"AND WITH EQUAL EMPHASIS HE WOULD SAY TO THE DEMOCRATS: YOUR DIE IS CAST. YOU ARE THE PARTY OF THE LEFT, OR YOU WILL LIKEWISE SPLIT INTO FUTILE FACTIONS.
"HE WOULD SAY TO SOME MEMBERS OF BOTH PARTIES: YOU ARE NOT IN YOUR PROPER SPIRITUAL HOMES."
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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 7 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, THURSDAY, APRIL 27)
(ADVANCE) NEW YORK, APRIL 27-(AP)-FOLLOWING IS THE PREPARED TEXT OF TONIGHT'S ADDRESS BY FORMER PRESIDENT HERBERT HOOVER TO THE AMERICAN NEWSPAPER PUBLISHERS ASSOCIATION (ABOUT 2,500):
IT IS A GREAT HONOR TO ADDRESS THE EDITORS AND PUBLISHERS OF THE UNITED STATES. YOU ARE THE MOST POWERFUL OF ALL INFLUENCES IN OUR COUNTRY.
MY SUBJECT ON THIS OCCASION ARISES FROM MY SUSPICION THAT THE WORLD IN ITS TUMULTS HAS ABANDONED MOST ACCEPTANCE OF HISTORY AS A GUIDE-POST.
THERE ARE PLENTY OF VOICES ABOUT BUT THE VOICE OF EXPERIENCE SEEMS TO HAVE BECOME STILLED.
I HAVE HAD TO DO WITH THE BOILING ECONOMIC, SOCIAL AND POLITICAL FORCES DURING TWO WORLD WARS AND THEIR AFTERMATHS. I PROPOSE FOR A FEW MOMENTS TO ADD SOME OF THE VOICES OF WORLD EXPERIENCE INTO THE PRESENT CLAMOR. I SHALL EXPLORE FOUR SAMPLES, ONE EACH FROM THE ECONOMIC SOCIAL, POLITICAL AND INTERNATIONAL FIELD.
SOME ECONOMIC EXPERIENCE--IN THE ECONOMIC FIELD THERE ARE MANY SHRILL VOICES PROCLAIMING THAT OUR AMERICAN ECONOMIC SYSTEM IS OUTMODED. THEY SAUY IT WAS BORN OF UNDESIRABLE PARENTS, SUCH AS AMERICAN INDIVIDUALISM AND A FRENCH LADY, NAMED LAISSEZ-FAIRE. THEY ACCUSE THE GHOST OF ADAM SMITH AS HAVING HAD SOMETHING TO DO WITH THE MATTER. THEY CONCLUDE OUR SYSTEM IS OF THE JUNGLE OR DOG-EAT DOG VARIETY.
IT MIGHT BE OBSERVED THAT THE ALTERNATIVE OFFERED US IS A DRINK MIXED BY THREE DIFFERENT GHOSTS. THAT IS, THE SHADE OF KARL MARX WITH HIS SOCIALISM. THE SHADE OF MUSSOLINI WITH HIS DICTATED AND PLANNED ECONOMY. THE SPOOK OF LORD JOHN MAYNARD KEYNES WITH HIS "OPERATION CUTTLEFISH" COMPRISING MANAGED CURRENCY. PEACETIME INFLATION BY DEFICIT SPENDING AND PERPETUAL ENDOWMENT FOR BUREAUCRATS. AND WE HAVE CONTRIBUTED AN AMERICAN IDEOLOGY OF GIVE-AWAY PROGRAMS. IT MIGHT BE CALLED THE GHOST. HOWEVER, THE HANDIWORK OF THE GHOSTS AND THEIR AUXILIARIES FURNISH YOU MOST OF YOUR PAGE ONE.

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I AM NOT GOING TO REPEAT THE OLD AND VALID DEFENSES OF THE AMERICAN ECONOMIC SYSTEM; I MAY MENTION THAT IN RECENT YEARS WE HAVE TAKEN STRONG DRINKS FROM THE THREE "HANTS" I HAVE MENTIONED, AND FROM THE NEW GENEROSITY, ALL MIXED WITH VARYING AMOUNTS OF PURE WATER FROM THE AMERICAN SYSTEM.
THE ECONOMIC REVOLUTION
BE ALL THAT AS IT MAY, MY PURPOSE HERE IS TO CALL YOUR ATTENTION TO A LESS OBVIOUS WORLD EXPERIENCE.
SIXTY YEARS AGO OUR AMERICAN SYSTEM WAS DIVORCED FROM THE LAISSEZ-FAIRE LADY. WE STARTED PROCEEDINGS IN 1887 WHEN WE CREATED THE INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION, THEREBY INITIATING THE CONTROL OF NATURAL MONOPOLIES. BUT FAR MORE REVOLUTIONARY WAS THE ANTI-TRUST ACT OF 1890.
WESTERN EUROPE HAS NEVER HAD EFFECTIVE ANTI-TRUST LAWS. TO THE CONTRARY, THERE GREW UP IN THOSE COUNTRIES A MAZE OF STATE-FAVORED PRIVATE TRADE RESTRAINTS, COMBINATIONS, TRUSTS AND CARTELS. THIS FORM OF ECONOMIC ORGANIZATION SOUGHT PROFITS BY FIXING PRICES AND BY CONTROL OF PRODUCTION AND DISTRIBUTION.
UNDER OUR REVOLUTIONIZED AMERICAN SYSTEM, COMPETITION REMAINED THE RESTLESS PILLOW OF PROGRESS. IT HAD TO SEEK PROFITS FROM IMPROVED TECHNOLOGY AND LOWERED COSTS OF PRODUCTION.
IN TIME, WESTERN EUROPE, WITHOUT THE FULL PRESSURE OF COMPETITION, LOST MUCH OF THE IMPULSE TO IMPROVE METHODS AND EQUIPMENT. PLANTS BECAME OBSOLETE; STANDARDS OF LIVING STAGNATED.
IN CONTRAST, OUR TECHNOLOGY WITH ONE HUNDRED TIMES AS MANY INVENTING LABORATORIES AND A THOUSAND TIMES MORE TRAINED TECHNICIANS HAS STEADILY IMPROVED ITS TOOLS. OUR STANDARDS OF LIVING INCREASED WITH CHEAPER COSTS AND MORE GOODS. OUR SYSTEM WAS DYNAMIC; THEIRS WAS STATIC.
FINALLY WESTERN EUROPE WITH ITS OBSOLESCENT PLANTS, ITS INABILITY TO COMPETE IN WORLD TRADE EXCEPT AT THE EXPENSE OF LABOR WAS DESPERATE. IT TOOK TO HARD DRINKING OF THE POTIONS FROM THE SHADES OF MARX, MUSSOLINI AND KEYNES--PLUS THE NEW GENEROSITY.
OUR AMERICAN SYSTEM CONTINUES TO PRODUCE DESPITE PERIODIC INDULGENCE IN THESE DRINKS. IT DOES IT DESPITE TWO WORLD WARS, INNUMERABLE INTERFERENCES WITH INCENTIVES AND A GOVERNMENT TAKE OF

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60 OR 70 PERCENT OF ITS SAVINGS. IT STILL RETAINS THE DYNAMIC POWER TO PROVIDE THE GREATEST AND WIDEST SPREAD OF COMFORT TO OUR PEOPLE THAT THE WORLD HAS EVER KNOWN. THAT IS, IF WE WOULD JOIN ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS AND QUIT MIXED DRINKS.

LEST ANY DANGEROUS THOUGHT FLASH THROUGH YOUR MINDS, I AM RECALLING THIS EXPERIENCE EXCLUSIVELY TO YOU AS PUBLISHERS AND EDITORS.

AN EXPERIENCE IN SOCIOLOGY

NOW LEST SOMEONE THINK ALL THIS IS ECONOMICS WITHOUT HUMANISM, I OFFER AN EXPERIENCE ON THE SOCIAL SIDE. IT IS PUNCTUATED TODAY BY THE SIREN VOICES CALLING FOR "SECURITY FROM THE CRADLE TO THE GRAVE."

SECURITY FROM THE CRADLE TO ABOUT 18 OR 20 YEARS OF AGE, AND FROM ABOUT 65 TO THE GRAVE, HAS ALWAYS BEEN SACRED TO THE AMERICAN PEOPLE.

THE TRAINING OF OUR CHILDREN, THE CARE OF OUR AGED AND THE UNFORTUNATE HAVE BEEN A PART OF OUR SYSTEM SINCE THE FOUNDING OF THE REPUBLIC. IT IS PART OF OUR CIVILIZATION. THE GOVERNMENTAL PART, HOWEVER, NEEDS SOME REPAIRS.

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BUT THE VOICE OF EXPERIENCE WHICH I WISH TO RECALL RELATES TO THE IDEA OF SECURITY FOR THE MIDDLE GROUP--SAY, FROM 20 TO 65 YEARS OF AGE. WE HAVE LESS THAN 70,000,000 PROVIDERS IN THIS GROUPS. AND AGE. WE HAVE LESS THAN 70,000,000 PROVIDERS IN THESE GROUPS, AND THEY MUST PROVIDE FOR 80,000,000 CHILDREN, AGED, SICK, NON-PRODUCTIVE GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES AND THEIR WIVES. IT IS SOLELY FROM THE ENERGIES OF THIS MIDDLE GROUP, THEIR INVENTIONS AND THEIR PRODUCTIVITY THAT CAN COME THE SUPPORT OF THE YOUNG, THE OLD AND THE SICK--AND THE GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES.

UNLESS THERE IS THE CONSTANT PRESSURE OF COMPETITION ON THIS GROUP BETWEEN 20 AND 65 PLUS THE BECKONING OF FAIRIES AND REWARDS, TO STIMULATE INCENTIVES AND WORK, THE CHILDREN AND THE AGED WILL BE THE VICTIMS. THIS MIDDLE GROUP CAN FIND ITS OWN SECURITY ONLY IN A FREE BUT TOUGH SYSTEM OF RISK AND SELF-RELIANCE. IT CAN BE DESTROYED BY TAXES AND THE FOUR MIXED DRINKS.

EXPERIENCE CALLS SORROWFUL CONFIRMATION OF ALL THIS. MY RECOLLECTION IS THAT THE LORD REMARKED TO ADAM SOMETHING ABOUT SWEAT.

BE THAT AS IT MAY, THERE IS CONVINCING EVIDENCE FROM THE BRITISH EXPERIENCE OF TRYING TO INCLUDE THE MIDDLE GROUP IN BLESSED SECURITY. THEIR INCENTIVES TO SWEAT HAVE DIMINISHED UNDER THAT ILLUSION. THE NEEDED LEADERSHIP OF THE MIDDLE GROUP IN PRODUCTION AND DISTRIBUTION IS BEING DESTROYED. OTHERWISE THEY WOULD NOT NEED LEAN ON THE NEW GENEROSITY.

THERE ARE ALSO SOME LESSONS OF EXPERIENCE TO BE HAD FROM RUSSIA WHERE THE GRAVE IS CLOSE TO THE CRADLE. AND 15,000,000 PEOPLE ARE COMPELLED TO WORK IN SLAVE CAMPS UNDER THE WHIP.

AN EXPERIENCE IN THE POLITICAL FIELD

THE VOICE OF EXPERIENCE ALSO CALLS LOUDLY AS TO ORGANIZATION OF THI POLITICAL FIELD. IN 1938, I SPENT SOME MONTHS ON THE CONTINENT INQUIRING "HOW COME" FIFTEEN NEW DEMOCRACIES CREATED AFTER THE FIRST WORLD WAR HAD FAILED.

THE DOWNFALL OF THESE REPRESENTATIVE GOVERNMENTS WAS DUE IN PART TO THE DRINKS COMPOUNDED BY THE THREE GHOSTS. BUT THERE WAS ANOTHER STEP IN THEIR ARRIVAL AT CHAOS, WHICH CONTAINS A POTENT EXPERIENCE FOR AMERICA.

THERE HAD GROWN UP IN THEIR LEGISLATURES A MULTITUDE OF SPLINTER PARTIES. THERE WERE ALL THE WAY FROM FIVE TO FIFTEEN OF THEM. IN CONSEQUENCE, THERE WAS NO RESPONSIBLE MAJORITY. GOVERNMENTS WERE DRIVEN TO IMPROVISED LEGISLATIVE COALITIONS, WHICH COULD ONLY AGREE UPON NEGATIVE POLICIES AND GIVE-AWAY PROGRAMS. IN EACH COALITION SMALL FOREIGN-CONTROLLED TRICKY GROUPS PLAYED A PART. IN CONFUSION AND DESPAIR, THEIR PEOPLES WELCOMED THE MAN ON HORSEBACK.

EVEN THOUGH OLD-TIME RELIGION, IT IS WORTH REPEATING THAT THE PRESERVATION OF REPRESENTATIVE GOVERNMENT REQUIRES TWO MAJOR POLITICAL PARTIES.

I AM NOT GOING TO DELIVER A HISTORY OF THE RIFTS BETWEEN MAJOR PARTIES IN THE UNITED STATES. SO YOU MAY RELAX. I MIGHT MENTION THAT ONCE UPON A TIME, SAY FOR ABOUT 60 YEARS, THE MEMBERS OF BOTH OF OUR MAJOR POLITICAL PARTIES WERE, IN LARGE MAJORITY, LIBERALS IN THE 19TH CENTURY SENSE. THEY QUARRELED MOSTLY OVER THE TARIFF BUT NOT OVER IDEOLOGIES.

HOWEVER, SINCE LENIN'S IMPLICATION THAT THE HERMIT CRAB, BY SEIZING THE SHELL OF ANOTHER ANIMAL KNEW HIS BUSINESS, THE TERM "LIBERAL" HAS LOST ITS SOUL. ITS CHEERFUL SPIRIT OF LESS POWER IN GOVERNMENT AND MORE FREEDOM OF MEN HAS PASSED TO THE WORLD BEYOND.

NOR AM I GOING TO TRY YOUR AFTER DINNER SOULS WITH IDEOLOGICAL DEFINITIONS--NOT EVEN OF STATISM. THAT DEFINITION HAS ALREADY BEEN MADE INSTINCTIVELY BY THE COMMON TONGUE OF ALL NATIONS WHERE FREE SPEECH STILL HAS A PART IN THEIR PROCEEDINGS. THAT EFFECTIVE BUT PERHAPS UNREFINED DEFINITION IS "RIGHT WING" AND "LEFT WING."

THE POINT I AM CONCERNED WITH HERE IS THAT FROM THE IDEOLOGICAL TUMULTS STIRRED BY THE THREE SHADES AND THEIR HELPERS, OUR MAJOR AMERICAN POLITICAL PARTIES HAVE BEEN IN LARGE DEGREE REORIENTED INTO THESE NEW COMPARTMENTS OF "RIGHT" AND "LEFT."

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I DO NOT CHARGE THE REAL COMMUNISTS TO THE AMERICAN LEFT WING. THEY ARE AGENTS OF A FOREIGN GOVERNMENT.

IF A MAN FROM THE MOON, WHO KNEW THE ESSENTIALS OF REPRESENTATIVE GOVERNMENT, CAME AS A TOTAL STRANGER TO THE UNITED STATES, HE WOULD SAY SOME OBVIOUS THINGS WITHIN THE FIRST WEEK OR TWO.

HE WOULD SAY TO THE REPUBLICAN PARTY: THERE IS NO ROOM FOR YOU ON THE LEFT. YOU MUST BE THE PARTY OF THE RIGHT, OR YOU WILL SPLIT INTO INEFFECTIVE FACTIONS.

AND WITH EQUAL EMPHASIS HE WOULD SAY TO THE DEMOCRATS: YOUR DIE IS CAST. YOU ARE THE PARTY OF THE LEFT, OR YOU WILL LIKEWISE SPLIT INTO FUTILE FACTIONS.

HE WOULD SAY TO SOME MEMBERS OF BOTH PARTIES: YOU ARE NOT IN

YOUR PROPER SPIRITUAL HOMES.

HE WOULD SAY THAT IN ALL THIS IDEOLOGICAL TUMULT, IF THERE CANNOT BE A REASONABLY COHESIVE BODY OF OPINION IN EACH MAJOR PARTY, YOU ARE ON A BLIND ROAD WHERE THERE IS NO AUTHORITY IN THE BALLOT BOX OR IN GOVERNMENT.

HE WOULD SAY THAT IF YOU WANT CONFIRMATION LOOK AT FIFTEEN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES WHERE REPRESENTATIVE GOVERNMENT WAS TORN TO SHREDS.

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AN EXPERIENCE IN THE INTERNATIONAL FIELD

I NEED NOT REMIND YOU THAT OUR PAGE ONE INTERNATIONAL ISSUUE IS COMMUNIST RUSSIA. THERE ARE SEVEN PHASES OF THIS EXPERIENCE WHICH I MUST RECALL BEFORE I COME TO A PROPOSAL OF ACTION.

THE FIRST PHASE OF EXPERIENCE WITH RUSSIA BEGAN UNDER THE CZARS. SINCE PETER THE GREAT THEY STEADILY HAVE EXPANDED THEIR REACH OF EMPIRE OVER THE LARGEST LAND MASS IN THE WORLD. THEIR METHOD WAS THAT OF A BURGLAR GOING DOWN A HALL. IF THERE WAS NO ONE IN THE FIRST ROOM, HE TOOK EVERYTHING INCLUDING THE DOORKNOB. IF HE FOUND SOMEONE IN THE SECOND ROOM WHO PROTESTED, HE WEIGHED THE STRENGTH OF THE PROTESTOR AND MIGHT LEAVE PART OF THE FURNITURE. IF HE FOUND AN ARMED MAN IN THE THIRD ROOM, HE CLOSED THE DOOR AND WAITED.

LENIN AND STALIN ADDED A NEW APPARATUS FOR THE ROBBER. THEY NOW MAKE THE MAN IN THE SECOND ROOM A PARTY MEMBER AND ROB HIM LATER AND BY DEGREES. THEY NOW PUT THE ARMED MAN IN THE THIRD ROOM ASLEEP WITH A NON-AGGRESSION PACT OR A PROMISE OF PEACE. THUS, HE NEGLECTS HIS WEAPONS. IN ANY EVENT THEY STEAL HIS SECRETS.

THE SECOND PHASE OF THIS EXPERIENCE WITH RUSSIA WAS A PERIOD OF SIXTEEN YEARS DURING WHICH FOUR PRESIDENTS AND SEVEN SECRETARIES OF STATE OPPOSED OUR HAVING ANY RELATIONS WITH THIS MALIGNANT GOVERNMENT. THEIR ATTITUDE WAS THAT WHEN OUR NEIGHBORS ARE LIVING A LIFE OF SPIRITUAL AND OTHER DISREPUTE, WE DO NOT ATTACK THEM. BUT WE CAN HOLD UP STANDARDS IN THE WORLD A LITTLE BETTER IF WE DO NOT INVITE THEM INTO OUR HOMES BY SO-CALLED RECOGNITION.

THE THIRD HISTORICAL PHASE ARRIVED WHEN OUR LEFT WINGERS HAD THEIR WAY IN OUR RELATIONS WITH COMMUNIST RUSSIA. THEY PRODUCED THE RECOGNITION OF THE SOVIET IN 1933. THEY PRODUCED THE ALLIANCE WITH RUSSIA IN 1941. THEY PRODUCED THE APPEASEMENT OF RUSSIA IN WESTERN EUROPE UNTIL ITS REVERSAL BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND SECRETARY BYRNES IN 1945. I WILL NOT JOIN IN THE EXPLANATIONS ABOUT CHINA. UP TO NOW THERE IS AGREEMENT ON ONLY ONE POINT. WE LOST THE GAME -- 400 MILLION TO NOTHING.

MANY OF OUR LEFT WINGERS WERE NOT CONSCIOUSLY DOING ALL THIS. THEY WERE JUST TRIGGER-HAPPY TO ANYTHING NEW IN IDEOLOGICAL LIFE.

LEST ANYONE THINK I AM A RECENT CONVERT IN THESE I MAY CITE THAT JUST NINE YEARS AND 63 DAYS AGO I WARNED THE AMERICAN PEOPLE THAT COLLABORATION WITH STALIN TO BRING FREEDOM TO MANKIND WAS A GARGANTUAN JEST, I USED THE WRONG ADJECTIVE. I SHOULD HAVE SAID TRAGIC. FOR AS A RESULT, INSTEAD OF THE EXPANSION OF LIBERTY, WE WITNESS A DOZEN NATIONS AND 600 MILLION HUMAN BEINGS ENSLAVED.

THE FOURTH PHASE OF THIS EXPERIENCE WAS THAT SOVIET RUSSIA HAS IN THE LAST 12 YEARS VIOLATED MORE THAN 35 SOLEMNLY SIGNED AGREEMENTS.

THE FIFTH PHASE OF THIS EXPERIENCE HAS BEEN WITH THE COMMUNISTS IN THE UNITED NATIONS. THAT CHARTER FOR WHICH WE HOPED SO MUCH CONTAINS LENGTHY PLEDGES TO THE INDEPENDENCE OF NATIONS, TO HUMAN LIBERTY AND TO NON-AGGRESSION. ABOUT A DOZEN PROVISIONS OF THAT CHARTER HAVE BEEN VIOLATED EITHER IN SPIRIT OR IN LETTER BY SOVIET RUSSIA. THE KREMLIN HAS REDUCED THE UNITED NATIONS TO A PROPAGANDA FORUM FOR THE SMEARING OF FREE PEOPLES. IT HAS BEEN DEFEATED AS A PRESERVATIVE OF PEACE AND GOOD WILL.

THE SIXTH PHASE OF THIS EXPERIENCE IS THAT WE NOW FIND OURSELVES IN AN EXPENSIVE AND DANGEROUS COLD WAR. WE CONDUCT THE BATTLE WITH SUBSIDIES TO BEGUILE PEOPLES TO RECTITUDE FROM INTERNAL COMMUNISM. A YEAR AGO WE MADE THE ATLANTIC MILITARY PACT. THE EXPRESSED HOPE WAS THAT ALTHOUGH THERE WAS NO COMMITMENT TO GO TO WAR, THESE NATIONS WOULD BUILD UP THEIR OWN ARMS TO ADEQUATELY DEFEND THEIR OWN ROOMS. IN PERSISTENCE TO AN OLD HABIT, WE ARE TAKING UP THE CHECK.

IN THE MEANTIME WE LEARN THAT OUR FIRST DEFENSE--THE ATOMIC BOMB--HAS BEEN STOLEN FROM US.

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THE FINAL PHASE OF OUR EXPERIENCE WITH RUSSIA IS THE BELATED REALIZATION THAT THIS IS NOT ONE WORLD BUT TWO WORLDS. THE ONE WORLD IDEA SEEMS TO BE LOST IN THE SECRET FILES.

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NOW TO COME TO THE POINT OF ALL THIS. THE AMERICAN PEOPLE OUGHT TO TAKE A COLD AND OBJECTIVE LOOK AT THIS EXPERIENCE BEFORE WE GO ANY FURTHER.

THIS LOOK SHOULD BE DIRECTED TO THE FACT THAT MORE AND MORE THE BURDENS OF DEFENDING FREE MEN AND NATIONS ARE BEING THRUST UPON THE AMERICAN PEOPLE, WHO ARE ONLY ONE-SIXTH THE POPULATION OF THE GLOBE. WE ARE BECOMING MORE AND MORE ISOLATED AS THE SOLE CONTENDER IN THIS COLD WAR. WE ARE STEADILY LOSING GROUND BECAUSE THE NON-COMMUNIST STATES ARE BEING PICKED OFF ONE BY ONE OR ARE COMPROMISING WITH THE COMMUNISTS. OUR COUNTRYMEN ARE IN A FOG AS TO WHAT, WHERE AND WHEN ALL THIS LEADS TO.

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THEREFORE, I HAVE A PROPOSAL TO MAKE.

I SUGGEST THAT THE UNITED NATIONS SHOULD BE REORGANIZED WITHOUT T COMMUNIST NATIONS IN IT. IF THAT IS IMPRACTICAL THEN A DEFINITE NEW UNITED FRONT SHOULD BE ORGANIZED OF THOSE PEOPLES WHO DISAVOW

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IF THE FREE NATIONS JOIN TOGETHER, THEY HAVE MANY POTENT MORAL, SPIRITUAL AND EVEN ECONOMIC WEAPONS AT THEIR DISPOSAL. THEY WOULD UNLIKELY EVER NEED SUCH WEAPONS. SUCH A PHALANX OF FREE NATIONS COULD COME FAR NEARER TO MAKING A WORKABLE RELATION WITH THE OTHER HALF OF THE TWO WORLDS THAN THE UNITED STATES CAN EVER DO ALONE.

BY COLLECTIVE ACTION WE COULD MUCH MORE EFFECTIVELY KEEP THEIR CONSPIRING AGENTS AND BRIBERS OUT OF ALL OUR BORDERS AND OUT OF OUR LABORATORIES.

IT MAY BE THE NON-COMMUNIST WORLD IS NOT WILLING TO TAKE SUCH A VITAL STAND. AT LEAST IT WOULD CLARIFY WHAT WE HAVE TO DO.

THE TEST I PROPOSE IS THE LOGICAL AND PRACTICAL METHOD OF TOTAL DIPLOMACY. IT WOULD MAKE DIPLOMACY DYNAMIC AND LESSEN THE DANGERS OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE. ALL THIS MAY GIVE PAIN TO SOME PEOPLE. BUT BY THEIR CRIES YE SHALL KNOW THEM.

MY FRIENDS, I AM NOT DISHEARTENED BY ALL THIS RECALL OF DISTURBING EXPERIENCE. WE MUST RETAIN OUR FAITH IN WESTERN CIVILIZATION. IN SUPPORT OF THAT FAITH WE ARE PERHAPS A SLOW BUT A RESOLUTE AND INTELLIGENT PEOPLE. WE HAVE THE GREATEST ORGAN OF EDUCATION KNOWN TO MAN--A FREE PRESS. YOU CAN DISSOLVE MUCH OF OUR CONFUSIONS AND FRUSTRATIONS.

AND IN REJECTING AN ATHEISTIC OTHER WORLD, I AM CONFIDENT THAT THE ALMIGHTY IS WITH US.

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C O R R E C T I O N

NEW YORK--HOOVER TEXT (B3) 5TH GRAF AT START "SOME ECONOMIC EXPERIENCE" SHOULD STAND AS SUB HEAD, WITH GRAF THEN BEGINNING "IN THE ECONOMIC FIELD, ETC."

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(WITH NEW YORK HOOVER) (540)

BY FRANCIS W.CARPENTER

(ADVANCE) LAKE SUCCESS, APRIL 27-(AP)-RUSSIA'S JAKOB A.MALIK WALKED OUT OF THE UNITED NATIONS ARMS COMMISSION TODAY A FEW HOURS BEFORE FORMER PRESIDENT HOOVER CALLED FOR A NEW U.N. THAT WOULD SHUT OUT THE COMMUNIST COUNTRIES.

HOOVER'S IDEAS DREW DISSENT FROM A NUMBER OF U.N. DELEGATES AND OFFICIALS. SOME SAID THE U.N. WITHOUT THE RUSSIANS WOULD NOT BE A UNITED NATIONS. AND IN A SPEECH PREPARED FOR READING AT GOVERNORS ISLAND ARMY POST IN NEW YORK HARBOR, DEPUTY U.S. DELEGATE ERNEST A. GROSS CALLED THE U.N.--AS IT NOW EXISTS--A USEFUL DEVICE FOR KEEPING CONTACT WITH THE RUSSIANS. GROSS IS ILL AND HIS SPEECH WAS READ BY DEPUTY DELEGATE JOHN C.ROSS.

MALIK'S WALKOUT WAS THE 21ST RUSSIAN BLOC STRIKE AGAINST A U.N. ORGAN SINCE JANUARY WHEN HE LEFT THE SECURITY COUNCIL OVER THE CHINA QUESTION. LESSER RUSSIANS CARRIED ON THE WALKOUT-BOYCOTT CAMPAIGN SINCE JAN.19.

TODAY MALIK DEMANDED EXPULSION OF THE NATIONALIST CHINESE DELEGATION FROM THE ARMS COMMISSION. THE GROUP VOTED FOUR TO THREE AGAINST HIM, WITH FOUR COUNTRIES ABSTAINING.

THE SOVIET UNION, YUGOSLAVIA AND INDIA--ALL OF WHOM HAVE RECOGNIZED RED CHINA--VOTED FOR EXPULSION OF CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S MEN. THE UNITED STATES, CHINA, CUBA AND FRANCE--NONE OF WHOM HAS RECOGNIZED RED CHINA--VOTED AGAINST IT. BRITAIN, NORWAY, ECUADOR AND EGYPT ABSTAINED.

HOOVER AND GROSS TOOK ALMOST EXACTLY OPPOSITE SIDES IN THEIR SPEECHES, MADE ABOUT FOUR HOURS APART. HOOVER'S IDEAS WERE PUT FORTH IN A SPEECH PREPARED FOR THE AMERICAN NEWSPAPER PUBLISHERS ASSOCIATION AT A BUREAU OF ADVERTISING BANQUET. GROSS'S SPEECH WAS TO A MILITARY MEDICAL SYMPOSIUM FOR MEMBERS OF THE ORGANIZED RESERVE CORPS OF THE FIRST ARMY AND IT WAS TAKEN BY MANY TO BE A REAFFIRMATION OF STATE DEPARTMENT VIEWS ON THE U.N.

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HOOVER SUGGESTED THE U.N. SHOULD BE REORGANIZED WITHOUT THE COMMUNIST NATIONS IN IT. THIS WOULD EXCLUDE THE SOVIET UNION, WHITE RUSSIA, THE SOVIET UKRAINE, POLAND AND CZECHOSLOVAKIA, ALL IN THE SOVIET BLOC. IT WOULD ALSO EXCLUDE YUGOSLAVIA, WHICH HAS BROKEN WITH THE SOVIET UNION ON QUESTIONS OF COMMUNIST POLICY BUT VOTES WITH THE RUSSIANS HERE AT TIMES ON SOME ISSUES.

GROSS SAID THE PRESENT SOVIET BOYCOTT PREVENTS THE U.N. ORGANIZATION TEMPORARILY FROM FULFILLING ITS ROLE AS THE ONE WORLD-WIDE ORGANIZATION. AND HE SAID WHEN THE BOYCOTT IS ENDED, THE MEMBERS DOUBTLESS WILL BE IRRITATED ONCE AGAIN BY THE "FAMILIAR TACTICS OF OBSTRUCTION, VILIFICATION AND DELAY."

"IN OUR IRRITATION," GROSS SAID, "LET US NOT FORGET THE USEFULNESS OF PRESERVING ON A UNIVERSAL BASIS THIS COMMON MEETING-GROUND. UNLESS THE RUSSIANS THEMSELVES CHOOSE TO SPLIT THE WORLD IN TWO, THE UNITED NATIONS CAN PROVIDE A VALUABLE FORUM FOR MAINTAINING CONTACT BETWEEN THE SOVIET STATES AND THE REST OF THE WORLD."

CHARLES A.MALIK, LEBANON'S CHIEF DELEGATE AND CHAIRMAN OF THE U.N. ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE WHICH WROTE THE DECLARATION OF HUMAN RIGHTS IN 1948, DISAGREED WITH HOOVER'S SUGGESTION.

HE SAID THE U.N. MEMBERS "OUGHT TO INCLUDE THE RUSSIANS IN EVERYTHING WE DO." HE SAID, HOWEVER, THAT ADVOCATES OF FREEDOM OUGHT TO BE MORE VIGOROUS IN PRESENTING THEIR POINTS AT THE SAME TIME THE RUSSIANS PRESENT THEIR VIEWS.

ONE U.N. DELEGATE SAID THE U.N. WITHOUT THE RUSSIANS WOULD BE WORSE THAN THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS WAS WITHOUT THE UNITED STATES.

SOME DELEGATES SPECULATED THAT ANY ATTEMPT TO REORGANIZE THE U.N. WITHOUT THE RUSSIANS WOULD DRIVE AWAY SUCH COUNTRIES AS INDIA AND OTHERS AMONG THE "IN-BETWEEN" NATIONS WHICH DO NOT WANT TO BE IDENTIFIED WITH ANY BLOC.

FRANK C.NASH, UNITED STATES DEPUTY, URGED THE ARMS COMMISSION TO GO AHEAD DESPITE WHAT HE CALLED "CALLOUS INDIFFERENCE" OF THE RUSSIANS TO OBLIGATIONS UNDER THE U.N. CHARTER.

THE COMMISSION APPROVED A UNITED STATES PROPOSAL THAT ITS 11-NATION WORKING COMMITTEE BEGIN TRYING TO WORK OUT AN INTERNATIONAL INSPECTION SYSTEM TO MAKE SURE ALL NATIONS LIVE UP TO ANY ARMS REDUCTION PACTS.

COMMENTING ON THE HOOVER SPEECH, HOMERO VITERI-LAFRONTE OF ECUADOR, ARMS COMMISSION CHAIRMAN, TOLD A REPORTER THAT ANY REORGANIZATION OF THE U.N. EXCLUDING THE RUSSIANS WOULD AUTOMATICALLY CREATE TWO LEAGUES OR SOCIETIES OR WHATEVER THEY MAY BE CALLED. HE SAID THIS WOULD NOT BE GOOD. HE SAID HE HAD TAKEN THE LEAD IN DEMANDING UNIVERSALITY OF MEMBERSHIP IN THE U.N. AND THAT EVEN THOUGH THERE IS NO AGREEMENT NOW THERE ALWAYS COULD BE DISCUSSION OF PROBLEMS.

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UNDATED HOOVER REACTION (450)

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

(NY) FIRST CAUTIOUS REACTION AT THE UNITED NATIONS AND IN WASHINGTON TO FORMER PRESIDENT HOOVER'S PROPOSAL LAST (THURS) NIGHT FOR A NEW U.N. MINUS RUSSIA WAS EITHER IN OPPOSITION OR NON-COMMITTAL.

CHARLES A. MALIK, LEBANON'S CHIEF DELEGATE AND CHAIRMAN OF THE U.N. ASSEMBLY WHICH WROTE THE DECLARATION OF HUMAN RIGHTS IN 1948, SAID THE ORGANIZATION "OUGHT TO INCLUDE THE RUSSIANS IN EVERYTHING WE DO."

SEN. TOM CONNALLY (D-TEX), CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE, DECLINED COMMENT ON THE SPEECH, WHICH THE EX-PRESIDENT DELIVERED AT AN ADVERTISING BANQUET ENDING THE ANNUAL CONVENTION OF THE AMERICAN NEWSPAPER PUBLISHERS ASSOCIATION IN NEW YORK.

JOHN FOSTER DULLES, REPUBLICAN ADVISOR TO SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON, SPEAKING SIMULTANEOUSLY IN WASHINGTON BEFORE THE SOCIETY OF INTERNATIONAL LAW, CAME OUT FOR REVISION OF THE U.N. CHARTER BUT MADE NO MENTION OF LEAVING OUT THE SOVIETS AND THEIR SATELLITES.

HOOVER'S PROPOSAL IS KNOWN TO BE NOT IN LINE WITH U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT POLICY, WHICH FAVORS KEEPING THE RUSSIANS AS U.N. MEMBERS ON THE GROUND THAT THE U.N. IS THE ONE PLACE WHERE CONFLICTS OF IDEAS AND POLICIES CAN BE THRESHED OUT OPENLY.

DULLES BASED HIS ARGUMENT FOR REVISING THE U.N. CHARTER ON THE VIEW THAT THAT DOCUMENT AND THE U.N. MEMBERSHIP ARE "DATED 1945."

SEN ROBERT P. TAFT (R-OHIO), A SHARP CRITIC OF ADMINISTRATION POLICIES, CALLED THE HOOVER SUGGESTION "AN INTERESTING PROPOSAL." TAFT SAID HE HAD "LONG BEEN IN FAVOR OF A DETERMINED EFFORT TO REVISE THE UNITED NATIONS CHARTER." THE OHIO SENATOR DID NOT GIVE DETAILS OF THESE RECOMMENDED REVISIONS.

TRYGVE LIE, NOW ON A TRIP TO EUROPE ON A "SAVE THE UNITED NATIONS" MISSION, DECLINED TO COMMENT ON THE HOOVER PROPOSAL ON HIS ARRIVAL AT SOUTHAMPTON, ENG.

ERNEST A. GROSS, DEPUTY U.S. DELEGATE TO U.N., IN A SPEECH PREPARED FOR DELIVERY BEFORE A MILITARY MEDICAL SYMPOSIUM ON GOVERNOR'S ISLAND, N.Y., TOOK ALMOST THE OPPOSITE VIEW FROM THE FORMER PRESIDENT. GROSS BECAUSE OF ILLNESS WAS UNABLE TO DELIVER HIS SPEECH, WHICH WAS READ BY JOHN C. ROSS, ANOTHER U.S. DEPUTY DELEGATE.

GROSS CALLED THE U.N., AS IT NOW EXISTS, A USEFUL DEVICE FOR KEEPING CONTACT WITH THE RUSSIANS. HE SAID THAT THE PRESENT SOVIET BOYCOTT OF U.N. ORGANIZATIONS BECAUSE OF THEIR FAILURE TO SEAT DELEGATES FROM COMMUNIST CHINA IS TEMPORARILY PREVENTING U.N. FROM SERVING ITS ROLE AS A WORLD-WIDE ORGANIZATION. HE PREDICTED THAT WHEN THE BOYCOTT IS ENDED, OTHER U.N. MEMBERS WILL BE DOUBTLESS BE IRRITATED ONCE AGAIN BY THE RUSSIANS' "FAMILIAR TACTICS OF OBSTRUCTION, VILIFICATION AND DELAY."

ONE U.N. DELEGATE WHO ASKED NOT TO BE NAMED SAID THAT THE ORGANIZATION WITHOUT THE RUSSIANS WOULD BE WORSE THAN THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS WAS WITHOUT THE UNITED STATES. OTHER DELEGATES SPECULATED THAT ANY ATTEMPT TO REORGANIZE U.N. WITHOUT THE SOVIETS WOULD DRIVE AWAY SUCH COUNTRIES AS INDIA AND OTHERS AMONG THE "IN-BETWEEN" NATIONS WHICH DO NOT WANT TO BE IDENTIFIED WITH ANY BLOC.

DR. HOMERO VITERI-LAFRONTE, ECUADOREAN DELEGATE TO U.N. AND ARMS COMMISSION CHAIRMAN, SAID ANY REORGANIZATION OF U.N. WITHOUT THE RUSSIANS WOULD AUTOMATICALLY CREATE TWO LEAGUES OF SOCIETIES, WHICH HE SAID WOULD NOT BE GOOD.

ONLY ONE LONDON MORNING NEWSPAPER, THE CONSERVATIVE DAILY TELEGRAPH, CARRIED A STORY ON HOOVER'S PROPOSAL. THE TELEGRAPH GAVE THE STORY FIVE LINES AT THE BOTTOM OF THE PAPER'S COLUMN OF NEW YORK DISPATCHES ON THE BACK PAGE.

COPENHAGEN NEWSPAPERS DID NOT CARRY THE STORY. THERE WAS NO EDITORIAL COMMENT IN EITHER LONDON OR COPENHAGEN.

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WITH HOOVER

(ADVANCE) NEW YORK,APRIL 27-(AP)-FORMER PRESIDENT HOOVER SAID TONIGHT THAT AMERICA'S EXPERIENCE WITH RUSSIA COULD BE DIVIDED INTO SEVEN PHASES. HE LISTED THESE IN HIS ADDRESS TO THE AMERICAN NEWSPAPER PUBLISHERS ASSOCIATION:

1--"SINCE PETER THE GREAT THEY STEADILY HAVE EXPANDED THEIR REACH OF EMPIRE OVER THE LARGEST LAND MASS IN THE WORLD. THEIR METHOD WAS THAT OF A BURGLAR GOING DOWN A HALL. X X X LENIN AND STALIN ADDED A NEW APPARATUS FOR THE ROBBER."

2--"A PERIOD OF 16 YEARS DURING WHICH FOUR PRESIDENTS AND SEVEN SECRETARIES OF STATE OPPOSED OUR HAVING ANY RELATIONS WITH THIS MALIGNANT GOVERNMENT. THEIR ATTITUDE WAS THAT WHEN OUR NEIGHBORS ARE LIVING A LIFE OF SPIRITUAL AND OTHER DISREPUTE X X X WE CAN HOLD UP OUR STANDARDS IN THE WORLD A LITTLE BETTER IF WE DO NOT INVITE THEM INTO OUR HOMES BY SO-CALLED RECOGNITION."

3--"WHEN OUR LEFT-WINGERS HAD THEIR WAY X X X THEY PRODUCED THE RECOGNITION OF THE SOVIET IN 1933 X X X THE ALLIANCE WITH RUSSIA IN 1941 X X X APPEASEMENT OF RUSSIA IN WESTERN EUROPE UNTIL ITS REVERSAL BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND SECRETARY BYRNES IN 1945. X X X AS A RESULT X X X WE WITNESS A DOZEN NATIONS AND 600,000,000 (M) HUMAN BEINGS ENSLAVED."

4--"THAT SOVIET RUSSIA HAS IN THE LAST 12 YEARS VIOLATED MORE THAN 35 SIGNED AGREEMENTS."

5--"THE KREMLIN HAS REDUCED THE UNITED NATIONS TO A PROPAGANDA FORUM FOR THE SMEARING OF FREE PEOPLES."

6--"WE NOW FIND OURSELVES IN AN EXPENSIVE AND DANGEROUS COLD WAR. X X X WE LEARN THAT OUR FIRST DEFENSE--THE ATOMIC BOMB--HAS BEEN STOLEN."

7--"THE BELATED RECOGNITION THAT THIS IS NOT ONE WORLD BUT TWO WORLDS. X X X ONE WORLD IS MILITARISTIC, IMPERIALISTIC, ATHEISTIC AND WITHOUT COMPASSION. THE OTHER WORLD STILL HOLDS TO BELIEF IN GOD, FREE NATIONS, HUMAN DIGNITY AND PEACE."

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LONDON, APRIL 27-(AP)-U.S. MINISTER ALLEN GRIFFIN ARRIVED BY PLANE TODAY ON THE WAY TO WASHINGTON TO REPORT ON WHAT TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE MIGHT BE GIVEN TO HELP DEVELOP SOUTHEAST ASIA.

THE MONTEREY, CALIF., NEWSPAPER PUBLISHER HEADED A MISSION THAT MADE AN ON-THE-SCENE STUDY OF THE PROBLEM IN CONNECTION WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S POINT FOUR PROGRAM.

GRIFFIN LEAVES FOR WASHINGTON MONDAY TO REPORT TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN. FORMER DEPUTY CHIEF OF THE EUROPEAN COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION IN CHINA, HE HOLDS THE TEMPORARY RANK OF MINISTER FOR HIS SOUTHEAST ASIAN MISSION.

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LONDON, FRIDAY, APRIL 28-(AP)-THE SOVIET NEWS AGENCY TASS SAID TODAY THAT PRIME MINISTER STALIN HAD SENT A TELEGRAM OF CONGRATULATIONS TO FRENCH COMMUNIST LEADER MAURICE THOREZ ON THE LATTER'S 50TH BIRTHDAY.

Stalin's tele ram said in part: "All the peoples of the world, the workers of all countries, know and esteem you as the tried leader of the communists of France, as the leader of the French workers and toiling peasantry, as a courageous fighter for the stabilization of peace, for the triumph of democracy and socialism throughout the world."

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London, April 27-(ap)-In a hush-hush atmosphere, diplomats of britain, france and the united states met twice today to plan nex t month's big three conference.

The amer cans held separate conferences with the british and french, but there was no meeting of all three powers at the sme time. Philip c.

jessup, ambassador at large, headed the u.s. delegation.

Charles Bohlen, the u.s. state department expurt on russia, arrived from paris to join the delegation. This indicated the talks already are centering on hard policy discussions on the cold war with the u.s.s.r.

Not a word, officially, has come from these paparatory talks since they began monday. the sil ence surrounding the meetings has gone so far that an american spokesman refused even to admit that the big three meeting will be a conference. the official american view is that it is an informal gathering taking advantage of the presence of secretary of state dean acheson in london to attend the atlantic alliance council meeting may 15.

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the u. s. delegation quarters on the second floor of the embassy is heavily guarded. Jessup, usually accessible to reporters on other

assignments, has secluded himself here. it is understood this is on strict orders from acheson.

in british quarters it is freely admitted that the conference is probably the most important diplomatic meeting since the war.

preparations for it are more thorough than for any since the united nations met in san francisco before the end of the war to draw up the u.n. charter.

the preparatory talks are exploring every major diplomatic problem and every angle of western defense against communism. when these preparatory talks are finished next week, jessup will fly to paris to meet acheson, who is to confer with french foreign minister robert schuman may 8. jessup will be able to give acheson a complete fill-in on discussions here.

after the schuman meeting acheson is to come here for separate talks with british foreign secretary ernest bevin, before all three foreign ministers me t together.

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PRECEDE CHERBOURG DAY

SOUTHAMPTON, ENG., APRIL 27-(AP)-U.N. SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE SAID TONIGHT THE INTERNATIONAL SITUATION "IS NOT SATISFACTORY" BUT HE THOUGHT THE UNITED NATIONS WOULD SURVIVE.

LIE, WHO ARRIVED ABOARD THE LINER QUEEN MARY, REFUSED COMMENT ON HERBERT HOOVER'S PROPOSAL THAT THE UNITED NATIONS BE REORGANIZED WITHOUT COMMUNIST NATIONS. HE TOLD NEWSMEN HE WANTED TO READ A FULL EPORT OF HOOVER'S REMARKS.

"I'M AFRAID I CANNOT SAY THAT THE GENERAL WORLD POSITION IS HEALTHIER THAN WHEN I WAS IN ENGLAND A YEAR AGO," HE SAID.

LIE PLANS TO CONFER WITH EUROPEAN LEADERS. HE HAD A TALK WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN BEFORE LEAVING THE UNITED STATES.

HE SAID HE STILL HOPED TO GO TO MOSCOW NEXT MONTH BUT A DECISION WOULD NOT BE MADE UNTIL HE ARRIVES IN PARIS NEXT WEEK. EXPLAINING THAT HE HAD NO VISA FOR RUSSIA, HE SAID:

"THAT DOES NOT WORRY ME. THE SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS IS ENTITLED TO GO INTO ANY MEMBER COUNTRY--YES, ANY MEMBER COUNTRY."

LIE WAS MET BY A BRITISH FOREIGN OFFICE OFFICIAL WHO TOLD HIM AN INTERVIEW WITH PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE HAD BEEN ARRANGED FOR TOMORROW.

"MY DUTY," LIE SAID, "IS STILL TO DO MY BEST TO KEEP THE UNITED NATIONS TOGETHER AS A WORLD ORGANIZATION AND THEN TO END THE SO-CALLED COLD WAR."

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CHERBOURG, FRANCE,APRIL 27-(AP)-TRYGVE LIE, SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS, ARRIVED HERE TODAY, STILL UNDECIDED WHETHER HE WILL GO TO MOSCOW.

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"IT'S IN PARIS, WHERE I WILL SPEND MAY 4 AND 5, THAT I WILL DECIDE WHETHER TO GO TO MOSCOW," LIE SAID. HE LEFT HERE ABOARD THE LINER QUEEN MARY FOR ENGLAND, WHERE HE WILL OPEN HIS EUROPEAN

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LIE, DISTURBED ABOUT THE COLD WAR AND THE PRESENT DIFFICULTIES OF THE UNITED NATIONS, CONFERRED WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN BEFORE LEAVING THE UNITED STATES.

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PARIS, APRIL 27-(AP)-COMMUNISTS APPEALED TODAY TO FRENCH WORKERS TO QUIT THEIR JOBS AT THE FIRST SIGN THAT "AMERICAN, ENGLISH OR GERMAN EFFICIENCY EXPERTS" APPEAR IN FACTORIES HERE.
THE PLEA, CIRCULATED THROUGH NEARLY 1,000 COMMUNIST-DOMINATED "FACTORY CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEES," ALSO REPEATED REQUESTS TO WORKERS TO REFUSE TO WORK ON JOBS MAKING MUNITIONS OR OTHER WAR MATERIAL.
PLANT COMMITTEES WERE FORMED AT GOVERNMENT DIRECTION IN 1945, WHEN THE COMMUNIST PARTY WAS IN THE CABINET. LATER THE COMMITTEES WERE ALMOST COMPLETELY TAKEN OVER BY MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNIST-LET GENERAL WORKERS CONFEDERATION (CGT)
THE NEW APPEAL APPARENTLY IS PART OF A STEPPED-UP COMMUNIST CAMPAIGN TO WRECK FRANCE'S PARTICIPATION IN WESTERN ALLIANCES.
INDUSTRIAL INFORMANTS SAID THEY KNOW OF NO EFFICIENCY EXPERTS NOW AT WORK IN FRENCH FACTORIES, NOR OF ANY PLANS TO HIRE THEM.
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PARIS, APRIL 27-(AP)-FRENCH GOVERNMENT LEADERS HAVE PROPOSED ANOTHER STEP TOWARD UNIFICATION OF THE WESTERN WORLD.
A FOREIGN MINISTRY SPOKESMAN SAID FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN IS READY TO ADVOCATE AN OVERALL ORGANIZATION OF NATIONS NOW BELONGING TO THE NORTH ATLANTIC PACT, THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE, THE BRUSSELS PACT AND THE MARSHALL PLAN.
THE PROPOSED ORGANIZATION, THE SPOKESMAN CONTINUED, WOULD UNIFY POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC POLICIES, AS WELL AS MILITARY PLANS.
SCHUMAN IN A SPEECH TO A MEETING OF PROVINCIAL EDITORS YESTERDAY SAID EXISTING ORGANIZATIONS OF WESTERN NATIONS MUST BE COORDINATED AND "BROUGHT INTO HARMONY."
SCHUMAN HAS IN MIND, HIS SPOKESMAN EXPLAINED, AN AGENCY OF EVEN WIDER SCOPE THAN THE SUPREME ATLANTIC COUNCIL FOR ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COOPERATION SUGGESTED A WEEK AGO BY FRENCH PREMIER GEORGES BIDAULT IN A SPEECH AT LYON. BIDAULT AND SCHUMAN ARE IN FULL AGREEMENT ON THE NEW IDEA, THE SPOKESMAN ADDED.
THE COUNCIL PROPOSED BY BIDAULT WAS CONFINED TO THE 12 SIGNERS OF THE ATLANTIC PACT. THE ORGANIZATION ENVISIONED BY SCHUMAN, HIS SPOKESMAN POINTED OUT, COULD INCLUDE WESTERN GERMANY, AUSTRAIA AND SWITZERLAND -- PARTICIPANTS IN THE MARSHALL PLAN BUT NOT IN ANY OF THE OTHER ORGANIZATIONS.
SCHUMAN PLANS TO BRING UP HIS PLAN AT THE MAY 12 MEETING IN LONDON OF THE ATLANTIC PACT FOREIGN MINISTERS, THE SPOKESMAN SAID.
THE PROPOSED ORGANIZATION WOULD TIE TOGETHER NATIONS EXTENDING FROM THE UNITED STATES AND CANADA IN THE WEST TO GREECE AND TURKEY IN THE EAST. BRITAIN'S LINKS WITH THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH AND U.S. TIES IN LATIN AMERICA THROUGH THE ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN STATES WOULD EXTEND THE INFLUENCE OF THE OVERALL WESTERN GROUPING STILL FARTHER.
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Paris, April 27--(ap)--The former wife of Jean Borotra was sentenced today to 10 years at forced labor. She was accused of having been an informer for the German gestapo and was brought to trial in absentia under the name of Mabel De Forest. She has been ill and is living in a Swiss sanitorium.

Borotra, a former tennis star, made a dramatic plea in her favor. Appear ng unexpectedly in the courtroom, Borotra walked to the stand from a spectator's seat and said:

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"I have been divorced for the last two years and I have not seen my wife since November, 1943. x x x My ex-wife is not guilty of the odious acts imputed to her. Her sensitive nature makes it [redacted] impossible.

" x x x She was an admirable mother. She did not want to go to Germany. She was sent there as a forced laborer."

The prosecutor said he wanted to be the first to praise Borotra's sportsman like gesture but that "the jurisprudence and the law prevents us from hearing you."

The defendant has been ill and is living in a swiss sanatorium.

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Paris, April 27--(ap)--The French National Assembly tonight approved the prosecution of two Communist deputies for their part in disorderly demonstrations in the port city of Brest.

The assembly's action was part of the government's announced intention of dealing more firmly with the Communists in their attempts to disrupt the nation's economy and military preparedness efforts. The vote was 380 for prosecution to 170 against.

Mrs. Marie Lambert, Communist deputy from Finistere Department in Brittany, was arrested April 16 after a/contractor had been taken from his home by a crowd of about 1,200 striking building workers. He was held for several hours at union headquarters until rescued by a large police force.

Mrs. Lambert was accused of having incited the kidnaping by a speech at union headquarters [redacted] and of having been present while the contractor

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was held.

Alain Signor, also a Communist deputy from Finistere, was arrested April 17 during a riot in which one man was killed and about 80 injured.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 11 A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY, THURSDAY, APRIL 27)
BY JAMES J.DEVLIN
(ADVANCE)-FRANKFURT, GERMANY, APRIL 27-(AP)-JOHN J.MC CLOY, THE U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER IN GERMANY, HAS INFORMED THE STATE DEPARTMENT THAT "NATIONALIST GROUPS" HAVE BECOME MORE ACTIVE IN WESTERN GERMANY SINCE MILITARY GOVERNMENT ENDED LAST FALL.
IN A LETTER DATED MARCH 30 AND MADE PUBLIC TODAY, HE SAID NATIONALISM WAS A FORCE "WHICH MUST BE RECKONED WITH INCREASINGLY" ALTHOUGH IT POSED NO "MAJOR IMMEDIATE THREAT." THE LETTER WAS ADDRESSED TO SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON AND TO PAUL G.HOFFMAN, ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATOR, WITH A COPY TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN.
IT WAS ACCOMPANIED BY THE HIGH COMMISSION'S FIRST QUARTERLY REPORT SINCE IT REPLACED MILITARY GOVERNMENT. THE 79-PAGE REPORT COVERED THE PERIOD SEPT. 21, 1949, TO DEC. 31.
THE LETTER SAID:
"IN WESTERN GERMANY NATIONALISM AND NATIONALISTIC GROUPS HAVE BECOME MORE ACTIVE AND MORE VOCAL THAN DURING THE PERIOD OF COMPLETE CONTROL BY MILITARY GOVERNMENT.
"THIS NATIONALISM, WHILE PRESENT AND SUGGESTING FURTHER PROBLEMS, DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A MAJOR IMMEDIATE THREAT IN WESTERN GERMANY TODAY. HOWEVER, IT REMAINS A FORCE WHICH MUST BE RECKONED WITH INCREASINGLY AS GERMANY DEVELOPS AN AUTONOMOUS CIVIC, ECONOMIC AND CULTURAL LIFE.
"ITS MERE EXISTENCE, HOWEVER, POINTS UP THE NECESSITY OF ENCOURAGING THE GROWTH AND THE STRENGTHENING OF THE DEMOCRATIC FORCES OF GERMANY AND OF MOVING TOWARD THE DEVELOPMENT OF INTERNAL AND INTERNATIONAL CONDITIONS WHICH WILL PREVENT THE OVERSTIMULATION OF LATENT NATIONALIST FEELING."
CONCERNING BERLIN, MCCLOY SAID IN HIS LETTER:
"THE CITY CONTINUED TO BE SUBJECT TO STRONG, POLITICAL AND CONSIDERABLE ECONOMIC PRESSURE FROM THE EAST, WHICH AGGRAVATED SERIOUSLY THE GRAVE ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL DIFFICULTIES INHERENT IN ITS POSITION AS AN OUTPOST OF THE WEST IN THE SOVIET ZONE.
"ALMOST 40 PERCENT OF THE TOTAL POPULATION OF THE WESTERN SECTORS OF BERLIN WAS BEING SUBSIDIZED AT THE END OF THE YEAR BY SOME FORM OF PUBLIC AID.
"HOWEVER, DESPITE THIS PERIOD OF STRESS, THE MORALE OF THIS GROUP WAS WELL MAINTAINED."
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FRANKFURT, GERMANY, APRIL 27-(AP)-THE U.S. HIGH COMMISSION FOR GERMANY TONIGHT EXPELLED HILTON GREENE, AMERICAN PUBLISHER OF A NEW ENGLISH-LANGUAGE NEWSPAPER NEAR HERE.
A HIGH COMMISSION ANNOUNCEMENT SAID:
"THE ORDER WAS ISSUED UNDER PROVISIONS OF THE ALLIED HIGH COMMISSION LAW RELATING TO THE EXPULSION OF UNDESIRABLES."
GREENE, WHO COMES FROM LOS ANGELES, BEGAN PUBLICATION LAST MONTH OF THE AMERICAN TIMES IN GROSS-GERAU, NEAR FRANKFURT. EARLY IN 1949 HE ATTEMPTED TO PUBLISH ANOTHER ENGLISH-LANGUAGE NEWSPAPER IN STUTTGART, BUT THE ENTERPRISE FAILED.
THE HIGH COMMISSION'S ANNOUNCEMENT SAID GREENE'S EXPULSION "WAS RECOMMENDED BY THE LAND COMMISSIONERS OF WUERTTEMBERG-BADEN AND HESSE."
"SINCE JUNE 16, 1949 MR. GREENE HAS BEEN IN THE US. ZONE OF GERMANY WITHOUT A VALID ENTRY PERMIT," THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID. "IN JANUARY HE SUBMITTED A REQUEST FOR AN ENTRY PERMIT IN ORDER TO ENGAGE IN THE NEWSPAPER BUSINESS BUT PERMISSION WAS NOT GRANTED."
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FRANKFURT APRIL 27-(AP)-WEST GERMAN BANKS WILL BEGIN DEALING IN FOREIGN EXCHANGE MAY 15 FOR THE FIRST TIME SINCE THE WAR, GERMAN BANK OFFICIALS SAID TODAY.

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PROVISION FOR THE RE-ENTRANCE OF GERMANY INTO THE FOREIGN CURRENCY FIELD WAS MADE IN AN ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT ORDER OF 1948. IT STATED GERMAN BANKS COULD RE-INSTATE FOREIGN EXCHANGE DEALINGS WHEN CONDITIONS WARRANTED IT.

HELPED PRINCIPALLY BY THE MOVE WILL BE IMPORTERS AND EXPORTERS WHO HAVE HAD TO FUNNEL CURRENCY DEALINGS THROUGH SOMETIMES SLOW OCCUPATION CHANNELS.

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BERLIN, APRIL 27-(AP)-THE WEST BERLIN NEWSPAPER DER ABEND CLAIMED TODAY THAT MISTREATMENT IN AN MVD (SOVIET SECRET POLICE) PRISON HAD KILLED FRANZ SCHLEUSENER, AN ANTI-COMMUNIST GERMAN POLITICIAN.

THE DEATH OF SCHLEUSENER, 72-YEAR-OLD CHRISTIAN DEMOCRAT AND FORMER MEMBER OF THE BRANDENBURG STATE PARLIAMENT AT POTSDAM, WAS DISCLOSED APRIL 4. HE WAS FIRST REPORTED A SUICIDE.

THE ABEND CLAIMED TO HAVE DISCOVERED HE ACTUALLY DIED WHILE CONFINED "NAKED AND HANDCUFFED IN A COLD SOVIET PRISON CELL" IN POTSDAM.

THE NEWSPAPER ASSERTED SCHLEUSENER HAD BEEN ARRESTED BY THE SOVIET POLICE ON CHARGES OF ORGANIZING A REBEL GROUP WITHIN THE POTSDAM CDU TO FIGHT COMMUNIST POLICIEIS. HE WAS ALSO ACCUSED OF HAVING SMUGGLED FOODSTUFFS.

DER ABEND REPORTED THE RUSSIANS HAD INTERROGATED HIM FOR HOURS TO "WEAR HIM DOWN" IN PREPARATION FOR A PUBLIC TRIAL BUT THAT HE DIED BEFORE THIS PLAN COULD BE FULFILLED. HIS BODY WAS CREMATED AND HIS ASHES DELIVERED TO HIS WIDOW "WITHOUT EXPLANATION" THE NEWSPAPER SAID.

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BERLIN, APRIL 27-(AP)-THE U.S. ARMY'S PLAN TO TRAIN SOLDIERS OF THE ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS IN WEST GERMANY TODAY WAS DENOUNCED BY THE RUSSIAN-CONTROLLED PRESS HERE AS A VIOLATION OF FOUR POWER AGREEMENTS FOR GERMANY'S DEMILITARIZATION.

LOUDEST BLAST CAME FROM THE SOVIET ARMY NEWSPAPER TAEGLICHE RUNDSCHAU, WHICH HAS SUPPORTED THE CREATION OF A QUASI GERMAN ARMY IN EAST GERMANY UNDER THE GUISE OF "PEOPLES POLICE."

"THIS AMERICAN ACTION," SAID THE RUNDSCHAU, "TEARS THE LAST VEIL FROM THE REAL GOAL OF THE AMERICAN OCCUPATION IN WEST GERMANY. THIS GOAL IS TO TRANSFORM WEST GERMANY INTO A MILITARY BASE FOR AN AGGRESSIVE WAR. THIS ACTION FRANKLY ADMITS THE ILLEGAL CHARACTER OF THE WEST GERMAN OCCUPATION."

THE U.S. ARMY ANNOUNCED YESTERDAY THAT 1,600 SOLDIERS FROM NATIONS RECEIVING AMERICAN MILITARY SHIPMENTS WOULD GET SEVERAL WEEKS TRAINING IN HANDLING AND REPAIR OF U.S. WEAPONS.

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PRECEDE BERLIN DAY
HOLLYWOOD, APRIL 27-(AP)-"UTTERLY FANTASTIC" WAS BETTY HUTTON'S REACTION TONIGHT TO GERMAN COMMUNISTS WHO BRANDED IRVING BERLIN'S MUSICAL "ANNIE GET YOUR GUN," AS A "WARMONGERING PLAY."

MISS HUTTON, WHO PLAYS ANNIE IN THE FILM, WAS DESCRIBED AS A "GRINNING MOSTER" BY NEUES DEUTSCHLAND, ORGAN OF THE GERMAN SOCIALIST UNITY (COMMUNIST) PARTY. THE PAPER URGED GERMANS TO BOYCOTT THE FILM IF IT APPEARS IN BERLIN.

"I THINK THE STORY OUT OF GERMANY IS UTTERLY FANTASTIC," SAID BLONDE BETTY. "IT'S TOO BAD THE COMMUNISTS IN GERMANY AND RUSSIA CANNOT SEE THE MOVING PICTURE. ITS STORY MIGHT MAKE THEM BETTER ABLE TO REALIZE SOME OF THE WONDERFUL THINGS THAT DEMOCRACY HAS TO OFFER."

THE BERLIN NEWSPAPER REPRINTED TIME MAGAZINE'S RECENT COVER PICTURE OF MISS HUTTON WIELDING A PAIR OF SMOKING SIX-SHOOTERS.

"THIS GRINNING MONSTER IS BETTY HUTTON," SAID THE CAPTION. "THE AMERICAN MONO-CAPITALISTS DON'T MISS ANY CHANCE TO DECORATE THEIR WARMONGERING AND MURDER-MONGERING WITH SEX APPEAL."

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BERLIN, APRIL 27-(AP)-GERMAN COMMUNISTS TODAY BRANDED IRVING BERLIN'S MUSICAL "ANNIE GET YOUR GUNAS A "WARMONGERING PLAY." THEY CALLED FILMDOM'S ANNIE, BLONDE BETTY HUTTON, A "GRINNING MONSTER."

TACKING ON THOSE LABELS, NEUES DEUTSCHLAND, ORGAN OF THE GERMAN SOCIALIST UNITY (COMMUNIST) PARTY, CAPTIONED MISS HUTTON'S PICTURE "WARMONGERING WITH SEX APPEAL."

THE PAPER URGED GERMANS TO BOYCOTT THE FILM IF IT APPEARS HERE.

UNDER A REPRINT OF TIME MAGAZINE'S RECENT COVER PICTURE OF MISS HUTTON WIELDING A PAIR OF SMOKING SIX-SHOOTERS, THE PAPER SAID:

"THIS GRINNING MONSTER IS BETTY HUTTON, ONE OF THE HIGHEST-PAID HOLLYWOOD STARS. BY APPEARING IN THE COLOR FILM 'ANNIE GET YOUR GUN' SHE BOOSTED HER EARNINGS TO $260,000 ANNUALLY. THE AMERICAN MONO-CAPITALISTS DON'T MISS ANY CHANCE TO DECORATE THEIR WARMONGERING AND MURDER-MONGERING WITH SEX APPEAL."

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HEIDELBERG, GERMANY, APRIL 27-(AP)-AN AMERICAN SOLDIER ACCUSED OF BEATING UP A GERMAN GIRL TWICE IN ONE NIGHT TESTIFIED TODAY HE LOVED HER AND WANTED HER TO BECOME HIS WIFE.

AN ARMY ANNOUNCEMENT IDENTIFIED THE SOLDIER AS CORP. ROBERT W. DOGGETT, OF GREENVIEW, ILL.

A COURT MARTIAL SENTENCED HIM TO ONE YEAR'S CONFINEMENT AND DISHONORABLE DISCHARGE ON A CHARGE OF ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT BODILY HARM.

THE ARMY ANNOUNCEMENT QUOTED WITNESSES AS TESTIFYING THAT HE ASSAULTED EVA-MARIA WALTER "ON TWO OR MORE SUCCESSIVE OCCASIONS" DURING AN ARGUMENT IN A HEIDELBERG CAFE.

THE DEFENDANT HAD KNOWN THE GIRL FOR FOUR YEARS AND IN 1948 HAD FILED A MARRIAGE APPLICATION. HE REITERATED HIS LOVE FOR HER WHEN HE TOOK THE WITNESS STAND.

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BERLIN, APRIL 27-(AP)-POLICE ACTION TO BREAK THE MORAL RESISTANCE OF EAST GERMAN PROTESTANT PASTORS TO THE COMMUNIST "NATIONAL FRONT" WAS FORECAST BY CHURCH SOURCES TONIGHT.

THESE INFORMANTS SAID THE RUSSIAN ZONE GOVERNMENT APPEARED DETERMINED TO FORCE THE MAJORITY OF 6,000 PASTORS INTO THE FRONT AND POLITICALLY SILENCE THOSE WHO STILL HELD OUT.

BISHOP OTTO DIBELIUS AND COMMUNIST CHANCELLOR OTTO GROTEWOHL ARE TO CONFER TOMORROW.

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BISHOP DIBELIUS LED THE BERLIN-BRANDENBEURG EVANGELICAL COUNCIL IN ISSUING "AN OPEN WORD" TO 14,000,000 EAST GERMAN PROTESTANTS LAST SUNDAY. THE GOVERNMENT WAS ASKED TO END ITS MEMBERSHIP PRESURE FOR THE "NATIONAL FRONT" AND ITS ANTI-CHRISTIAN PROPAGANDA IN THE SCHOOLS.

INDICATIONS ARE THAT GROTEWOHL, WHO DECLARED THE CHURCH CRITICISM UNCONSTITUTIONAL, WILL THREATEN THE ARREST OF INDIVIDUAL CLERGYMEN IF THEY OPENLY PERSIST IN THEIR ATTITUDE, CHURCH SOURCES SAID.

OSTENSIBLY, THE NATIONAL FRONT IS A NON-PARTISAN MOVEMENT OF PATRIOTS IN ALL ZONES OF GERMANY. BUT EVEN ITS OWN PROPAGANDA MAKES CLEAR THAT IT INTENDS TO SOVIETIZE GERMANY.

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Hersfeld, germany, april 27-(ap)-Among the ranking pests in communist-governed east germany are the sparrows. German farmers, say the west german border police, ~~xxxx~~ have been ordered to bring in two dead sparrows each as their part in an anti-sparrow campaign.

But -- the east germans are forbidden by the russians to have guns, even air rifles.

So, say the border police, west germans living near the frontier are sneaking air rifles to the east germans ~~xx~~ so they can get their sparrows and not be ~~xxxxx~~ fined for failure to deliver.

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BONN, GERMANY, APRIL 27-(AP)-WEST GERMAN COMMUNISTS JOINED ITALIAN AND FRENCH COMRADES TODAY IN TRYING UNSUCCESSFULLY TO PREVENT SHIPMENT OF AMERICAN ARMS INTO WESTERN EUROPE.

THEY CHARGED IN THE FEDERAL PARLIAMENT THAT WEST GERMANY IS BEING MADE INTO AN "ARMED CAMP OF AGGRESSION" AND CALLED FOR A BAN ON ARMS SHIPMENTS INTO THE WEST GERMAN REPUBLIC. THEIR MOTION WAS SHELVED.

COMMUNIST DEPUTY WALTER FISCH HINTED STRONGLY THE COMMUNISTS WOULD TRY TO FOMENT HARBOR STRIKES IN GERMAN PORTS USED TO SUPPLY BRITISH AND AMERICAN OCCUPATION ARMIES.

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MILAN, ITALY, FRIDAY, APRIL 28-(AP)-KONRAD ADENAUER, CHANCELLOR OF WEST GERMANY, IN AN INTERVIEW PUBLISHED HERE TODAY URGED FRANCE, ITALY AND GERMANY TO UNITE TO SAVE EUROPE.

ADENAUER WAS QUOTED BY THE CATHOLIC NEWSPAPER L'ITALIA AS CALLING FOR "TOTAL POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC UNION" OF THE THREE COUNTRIES ALONG THE LINES OF THE SWISS CONFEDERATION. FORMATION OF SUCH A STATE, HE WAS QUOTED AS SAYING, WOULD BE A "GREAT KEY TO SALVATION FOR EUROPEAN CHRISTIANITY AND CIVILIZATION."

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NIGHT LEAD PLANE (170)
COPENHAGEN, DENMARK, APRIL 27-(AP)-THREE MORE YELLOW RUBBER SUITS WHICH MAY BEAR ON THE FATE OF THE U.S. NAVY'S MISSING PRIVATEER PLANE WERE FOUND TODAY ON DENMARK'S LANGELAND ISLAND.

THE SUITS BEAR ENGLISH LETTERING. THEY WERE FOUND NEAR THE POINT WHERE THE FIRST ONE WAS PICKED UP YESTERDAY ON LANGELAND, SITUATED OFF THE DANISH MAINLAND ABOUT 350 MILES WEST OF THE LATVIAN TERRITORY WHERE RUSSIA SAID HER FIGHTERS EXCHANGED FIRE WITH A U.S. PLANE APRIL 8.

POLICE SAID A SMALL BOOK WHICH APPEARED TO CONTAIN A LIST OF NAMES IN ENGLISH ALSO WAS PICKED UP ON THE BEACHES.

THE BIGGEST ITEM IN THE COLLECTION OF SCATTERED CLUES IS PART OF A PLANE'S LANDING GEAR, PICKED UP BY A SWEDISH FISHING VESSEL IN THE EAST BALTIC NEAR THE COAST OF SOVIET-HELD LITHUANIA.

THE LANDING GEAR, SENT TO U.S. AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS IN WIESBADEN, GERMANY, BORE SCARS WHICH APPEARED TO HAVE BEEN MADE BY BULLETS.

U.S. EMBASSY OFFICIALS SAID IT WAS FROM A PRIVATEER TYPE PLANE. NO OTHER PRIVATEER HAS BEEN REPORTED LOST IN THE EASTERN BALTIC IN RECENT YEARS.

TWO LIFE RAFTS OF THE TYPE CARRIED BY U.S. PLANES ALSO HAVE BEEN PICKED UP IN THE BALTIC SINCE THE PRIVATEER DISAPPEARED WITH ITS CREW OF 10.

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COPENHAGEN, DENMARK, APRIL 27-(AP)-THREE MORE YELLOW RUBBER EMERGENCY RESCUE SUITS WERE ADDED TODAY TO THE GROWING COLLECTION OF SCATTERED CLUES TO THE FATE OF THE U.S. NAVY PATROL PLANE WHICH DISAPPEARED MYSTERIOUSLY OVER THE BALTIC MORE THAN TWO WEEKS AGO.

THE SUITS, BEARING ENGLISH LETTERING, WERE ADDED TO THE ONE FOUND YESTERDAY ON THE SHORES OF DENMARK'S LANGELAND ISLAND IN THE SOUTHWESTERNMOST END OF THE BALTIC SEA NEAREST TO GERMANY. A SMALL BOOK WHICH LOCAL POLICE AUTHORITIES SAID ABBEARED TO BE A LIST OF NAMES IN ENGLISH ALSO WAS PICKED UP ON THE BEACHES.

THESE LATEST CLUES WERE FOUND FAR FROM THE SPOT WHERE A SWEDISH FISHING VESSEL YESTERDAY PICKED UP PART OF A PLANE'S LANDING GEAR IN THE EAST BALTIC NEAR THE COAST OF SOVIET-HELD LITHUANIA.

THE LANDING GEAR, NOW IN THE HANDS OF THE U.S. EMBASSY IN COPENHAGEN, BORE SCARS WHICH APPEARED TO BE MADE BY BULLETS.

EMBASSY OFFICIALS SAID IT APPEARED TO BELONG TO A PLANE OF THE SAME TYPE AS THE MISSING NAVY PRIVATEER WHICH THE UNITED STATES CLAIMS RUSSIAN FIGHTERS SHOT DOWN OVER THE BALTIC. THEY SAY NO OTHER PLANE OF THAT TYPE HAS BEEN REPORTED LOST IN THE EASTERN BALTIC IN RECENT YEARS.

THE CLUES PICKED UP TODAY ALSO WERE BEING SENT TO THE EMBASSY IN COPENHAGEN.

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FOLLOW COPENHAGEN PLANE (B58)
BUFFALO, N.Y., APRIL 27-(AP)-THE "SHIMMY DAMPER" OF A LANDING GEAR PULLED FROM THE BALTIC SEA TWO DAYS AGO BELONGED TO A U.S. NAVY PRIVATEER TYPE PLANE, THE MANAGER OF THE MANUFACTURING PLANT SAID TODAY.

ALBERT C.RYAN SAID THE DAMPER WITH THE INSCRIPTION "HOUDE NO. A-10635" WAS MADE AT HIS PLANT FOR EITHER AN ARMY B24 OR THE NAVY VERSION OF THAT PLANE, THE PB-Y4 PRIVATEER.

RYAN IS MANAGER OF THE HOUDE ENGINEERING DIVISION OF THE HOUDAILLE-HERSHEY CORP.

A DAMPER WITH THAT INSCRIPTION, TAKEN FROM THE BALTIC BY FISHERMEN, WAS PART OF A WRECKED RETRACTABLE LANDING GEAR.

RYAN SAID SHIMMY DAMPERS WEIGH 15 TO 20 POUNDS AND ARE ATTCHED TO PLANES TO PREVENT SHIMMYING IN LANDING.

A DAMPER WITH THE SERIAL NUMBER IN QUESTION COULD NOT HAVE BEEN USED ON ANY OTHER TYPE OF PLANE, HE SAID.

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athens, april 27--(ap)--a government spokesman said today greece had heard [redacted] "with satisfaction" the news that premier marshal tito of [redacted] yugoslavia had proposed closer ties between his country and greece.

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ATHENS, GREECE, APRIL 27-(AP)-A CRIMINAL COURT IN SERRAI TODAY SENTENCED SIX PERSONS TO DEATH ON CHARGES OF HAVING MURDERED 74 NATIONALIST VILLAGERS NEAR THE NORTHERN GREEK TOWN OF NIGRITA DURING THE GERMAN OCCUPATION IN 1944.

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FIRST LEAD TITO (130)
BY ALEX H.SINGLETON
BELGRADE, YUGOSLAVIA, APRIL 27-(AP)-PREMIER MARSHAL TITO ANNOUNCED TODAY YUGOSLAVIA IS READY TO RESUME DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH GREECE AND WILL NOMINATE A DIPLOMATIC ENVOY WITHIN A FEW DAYS.

THE PREMIER MADE THIS KNOWN IN A REMARKABLE STATE-OF-THE-NATION ADDRESS TO HIS NEW PARLIAMENT IN WHICH HE EXPRESSED HOPE FOR BETTER RELATIONS NOT ONLY WITH GREECE BUT WITH ITALY AND AUSTRIA.

AT ONE TIME YUGOSLAVIA WAS ACCUSED IN THE UNITED NATIONS OF AIDING AND ABETTING THE GREEK COMMUNIST REBELLION, ALONG WITH BULGARIA AND ALBANIA. SINCE TITO WAS EXPELLED FROM THE MOSCOW-LED COMINFORM AS A STRAYER FROM LENINISM, YUGOSLAVIA'S RELATIONS WITH GREECE BETTERED.

NOW, TITO TOLD PARLIAMENT, "NEWEST DEVELOPMENTS" -- PRESUMABLY THE

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RECENT GOVERNMENT CHANGE -- IN GREECE PROMISED THAT "FROM NOW ON THERE WILL BE POSSIBILITIES TO SUBSTANTIALLY IMPROVE THE RELATIONS BETWEEN OUR TWO COUNTRIES.

REGARDING ITALY, WHOSE CLAIMS TO TRIESTE YUGOSLAVIA HAS BITTERLY DISPUTED, THE PREMIER SAID:

"YUGOSLAVIA X X X CONSIDERS THAT THE PRESENT UNSOLVED PROBLEMS BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES SHOULD NOT BE A REASON FOR WORSENING OF RELATIONS. THE EFFORTS FROM BOTH SIDES FOR IMPROVEMENT OF RELATIONS, FOR ECONOMIC AND OTHER COOPERATION CAN CONTRIBUTE TO AN EASIER SOLUTION OF DISPUTED QUESTIONS."

IN HIS THREE-HOUR, 20,000 WORD SPEECH TO THE NEWLY-ELECTED, COMMUNIST-DOMINATED PARLIAMENT, TITO LAID DOWN A NINE-POINT FOREIGN POLICY PROGRAM PROMISING FRIENDLY COOPERATION "ON EQUAL TERMS" WITH THE WEST.

A SIMILAR ATTITUDE TOWARD RUSSIA AND THE COMINFORM SATELLITES, HE SAID, IS NOW IMPOSSIBLE BECAUSE OF THEIR "STUBBORN, HOSTILE ATTITUDE."

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REFLECTING A MORE FRIENDLY GOVERNMENT POLICY TOWARD NEIGHBORS WHOM PREVIOUSLY YUGOSLAVIA HAS OPPOSED, TITO SAID HIS COUNTRY BELIEVES "THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT IS CONSCIOUS OF THE ENORMOUS PROFIT WHICH BOTH SIDES WOULD RECEIVE FROM GOOD NEIGHBORING RELATIONS AND CLOSE COOPERATION."

ITALIAN FOREIGN MINISTER CARLO SFORZA LAST WEEK SAID HIS GOVERNMENT HOPED TO SETTLE THE TRIESTE QUESTION BY DIRECT NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE TITO GOVERNMENT. HE ADDED, HOWEVER, HIS GOVERNMENT WOULD NOT RELINQUISH ITS CLAIM TO ANY TERRITORY.

SFORZA'S RESTATEMENT OF ITALY'S CLAIM MET WITH A FLOOD OF CONDEMNATION IN THE YUGOSLAV PRESS. THE ITALIAN PEACE TREATY PROVIDES FOR THE TRANSFORMATION OF TRIESTE, AND THE SURROUNDING AREA NOW OCCUPIED BY AMERICAN, BRITISH AND YUGOSLAV TROOPS, INTO A FREE TERRITORY. YUGOSLAVIA HAD STRONGLY OPPOSED A PREVIOUS AMERICAN-BRITISH-FRENCH PROPOSAL TO RETURN THE TERRITORY TO ITALY, WHICH HELD IT BEFORE THE WAR.

JUST BEFORE HE SPOKE, THE NAMES OF HIS "NEW" GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS WERE ANNOUNCED. THERE WERE NO MAJOR CHANGES. APPOINTMENT OF THE CABINET FOLLOWED THE GENERAL ELECTIONS EARLY THIS MONTH, THE FIRST HELD IN YUGOSLAVIA SINCE BALLOTTING JUST AFTER THE WAR CONFIRMED THE TITO REGIME IN POWER.

"WITH NEIGHBORING AUSTRIA," THE PREMIER CONTIINUED, "YUGOSLAVIA CONSIDERS THAT THE RELATIONS ARE BECOMING NORMAL BECAUSE OF SIGNIFICANT ECONOMIC COOPERATION BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES."

YUGOSLAVIA HAS CLAIMED A PORTION OF TWO PROVINCES IN SOUTHERN AUSTRIA.

TITO SAID HIS GOVERNMENT WITHIN A FEW DAYS WOULD NOMINATE A NEW DIPLOMATIC ENVOY TO GREECE. STRAINED DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS HAVE EXISTED BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES SINCE THE DAYS OF THE GREEK CIVIL WAR. EACH COUNTRY WITHDREW ITS AMBASSADOR AFTER GREEK CHARGES THAT YUGOSLAVIA WAS AIDING THE COMMUNIST GUERRILLAS FIGHTING THE GREEK GOVERNMENT.

TITO'S STATEMENT FOLLOWS INSTALLATION OF A BROAD CENTER COALITION GREEK GOVERNMENT HEADED BY THE MILDLY LEFTIST PREMIER, GEN. NICHOLAS PLASTIRAS.

TITO REAFFIRMED HIS GOVERNMENT'S POLICY OF SOCIALISTIC DEVELOPMENT DOMESTICALLY AND SAID THAT SOVIET RUSSIA'S TWO-YEAR COMINFORM (COMMUNIST INTERNATIONAL INFORMATION BUREAU) CAMPAIGN AGAINST HIS GOVERNMENT WOULD ONLY BLACKEN RUSSIA'S NAME IN HISTORY.

YUGOSLAVIA. HE SAID. REGRETS EVEN MORE HER INABILITY TO IMPROVE RELATIONS WITH RUSSIA AND HER SATELLITES BECAUSE THE GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF YUGOSLAVIA HAD BEEN CULTIVATING THEIR SYMPATHIES TOWARD THE PEOPLES OF EASTERN EUROPE.

AMONG OTHER POINTS IN HIS FOREIGN POLICY, TITO LISTED THESE:

"THE GOVERNMENT X X X WILL STRONGLY DEFEND WITHIN THE UNITED NATIONS THE RIGHT, LIBERTY AND INDEPENDENCE OF SMALL NATIONS.

"YUGOSLAVIA X X X WILL FIGHT WITH PROPAGANDA AND WITHIN INTERNATIONAL GROUPS AGAINST CREATION OF BLOCS AND SPHERES OF INTEREST BECAUSE IT IS DEEPLY CONVINCED THAT SUCH A DIVISION OF THE WORLD REALLY REPRESENTS A LATENT DANGER FOR WORLD CONFLICT AND A CATASTROPHE FOR HUMANITY. THIS SHOULD BE DONE WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE UNITED NATIONS."

TITO LAID DOWN A SEVEN-POINT DOMESTIC PROGRAM WHICH INCLUDED FULFILLMENT OF HIS EXPORT PLAN, DEVELOPMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND IMPROVED HEALTH CONDITIONS AND HOUSING. HE BLAMED A 20 PER CENT DROP IN THE EXPORT PROGRAM LAST YEAR ON THE COMINFORM BREAK AND SAID FAILURE TO DEVELOP AGRICULTURE "MIGHT RESULT IN SIGNIFICANT DIFFICULTIES IN FEEDING THE POPULATION DURING THE NEXT YEARS."

THE GREATER PART OF HIS 80-PAGE SPEECH WAS DEVOTED TO DOMESTIC POLICIES AND TO THE DIFFICULTIES HIS COUNTRY EXPERIENCED AFTER THE COMINFORM IMPOSED ITS ECONOMIC BOYCOTT AGAINST YUGOSLAVIA.

BUT TITO SAID THESE DIFFICULTIES GENERALLY HAVE BEEN SOLVED AND "NOW WE MAY SAY THAT THE MOST DIFFICULT (PROBLEMS) HAVE BEEN SAILED OVER."

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OUTSIDE OF TITO'S EXPRESSION OF WILLINGNESS TO COOPERATE WITH THE WEST ON EQUAL TERMS, HIS SPEECH SHOWED NO EVIDENCE OF ANY INTENTION TO DEPART FROM HIS DETERMINATION TO DEVELOP YUGOSLAVIA AS A "SOCIALIST"-- THAT IS, COMMUNIST-- NATION. THE WORDS ARE SYNONYMOUS IN COMMUNIST COUNTRIES.

HIS EXPRESSION OF WILLINGNESS TO COOPERATE WITH ITALY OBVIOUSLY DID NOT PRESENT ANY IMMEDIATE SOLUTION TO THE PROBLEM OF TRIESTE, WHICH HAS GENERATED BITTERNESS BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES IN RECENT WEEKS. ITALY HAS OBJECTED TO THE RECENT ELECTION IN YUGOSLAV-CONTROLLED ZONE B OF TRIESTE IN WHICH TITO'S "PEOPLE'S FRONT TICKET" GOT AN OVERWHELMING MAJORITY OF THE VOTES. SINCE THEN THERE HAVE BEEN OTHER CHARGES AND COUNTER CHARGES FLYING BACK AND FORTH, BUT THERE HAS BEEN NO EVIDENCE THAT EITHER PARTY IS QUITE READY TO GET TOGETHER ON A SOLUTION, AS THE THREE BIG WESTERN POWERS HAVE URGED.

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AMS BUDGET (500)
NIGHT LEAD TITO

BY ALEX SINGLETON

BELGRADE, YUGOSLAVIA, APRIL 27-(AP)-PREMIER MARSHAL TITO ANNOUNCED TODAY YUGOSLAVIA PLANS TO RESUME FULL DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH GREECE, A NEIGHBOR WITH WHOM SHE HAS QUARRELLED BITTERLY IN RECENT YEARS.

THE PREMIER SAID HIS COUNTRY WILL NAME A DIPLOMATIC ENVOY TO GREECE WITHIN A FEW DAYS AND ALSO EXPRESSED HOPE FOR BETTER RELATIONS WITH ITALY AND AUSTRIA.

ADDRESSING YUGOSLAVIA'S NEW PARLIAMENT, TITO LAID DOWN A NINE-POINT FOREIGN POLICY PROGRAM WHICH REFLECTED MUCH IMPROVED RELATIONS WITH THE WEST. HE SAID FRIENDLY COOPERATION WITH RUSSIA AND THE COMINFORM SATELLITES IS NOW IMPOSSIBLE BECAUSE OF THEIR "STUBBORN, HOSTILE ATTITUDE."

THE YUGOSLAV-GREEK SITUATION HAS GRADUALLY IMPROVED SINCE TITO WAS EXPELLED FROM THE SOVIET-DOMINATED COMINFORM IN 1948 AS A DEVIATIONIST FROM LENINISM.

A PARLIAMENTARY ELECTION MARCH 5 SHOWED A SWING IN GREECE FROM RIGHTIST TO CENTER PARTIES AND THIS, COMBINED WITH THE RECENT CHANGE IN THE ATHENS GOVERNMENT, APPARENTLY HAD MUCH TO DO WITH TITO'S DECISION TO RECOGNIZE GREECE.

(A U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN IN WASHINGTON SAID THE UNITED STATES "NATURALLY WELCOMES" TITO'S DECISION AND HOPES IT WILL LEAD TO AN EARLY SETTLEMENT OF ALL PROBLEMS BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES.)

(A GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN IN ATHENS SAID GREECE HEARD TITO'S REMARKS "WITH SATISFACTION." THIS WAS THE ONLY OFFICIAL COMMENT.)

THE NEW GREEK GOVERNMENT HEADED BY GEN.NICHOLAS PLASTIRAS, LEADER OF THE MILDLY LEFTIST NATIONAL PROGRESSIVE UNION, HAS INDICATED IT WOULD LIKE AN EARLY RAPPROCHEMENT WITH TITO'S GOVERNMENT. PLASTIRAS CONFERRED LAST WEEK WITH THE HEAD OF THE YUGOSLAV LEGATION IN ATHENS. IT WAS THE FIRST DIRECT CONTACT BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES IN MONTHS.

TITO APPARENTLY HAD THIS IN MIND WHEN HE SAID THAT "NEWEST DEVELOPMENTS" PROMISED "FROM NOW ON THERE WILL BE POSSIBILITIES TO SUBSTANTIALLY IMPROVE THE RELATIONS BETWEEN OUR TWO COUNTRIES."

IT WAS NOT SO LONG AGO THAT YUGOSLAVIA WAS ACCUSED IN THE UNITED NATIONS OF ABETTING THE GREEK COMMUNIST REBELLION ALONG WITH BULGARIA AND ALBANIA. GREEK TROOPS CRUSHED THAT REBELLION LAST SUMMER.

TURNING TO ITALY, ANOTHER NATION WITH WHICH HE HAS OFTEN SQUABBLED, TITO SAID HIS COUNTRY BELIEVES "THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT IS CONSCIOUS OF THE ENORMOUS PROFIT WHICH BOTH SIDES WOULD RECEIVE FROM GOOD NEIGHBORLY RELATIONS AND CLOSE COOPERATION."

TITO'S SHOW OF WILLINGNESS TO COOPERATE WITH ITALY OBVIOUSLY DID NOT PRESENT ANY IMMEDIATE SOLUTION TO THE THORNY PROBLEM OF THE FUTURE OF THE FREE TERRITORY OF TRIESTE, WHICH BOTH WANT.

ITALIAN FOREIGN MINISTER CARLO SFORZA SAID LAST WEEK HIS GOVERNMENT HOPES TO SETTLE THE TRIESTE QUESTION BY DIRECT NEGOTIATIONS WITH TITO. HE DECLARED, HOWEVER, ITALY WOULD NOT RELINQUISH ITS CLAIM TO ANY TERRITORY. SFORZA'S STATEMENT WAS BLASTED IN THE YUGOSLAV PRESS.

THE ITALIAN PEACE TREATY CALLED FOR THE TRANSFORMATION OF THE PORT OF TRIESTE AND THE SURROUNDING AREA INTO THE FREE TERRITORY. YUGOSLAVIA HAD STRONGLY OPPOSED A PREVIOUS AMERICAN-BRITISH-FRENCH PROPOSAL TO RETURN THE TERRITORY TO ITALY, WHICH HAD HELD IT BEFORE THE WAAR.

THE GREATER PART OF TITO'S 20,000-WORD SPEECH WAS DEVOTED TO DOMESTIC POLICIES AND TO THE DIFFICULTIES WHICH AROSE AFTER THE COMINFORM IMPOSED AN ECONOMIC BOYCOTT AGAINST YUGOSLAVIA.

"NOW WE MAY SAY THAT THE MOST DIFFICULT (PROBLEMS) HAVE BEEN SAILED OVER," THE PREMIER DECLARED.

TITO REFERRED TO HIS COUNTRY'S PROGRAM AS "SOCIALISTIC" IN NATURE. THE TERM AS USED BY YUGOSLAVIA AND THE SOVIET-DOMINATED EASTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES, IS SYNONOMOUS WITH COMMUNISM.

OUTSIDE OF HIS EXPRESSED WILLINGNESS TO COOPERATE WITH THE WEST ON "EQUAL TERMS", TITO SHOWED NO EVIDENCE OF DEPARTING FROM HIS INDEPENDENT STAND AND HIS PLAN TO DEVELOP YUGOSLAVIA AS A COMMUNISTIC NATION.

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NIGHT LEAD IRAN (130)

TEHRAN, IRAN, APRIL 27-(AP)-REPORTS PERSISTED TODAY, DESPITE FORMAL ARMY DENIAL, THAT MILITARY POLICE LAST NIGHT ARRESTED 10 JUNIOR OFFICERS AND SEVERAL SERGEANTS FOR ALLEGEDLY PLANNING A MILITARY COUP.

MEANWHILE, POLICE CONTINUED TO HIT HARD AGAINST THE OUTLAWED LEFTWING TUDEH PARTY. TEN PERSONS WERE ARRESTED FOR DISTRIBUTING TUDEH PAMPHLETS HERE AND IN TABRIZ, CAPITAL OF AZERBAIJAN PROVINCE.

FOR ABOUT 10 WEEKS A SOVIET-INSPIRED RADIO CAMPAIGN, EVEN GOING SO FAR AS TO URGE IRANIANS TO REVOLT, HAS BEEN UNDER WAY. CENTER OF THIS CAMPAIGN IS THE "FREE AZERBAIJAN RADIO."

U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON WAS DESCRIBED IN A RECENT WASHINGTON DISPATCH AS FEELING MUCH CONCERNED OVER ALARMING REPORTS REACHING HIM FROM JOHN C.WILEY, AMERICAN AMBASSADOR TO TEHRAN. A U.S. MISSION SOON MAY BE SENT TO RECOMMEND AID FOR OIL-RICH IRAN, WHICH OCCUPIES A STRATEGIC POSITION ON THE EAST FLANK OF THE ANTI-SOVIET RING OF STATES.

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TEHRAN, IRAN, APRIL 27-(AP)-EGYPT FORMALLY PROTESTED TODAY IRAN'S RECOGNITION OF ISRAEL. IRAN RECOGNIZED ISRAEL ON MARCH 15. EGYPT WAS ONE OF THE ARAB FOES OF ISRAEL DURING THE PALESTINE WAR; IRAN WAS NOT.

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IRAN

BY STANLEY SWINTON

TEHRAN, IRAN, APRIL 27-(AP)-A PEPPED UP SOVIET PROPAGANDA OFFENSIVE HAS ONCE MORE MADE IRAN A HOT FRONT IN THE COLD WAR.

THE "FREE AZERBAIJAN RADIO," OPERATING FROM INSIDE THE SOVIET UNION, IS SPEARHEADING THE CAMPAIGN AGAINST THE NEIGHBORING IRANIAN GOVERNMENT. THE NEW BROADCAST LINE STARTED ABOUT 10 WEEKS AGN AND HAS BEEN MOUNTING STEADILY IN VIOLENCE, EVEN INCITING IRANIANS TO REVOLT.

BEFORE THAT THE SOVIETS, FOR A LONG PERIOD, HAD TEMPERED THEIR PROPAGANDA CAMPAIGN AGAINST IRAN IN AN APPARENT ATTEMPT TO IMPROVE RELATIONS WITH THEIR OIL-RICH SOUTHERN NEIGHBOR.

A RECENT WASHINGTON DISPATCH SAID U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON WAS DEEPLY CONCERNED OVER ALARMING REPORTS REACHING HIM FROM THE AMERICAN AMBASSADOR TO TEHRAN, JOHN C. WILEY. THE COMMUNIST CAMPAIGN, STATE DEPARTMENT EXPERTS SAID, HAS BEEN HELPED GREATLY BY ECONOMIC TROUBLES FOLLOWING LAST YEAR'S CEREAL CROP FAILURE IN IRAN.

A U.S. SURVEY MISSION SOON MAY BE SENT TO RECOMMEND AID FOR THIS STRATEGIC MIDDLE EAST COUNTRY ON THE EASTERN END OF THE ANTI-COMMUNIST CORDON.

REPORTS OF RADIO MONITORS HERE SHOW THESE FOUR CONSISTENT PROPAGANDA THEMES IN SOVIET BROADCASTS BEAMED THIS WAY:

1. AN ATTEMPT TO BLAME UNITED STATES "INTERVENTION" FOR IRAN'S ECONOMIC DEPRESSION.

2. PERSISTENT CHARGES THAT THE U.S. IS TURNING THE IRAVIAN ARMY INTO AN "AMERICAN STOOGE."

3. AN ATTEMPT TO PICTURE THE SHAH -- HITHERTO USUALLY EXEMPT FROM SOVIET ATTACKS -- AS UNDER AMERICAN INFLUENCE.

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4. AN EFFORT TO PICTURE THE IRANIAN GOVERNMENT AS SO CORRUPT IT SHOULD BE OVERTHROWN.

ACCOMPANYING THESE ATTACKS ARE PAENS OF PRAISE FOR THE OUTLAWED TUDEH (COMMUNIST) PARTY, WHOSE GROWTH SINCE ECONOMIC DEPRESSION BEGAN HERE HAS WESTERN DIPLOMATS OPENLY WORRIED.

RADIO MOSCOW IS ECHOING THE ATTACKS FROM RADIO AZERBAIJAN, BUT IN MORE TEMPERATE LANGUAGE.

SIMULTANEOUSLY SOVIET DIPLOMATS HERE ARE TRYING TO GET IRAN TO CLOSE DOWN THE U.S. INFORMATION SERVICE'S BULLETIN PUBLISHED IN THE PERSIAN LANGUAGE HERE.

RUSSIAN AMBASSADOR IVAN SADCHIKOV, ACCORDING TO A HIGHLY PLACED SOURCE, REPEATEDLY ASKS THE IRANIAN FOREIGN OFFICE TO ORDER DISCONTINUANCE OF THE BULLETIN. HE CHARGES THE PUBLICATION VIOLATES A DECREE OF THE IRANIAN COUNCIL OF MINISTERS FORBIDDING ANY EMBASSY TO DISTRIBUTE PERSIAN-LANGUAGE "NEWSPAPERS OR MAGAZINES."

THE DECREE ALSO PROHIBITS DISTRIBUTION OF INFORMATION THAT MIGHT PREJUDICE IRAN'S POSITION WITH ANY THIRD POWER.

U.S. REPRESENTATIVES CONTEND THAT THEIR MIMEOGRAPHED BULLETINS, DEVOTED MOSTLY TO QUOTATIONS FROM SPEECHES OF U.S. OFFICIALS, CONTAIN "FACTS ONLY" AND AVOID CONTROVERSIAL MATTER. THE SOVIET EMBASSY, THEY ADD, ITSELF DISTRIBUTES NEWS BULLETINS IN PERSIAN.

ONE AMERICAN SOURCE WHO FOLLOWS THE AZERBAIJAN RADIO SAID THAT ONE RECENT BROADCAST CALLED FOR AN OPEN REVOLT.

IT WAS IN AZERBAIJAN, THE NORTHERN IRAN PROVINCE WHICH BORDERS THE SOVIET UNION, THAT PERSIAN COMMUNISTS SET UP A "PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC" IN 1945-46, ONLY TO HAVE IT COLLAPSE DESPITE SOVIET POLITCAL BACKING.

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ANOTHER RECENT AZERBAIJAN BROADCAST CHARGED THAT U.S. PLANES WERE FLYING OVER THE PERSIAN PROVINCES, MAPPING THEM FOR MILITARY PURPOSES.

OTHER RECENT CHARGES BY THE SOVIET-CONTROLLED RADIO INCLUDE THESE:

"AMERICAN IMPERIALISTS RECENTLY HAVE DEVISED NEW PLANS TO GET A HOLD ON THE PERSIAN ARMY AND ARE SETTING UP ENGLISH-LANGUAGE CLASSES IN THE TEHRAN GARRISON, GIVING SPECIAL COURSES IN THE MILITARY COLLEGE AND ARE SHOWING U.S. FILMS."

(A U.S. MILITARY MISSION OF 76 OFFICERS AND MEN IS IN TEHRAN ON AN INVITATION FROM THE IRAN GOVERNMENT. IT IS CLASSIFIED AS A PURELY TECHNICAL ADVISORY GROUP.)

"IRANIAN OFFICERS ARE BEING SENT ABROAD TO GET INSTRUCTIONS FROM WARMONGERING (AMERICAN) MASTERS."

(U.S. OFFICIALS SAY A TOTAL OF ABOUT 50 PERSIAN OFFICERS ARE STUDYING IN U.S. MILITARY SCHOOLS. THEY POINT OUT THAT MANY OTHER COUNTRIES ALSO SEND MILITARY STUDENTS TO AMERICA.)

"A SO-CALLED SEVEN-YEAR PLAN HAS BEEN DRAWN UP BY U.S. ADVISERS. THE REAL AIM IS CLEAR X X X COMPLETE ENSLAVEMENT AND SUBORDINATION OF IRAN TO U.S. MONOPOLISTS (WHO PLAN) SAVAGE EXPLOITATION. X X X EVEN THE BRITISH ARE ALARMED."

(IRAN'S PARLIAMENT LAST YEAR APPROVED A SEVEN-YEAR PLAN TO INCREASE IRANIAN PRODUCTION IN EVERY FIELD. A PRIVATE U.S. FIRM OF CONSULTANTS ASSISTED IN THE PLANNING. THE PROGRAM WILL COST AN ESTIMATED $656,000,000, WHICH IRAN OFFICIALS EXPECT TO GET FROM OIL ROYALTIES, EXPECTED LOANS FROM THE WORLD BANK AND FROM PRIVATE LOANS.)

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With London

(Jerusalem, April 27--(ap)--Israeli sources said tonight they expected

King Abdullah is prepared to resume peace talks

has incorporated Arab Palestine into his Hashemite Jordan kingdom.

Britain's action today in granting full diplomatic recognition to

Israel and recognizing Jordan's annexation of Arab Palestine was seen here as

recognition of the realities of the Middle East situation.

The Arab League in a meeting in Cairo early this month strongly opposed

Abdullah's annexation and his negotiations looking toward a

peace settlement with Israel. Abdullah pursued his own course on annexation

despite the league's pressure. Jordan is a member of the league.

Israeli newspapers welcomed Britain's move. They predicted it

would have an adverse effect on the United Nations plan to internationalize

Jerusalem. Jordan and Israel, which occupy Jerusalem in separate parts, oppose the internationalization plan.

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NIGHT LEAD ISRAEL-JORDAN (250)

BY EDWARD CURTIS

LONDON, APRIL 27-(AP)-BRITAIN GAVE FULL RECOGNITION TODAY TO ISRAEL AND TO HASHEMITE JORDAN'S ANNEXATION OF ARAB PALESTINE.

BUT IN NEITHER CASE DID THE BRITISH ACCEPT AS FINAL THE PRESENT BOUNDARIES OF THE TWO STATES.

BRITAIN HAD GIVEN DE FACTO--OR LIMITED--RECOGNITION TO ISRAEL LAST JAN. 29. TODAY'S DECISION BROUGHT IT TO DE JURE--OR FULL--STATUS.

A GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN IN TEL AVIV SAID NEWS OF THE RECOGNITION OF ISRAEL "HAS BEEN RECEIVED WITH SATISFACTION."

HOWEVER, THE ISRAELI GOVERNMENT DESCRIBED BRITAIN'S RECOGNITION OF THE ANNEXATION OF ARAB PALESTINE AS PERPLEXING. THE STATEMENT SAID ISRAEL WOULD RESERVE HER FUTURE COURSE OF ACTION.

NOTIFICATION THAT BRITAIN HAD RECOGNIZED JORDAN'S CLAIM TO ARAB PALESTINE WAS DELIVERED TO PREMIER PASHA MUFTI IN AMMAN.

JORDAN'S TAKING OVER OF ARAB PALESTINE HAS NOT SAT WELL WITH THE OTHER ARAB STATES. A CAIRO INFORMANT SAID THE ARAB LEAGUE HAS CALLED A SPECIAL MEETING MAY 2 TO DECIDE WHAT TO DO ABOUT IT.

MINISTER OF STATE KENNETH YOUNGER TOLD BRITAIN'S HOUSE OF COMMON'S THIS COUNTRY WILL NOT FINALLY RECOGNIZE ISRAELI OR JORDAN AUTHORITY OVER THE PARTS OF JERUSALEM THEY NOW HOLD UNTIL THERE IS A FINAL SETTLEMENT OF THE HOLY CITY'S FUTURE. THE UNITED NATIONS WANTS TO INTERNATIONALIZE THE CITY.

YOUNGER SAID BRITAIN ALSO DECLINED TO RECOGNIZE AS FINAL ISRAEL'S PRESENT BORDERS WITH EGYPT, JORDAN, SYRIA AND LEBANON.

IN REGARD TO ARAB PALESTINE, YOUNGER SAID THE FRONTIER BETWEEN ISRAEL AND THE NEWLY-ANNEXED TERRITORY HAD NOT BEEN DETERMINED FINALLY AND FOR THE PRESENT RECOGNITION WOULD EXTEND TO THE TEMPORARY BOUNDARY OUTLINED IN THE ISRAELI-JORDAN ARMISTICE OF APRIL 3, 1949.

JORDAN TOOK OVER ABOUT 1,600 SQUARE MILES OF PALESTINE EARLIER THIS WEEK. UNION OF THE TWO AREAS WAS ACCOMPLISHED MONDAY BY A VOTE OF JORDAN'S PARLIAMENT AND SENATE.

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LONDON, APRIL 27-(AP)-BRITAIN ANNOUNCED TODAY SHE HAS DECIDED TO GRANT FORMAL RECOGNITION TO THE ANNEXATION OF ARAB PALESTINE BY KING ABDULLAH'S HASHEMITE JORDAN.

AT THE SAME TIME BRITAIN EXTENDED HER RECOGNITION OF THE NEW STATE OF ISRAEL TO DE JURE-- OR FULL-- STATUS. IT HAS BEEN DE FACTO RECOGNITION, OR SIMPLY RECOGNITION OF THE EXISTENCE OF THE NEW STATE.

MINISTER OF STATE KENNETH YOUNGER MADE THESE ANNOUNCEMENTS TO THE HOUSE OF COMMONS.

YOUNGER SAID THAT BRITAIN EXTENDED FULL RECOGNITION OF ISRAEL WITH THESE TWO CONDITIONS ATTACHED:

1. BRITAIN IS UNABLE TO RECOGNIZE SOVEREIGNTY OF ISRAEL OVER THAT PART OF JERUSALEM SHE OCCUPIES PENDING A FINAL DETERMINATION OF THE STATUS OF THE AREA.

2. BRITAIN CANNOT REGARD THE PRESENT BOUNDARY LINES BETWEEN ISRAEL AND EGYPT, JORDAN, SYRIA AND LEBANON AS FINAL. YOUNGER SAID THESE BOUNDARIES WERE LAID DOWN IN THE ARMISTICE AGREEMENTS CONCLUDED SEPARATELY BETWEEN ISRAEL AND EACH OF THESE STATES AND ARE SUBJECT TO "ANY MODIFICATION WHICH MAY BE AGREED UPON UNDER THE TERMS OF THOSE AGREEMENTS."

YOUNGER SAID THAT AS IN THE CASE OF ISRAEL TWO CONDITIONS WERE ATTACHED TO RECOGNIZING THE UNION BETWEEN JORDAN AND ARAB PALESTINE INVOLVING BOUNDARIES AND PARTITIONED JERUSALEM.

HE SAID THE FRONTIER BETWEEN ISRAEL AND THE NEWLY-ANNEXED TERRITORY HAD NOT BEEN DETERMINED FINALLY AND FOR THE PRESENT. RECOGNITION WOULD EXTEND TO THE TEMPORARY BOUNDARY OUTLINED IN THE ISRAEL-JORDAN ARMISTICE AGREEMENT OF APRIL 3, 1949.

YOUNGER SAID BRITAIN COULD NOT RECOGNIZE SOVEREIGNTY OF JORDAN OVER THE OLD CITY OF JERUSALEM PENDING A FINAL DETERMINATION OF ITS STATUS BY THE UNITED NATIONS.

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CAIRO, FRIDAY, APRIL 28-(AP)-EGYPTIAN AND ARAB POLITICAL CIRCLES IN CAIRO WERE REPORTED TODAY TO VIEW BRITAIN'S DIPLOMATIC ACTION IN THE MIDDLE EAST AS AN ATTEMPT BY THE WESTERN POWERS TO FORCE A SOLUTION OF THE PALESTINE PROBLEM DOWN THE ARABS THROATS.

THERE WAS NO OFFICIAL COMMENT, BUT IT WAS GENERALLY FELT THAT BRITAIN ACTED IN AGREEMENT WITH THE UNITED STATES.

THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT HAS GRANTED FULL DIPLOMATIC RECOGNITION TO

ISRAEL AND ALSO RECOGNIZED HASHEMITE JORDAN'S RECENT ANNEXATION OF ARAB PALESTINE.

OFFICIALS HERE WERE TIGHTLIPPED ON WHETHER THE LATEST DEVELOPMENTS WILL AFFECT THE FUTURE OF ARAB POLICY. THE ARAB LEAGUE'S POLITICAL COMMITTEE IS DUE TO MEET IN CAIRO MAY 2 TO DECIDE ON MEASURES IN CONNECTION WITH JORDAN'S ANNEXATION MOVE.

AN EDITORIAL IN THE NEWSPAPER AL AHRAM SAID BRITAIN AND THE UNITED STATES "CAN REAP NO PROFITABLE COOPERATION IN THE MIDDLE EAST BY SOWING RESENTMENT IN ARAB HEARTS."

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KARACHI, PAKISTAN, APRIL 27-(AP)-A COMMUNIQUE ISSUED TONIGHT SAID THE PRIME MINISTERS OF INDIA AND PAKISTAN IN A TWO-DAY MEETING HERE HAVE MADE FURTHER PROGRESS TOWARDS BETTERING RELATIONS BETWEEN THEIR TWO COUNTRIES.

IT SAID THE TWO PRIME MINISTERS, JAWAHARLAL NEHRU OF INDIA AND LIAQUAT ALI KHAN OF PAKISTAN, REVIEWED THE "WHOLE FIELD OF INDO-PAKISTAN RELATIONS AND ARE SATISFIED WITH THE PROGRESS MADE IN IMPLEMENTATION OF THE DELHI AGREEMENT."

THE RECENT DELHI AGREEMENT SET UP MACHINERY FOR DEALING WITH THE MINORITY PROBLEMS OF THE NEIGHBORING NATIONS. HINDUS ARE A MINORITY GROUP IN MOSLEM PAKISTAN AND MOSLEMS ARE A MINORITY IN INDIA. BECAUSE OF RIOTING IN BENGAL, MANY OF THE MINORITY GROUPS WERE FORCED TO LEAVE THEIR HOMES. THE COMMUNIQUE SAID IT WAS HOPED THIS EXODUS WOULD PROGRESSIVELY DECREASE AND OTHER REFUGEES WOULD RETURN TO THEIR HOMES.

"PROBLEMS OF KASHMIR, EVACUEE PROPERTY AND CANAL WATERS WERE ALSO DISCUSSED IN GENERAL TERMS AND ALTHOUGH NO DEFINITE CONCLUSIONS WERE REACHED AT THIS STAGE, THE DISCUSSIONS WERE FRANK AND FRIENDLY," THE COMMUNIQUE SAID. THE TWO COUNTRIES HAVE LONG BEEN QUARELLING OVER KASHMIR, A NORTHERN PRINCELY STATE.

A COMMUNIQUE ISSUED BEFORE NEHRU DEPARTED SAID THE TWO PRIME MINISTERS HAD REVIEWED THE "WHOLE FIELD OF INDO-PAKISTAN RELATIONS AND ARE SATISFIED WITH THE PROGRESS MADE IN IMPLEMENTATION OF THE DELHI AGREEMENT."

"PROBLEMS OF KASHMIR, EVACUEE PROPERTY AND CANAL WATERS WERE ALSO DISCUSSED IN GENERAL TERMS," SAID THE COMMUNIQUE, "AND ALTHOUGH NO DEFINITE CONCLUSIONS WERE REACHED AT THIS STAGE THE DISCUSSIONS WERE FRANK AND FRIENDLY."

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KARACHI, PAKISTAN, FRIDAY, APRIL 28-(AP)-INDIA'S PRIME MINISTER JAWAHARLAL NEHRU LEFT TODAY FOR NEW DELHI AFTER TWO DAYS OF CONFERENCES WITH PAKISTAN PREMIER LIAQUAT ALI KHAN.

THE TWO GOVERNMENT HEADS HAVE BEEN DISCUSSING WAYS OF IMPLEMENTING THE AGREEMENT THEY SIGNED TWO WEEKS AGO IN AN EFFORT TO END COMMUNAL TROUBLES BETWEEN HINDUS AND MOSLEMS IN THEIR RESPECTIVE COUNTRIES.

THE PAKISTAN PREMIER, HIS WIFE, DIPLOMATS AND HIGH OFFICIALS GATHERED AT THE AIRPORT TO BID FAREWELL TO NEHRU AND HIS PARTY, WHICH INCLUDED THE PRIME MINISTER'S DAUGHTER AND 10 INDIAN OFFICIALS.

NEHRU SAID HE AND LIAQUAT ALI KHAN HAD HAD A "FREE, FRANK TALK ON MANY MATTERS." HE ADDED HE WOULD RETURN TO KARACHI SOON FOR FURTHER DISCUSSIONS.

ASKED IF HE THOUGHT THE DISPUTE BETWEEN INDIA AND KASHMIR OVER CONTROL OF KASHMIR WOULD BE SETTLED SOON, NEHRU REPLIED:

"THE KASHMIR QUESTION IS TOO BIG TO ANSWER AT THIS STAGE."

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NEW DELHI, INDIA, APRIL 27-(AP)-A TRADE DELEGATION FROM SOUTH KOREA IS EXPECTED HERE SOON FOR FOUR DAYS OF TALKS WITH THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE, A GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN ANNOUNCED TODAY.

THE DELEGATION WILL INCLUDE SOUTH KOREAN OFFICIALS AND MERCHANTS AND AN ECONOMIC EXPERT. THE PRESENT VOLUME OF TRADE BETWEEN INDIA AND KOREA IS SMALL. INDIA EXPORTS JUTE AND COTTON PIECEGOODS AND KOREA SENDS TUNGSTEN AND GRAPHITE.

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NIGHT LEAD INDONESIAN

BY KENNETH LIKES

JAKARTA, JAVA, U.S.I., APRIL 27-(AP)-THE INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT'S AMBOINESE MINISTER OF HEALTH LAUNCHED TODAY AN ATTEMPT TO SETTLE PEACEFULLY THE AMBOINESE-LED REVOLT IN THE SOUTH MOLUCCA ISLANDS.

THE MINISTER, DR. J. LEIMENA, HEAD A FOUR-MAN MISSION WHICH FLEW FROM JAKARTA TO MAKASSAR, CELEBES, CAPITAL OF THE STATE OF EAST INDONESIA, FOR PRELIMINARY TALKS.

THE MISSION IS EXPECTED TO GO FROM MAKASSAR TO AMBOINA, WHERE AUTHORITIES ANNOUNCED YESTERDAY THE SOUTH MOLUCCAS WERE SECEDING FROM THE STATE AND CUTTING THEIR TIES WITH THE U.S.I.

A DEFENSE MINISTRY SPOKESMAN, MAJOR HARJONO, SAID THE GOVERNMENT'S MEASURES ARE "MORE POLITICAL THAN MILITARY BECAUSE THE AMBOINA PROBLEM IS CONSIDERED CHIEFLY POLITICAL." NO BLOODSHED WAS REPORTED IN THE REVOLT, THE FOURTH OF THE YEAR WITHIN THE U.S.I.

THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT HAS NO SOLDIERS IN AMBOINA. MILITARY SOURCES HERE SAID THE BREAK WAS BACKED BY INDONESIAN TROOPS UNDER DUTCH COMMAND STILL STATIONED IN THE MOLUCCAS, THE ONCE FAMED SPICE ISLANDS. MOST OF THESE TROOPS ARE AMBOINESE. THE ISLANDERS GENERALLY

REMAINED LOYAL TO THE DUTCH DURING THE REPUBLICAN-LED REVOLUTION THROUGH WHICH INDONESIA GAINED INDEPENDENCE FROM THE NETHERLANDS LAST DECEMBER. ABOUT 150,000 PERSONS LIVE IN THE SOUTH MOLUCCAS, 20,000 OF THEM IN THE CITY OF AMBOINA.

UNOFFICIAL INFORMANTS INDICATED THE GOVERNMENT WOULD SEEK COOPERATION OF THE DUTCH MILITARY IN BRINGING THE SOUTH MOLUCCAS BACK INTO LINE. THE DUTCH-OFFICERED TROOPS THEORETICALLY ARE IMMOBILIZED, AWAITING TRANSFER TO THE U.S.I. ARMY OR A RETURN TO CIVILIAN LIFE. REPUBLICANS SAY SUCH TROOPS WERE INVOLVED IN EACH OF THE THREE PREVIOUS CHALLENGES TO JAKARTA'S AUTHORITY, ALL SUPPRESSED.

DR. LEIMENA, ALTHOUGH FROM AMBOINA, IS A WIDELY KNOWN REPUBLICAN. HE WAS HEALTH MINISTER OF THE INDONESIAN REPUBLIC, NOW THE DOMINANT STATE OF THE U.S.I., DURING THE REVOLUTION.

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JAKARTA, U.S.I., APRIL 27-(AP)-THE CENTRAL INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT TODAY SENT A FOUR-MAN MISSION TO TRY AND SETTLE PEACEFULLY YESTERDAY'S REVOLT IN THE SOUTH MOLUCCA ISLANDS.

THE MISSION FLEW TODAY TO MAKASSAR TO DISCUSS WITH EAST INDONESIA STATE OFFICIALS THE REBELLION CENTERED ON THE ISLAND OF AMBOINA, WHERE SEPARATISTS PROCLAIMED THE SOUTH MOLUCCAS AN INDEPENDENT STATE. THE ISLANDS HAVE BEEN PART OF THE EAST INDONESIA STATE.

DR. J. LEIMENA, U.S.I. MINISTER OF HEALTH, HEADED THE GROUP, WHICH WAS EXPECTED TO VISIT AMBOINA AFTER THE MAKASSAR CONFERENCES.

LEIMENA HIMSELF IS AN AMBOINESE AND WAS A LEADER OF THE REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA DURING ITS POSTWAR PERIOD OF REVOLT AGAINST THE DUTCH.

THE SOUTH MOLUCCAS ARE A CHAIN OF ISLANDS STRETCHING FOR 500 MILES BETWEEN THE CELEBES AND NEW GUINEA, WITH A POPULATION OF ABOUT 150,000 PEOPLE. AMBOINA, ON THE ISLAND OF AMBOINA, IS THE DISTRICT'S ONLY CITY AND HAS ABOUT 20,000 PEOPLE.

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE U.S.I. DEFENSE MINISTRY SAID TODAY HIS GOVERNMENT PLANNED MEASURES "MORE POLITICAL THAN MILITARY" DESIGNED TO QUIET THE REBELLION.

NO OCCUPATION TROOPS OF THE CENTRAL GOVERNMENT ARE ENROUTE TO THE MOLUCCAS, HE SAID.

LATEST REPORTS SAID THE COUP ON AMBOINA WAS UNOPPOSED MILITARILY AND WAS CARRIED OUT WITHOUT BLOODSHED. THESE REPORTS SAID THE REBELLION HAD NOT SPREAD TO OTHER ISLANDS IN THE MOLUCCAS, ALTHOUGH THE INDEPENDENCE DECLARATION OF THE REBEL GOVERNMENT SAID IT SPOKE FOR THE WHOLE AREA.

UNOFFICIAL SOURCES INDICATED THE U.S.I. GOVERNMENT, THROUGH POLITICAL CHANNELS, WOULD SEEK THE COOPERATION OF THE DUTCH MILITARY IN NEGOTIATING A SETTLEMENT WITH THE SEPARATISTS. AMBOINESE SOLDIERS UNDER DUTCH COMMAND, THE ONLY ACTIVATED MILITARY FORCE ON THE ISLAND, REPORTEDLY AIDED THE REBELLION.

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FIRST LEAD

BY MILTON MARMOR

BANGKOK,THAILAND,APRIL 27-(AP)-KING PHUMIPHON, BOSTON-BORN STUDENT KING OF THAILAND, WILL WED TOMORROW A LOVELY YOUNG PRINCESS IN SARONG STYLE BLUE DRESS.

THE 22-YEAR-OLD RULER OF THIS STORY-BOOK KINGDOM TAKES AS HIS QUEEN SIRIKIT KITIYAKORN, 17, A DISTANT COUSIN. THEY MET IN SWITZERLAND, WHERE PHUMIPHON STUDIED. THEY PLAN TO RETURN THERE AFTER HIS CORONATION MAY 5 AS RAMA IX.

THE WEDDING WILL BE PRIVATE, IN THE PALACE HOME OF THE QUEEN GRANDMOTHER, SAMDET PANLASA. SHE IS THE 94-YEAR-OLD WIDOW OF KING CHULALONGKORN AND WAS THE SECOND OF HIS OFFICIAL WIVES.

PHUMIPHON AND SIRIKIT WILL SIGN A MARRIAGE REGISTRATION BOOK BEFORE TWO WITNESSES. THE KING WILL PAY THE CUSTOMARY FEE OF 10 BAHT 10 SATANG (ABOUT 50 CENTS).

THEN AT 10:24 A.M. (10:24 P.M. EST THURSDAY)--A TIME CHOSEN AS AUSPICIOUS BY THE ROYAL ASTROLOGERS--THE QUEEN GRANDMOTHER WILL ENTER A ROOM AND POUR SANCTIFIED PURIFICATION WATER INTO THEIR HANDS.

PHUMIPHON WILL PRESENT SIRIKIT THE DYNASTY'S CHAKAI DECORATIONS. THE CHIEF OFFICIAL OF THE ROYAL SCRIPTURES WILL ANNOUNCE SIRIKIT IS QUEEN OF THAILAND.

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IN THE AFTERNOON THE ROYAL COUPLE WILL TELL GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS IN THE THRONE ROOM THAT THEY HAVE BEEN MARRIED. AMBASSADORS AND CHIEFS OF FOREIGN MISSIONS WILL ATTEND A RECEPTION AFTERWARDS.

THE PRINCESS IS STRIKINGLY BEAUTIFUL IN A COUNTRY NOTED FOR ITS LOVELY GIRLS. AN ABUNDANCE OF LUSTROUS BLACK HAIR FALLS BELOW HER NECKLINE. SHE ALREADY HAS CHARMED HER WAY INTO THE HEARTS OF THAILAND'S PEOPLE.

PHUMIPHON WILL WEAR WHITE CIVILIAN CLOTHES. THE PRINCESS CHOSE HER BIRTHDAY COLOR, BLUE. IN DEFERENCE TO THE KING'S WISH, SHE SELECTED A THAILAND STYLE WEDDING GOWN WHICH SHE HOPES WILL SET A FASHION.

THEY WERE ATTRACTED BY A MUTUAL LOVE OF MUSIC. PHUMIPHON WRITES POPULAR MUSIC AND PLAYS THE SAXAPHONE. SIRIKIT PLAYS THE PIANO. THE ENGAGEMENT WAS ANNOUNCED LAST AUG. 12, SIRIKIT'S BIRTHDAY, IN LONDON.

THEY RECEIVED GIFTS TODAY FROM PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND BRITAIN'S KING GEORGE.

MR. TRUMAN SENT THE RADIO-PHONOGRAPH, WHICH BOASTS THE LATEST ELECTRONIC FEATURES. THE KING IS A GIFTED MUSICIAN AND A MUTUAL LOVE OF MUSIC HELPED BRING HIM AND THE PRINCESS TOGETHER.

U.S. AMBASSADOR EDWIN F. STANTON MADE THE PRESENTATION AT AN AUDIENCE WITH THE KING.

KING GEORGE'S GIFT WAS A ROYAL WORCESTER DINNER SERVICE FOR 36, PATTERNED IN BLUE AND GOLD ON A WHITE BACKGROUND. THE BRITISH AMBASSADOR, SIR GEOFFREY THOMPSON, DELIVERED IT.

THE COUPLE'S WEDDING GIFTS ALSO INCLUDED A SET OF ANCIENT JADE VASES FROM NATIONALIST CHINA'S GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK.

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NIGHT LEAD COMMUNISTS
BY STANLEY HUTCHINSON
CANBERRA, AUSTRALIA, APRIL 27-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER ROBERT G.MENZIES INTRODUCED TODAY A BILL, DESCRIBED AS A MEASURE OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND SELF DEFENSE, TO OUTLAW THE COMMUNIST PARTY.
"WE WOULD NOT HAVE TOLERATED A FIFTH COLUMN IN 1939," HE TOLD THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. "WE CERTAINLY DO NOT PROPOSE TO TOLERATE ONE IN 1950 WHEN MILITANT COMMUNISM, CHECKED FOR THE TIME BEING IN WESTERN EUROPE, IS MOVING EAST AND SOUTHEAST TO CARRY OUT ITS PLANS OF PUTTING DOWN DEMOCRACY AND USHERING IN THE REVOLUTION. X X X

"EXCEPT IN A TECHNICAL SENSE, WE ARE NOT AT PEACE. THE SOVIET UNION HAS PERFECTED THE TECHNIQUE OF A COLD WAR AND HAS ACCOMPANIED IT BY THE ORGANIZATION OF 'PEACE DEMONSTRATIONS' DESIGNED NOT TO PROMOTE TRUE PEACE, BUT TO PREVENT OR IMPAIR DEFENSE PREPARATIONS IN THE DEMOCRACIES."
THE BILL CALLS FOR THE DISSOLUTION OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY, PROVIDES PRISON TERMS UP TO FIVE YEARS FOR COMMUNISTS WHO REFUSE TO CEASE PARTY ACTIVITIES AND BAR REDS FROM HOLDING JOBS IN THE GOVERNMENT OR IN PRIVATE ENTERPRISE VITAL TO THE NATION'S SECURITY.
THE COMMUNIST PARTY CLAIMS A MEMBERSHIP OF ABOUT 25,000 OUT OF A POPULATION OF 7,710,000. COMMUNIST STRENGTH IS CONCENTRATED IN THE BASIC INDUSTRIES OF COAL, STEEL AND TRANSPORTATION.
IN SYDNEY, THE GENERAL SECRETARY OF THE AUSTRALIAN COMMUNIST PARTY, R.R.DIXON, ISSUED A DECLARATION:
"THE COMMUNIST PARTY WILL FIGHT THE LEGISLATION WITH EVERY MEANS AT ITS DISPOSAL--IN THE COURTS, IN THE FACTORIES AND ELSEWHERE. IT IS ONE THING TO PASS LAWS THAT VIOLATE THE TRADITIONAL FREEDOM OF AUSTRALIANS, BUT ANOTHER THING TO ENFORCE THEM."
THE PROPOSED LAW EXEMPTS ANY REGISTERED TRADE UNION FROM BEING OUTLAWED, EVEN THOUGH IT IS COMMUNIST-CONTROLLED. THE COMMUNIST PARTY IS STRONG IN SEVERAL AUSTRALIAN UNIONS.
LEADERS OF THE LABOR PARTY, WHICH WAS DEFEATED IN THE DECEMBER ELECTIONS, WILL MEET MAY 1 TO DECIDE WHETHER TO SUPPORT OR OPPOSE THE BILL SUBMITTED BY MENZIES, WHO HEADS A LIBERAL-COUNTRY PARTY COALITION GOVERNMENT.
THOUGH THE LABOR PARTY IS IN THE MINORITY IN THE HOUSE, IT HAS A MAJORITY IN THE SENATE. IF THE BILL IS DEFEATED IN THE SENATE, THE MENZIES GOVERNMENT MAY DISSOLVE PARLIAMENT AND CALL NEW ELECTIONS IN THE HOPE OF WIPING OUT LABOR'S SENATE MAJORITY.
THE PREAMBLE OF THE BILL CHARGED THE COMMUNIST PARTY WITH ENGAGING IN ACTIVITIES DESIGNED TO AID A REVOLUTIONARY SITUATION, SEEKING TO OVERTHROW THE GOVERNMENT BY FORCE, VIOLENCE, INTIMIDATION OR FRAUDULEN PRACTICES, WITH BEING AN INTEGRAL PART OF THE WORLD COMMUNIST REVOLUTIONARY MOVEMENT AND ENGAGING IN SPYING AND SABOTAGE TO DISRUPT INDUSTRY AND THE SECURITY OF THE COUNTRY.
SPECIFICALLY THE BILL STRIKES OUT IN THESE SIX DIRECTIONS:
1. DECLARES THE COMMUNIST PARTY UNLAWFUL, DISSOLVES IT AND APPOINTS A RECEIVER FOR ITS PROPERTY.
2. DECLARES UNLAWFUL AFFILIATED BODIES CONTROLLED BY COMMUNISTS OTHER THAN REGISTERED TRADE UNIONS.
3. IMPOSES PENALTIES OF UP TO FIVE YEARS IMPRISONMENT ON OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF UNLAWFUL ASSOCIATIONS.
4. EMPOWERS THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL, WHEN HE IS SATISFIED THAT A PERSON WAS ON MAY. 10, 1948, AND BEFORE THE DATE OF DISSOLUTION, A MEMBER OR OFFICER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY, TO MAKE A DECLARATION TO THAT EFFECT. THE LAST NATIONAL CONGRESS OF THE AUSTRALIAN COMMUNIST PARTY WAS HELD ON THAT DATE.
5. ANY SUCH "DECLARED" PERSON WILL BE DISQUALIFIED FROM EMPLOYMENT UNDER THE COMMONWEALTH OR COMMONWEALTH AUTHORITY.
6. BARS COMMUNISTS FROM HOLDING OFFICE IN INDUSTRIAL ORGANIZATIONS HELD VITAL TO THE SECURITY AND DEFENSE OF AUSTRALIA.
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A149
FIRST LEAD AUSTRALIAN (180)
CANBERRA, AUSTRALIA, APRIL 27-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER ROBERT G. MENZIES, ASSERTING THAT MILITANT COMMUNISM IS PLANNING REVOLUTION IN THIS PART OF THE WORLD, INTRODUCED A BILL IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TODAY TO OUTLAW THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN AUSTRALIA.
HE TOLD THE LAWMAKERS THAT ONLY "PEOPLE WHO LIVE IN SOME CLOUD CUCKOO LAND OF THEIR CREATION" CAN IMAGINE THAT AUSTRALIA IS IMMUNE FROM THE THREAT OF COMMUNIST SABOTAGE.
THE BILL ORDERS DISSOLUTION OF THE PARTY, PROVIDES PRISON TERMS UP TO FIVE YEARS FOR COMMUNISTS WHO REFUSE TO END PARTY ACTIVITIES, AND BARS REDS FROM HOLDING JOBS IN THE GOVERNMENT OR IN INDUSTRIES VITAL TO DEFENSE AND SECURITY.
"IT IS A CHILDISH IDEA THAT A FIFTH COLUMN SPRINGS MIRACULOUSLY INTO EXISTENCE WHEN WAR IS ON," MENZIES SAID. "IT IS PREPARED IN ADVANCE. BY STRIKE AND SABOTAGE IT CONDUCTS ITS OWN WAR."
MENZIES, LEADER OF THE LIBERAL-COUNTRY PARTY COALITION THAT DROVE THE LABOR PARTY OUT OF POWER IN DECEMBER, SAID AUSTRALIA WOULD NOT HAVE TOLERATED A FIFTH COLUMN IN 1939. HE ADDED:
"WE CERTAINLY DO NOT PROPOSE TO TOLERATE ONE IN 1950 WHEN MILITANT COMMUNISM, CHECKED FOR THE TIME BEING IN WESTERN EUROPE, IS MOVING EAST AND SOUTHEAST TO CARRY OUT ITS PLANS OF PUTTING DOWN DEMOCRACY AND USHERING IN THE REVOLUTION."

LABOR PARTY LEADERS, SWEPT FROM POWER IN THE DECEMBER ELECTIONS, WILL MEET MAY 1 TO DECIDE WHETHER TO SUPPORT OR OPPOSE THE BILL SUBMITTED BY THE LIBERAL-COUNTRY PARTY COALITION GOVERNMENT. THE COMMUNIST PARTY IS STRONG IN SEVERAL AUSTRALIAN UNIONS.
THE PROPOSED LAW, HOWEVER, SPECIFICALLY EXEMPTS ANY REGISTERED TRADE UNION FROM BEING OUTLAWED EVEN THOUGH IT IS COMMUNIST-CONTROLLED.
LABOR IS IN THE MINORITY IN THE HOUSE BUT HAS A MAJORITY IN THE SENATE. IF THE SENATE REJECTS THE PROPOSAL TO OUTLAW THE COMMUNISTS THE MENZIES GOVERNMENT MAY SEEK TO DISSOLVE THE ENTIRE PARLIAMENT AND CALL FOR NEW ELECTIONS. THIS WOULD BE DONE IN THE HOPE OF ERASING LABOR'S SENATE ADVANTAGE.
MENZIES SAID THESE WERE THE MAJOR PROVISIONS OF THE BILL:
DECLARES THE COMMUNIST PARTY UNLAWFUL, DISSOLVES IT AND APPOINTS A RECEIVER FOR ITS PROPERTY.
DECLARES UNLAWFUL AFFILIATED BODIES CONTROLLED BY COMMUNISTS

OTHER THAN REGISTERED TRADES UNIONS.
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EMPOWERS THE GOVERNOR GENERAL, WHEN HE IS SATISFIED THAT A PERSON WAS ON MAY 10, 1948, AND BEFORE THE DATE OF DISSOLUTION, A MEMBER OR OFFICER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY, TO MAKE A DECLARATION TO THAT EFFECT. THE LAST NATIONAL CONGRESS OF THE AUSTRALIAN COMMUNIST PARTY WAS HELD ON THAT DATE.
ANY SUCH "DECLARED" PERSON WILL BE DISQUALIFIED FROM EMPLOYMENT UNDER THE COMMONWEALTH OR COMMONWEALTH AUTHORITY.
BARS COMMUNISTS FROM HOLDING OFFICE IN INDUSTRIAL ORGANIZATIONS HELD VITAL TO THE SECURITY AND DEFENSE OF AUSTRALIA.
MENZIES RAISED THE QUESTION OF WHETHER THE LEGISLATION WOULD CONSTITUTE REGULATION OF "IDEAS" AND ANSWERED IT:
"IF IDEAS GIVE RISE TO OVERT ACTION AGAINST THE SAFETY AND DEFENSE OF THE REALM, WE ARE NOT ONLY ENTITLED BUT BOUND TO SUPPRESS THAT ACTION."

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JOHANNESBURG,SOUTH AFRICA,APRIL 27-(AP)-MINISTER OF JUSTICE C.R. SWART HAS ANNOUNCED A GOVERNMENT BAN ON ALL PUBLIC MEETINGS AND PROCESSIONS SATURDAY, SUNDAY AND MONDAY TO DEFEAT WHAT HE CALLED A MAY DAY COMMUNIST PLOT.
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A43
NIGHT LEAD VIETNAM (100)
SAIGON,INDOCHINA,APRIL 27-(AP)-THE STRONGLY PRO-FRENCH TRAN VAN HUU TONIGHT ACCEPTED APPOINTMENT AS THE NEW PREMIER OF VIETNAM. HE HOPES TO SUBMIT A CABINET TO CHIEF OF STATE BAO DAI EARLY NEXT WEEK.
THE NEW PREMIER SUCCEEDS NGUYEN PHAN LONG--FIRST PREMIER OF VIETNAM --WHOSE RESIGNATION WAS ACCEPTED BY BAO DAI LAST NIGHT. THE CHIEF OF STATE HAD BEEN UNDER STRONG FRENCH PRESSURE TO OUST NGUYEN PHAN LONG. FRENCH OFFICIALS CHARGED HE FOLLOWED A "DO NOTHING POLICY."
THE FRENCH-SPONSORED BAO DAI IS SEEKING TO UNITE INDOCHINESE WITHIN THE FRENCH UNION. HIS EFFORTS ARE OPPOSED BY THE MOSCOW-TRAINED HO CHI MINH, WHOSE REBEL GOVERNMENT HAS BEEN RECOGNIZED BY THE SOVIET UNION.

NGUYEN PHAN LONG, WHO ALSO HELD THE PORTFOLIOS OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND INTERIOR, HAD NOT BEEN ABLE TO REPLACE THREE CABINET MINISTERS WHO RESIGNED AFTER THE RIOTING IN SAIGON DURING THE AMERICAN NAVAL VISIT LAST MONTH.
TRAN VAN HUU, WHO HAS BEEN GOVERNOR OF SOUTHERN VIETNAM, IS EXPECTED TO INCLUDE IN HIS CABINET MEMBERS OF THE CAODAISTE POLITICAL AND RELIGIOUS MOVEMENT, FROM WHICH NGUYEN PHAN LONG HAD BEEN EXPELLED. IT IS BELIEVED THIS MAY HAVE BEEN ONE REASON HE HAD NOT BEEN ABLLE TO FORM A STRONG GOVERNMENT.
TRAN VAN HUU, 54-YEAR-OLD COCHINCHINESE LAND OWNER, HOLDS FRENCH CITIZENSHIP. HE IS A SHORT MAN WITH A MASSIVE HEAD. HE SPEAKS HABITUALLY IN A LOW VOICE.
IN ANNOUNCING ACCEPTANCE OF THE APPOINTMENT, HE SAID HE WISHED TO REALIZE AN IMMEDIATE AND REAL INDEPENDENCE FOR VIETNAM AND TO GIVE THE STATE A STATUS ANALOGOUS TO THAT OF ALL SOVEREIGN NATIONS.
TRAN VAN HUU SAID ECONOMIC INDEPENDENCE HAD NOT YET BEEN REALIZED. ECONOMIC DIRECTION IS NOW IN THE HANDS OF VIETNAMESE WHO, HE SAID, "ARE ONLY ADMINISTRATORS OF GOODS BELONGING TO THEM."
HIS SECOND OBJECTIVE, HE SAID, WILL BE THE RAPID CREATION OF A VIETNAMESE ARMY.
"THE FRENCH WOULD BE WRONG TO SLOW THIS MOVEMENT," HE SAID, "BECAUSE IT WOULD EVENTUALLY WORK AGAINST THEM."
INDEPENDENT POLITICAL OBSERVERS INTERPRET THE CABINET CHANGES AS INDICATIVE OF A BASIC REORIENTATION OF FRENCH STRATEGY IN INDOCHINA.
THE BAO DAI GOVERNMENT WAS GIVEN A MEASURE OF INDEPENDENCE IN AN EFFORT TO ATTRACT NATIONALISTIC VIETNAMESE AWAY FROM HO'S VIETMINH.
FRENCH POLICY, IN EFFECT, HAS REVERTED TO MILITARY AND POLICE FORCE AS THE BEST WAY OF CRUSHING THE REVOLT.

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A153
BY SEYMOUR TOPPING
SAIGON, INDOCHINA, APRIL 27-(AP)-BAO DAI, VIETNAM CHIEF OF STATE, YIELDED TO STRONG FRENCH PRESSURE LAST NIGHT AND SIGNED A DECREE ACCEPTING THE RESIGNATION OF NGUYEN PHAN LONG, THE FIRST APPOINTED PREMIER OF VIETNAM.
MEMBERS OF BAO DAI'S OFFICIAL DELEGATION HERE SAID THE CHIEF OF STATE HAS DESIGNATED TRAN VAN HUU, GOVERNOR OF SOUTHERN VIETNAM, AS THE NEW PREMIER.
THERE HAD BEEN FREQUENT CRITICISM IN SAIGON THAT NGUYEN PHAN LONG BY FAILURE TO FOLLOW A STRONG COURSE WAS PLAYING INTO THE HANDS OF THE ULTRA-NATIONALISTS. FRENCH-SUPPORTED BAO DAI IS TRYING TO RALLY THE INDOCHINESE PEOPLE INTO A STATE WHICH WILL BE A PART OF THE FRENCH UNION. HE IS BEING OPPOSED BY MOSCOW-TRAINED HO CHI MINH, WHOSE REBEL GOVERNMENT HAS BEEN RECOGNIZED BY THE SOVIET UNION.
FRENCH OFFICIALS MADE NO SECRET OF THE STRONG PRESSURE FRANCE EXERTED ON BAI DAI TO OUST NGUYEN PHAN LONG.
THE FIRST BREAK BETWEEN THE PREMIER AND THE FRENCH CAME LAST FEBRUARY WHEN NGUYEN PHAN LONG INSISTED AMERICAN AID SHOULD BE GIVEN DIRECTLY TO THE VIETNAM INSTEAD OF BEING FUNNELLED THROUGH FRANCE. HIS INDEPENDENT LINE OF ACTION SINCE THEN HAS MADE HIM UNACCEPTABLE TO THE FRENCH.

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AIDES OF NGUYEN PHAN LONG SAID HE WOULD BE SURRENDERING THE PREMIERSHIP UNWILLINGLY. THE PREMIER, HIMSELF, HAS ATTRIBUTED THE MOVE TO FORCE HIM OUT ENTIRELY TO FRENCH INTERFERENCE.
VIETNAMESE CIRCLES HAVE AGREED THAT THE FRENCH-SPONSORED GOVERNMENT HAS SUFFERED SIGNIFICANT LOSS OF PRESTIGE IN THE CABINET SHAKEUP. MOST VIETNAMESE WHO ARE HIGHLY SOVEREIGNTY-CONSCIOUS ARE INTERPRETING IT AS FURTHER PROOF OF FRENCH CONTROL OF THE THREE-MONTH OLD STATE-- WHICH NOMINALLY HAD BEEN GRANTED INTERNAL AUTONOMY.
PREMIER DESIGNATE TRAN VAN HUU IS CONSIDERED BY MOST VIETNAMESE AS STRONGLY PRO-FRENCH. THE 54-YEAR-OLD COCHIN CHINESE LAND OWNER HOLDS FRENCH CITIZENSHIP.

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NIGHT LEAD CHINESE

BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI,FORMOSA, APRIL 27-(AP)-CHINESE NATIONALIST WARPLANES TODAY BLASTED AT COMMUNIST CRAFT SWARMING IN WATERS NEAR THE INVASION-MENACED BLOCKADE BASE OF CHUSHAN, 100 MILES SOUTH OF SHANGHAI.

NAVAL SOURCES SAID THE REDS HAD MASSED MORE THAN 1,200 CRAFT IN HANGCHOW BAY. THE NATIONALIST ISLAND OF CHUSHAN IS AT THE MOUTH OF THE BAY.

THE WARPLANES, HOWEVER, CONCENTRATED THEIR ATTACKS ON THE NUMEROUS SMALL ISLANDS AROUND CHUSHAN WHICH THE COMMUNISTS HAVE OCCUPIED.

THE NAVY SAID MANY OF THE SMALL CRAFT, EACH OF WHICH COULD CARRY 50 SOLDIERS, HAD COME FROM SHIPYARDS IN THE RUSSIAN-CONTROLLED PORT OF DAIREN, MANCHURIA.

GEN. CHEN YI, COMMUNIST COMMANDER IN EAST CHINA, WAS REPORTED TO HAVE SEVEN ARMIES (POSSIBLY MORE THAN 70,000 MEN) FOR THE ATTEMPT ON CHUSHAN.

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TWO OF THE ARMIES WERE SAID TO HAVE TAKEN UP POSITIONS IN THE RED-HELD ISLANDS OF THE GROUP. CHUSHAN IS BUT 10 MILES FROM THE MAINLAND AT ITS NEAREST POINT. SOME OF THE COMMUNIST ISLANDS ARE EVEN CLOSER TO CHUSHAN.

THE AIR FORCE ALSO REPORTED NATIONALIST BOMBERS BASED ON THE SOUTH CHINA ISLAND OF HAINAN AGAIN HAD ATTACKED THE AIR FIELD AT HOIHOW, THE ISLAND'S CAPITAL ON THE NORTH COAST.

THE AIR FORCE ASSERTED MOST OF THE INSTALLATIONS WERE DESTROYED AT THE HOIHOW FIELD. IT DID NOT SAY WHERE ON HAINAN THE NATIONALIST WARPLANES WERE BASED. MOST OF THE ISLAND IS IN COMMUNIST HANDS.

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CHINESE WAR (260)

BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI, FORMOSA, APRIL 27-(AP)-SEVEN RED ARMIES ARE MASSED ON MAINLAND CHINA AND COASTAL ISLANDS FOR THE ASSAULT UPON CHUSHAN, THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS SAID TODAY.

TWO OF THE ARMIES ALREADY ARE IN POSITION ON NEARBY ISLANDS OF THE CHUSHAN GROUP, 100 MILES SOUTHEAST OF SHANGHAI.

AND 1,200 COMMUNIST CRAFT ARE SPOTTED IN HANGCHOW BAY, NATIONALIST NAVAL SOURCES SAID. CHUSHAN SITS AT THE SOUTH ENTRANCE. IT LIES ONLY NINE MILES OFF THE CHINA COAST.

NATIONALIST PLANES ATTACKED RED CRAFT OFF NEARBY CHUSHAN ISLAND AGAIN TODAY. AIR HEADQUARTERS ALSO SAID HAINAN BASED PLANES HIT THE HOIHOW AIRFIELD ON NORTH HAINAN. THIS INDICATED THE NATIONALISTS STILL WERE OPERATING FROM A SOUTH ISLAND AIRFIELD, POSSIBLY SAMAH.

THE INVASION OF CHUSHAN IS EXPECTED MOMENTARILY.

GEN.CHEN YI, COMMUNIST COMMANDER FOR EAST CHINA, MOVED TWO ARMIES ONTO NEARBY ISLANDS VIRTUALLY UNDER THE MOUTHS OF NATIONALIST GUNS.

CHUSHAN ITSELF IS THE KEY NATIONALIST BLOCKADE BASE FOR SHANGHAI. CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S AIR AND NAVAL ARMS HAVE STILLED TRAFFIC INTO THAT ONCE TEEMING PORT.

THE GENERALISSIMO'S SON, GEN. CHIANG CHING-KUO, TOLD NATIONALIST TROOPS ON A RECENT VISIT:

"CHUSHAN IS THE GATEWAY TO FORMOSA. IF CHUSHAN IS LOST, FORMOSA WILL BE EXPOSED TO ATTACK. IF FORMOSA IS LOST, IT WILL MEAN THE END OF OUR RACE, OUR LIBERTY AND OUR FREEDOM."

ARMY QUARTERS AGAIN VOICED CONFIDENCE IN THE ABILITY OF GEN. SHIH CHUEH TO HOLD THE KEY ISLAND.

BUT IN TAIPEI, PROPERTY VALUES PLUMMETED. AND MORE AND MORE CHINESE ARE TRYING TO GET TO MACAO AND HONG KONG.

THERE WERE ONLY MEAGER REPORTS FROM HAINAN, SOUTH CHINA ISLAND OVERRUN BY REDS. THESE SAID SOME NATIONALIST FORCES WERE PREPARING TO WAGE GUERRILLA WARFARE.

COMMUNIST GUERRILLAS ON THE ISLAND RESISTED THE NATIONALISTS FOR YEARS. THE THREAT OF THEIR FORCES, 60,000 STRONG AT THE REAR OF NATIONALIST LINES, AIDED IN THE ROUTE EARLIER THIS WEEK.

THE CHINESE FEDERATION OF LABOR, IN A MESSAGE TO "BROTHER WORKERS OF THE FREE WORLD," LAMENTED THAT CHINA "HAS VIRTUALLY BECOME A RUSSIAN COLONY."

CHINESE COMMUNIST LEADERS SUCH AS MAO TZE-TUNG AND CHOU EN-LAI, IT ASSERTED, "ARE NOTHING BUT RUSSIAN PUPPETS."

THE FEDERATION SAID "RUSSIAN PLANES, TANKS AND AMMUNITION ARE POURING INTO CHINA IN PREPARATION FOR THE NEXT WORLD WAR." IT ADDED:

"WE MUST CHANGE THE COLD WAR INTO A SHOOTING WAR IF NECESSARY SO THAT LIBERTY, JUSTICE AND WORLD PEACE MAY PREVAIL."

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A58

SINGAPORE, APRIL 27-(AP)-THE U.S. AIRCRAFT CARRIER BOXER AND TWO DESTROYERS BROUGHT 3,000 AMERICAN SAILORS TO THIS BRITISH COLONY TODAY FOR A WEEK'S VISIT. WITH THE CARRIER ARE THE DESTROYERS FLOYD B. PARKS AND JOHN R. CRAIG.

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LONDON, APRIL 27-(AP)-A SOVIET-CHINSE COMPANY FOR ADMINISTERING THE CHINESE CHANGCHUN RAILWAY IN MANCHURIA STARTED FUNCTIONING TUESDAY, THE MOSCOW RADIO SAID TONIGHT.

THE RADIO BROADCAST, HEARD HERE, QUOTED PRESS REPORTS IN PEIPING, COMMUNIST CHINESE CAPITAL, THAT CHINA AND RUSSIA HAD NAMED THEIR RESPECTIVE BOARD MEMBERS "UNDER EQUAL CONDITIONS."

YU HUAN-SHEN OF CHINA WAS APPOINTED BOARD CHAIRMAN AND M.S. YOROGOV OF THE U.S.S.R., VICE-CHAIRMAN.

THE FEBRUARY MOSCOW AGREEMENT WHEREBY RUSSIA PROMISED TO TURN OVER TO COMMUNIST CHINA NOT LATER THAN 1952 ALL HER RIGHTS IN THE JOINT RUNNING OF THE RAILWAY PROVIDED FOR JOINT ADMINISTRATION DURING THE INTERIM.

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B49WX (Q)
(190) AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE
WASHINGTON, APRIL 27-(AP)-SENATOR JENNER (R-IND) SAID TODAY THE GOVERNMENT IS WORKING ON A DEAL TO TRADE COTTON TO COMMUNIST CHINA FOR SOY BEANS.

THE BEANS, HE SAID, WOULD GO TO JAPAN.

INDIANA IS THE SECOND LARGEST PRODUCER OF SOY BEANS IN THIS COUNTRY.

"THAT THE JAPANESE MUST IMPORT SOYBEANS TO AUGMENT THEIR OWN MEAGER SUPPLIES OF FATS AND OILS GOES WITHOUT SAYING," JENNER SAID IN A STATEMENT.

"FOR SOME REASON, THE COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION, WHICH WAS CHARGED WITH BUYING THESE SOYBEANS FOR ECA AND FOR ARMY FEEDING IN JAPAN, FAILED TO FILL THE ORDERS WHEN THEY WERE FIRST PLACED AND WHEN SOYBEANS WERE AVAILABLE IN THE DOMESTIC MARKET AT BELOW PARITY PRICES."

HE SAID BEANS COULD HAVE BEEN BOUGHT LAST WINTER FOR $2.25 A BUSHEL BUT ARE ABOUT $2.95.

"NOW," HE ADDED, "THEY SAY AMERICAN SOYBEAN PRICES ARE TOO HIGH AND THAT CONSEQUENTLY WE MUST DEAL WITH RED CHINA TO OBTAIN THE QUANTITIES NECESSARY TO FULFILL OUR EXPORT REQUIREMENTS.

"I SAY THAT, AT ANY PRICE, AMERICAN SOYBEANS ARE NOT SO HIGH THAT THEY SHOULD DRIVE OUR GOVERNMENT TO BARGAIN WITH THE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT OF CHINA."

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SEOUL,KOREA,APRIL 27-(AP)-OVER LOADED WITH COPS, THE POLICE BUREAU OF CHOLLANAMDO PROVINCE HELD A POPULARITY CONTEST.

"AS A RESULT," THE NEWSPAPER TONG A ILBO REPORTED YESTERDAY, "458 POLICEMEN WERE PLACED ON THE REDUCTION LIST."

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WASHINGTON, APRIL 27-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES AND SOUTH KOREA WILL SIGN TOMORROW AN AGREEMENT FOR EXCHANGING STUDENTS, TEACHERS AND TECHNICIANS.

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A64FX
TOKYO,APRIL 27-(AP)-FOUR JAPANESE WELFARE SPECIALISTS WILL LEAVE MAY 24 FOR SIX MONTHS STUDY IN THE UNITED STATES UNDER UNITED NATIONS FELLOWSHIPS.

THEY ARE YUICHI NAKAMURA, DR.FUMIHIDE KOIKE, KENICHIRO IMAOKA AND MISS TATSUKO OHARA.

A FIFTH, YASUO TSUJIMURA, WILL LEAVE MAY 11 FOR STUDY IN CANADA.

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A20FX
(PMS BUDGET--460)
AMERICAN SHIP

TOKYO,APRIL 27-(AP)-THE CHINESE COMMUNIST RADIO TODAY BLAMED AN AMERICAN FREIGHTER FOR A MIDNIGHT COLLISION WITH A CHINESE SHIP IN A YELLOW SEA FOG. IT SAID 70 CHINESE DROWNED AS THEIR VESSEL SANK.

A PEIPING BROADCAST HEARD HERE SAID THE FREIGHTER CALIFORNIA BEAR OF THE PACIFIC FAR EAST LINES "IGNORED MARITIME LAWS" IN RAMMING THE CHINESE SHIP SINAN OFF TAKU BAR APRIL 20. THE 8,163-TON AMERICAN SHIP STILL IS AT TAKU BAR, PORT OF TIENTSIN WHERE RED AUTHORITIES HAVE BEGUN AN INQUIRY.

PACIFIC FAR EAST LINES HEADQUARTERS IN SAN FRANCISCO DENIED THE RED RADIO CHARGE THAT CAPT. WILLIAM MURRAY OF THE BEAR WAS NEGLIGENT AND "TOOK AN UNREASONABLY LONG TIME IN RENDERING ASSISTANCE TO DROWNING PEOPLE AND EVEN THEN DID IT IN A MOST HAPHAZARD MANNER."

A STATEMENT BY THE COMPANY SAID MURRAY SENT WORD OF THE ACCIDENT IMMEDIATELY AND "WAS INSTRUCTED TO MAKE INTENSIVE AND EXHAUSTIVE RESCUE EFFORTS, WHICH HE DID FOR NINE HOURS OVER AN AREA OF 50 SQUARE MILES."

THE LINE ADDED THAT "37 PERSONS WERE RESCUED AND EFFORTS WERE ABANDONED ONLY AFTER FURTHER SEARCH APPEARED HOPELESS."

ASSERTING THAT "CLEARLY THE CALIFORNIA BEAR MUST ACCEPT FULL RESPONSIBILITY FOR RAMMING AND SINKING THE SINAN," THE PEIPING RADIO REPORTED THESE TWO DEVELOPMENTS:

1. A MARITIME COMMISSION HAS BEEN SET UP BY THE TIENTSIN PEOPLES (COMMUNIST) GOVERNMENT TO DETERMINE RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE SINKING AND TO WORK OUT A SETTLEMENT.

2. THE HUA FU CO., AGENTS FOR THE SINAN, FILED A CRIMINAL ACTION IN A TIENTSIN COURT SEEKING COMPENSATION FOR LOSS OF LIFE AND LOSS OF THE VESSEL, ITS CARGO AND OTHER PROPERTIES.

THOMAS E.CUFFE, PACIFIC FAR EAST LINES PRESIDENT, SAID MURRAY AND SOME MEMBERS OF THE CALIFORNIA BEAR'S CREW ARE ASHORE ATTENDING THE RED INQUIRY.

CUFFE SAID HE KNEW OF "NO DURESS, NO RESTRAINT" BEING APPLIED BY THE REDS. HIS SAN FRANCISCO OFFICE IS KEEPING IN TOUCH WITH MURRAY BY CABLE. PRESUMABLY THE SHIP'S RADIO IS SEALED WHILE IN PORT--THE PROCEDURE USUALLY DEMANDED BY THE CHINESE REDS.

THE CALIFORNIA BEAR SAILED FOR SINGAPORE TO TAKU BAR BY WAY OF TSINGTAO, ANOTHER NORTH CHINA PORT. SHE WAS SCHEDULED TO CLEAR TAKU BAR FOR JAPAN APRIL 30.

THIS WAS THE COMMUNIST RADIO'S VERSION OF THE COLLISION:

THE SINAN, SAILING FROM DAIREN, MANCHURIA, WITH 66 PASSENGERS AND A CREW OF 43, STOPPED HER ENGINES IN THE GULF OF CHIHLI WHEN SHE HEARD THE FOGHORN OF AN APPROACHING VESSEL. A FEW MINUTES LATER, THE CALIFORNIA BEAR LOOMED UP AND PLOWED INTO THE SINAN. WITH A HOLE EIGHT BY FIVE FEET IN HER SIDE, SHE SANK IN 30 MINUTES.

THE AMERICAN SHIP, THE RADIO ACCOUNT ADDED, REFUSED THE USE OF HER RADIO TO TWO SINAN CREWMEN WHO WANTED TO REPORT THE ACCIDENT TO THE ILL-FATED SHIP'S AGENTS IN TIENTSIN.

CAPT.MURRAY, SAID HIS SAN FRANCISCO OFFICE, SENT FIRST WORD OF THE ACCIDENT IN THIS MESSAGE, TIMED AT 11:30 P.M., (TIENTSIN TIME) APRIL 20:

"COLLIDED WITH UNIDENTIFIED CHINESE STEAMER 40 MILES SOUTH DAIREN DENSE FOG APPARENTLY SINKING SAME. AM PICKING UP SURVIVORS AND WILL REMAIN IN AREA DAYLIGHT."

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WASHINGTON,APRIL 27-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN SIGNED TODAY A BILL PERMITTING GORDON L.PAGE, PORTLAND,ORE., WAR VETERAN, TO BRING HIS JAPANESE WIFE AND THEIR BABY INTO THIS COUNTRY.

PAGE, 24, SERVED AT AN ARMY DEPOT AT ZAMA,JAPAN. AFTER HIS DISCHARGE, HE WORKED IN THE ARMY'S CIVILIAN INFORMATION OFFICE AT GIFU, JAPAN.

HE MARRIED JANIS SHIMADA IN JAPAN IN MARCH 1948. THEIR SON WAS BORN IN JUNE, 1949.

PAGE'S MOTHER, MRS.SYLVAIA B.PAGE, HAS SAID HE WANTED TO TAKE HIS WIFE AND CHILD TO PORTLAND WHERE HE COULD REGAIN HIS FORMER JOB IN A GROCERY STORE.

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AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE

WASHINGTON,APRIL 27-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY SIGNED A BILL PERMITTING THE JAPANESE FAMILY OF A DETROIT, MICH. WAR VETERAN TO JOIN HIM IN THE UNITED STATES.

THE VETERAN IS WILLIAM LEE HENRY, WHO SERVED IN THE ARMY IN JAPAN BETWEEN 1946 AND 1948.

WHILE STATIONED THERE HE MET A JAPANESE GIRL, MISS AIKO HIROYA. REP.LESINSKI (D-MICH), WHO INTRODUCED THE BILL, SAID HENRY SOUGHT TO MARRY MISS HIROYA BUT PERMISSION WAS DENIED BY THE ARMY.

THE COUPLE WERE RECOGNIZED AS MAN AND WIFE BY THE GIRL'S PARENTS AND LIVED TOGETHER FOR A TIME, LESINSKI SAID.

AFTER HENRY RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES HE WAS ADVISED THAT A CHILD, MASAMI, HAD BEEN BORN TO MISS HIROYA. THE VETERAN THEREUPON TRIED TO REINLIST IN THE ARMY SO THAT HE COULD JOIN HIS FAMILY IN JAPAN BUT WAS DENIED PERMISSION TO DO SO.

MRS.MARTHA LEE HENRY, THE VETERANS MOTHER, ADVISED THE SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE WHICH APPROVED THE BILL "THAT SHE IS FINANCIALLY ABLE TO ASSIST HER SON IN TAKING CARE OF HIS FAMILY AND THAT SHE IS EXTREMELY DESIROUS OF DOING EVERYTHING POSSIBLE TO HELP BRING HER SON'S FAMILY TO THE UNITED STATES."

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WASHINGTON, APRIL 27-(AP)-HAYATO IKEDA, JANAPAN'S MINISTER OF FINANCE, ARRIVED TODAY TO BEGIN THREE WEEKS' STUDY OF BANKING AND FINANCE IN THE U.S.

HE WAS GREETED AT NATIONAL AIRPORT BY JOSEPH M.DODGE, DETROIT BANKER, WHO WILL ARRANGE MEETINGS WITH GOVERNMENT AND PRIVATE BANKING AND FINANCE OFFICIALS.

A STATEMENT ISSUED BY THE U.S. ARMY SAID IKEDA WAS SENT HERE BY THE JAPANESE GOVERNMENT WITH THE APPROVAL OF GEN. DOUGLAS MACARTHUR. HE WILL GO TO NEW YORK ON MAY 12, REMAINING THERE UNTIL MAY 19, AND THEN RETURN TO JAPAN.

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BY THOMAS P. WHITNEY

MOSCOW, APRIL 27-(AP)-THE U.S.S.R. CENTRAL STATISTICAL ADMINISTRATION ANNOUNCED TODAY INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION IN THE SOVIET UNION FOR THE FIRST QUARTER OF 1950 WAS 22 PER CENT HIGHER THAN IN THE FIRST QUARTER OF 1949.

(THESE SOVIET ANNOUNCEMENTS NEVER GIVE COMPARABLE FIGURES. THE ANNOUNCEMENTS ARE ALWAYS IN TERMS OF PERCENTAGES.)

THE COMMUNIQUE SAID THAT ALTHOUGH PRODUCTION ROSE MARKEDLY IN THE FIRST QUARTER OF THIS YEAR, SOME INDIVIDUAL MINISTRIES DID NOT MEET THEIR QUARTERLY PLAN PRODUCTION QUOTAS. THIS WAS LAID TO FAILURE TO FULFILL JANUARY ASSIGNMENTS BECAUSE OF "LACK OF PREPAREDNESS OF A NUMBER OF ENTERPRISES FOR DIFFICULT CONDITIONS" OF THIS YEAR'S WINTER.

HOWEVER, THE STATEMENT ADDED, "IN FEBRUARY AND ESPECIALLY IN MARCH, THE UNDERFULFILLMENT OF THE JANUARY PLAN WAS MADE UP IN SIGNIFICANT MEASURE."

THE COMMUNIQUE SAID REDUCTIONS IN WHOLESALE PRICES TOOK EFFECT JAN.1 OF THIS YEAR.

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"LARGE SUCCESSES IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF INDUSTRY AND TRANSPORT AND GROWTH OF THE PRODUCTIVITY OF LABOR, LOWERING THE COST OF PRODUCTION, WERE ATTAINED IN 1949, AND THE REVELATION OF SIGNIFICANT RESERVES FOR A FURTHER DECIDED LOWERING OF COST OF PRODUCTION OF GOODS PERMITTED THE GOVERNMENT FROM JAN. 1, 1950, TO CARRY OUT THE LOWERING OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF METALS, MACHINES AND EQUIPMENT, CHEMICALS, CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS, LUMBER GOODS, PAPER, AND ALSO THE LOWERING OF ELECTRIC RATES AND RAILWAY FREIGHT RATES," THE COMMUNIQUE SAID.

IT INDICATED THAT THIS MEANT A CONSEQUENT OPPORTUNITY TO LOWER COSTS OF PRODUCTION GENERALLY THROUGHOUT THE WHOLE SOVIET ECONOMY.

THE STATEMENT SAID THE POPULATION, IN THE FIRST QUARTER, BOUGHT 25 PERCENT MORE GOODS THAN IN THE SAME PERIOD OF LAST YEAR AT COMPARABLE PRICES, AND THAT IN MARCH, AFTER THE REDUCTION OF RETAIL PRICES MARCH 1, PUBLIC PURCHASES INCREASED OVERALL BY 45 PER CENT OVER FEBRUARY. INCREASED BUYING WAS NOTED IN MEATS, 51 PER CENT; BUTTER, 79 PER CENT; BAKED GOODS, 32 PER CENT; WOOLEN CLOTHS, 100 PER CENT; SOAP, 100 PER CENT; RADIOS, 200 PER CENT; BICYCLES, 800 PER CENT; MOTORCYCLES, 600 PER CENT; WATCHES, 300 PER CENT.

(THE REFERENCE TO THE PRICE REDUCTION OF MARCH 1 CONCERNS THE REVALUATION OF THE SOVIET RULE AT THAT TIME IN TERMS OF GOLD. THE RUBLE NOW IS PEGGED AT THE EQUIVALENT OF FOUR TO THE AMERICAN DOLLAR, ALTHOUGH ITS VALUE IS NOT OFFICIALLY BASED UPON THE DOLLAR. PREVIOUSLY IT HAD BEEN 5.3 TO THE DOLLAR.)

THE COMMUNIQUE SAID THAT AT PRESENT THERE ARE 55,000,000 PERSONS ENGAGED IN ALL TYPES OF INDUSTRY IN THE SOVIET UNION. IT SAID 2,000,000 MORE WORKERS WERE ADDED TO THE NATIONAL ECONOMY THIS QUARTER THAN IN THE FIRST QUARTER OF LAST YEAR.

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MANILA,APRIL 27-(AP)-A MYSTERIOUS SHIP FLYING TWO RED FLAGS ANCHORED FOR SIX HOURS SATURDAY OFF THE NORTHERN TIP OF LUZON, THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT DISCLOSED TODAY.

A SPOKESMAN SAID THE CONSTABULARY WAS SEARCHING FOR PERSONS POSSIBLY LANDED BY THE SHIP.

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NIGHT LEAD TRUMAN-FOREIGN

BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON, APRIL 27-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN CALLED TODAY FOR "GREATER UNDERSTANDING AND CONFIDENCE" BETWEEN STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS AND MEMBERS OF CONGRESS CONCERNED WITH FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

IN A STATEMENT GIVING A NEW BOOST TO BIPARTISANSHIP IN FOREIGN POLICY MAKING, THE PRESIDENT SUGGESTED THAT THE HOUSE FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE SET UP A SERIES OF SUBCOMMITTEES--LIKE THOSE ALREADY PLANNED ON THE SENATE SIDE--FOR CLOSER CONSULTATION WITH THE VARIOUS DIVISIONS OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

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CHAIRMAN KEE (D-WVA) OF THE HOUSE FOREIGN AFFAIRS GROUP WAS OUT OF TOWN AND UNAVAILABLE FOR IMMEDIATE COMMENT. COMMITTEE AIDES POINTED OUT, HOWEVER, THAT THE HOUSE GROUP SET UP THE SUGGESTED GEOGRAPHICAL SUBDIVISIONS IN 1945 AND HAS MAINTAINED THEM EVER SINCE.

MR.TRUMAN ISSUED HIS STATEMENT X X X ETC., PICKING UP 3RD GRAF PREVIOUS AND INSERTING FOLLOWING AFTER 5TH GRAF ORIGINAL BEGINNING "THE PRESIDENT X X X POLICIES."

AT HIS NEWS CONFERENCE LATER IN THE DAY, MR.TRUMAN COMMENTED THAT THE ONLY DIFFICULTY WITH THE BIPARTISAN FOREIGN POLICY IS THAT IT IS NOT GENERALLY UNDERSTOOD.

THE PRESIDENT DID NOT EXPLAIN FURTHER WHAT HE THINKS IS MIDUNDERSTOOD. BUT HE SAID HIS OWN DESIRE IS TO CONTINUE THE BIPARTISAN METHOD AS IT WAS STARTED BY FORMER SECRETARY OF STATE CORDELL HULL DURING THE LAST WAR.

MR.TRUMAN ISSUED HIS STATEMENT AFTER CONFERRING WITH SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON AND CHAIRMAN CONNALLY (D-TEXAS) OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE AT THE WHITE HOUSE.

THE MEETING AND SUBSEQUENT PRESIDENTIAL PRONOUNCEMENT HAD THE EFFECT OF GIVING FULL ADMINISTRATION ENDORSEMENT TO THE PLAN WHICH CONNALLY ANNOUNCED RECENTLY FOR OPENING UP A NEW WORKING RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND THE SENATE COMMITTEE.

THE PRESIDENT SAID HIS MEETING WITH ACHESON AND CONNALLY WAS HELD TO REVIEW "THE EFFORTS THAT WE ARE ALL MAKING TO DEVISE WAYS OF BRINGING ABOUT A TRUE BIPARTISAN APPROACH TO THE CONSIDERATION OF OUR FOREIGN POLICIES."

HE CALLED THE CONNALLY PLAN FOR SUBCOMMITTEES "A DECIDED STEP FORWARD IN THE MATTER OF KEEPING THE (FOREIGN RELATIONS) COMMITTEE, AND THROUGH THE COMMITTEE, THE SENATE, CURRENTLY INFORMED OF STATE DEPARTMENT ATTITUDES TOWARD PENDING FOREIGN POLICY ISSUES."

IN ADDITION, THE PRESIDENT SAID THIS SYTEM "WILL HAVE THE ADDED ADVANTAGE OF QUICKENING AN INTEREST ON THE PART OF THE VARIOUS CONSULTATIVE SUBCOMMITTEES IN THE PARTICULAR AREAS OF THE WORLD OR THE STATE DEPARTMENT FUNCTIONS FOR WHICH THEY ARE GIVEN SPECIFIC RESPONSIBILITY IN THIS NEW COMMITTEE ORGANIZATIONAL ARRANGEMENT."

"I HOPE," THE PRESIDENT CONTINUED, "THAT THE FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES WILL SEE FIT TO ADOPT A SIMILAR PATTERN IN ORDER THAT WE MAY BRING ABOUT GREATER UNDERSTANDING AND CONFIDENCE BETWEEN STATE DEPARTMENT REPRESENTATIVES AND THE MEMBERS OF THE CONGRESS WHO REPRESENT THE HOUSE AND THE SENATE IN THE VARIOUS FIELDS OF STATE DEPARTMENT OPERATIONS."

CONNALLY ANNOUNCED APRIL 15 THAT HE PROPOSED TO CREATE EIGHT SUBCOMMITTEES IN THE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE TO DEAL WITH THE STATE DEPARTMENT ON MATTERS HAVING TO DO WITH THE UNITED NATIONS, ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL POLICY, THE FAR EAST, EUROPE, THE NEAR EAST AND AFRICA, THE AMERICAN REPUBLICS, PUBLIC RELATIONS AND DEPARTMENTAL ORGANIZATION.

THE PATTERN OF WHICH THE CONNALLY MOVE IS A MAJOR PART BEGAN SEVERAL WEEKS AGO WHEN MR.TRUMAN AUTHORIZED ACHESON TO NAME A REPUBLICAN CONSULTANT. JOHN FOSTER DULLES, A REPUBLICAN FOREIGN POLICY EXPERT AND FORMER SENATOR FROM NEW YORK, WAS SWORN IN YESTERDAY AS AN ADVISOR TO ACHESON ON MAJOR POLICY QUESTIONS.

MEANWHILE, ACHESON HAD NAMED JOHN SHERMAN COOPER, FORMER REPUBLICAN SENATOR FROM KENTUCKY, TO AID HIM IN PREPARING FOR THE MAY DIPLOMATIC CONFERENCES IN LONDON AND TO ACCOMPANY HIM TO THOSE MEETINGS.

ALL THESE DEVELOPMENTS TOGETHER PROVIDE MORE MACHINERY FOR CLOSE CONTACT BETWEEN THE ADMINISTRATION'S FOREIGN POLICY BRANCH AND MEMBERS OF CONGRESS--BOTH DEMOCRATIC AND REPUBLICAN--THAN HAS EVER EXISTED IN THE PAST.

ADMINISTRATION AND SOME REPUBLICAN LEADERS, NOTABLY SENATOR VANDENBERG OF MICHIGAN, HAD FELT FOR SOME MONTHS THAT THE BASIS OF BIPARTISANSHIP IN FOREIGN POLICY WAS CRUMBLING AND THAT STEPS SHOULD BE TAKEN TO REMEDY THE SITUATION.

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WASHINGTON,APRIL 27-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY ENDORSED WHOLEHEARTEDLY A PLAN TO SET UP EIGHT SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEES TO HELP BRING ABOUT "A TRU BI-PARTISAN" FOREIGN POLICY.

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MR.TRUMAN SAID IN A STATEMENT HE HOPES THE HOUSE FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE WILL FOLLOW THE PROPOSED SENATE PATTERN TO HELP PROVIDE FOR A "FREE INTERCHANGE" BETWEEN THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND CONGRESS.

THE PRESIDENT'S STATEMENT WAS ISSUED AFTER HE HELD A WHITE HOUSE CONFERENCE WITH SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON AND CHAIRMAN CONNALLY (D-TEXAS) OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE.

CONNALLY IS AUTHOR OF THE PLAN TO SET UP EIGHT SUBCOMMITTEES WHICH WOULD CORRESPOND WITH THE ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

THE 30-MINUTE WHITE HOUSE MEETING WAS ANOTHER IN A SERIES OF PRESIDENTIAL MOVES TO REVAMP AND STRENGTHEN THE BI-PARTISAN FOREIGN POLICY IN THE FACE OF CONGRESSIONAL CRITICISM OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

THE PRESIDENT RECENTLY INVITED SENATOR BRIDGES (R-NH) TO THE WHITE HOUSE FOR A FOREIGN POLICY CONFERENCE. CONNALLY CRITICIZED THIS MOVE BECAUSE BRIDGES WAS NOT A MEMBER OF HIS COMMITTEE.

MR.TRUMAN'S STATEMENT: (ABOUT 220)

"I ASKED SECRETARY ACHESON AND SENATOR CONNALLY TO CALL ON ME THIS MORNING FOR THE PURPOSE OF CANVASSING IN GENERAL THE EFFORTS THAT WE ARE ALL MAKING TO DEVISE WAYS OF BRINGING ABOUT A TRUE BI-PARTISAN APPROACH TO THE CONSIDERATION OF OUR FOREIGN POLICIES.

"I HAVE BEEN PARTICULARILY INTERESTED IN SENATOR CONNALLY'S PLAN TO SET UP EIGHT SUBCOMMITTEES OF THE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE, WHICH SUBCOMMITTEE GROUPS WILL CORRESPOND WITH THE ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT. THIS NEW PROCEDURE IS A DECIDED

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STEP FORWARD IN THE MATTER OF KEEPING THE COMMITTEE, AND THROUGH THE COMMITTEE, THE SENATE, CURRENTLY INFORMED OF STATE DEPARTMENT ATTITUDES TOWARD PENDING FOREIGN POLICY ISSUES.

"THIS NEW APPROACH WILL SERVE NOT ONLY TO PROVIDE MECHANICS FOR FREE INTERCHANCE OF INFORMATION BETWEEN STATE DEPARTMENT REPRESENTATIVES AND THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE, BUT IT WILL HAVE THE ADDED ADVANTAGE OF QUICKENING AN INTEREST ON THE PART OF THE VARIOUS CONSULTATIVE SUBCOMMITTEES IN THE PARTICULAR AREAS OF THE WORLD OR THE STATE DEPARTMENT FUNCTIONS FOR WHICH THEY ARE GIVEN SPECIFIC RESPONSIBILITY IN THIS NEW COMMITTEE ORGANIZATIONAL ARRANGEMENT.

"I HOPE THAT THE FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES WILL SEE FIT TO ADOPT A SOMEWHAT SIMILAR PATTERN IN ORDER THAT WE MAY BRING ABOUT GREATER UNDERSTANDING AND CONFIDENCE BETWEEN STATE DEPARTMENT REPRESENTATIVES AND THE MEMBERS OF THE CONGRESS WHO REPRESENT THE HOUSE AND THE SENATE IN THE VARIOUS FIELDS OF STATE DEPARTMENT OPERATIONS."

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BULLETIN

HIRST LEAD DEFENSE-SPENDING

WASHINGTON,APRIL 27-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN SPOKE OUT TODAY FOR EXTENSION OF THE DRAFT AND SAID HE HAD APPROVED A STATEMENT THAT THE "FORCE OF EVENTS" REQUIRES A BOOST IN DEFENSE FUNDS.

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SECRETARY OF DEFENSE LOUIS JOHNSON USED THAT PHRASE YESTERDAY IN ASKING CONGRESS FOR $350,000,000 (M) MORE FOR THE DEFENSE ESTABLISHMENT, CHIEFLY FOR AIRPLANES.

JOHNSON'S PLEA HAS ALL BUT SHELVED THE ECONOMY DRIVE IN CONGRESS AND HAS CAUSED SOME LEGISLATORS, PREVIOUSLY OPPOSED TO CONTINUING THE DRAFT, TO CHANGE THEIR MINDS. THE DRAFT LAW EXPIRES IN JUNE.

MR.TRUMAN TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE HE HAD READ AND APPROVED JOHNSON'S STATEMENT. HE ALSO SAID HE WANTS THE DRAFT EXTENDED.

BUT OTHERWISE, THE PRESIDENT WOULD SAY LITTLE ABOUT THE TENSING NTERNATIONAL SITUATION.

HE TURNED ASIDE WITH NO COMMENT A SERIES OF NEWS CONFERENCE QUESTIONS DEALING WITH RUSSIA.

HE WOULDN'T COMMENT AT ALL WHEN A REPORTER ASKED WHETHER RUSSIAN PLANES MIGHT BE FIRED ON BY AMERICANS IF THEY GET OVER AMERICAN TERRITORY.

THAT WAS AN ALLUSION TO THE ASSERTED SHOOTING DOWN OF A U.S.NAVY PLANE BY SOVIET FIGHTERS.

THE PRESIDENT DECLINED ALL COMMENT ON:

REPORTS THAT AMERICAN TROOPS WERE PREPARED TO USE GUNS AS A LAST ESORT IF YOUNG GERMAN COMMUNISTS FROM THE EAST ZONE STAGE A DEMONSTRATION IN BERLIN NEXT MONTH.

IN CONGRESS, THERE WERE STRONG INDICATIONS OF CONCERN OVER THE INTERNATIONAL SITUATION.

IN RESPONSE TO THE REQUEST OF SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON, THE HOUSE WAS RESIGNED TO VOTE AN EXTRA $350,000,000 (M) FOR MILITARY SPENDING, MOST OF IT FOR AIRPLANES.

AND HOUSE LEADERS THOUGHT IT LIKELY THAT THE MEMBERS WOULD HAVE TO VOTE ON THE QUESTION OF KEEPING THE DRAFT LAW ALIVE FOR TWO YEARS BEYOND JUNE 24, WHEN IT IS SCHEDULED TO DIE.

CHAIRMAN CANNON (D-MO) OF THE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE ANNOUNCED COMMITTEE APPROVAL OF AN AMENDMENT THAT WOULD HIKE THE DEFENSE BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JULY 1 FROM THE $13,911,000,000 (B) RECOMMENDED LAST MONTH BY THE COMMITTEE TO $14,261,000,000 (B).

THE EXTRA $350,000,000 WAS APPROVED AFTER JOHNSON TESTIFIED BEFORE A SUBCOMMITTEE YESTERDAY.

IT WOULD BE SPLIT UP THIS WAY: $200,000,000 FOR THE AIR FORCE; $100,000,000 FOR NAVAL AIR; $50,000,000 FOR CONVERSION OF WARSHIPS AND FOR THE ANTI-SUBMARINE WARFARE PROGRAM.

WITH REPUBLICANS JOINING DEMOCRATS IN SUPPORTING THE INCREASES, THEIR ADDITION TO A $29,000,000,000 (B) OMNIBUS APPROPRIATION BILL PERHAPS LATE NEXT WEEK APPEARED CERTAIN.

THERE IS A CHANCE THAT AN EFFORT MAY BE MADE TO ADD EVEN MORE, FOR THE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE HAS RECOMMENDED A $203,000,000 (M) CUT IN SO-CALLED NON-DEFENSE MILITARY FUNDS AND JOHNSON WANTS THAT RESTORED.

THE $350,000,000 AGREED ON IS INTENDED TO KEEP THE NATION'S AIR FORCE AT A LEVEL OF NOT LESS THAN 48 GROUPS OF ACTIVE AND FIRST LINE WARPLANES.

CHAIRMAN VINSON (D-GA) OF THE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE TOLD NEWSMEN THAT BECAUSE OF "PRESENT WORLD CONDITIONS" HE WILL ASK THE COMMITTEE NEXT WEEK TO APPROVE A TWO-YEAR EXTENSION OF THE DRAFT LAW.

NO ONE HAS BEEN DRAFTED SINCE JANUARY 1949, BUT MILITARY LEADERS WANT IT KEPT ON THE BOOKS FOR QUICK USE IF NECESSARY. IT COVERS MEN 19 THROUGH 26.

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BEFORE THE RUSSIAN AIR FORCE ASSERTEDLY SHOT DOWN AN UNARMED U.S. NAVAL PLANE EARLY THIS MONTH, MANY MEMBERS OF CONGRESS HOPED THEY COULD LET THE DRAFT LAW DIE OR AT LEAST EXTEND IT WITH "STRINGS" THAT WOULD REQUIRE ADDITIONAL ACTION BEFORE ANYONE COULD BE INDUCTED.

THAT WON'T DO NOW, VINSON SAID.

SECRETARY JOHNSON TOLD THE HOUSE AND SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEES THAT "THE FORCE OF EVENTS" NECESSITATING A HIKE IN DEFENSE FUNDS INCLUDED:

"THE SOVIET ATOMIC EXPLOSION, THE FALL OF CHINA, THE SERIOUS SITUATIONS IN SOUTHEAST ASIA, THE BREAK IN DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH BULGARIA AND DETERIORATING RELATIONS WITH OTHER SATELLITE COUNTRIES, THE SOVIET ASSUMPTION OF CONTROL OVER THE ARMED FORCES OF POLAND, SOVIET NAVAL EXPANSION, THE INCREASED SOVIET PRESSURES IN GERMANY, THE RECENT ATTACK ON A NAVAL AIRCRAFT IN THE BALTIC, AND THE RECENT SOVIET DEMANDS RELATIVE TO TRIESTE."

REP.TABER (R-NY), HEAD OF A REPUBLICAN DRIVE THAT ONCE AIMED AT CUTTING A BILLION DOLLARS FROM THE PENDING $29,000,000,000 (B) APPROPRIATION BILL, TOLD NEWSMEN THAT CHANCES FOR SUCCESS APPEAR DIM IN THE LIGHT OF CHANGING WORLD CONDITIONS.

HE SAID HE WILL STILL MAKE A FINAL EFFORT, WHEN THE BILL REACHES THE VOTING STAGE, TO CUT SOME OF THE ALLOTMENTS NOT CONNECTED WITH WAR PREPAREDNESS.

THE RECOMMENDED CUTS, HE SAID, MAY BE SMALL BECAUSE "I AM NOW WILLING TO SETTLE FOR HALF A LOAF, OR EVEN FOR A CRUMB."

SO FAR THE HOUSE NOT ONLY HAS FAILED TO CUT THE BILL IN MORE THAN A WEEK OF DEBATE BUT ACTUALLY HAS BOOSTED ITS TOTAL BY $67,300,000, WITH MORE INCREASES LIKELY.

THE BILL HAS NOT YET BEEN CONSIDERED BY THE SENATE, BUT IF HISTORY REPEATS ITSELF, THAT CHAMBER WILL GO THE HOUSE ONE BETTER AND PUT IN SOME ADDITIONS OF ITS OWN.

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(650) TRUMAN-ROUNDUP
BY D.HAROLD OLIVER
WASHINGTON, APRIL 27-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN RENEWED HIS PLEA FOR EXTENSION OF THE DRAFT TODAY AND BACKED UP A STATEMENT BY SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON THAT THE "FORCE OF EVENTS" WARRANTS AN INCREASE IN DEFENSE SPENDING.

JOHNSON MADE THE STATEMENT YESTERDAY IN URGING AN ADDITION OF $350,000,000 TO THE DEFENSE BUDGET, MOSTLY FOR NEW PLANES. A HOUSE COMMITTEE GAVE IT QUICK APPROVAL.

JOHNSON'S REQUEST PUT A CRIMP IN ECONOMY EFFORTS IN CONGRESS. REPUBLICAN LEADERS WHO WERE TALKING BUDGET CUTS ENDORSED THE DEFENSE FUND HIKE AFTER JOHNSON TOLD EMERGENCY COMMITTEE SESSIONS THAT DETERIORATION IN RELATIONS WITH RUSSIA AND HER SATELLITES CAUSED A REVALUATION OF DEFENSE PLANS.

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MR.TRUMAN TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THE JOHNSON STATEMENT WAS SUBMITTED TO HIM FIRST AND IT HAD HIS APPROVAL.

HE SAID HE STILL STANDS FOR EXTENSION OF THE DRAFT LAW WHICH EXPIRES JUNE 24, THAT HE RECOMMENDED IT LAST JANUARY AND HIS POSITION HAS NOT CHANGED. HE ADDED HE WAS HAPPY BECAUSE CHAIRMAN VINSON (D-GA) OF THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE HAS CHANGED HIS MIND AND CAME OUT FOR A TWO-YEAR EXTENSION. THIS COMMITTEE STARTS HEARINGS TUESDAY ON AN EXTENSION BILL.

ASIDE FROM HIS BRIEF REMARKS ON DEFENSE SPENDING AND THE DRAFT, WHICH CAME IN RESPONSE TO QUESTIONS, THE PRESIDENT REFRAINED FROM COMMENTING ON THE INTERNATIONAL SITUATION.

EXCEPT TO SAY THE STATE DEPARTMENT WAS HANDLING IT, HE WOULD NOT COMMENT ON A QUESTION WHETHER UNITED STATES PLANES WOULD FIRE ON RUSSIAN PLANES THE NEXT TIME THERE IS AN INCIDENT OF THE KIND THAT OCCURRED OVER THE BALTIC.

HE TURNED ASIDE ANOTHER QUERY WHETHER THIS GOVERNMENT HAD ANY SPECIFIC PLANS FOR HOLDING BERLIN IN EVENT OF A COMMUNIST YOUTH MARCH FROM THE EASTERN ZONE INTO WESTERN BERLIN LATE NEXT MONTH.

THE PRESIDENT ANNOUNCED HE IS NAMING STANLEY WOODWARD, CHIEF OF PROTOCOL OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT, AS AMBASSADOR TO CANADA, TO SUCCEED THE LATE LAURENCE C.STEINHARDT, WHO DIED IN A PLANE CRASH LAST MONTH.

COMMENTING ON A SUGGESTION BY JESSE H.JONES, FORMER RFC CHAIRMAN, THAT THAT AGENCY BE ABOLISHED, THE PRESIDENT, WITH A GRIN, SAID MAYBE THIS WAS BECAUSE JONES IS NO LONGER WITH THE RFC.

THE PRESIDENT MADE A SPECIAL PLEA FOR THE 21 GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION PLANS HE RECENTLY SUBMITTED TO CONGRESS. HE SAID WITH SOME FEELING THAT IF THERE IS TO BE EFFICIENCY IN GOVERNMENT THESE PLANS SHOULD BE ALLOWED TO TAKE EFFECT. A NUMBER OF RESOLUTIONS HAVE BEEN INTRODUCED IN CONGRESS SEEKING DISAPPROVAL OF SOME OF THE PLANS.

HE PROMISED NEW REORGANIZATION PROPOSALS AND EXPRESSED THE HOPE THEY TOO SHOULD BE APPROVED. HE SAID THE COMMISSION HEADED BY FORMER PRESIDENT HOOVER HAD SPENT A GREAT DEAL OF TIME AND MONEY WORKING OUT THESE SHIFTS.

INFORMED THAT SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY SNYDER WAS OPPOSING PART OF A TREASURY REORGANIZATION THAT WOULD PUT THE SEMI-INDEPENDENT OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY UNDER SNYDER, THE PRESIDENT SAID THE SECRETARY WAS ENTITLED TO HIS OPINION. BUT MR.TRUMAN EXPRESSED HOPE THE WHOLE PLAN WOULD NOT BE DEFEATED ON THAT ACCOUNT.

TODAY'S NEWS CONFERENCE WAS HELD OUTSIDE THE PRESIDENT'S WHITE HOUSE OFFICE FOR THE FIRST TIME IN YEARS. AT MR.TRUMAN'S REQUEST IT WAS MOVED TO A HISTORIC CONFERENCE ROOM IN THE OLD STATE DEPARTMENT ACROSS THE STREET, SO EVERYONE COULD SEE OR HEAR BETTER.

INSTEAD OF STANDING UP AROUND THE PRESIDENT'S DESK AND TAKING NOTES ON EACH OTHER'S BACKS, THE REPORTERS SAT IN SMALL FOLDING CHAIRS IN A RED AND GREEN MARBLE PANELED ROOM. THE PRESIDENT STOOD BEHIND A DESK AS USUAL. UNDER A NEW RULE, THE REPORTERS HAD TO STAND AND IDENTIFY THEMSELVES AND THEIR PAPERS BEFORE PUTTING THEIR QUESTIONS.

IT WAS SUPPOSED TO PROVIDE MORE ROOM AND BETTER ACOUSTICS. BUT THE 147 CHAIRS PROVIDED WERE NOT SUFFICIENT FOR THE 178 CORRESPONDENTS WHO SHOWED UP AND MANY STOOD AROUND THE WALLS.

AND ONE OF THE FIRST QUESTIONS PUT WAS: "MR.PRESIDENT, WILL YOU PLEASE SPEAK A LITTLE LOUDER?"

MR.TRUMAN COMPLIED AND SAID HE BELIEVES THE CHANGE WILL WORK OUT ALL RIGHT. HE SAID IT WAS SOLELY FOR THE CONVENIENCE OF THE REPORTERS, SOME OF WHOM HAVE OBJECTED TO IT HE SMILED AS HE ADDED THAT HE DID NOT WANT TO END ANY PREROGATIVES.

THE PRESIDENT SAID SOME PEOPLE ARE OPPOSED TO ANY CHANGE, BUT HE BELIEVES IN MOVING FORWARD.

"YOU DON'T WANT THAT CHANGE TO GO TOO FAR IN THE OTHER DIRECTION IN NOVEMBER?" A REPORTER INQUIRED WITH AN EYE ON THE COMING ELECTIONS.

THAT, MR.TRUMAN REPLIED WITH A CHUCKLE, IS A MATTER THE VOTERS WILL HAVE TO SETTLE. HE ADDED HE IS GOING TO TRY TO CONVINCE THEM THEY THE DEMOCRATS ARE THE BEST THEY CAN GET.

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NIGHT LEAD FOREIGN AID
BY MORGAN REYNOLDS
WASHINGTON,APRIL 27-(AP)-THE SENATE BLACKBALLED FRANCO SPAIN FOR MEMBERSHIP IN THE MARSHALL PLAN CLUB TODAY AND REFUSED TO ENDORSE A PROPOSED $50,000,000 LOAN TO THAT COUNTRY.

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IT TOOK THIS ACTION IN REJECTING BY A 42 TO 35 VOTE A MOVE BY SENATORS MCCARRAN (D-NEV) AND BREWSTER (R-MAINE) TO AMEND THE $3,272,500,000 FOREIGN AID BILL SO AS TO INCLUDE SPAIN OFFICIALLY IN THE ANTI-COMMUNIST RANKS.

"IF WE ARE REALLY SERIOUS IN FIGHTING COMMUNISM," MCCARRAN SAID, "LET US TAKE INTO OUR ALLIANCE THE PEOPLE WHO HAVE PUT COMMUNISM OUT OF BUSINESS IN THEIR OWN COUNTRY."

BREWSTER ALSO SOUGHT TO RALLY SUPPORT BEHIND HIS PLEA THAT SPAIN HOLDS THE MILITARY "KEY TO THE MEDITERRANEAN" AND THUS WOULD BE IN A POSITION TO AID THE WESTERN POWERS MATERIALLY IF WAR SHOULD COME.

BUT CHAIRMAN CONNALLY (D-TEX) OF THE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE DECLARED THAT SPAIN'S INCLUSION WOULD CAUSE "SERIOUS INTERFERENCE" IN THE EUROPEAN RECOVERY PROGRAM. FURTHERMORE, HE SAID, IT WOULD BE "VERY OFFENSIVE" TO THE OTHER NATIONS BANDED TOGETHER UNDER THE MARSHALL PLAN.

CONNALLY SPEARHEADED THE OPPOSITION DRIVE AFTER CONFERRING WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON.

SENATOR LEHMAN (D-LIB-NY) BACKED CONNALLY'S STAND, SAYING IT WOULD BE A "DEEP AFFRONT" TO THE WESTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES "IF WE ASKED THEM TO JOIN WITH SPAIN WHICH, UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF GENERALISSIMO FRANCO, HAS NOT BEEN A DEMOCRATIC NATION."

LEHMAN CONTENDED THAT ADOPTION OF THE AMENDMENT WOULD "SERIOUSLY WEAKEN, IF NOT DESTROY" EFFORTS TO STRENGTHEN THE ANTI-COMMUNIST FORCES.

AS ORIGINALLY PROPOSED THE AMENDMENT WOULD HAVE PROVIDED FOR A

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$100,000,000 LOAN FROM THE EXPORT-IMPORT BANK TO SPAIN, BUT THIS FIGURE WAS CUT IN HALF BEFORE THE SHOWDOWN VOTE AT THE SUGGESTION OF SENATOR BRIDGES (R-NH).

ON THE FINALLY TALLY, 28 DEMOCRATS AND 14 REPUBLICANS VOTED AGAINST THE MCCARRAN-BREWSTER PLAN WHILE 14 DEMOCRATS JOINED 21 REPUBLICANS IN FAVORING IT.

AFTER DISPOSING OF THIS CONTROVERSIAL ISSUE, WHICH ALSO WAS DEFEATED LAST YEAR, THE SENATE LEADERS SOUGHT TO SPEED ACTION ON THE MULTI-BILLION DOLLAR FOREIGN AID BILL IT HAS BEEN DEBATING SINCE APRIL 14.

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SENATE MAJORITY LEADER LUCAS OF ILLINOIS PROPOSED SETTING A VOTE DEADLINE FOR 4 PM MONDAY, BUT SENATOR WHERRY (R-NEB) BLOCKED THIS, LEAVING THE FINAL DECISION UP IN THE AIR.

SENATOR TAFT (R-OHIO) MEANWHILE CALLED ON HIS COLLEAGUES TO CUT $600,000,000 FROM THE MARSHALL PLAN FUNDS AS PART OF AN ECONOMY DRIVE "ALL DOWN THE LINE."

TAFT ARGUED THAT THE AID PROGRAM ALREADY HAD ACHIEVED ITS AIM OF HALTING COMMUNISM BY BRINGING ABOUT THE ECONOMIC RECOVERY OF WESTERN EUROPE.

FROM NOW ON, HE SAID, THE MARSHALL PLAN COUNTRIES CAN DEFEAT COMMUNISM "ONLY IF THEY ARE AGAINST COMMUNISM."

"I WHOLLY DENY," TAFT ADDED, "THAT ECA EXPENDITURES HAVE ANY RELATIONSHIP THIS YEAR TO THE SECURITY OF THE UNITED STATES."

THE OHIOAN ASSERTED THAT THE 20 PER CENT CUT HE PROPOSED "ISN'T GOING TO INJURE ANYONE."

"IT IS HARDER TO JUSTIFY THE 80 PER CENT THAT REMAINS," TAFT SAID IN DEMANDING THAT PAUL HOFFMAN, THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATOR, "BRING IN BRAND NEW ESTIMATES BASED IN THE LATEST FACTS."

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SECOND LEAD FOREIGN AID

WASHINGTON, APRIL 27-(AP)-THE SENATE REFUSED BY A 42 TO 35 VOTE TODAY TO OPEN THE EUROPEAN RECOVERY PROGRAM TO FRANCO SPAIN.

THE VOTE TURNED DOWN AN AMENDMENT TO THE FOREIGN AID BILL THAT WOULD HAVE ALSO PROVIDED FOR A $50,000,000 (M) LOAN TO SPAIN FROM THE EXPORT-IMPORT BANK. SENATORS MCCARRAN (D-NEV) AND BREWSTER (R-MAINE) OFFERED IT.

BEFORE THE VOTE, SENATOR CONNALLY (D-TEX) SAID HE THINKS PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON WOULD NOT OPPOSE AN EXPORT-IMPORT BANK LOAN TO SPAIN IF SPAIN APPLIED FOR IT.

CONNALLY, CHAIRMAN OF THE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE, HAD JUST COME FROM A MEETING WITH MR.TRUMAN AND SECRETARY ACHESON AND WAS FIGHTING THE MOVE TO OPEN MARSHALL PLAN AID TO SPAIN.

THE VOTE WAS THE FIRST MAJOR TEST ON THE $3,272,500,000 (B) FOREIGN AID BILL.

SENATE LEADERS HAVE BEEN TRYING TO HURRY FINAL ACTION ON THE BIG GLOBAL AID MEASURE, WHICH HAS BEEN BEFORE THE SENATE SINCE APRIL 14. BUT A FINAL VOTE STILL DOESN'T APPEAR LIKELY BEFORE NEXT WEEK.

AMONG OTHER THINGS, THE BILL WOULD EXTEND THE MARSHALL PLAN ANOTHER YEAR AT A COST OF $3,100,000,000 (B).

LAST YEAR MCCARRAN FAILED IN AN EFFORT TO ATTACH A $50,000,000 LOAN FOR SPAIN TO THE 1950 FOREIGN AID BILL. SINCE THEN THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAS AGREED TO ASK THE UNITED NATIONS TO EXTEND FULL DIPLOMATIC RECOGNITION TO SPAIN.

LINED UP BEHIND MCCARRAN'S LATEST "INCLUDE-SPAIN" PROPOSAL ARE SEVERAL AMENDMENTS AIMED AT CUTTING THE TOTAL AUTHORIZED FOR EUROPEAN RECOVERY IN THE BILL.

SENATOR KEM (R-MO) WANTS A SLASH OF $1,000,000,000 (B) IN THE EUROPEAN AID TOTAL. SENATOR HICKENLOOPER (R-IOWA) HAS ASKED A $600,000,000 (M) CUT.

BUT SENATOR TAFT (R-OHIO), WHO IS SUPPORTING THE HICKENLOOPER CUT-BACK, SAID IF THAT FAILS HE WOULD SUPPORT THE $2,850,000,000 MARSHALL PLAN FIGURE VOTED BY THE HOUSE. THAT IS $250,000,000 LESS THAN THE ADMINISTRATION HAS ASKED.

DEBATE CONTINUED YESTERDAY LARGELY BEFORE A SPARSELY FILLED SENATE, WITH SENATOR JENNER (R-IND) LASHING OUT AT THE MARSHALL PLAN, BI-PARTISAN FOREIGN POLICY, PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND JOHN FOSTER DULLES. DULLES, FORMER REPUBLICAN SENATOR FROM NEW YORK, RECENTLY WAS NAMED AN ADVISER TO SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON.

JENNER SAID DULLES "WAS REPUDIATED AT THE POLLS, DOUBLE-CROSSED BY HIS SO-CALLED BI-PARTISAN PARTNERS" AND NOW NAMED TO THE POLICY-MAKING POST WITHOUT SENATE CONFIRMATION. NOW, THE INDIANA SENATOR DECLARED, DULLES IS CALLING FOR A PURGE OF THOSE WHO OPPOSE BI-PARTISAN POLICIES.

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(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, APRIL 27-(AP)-JOHN FOSTER DULLES, REPUBLICAN ADVISOR TO SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON, SAID TONIGHT THE TIME HAS COME TO BEGIN WORK ON POSSIBLE REVISIONS OF THE UNITED NATIONS CHARTER. HE DECLARED THE CHARTER AND THE UN MEMBERSHIP ARE "DATED 1945."

"THAT IS ONLY FIVE YEARS AGO," DULLES SAID, "BUT IT IS FIVE YEARS DURING WHICH MUCH HAS HAPPENED. MANY NEW NATIONAL FORCES HAVE EMERGED. AN ATOMIC AGE HAS DAWNED. AS THE WORLD HAS NOT STOOD STILL, SO THE UNITED NATIONS SHOULD NOT STAND STILL. IT IS TIME TO START PLANNING A GENERAL CONFERENCE TO REVIEW THE CHARTER."

DULLES SPOKE TO THE AMERICAN SOCIETY OF INTERNATIONAL LAW.

WHILE HE CALLED IN EFFECT FOR MODERNIZATION OF THE CHARTER IT WAS UNDERSTOOD HE DID NOT HAVE IN MIND ANY EFFORT TO FORCE THE RUSSIANS OUT OF THE UN. THOSE FAMILIAR WITH HIS VIEWS SAY THAT HE BELIEVES THE UN SHOULD CONTINUE AS A "UNIVERSAL ORGANIZATION" AND IF SOME NEW NON-COMMUNIST AGENCY IS NEEDED IT SHOULD BE SET UP SEPARATELY.

IN NEW YORK TONIGHT FORMER PRESIDENT HERBERT HOOVER CALLED FOR A REORGANIZATION OF THE UNITED NATIONS WITHOUT THE COMMUNIST STATES AS MEMBERS. THIS DOES NOT CORRESPOND WITH DULLES' VIEWS AS THEY ARE KNOWN HERE.

NOR IS IT IN LINE WITH STATE DEPARTMENT POLICY WHICH FAVORS KEEPING THE RUSSIANS AS UN MEMBERS ON THE GROUND THAT THE UNITED NATIONS OFFERS ONE PLACE WHERE CONFLICT OF IDEAS AND POLICIES CAN BE THRESHED OUT OPENLY.

DULLES, IN HIS SPEECH, STRUCK HARD AT THE KREMLIN, SAYING "THERE IS LOOSE IN THE WORLD A GREAT TERROR--THE BLACK PLAGUE OF SOVIET

COMMUNISM."
"IT IS AN AGGRESSIVE FORCE," HE SAID, "OPERATING RUTHLESSLY IN ACCORDANCE WITH A CAREFULLY PREPARED AND SUPERBLY IMPLEMENTED PROGRAM WHICH, IN A SINGLE GENERATION, HAS BROUGHT A SMALL COMMUNIST GROUP INTO CONTROL OF OVER ONE-THIRD OF THE WORLD'S POPULATION."
HE SAID THE UNITED STATES IS NOW CONFRONTED WITH A NEED FOR ACTION "THAT DRAMATIZES THE CAPACITY OF THE FREE WORLD TO DEFEND ITSELF AND TO ENLARGE ITSELF." HE APPEALED FOR UNITY OF POLICY IN THE FREE WORLD AND SAID THE AMERICAN PEOPLE HAVE ALREADY SHOWN "THAT THEY DO NOT WANT TO BE DIVISIVE TO A DEGREE THAT WILL INCREASE THE DANGER."
DULLES DID NOT SAY WHAT ACTION SPECIFICALLY SHOULD BE TAKEN BY THIS COUNTRY BUT OUTLINED SEVERAL PROBLEMS WHICH HE DECLARED REMAINED TO BE SOLVED.
HE SAID THAT THE WESTERN ALLIES INCLUDING THE UNITED STATES HAVE NOT YET FOUND "THE WAY TO PROVIDE THE GERMAN PEOPLE WITH SECURITY AND OPPORTUNITY IN PEACEFUL ASSOCIATION WITH THE OTHER FREE PEOPLES OF THE WEST."
AMERICAN MILITARY AND ECONOMIC AID HAVE PRESERVED THE FREEDOM OF THE WEST AND ITS HOPE FOR THE FUTURE "BUT THAT HOPE HAS NOT YET BEEN TRANSFORMED INTO A CLEAR-CUT PROGRAM FOR RESTORING HEALTH AND VIGOR TO PEOPLES WHO COLLECTIVELY POSSESS ENORMOUS HUMAN AND MATERIAL RESOURCES."
"THESE ARE AMONG THE TESTS THAT WILL CONFRONT THE FOREIGN MINISTERS WHO WILL MEET NEXT MONTH IN LONDON," DULLES DECLARED.
WITH RESPECT TO THE FAR EAST DULLES SAID THAT "WE HAVE STILL TO DEFINE AND DEVELOP OUR POSTWAR POLICIES." HE ADDED THAT THERE IS "INCREASING NEED FOR A PROGRAM FOR BRINGING PEACE AND SELF GOVERNMENT TO THE JAPANESE PEOPLE."
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LAKE SUCCESS,APRIL 27-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS SOCIAL COMMISSION BEGAN DEBATE TODAY ON A PROPOSED INTERNATIONAL DECLARATION OF THE RIGHTS OF THE CHILD.
THE DRAFT COMPLETED BY A SPECIAL SUBCOMMITTEE SAYS EVERY CHILD HAS A RIGHT TO SUCH THINGS AS NATIONALITY, SOCIAL SECURITY, ADEQUATE NUTRITION, PROTECTION AGAINST NEGLECT AND EXPLOITATION.
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ATLANTIC CITY,N.J.,APRIL 27-(AP)-U.S.ATTORNEY GENERAL J.HOWARD MCGRATH SAID TONIGHT IN EVENT OF WAR WITH RUSSIA THE FBI IS READY TO HERD INTO DETENTION CAMPS "PERSONS WHO WOULD BE DANGEROUS TO THE INTERNAL SECURITY OF THE UNITED STATES."
MCGRATH SAID IN AN INTERVIEW THE FBI IS "READY TO MOVE AT 12 O'CLOCK TONIGHT."
"I DON'T ENTERTAIN THE SLIGHTEST DOUBT THAT THE FBI IS READY TO GIVE COMPLETE PROTECTION IN THE EVENT OF WAR," HE SAID.
THE FBI HAS ADVANCED ITS TECHNIQUES AS A RESULT OF WORLD WAR II EXPERIENCES WHEN NOT ONE INSTANCE OF SABOTAGE IN THE UNITED STATES WAS RECORDED, HE SAID.
MCGRATH WAS HERE TO ADDRESS THE NATIONAL PROBATION AND PAROLE ASSOCIATION ON JUVENILE DELINQUENCY.
WHEN ASKED HIS OPINION OF CONGRESSIONAL INVESTIGATIONS INTO ALLEGED SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES, MCGRATH REITERATED PREVIOUS STATEMENTS, SAYING:
"AS ATTORNEY GENERAL I BELIEVE WE WOULD MAKE MORE PROGRESS IF MEMBERS OF CONGRESS WOULD SUBMIT TO OUR DEPARTMENT ANY INFORMATION THEY HAVE."
MCGRATH SAID INFORMATION AVAILABLE TO MEMBERS OF CONGRESS MAY PROVIDE MISSING LINKS TO FBI FILES.
HE SAID THE CURRENT SENATE INVESTIGATION INTO CHARGES BROUGHT BY SEN.MCCARTHY (R-WIS.) "WILL CAST NO REFLECTION ON THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT OR THE FBI."
"SO FAR MCCARTHY HASN'T TURNED UP ANY COMMUNISTS OR SUBVERSIVENESS IN THE GOVERNMENT," MCGRATH SAID.
FROM FILES AND INVESTIGATIONS, THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT IS IN A POSITION TO MOVE RAPIDLY IN THE EVENT OF WAR, MCGRATH SAID.
"I THINK WE'RE BETTER PREPARED NOW THAN AT THE OUTSET OF WORLD WAR II TO PUT OUR FINGERS ON PERSONS WHO WOULD BE DANGEROUS TO THE INTERNAL SECURITY OF THE UNITED STATES," HE SAID.
MCGRATH WAS ASKED "ARE THERE ENOUGH JAILS IN THE COUNTRY TO HOLD THOSE YOU ROUND UP."
HE SAID THE FBI WOULD EMPLOY DETENTION CAMPS AT WHICH SUSPECTS WOULD BE SCREENED.
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BAYPORT, N.Y., APRIL 27-(AP)-FEDERAL JUDGE MURRAY HULBERT, 65, FIRST JUDGE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE RECENT COMMUNIST CONSPIRACY CASE, DIED HERE YESTERDAY IN HIS COUNTRY HOME.
THE TALL, STRAPPING JURIST WHO WAS APPOINTED TO THE BENCH IN THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK BY PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT IN 1934, PRESIDED OVER MANY SPECTACULAR TRIALS.
THE CASE OF THE 11 COMMUNIST LEADERS CONVICTED OF CONSPIRACY TO OVERTHROW THE GOVERNMENT FIRST CAME BEFORE JUDGE HULBERT AND HE REFUSED A MOTION TO DISMISS THE INDICTMENT THUS LEADING TO ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT TRIALS IN MODERN HISTORY.
EARLY THIS YEAR THE CONVICTED MEN APPEALED TO HIM FOR PERMISSION TO TOUR THE COUNTRY TO MAKE SPEECHES TO RAISE FUNDS FOR THEIR APPEALS. JUDGE HULBERT RESERVED DECISION ON THE APPLICATION--A MOVE THAT BROUGHT HIM CRITICISM FROM AMERICANS WHO THOUGHT THE APPEAL SHOULD HAVE BEEN DENIED IMMEDIATELY.
JUDGE HULBERT WAS A PRESIDENT OF THE AMATEUR ATHLETIC UNION, A GRAND EXALTED RULER OF THE ELKS, A MEMBER OF CONGRESS FOR TWO TERMS, A NEW YORK CITY COMMISSIONER OF DOCKS AND A PRESIDENT OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN.
HE LEAVES HIS WIFE, MRS.REGINA R.MCNENNEY HULBERT; A DAUGHTER, MRS.REGINA HULBERT KENNY, AND FOUR GRANDCHILDREN.
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NIGHT LEAD TRIAL (450)

BY GEORGE MILLER

(NY) HARTFORD, CONN., APRIL 27-(AP)-LARRY ADLER, THE HARMONICA PLAYER WHO HAS BEEN ACCUSED OF PRO-COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES, DESCRIBED HIMSELF AS A ROOSEVELT DEMOCRAT TODAY AND DECLARED "A VERY STRONG AND A QUITE VITAL BELIEF IN DEMOCRACY."

ADLER TESTIFIED FOR THE SECOND DAY IN A $200,000 LIBEL SUIT HE AND DANCER PAUL DRAPER HAVE BROUGHT AGAINST MRS. HESTER MCCULLOUGH OF GREENWICH, CONN.

MRS. MCCULLOUGH, WIFE OF A TIME MAGAZINE EXECUTIVE, HAS CHARGED IN A PUBLISHED LETTER THAT ADLER AND DRAPER "OPENLY SUPPORTED" MORE THAN NINE ORGANIZATIONS BRANDED COMMUNIST FRONTS BY THE U.S. ATTORNEY GENERAL OR OTHER FEDERAL AGENCIES.

ADLER DENIED YESTERDAY THAT HE HAS ANY LINKS WITH COMMUNISM. HE FOLLOWED THROUGH TODAY BY SAYING HE IS A REGISTERED DEMOCRAT AND TELLING A FEDERAL COURT JURY:

"I DO NOT LIKE ANY SORT OF GOVERNMENT WHERE THE STATE IS PARAMOUNT TO THE INDIVIDUAL."

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ADLER TESTIFIED THAT HE OPPOSES GOVERNMENT LOYALTY CHECKS.

"I DON'T THINK THEY ACCOMPLISH WHAT THEY SET OUT TO DO," HE SAID. "MERELY TAKING AN OATH SEEMS TO ENCOURAGE LIARS."

THE WITNESS SAID HIS EARNINGS DROPPED SHARPLY AS A RESULT OF MRS. MCCULLOUGH'S LETTER AND PUBLICITY THAT FOLLOWED IT.

MRS. MCCULLOUGH'S COUNSEL OBJECTED TO TESTIMONY ALONG THIS LINE. HE CONTENDED THAT ALL THE DAMAGES DRAPER AND ADLER MAY HAVE SUFFERED CANNOT BE BLAMED ON THE ALLEGED LIBEL. FEDERAL JUDGE J. JOSEPH SMITH RULED AFTER HEARING ARGUMENTS IN THE JURY'S ABSENCE THAT THIS WAS A MATTER FOR THE JURORS TO DECIDE.

ADLER THEN TESTIFIED THAT IN RECENT APPEARANCES IN FRANCE HE HAS EARNED THE EQUIVALENT OF ABOUT $100 A DAY WHILE HIS EARNINGS IN THIS COUNTRY, BEFORE THE MCCULLOUGH LETTER, RANGED FROM $80,000 TO $100,000 A YEAR.

MRS. MCCULLOUGH'S LETTER OPPOSED DRAPER AND ADLER'S APPEARING UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE GREENWICH COMMUNITY CONCERT COMMITTEE.

ADLER SAID THE COMMITTEE AT FIRST ASKED HIM AND DRAPER TO SUBMIT NON-COMMUNIST AFFIDAVITS. BOTH REFUSED, ADLER SAID, ON THE GROUND THAT SUCH A PROCEDURE WAS UN-AMERICAN.

LATER, ADLER SAID, THEY APPEARED BEFORE THE COMMITTEE, AND THE COMMITTEE ISSUED A STATEMENT DESCRIBING ITSELF AS SATISFIED THAT THEY WERE NOT SUBVERSIVE.

OF HIS REFUSAL TO SIGN THE AFFIDAVIT, ADLER ALSO SAID:

"I DON'T THINK THAT IN A DEMOCRATIC COUNTRY ANYONE SHOULD HAVE TO STATE, AS A PREREQUISITE TO GETTING A JOB, WHAT POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY HE HAPPENS TO ESPOUSE."

ADLER, HIS DARK EYES MAGNIFIED BY THICK HORN-RIMMED SPECTACLES TESTIFIED ON CROSS EXAMINATION THAT HE BELIEVES EVEN A COMMUNIST "HAS A RIGHT TO EARN A LIVING."

HOWEVER, HE ADDED, HE BELIEVES IN THE RIGHT OF THE GOVERNMENT TO DENY EMPLOYMENT TO COMMUNISTS ON SECURITY GROUNDS.

HE WAS ASKED WHETHER HE BELIEVED A COMMUNIST SHOULD BE ALLOWED TO WORK AND LIVE IN THE U.S.

"YES," REPLIED ADLER, "I BELIEVE HE SHOULD BE ALLOWED TO WORK UNLESS HE BREAKS A LAW."

DEFENSE COUNSEL ASKED ADLER WHETHER HE REMAINED IN SOME ORGANIZATIONS AFTER THEY WERE LISTED BY THE GOVERNMENT AS SUBVERSIVE.

"YES," REPLIED THE WITNESS.

SPECIFIC ORGANIZATIONS WERE NOT MENTIONED IN THIS EXCHANGE.

TESTIMONY ENDED WITH A WEEKEND ADJOURNMENT. THE TRIAL RESUMES MONDAY (AT 10 A.M. EST).

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SECOND LEAD TRIAL

BY GEORGE MILLER

(NY) HARTFORD, CONN., APRIL 27-(AP)-HARMONICA ARTIST LARRY ADLER DESCRIBED HIMSELF TODAY AS A REGISTERED DEMOCRAT WITH "A VERY STRONG AND A QUITE VITAL BELIEF IN DEMOCRACY."

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ADLER TESTIFIED IN THE FEDERAL COURT TRIAL OF A LIBEL SUIT BROUGHT BY HIMSELF AND DANCER PAUL DRAPER AGAINST MRS. HESTER MCCULLOUGH OF GREENWICH, CONN., WHO HAS ACCUSED THEM OF PRO-COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES.

"I DO NOT LIKE ANY SORT OF GOVERNMENT WHERE THE STATE IS PARAMOUNT TO THE INDIVIDUAL," ADLER SAID.

DISAVOWING COMMUNIST VIEWS, ADLER SAID HE SUPPORTED HENRY A. WALLACE FOR PRESIDENT IN 1948 BECAUSE HE FELT WALLACE MORE NEARLY FOLLOWED FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT'S POLICIES THAN PRESIDENT TRUMAN DID.

EARLIER, HE TESTIFIED THAT HE IS AGAINST GOVERNMENT LOYALTY CHECKS, SAYING: "I DON'T THINK THEY ACCOMPLISH WHAT THEY SET OUT TO DO. X X X MERELY TAKING AN OATH SEEMS TO ENCOURAGE LIARS."

HE SAID HE PLAYED AT A SAN FRANCISCO BENEFIT FOR THE COMMITTEE TO SAVE THE JOINT ANTI-FASCIST REFUGEE COMMITTEE ON AUG. 3, 1947.

THIS, ADLER SAID, WAS TO PROTEST WHAT HE CALLED THE "UNFAIR CONVICTION" OF THE JOINT ANTI-FASCIST REFUGEE COMMITTEE'S OFFICERS ON CHARGES OF REFUSING TO GIVE LISTS OF CONTRIBUTORS TO THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES.

ADLER SAID PUBLICATION OF THIS LIST MIGHT CAUSE GREAT HARM TO CONTRIBUTORS' RELATIVES LIVING IN SPAIN.

THE JOINT ANTI-FASCIST REFUGEE COMMITTEE HAS BEEN DECLARED SUBVERSIVE BY THE U.S. ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE.

ADLER TESTIFIED YESTERDAY THAT HE JOINED IN A PROTEST AGAINST THE UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE HEARINGS INVOLVING 19 HOLLYWOOD PERSONALITIES. TWO OF THE 19 LATER WERE CONVICTED OF CONTEMPT FOR REFUSING TO ANSWER COMMITTEE QUESTIONS. EIGHT OTHERS AGREED TO WAIVE JURY TRIAL AFTER CASES OF THE TWO WERE PASSED ON BY THE SUPREME COURT.

ADLER SAID HE REGISTERED HIS PROTEST THROUGH THE COMMITTEE FOR THE FIRST AMENDMENT (CAPS), WHICH THE DEFENSE HAS TERMED A COMMUNIST FRONT ORGANIZATION.

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...COMMUNIST FRONT ORGANIZATION.

ADLER AND DANCER PAUL DRAPER SEEKS $200,000 DAMAGES FROM MRS. HESTER R. MC CULLOUGH, A YOUNG GREENWICH, CONN., MATRON, FOR ALLEGED LIBEL.

SHE IS THE WIFE OF JOHN T. MCCULLOUGH, AN ASSOCIATE EDITOR OF TIME MAGAZINE.

MRS. MC CULLOUGH HAS CHARGED DRAPER AND ADLER "OPENLY SUPPORTED" MORE THAN NINE ORGANIZATIONS WHICH HAVE BEEN LABELED AS COMMUNIST FRONT GROUPS BY FORMER ATTORNEY GENERAL TOM CLARK AND VARIOUS LEGISLATIVE AGENCIES.

ADLER, SCHEDULED TO TAKE THE WITNESS STAND AGAIN TODAY, MAY FACE A STIFF EXAMINATION BY DEFENSE LAWYERS.

WHEN HE BEGAN TO TESTIFY YESTERDAY, ADLER VEHEMENTLY DENIED HE WAS A COMMUNIST, COMMUNIST SYMPATHIZER OR TRAITOR.

HE ALSO DENIED THAT ANY PRO-COMMUNIST SYMPATHY WAS INVOLVED IN WHATEVER BENEFIT SHOWS HE MAY HAVE DONE FOR THE JOINT ANTI-FASCIST REFUGEE COMMITTEE, WHICH HE SAID SOUGHT TO AID REFUGEES FROM GEN. FRANCO'S SPANISH REGIME.

MRS. MCCULLOUGH'S LIST OF COMMUNIST FRONT ORGANIZATIONS INCLUDES THE ANTI-FASCIST GROUP.

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ADLER SAID HE HELPED THE REFUGEE COMMITTEE RAISE FUNDS TO BUILD HOSPITALS IN MEXICO CITY AND FRANCE, AND ALSO TO GET MILK FOR CHILDREN FORCED OUT OF SPAIN AS A RESULT OF FRANCO'S TRIUMPH.

THE SLIGHT BESPECTACLED MUSICIAN TOLD THE JURY OF EIGHT WOMEN AND FOUR MEN HOW HE TOURED NORTH AFRICA, SICILY, ITALY, THE SOUTH PACIFIC AND THE EUROPEAN THEATER DURING WORLD WAR 2 AS A USO ENTERTAINER.

THE BALTIMORE-BORN ADLER, NOW A BEVERLY HILLS, CALIF., RESIDENT, TESTIFIED ABOUT GOING TO CANADA TO HELP THE WAR BOND DRIVE AND HELPING ALLIED RELIEF AFFAIRS WHEN THE COMMUNIST PARTY LINE SUPPORTED THE AXIS MOSCOW PACT.

FREDERICK WIGGIN OF NEW HAVEN, CONN., ATTORNEY FOR THE TWO ENTERTAINERS, INTRODUCED A BATCH OF CITATIONS FROM HENRY MORGENTHAU, JR., W. STUART SYMINGTON AND OTHER GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS COMMENDING ADLER'S WARTIME SERVICES.

ADLER TESTIFIED HE WAS A MEMBER OF THE COMMITTEE FOR THE FIRST AMENDMENT WHICH PROTESTED THE HOUSE UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE HEARING INVOLVING THE 19 HOLLYWOOD PERSONALITIES.

HE ALSO TOLD HOW HE WAS "UNFAVORABLY IMPRESSED BY THE YOUNG PEOPLE" HE FOUND AT A MEETING AT WHICH THE REFUSAL OF THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN TO GRANT A CHARTER TO THE AMERICAN YOUTH FOR DEMOCRACY WAS ATTACKED.

ADLER SAID HE REFUSED TO HAVE ANYTHING MORE TO DO WITH THE AYD BECAUSE HE FELT "THEY WERE DISGUISING THEMSELVES."

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(700) SECOND NIGHT LEAD COMMUNISTS

WASHINGTON, APRIL 27-(AP)-EARL BROWDER TESTIFIED TODAY THAT HE KNOWS OF NO COMMUNISTS IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND A SHORT TIME LATER SENATOR MCCARTHY OPENED A BITTER NEW ATTACK ON THE DEPARTMENT AND DEMOCRATS ON AN INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE.

BROWDER, OUSTED CHIEF OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN AMERICA, CALLED OWEN LATTIMORE ANTI-COMMUNIST. THE WITNESS FLATLY CONTRADICTED TESTIMONY OF LOUIS BUDENZ, FORMER COMMUNIST EDITOR, AGAINST THE FAR EASTERN AFFAIRS EXPERT.

LATTIMORE IS MCCARTHY'S BIGGEST TARGET IN HIS BROADSIDE ACCUSATION THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT IS A HOTBED OF COMMUNISM. LATTIMORE HAS BEEN AN OCCASIONAL ADVISER TO IT ON ORIENTAL POLICY.

TAKING THE SENATE FLOOR, MCCARTHY (R-WIS) DECLARED THAT THE DEMOCRATIC MAJORITY ON THE FIVE-MAN COMMITTEE INVESTIGATING HIS CHARGES HAD ASKED BROWDER "CAREFULLY PREPARED QUESTIONS SO HE COULD DENY EVERYTHING THAT MR. BUDENZ SAYS."

BROWDER'S REFUSAL TO ANSWER A NUMBER OF QUESTIONS ABOUT INDIVIDUALS BROUGHT FROM MC CARTHY A DENUNCIATION OF CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD).

"WHAT WE NEED IS A CHAIRMAN WITH SOME GUTS, WHO WILL CITE THESE WITNESSES FOR CONTEMPT WHEN THEY REFUSE TO ANSWER QUESTIONS," MCCARTHY DECLARED.

MCCARTHY ANGRILY ACCUSED SENATE DEMOCRATIC LEADER LUCAS OF DOING THE COUNTRY "A TREMENDOUS DISSERVICE" WHEN HE "HAND-PICKED TYDINGS AND MCMAHON (CONNECTICUT DEMOCRAT) TO RUN THIS INVESTIGATION."

THESE WERE THE SALIENT POINTS OF MC CARTHY'S SPEECH:

1. HE CHARGED THAT HALDORE HANSON, STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL, HAD BEEN NAMED BY BUDENZ IN SECRET TESTIMONY AS A COMMUNIST PARTY MEMBER.

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MCMAHON QUICKLY CHALLENGED THIS STATEMENT. AS MCCARTHY TRIED TO OUT-SHOUT HIM, MCMAHON TOLD THE SENATE:

"THE COMMITTEE UNANIMOUSLY HAS AUTHORIZED ME TO SAY THAT THE STATEMENT BY THE SENATOR FROM WISCONSIN X X X WAS NOT ACCURATE."

MCCARTHY, WHO HAS INCLUDED HANSON BEFORE IN HIS CRITICISM OF STATE DEPARTMENT PERSONNEL, REPLIED THAT HE KNOWS IN SUBSTANCE WHAT BUDENZ TESTIFIED BUT CONCEDED THE "WORDS MAY NOT BE THE SAME."

HANSON TODAY SENT SENATOR TYDINGS A TELEGRAM IN WHICH HE SAID THAT "IF ANY WITNESS HAS SAID UNDER OATH THAT I AM A COMMUNIST THAT MAN IS A PERJURER."

IN NEW YORK, BUDENZ DECLINED TO TAKE PART IN THE ARGUMENT, SAYING: "IN DEFERENCE TO THE SENATORS AND THE FACT THAT IT WAS AN EXECUTIVE SESSION, I CAN SAY NOTHING."

MC CARTHY CONCEDED BUDENZ MAY NOT HAVE TESTIFIED THAT HANSON IS NOW A COMMUNIST MEMBER. THE SENATOR ADDED THAT HANSON "WAS A COMMUNIST AND WAS DOING THE WORK OF THE COMMUNISTS." HANSON HAS DENIED THIS IN DETAIL.

IT WAS TO HANSON MC CARTHY REFERRED LAST TUESDAY WHEN HE TOLD THE SENATE THAT BUDENZ HAD NAMED AS A COMMUNIST A MAN WHO HOLDS A "VERY, VERY IMPORTANT JOB" IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT. MC CARTHY DID NOT IDENTIFY HANSON AT THAT TIME. HANSON IS AN OFFICIAL WORKING ON PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S PROGRAM FOR TECHNICAL AID TO BACKWARD AREAS OF THE WORLD.

2. MC CARTHY DESCRIBED THE MADISON (WIS.) CAPITAL TIMES AS A "DISGUISED POISONED WATERHOLE OF DANGEROUS COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA."

THIS WAS A SEQUEL TO CRITICISM OF MCCARTHY YESTERDAY BY WILLIAM T. EVJUE, EDITOR AND PUBLISHER OF THE NEWSPAPER, WHO SAID HE GAVE PRESIDENT TRUMAN A REPORT ON MCCARTHY'S BACKGROUND. HE SAID MCCARTHY IS A POLITICAL DEAD DUCK WHO LAUNCHED THE CHARGES "TO REHABILITATE HIS SHATTERED POLITICAL FORTUNES."

3. MC CARTHY SAID HE HAD GIVEN THE INQUIRY COMMITTEE "THE NAMES OF TWO INDIVIDUALS X X X WHO ARE PERVERTING THE PURPOSE FOR WHICH THE VOICE OF AMERICA (U.S. PROPAGANDA RADIO) WAS ORIGINALLY ESTABLISHED."

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MCCARTHY SAID THAT UNLESS THE DEPARTMENT FIRES THE MEN OR JUSTIFIES THEIR RETENTION "DESPITE THE DANGEROUS PICTURE OF THEM IN THE FILES," HE WILL DISCUSS THEIR CASES IN DETAIL BEFORE THE SENATE.

"ONE OF THE CASES I SHALL VERY MUCH DISLIKE DISCUSSING, IN VIEW OF THE FACT THAT IT INVOLVES NOT ONLY COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES BUT COMPLETE AND UTTER DEGENERACY INSOFAR AS SEX PERVERSION IS CONCERNED," THE SENATOR SAID.

4. HE DECLARED THAT PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S LOYALTY REVIEW BOARD HAS RECEIVED FBI REPORTS ON JOHN S.SERVICE, STATE DEPARTMENT CAREER OFFICER, WHICH WOULD "STRONGLY INDICATE THE WISDOM" OF FIRING HIM AT ONCE, "TO SAY THE VERY LEAST."

SERVICE, WHO HAS BEEN RECALLED FROM INDIA FOR A NEW REVIEW OF HIS LOYALTY RECORD AND A CHANCE TO FORMALLY REPLY TO MCCARTHY, HAS DENIED THE SENATOR'S ACCUSATIONS OF PRO-COMMUNIST LEANINGS. THE DEPARTMENT HAS BACKED SERVICE UP.

MCCARTHY TOLD THE SENATE THAT DURING THE ENTIRE YEAR OF 1949 THAT SERVICE WAS UNDER INTENSIVE INVESTIGATION BY THE FBI. HE ALSO SAID THAT SERVICE'S FILE WAS REQUESTED BY THE LOYALTY REVIEW BOARD FROM THE STATE DEPARTMENT REPEATEDLY DURING 1949 BUT WAS NOT OBTAINED UNTIL FEBRUARY 24, 1950.

LATER A STATE DEPARTMENT LOYALTY SECURITY BOARD SAID MC CARTHY'S CHARGES REGARDING ITS HANDLING OF THE SERVICE CASE WERE "NOT BASED ON FACTS."

BRIG.GEN.CONRAD E.SNOW, CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD, SAID:

"FOR INSTANCE, SENATOR MC CARTHY SAID 'SERVICE'S FILE WAS REQUESTED BY THE LOYALTY REVIEW BOARD FROM THE STATE DEPARTMENT REPEATEDLY DURING THE YEAR 1949.' THIS IS ENTIRELY FALSE."

SNOW'S STATEMENT SAID SERVICE HAS BEEN CLEARED ON THE BASIS OF A FULL SCALE INVESTIGATION BY THE FBI ON JAN. 5, 1949 BUT HE SAID THE BOARD DID NOT TRANSMIT THE FILE TO THE PRESIDENT'S LOYALTY REVIEW BOARD AT THAT TIME BECAUSE OF A CONTINUING INVESTIGATION OVERSEAS BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S SECURITY DIVISION.

"AT NO TIME DURING 1949 WAS THERE A REQUEST FOR THE FILE FROM THE PRESIDENT'S LOYALTY REVIEW BOARD," SNOW SAID.

SENATOR MUNDT (R-SD) JOINED MCCARTHY IN HIS ATTACKS ON BROWDER'S TESTIMONY, DECLARING THAT COMMITTEE COUNSEL EDWARD P.MORGAN HAD HANDLED THE EX-COMMUNIST "KINDLY" AND "WITH DEFERENCE".

MUNDT SAID BROWDER'S REFUSAL TO ANSWER SOME OF THE QUESTIONS PUT TO HIM WAS "A CLEAR-CUT CASE OF CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS."

MCMAHON SAID THE SUBCOMMITTEE HAD DISCUSSED THE QUESTION AT A CLOSED SESSION EARLIER IN THE AFTERNOON. HE SAID THEY HAD AGREED TO KEEP BROWDER UNDER SUBPOENA BECAUSE SOME MEMBERS STILL HAVE QUESTIONS TO ASK HIM.

MUNDT ASKED HIM IF HE AGREED THAT BROWDER'S ACTION BEFORE THE COMMITTEE WERE "CONTEMPTUOUS AND CONTEMPTIBLE."

"I THINK HIS TESTIMONY CAN BEST BE DESCRIBED AS INSOLENT," MC MAHON SAID.

HANSON'S NAME CAME UP IN QUESTIONS PUT TO BROWDER. HE SAID THE OFFICIAL WAS NEITHER A FRIEND NOR A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY.

HANSON HIMSELF, A FORMER NEWSPAPERMAN WHO IS WORKING ON PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S "POINT FOUR" PROGRAM FOR DEVELOPING BACKWARD WORLD AREAS, HAD SWORN TO THE SENATE COMMITTEE INVESTIGATING THE STATE DEPARTMENT THAT HE IS NOT A COMMUNIST, NEVER HAS BEEN, AND HAS NEVER BELONG TO A RED FRONT GROUP.

MCCARTHY, WHOSE BLASTS AT THE STATE DEPARTMENT AS A HOTBED OF COMMUNISM BROUGHT ON THE SENATE'S INQUIRY, SPRANG HANSON'S NAME ON THE SENATE FLOOR UNEXPECTEDLY DURING DEBATE ON FOREIGN AID.

BUDENZ HAD APPEARED BEFORE THE INQUIRY IN OPEN AND CLOSED SESSIONS. AFTER HE HAD TESTIFIED IN CLOSED SESSION TUESDAY, WITH MCCARTHY BARRED, THE WISCONSIN REPUBLICAN TOLD THE SENATE THAT BUDENZ HAD NAMED A STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL IN HIS TESTIMONY "AS A VERY VALUABLE MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY."

TODAY, WHEN THE POINT FOUR PROGRAM CAME UP WHILE SENATOR TAFT (R-OHIO) HAD THE FLOOR, MCCARTHY INQUIRED WHETHER TAFT KNEW THAT HANSON WAS THE STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL WHOM BUDENZ "PUT THE FINGER ON."

SENATOR TYDINGS (D-MD) INVESTIGATION CHAIRMAN, DECLINED TO CONFIRM OR DENY IT.

BROWDER, OUSTED FOUR YEARS AGO AS COMMUNIST PARTY CHIEF IN THE UNITED STATES, TESTIFIED IN A MORNING-LONG SESSION TODAY THAT HE KNOWS OF NO COMMUNISTS OR DISLOYAL PERSONS IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT, AND SAID THAT OWEN LATTIMORE, ONE OF MCCARTHY'S CHIEF TARGETS, IS ACTUALLY ANTI-COMMUNIST.

BUT BROWDER QUICKLY LAID HIMSELF OPEN TO POSSIBLE CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS ACTION BY REFUSING ANSWERS TO AN OUTPOURING OF QUESTIONS ABOUT INDIVIDUALS. HE CALLED IT A "FISHING EXPEDITION."

IN THE COURSE OF HIS APPEARANCE BEFORE THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE INVESTIGATING CHARGES BY MCCARTHY AGAINST THE STATE DEPARTMENT, BROWDER:

1. DENIED POINT-BY-POINT THE TESTIMONY OF BUDENZ, WHO TOLD THE COMMITTEE THAT BROWDER HAD IDENTIFIED LATTIMORE AS A MEMBER OF A COMMUNIST CELL IN THE INSTITUTE OF PACIFIC RELATIONS.

BROWDER SAID "IT WOULD BE HARD TO IMAGINE HOW EVEN A PROFESSIONAL PERJURER COULD THINK UP" BUDENZ' TESTIMONY ABOUT LATTIMORE. THE LATTER IS A FAR EASTERN EXPERT ACCUSED BY MCCARTHY OF BEING A SOVIET AGENT. LATTIMORE SAYS MCCARTHY IS A CONTEMPTIBLE LIAR.

2. TESTIFIED THAT JOHN CARTER VINCENT, AMBASSADOR TO SWITZERLAND, AND JOHN S.SERVICE, STATE DEPARTMENT FOREIGN SERVICE OFFICER, NEVER WERE CONNECTED WITH THE COMMUNIST PARTY TO THE BEST OF HIS BELIEF.

3. DECLARED THAT NEITHER DOROTHY KENYON, FORMER AMERICAN DELEGATE ON A UNITED NATIONS MISSION, NOR HALDORE HANSON HAS ANY CONNECTION WITH THE COMMUNIST PARTY "EITHER AS FRIENDS OR AS MEMBERS."

MCCARTHY HAD ACCUSED BOTH AS COMMUNIST SYMPATHIZERS AND DREW VIGOROUS DENIALS FROM THEM.

4. HEARD SENATOR HICKENLOOPER (R-IOWA) OBSERVE THAT APPARENTLY BROWDER HAD SUCCEEDED IN GETTING THE STATE DEPARTMENT TO ADOPT THE COMMUNIST LINE IN 1942. BROWDER TOLD OF FURNISHING INFORMATION ON THE CHINESE SITUATION TO THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT.

5. DENOUNCED THE SENATE'S INVESTIGATION AS "A GENERAL SMEAR CAMPAIGN . . . AN ATTEMPT TO PROMOTE PUBLIC HYSTERIA . . . THIS SILLY MESS."

REFUSING TO ANSWER A NUMBER OF QUESTIONS, THE WITNESS SAID HICKENLOOPER WAS ON A "FISHING EXPEDITION TO BRING OUT A LONG LIST OF NAMES."

HICKENLOOPER TOLD THE COMMITTEE THAT ALL HIS QUESTIONS HAD THE "UTMOST PERTINENCE" TO THE HEARING WHICH IS NARROWED TO A STUDY OF STATE DEPARTMENT LOYALTIES. HE CALLED FOR THE RECORD TO SHOW THAT ALL FIVE MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE WERE PRESENT. HE OBVIOUSLY HAD IN MIND RECENT COURT RULINGS THAT A QUORUM MUST BE PRESENT TO SUCCESSFULLY PROSECUTE A WITNESS FOR CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS.

LATER HICKENLOOPER SAID HE HAS ASKED THE COMMITTEE LAWYERS TO ADVISE HIM WHETHER THERE IS LEGAL GROUND FOR CONTEMPT ACTION.

"I THINK THERE SHOULD BE CONTEMPT ACTION IF THERE IS LEGAL OPINION THAT HE IS IN CONTEMPT," HICKENLOOPER TOLD NEWSMEN.

IN THE COURSE OF HIS TESTIMONY ABOUT LATTIMORE, BROWDER SAID HE DID NOT KNOW LATTIMORE, HAD NEVER HEARD HIM CALLED A COMMUNIST PARTY MEMBER, AND HAD NEVER DISCUSSED HIM WITH ANYONE IN THE PARTY.

AS A TOP COMMUNIST OFFICIAL UNTIL HIS OUSTER IN 1946, BROWDER SAID HE WOULD HAVE KNOWN IT IF LATTIMORE HAD BEEN A COMMUNIST. AND HE SAID:

"HE WAS DEFINITELY KNOWN TO ME AS A PERSON OF ANTI-COMMUNIST VIEWS OF A VERY PROFOUND CHARACTER."

LATTIMORE HAS BEEN AN OCCASIONAL STATE DEPARTMENT CONSULTANT ON FAR EASTERN AFFAIRS. MCCARTHY HAS SAID HIS CASE AGAINST THE STATE DEPARTMENT WOULD STAND OR FALL ON THE OUTCOME OF THE LATTIMORE CHARGES.

BROWDER, A GRAY-HAIRED MAN WITH A CLOSE-CLIPPED MUSTACHE AND IN DARK ATTIRE, GAVE THE COMMITTEE A FLAT REFUSAL WHEN ASKED TO SAY WHETHER VINCENT, SERVICE, LATTIMORE AND PHILIP JAFFE, FORMER EDITOR OF AMERASIA MAGAZINE, HAD ATTENDED A MEETING WITH TUNG PI WU, CHINESE COMMUNIST LEADER, IN THIS COUNTRY IN 1945.

BROWDER HAD CONFIRMED THAT A MEETING WITH TUNG OCCURRED WHEN THE LATTER WAS ON HIS WAY TO THE UNITED NATIONS CHARTER CONFERENCE AT SAN FRANCISCO IN 1945 AS A CHINESE DELEGATE, BUT HE CLAMMED UP ABOUT THE NAMES OF THOSE PRESENT. HE SAID:

"ONCE I BEGIN TO ANSWER QUESTIONS ABOUT INDIVIDUALS, I MAY BE LED UNWITTINGLY INTO A FISHING EXPEDITION. I REFUSE TO ANSWER. . ."

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THIRD LEAD COMMUNISTS

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WASHINGTON, APRIL 27-(AP)-EARL BROWDER TESTIFIED TODAY THAT THERE ARE NO COMMUNISTS IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT TO HIS KNOWLEDGE AND SAID HE HAS NEVER EVEN MET OWEN LATTIMORE.

BUT THE FORMER COMMUNIST PARTY CHIEF TURNED DEFIANT OF A SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE AND REFUSED TO ANSWER WHEN SENATOR HICKENLOOPER (R-IOWA) PUT A SERIES OF QUESTIONS ABOUT A 1945 MEETING WITH TUNG PI WU, CHINESE COMMUNIST, IN THIS COUNTRY.

HICKENLOOPER ASKED IF LATTIMORE, JOHN CARTER VINCENT, AMERICAN AMBASSADOR TO SWITZERLAND; JOHN SERVICE, A U.S. CONSULAR OFFICER, AND PHILIP JAFFE, FORMER EDITOR OF THE MAGAZINE AMERASIA, ATTENDED THE MEETING.

BROWDER REFUSED TO ANSWER. HE ACCUSED HICKENLOOPER OF ORGANIZING A "FISHING EXPEDITION".

BEFORE THE MATTER WAS DROPPED, BROWDER DID TESTIFY THAT SO FAR AS HE KNOWS NEITHER VINCENT NOR SERVICE IS A COMMUNIST.

BUT HE ADAMANTLY REFUSED REPLIES TO QUESTIONS ABOUT HIS MEETING WITH TUNG.

AND LATER, IN RESPONSE TO HICKENLOOPER QUESTIONS, BROWDER TESTIFIED HE DOES NOT KNOW VINCENT. HE REFUSED TO SAY WHETHER HE KNOWS SERVICE.

CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD) TRIED TO COAX BROWDER TO ANSWER. HE SUGGESTED BROWDER COULD SAY WHO WAS PRESENT AT THE MEETING, EVEN IF HE WOULDN'T TELL WHAT WENT ON.

BROWDER SAID HE COULDN'T--THAT IT MIGHT EMBARRASS TUNG.

WHEN BROWDER PERSISTED IN HIS REFUSAL TO ANSWER, HICKENLOOPER SAID HE WANTED THE RECORD TO SHOW THAT THE FULL MEMBERSHIP OF THE INVESTIGATING GROUP WAS PRESENT.

THIS WAS AN OBVIOUS REFERENCE TO A RECENT COURT RULING THAT A WITNESS CANNOT BE PROSECUTED FOR CONTEMPT OF A CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE UNLESS A QUORUM OF THE GROUP IS PRESENT AT THE TIME HE REFUSES TO ANSWER QUESTIONS.

THE COMMITTEE IS INVESTIGATING CHARGES OF COMMUNIST INFILTRATION OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

LATER IN DAY, SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) TOLD THE SENATE THAT PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S LOYALTY REVIEW BOARD HAS RECEIVED FBI REPORTS ON SERVICE "CONTAINING INFORMATION WHICH WOULD STRONGLY INDICATE THE WISDOM OF TERMINATING HIS EMPLOYMENT IMMEDIATELY, TO SAY THE VERY LEAST."

MC CARTHY HAS ACCUSED SERVICE, U.S. CONSULAR OFFICER, OF HAVING COMMUNIST LEANINGS. SERVICE HAS DENIED IT.

BROWDER, WHO WAS EXPELLED FROM THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN 1946, SAID THAT IF HE KNEW OF ANY COMMUNISTS IN THE DEPARTMENT HE WOULD SAY SO BUT THAT HE DOESN'T KNOW OF ANY.

EDWARD MORGAN, COUNSEL TO A SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE, ASKED HIM IF HE WOULD GIVE NAMES IF HE KNEW THEM.

BROWDER SAID: "NOI WOULD NOT GIVE YOU THE NAMES."

MORGAN: "IF YOU KNEW THERE WERE ANY COMMUNISTS IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT WOULD YOU TELL ME THAT?"

BROWDER: "YES. TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF THERE ARE NOT ANY IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT."

BROWDER ALSO TOLD THE COMMITTEE THAT HE HAS NEVER MET OWEN LATTIMORE BUT KNOWS HIM BY REPUTATION "AS A PERSON OF ANTI-COMMUNIST VIEWS OF A VERY PROFOUND CHARACTER."

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BROWDER SPECIFICALLY CONTRADICTED TESTIMONY FROM LOUIS F. BUDENZ, ALSO A FORMER COMMUNIST, THAT COMMUNIST PARTY TASKS FOR LATTIMORE WERE DISCUSSED AT A MEETING OF PARTY LEADERS IN NEW YORK CITY IN OCTOBER, 1937.

UNDER MORGAN'S QUESTIONS, BROWDER SAID HE KNEW FREDERICK VANDERBILT FIELD AND PHILIP JAFFE. THEIR NAMES HAVE COME INTO THE COMMITTEE'S INVESTIGATION OF CHARGES BY SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT HARBORS REDS. NEITHER IS CONNECTED WITH THE DEPARTMENT.

MORGAN ASKED BROWDER WHAT AGENCIES THE COMMUNISTS USED TO SPREAD THEIR PROPAGANDA.

WITH A SMILE, BROWDER SAID THE COMMUNISTS USED EVERY PUBLICITY MEDIUM. "INCLUDING CONGRESS."

BROWDER SAID HE COULDN'T SAY "DEFINITELY" THAT HE KNEW FIELD AS A COMMUNIST.

"I ASSUMED THAT HE WAS," HE SAID, ADDING THAT FIELD'S COOPERATION WITH THE PARTY AT THE TIME BROWDER HEADED IT WAS "COMPLETE."

HE WENT ON TO SAY THAT HE ALSO KNEW JAFFE, ONE TIME EDITOR OF THE MAGAZINE AMERASIA, BUT NOT AS A MEMBER OF THE PARTY.

"DID YOU ACCEPT HIM AS A MEMBER?" MORGAN ASKED.

"I ACCEPTED HIM AS A FRIEND." BROWDER REPLIED.

MORGAN ASKED BROWDER TO MAKE "ANY OBSERVATIONS HELPFUL TO THE COMMITTEE."

"I HAVE NO REASON AT ALL TO THINK THERE THERE ARE ANY DISLOYAL PERSONS IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT OR ANY OTHER IMPORTANT APPARATUS OF THE GOVERNMENT," BROWDER SAID.

HE SAID HE THOUGHT SOME OFFICIALS IN THE PAST HAD ESPOUSED POLICIES THAT WERE "DETRIMENTAL TO THE UNITED STATES," BUT ADDED HE WASN'T QUESTIONING THEIR LOYALTY.

IN RESPONSE TO QUESTION, HE SAID THE PARTY MADE NO EFFORT TO PLACE COMMUNISTS OR FELLOW TRAVELERS IN STATE DEPARTMENT.

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TURNING BACK TO FIELD AND JAFFE, MORGAN RECALLED BUDENZ'S TESTIMONY TO THE EFFECT THAT BOTH WERE "SOVIET ESPIONAGE AGENTS." HE ASKED BROWDER ABOUT IT.

"I WOULD CONSIDER THAT TO BE A SLANDER AND FALSE," BROWDER REPLIED.

HE THEN ADDED HASTILY THAT TO THE BEST OF HIS BELIEF THEY WERE NOT.

MORGAN ASKED IF BROWDER WOULD NECESSARILY HAVE KNOWN IF THE MEN WERE SOVIET AGENTS.

"I WOULD NOT," BROWDER REPLIED.

MORGAN ASKED HIM ABOUT OTHER PERSONS IDENTIFIED WITH THE AMERASIA MAGAZINE.

SIX PERSONS WERE ARRESTED DURING THE WAR ON CHARGES OF DELIVERING SECRET U.S. DOCUMENTS TO THE MAGAZINE. ONLY THREE OF THE SIX WERE INDICTED AND CHARGES

SECRET U.S. DOCUMENTS TO THE MAGAZINE. ONLY THREE OF THE SIX WERE INDICTED AND CHARGES AGAINST ONE OF THE THREE WERE DROPPED. TWO PAID FINES.

MORGAN WANTED TO KNOW IF BROWDER KNEW T.A.BISSON, WHO CONTRIBUTED TO THE MAGAZINE. BROWDER SAID THAT HE FAINTLY RECALLED MEETING BISSON AT A COCKTAIL PARTY, BUT DID NOT KNOW HIM AS A COMMUNIST AND HAD NEVER "USED" HIM.

MORGAN ASKED ABOUT A WILLIAM W.LOCKWOOD. BROWDER SAID HE DIDN'T KNOW HIM, BUT DID KNOW EDWARD C.CARTER, THE NEXT PERSON NAMED BY MORGAN.

MORGAN ASKED IF CARTER IS A COMMUNIST.

"HE IS NOT," BROWDER REPLIED. HE ADDED THAT CARTER NEVER ACTED UNDER INSTRUCTION FROM THE PARTY, BUT THAT THEY HAD HAD A COMMON OBJECTIVE IN RUSSIAN WAR RELIEF WORK.

IN RESPONSE TO OTHER QUESTIONS ABOUT PERSONS IDENTIFIED WITH AMERASIA, EITHER AS EDITORS OR CONTRIBUTORS, BROWDER SAID HE DID NOT KNOW BENJAMIN KIZER OR HARRIET MOORE, BUT DID KNOW ANNA LOUISE STRONG AND HAD MET KATE MITCHELL. HE SAID HE DID NOT KNOW THE LATTER TWO WOMEN AS COMMUNISTS.

AT ONE POINT DURING QUESTIONING BY SENATOR HICKENLOOPER, BROWDER FLARED UP AND SHOUTED THAT "THIS IS AN OUTRAGEOUS HEARING DEVOTED TO A NEW SMEAR CAMPAIGN ON THE BASIS OF INUENDO."

IN THIS ANGRY MOOD, BROWDER REFUSED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS FROM HICKENLOOPER AS TO WHETHER HE KNEW DOROTHY KENYON OR HALDORE HANSON, WHO HAVE BEEN ACCUSED OF COMMUNIST LEANINGS BY SENATOR MCCARTHY. THEY HAVE DENIED HIS CHARGES. HANSON IS A STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL AND MISS KENYON SERVED AS AMERICAN REPRESENTATIVE ON A U.N. MISSION.

WHEN SENATOR MC MAHON (D-CONN) INTERVENED, BROWDER DECLARED THAT HE COULD SAY WITHOUT "THE SLIGHTEST HESITATION" THAT NEITHER MISS KENYON NOR HANSON HAD ANY CONNECTION WITH THE COMMUNIST PARTY "EITHER AS FRIENDS OR AS MEMBERS."

HICKENLOOPER ASKED BROWDER WHETHER HE KNEW ABE FLAXER.

BROWDER SAID HE DID--AS A TRADE UNION LEADER--BUT THAT HE WOULD REFUSE TO ANSWER ANY MORE QUESTIONS ABOUT TRADE UNION LEADERS.

"I REFUSE TO ANSWER," CAME BROWDER'S REPLY WHEN HICKENLOOPER ASKED WHETHER FLAXER EVER WAS A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY.

HICKENLOOPER GOT THE SAME REPLY WHEN HE PUT SIMILAR QUESTIONS ABOUT NATHAN GREGORY SILVERMASTER, LUDWIG ULLMAN, JOHN APT, NATHAN WITT AND RHYS WILLIAMS.

HICKENLOOPER ASKED IF BROWDER EVER ASSIGNED FREDERICK VANDERBILT FIELD "TO ANY SPECIAL MISSIONS."

"NEVER DID," BROWDER REPLIED.

"DID YOU EVER ASK HIM TO UNDERTAKE ANY ESPIONAGE MISSION?"

"I HAVE NEVER ASSIGNED OR REQUESTED ANYONE TO DO ANY ESPIONAGE WORK," BROWDER SAID.

BUDENZ, FORMER COMMUNIST EDITOR WHO RENOUNCED THE PARTY, TESTIFIED LAST WEEK THAT BROWDER AND OTHER PARTY LEADERS TOLD HIM LATTIMORE WAS A MEMBER OF A "COMMUNIST CELL." HE SAID THAT AT A 1937 MEETING THERE IT WAS AGREED THAT LATTIMORE SHOULD DIRECT THE ORGANIZATION OF WRITERS TO PUT ACROSS PROPAGANDA THAT CHINESE COMMUNISTS WERE AGRARIAN REFORMERS.

LATTIMORE, FAR EASTERN EXPERT AND NOW A PROFESSOR AT JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY, HAS DENIED ANY CONNECTION WITH THE COMMUNISTS. HE ALSO HAS DENIED THE ACCUSATION BY SENATOR MC CARTHY (R-WIS) THAT LATTIMORE WAS A "TOP SOVIET ESPIONAGE AGENT."

IN TESTIMONY THAT COULD LAY EITHER HIMSELF OR BUDENZ OPEN TO PERJURY CHARGES. BROWDER TOLD THE COMMITTEE THERE NEVER WAS SUCH A MEETING.

EDWARD P.MORGAN, THE INQUIRY COMMITTEE COUNSEL, READ TO BROWDER BUDENZ' TESTIMONY ABOUT THE GATHERING OF PARTY LEADERS AND HIS TESTIMONY THAT BROWDER REGARDED LATTIMORE AS A COMMUNIST.

MORGAN ASKED: "DO YOU DENY CATEGORICALLY THAT THERE WAS SUCH A MEETING."

BROWDER, A GRAY-HAIRED MAN WITH A CLOSE-CROPPED MUSTACHE, LEANED FORWARD IN THE WITNESS CHAIR AND SAID: "I DENY IT CATEGORICALLY. I DECLARE IT IS FALSE."

BROWDER WENT ON THEN TO DENY ONE POINT AFTER ANOTHER OF BUDENZ' TESTIMONY, AND DECLARE COLDLY:

"IT IS HARD TO IMAGINE HOW EVEN A PROFESSIONAL PERJURER COULD THINK IT UP."

BROWDER WAS EXPELLED FROM THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN 1946. ITS NATIONAL COMMITTEE ACCUSED HIM OF HAVING "DESERTED COMMUNIST DUTIES." IN RESPONSE TO A QUESTION AT THE SENATE HEARING, HE SAID HE IS NOW UNEMPLOYED.

BROWDER DENIED THAT THE COMMUNISTS EVER USED THE INSTITUTE OF PACIFIC RELATIONS TO SPREAD THEIR PROPAGANDA. "WE NEVER CONSIDERED SUCH A THING PRACTICAL," HE SAID. "WE DIDN'T EMPLOY IT, VERY DEFINITELY, WE DIDN'T EMPLOY IT."

THE INSTITUTE IS A PRIVATE ORGANIZATION, FORMED IN THE 1920S WITH THE AVOWED PURPOSE OF INCREASING KNOWLEDGE ABOUT THE PACIFIC AREA AND FRIENDSHIP AMONG ITS PEOPLES.

SENATOR MCCARTHY HAS CRITICIZED THE INSTITUTE IN CONNECTION WITH HIS GENERAL CHARGES THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAS BEEN INFILTRATED BY COMMUNISTS. BUDENZ SAID LATTIMORE, ON OCCASION A CONSULTANT TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT, WAS A MEMBER OF COMUNIST CELL IN THE INSTITUTE.

THE COMMITTEE ROOM, AS AT OTHER PUBLIC HEARINGS, WAS JAMMED WITH SPECTATORS.

BEFORE BROWDER TOOK THE STAND, CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD) CALLED OUT FOR JOHN HUBER, FORMER FBI UNDERCOVER AGENT, WHO FAILED TO ANSWER TO A SUBPOENA FOR HIS APPEARANCE AT A HEARING WEDNESDAY NIGHT.

THERE WAS NO ANSWER.

PREVIOUSLY THE COMMITTEE HAD MET IN A CLOSED SESSION, APPARENTLY TO DISCUSS THE POSSIBILITY THAT HUBER MIGHT BE CITED FOR CONTEMPT FOR FAILING TO APPEAR WEDNESDAY.

TYDINGS AND SENATOR HICKENLOOPER (R-IOWA) REFUSED TO COMMENT ON THE CLOSED MEETING.

IN MOUNT VERNON, N.Y., HUBER'S WIFE SAID HE HAD TELEPHONED HER THAT HE WAS GOING AWAY FOR A MONTH TO REST AND "GET AWAY FROM IT ALL."

BUDENZ HIMSELF, WHEN HE WAS ON THE WITNESS STAND, SUGGESTED THAT BROWDER BE CALLED TO TESTIFY. HE ALSO SUGGESTED THAT THE COMMITTEE HEAR OTHER "HIGH COMMUNIST OFFICIALS" HE SAID HAD TOLD HIM LATTIMORE WAS A MEMBER OF A COMMUNIST CELL.

AT HIS HOME IN TUCKAHOE, N.Y., BUDENZ DECLARED TODAY THAT HE HAD NOT SUGGESTED BROWDER AS A WITNESS WHO WOULD CONFIRM HIS TESTIMONY.

BUDENZ' STATEMENT ADDED:

"I STATED SPECIFICALLY HE WOULD BE A HOSTILE AND RELUCTANT WITNESS AT THE INQUIRY BUT THAT FROM HIM MIGHT BE ELICITED IMPORTANT INFORMATION THAT WOULD, WITH MY TESTIMONY, CONFIRM WHAT I SAID."

ONE OF THE OTHERS BUDENZ NAMED, FREDERICK VANDERBILT FIELD, IS SCHEDULED TO TESTIFY AT A PUBLIC HEARING TOMORROW. BUDENZ CALLED FIELD A SOVIET ESPIONAGE AGENT.

FIELD DENIED THAT IN A STATEMENT IN WHICH HE ALSO DECLARED HE NEVER TOLD BUDENZ THAT LATTIMORE WAS A COMMUNIST.

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MC CARTHY HAS SAID HE IS WILLING TO LET ALL HIS CHARGES AGAINST THE STATE DEPARTMENT STAND OR FALL ON THE OUTCOME OF THE LATTIMORE CASE.

AFTER BUDENZ TESTIFIED, MC CARTHY CHALLENGED THE COMMITTEE TO CALL BROWDER AND FIELD ON CONDITION THAT THE TWO WITNESSES BE SUBJECTED TO WHAT HE CALLED ADEQUATE CROSS-EXAMINATION.

IN ADVANCE OF TODAY'S SESSION, MC CARTHY DECLARED THE COMMITTEE HAS HAD NO TIME TO PREPARE FOR A THOROUGH-GOING EXAMINATION OF BROWDER.

"OF ALL THE SILLY AND RIDICULOUS THINGS THE COMMITTEE HAS DONE UP TO DATE, CALLING BROWDER AT THIS TIME TOPS THE PINNACLE OF THEM ALL," MC CARTHY TOLD REPORTERS.

"ANYONE WHO KNOWS THE FAINTEST THING ABOUT COMMUNISM OR BROWDER KNOWS THAT TO CALL HIM IN WHEN NO ONE IS READY TO QUESTION HIM CAREFULLY IS RIDICULOUS TO THE POINT OF BEING LUDICROUS."

MC CARTHY SAID IT WOULD TAKE WEEKS OF STUDYING BROWDER'S BACKGROUND TO DO THE JOB OF CROSS-EXAMINING HE FEELS IS NECESSARY.

BROWDER ACCEPTED SERVICE OF THE COMMITTEE'S SUBPOENA YESTERDAY AFTER FIRST PROTESTING THAT HE HAD NO MONEY FOR THE TRIP FROM HIS HOME IN NEW YORK TO WASHINGTON. THE COMMITTEE ARRANGED TO ADVANCE EXPENSE MONEY TO HIM.

BROWDER, 59, WAS EXPELLED FROM THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN 1946. THE PARTY'S NATIONAL COMMITTEE SAID HE WAS BOOTED OUT BECAUSE HE HAD ""DESERTED COMMUNIST DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES, AND FOR BETRAYING THE PRINCIPLES OF MARXISM-LENINISM AND DESERTING TO THE SIDE OF THE CLASS ENEMY, AMERICAN CAPITAL MONOPOLY."

BUDENZ TESTIFIED THAT AT A MEETING OF THE NATIONAL COMMITTEE IN 1937 WHICH BROWDER ATTENDED, "IT WAS AGREED THAT MR.LATTIMORE SHOULD BE GIVEN GENERAL DIRECTION OF ORGANIZING THE WRITERS AND INFLUENCING THE WRITERS IN REPRESENTING THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS AS AGRARIAN REFORMERS X X X."

BUDENZ WAS REFERRING TO WRITERS FOR A PUBLICATION WHICH HE SAID LATTIMORE EDITED FOR THE INSTITUTE OF PACIFIC AFFAIRS. IT WAS IN THAT ORGANIZATION, BUDENZ SAID HE WAS TOLD, THAT LATTIMORE WAS A MEMBER OF A COMMUNIST CELL.

AFTER HEARING BROWDER IN PUBLIC, THE COMMITTEE WAS SCHEDULED TO GO BEHIND CLOSED DOORS TO QUESTION FRANK BIELASKI, A FORMER AGENT FOR THE WARTIME OFFICE OF STRATEGIC SERVICES, ABOUT THE AMERASIA CASE.

BIELASKI PARTICIPATED IN A RAID WHICH BROKE THAT CASE IN 1945 AND BROUGHT THE ARREST BY THE FBI OF U.S. CONSULAR OFFICER JOHN S.SERVICE AND FIVE OTHER PERSONS. THEY WERE CHARGED WITH ILLEGALLY OBTAINING GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS FOR USE IN THE MAGAZINE AMERASIA, WHICH WAS DEVOTED TO ARTICLES ON FAR EASTERN AFFAIRS.

SERVICE WAS EXONERATED AND RETURNED TO DUTY IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT. A GRAND JURY ALSO REFUSED TO INDICT TWO OTHERS WHO WERE ARRESTED. TWO PLEADED GUILTY AND WERE FINED. THERE WAS NO ACTION AGAINST THE SIXTH DEFENDANT.

MC CARTHY HAS TESTIFIED THAT LATTIMORE WAS MIXED UP IN THE AMERASIA CASE--A CHARGE DENIED BY LATTIMORE.

MC CARTHY ALSO HAS SAID THAT BIELASKI'S TESTIMONY WILL HAVE A BEARING ON THE LATTIMORE CASE. HE PROTESTED AGAINST THE COMMITTEE'S DECISION TO HEAR BIELASKI AT A CLOSED MEETING.

A PROTEST ON THE SAME SCORE CAME FROM SENATOR BREWSTER OF MAINE, CHAIRMAN OF THE REPUBLICAN SENATORIAL CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE. BREWSTER SAID WHAT BIELASKI HAS TO SAY "WILL BLOW THE AMERASIA CASE WIDE OPEN, AND FOR THAT REASON HIS TESTIMONY SHOULD BE GIVEN IN PUBLIC."

MEANWHILE, THE INQUIRY COMMITTEE HAD REACHED NO DECISION ON WHAT TO DO ABOUT JOHN J.HUBER, THE MC CARTHY WITNESS WHO DISAPPEARED MYSTERIOUSLY TUESDAY, THEN TURNED UP IN NEW YORK YESTERDAY MORNING SAYING HE HAD "BLACKED OUT."

HUBER, DESCRIBED AS A ONE-TIME FBI INFORMER, WAS MISSING WHEN HIS TURN CAME TO TAKE THE WITNESS CHAIR AT A PUBLIC HEARING. HE SAID IN NEW YORK HE HAD NO IDEA HOW HE GOT THERE FROM WASHINGTON.

COMMITTEE OFFICIALS KEPT IN EFFECT A SUBPOENA FOR HUBER, BUT SAID THEY HAD BEEN UNABLE TO GET IN TOUCH WITH HIM TO TRY TO ARRANGE A NEW TIME FOR HIS APPEARANCE.

HUBER REPORTEDLY HAS BEEN WORRIED ABOUT TESTIFYING AT A PUBLIC HEARING.

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MRS.HUBER SAID AT MT.VERNON, N.Y., LAST NIGHT THAT HE CALLED HER FROM NEW YORK CITY AND SAID HE WAS GOING TO TAKE A MONTH'S REST "TO GET AWAY FROM IT ALL" AND "TRY TO GET BACK ON MY FEET."

IT WAS ONE OF SEVERAL TELEPHONE CALLS HUBER MADE YESTERDAY, NONE OF WHICH LED TO HIS BEING LOCATED.

SENATOR MC CARTHY ALSO HAD SOMETHING TO SAY--AND PROMISED MORE LATER--ABOUT WILLIAM J.EVJUE, EDITOR AND PUBLISHER OF THE MADISON CAPITAL TIMES IN MC CARTHY'S HOME STATE OF WISCONSIN.

EVJUE CALLED ON PRESIDENT TRUMAN AT THE WHITE HOUSE YESTERDAY AND SAID HE TOLD THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE THAT MC CARTHY IS "NOT A MAN TO BE SETTING A PATTERN OF AMERICANISM AND PATRIOTISM FOR ANYBODY." HE CALLED MC CARTHY "A RECKLESS PLUNGER WHO KNEW HE WAS A DEAD DUCK POLITICALLY ON THE RECORD HE HAS MADE X X X."

COMMENTING ON EVJUE'S REMARKS, MCCARTHY TOLD NEWSMEN:

"THE CAPITAL TIMES IS IN MY OPINION THE CLOSEST COUNTERPART OF THE DAILY WORKER YOU CAN FIND IN THE UNITED STATES.

"SO THE SENATE AND THE COUNTRY WILL HAVE A BETTER PICTURE OF THE TYPE OF INDIVIDUALS TO WHOM THE PRESIDENT GOES FOR ADVICE, I AM PREPARING A DETAILED STATEMENT COVERING THIS MAN (EVJUE) AND THE PERSONNEL OF HIS PAPER."

MC CARTHY SAID HE INTENDS TO MAKE THE STATEMENT "BOTH ON AND OFF THE SENATE FLOOR SO THERE WILL BE NO QUESTION OF MR.EVJUE'S RIGHT TO SUE ME."

IN ANOTHER CAPITOL DEVELOPMENT, THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES STARTED A NEW INVESTIGATION OF WILLIAM W.REMINGTON,

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COMMERCE DEPARTMENT ECONOMIST.

CHAIRMAN WOOD (D-GA) SAID A "HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE" SUPPLIED INFORMATION SETTING OFF THE NEW INQUIRY. REMINGTON ONCE BEFORE WAS ACCUSED BY ELIZABETH BENTLEY, SELF-DESCRIBED FORMER RED COURIER, OF SUPPLYING HER WITH INFORMATION.

REMINGTON DISPUTED HER TESTIMONY AND WAS RESTORED TO THE GOVERNMENT PAYROLL AFTER BEING CLEARED BY THE LOYALTY REVIEW BOARD. HE SAID LAST NIGHT THE COMMITTEE'S NEW ACTION AMOUNTED TO "PERSECUTION OF A MAN WHO HAS BEEN THOROUGHLY CLEARED OF IRRESPONSIBLE CHARGES."

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MCCARTHY-EVJUE

WASHINGTON,APRIL 27-(AP)-IN A SENATE SPEECH SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) TODAY CALLED THE MADISON (WIS) CAPITAL TIMES A "DISGUISED POISONED WATERHOLE OF DANGEROUS COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA."

MCCARTHY HAS LONG FEUDED WITH WILLIAM T.EVJUE, EDITOR OF THE PAPER. EVJUE WAS A VISITOR TO THE WHITE HOUSE YESTERDAY. HE TOLD REPORTERS HE HAD GIVEN PRESIDENT TRUMAN A REPORT ON MCCARTHY'S BACKGROUND.

EVJUE ALSO SAID AT THAT TIME THAT MCCARTHY WAS A "DEAD DUCK POLITICALLY" AND HAD MADE HIS CHARGES OF COMMUNIST INFILTRATION OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT IN AN EFFORT "TO REHABILITATE HIS SHATTERED POLITICAL FORTUNES."

MCCARTHY TOLD THE SENATE THAT EVJUE, IN A SIGNED EDITORIAL IN THE CAPITAL TIMES ON MARCH 14, 1941 NAMED CEDRIC PARKER, NOW CITY EDITOR OF THE PAPER, AS "THE COMMUNIST LEADER IN MADISON." HE ADDED:

"THIS STATEMENT BY MR.EVJUE WAS NEVER LATER DENIED OR RETRACTED BY HIM. IT STILL STANDS."

MCCARTHY HAD MADE A SIMILAR STATEMENT ABOUT EVJUE AND PARKER LAST NOVEMBER. AT THAT TIME, PARKER CALLED THE STATEMENT "RIDICULOUS" AND EVJUE SAID THAT IN FACT PARKER HAD MADE A SWORN AFFIDAVIT THAT HE WAS NOT A COMMUNIST. THE AFFIDAVIT WAS MADE IN ACCORDANCE WITH TAFT-HARTLEY LAW PROCEDURES REQUIRING SUCH AFFIDAVITS FROM UNION HEADS WHO USE THE NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD MACHINERY. PARKER WAS PRESIDENT OF THE MADISON NEWSPAPER GUILD WHEN HE MADE IT.

AFTER MENTIONING EVJUE AND PARKER ON THE FLOOR, MCCARTHY PUT A STATEMENT IN THE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD. HE TOLD THE SENATORS HE DID NOT WANT TO TAKE UP THEIR TIME BY READING IT.

MC CARTHY SAID IN HIS STATEMENT:

"WHILE THIS IS BEING MADE ON THE SENATE FLOOR AND IMMUNITY WOULD ATTACH THERETO, I WANT TO ASSURE MR.EVJUE AND HIS ATTORNEYS THAT I WILL WAIVE CONGRESSIONAL IMMUNITY IF THEY DESIRE TO SUE AND WILL ASSURE ME THAT SUIT WILL BE STARTED WITHIN SUCH REASONABLE PERIOD OF TIME AS THEY SHALL NAME."

HE SAID THAT IN THE EVENT OF SUIT, BOTH EVJUE AND PARKER WOULD BE CALLED FOR "ADVERSE EXAMINATION" UNDER OATH, AND SAID HE WOULD WELCOME A SUIT SO THAT HE COULD CONDUCT THE EXAMINATION.

MCCARTHY SAID HE WOULD NOT HAVE BROUGHT THE EVJUE CHARGES BEFORE THE SENATE EXCEPT FOR TWO REASONS:

(1) THAT THE PRESIDENT HAS SEEN FIT TO CALL MR.EVJUE "IN AS AN ADVISER, AND,

(2) THAT THE COMMUNIST PARTY IS EXERTING EVERY EFFORT TO GET ITS MEMBERS AND STOOGES LOCATED IN IMPORTANT POSITIONS ON NEWSPAPER, RADIO MAGAZINES, IN THE MOTION PICTURE BUSINESS AND IN EVERY OTHER CHANNEL OF PUBLIC INFORMATION.

MCCARTHY WENT ON TO SAY THAT LOUIS BUDENZ, FORMER COMMUNIST EDITOR, IS PREPARING A LIST OF COMMUNISTS FOR THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE LOOKING INTO MCCARTHY'S CHARGES THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT IS A COMMUNIST HAVEN.

"THAT WILL BE A VERY VALUABLE LIST WHEN COMPLETED," HE SAID, ADDING HE HAD NOT PLANNED TO DISCUSS THE CAPITAL TIMES UNTIL BUDENZ HAD COMPLETED IT.

LAST NOVEMBER MCCARTHY GOT OUT A STATEMENT IN WHICH HE RAISED THE QUESTION OF WHETHER THE EVJUE PAPER "IS THE RED MOUTHPIECE OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN WISCONSIN."

EVJUE SAID FLATLY THAT IT WAS NOT AND ASSERTED "THERE IS NO DAILY NEWSPAPER IN WISCONSIN THAT IS MORE HATED BY THE COMMUNISTS THAN THE CAPITAL TIMES."

MCCARTHY SAID IN TODAY'S STATEMENT THAT HE HAD ALREADY HAD DISCUSSED ON ANOTHER OCCASION THE "PARALLEL BETWEEN THE DAILY WORKER AND THE CAPITAL TIMES." HE ADDED:

"SUFFICE TO SAY AT THIS TIME THAT, IN MY OPINION, OUTSIDE OF THE DAILY WORKER, THERE IS NO OTHER PAPER IN THE UNITED STATES WHICH RENDERS A GREATER SERVICE TO THE COMMUNIST CAUSE."

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FIRST LEAD HANSON-MCCARTHY

WASHINGTON,APRIL 27-(AP)-SENATOR MCCARTHY TOLD THE SENATE TODAY THAT LOUIS F.BUDENZ HAD NAMED HALDORE HANSON, A STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL, AS A COMMUNIST, BUT SENATOR MCMAHON SAID MCCARTHY'S STATEMENT WAS NOT ACCURATE.

MCMAHON (D-CONN) GOT THE FLOOR SOME TIME AFTER MCCARTHY (R-WIS) MADE HIS ASSERTION. MCMAHON IS A MEMBER OF THE SENATE INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE WHICH GOT SECRET TESTIMONY FROM BUDENZ. HE TOLD THE SENATE:

"THE COMMITTEE UNANIMOUSLY HAS AUTHORIZED ME TO SAY THAT THE STATEMENT BY THE SENATOR FROM WISCONSIN EARLIER IN THE DAY WAS NOT ACCURATE."

MCCARTHY JUMPED UP TO SAY HE KNOWS THE SUBSTANCE OF BUDENZ'S TESTIMONY, ALTHOUGH "THE WORDS MAY NOT BE THE SAME."

MC CARTHY WENT ON TO CONTEND THAT HANSON "WAS A COMMUNIST AND WAS DOING THE WORK OF THE COMMUNIST." HE SAID BUDENZ MAY NOT HAVE TESTIFIED THAT HANSON IS NOW A MEMBER.

THE WISCONSIN SENATOR DEMANDED THAT THE TRANSCRIPT OF BUDENZ' TESTIMONY BE MADE PUBLIC.

MC MAHON SAID THE COMMITTEE HAD DECIDED AGAINST THAT.

MCCARTHY NAMED HANSON IN AN EXCHANGE WITH SENATOR TAFT (R-OHIO) WHO HAD BEEN DISCUSSING THE MARSHALL PLAN AND THE POINT FOUR PROGRAM.

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MCCARTHY WANTED TO KNOW IF TAFT KNEW THAT ONE OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT EXECUTIVES IN THE POINT FOUR PROGRAM WAS HALDORE HANSON. THEN HE SAID THAT BUDENZ, A FORMER COMMUNIST EDITOR, HAD NAMED HANSON TO A SENATE INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE TUESDAY AS A COMMUNIST.

ABBUDENZ TESTIFIED BEHIND CLOSED DOORS TUESDAY TO THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE INVESTIGATING MCCARTHY'S CHARGES THAT COMMUNISTS HAVE INFILTRATED THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

HANSON, A FORMER NEWSPAPERMAN, TESTIFIED TO THE COMMITTEE UNDER OATH LAST MARCH 28 THAT "I AM NOT A COMMUNIST" AND "I HAVE NEVER BEEN A COMMUNIST." FURTHER, HE SAID, HE NEVER HAD BELONGED TO AN ORGANIZATION CITED BY THE ATTORNEY GENERAL AS A COMMUNIST FRONT ORGANIZATION.

THE SENATE GROUP ALSO GOT FROM EARL BROWDER, FORMER COMMUNIST PARTY LEADER, TESTIMONY TODAY THAT HANSON IS NOT TO HIS KNOWLEDGE A COMMUNIST.

THE "POINT FOUR" PROGRAM, WITH WHICH HANSON IS CONNECTED, IS PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S PLAN FOR AMERICAN TECHNICAL AID TO HELP DEVELOP BACKWARD AREAS OF THE WORLD.

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MCCARTHY

WASHINGTON, APRIL 27-(AP)-SENATOR MC CARTHY (R-WIS) SAID TODAY HE IS GOING TO PHOENIX, ARIZ., FOR A FEW DAYS TO TRY TO CLEAR UP A SINUS CONDITION.

HE TOLD REPORTERS HE PLANS TO LEAVE WASHINGTON NO LATER THAN TOMORROW AND EXPECTS TO RETURN EARLY NEXT WEEK.

MC CARTHY RECENTLY UNDERWENT MINOR SURGERY HERE FOR A SINUS AILMENT.

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WITH WASHINGTON COMMUNISTS

MOUNT VERNON, N.Y., APRIL 27-(AP)-JOHN J. HUBER, WHO DISAPPEARED WHEN WANTED AS A U.S. SENATE WITNESS, SAYS HE IS GOING AWAY FOR A MONTH "TO GET AWAY FROM IT ALL."

BUT HIS WIFE, VERONICA, SAID TODAY HE PROMISED TO KEEP IN TOUCH WITH HER AND THE FAMILY HERE.

"HE NEEDS A GOOD REST," MRS. HUBER SAID.

MRS. HUBER SAID HER HUSBAND TOLD HER IN A TELEPHONE CALL LAST NIGHT THAT HE WAS GOING TO TAKE A MONTH'S REST AND "TRY TO GET BACK ON MY FEET." HE DID NOT SAY WHERE HE WAS GOING.

SHE SAID SHE DID NOT KNOW WHERE HER HUSBAND WAS CALLING FROM, AND DI NOT ASK HIM, BUT ASSUMED IT WAS FROM NEW YORK CITY.

HUBER MADE SEVERAL PHONE CALLS YESTERDAY TO HIS WIFE AND OTHER PERSONS, BUT NO ONE WAS ABLE TO TRACE HIS WHEREABOUTS.

HUBER, WHO HAS WORKED FOR THE FBI AS AN UNDERCOVER AGENT, FAILED TO APPEAR TUESDAY WHEN CALLED AS A WITNESS AT A SENATE SUBCOMMITTEE HEARING. THE SUBCOMMITTEE IS LOOKING INTO CHARGES BY SEN. MCCARTHY (R-WIS) OF COMMUNIST INFILTRATION IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

MRS. HUBER SAID SHE BELIEVED HER 49-YEAR-OLD HUSBAND WAS BEGINNING TO CRACK UP UNDER THE STRAIN OF FREQUENT TESTIMONY ON COMMUNIST MATTERS.

SHE SAID SHE IS NOT WORRIED ABOUT ANY POSSIBLE THREAT TO HIM.

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WASHINGTON, APRIL 27-(AP)-REP.KARST (D-MO) SAID TODAY HE MAY RECOMMEND THAT THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE INVESTIGATE POSSIBLE COMMUNIST INFILTRATION IN THE ARMY FINANCE CENTER AT ST. LOUIS.

KARST IS HEAD OF A THREE-MAN HOUSE CIVIL SERVICE SUBCOMMITTEE WHICH HAS BEEN INQUIRING INTO POSSIBLE COMMUNIST ANGLES AND ADMINISTRATIVE IRREGULARITIES AT THE CENTER.

TWO OTHER INVESTIGATIONS--ONE BY THE ARMY INSPECTOR GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT AND THE OTHER BY THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION--WERE UNDERTAKEN.

THE CENTER, EMPLOYING 4,500, HANDLES FAMILY ALLOTMENTS FOR ALL MEMBERS OF THE ARMY. DURING THE WAR IT WAS LOCATED IN NEWARK, N.J.

KARST'S SUBCOMMITTEE IS WRITING A REPORT ON ITS SECRET INVESTIGATIONS.

THE INQUIRY CENTERED ON THE REPORTED PRESENCE OF ALLEGED COMMUNISTS AND FELLOW TRAVELERS, ALLEGED FALSIFICATION OF PERSONNEL RECORDS AND VIOLATIONS OF CIVIL SERVICE RULES.

KARST ANNOUNCED SOME TIME AGO THAT THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION HAD INSTRUCTED THE ARMY TO FIRE JOSEPH H.LIBEMAN WHO HAD BEEN PERSONNEL DIRECTOR.

THE COMMISSION NOW CONFIRMS THAT LIEBMAN HAS APPEALED HIS CASE WHICH IT SAID WAS BASED ON WHAT WAS CONSIDERED AN EXAGGERATION OF HIS EXPERIENCE IN HIS APPLICATION BLANK.

WHEN THE HOUSE SUBCOMMITTEE BEGAN ITS INQUIRY THE ARMY SAID THERE WAS A POSSIBLE OVERPAYMENT OF $90,000,000 (M) IN FAMILY ALLOWANCES AND ALLOTMENTS, BUT THAT ABOUT 70 PER CENT HAD BEEN REPAID.

KARST SAID LAST WEEK THAT THE GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE NOW ESTIMATES TENTATIVELY THAT THE OVERPAYMENTS TOTAL $160,000,000 (M).

THE ARMY SAID OVERPAYMENT DID OCCUR DURING WARTIME CONFUSION. IN SOME CASES, CONSIDERABLE TIME WOULD ELAPSE BEFORE THE CENTER RECEIVED WORD OF A SOLDIER'S DEATH AND STOPPED ALLOTMENT PAYMENTS TO HIS FAMILY OR WIFE.

THE SUBCOMMITTEE'S REPORT IS EXPECTED TO SAY WHETHER EMPLOYEES AT THE CENTER IN SOME CASES DELIBERATELY ALLOWED LAPSED CARDS TO REMAIN IN THE FILES. THE ARMY SAID RECORDS GOT BADLY MIXED UP IN THE MOVE DOWN FROM NEW JERSEY.

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CHICAGO, APRIL 27-(AP)-CHICAGO'S FIRST LOYALTY DAY PARADE, DESIGNED TO COUNTERACT ANY MAY DAY DEMONSTRATIONS BY COMMUNIST GROUPS, IS PLANNED FOR SATURDAY.

SOME 25,000 PERSONS ARE EXPECTED TO TAKE PART IN THE PARADE ON MICHIGAN AVENUE IN THE DOWNTOWN DISTRICT. DAVID H. CAPLOW, COOK COUNTY COMMANDER OF THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS, IS PARADE CHAIRMAN. HE SAID MILITARY UNITS AND BANDS FROM VETERANS ORGANIZATIONS, HIGH SCHOOLS AND THE POLICE DEPARTMENT WILL BE AUGMENTED IN THE PARADE BY CHICAGO RESIDENTS.

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LOYALTY (450)
WASHINGTON, APRIL 27-(AP)-THE FEDERAL LOYALTY REVIEW BOARD IS LIMITING ITS FINDINGS ON GOVERNMENT WORKERS TO THE SPECIFIC ISSUE OF LOYALTY ALONE.

IT WILL CHECK TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN HIMSELF FOR A FINAL DECISION ANY "FLAGRANT" RISK CASES SUCH AS HABITUAL DRUNKENNESS OR HOMOSEXUALITY.

OTHERWISE, IT WILL NOT INTERVENE EVEN IF THE STATE DEPARTMENT TURNS UP WITH A PERSON WHO MIGHT BE A POSSIBLE SECURITY RISK BECAUSE OF A LOOSE TONGUE OR POOR PERSONAL HABITS, BUT WHO WAS HIRED FOR HIS ABILITY TO DO A SPECIFIC JOB.

THE REVIEW BOARD WHICH HAS FINAL SAY OVER FEDERAL WORKERS ACCUSED OF DISLOYALTY TOOK THOSE POSITIONS AT A MEETING APRIL 3.

SEVENTEEN OF THE 27 BOARD MEMBERS WERE ON HAND TO DISCUSS MR. TRUMAN'S REQUEST THAT THE BOARD LOOK INTO THE 90-ODD CASES SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) NAMED PUBLICLY AND PRIVATELY IN CHARGING THAT COMMUNISTS AND OTHER SECURITY RISKS HAVE FOUND A HAVEN IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

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THE PRESIDENT HANDED THE CASES TO THE REVIEW BOARD RATHER THAN OPEN LOYALTY FILES TO THE SENATE COMMITTEE INVESTIGATING MCCARTHY'S CHARGES. IN HIS LETTER TO THE BOARD HE SPECIFICALLY ASKED IT TO CHECK THE LOYALTY OF THE INDIVIDUALS INVOLVED.

THIS FACTOR WAS NOTED IN THE DISCUSSION AT THE APRIL 3 MEETING AND BROUGHT EXPRESSIONS FROM SEVERAL MEMBERS THAT THE BOARD ACTUALLY WOULD BE GOING BEYOND ITS AUTHORITY IF IT ATTEMPTED TO PASS JUDGMENT ON BROADER QUESTIONS OF SECURITY.

THE MINUTES OF THE APRIL 3 MEETING READ IN PART:

"THE PRESIDENT DEFINITELY CONFINED HIS REQUEST TO A REPORT ONLY ON LOYALTY AND SINCE THE LETTER WAS WRITTEN HIS OFFICE HAS ADVISED THE CHAIRMAN (SETH RICHARDSON) VERBALLY THAT IT WAS ONLY LOYALTY THAT THE BOARD WAS REQUESTED TO CONSIDER.

"IT WAS MENTIONED (IN THE BOARD SESSION) THAT THERE ARE CIRCUMSTANCES WHERE THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE MUST CHOSE A PERSON FOR A PARTICULAR JOB TO BE DONE, AND THAT IN SUCH CASE IF THE PERSON IS THE ONE BEST QUALIFIED ON OTHER GROUNDS, THE DEPARTMENT FEELS IT MUST TAKE A CHANCE ON THE FACT THAT HE MAY BE A SECURITY RISK OR QUESTIONABLE ON GENERAL SUITABILITY."

THE VOTE ON CONFINING THE BOARD'S REVIEWS TO LOYALTY WAS ADOPTED UNANIMOUSLY.

HOWEVER, IT WAS ALSO AGREED UNANIMOUSLY THAT IF FLAGRANTLY BAD SECURITY RISKS SHOULD BE DISCLOSED, THE BOARD MIGHT RECITE THE FACTS TO THE PRESIDENT WITHOUT MAKING ANY FINDINGS.

"THE PRESIDENT COULD THEN DECIDE WHETHER SUCH AN EMPLOYE WAS A SECURITY RISK." THE MINUTES SAY.

THE BOARD IS KNOWN TO HAVE TAKEN THE POSITION THAT THE HIRING OF SO-CALLED "SECURITY RISKS" IS A MATTER TO BE DEALT WITH INDIVIDUALLY BY EACH GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT.

IN CONNECTION WITH THESE CASES, ONLY THE STATE AND DEFENSE DEPARTMENTS, THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY AND THE NATIONAL RESOURCES BOARD HAVE THE POWER OF SUMMARY DISMISSAL WITHOUT THE RIGHT OF APPEAL. THIS POWER WAS VOTED BY CONGRESS WHICH SO FAR HAS SHOWN NO INDICATION OF ENACTING PENDING BILLS TO GIVE OTHER AGENCIES THE SAME AUTHORITY.

THUS, THE QUESTIONS OF SUITABILITY AND SECURITY ARE CONSIDERED BY THE REVIEW BOARD TO BE QUESTIONS FOR DECISION BY THE EMPLOYING AGENCIES THEMSELVES.

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REMINGTON (450)
BY KARL R.BAUMAN

WASHINGTON, APRIL 27-(AP)-A NEW INVESTIGATION INTO THE LOYALTY OF WILLIAM W.REMINGTON, COMMERCE DEPARTMENT ECONOMIST, HAS BEEN LAUNCHED BY THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE.

CHAIRMAN WOOD (D-GA) SAID IT GREW OUT OF INFORMATION FURNISHED A MEMBER OF THE COMMITTEE STAFF BY A "HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE."

WOOD SAID IN A STATEMENT YESTERDAY THAT REMINGTON HAS BEEN SUBPOENAED TO TESTIFY MAY 11. BUT "IN VIEW OF RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN THE MATTER, MR. REMINGTON WILL PROBABLY BE REQUESTED TO APPEAR AT AN EARLIER DATE," WOOD ADDED.

WHETHER THE HEARING WILL BE OPEN OR BEHIND CLOSED DOORS HAS NOT BEEN DECIDED.

WOOD GAVE NO INDICATION OF THE NATURE OF THE NEW INFORMATION HE SAID THE COMMITTEE HAS.

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REMINGTON, ONCE SUSPENDED AND SUBSEQUENTLY REINSTATED ON ORDERS OF THE LOYALTY REVIEW BOARD, FIGURED IN THE TESTIMONY OF ELIZABETH BENTLEY BEFORE A SENATE SUBCOMMITTEE. MISS BENTLEY, AN ADMITTED FORMER COURIER FOR A RUSSIAN SPY RING, SAID SHE OBTAINED INFORMATION FROM REMINGTON, A $10,330-A-YEAR OFFICIAL. REMINGTON REPLIED THAT HE HAD GIVEN HER INFORMATION, BUT THAT NONE OF IT WAS CLASSIFIED AS SECRET.

FURTHERMORE, HE INSISTED, HE THOUGHT SHE WAS A REPORTER AND ENTITLED TO IT.

WHEN MISS BENTLEY REPEATED HER CHARGES AGAINST REMINGTON ON A RADIO PROGRAM, REMINGTON SUED HER AND THE PROGRAM'S PRODUCERS AND SPONSORS FOR $100,000. THE SUIT WAS SETTLED OUT OF COURT FOR A REPORTED $10,000.

LAST NIGHT REMINGTON SAID IN A STATEMENT THAT THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ACTION WAS "A TYPICAL EXAMPLE OF PERSEUCTION OF A MAN WHO HAS BEEN THOROUGHLY CLEARED OF IRRESPONSIBLE CHARGES AFTER EXHAUSTIVE INVESTIGATION AND THOROUGH HEARINGS."

HE SAID THE COMMITTEE SEEMS TO BE "FAR MORE CONCERNED WITH POLITICS AND PUBLICITY THAN WITH THE GRAVE QUESTION OF WHETHER A MAN IS A LOYAL CITIZEN AND GOVERNMENT EMPLOYE.

WOOD ALSO MADE PUBLIC A LETTER TO SETH W.RICHARDSON, CHAIRMAN OF THE LOYALTY REVIEW BOARD WHICH CLEARED REMINGTON. HE SAID THE COMMITTEE STAFF "HAS BEEN ENGAGED IN A QUIET INVESTIGATION OF MR. REMINGTON AND CERTAIN OTHER PERSONS KNOWN TO HAVE ASSOCIATED WITH HIM."

IN A SEPARATE STATEMENT, WOOD SAID HE SENT THE LETTER TO RICHARDSON AS A SUGGESTION THAT HE REOPEN THE CASE.

"ORIGINALLY," WOOD WROTE RICHARDSON, "IT WAS MY INTENTION THAT THE COMMITTEE COMPLETE ITS INVESTIGATION BEFORE REFERRING THE MATTER TO YOU. HOWEVER, IN VIEW OF THE NATURE OF CERTAIN DEVELOPMENTS WHICH HAVE RECENTLY TAKEN PLACE, IT IS DEEMED EXPEDIENT THAT THE MATTER BE CALLED TO YOUR ATTENTION AT THIS TIME."

IF RICHARDSON DECIDES TO REOPEN THE CASE, WOOD SAID, THE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE STANDS READY TO TURN OVER TO HIM "ALL EVIDENCE PRECENTLY IN THE COMMITTEE'S POSSESSION," AND "ALL EVIDENCE WHICH MAY SUBSEQUENTLY BE DEVELOPED."

IN RECENT TESTIMONY BEFORE A HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE, BERNARD L.GLADIEUX, EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT TO SECRETARY OF COMMERCE SAWYER, SAID REMINGTON, SINCE HIS REINSTATEMENT, HAS NOT HAD ACCESS TO CLASSIFIED INFORMATION.

GLADIEUX SAID REMINGTON WAS NOT RETURNED TO HIS OLD JOB AND WAS REDUCED IN GRADE. GLADIEUX DESCRIBED HIM AS AN INTERNATIONAL TRADE ECONOMIST IN THE COMMODITIES DIVISION OF THE OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE.

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POLAND-FAO

WASHINGTON,APRIL 27-(AP)-PROTESTING THAT THE UNITED STATES IS DOMINATING THE AGENCY, POLAND SERVED NOTICE LAST NIGHT THAT IT IS QUITTING THE 63-MEMBER UNITED NATIONS FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION (FAO).

"THE PAST ACTIVITIES OF THE ORGANIZATION HAVE SHOWN THAT IT COULD NOT WITHSTAND THE PRESSURE OF THE POLICY OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT," POLISH AMBASSADOR JOSEF WINIEWICZ SAID IN A LETTER TO FAO DIRECTOR-GENERAL NORRIS E.DODD.

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THE COMMUNIST BLOC NATION QUIT THE INTERNATIONAL BANK AND INTERNATIONAL MONETARY FUND ON THE SAME GROUND LAST MONTH. ITS WITHDRAWAL FROM FAO CANNOT TAKE EFFECT UNTIL 12 MONTHS HAVE PASSED, UNDER THE AGENCY'S CHARTER.

WINIEWICZ' LETTER WAS ANSWERED BY SIR HUBERT BROADLEY, FAO'S ACTING DIRECTOR-GENERAL. BROADLEY DENIED IN DETAIL THE POLISH CONTENTION THAT FAO HAS BEEN OF LITTLE HELP TO WAR-RAVAGED EUROPE. AS FOR THE CHARGE THAT THE UNITED STATES DOMINATES THE AGENCY, HE SAID:

"ALL OUR 63 MEMBER GOVERNMENTS HAVE AN EQUAL VOICE IN DETERMINING THE ORGANIZATION'S POLICY AT OUR ANNUAL CONFERENCES, AND IT WOULD BE UNTRUE TO SAY THAT ANY ONE COUNTRY HAS EXERCISED A DISPROPORTIONATE INFLUENCE IN DETERMINING OUR POLICY OR IMPLEMENTING IT IN PRACTICE."

THE POLISH WITHDRAWAL LEAVES HUNGARY THE ONLY SOVIET BLOC NATION STILL A MEMBER OF THE FAO. RUSSIA--WHICH IS BOYCOTTING THE U.N. AND ITS AGENCIES BECAUSE THEY DON'T RECOGNIZE COMMUNIST CHINA--NEVER HAS BEEN AN FAO MEMBER. CZECHOSLOVAKIA GAVE A YEAR'S NOTICE LAST FALL WHEN YUGOSLAVIA--WHICH HAS BROKEN WITH MOSCOW--WAS NAMED TO THE AGENCY'S 18-NATION COUNCIL.

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WASHINGTON,APRIL 27-(AP)-THE STATE DEPARTMENT DECLARED TODAY THAT POLAND'S WITHDRAWAL FROM THE 63-NATION FOOD AND AGRICULTURAL ORGANIZATION IS "ANOTHER EXAMPLE OF POLISH ADHERENCE TO THE KREMLIN POLICY" OF RESTRICTING CONTACTS WITH THE WEST.

POLAND ANNOUNCED ITS WITHDRAWAL LAST NIGHT, ASSERTING THE UNITED NATIONS AGENCY IS DMINATED BY "IMPERIALISTIC AMERICAN AIMS."

THE STATE DEPARTMENT IN A STATEMENT TIRMED THE ALLEGATIONS "RIDICULOUS" IN VIEW OF THE EQUAL VOTE POSSESSED BY ALL MEMBERS. IT NOTED T AT AD DECIDEDLAST FALL TO MOVE ITS HEADQUARTERS TO ROME OVER AMERICAN OBJECTIN.

"IN VIEW OF THE PRIMARILY AGRARIAN CHARACTER OF THE POLISH ECONOMY, POLAND'S WITHDRAWAL FROM THE FAO CAN HARDLY BE CONSIDERED TO BE IN THE BEST INTEREST OF THE COUNTRY. IT MUST RATHER BE REGARDED AS ANOTHER EXAMPLE OF POLISH ADHERENCE TO THE KREMLIN POLICY OF RESTRICTING THE CONTACTS OF COUNTIES OF THE SOVIET ORBIT WITH THE REST OF THE WORLD," THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID.

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BY CHARLES HASLET

AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE

WASHINGTON,APRIL 27-(AP)-A KANSAS COLLEGE PROFESSOR APPEARED TODAY TO BE NEARING SUCCESS IN HIS LONG FIGHT FOR A POSTHUMOUS ARMY PROMOTION FOR HIS SON, KILLED IN ACTION IN FRANCE IN 1944.

REP.ALBERT COLE (R-KAS) TOLD A REPORTER THAT A HOUSE ARMED SERVICES SUBCOMMITTEE YESTERDAY APPROVED LEGISLATION HE INTRODUCED TO GRANT A POSTHUMOUS RATING OF T-4 TO RICHARD J.VAN WINKLE, MANHATTAN, KILLED WHILE IN THE TANK SERVICE.

COLE PREDICTED THE FULL COMMITTEE AND THE HOUSE WILL APPROVE THE MEASURE, WHICH HAS ARMY OPPOSITION.

"IT IS THE RESULT OF A LONG STRUGGLE ON THE PART OF VAN WINKLE'S FATHER, J.W.VAN WINKLE, AN INSTRUCTOR AT KANSAS STATE AGRICULTURE COLLEGE, MANHATTAN, TO GET JUSTICE," COLE TOLD A REPORTER.

"THE FATHER HAS SPENT MUCH TIME AND MONEY SINCE HIS SON'S DEATH IN AN EFFORT TO GET THE RATING FOR HIS SON. HE HAS BEEN IN WASHINGTON TWICE AND HAS APPEARED BEFORE THE BOARD OF CORRECTION OF MILITARY RECORDS."

HE ADDED THE FATHER HAD PREPARED AND FILED THREE BRIEFS IN CONNECTION WITH THE CASE, ONE OF THEM 62 PAGES LONG, TRACING HIS SON'S CAREER IN THE ARMY.

"IT IS PROBABLY THE ONLY CASE OF ITS KIND IN THE COUNTRY," COLE ADDED.

HE SAID THE SON APPARENTLY WAS DEMOTED FROM A T-5 (CORPORAL'S) RANK TO THAT OF A PRIVATE "WITHOUT REASON."

IN 1948, THE BOARD OF CORRECTIONS OF MILITARY RECORDS FOUND VAN WINKLE HAD BEEN UNJUSTLY DEMOTED, THE CONGRESSMAN RELATED, AND ORDERED HIS T-5 RATING POSTHUMOUSLY RESTORED.

"THERE WAS NO FINDING AS TO WHY HE WAS DEMOTED," COLE SAID.

THE FATHER, HOWEVER, CONTENDED HE HAD EVIDENCE THAT HIS SON HAD BEEN PROMISED A PROMOTION TO THE HIGHER T-4 (BUCK SERGEANT'S) RANK AND BECAUSE OF THE DEMOTION HE DID NOT RECEIVE THE PROMOTION.

COLE THEN INTRODUCED LEGISLATION DIRECTING THE ARMY TO GRANT THE T-4 RATING.

THE CONGRESSMAN SAID THE ARMY OPPOSED THE LEGISLATION ON "POLICY GROUNDS" AND ON GROUNDS THAT THERE IS NO EVIDENCE TO SHOW VAN WINKLE HAD BEEN RECOMMENDED FOR THE T-4 RATING.

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(350) AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD NAVY

BY RUTH COWAN

WASHINGTON,APRIL 27-(AP)-THE NAVY PUT IN A CAUTIOUS PLUG TODAY FOR SUPER AIRCRAFT CARRIERS LIKE THE ONE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON BLOCKED LAST YEAR FOR ECONOMY REASONS.

ADMIRAL FORREST SHERMAN TOLD THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE HE BELIEVES IT WILL BE NECESSARY TO BUILD THE GIANT CARRIERS "IN THE LONG RUN."

THE CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS ACKNOWLEDGED IT WILL BE A "VERY LARGE AND COSTLY PROGRAM" BUT HE SAID SUCH VESSELS ARE NEEDED TO HANDLE THE JET FIGHTERS AND BOMBERS BEING ACQUIRED BY THE NAVY.

SHERMAN EXPRESSED THESE VIEWS UNDER CLOSE QUESTIONING FROM COMMITTEE MEMBERS, MANY OF WHOM WERE STRONGLY OPPOSED TO JOHNSON'S ACTION IN HALTING CONSTRUCTION OF THE 65,000 TON UNITED STATES SHORTLY AFTER HE TOOK OFFICE.

AT THAT TIME THE NAVY ALREADY HAD STARTED LAYING THE HULL OF THE $189,000,000 CARRIER WHICH CONGRESS HAD AUTHORIZED. IN PROTEST AGAINST JOHNSON'S ORDER, JOHN L.SULLIVAN RESIGNED HIS POST AS SECRETARY OF THE NAVY.

SHERMAN'S APPEARANCE BEFORE THE COMMITTEE WAS TO EXPLAIN HOW THE NAVY PROPOSES TO SPEND THE $150,000,000 IN ADDITIONAL FUNDS VOTED YESTERDAY BY THE HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE.

OF THIS SUM, $100,000,000 WAS EARMARKED FOR THE PURCHASE OF NEW PLANES WITH THE REMAINDER ALLOTTED FOR IMMEDIATE SHIP-CONVERSION PROJECTS.

SHERMAN SAID THE REMODELING FUND WOULD BE DEVOTED MAINLY TO STRENGTHENING SUBMARINE DEFENSES.

WHEN QUESTIONED ABOUT THE TYPE OF PLANES THE NAVY EXPECTS TO BUY WITH THE EXTRA $100,000,000, THE ADMIRAL SAID IT DOES NOT PROPOSE TO PURCHASE ANY JETS WHICH COULD NOT BE OPERATED FROM THE PRESENT LARGE-SIZE CARRIERS SUCH AS THE 45,000 TON FRANKLIN D.ROOXEVELT AND ITS SISTER SHIPS.

THAT BROUGHT ON THE QUESTION AS TO WHAT SHERMAN THINKS ABOUT THE 65,000 TON TYPE DESIGNED WITH A FLUSH-DECK SO AS TO PROVIDE LONGER RUNS FOR THE HEAVIER JET PLANES.

THE ADMIRAL REPLIED HE WOULD RECOMMEND CONSTRUCTION OF SUCH LARGE CARRIERS WHENEVER THE FUNDS ARE MADE AVAILABLE.

SHERMAN SAID EVENTUALLY PRESENT DAY CARRIERS WOULD HAVE TO BE REPLACED BY THE LARGE FLUSH-DECK TYPE, BUT RIGHT NOW, HE SAID, IT IS A MATTER OF WHAT CAN BE DONE WITH THE MONEY AVAILABLE.

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A155WX
CARRIERS (210)

WASHINGTON,APRIL 27-(AP)-ADMIRAL FORREST SHERMAN SAID TODAY IT WILL BE NECESSARY "IN THE LONG RUN" TO BUILD LARGE FLUSH DECK AIRCRAFT CARRIERS, POSSIBLY OF THE TYPE OF THE ABANDONED UNITED STATES.

THE CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS, IN RESPONSE TO PERSISTENT QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE, SAID THIS WILL BE NECESSARY BECAUSE OF THE INCREASING WEIGHT AND SPEED OF JET PLANES.

CONSTRUCTION OF THE UNITED STATES, A GIANT FLUSH-DECK CARRIER WHICH HAD REACHED THE HULL-LAYING STAGE, WAS STOPPED BY ORDER OF SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON SHORTLY AFTER HE TOOK OFFICE A YEAR AGO.

SHERMAN INDICATED THAT IF MONEY WERE AVAILABLE HE WOULD LIKE TO SEE A START MADE ON REPLACING EXISTING CARRIERS BY THE LARGE FLUSH DECK TYPE.

FLUSH DECK MEANS PUTTING THE CONTROL ROOMS, RADAR TOWERS AND OTHER EQUIPMENT NOW HOUSED IN A CARRIER'S "ISLAND" BELOW DECKS, LEAVING THE TOP OF THE VESSEL COMPLETELY CLEAR FOR PLANE LANDINGS.

IN RESPONSE TO A QUESTION FROM REP.RIVERS (D-SC), SHERMAN SAID HE WOULD RECOMMEND CONSTRUCTION OF GIANT CARRIERS WHENEVER THE BUILDING PROGRAM AND APPROPRIATIONS WOULD PERMIT.

HE SAID THAT RIGHT NOW IT IS A MATTER OF WHAT CAN BE DONE. AND THE FIRST PRIORITY IS TO BRING EXISTING CARRIERS UP TO THE ESSEX CLASS, HE SAID.

"NEXT WILL BE THEIR REPLACEMENT," HE CONTINUED. "IT WILL BE A VERY LARGE AND COSTLY PROGRAM. IN THE LONG RUN IT WILL HAVE TO BE DONE."

SHERMAN WAS MAKING HIS SECOND APPEARANCE IN TESTIFYING ON A BILL, INTRODUCED BY CHAIRMAN VINSON (D-GA) TO AUTHORIZE AN EXPENDITURE OF $500,000,000 TO BUILD RADICALLY NEW TYPES OF SMALL COMBAT VESSELS, INCLUDING AN ATOMIC EMPOWERED SUBMARINE.

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(330) G.I. NUMBERS

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BY ARTHUR EDSON

WASHINGTON,APRIL 27-(AP)-THAT SERIAL NUMBER YOU G.I.'S WORE DURING THE WAR. REMEMBER HOW THE ARMY OR THE NAVY OR THE MARINES ALWAYS SAID IT WAS YOUR VERY OWN? AND THAT THEY ALWAYS GAVE A DIFFERENT ONE TO EVERY CUSTOMER?

WELL, IT TURNS OUT THERE WERE SOME DUPLICATIONS AFTER ALL. MATTER OF FACT, A LOT OF THEM.

HOW MANY DUPLICATIONS, NO ONE KNOWS FOR SURE.

THE CASE OF THE DUPLICATE SERIAL NUMBERS STARTED TO DEVELOP WHEN THI VETERANS ADMINISTRATION (VA) BEGAN PAYING OFF SPECIAL DIVIDENDS ON G.I. INSURANCE.

ONE OF THOSE BIG MACHINES THAT LIVES ON PUNCHED CARDS WENT TO WORK. IT HADN'T BEEN ON THE JOB LONG BEFORE IT KICKED OUT TWO CARDS FOR THE SAME NUMBER.

THE MACHINE WAS CALM ABOUT ITS ACCOMPLISHMENT, BUT THE VA PEOPLE WEREN'T. THEY KNEW THEY WERE IN FOR A LONG, HARD PULL--AND THEY HAVE BEEN.

THE VA PEOPLE SAY THE DUPLICATION SHOWED UP MORE AMONG OFFICERS THAN ENLISTED MEN. ONE ERROR: THE ARMY, NAVY AND MARINES MIGHT EACH ASSIGN THE SAME NUMBER.

BUT THERE ALSO WERE DUPLICATIONS WITHIN THE SERVICES, AND THAT WENT FOR ENLISTED MEN AS WELL AS OFFICERS, A VA SPOKESMAN SAID.

"I DON'T KNOW WHY," SAID THE VA MAN, "I GUESS THEY WERE HUSTLING THEM THROUGH THE INDUCTION CENTERS TOO FAST."

OF THE 21,000,000 CHECKS TO BE DISTRIBUTED, AROUND 1,000,000 HAVE HAD TO BE HAND PROCESSED. SOME OF THESE CROPPED UP BECAUSE OF DUPLICATIONS, BUT THERE ARE OTHER REASONS.

THE VA MAN GAVE THIS EXAMPLE:

"I'LL SHOW YOU WHAT YOU CAN RUN INTO.

"SUPPOSE A GUY ENLISTS AND TAKES OUT $2,000 IN INSURANCE. LATER ON, HE BECOMES AN OFFICER, AND TAKES OUT $8,000 MORE.

"NOW SUPPOSE HE MISSED A PAYMENT 'WAY BACK THERE. WELL, WE TRY TO COLLECT THAT FIRST, BUT HE SAYS HE PAID IT IN TIME.

"NOW TO MAKE THIS JUST DANDY, SUPPOSE THIS GUY AS THE SAME NUMBER SOME OTHER GUY HAS. IT CAN GET COMPLICATED."

BY THE WAY, IF YOUR NAME IS ZYWUSKOBLONSKIVICH, YOUR CHECK ALSO WILL BE HAND PROCESSED.

THAT'S BECAUSE THE MACHINE WON'T HANDLE THE CARD ON ANYBODY WHO HAS MORE THAN 15 LETTERS IN HIS LAST NAME.

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WASHINGTON, APRIL 27-(AP)-THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT TODAY BROADENED RESTRICTIONS ON EXPORTS OF BORON CARBIDE IN A MOVE TO TIGHTEN CONTROLS OVER ANY SHIPMENTS TO COMMUNIST AREAS.

IT SAID A LICENSE WILL BE REQUIRED TO MAKE A SHIPMENT OF MORE THAN $100 WORTH OF THE ABRASIVE MATERIAL TO ANY FOREIGN COUNTRY EXCEPT CANADA HITHERTO, THE LICENSE REQUIREMENT APPLIED ONLY ON SHIPMENTS TO EUROPE.

AT THE SAME TIME, THE DEPARTMENT AUTHORIZED UNLICENSED SHIPMENT OF UP TO $500 WORTH OF "AUTOMOBILE PARTS FOR ASSEMBLY--EXCEPT ACCESSORIES" TO ANY FOREIGN COUNTRY.

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JACKSONVILLE, ALA., APRIL 27-(AP)-IF ANOTHER WAR SHOULD COME, AMERICA SHOULD SEEK TO NEGOTIATE A PEACE FROM THE OUTSET OF HOSTILITIES, AN ARIZONA EDITOR SAID TODAY.

WILLIAM R. MATHEWS, EDITOR OF THE ARIZONA DAILY STAR, TOLD A JACKSONVILLE STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE AUDIENCE:

"IN THE EVENT OF A WAR WITH RUSSIA, THE VERY FIRST BOMBER SHOULD CARRY PROPAGANDA SETTING FORTH A PROGRAM OF LIMITED OBJECTIVES AND OFFERING TO DEAL WITH WHATEVER REGIME IS IN POWER.

"WE SHOULD MAKE IT PLAIN THAT WE WANT NOT A SINGLE INCH OF EUROPEAN TERRITORY."

MATHEWS SAID AMERICA'S HISTORY IS ONE OF FIGHTING FOR LIMITED OBJECTIVES, AND THAT WE SHOULD NOT, AS WE DID FOLLOWING THE LAST WAR, "ATTEMPT TO REFORM THE WORLD."

NO ONE POLITICAL POWER OR IDEA HAS EVER CONQUERED THE WORLD, HE ADDED, AND NONE WILL.

"COMMUNISM MUST BE STOPPED," THE WORLD TRAVELER DECLARED, "AND IT WILL BE STOPPED." RESPONSIBILITY FOR HALTING COMMUNISM, HE ADDED, RESTS PRINCIPALLY UPON AMERICA.

THE ARIZONA EDITOR ASSERTED THAT AMERICA MUST NOT HESITATE TO USE "A LITTLE FORCE TO PUT OUT A SMALL FIRE--WITH RESTRAINT BUT WITH DETERMINATION THAT IF CHALLENGED--ALL OUR MIGHT AND POWER WILL BE USED."

MATHEWS SPOKE UNDER THE JOINT SPONSORSHIP OF THE ANNISTON STAR, AN AFTERNOON DAILY, AND THE COLLEGE.

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NIGHT LEAD SWARMER (270)

BY LATHAN MIMS

FORT BRAGG, N.C., APRIL 27-(AP)-THE ARMY AND THE AIR FORCE WERE READY TONIGHT TO THROW THEIR GREATEST POST-WAR PRACTICE PUNCH IN A TEST OF MODERN AIR-LAND WARFARE.

THE TEST FOR THE NEW AIR-LAND CONCEPT IS EXERCISE SWARMER WHICH IS USING 60,000 MEN AND 675 PLANES IS TOMORROW. THEN U.S. FORCES WILL STRIKE BACK AT A MYTHICAL ENEMY AGGRESSOR THAT IS FIRMLY ENTRENCHED IN THE CAROLINAS.

ARMY AND AIR FORCE PLANNERS HOPE SWARMER WILL BE THE PROVING GROUND FOR THEIR IDEAS ON HOW A GLOBAL WAR SHOULD BE FOUGHT.

AIRMEN, STREAKING THROUGH THE SKIES IN MODERN JET-POWERED FIGHTER-BOMBERS, WORKED AROUND-THE-CLOCK TODAY HITTING ANTI-AIRCRAFT BATTERIES AND TANKS. OTHER JETS MADE FINAL PHOTOGRAPHS OF THE DROP ZONES THAT WILL BE CLUTERED WITH AIRDORNE TRAFFIC TOMORROW.

THE FIRST WAVE OF PARATROOPERS WILL LEAVE THE GREENVILLE, S.C. AIRBASE BEFORE DAWN AS THEY AND SUCCEEDING PLANES MOVE TOWARD THE AIRHEAD AT CAMP MACKAIL, N.C. FRIENDLY JETS, BASED AT SHAW FIELD, S.C., WILL FLY A PROTECTIVE COVER.

A RADAR SCREEN, BASED AT CANDOR AND AT RALEIGH, WILL SCAN THE CAROLINA SANDHILLS AREA IN SEARCH OF ENEMY PLANES. AND AIR FORCE OFFICERS, DROPPING WITH THE PARATROOPERS, WILL CALL FOR THE JETS TO HIT ENEMY GROUND RESISTANCE.

ONE REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM FROM THE 11TH AIRBORNE DIVISION WILL LEAVE CAMP CAMPBELL, KY., AS THE AIRHEAD IS BEING SECURED. IT WILL REINFORCE THE AIRHEAD.

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MEANWHILE, A FORCE OF 25 B-29 SUPERFORTRESSES AND B-50 BOMBERS FROM BARKSDALE FIELD, LA., WILL BOMBARD ANOTHER ENEMY FORCE IN FLORIDA TO PREVENT IT FROM HELPING THE CAROLINA INVADER.

THE ARMY AND THE AIR FORCE HOPE TO HAVE THE AIRHEAD IN FULL OPERATION BY MID-AFTERNOON TOMORROW. THEN, A CONSTANT STREAM OF GIANT CARRIERS WILL MOVE IN AT THREE-MINUTE INTERVALS TO FEED THE TONNAGE TO THE GROUND FORCES.

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NIGHT LEAD JOLIOT-CURIE

BY ROBERT C.WILSON

PARIS, APRIL 28-(AP)-THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT TODAY FIRED FREDERIC JOLIOT-CURIE, OUTSPOKEN FRENCH COMMUNIST SCIENTIST, AS HEAD OF ITS ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION. IT ALSO THREW HIM OUT OF THE FRENCH INSTITUTE OF SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH.

THE ACTION, EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY, WAS ACCLAIMED BY MODERATE AND RIGHTIST POLITICAL LEADERS ALIKE. JOLIOT-CURIE HIMSELF MADE NO PUBLIC COMMENT.

A COMMUNIST DEPUTY, ROGER GARAUDY, DECLARED THE FIRING A BLOW TO SCIENCE AND TO PEACE AND DEMANDED A PARLIAMENTARY DEBATE.

THE MOSCOW RADIO CARRIED NEWS OF THE DISMISSAL WITHOUT COMMENT.

THE LEAN, 50-YEAR-OLD ATOMIC FISSION SPECIALIST DREW FIRE BY A DECLARATION APRIL 5 TO THE 12TH NATIONAL CONGRESS OF THE FRENCH COMMUNIST PARTY: "COMMUNIST SCIENTISTS WILL NEVER CONTRIBUTE A PARTICLE OF THEIR SCIENCE TO A WAR AGAINST THE SOVIET UNION."

FRANCE'S CENTER AND RIGHT-WING PRESS DESCRIBED HIS STATEMENT AS TREASONABLE AND DEMANDED THAT HE BE DISMISSED.

THE CABINET DECISION WAS ANNOUNCED BY MINISTER OF STATE HENRI TEITGEN, WHO QUOTED PREMIER GEORGES BIDAULT AS SAYING:

"FOR ALL THE SCIENTIFIC MERITS OF THIS SCIENTIST, HIS PUBLIC STATEMENTS AND HIS UNQUALIFIED ACCEPTANCE OF RESOLUTIONS VOTED BY THE GENNEVILLIERS CONGRESS OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY MADE IT IMPOSSIBLE TO MAINTAIN HIM IN HIS FUNCTIONS OF HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR ATOMIC ENERGY."

THE GOVERNMENT GAVE NO INDICATION WHO JOLIOT-CURIE'S SUCCESSOR WILL BE

THE FORMER NOBEL PRIZE WINNER WAS APPOINTED IN 1946 BY GEN. CHARLES DE GAULLE--THEN PRESIDENT--TO HEAD FRANCE'S ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION.

THE AMERICAN PRESS AND UNOFFICIAL OBSERVERS IN THE UNITED STATES, WHICH IS SUPPLYING FRANCE WITH ARMS UNDER THE ATLANTIC PACT, HAVE FREQUENTLY QUESTIONED THE ADVISABILITY OF KEEPING A COMMUNIST LIKE JOLIOT-CURIE IN SUCH A HIGH POST.

THE OFFICIAL REACTION IN WASHINGTON TO THE DISMISSAL APPEARED TO BE "HOW BIG A HOUSECLEANING DOES THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT PLAN?"

INFORMED OBSERVERS IN THE U.S. CAPITAL SAID IT LONG HAS BEEN ASSUMED THERE THAT, SINCE A COMMUNIST HEADED THE COMMISSION, FRANCE'S WHOLE ATOMIC ORGANIZATION MUST BE RIDDLED WITH COMMUNISTS AND THE FIRING OF ANY ONE OF THEM WOULD HAVE NO GREAT SIGNIFICANCE IN CLEANING UP THE SITUATION.

JOLIOT-CURIE, IN HIS CAPACITY AS FRANCE'S ATOMIC RESEARCH BOSS, WITNESSED THE AMERICAN ATOMIC EXPLOSIONS AT BIKINI IN 1946. THE PREVIOUS YEAR HE ANNOUNCED HE WAS JOINING THE COMMUNIST PARTY.

JOLIOT-CURIE WAS BORN JEAN FREDERIC JOLIOT OF WELL-TO-DO PARENTS. HE ADDED THE NAME CURIE TO HIS OWN NAME AFTER HIS MARRIAGE IN 1926 TO IRENE CURIE, DAUGHTER OF MME.MARIE CURIE, CO-DISCOVERED OF RADIUM. FORMATION OF SUCH HYPHENATED NAMES IS NOT UNCOMMON IN FRANCE, ESPECIALLY WHEN THE WIFE IS FROM A PROMINENT FAMILY. LEGALLY, HOWEVER, THE SCIENTIST IS LISTED AS FREDERIC JOLIOT.

AN ABLE SCIENTIST, JOLIOT-CURIE AT THE AGE OF 25 WAS AN ASSISTANT TO MME.CURIE IN THE FRENCH RADIUM INSTITUTE. HE COLLABORATED WITH HER IN RESEARCH ON RADIOACTIVITY.

HE AND HIS WIFE, WON THE NOBEL PRIZE FOR CHEMISTRY IN 1935.

WHEN FRANCE WENT TO WAR IN 1939, JOLIOT-CURIE WAS COMMISSIONED A CAPATAIN AND ASSIGNED TO THE NATIONAL CENTER OF SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH TO TAKE CHARGE OF THE LABORATORIES OF THE INSTITUTE OF RADIUM, OF THE NUCLEAR CHEMISTRY DEPARTMENT OF THE COLLEGE OF FRANCE AND THE LABORATORY OF ATOMIC SYNTHESIS.

THIS POST ENTAILED THE SUPERVISION AND COORDINATION OF ALL FRENCH RESEARCH IN THE FIELD OF ATOMIC FISSION.

AFTER THE GERMANS OCCUPIED FRANCE, JOLIOT-CURIE TOOK AN ACTIVE PART IN THE UNDERGROUND. HE HELPED ORGANIZE THE RESISTANCE MOVEMENT "FRONT NATIONAL" OF WHICH HE BECAME PRESIDENT.

FOR HIS WORK IN THE RESISTANCE, JOLIOT-CURIE WAS NAMED COMMANDER OF THE LEGION OF HONOR AND WAS AWARDED THE CROIX DE GUERRE.

AFTER THE LIBERATION OF PARIS HE WAS NAMED DIRECTOR OF THE NATIONAL CENTER OF SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH. HE WAS SENT ALSO TO THE PROVISIONAL CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY, FROM WHICH HE SOON RESIGNED.

BY DECEMBER, 1948, LESS THAN TWO YEARS AFTER DE GAULLE HAD PUT HIM IN CHARGE OF FRENCH ATOMIC ENERGY RESEARCH, JOLIOT-CURIE HAD CONCEIVED AND PUT INTO OPERATION A SMALL ATOMIC ENERGY PILE.

GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS REPEATEDLY HAVE STATED THAT FRANCE IS NOT TRYING TO DEVELOP ATOM BOMBS, BUT IS EXPERIMENTING WITH ATOMIC ENERGY FOR PEACEFUL PURPOSES.

JOLIOT-CURIE'S NAME HAS FREQUENTLY BEEN LINKED WITH COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES. LATE LAST YEAR HE ATTENDED A MEETING OF THE PRO-SOVIET PEACE PARTISANS. SHORTLY THEREAFTER HE WENT TO MOSCOW.

HIS SPEECHES HAVE CONSISTENTLY DEFENDED THE POSITION OF RUSSIA IN THE DIPLOMATIC STRUGGLE AND HE HAS MADE MANY ATTACKS ON AMERICAN "WARMONGERS."

RIGHTIST DEPUTY PAUL REYNAUD, RECENTLY RETURNED FROM A TRIP TO THE UNITED STATES DECLARED THE DISMISSAL "WAS THE ONLY SOLUTION."

JOHN PAUL DAVID, HEAD OF THE MOERATE RADICAL SOCIALIST PARTY, SAID: "FRANCE COULDN'T KEEP ON IN SUCH A POST A MEMBER OF A PARTY THAT HAS SWORN ABSOLUTE OBEDIENCE TO STALIN."

MAX LE JEUNE, SOCIALIST DEPUTY, DECLARED "NO NATION, ANXIOUS ABOUT ITS INDEPENDENCE, COULD KEEP SUCH A MAN IN SUCH A POST."

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FIRST LEAD JOLIOT-CURIE

PARIS, APRIL 28-(AP)-THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT TODAY FIRED COMMUNIST SCIENTIST FREDERIC JOLIOT-CURIE AS CHIEF OF FRANCE'S ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION AND OUSTED HIM FROM THE GOVERNMENT'S INSTITUTE OF SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH.

HE WAS DISMISSED ON THE BASIS OF HIS RECENT STATEMENTS TO THE GENNEVILLIERS CONGRESS OF THE FRENCH COMMUNIST PARTY, WHERE HE PLEDGED THAT COMMUNIST SCIENTISTS WOULD NEVER CONTRIBUTE THEIR GENIUS TO "A WAR AGAINST THE SOVIET UNION."

THE CABINET DECISION, FOLLOWING MUCH PUBLIC CLAMOR, WAS ANNOUNCED BY PIERRE HENRI TEITGEN, MINISTER OF STATE. TEITGEN QUOTED PREMIER GEORGES BIDAULT AS TELLING THE CABINET:

"FOR ALL THE SCIENTIFIC MERITS OF THIS SCIENTIST, HIS PUBLIC STATEMENTS AND HIS UNQUALIFIED ACCEPTANCE OF RESOLUTIONS VOTED BY THE GENNEVILLIERS CONGRESS OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY MADE IT IMPOSSIBLE TO MAINTAIN HIM IN HIS FUNCTIONS OF HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR ATOMIC ENERGY."

THE ACTION WAS EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY.

THE CABICET GAVE NO INDICATION WHO JOLIOT-CURIE'S SUCCESSOR WOULD BE.

FRANCE HAS A SMALL ATOMIC PILE IN OPERATION. GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS REPEATEDLY HAVE STATED THAT FRANCE IS NOT TRYING TO DEVELOP ATOM BOMBS, BUT IS EXPERIMENTING WITH ATOMIC ENERGY FOR PEACEFUL USES.

JOLIOT-CURIE, IN HIS CAPACITY AS FRANCE'S ATOMIC RESEARCH BOSS, WITNESSED THE AMERICAN ATOMIC EXPLOSIONS AT BIKINI IN 1946.

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CENTER AND RIGHT MAILING LEADERS AND NEWSPAPERS HAVE BEEN DEMANDING SUCH ACTION EVER SINCE JOLIOT-CURIE TOLD THE 12TH NATIONAL CONGRESS OF THE FRENCH COMMUNIST PARTY EARLY THIS MONTH THAT "COMMUNIST SCIENTISTS WILL NEVER CONTRIBUTE A PARTICLE OF THEIR SCIENCE TO A WAR AGAINST THE SOVIET UNION."

THIS WAS ASSAILED BY THE NON-LEFTIST PRESS AS A SENTIMENT WHICH SHOULD DISQUALIFY JOLIOT-CURIE FROM HOLDING SUCH A VITAL POSITION. SOCIALIST NEWSPAPERS ALSO ATTACKED THE SCIENTIST'S STATEMENTS AT THE TIME, ALTHOUGH THEY DID NOT SPECIFICALLY DEMAND HIS OUSTER.

THE CABINET OF PREMIER GEORGES BIDAULT REACHED THE DECISION IN A SESSION THIS MORNING.

THE 50-YEAR-OLD SCIENTIST, NOBEL PRIZE WINNER IN CHEMISTRY IN 1935, WAS APPOINTED IN 1946 BY GEN. CHARLES DE GAULLE, THEN PRESIDENT, TO HEAD THE FRENCH ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION.

SINCE THAT TIME JOLIOT-CURIE'S NAME FREQUENTLY HAS BEEN ASSOCIATED WITH COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES. LATE LAST YEAR HE ATTENDED THE ROME MEETING OF THE PRO-SOVIET PEACE PARTISANS, WHICH SPEARHEADED A COMMUNIST-BLESSED WORLD PEACE CONGRESS. SHORTLY THEREAFTER HE VISITED MOSCOW.

THE SCIENTIST'S SPEECHES INVARIABLY DEFENDED THE POSITION OF THE SOVIET UNION IN THE POSTWAR DIPLOMATIC STRUGGLE. HIS COMMENTS AT COMMUNIST-SPONSORED MEETINGS CAUSED A BROAD SECTION OF FRENCH OPINION TO ATTACK HIM AS UNTRUSTWORTHY IN HIS POST.

AN ABLE SCIENTIST, JOLIOT-CURIE AT THE AGE OF 25 WAS AN ASSISTANT TO MME. MARIE CURIE, CO-DISCOVERER OF RADIUM, IN THE FRENCH RADIUM INSTITUTE. HE COLLABORATED WITH HER IN RESEARCH ON RADIOACTIVITY.

IN 1926 HE MARRIED IRENE CURIE, MARIE CURIE'S DAUGHTER AND ASSISTANT. IN 1933 JOLIOT-CURIE WON THE PRIX HENRI WILDE AND IN 1934, THE PRIX MARQUET, PRIZES AWARDED BY THE ACADEMY OF SCIENCE, AND LATER HE WAS NAMED TO THE RESEARCH STAFF OF THE NATIONAL CENTER OF SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH. AT THE SAME TIME HE BECAME SECRETARY OF THE FRENCH SOCIETY OF PHYSICS AND A MEMBER OF THE INTERNATIONAL COMMISSION ON RADIUM.

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JOLIOT-CURIE (220)

WASHINGTON, APRIL 28-(AP)-FRANCE' SDISMISSAL OF FREDERIC JOLIOT-CURIE, COMMUNIST SCIENTIST, AS ITS ATOMIC ENERGY CHIEF DREW THIS REACTION IN OFFICIAL WASHINGTON TODAY:

"HOW BIG A HOUSECLEANING DOES THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT PLAN?"

AMERICAN OFFICIALS DEFINITELY DO NOT REGARD THE FIRING OF THE COMMUNIST SCIENTIST AS A MOVE BY THE FRENCH TO DEVELOP A CLOSER RELATIONSHIP WITH THE UNITED STATES IN ATOMIC ENERGY MATTERS.

THEY SAID THIS IS OBVIOUSLY OUT OF THE QUESTION, AS ILLUSTRATED BY THE DIFFICULTIES ENCOUNTERED DURING THE PAST YEAR IN TRYING TO STRENGTHEN THE WARBORN ATOMIC PARTNERSHIP AMONG THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND CANADA.

THE JOLIOT-CURIE AFFAIR, IT WAS SAID HERE, HAS BEEN REGARDED AS A FRENCH MATTER FROM THE BEGINNING; THE FRENCH DID NOT SHARE AMERICA ATOMIC SECRETS, AND THE UNITED STATES NEVER RAISED ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT THE POLITICAL VIEWS OF FRANCE'S ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION DIRECTOR.

AS A MATTER OF FACT, HOWEVER, INFORMED PERSONS SAID IT LONG HAS BEEN ASSUMED HERE THAT SINCE A COMMUNIST HEADED THE COMMISSION, FRANCE'S WHOLE ATOMIC ORGANIZATION MUST BE RIDDLED WITH COMMUNISTS AND THE FIRING OF ANY ONE OF THEM HAS NO GREAT SIGNIFICANCE IN CLEANING UP THE SITUATION.

THE QUESTION RATHER IS, HOW FAR WILL THE REORGANIZATION GO?

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London, Saturday, April 29--(AP)--The secretariat of the permanent committee of the "World Peace Congress" in Paris said today the dismissal of Communist Frederic Joliot Curie from France's Atomic Energy Commission was a "submission to the foes of world peace."

The [redacted] "peace congress" statement was distributed here in a dis-

It recalled that Joliot-Curie, [redacted] had been the first to sign an appeal against the use of atomic bombs

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adopted by the congress's committee in Stockholm March 19. This appeal said the bomb should be banned unconditionally and that the first government to use it should be held guilty of war crimes.

The congress statement said that Jolio-Curie's removal from chairman-

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ship of France's atomic committee "is a result of a frenzied campaign launched by certain organs of the world press.

"In the eyes of all men and women who are fighting for peace in all

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countries, it will apear as an open encroachment on the cause of peace and

as a submission to the foes of world peace."

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PARIS, APRIL 28-(AP)-A DRAMATIC PLEA BY FORMER TENNIS STAR JEAN BOROTRA YESTERDAY FAILED TO SAVE HIS FORMER WIFE FROM A 10-YEAR FORCED LABOR SENTENCE.
TRIED IN ABSENTIA UNDER THE NAME OF MABEL DE FOREST, SHE WAS ACCUSED OF HAVING BEEN AN INFORMER FOR THE GERMAN GESTAPO.
APPEARING UNEXPECTEDLY IN COURT, BOROTRA SAID HE HAD NOT SEEN HIS FORMER WIFE SINCE NOVEMBER, 1943, BUT THAT SHE "IS NOT GUILTY OF THE ODIOUS ACTS IMPUTED TO HER.
"HER SENSITIVE NATURE MAKES IT IMPOSSIBLE," HE DECLARED, ADDING THAT SHE HAD NOT WANTED TO GO TO GERMANY BUT HAD BEEN SENT THERE AS A FORCED LABORER.
THE PROSECUTOR LAUDED WHAT HE TERMED BOROTRA'S SPORTSMANLIKE GESTURE BUT SAID "THE JURISPRUDENCE AND THE LAW PREVENTS US FROM HEARING YOU." THE COURT FOUND HER GUILTY.
THE TENNIS STAR'S FORMER WIFE HAS BEEN ILL AND IS LIVING IN A SWISS SANITORIUM.
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PARIS, APRIL 28-(AP)-THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT WON AN EASY 349 TO 178 CONFIDENCE VOTE TODAY IN THE LOWER HOUSE OF PARLIAMENT ON ITS HANDLING OF RECENT COMMUNIST RIOTS.
THE VOTE CLIMAXED A MILD DEBATE BEGUN YESTERDAY WHEN THE COMMUNISTS CHARGED POLICE WITH BRUTALITIES AND WITH ILLEGALLY ARRESTING TWO COMMUNIST DEPUTIES. A FRENCH WORKER WAS KILLED BY A BULLET DURING A RIOT AT BREST TWO WEEKS AGO.
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PARIS, APRIL 28 P)-THREE MEMBERS OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S WHITE HOUSE STAFF FLEW TO PARIS TODAY IN MR.TRUMAN'S PLANE, THE INDEPENDENCE, FOR AN INFORMAL VISIT.
THEY WERE MAJ.GEN.HARRY H.VAUGHAN, THE PRESIDENT'S PERSONAL MILITARY ADVISOR; BRIG.GEN.ROBERT B.LANDRY, THE PRESIDENT'S AIR FORCE AID; WILLIAM D.HASSET, A PRESIDENTIAL SECRETARY.
ON SUNDAY THEY WILL GO TO LONDON TO MEET PAKISTAN PREMIER LIAQUAT ALI KHAN AND HIS WIFE AND FLY THEM TO WASHINGTON FOR AN OFFICIAL VISIT.
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AMS BUDGET (450)
NIGHT LEAD TROOPERS
BY THOMAS A.REEDY
BERLIN, APRIL 28-(AP)-TWO COMMUNIST STORM TROOPERS OF THE EAST GERMAN "PEOPLE'S POLICE," ARRESTED WHEN THEY WANDERED INTO WEST BERLIN, TODAY CONFIRMED REPORTS THAT SOVIET RUSSIA IS REARMING EAST GERMANY WITH ARMY, AIR FORCE AND SEA UNITS.
THE TWO PLEADED GUILTY IN U.S. DISTRICT COURT TO ENTERING THE AMERICAN SECTOR OF BERLIN WITH SIX COMRADES IN PARA-MILITARY UNIFORM, CARRYING ARMY PISTOLS AND TRANSPORTING OLD WEHRMACHT MACHINEGUNS AND ASSAULT RIFLES.
THE DEFENDANTS, LT.HEINZ ERICH NOCHT, 21, AND PATROLMAN WILHELM ROLOFF, 22, SAID THEY DID NOT KNOW THAT WEARING UNIFORMS AND CARRYING MILITARY WEAPONS WERE FORBIDDEN BY THE YALTA AND POTSDAM AGREEMENTS AND THE FOUR-POWER ALLIED CONTROL COUNCIL LAW DISARMING ALL GERMANS IN 1945.
NOCHT AND ROLOFF TESTIFIED THEY WERE UNDER THE IMPRESSION THEY WERE TAKING UP ORDINARY POLICE WORK IN 1949 WHEN THEY VOLUNTEERED FOR THE SOVIET ZONE "PEOPLE'S POLICE."
THEY GAVE THE COURT THESE OBSERVATIONS:
AFTER A SHORT TRAINING AS POLICEMEN, INCLUDING LAW COURSES, THEY WERE INSTALLED IN A "BEREITSCHAFT" -- AN ALERT UNIT. THERE ARE 36 ALERT UNITS OF 1,000 MEN EACH -- THE EQUIVALENT OF THREE ARMY DIVISIONS. THEY ARE BEING TRAINED DEEP IN THE SOVIET ZONE, UNDER THE EYE OF RUSSIAN SECRET POLICE OFFICERS.
TANKS, ARMORED CARS, LIGHT AND HEAVY MACHINEGUNS, GRENADES AND ASSAULT RIFLES ARE USED IN DAILY COMBAT EXERCISES, FOLLOWED BY "POLITICAL EDUCATION" CLASSES UNDER COMMUNIST COMMISSARS.
THE TRAINING IS CONDUCTED BY OLD WEHRMACHT OFFICERS.
ROLOFF TESTIFIED THERE IS A BUDDING LUFTWAFFE (AIRFORCE) AND NOCHT DESCRIBED THE BEREITSCHAFT IN SCHWERIN AS A NAVAL UNIT, PRESUMABLY COAST GUARD.
ALLIED INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS HAVE LONG CONTENDED THE EAST GERMAN POLICE FORCE WAS EXPANDING INTO AN ARMY WITH FIELD WEAPONS. WESTERN AUTHORITIES MAINTAIN THE RUSSIANS ARE FORGING AN ARMY OUT OF THE EAST GERMAN POLICE TO KEEP THEIR GERMAN COMMUNIST PROTEGES IN POWER IF AND WHEN THE SOVIET ARMY TROOPS ARE WITHDRAWN.
MEANWHILE, THE COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA MACHINE GRINDS OUT DAILY CHARGES THAT WEST GERMANY IS BEING MADE THE BASE FOR AGGRESSION AGAINST RUSSIA.
WESTERN GERMANS ARE FORBIDDEN ANY MILITARY ACTIVITY UNDER THE TERMS OF THE 1945 AGREEMENT. EVEN THEIR EFFORTS TO INCREASE HEAVY INDUSTRY, PARTICIPATE IN CIVIL AVIATION OR MANUFACTURE SMALL FIREARMS ARE CHECKED BY THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE.
U.S. DISTRICT ATTORNEY IRVIN ROBBINS OF CHICAGO SAID NOCHT AND ROLOFF ENTERED WEST BERLIN BY ACCIDENT. THEY WERE ENROUTE FROM MAGDEBURG TO EAST BERLIN. THEY DID NOT RESIST ARREST AND, ON LEARNING OF THE FOUR-POWER REGULATIONS "FOR THE FIRST TIME IN THEIR LIVES," ROBBINS SAID, THEY OFFERED TO PLEAD GUILTY.
GERMAN COUNSEL SAID NOCHT HAS KNOWN NOTHING BUT UNIFORMS SINCE HE WAS INDUCTED INTO HITLER'S ARMY AT THE AGE OF 16, IN 1944, AND ROLOFF HAD ALMOST THE SAME EXPERIENCE.
THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY SAID THE EXISTENCE OF A PARA-MILITARY FORCE "STRIKES AT THE VERY CORE OF THE OCCUPATION." HE SAID THE RUSSIAN AUTHORITIES SHOULD HAVE LONG AGO DESTROYED THE EQUIPMENT NOW BEING ISSUED TO THE PEOPLES' POLICE.
"THESE MEN ARE PARTICIPANTS," ROBBINS SAID, "BUT WE MUST LOOK BEYOND THEM TO THE REAL CAUSE."
ROBBINS SAID PUNISHING THE TWO DEFENDANTS WOULD NOT "REACH THE REAL CAUSE ANYWAY" AND HE RECOMMENDED A MINIMUM SENTENCE. THE MAXIMUM IS 10 YEARS IMPRISONMENT.
THE TWO WILL BE SENTENCED MONDAY BY JUDGE JOHN SABO OF GARY, IND. THE SIX OTHER TROOPERS WILL GO ON TRIAL TUESDAY.
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BY THOMAS A.REEDY

BERLIN, APRIL 27-(AP)-A YOUNG EAST GERMAN "PEOPLE'S POLICE" OFFICER TESTIFIED TODAY THAT THE SOVIET ZONE OF GERMANY IS DEVELOPING A FULL-SCALE WAR MACHINE COMPLETE WITH ARMOR, NAVAL UNITS AND AIR FORCE INSTRUCTION.

THE TESTIMONY WAS GIVEN IN U.S.DISTRICT COURT BY LT.HEINZ ERICH NOCHT, A PEOPLE'S POLICEMAN ARRESTED WITH SEVEN COMRADES WHILE RIDING THROUGH THE AMERICAN SECTOR OF BERLIN ON APRIL 13 IN A TRUCK BIRSTLING WITH ARMS.

NOCHT AND PATROLMAN WILHELM ROLLER, 22, PLEADED GUILTY TO WEARING THE UNIFORM OF A SEMI-MILITARY ORGANIZATION, CARRYING MILITARY WEAPONS AND TRANSPORTATION WAR MATERIAL IN THE FORM OF ASSAULT RIFLES AND MACHINE PISTOLS. THE OTHER SIX POLICE WILL BE TRIED NEXT WEEK.

U.S.DISTRICT ATTORNEY IRVIN ROBBINS OF CHICAGO SAID THE MEN VIOLATED PROVISION OF THE YALTA AND POTSDAM PACTS UNDER WHICH IT WAS AGREED TO KEEP ALL MILITARY WEAPONS OUT OF GERMAN HANDS.

NOCHT SAID HE WAS TAUGHT ACTUAL POLICE WORK FOR A FEW WEEKS AFTER HE FIRST JOINED THE PEOPLE'S POLICE, THEN WAS TRANSFERRED TO AN "ALERT" UNIT IN SACHSEN-ANHALT.

HE SAID THERE ARE 36 OF THESE UNITS, EACH HAVING FROM 800 TO 1,000 RECRUITS, AND WORKING WITH TANKS, ARMORED CARS, HIGH POWERED ASSAULT RIFLES AND MACHINE PISTOLS.

NOCHT TOLD THE PRESIDING JUDGE JOHN SABO OF GARY, IND., THERE IS A NAVAL UNIT IN SCHWERIN AND SOME CLASSES ARE BEING TAUGHT AIR FORCE TECHNIQUE. HE SAID HE DID NOT KNOW IF THEY ACTUALLY HAD ANY PLANES.

FOR 10 HOURS A DAY, HE ADDED, THE RECRUITS ARE DRILLED IN INFANTRY WARFARE. NONE OF THE ALERT UNITS, HE SAID, ENGAGE IN ANY KIND OF POLICE WORK. COMMUNIST POLITICAL COMMISSARS GIVE THE RECRUITS POLITICAL INSTRUCTION AT THE END OF THE DAY'S TRAINING ROUTINE.

NOCHT SAID THE FIELD INSTRUCTION INCLUDED SPECIAL TRAINING IN USE OF MAPS AND COMPASSES, SCOUTING IN ROUGH TERRAIN, PENETRATION OF ENEMY LINES AND HOLDING STRATEGIC POSITIONS.

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NIGHT LEAD CHURCHES (450)
BY DANIEL DE LUCE

BERLIN, APRIL 28-(AP)-EAST GERMANY'S COMMUNIST-DOMINATED GOVERNMENT TONIGHT EXECUTED A STRATEGIC RETREAT FROM OPEN WARFARE AGAINST THE PROTESTANT AND CATHOLIC FAITHS.

AFTER A SIX-HOUR CONFERENCE OF RELIGIOUS LEADERS WITH TOP OFFICIALS OF THE SOVIET ZONE REPUBLIC, A CONCILIATORY JOINT COMMUNIQUE WAS ISSUED PROMISING CONTINUED NEGOTIATIONS.

"REPRESENTATIVES OF THE CHURCHES GAVE ASSURANCES THAT THE RECONSTRUCTION OF THE GERMAN PEOPLE'S LIFE IN PEACE AND FREEDOM IS THEIR URGENT DESIRE," THE COMMUNIQUE SAID.

"REPRESENTATIVES OF THE GOVERNMENT GAVE ASSURANCE THAT THE CHURCHES CAN FULFILL THEIR WORK ON THE BASIS OF THE CONSTITUTION AS IT EXISTS UNTIL NOW."

THE CONFERENCE IN EAST BERLIN BROUGHT TOGETHER EAST GERMAN COMMUNIST PREMIER OTTO GROTEWOHL; DEPUTY PREMIERS WALTER ULBRICHT, OTTO WUSCHKE AND HERMANN KASTNER; EVANGELICAL BISHOP OTTO DIBELIUS, OF BERLIN, AND CATHOLIC SUFFRAGEN BISHOP WILHELM WESSKAMM, OF MAGDEBURG.

THE MEETING FOLLOWED PROTESTS BY PROTESTANT AND CATHOLIC CLERGYMEN LAST SUNDAY OF COMMUNIST POLITICAL PRESSURE AND A SHARP ATTACK TODAY BY THE SOVIET ARMY NEWSPAPER AGAINST "ATTEMPTS BY SOME REACTIONARY PASTORS TO DRAG THE CHURCH INTO A POLITICAL BATTLE AND PLACE THE CHURCH IN THE SERVICE OF ANGLO-AMERICAN ESPIONAGE."

MILLIONS OF WESTERN GERMANS ARE AROUSED BY COMMUNIST RESTRICTIONS ON RELIGIOUS AND CIVIL LIBERTIES IN THE RUSSIAN ZONE, AND THE EASTERN GOVERNMENT APPARENTLY FEELS IT IS NOT STRONG ENOUGH TO EMBARK ON POLICE ACTION SUCH AS HAS BEEN CARRIED ON BY THE RED-CONTROLLED GOVERNMENTS OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND HUNGARY.

CHURCH SOURCES SAID GROTEWOHL AND ULBRICHT, BOTH POLITICAL FAVORITES OF MOSCOW, SEEM WILLING TO REACH A COMPROMISE.

ULBRICHT, WHO FORMERLY LIVED IN MOSCOW AS AN EXPATRIAT FROM GERMANY, IS A CHIEF FIGURE IN THE SOCIALIST UNITY (COMMUNIST) PARTY'S POLITBURO. GROTEWOHL, A FORMER SOCIALIST, ALSO IS AN ARDENT DISCIPLE OF RUSSIAN POLICY.

NUSCHKE IS TITULAR HEAD OF THE EASTERN CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATIC UNION, WHILE KASTNER IS CHAIRMAN OF THE LIBERAL DEMOCRATIC PARTY.

THERE WAS NO INDICATION THAT THE GOVERNMENT WILL MEET PROTESTANT DEMANDS FOR WITHDRAWAL FROM GERMAN PUBLIC SCHOOLS OF ATHEISTIC HISTORY TEXTS WRITTEN BY SOVIET PROFESSORS.

HOWEVER, IT APPEARS THAT THE CLERGYMEN WILL NOT BE PROSECUTED FOR COMPLAINTS ALREADY UTTERED AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT AND THAT COMMUNIST PRESSURE FOR THEM TO JOIN A "NATIONAL FRONT" MIGHT TEMPORARILY SUBSIDE.

A PROTESTANT DIGNITARY SAID AFTER THE CONFERENCE THAT THE "CHURCH WILL CONTINUE TO RAISE ITS DEMANDS IN ALL FRANKNESS-- OUR STAND IS UNCHANGED."

EAST GERMANY IS TRADITIONALLY A BULWARK OF PROTESTANTISM. OF ITS 18,000,000 INHABITANTS, SOME 14,000,000 ARE PROTESTANTS.

FOR THE PAST YEAR BISHOP DIBELIUS HAS HEADED PROTESTANT RESISTANCE TO ENTANGLING CLERGYMEN IN COMMUNIST "MASS ORGANIZATIONS."

SINCE JANUARY THE "NATIONAL FRONT" HAS BEEN WAGING A TREMENDOUS DRIVE TO ENROLL CLERGYMEN, ACCUSING ALL WHO REMAINED ALOOF OF BEING "REACTIONARIES" AND "ENEMIES OF THE PEOPLE."

IT WAS THIS CAMPAIGN MORE THAN ANY OTHER FACTOR WHICH COMPELLED PROTESTANTISM TO CHALLENGE THE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT TO A SHOWDOWN.

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BY RICHARD KASISCHKE

BERLIN, APRIL 28-(AP)-THE RUSSIANS, THROUGH THEIR OFFICIAL NEWSPAPER HERE, TODAY DENOUNCED EAST GERMANY'S ANTI-COMMUNIST PASTORS AS "PROVOCATEURS WHO ARE ATTEMPTING TO PLACE THE CHURCH IN THE SERVICE OF ANGLO-AMERICAN ESPIONAGE."

IT WAS AN OMINOUS WARNING FOR THE PROTESTANT AND CATHOLIC CLERGYMEN WHO HAVE BEEN OUTSPOKENLY PROTESTING COMMUNIST RESTRICTIONS ON RELIGION AND CIVIL LIBERTIES IN THE SOVIET OCCUPATION ZONE. TAEGLICHE RUNDSCHAU

THE REBUKE BY THE SOVIET MOUTHPIECE TO THE CHURCH LEADERS COINCIDED WITH REPORTS REACHING WEST BERLINERS TODAY OF A NEW COMMUNIST PURGE IN THE RUSSIAN ZONE CITY OF MAGDEBURG. THE SOCIALIST NEWSPAPER BERLINER STADTBLATT IN WEST BERLIN SAID THAT AMONG THOSE ARRESTED WERE MAGDEBURG'S LORD MAYOR, THE CHAIRMAN OF THE SOCIALIST UNITY (COMMUNIST) PARTY, AND THE LEADER OF THE CITY'S TRADE UNIONS.

ALL ARE REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN ACCUSED OF "ECONOMIC SABOTAGE." ALL ARE DESCRIBED AS FORMER SOCIAL DEMOCRATS WHO JOINED THE SOCIALIST UNITY PARTY DURING THE MERGER FORCED UPON THEM BY THE RUSSIANS. THESE ELEMENTS IN THE COMMUNIST RANKS ARE NOW SUSPECT, THE NEWSPAPER SAID.

RUNDSCHAU'S WARNING TO THE CHURCH LEADERS WAS ITS FIRST COMMENT

ON THE SEETHING CURCH-COMMUNIST FIGHT WHICH BURST INTO THE OPEN SUNDAY WITH PASTORAL LETTERS OF PROTESTANT AND CATHOLIC CLERGY BLASTING MATERIALISM AND COMMUNIST COERCION.

THE EAST GERMAN PREMIER, OTTO GROTEWHOL, ARRANGED A MEETING TODAY WITH BISHOP OTTO DIBELIUS OF THE EVANGELICAL (PROTESTANT) CHURCH. MEANWHILE, PROTESTANTS PREDICTED THAT THE COMMUNIST-DOMINATED GOVERNMENT OF EAST GERMANY WOULD BREAK CHURCH RESISTANCE WITH POLICE FORCE. RUNDSCHAU'S CHARGE IS SIMILAR TO THOSE LEVELED AGAINST CHURCHES IN OTHER COMMUNIST COUNTRIES TO BREAK THEIR HOLD ON THE PEOPLE.

RUNDSCHAU CENTERED ITS FIRE ON BISHOP DIBELIUS AND HIS CHURCH, WHICH HAS 14,000,000 MEMBERS AND 6,000 PASTORS AMONG THE SOVIET ZONE'S 18,000,000 INHABITANTS. THE PAPER INSISTED RELIGIOUS LIBERTY IS GUARANTEED BY THE SOVIET ZONE'S CONSTITUTION. IT DENIED THAT PASTORS AND CHURCH MEMBERS WERE FORCED TO JOIN THE COMMUNIST-SPONSORED NATIONAL FRONT, AS CHARGED BY THE CHURCHES, BUT INDICATED ANY GERMAN WHO DIDN'T JOIN UP WAS A "REACTIONARY."

IN A DIGRESSION, THE SOVIET NEWSPAPER CALLED PRESIDENT TRUMAN A "PSEUDO-CHRISTIAN WHO SWEARS ON THE BIBLE AT ANY AND ALL TIMES BUT PROPAGATES ATOM WARFARE."

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BERLIN, APRIL 28-(AP)-THE COMMUNIST STATE PROSECUTOR CALLED MARSHALL PLAN AMBASSADOR W.AVERELL HARRIMAN A "CRIMINAL" TODAY IN A SUMMATION DEMANDING PRISON SENTENCES FOR EIGHT GERMAN INDUSTRIALISTS ACCUSED IN A COURT AT DESSAU OF DEFRAUDING THE COMMUNIST EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT.

PROSECUTOR ERNST MELSHEIMER, WHO IS ATTORNEY-GENERAL IN THE RUSSIAN-SUPPORTED GOVERNMENT, TOLD THE PEOPLE'S COURT THAT HARRIMAN HAD A PERSONAL FINANCIAL INTEREST IN THE DESSAU CONTINENTAL GAS WORKS, FROM WHICH THE DEFENDANTS WERE ACCUSED OF TRANSFERRING $25,000,000, OF ASSETS TO WESTERN GERMANY.

"HARRIMAN'S NAME MEANS WAR," THE PROSECUTOR TOLD THE COURT.

HE THEN DENOUNCED THE EIGHT DEFENDANTS, "THE MEN BEHIND THEM, THE MONOPOLY CAPITALISTS," AND THE EUROPEAN RECOVERY PROGRAM. HE CHARGED THE DEFENDANTS WERE IN LEAGUE WITH WEST GERMAN BUSINESSMEN TO RESTORE "MONOPOLY CAPITALISM" IN GERMANY SO THAT IT COULD SERVE AMERICAN INTERESTS IN A WAR AGAINST RUSSIA.

THE PROSECUTOR ASKED PRISON SENTENCES RANGING FROM TWO TO 15 YEARS FOR THE DEFENDANTS, WHO ARE ACCUSED OF "ECONOMIC SABOTAGE."

"THE REESTABLISHMENT OF THE OLD TRUSTS IN WESTERN GERMANY IS DESIGNED TO AID AMERICAN IMPERIALISM IN THE PREPARATION FOR A NEW WAR AGAINST THE SOVIET UNION," PROSECUTOR MELSHEIMER DECLARED.

HE CHARGED THAT THE "MEN BEHIND THESE DEFENDANTS" INCLUDED EDUARD SCHALFEJEW, AN OFFICIAL IN THE ECONOMICS MINISTRY OF THE WEST GERMAN GOVERNMENT AT BONN.

"AND BEHIND SCHALFEJEW ARE THE MARSHALL PLAN AND HARRIMAN," MELSHEIMER ASSERTED. "HARRIMAN IS NOT ONLY AN AMERICAN POLITICAN BUT HE IS PERSONALLY INTERESTED IN THE DESSAU GAS COMPANY. HE PERSONALLY PROFITED FROM THE COMPANY. AND TODAY THOSE CRIMINALS, HARRIMAN AND SCHALFEJEW, ARE TRYING TO REASSERT THEIR OLD INFLUENCE IN GERMANY.

"THE NAMES SCHALFEJEW AND HARRIMAN MEAN WAR--A THIRD WORLD WAR IN WHICH THE GERMAN PEOPLE WOULD BE DESTROYED. THEREFORE THIS DESSAU TRIAL IS A BLOW FOR PEACE."

THE PROSECUTOR CONTENDED THE DEFENDANTS WERE LIABLE TO THE DEATH PENALTY, BUT HE ASKED THE HEAVIEST TERM--15 YEARS--FOR THE NUMBER ONE DEFENDANT, DR.LEO HERWEGEN, FORMER CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATIC MINSTER RESIDENT (PREMIER) OF THE STATE OF SAXONY-ANHALT.

MELSHEIMER DID NOT ACCUSE HARRIMAN OF ANY SPECIFIC CRIMINAL ACT CONNECTED WITH THE GAS COMPANY CASE.

COMMUNIST PARTY STATEMENTS IN EAST GERMANY OFTEN LUMP ALL ANTI-COMMUNIST LEADERS OF THE WEST, INCLUDING PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND WINSTON CHURCHILL, AS "CRIMINALS." THE PROSECUTOR'S SPEECH WAS IN THIS VEIN.

HE CONTENDED HARRIMAN WAS AN INVESTOR IN SEVERAL AMERICAN COMPANIES HOLDING AN INTEREST IN A BRESLAU MINING COMPANY WHICH ACQUIRED SOME GAS COMPANY STOCK IN EXCHANGE FOR A MINE BACK IN 1927.

HE OFFERED NO EVIDENCE ABOUT HARRIMAN'S ALLEGED INVESTMENT IN THE SUCCEEDING 23 YEARS.

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FOLO BERLIN HARRIMAN

PARIS, APRIL 28-(AP)-AMBASSADOR W.AVERELL HARRIMAN HAD NO COMMENT TONIGHT ON CHARGES MADE BY A PROSECUTOR IN AN EAST GERMAN COURT THAT HE WAS A "CRIMINAL."

AN AIDE SAID HARRIMAN WAS HIGHLY AMUSED WHEN SHOWN AN ACCOUNT OF THE TRIAL.

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BERLIN, APRIL 28-(AP)-A POLITICAL REFUGEE FROM THE RUSSIAN ZONE CLAIMED TONIGHT THAT COMMUNIST YOUTH LEADERS ARE SECRETLY PLANNING A MARCH THROUGH WEST BERLIN ON WHITSUNDAY, MAY 28, DESPITE THEIR PUBLIC PROMISE TO KEEP OUT.

HANS MERTENS, FORMER MEMBER OF A "FREE GERMAN YOUTH" (FDJ) DISTRICT COMMITTEE IN SAXONY, MADE THE CHARGE IN A SPEECH BROADCAST BY THE OFFICIAL AMERICAN RADIO STATION IN BERLIN (RIAS).

MERTENS FLED TO THE U.S. SECTOR HERE THIS WEEK AFTER BEING THREATENED WITH ARREST, HE SAID, FOR OPPOSING COMMUNIST POLITICAL AIMS.

ALTHOUGH THE OFFICIAL LOCATION OF THE WHITSUN RALLY OF 500,000 YOUNG EAST GERMANS IS IN THE SOVIET SECTOR, MERTENS ASSERTED THOUSANDS ARE UNDER ORDERS TO INFILTRATE WEST BERLIN MAY 28, THEN ASSEMBLE AND MARCH ON THE OLYMPIC STADIUM.

WEST BERLIN AUTHORITIES HAVE REPEATEDLY ANNOUNCED THAT FDJ DEMONSTRATIONS WILL BE RIGOROUSLY SUPPRESSED.

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NIGHT LEAD GERMAN TAX

BONN, GERMANY, APRIL 28-(AP)-THE ALLIED HIGH COMMISSION WITHDREW TODAY ITS PROVISIONAL VETO OF A WEST GERMAN INCOME TAX REDUCTION, THUS HEADING OFF A THREATENED CRISIS IN THE BONN GOVERNMENT.

CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER AND MEMBERS OF HIS CABINET HAD HINTED THEY WOULD RESIGN.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE OPPOSED THE MEASURE BECAUSE THEY FELT THE GERMANS FAILED TO PROVIDE FOR OTHER REVENUES TO MAKE UP FOR THE CUT.

TODAY, HOWEVER, AFTER A MEETING WITH ADENAUER, THE COMMISSIONERS SAID THEY WERE SATISFIED WITH THE GERMAN EXPLANATION AND GERMAN

ASSURANCES CONCERNING FUTURE TAX POLICIES.
THE INCOME TAX CUTS ARE EXPECTED TO SAVE WEST GERMAN TAXPAYER ABOUT 1,000,000,000 (B) MARKS ($238,000,000) A YEAR.

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BONN, GERMANY, APRIL 28-(AP)-THE ALLIED HIGH COMMISSION LIFTED TODAY ITS PROVISIONAL VETO ON THE LAW PASSED BY THE WEST GERMAN PARLIAMENT REDUCING INCOME AND CORPORATION TAXES, AN OFFICIAL STATEMENT SAID.

THE TEMPORARY VETO HAD CAUSED A DISPUTE BETWEEN THE WESTERN ALLIES AND GERMAN LEADERS. AT ONE POINT CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER HINTED HE MIGHT RESIGN.

THE WESTERN ALLIES SLAPPED A TEMPORARY VETO ON THE MEASURE BECAUSE THEY FELT THE GERMANS FAILED TO MAKE PROVISION FOR COLLECTING REVENUES TO SUBSTITUTE FOR THE REDUCED TAXES. THE ALLIES SUGGESTED A LUXURY TAX AND IMPROVED METHODS OF TAX COLLECTING.

CONDITIONS UPON WHICH THE VETO WAS LIFTED WERE NOT MADE KNOWN IMMEDIATELY.

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BONN, GERMANY, APRIL 28-(AP)-U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J. MCCLOY ASSURED THE WEST GERMAN GOVERNMENT TODAY IT WILL HAVE ALL THE POWER IT NEEDS TO WORK WITH THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE IF IT JOINS THAT BODY.

THE WEST GERMAN REPUBLIC IS NOW CONSIDERING AN INVITATION TO JOIN THE COUNCIL, SOMETIMES CALLED THE "PARLIAMENT OF EUROPE," AS AN ASSOCIATE MEMBER.

MCCLOY ANSWERED A QUERY BY WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER, WHO ASKED WHETHER HIS GOVERNMENT COULD COMMUNICATE DIRECTLY WITH THE COUNCIL AND ITS MEMBER NATIONS OR WOULD HAVE TO WORK THROUGH THE ALLIED HIGH COMMISSION.

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BONN, GERMANY, APRIL 28-(AP)-CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER OF THE WEST GERMAN REPUBLIC FAVORS "VERY CLOSE" ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL COOPERATION AMONG FRANCE, ITALY AND GERMANY, A BONN GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL SAID TODAY.

THIS, THE SPOKESMAN SAID, IS WHAT THE CHANCELLOR TOLD A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE CATHOLIC NEWSPAPER L'ITALIA OF MILAN, ITALY, WHINH PUBLISHED AN INTERVIEW TODAY. THE ITALIAN NEWSPAPER, HOWEVER, QUOTED THE CHANCELLOR AS SAYING HE FAVORED "TOTAL POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC UNION."

ADENAUER DID NOT GO THAT FAR, SAID THE SPOKESMAN, DR. HEINRICH BOEX, WHO ADDED HE WAS PRESENT AT THE INTERVIEW.

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NIGHT LEAD BELGIAN

BY ALFRED CHEVAL

BRUSSELS, BELGIUM, SATURDAY, APRIL 29-(AP)-PRINCE REGENT CHARLES WILL BE ASKED LATER TODAY TO DISSOLVE THE BELGAIN PARLIAMENT, IT WAS LEARNED EARLY THIS MORNING. THE REGENT CAN REFUSE TO DO SO IF HE WISHES.

PREMIER-DESIGNATE PAUL VAN ZEELAND TOLD REPORTERS HE HAD AN APPOINTMENT WITH THE PRINCE TO DISCUSS THE MATTER, BUT THAT "THE ULTIMATE DECISION" OF WHETHER TO DISSOLVE THE PARLIAMENT OR NOT IS IN THE HANDS OF THE REGENT.

DISSOLUTION WOULD MEAN THAT NEW ELECTIONS WOULD HAVE TO BE HELD WITHIN FORTY DAYS. THESE WOULD BE FOUGHT ON THE CLEAR-CUT ISSUE OF WHETHER OR NOT EXILED KING LEOPOLD II SHOULD RETURN TO HIS THRONE.

THE THREAT OF IMMINENT DISSOLUTION CAME AFTER A WEARY DAY WHICH SAW THE COLLAPSE OF A COMPROMISE SOLUTION TO BELGIUM'S PERPLEXING "ROYAL QUESTION". THE COMPROMISE CALLED FOR LEOPOLD TO RETURN TO BELGIUM AND ASSIGN THE ROYAL POWERS TO HIS SON, CROWN PRINCE BAUDOUIN.

THE SOCIALISTS AND LIBERALS INSIST THAT AFTER THIS CEREMONY THE KING LEAVE THE COUNTRY; THE SOCIAL CHRISTIANS, BELGIUM'S LARGEST PARTY, WANT HIM TO STAY.

IT WAS REPORTED LAST NIGHT THAT THE SOCIAL CHRISTIANS HAD YIELDED TO LIBERAL DEMANDS THAT VAN ZEELAND BE REPLACED AS PREMIER-DESIGNATE BY JEAN DUVIERUSAERT, 50, MINISTER OF ECONOMIC AFFAIRS.

A CONGRESS OF THE LIBERAL PARTY HAD VOTED TO SUPPORT THE COMPROMISE ONLY IF SOME MAN THEY LIKED BETTER THAN VAN ZEELAND WERE BROUGHT IN TO IMPLEMENT IT.

AFTER A LATE NIGHT CONFERENCE BETWEEN VAN ZEELAND, DUVIEUSAERT AND EIGHT LIBERAL LEADERS THIS SOLUTION APPEARED TO HAVE FALLEN THROUGH AND VAN ZEELAND APPARENTLY HAS NO CHOICE BUT TO REQUEST THE DISSOLUTION OF PARLIAMENT AND NEW ELECTIONS.

VAN ZEELAND GAVE THE FOLLOWING ACCOUNT OF THE EVENTS LEADING UP TO HIS DECISION TO ASK FOR THE DISSOLUTION OF PARLIAMENT:

"IN THE COURSE OF THE AFTERNOON I WAS INFORMED BY A LIBERAL PARTY DELEGATION THAT MY PERSONALITY DID NOT SEEM TO THEM PROPER TO BRING THE CLIMATE OF APPEASEMENT THEY WISHED.

"HAVING REALIZED THAT MY PRESENCE AS PREMIER WOULD BE AN OBSTACLE TO TWO-PARTY GOVERNMENT, I CONCLUDED MY DUTY TO BEST SERVE THE KING WAS TO STEP OUT. THEN, AFTER AN AUDIENCE WITH THE PRINCE REGENT, I MADE A LAST ATTEMPT TO CONSTITUTE A CABINET ON THE BASIS OF THE APRIL 21 COMPROMISE PLAN (WHICH WOULD HAVE DELEGATED THE ROYAL POWERS TO PRINCE BAUDOUIN), UNDER THE PREMIERSHIP OF MINISTER JEAN DUVIEUSAERT.

"I CALLED THE LIBERAL AND SOCIAL CHRISTIAN MINISTERS TONIGHT TO SUBMIT SUCH A PROPOSITION TO THEM. UNFORTUNATELY, THE LIBERAL MINISTERS FAILED TO BE ABLE TO GIVE ME THEIR AGREEMENT. IN SUCH CONDITIONS I COULD DO BUT ONE THING. I HAVE AN AUDIENCE WITH THE PRINCE REGENT TODAY. I SHALL MAKE A LAST REPORT. THE ULTIMATE DECISION IS IN THE HANDS OF THE CHIEF OF STATE."

THE FINAL DEADLOCK CAME SEVEN WEEKS AFTER THE MARCH 12 "POPULAR CONSULATION" IN WHICH 57.68 PER CENT OF THE BELGIANS' VOTERS FAVORED THE KING'S RETURN.

PRINCE REGENT CHARLES HAS LITTLE CHOICE BUT TO SIGN THE DISSOLUTION DECREE, AS THE SOCIAL CHRISTIANS SAID THEY WOULD REFUSE TO ENTER ANY FURTHER NEGOTIATIONS. SOCIAL CHRISTIAN SUPPORT IS A MUST FOR ANY GOVERNMENT.

VS922PES

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B85 (110 Q

BRUSSELS, BELGIUM, APRIL 28-(AP)-THE LIBERAL PARTY'S CONGRESS TURNED THUMBS DOWN TODAY ON PREMIER-DESIGNATE PAUL VAN ZEELAND AND RECOMMENDED HE BE REPLACED BY ANOTHER LEADER TO CARRY OUT A COMPROMISE PLAN FOR SOLVING BELGIUM'S VEXING ROYAL QUESTION.

THE CONGRESS APPROVED VAN ZEELAND'S PLAN FOR THE TEMPORARY RETURN OF EXILED KING LEOPOLD TO THE THRONE, AFTER WHICH HE WOULD DELEGATE HIS ROYAL POWERS TO HIS 19-YEAR-OLD SON, PRINCE BAUDOUIN. HOWEVER, THE LIBERALS SAID, VAN ZEELAND IS NOT THE MAN TO HEAD THE NATION DURING THIS DELICATE PROCEEDING.

THE PARTY, A MINORITY GROUP, GAVE NO DIRECT INDICATION OF WHOM THEY WANTED AS LEADER. HOWEVER, IT EXPRESSED REGRET THAT THE LIBERAL-SOCIAL CHRISTIAN COALITION GOVERNMENT UNDER PREMIER GASTON EYSKENS HAD NOT BEEN "EFFECTIVELY MAINTAINED IN POWER DURING THE NEGOTIATIONS ON THE ROYAL QUESTION."

WW1224PES

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London, April 28--(AP)--An airplane front wheel assembly arrived today from Wiesbaden, Germany, en route to the United States for naval investigation into the disappearance of a four-engined patrol bomber over the Baltic Sea April 8.

The wheel assembly was found in the Baltic Tuesday. Its tire was still inflated and marked "PB4Y-2." The missing American naval plane, which had 10 persons aboard, was a PB4Y, or Privateer.

A plate on the wheel's steering rod bears the initials "NASCC." American officials interpret this to mean Naval Air Station, Corpus Christi Tex. The wheel assembly probably will be sent to the U.S. next week.

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The United States has charged Russia with shooting down the unarmed American Navy plane over the open sea. The Soviets contend that a B-29 Superfortress trying to photograph Russian military installations exchanged fire with Soviet fighters, which chased it away from Latvian territory near Libau.

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A140
LONDON, APRIL 28-(AP)-THE DAILY EXPRESS, LORD BEAVERBROOK'S STAUNCHLY ANTI-COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER, CHARGED TODAY THAT THE UNITED STATES IMITATED RUSSIA IN DENYING THE REV.HEWLETT JOHNSON, "RED" DEAN OF CANTERBURY, A TRANSIT VISA TO GET HOME FROM AUSTRALIA.
"NOBODY IS AFRAID OF THE DEAN OR MINDS GREATLY WHAT HE SAYS,"
SAID THE EXPRESS."YET HERE IS AN AMERICAN OFFICIAL ACT, REFUSING ENTRY
TO T UNITED STATES TO A BRITISH CITIZEN SEEKING TO PASS FROM ONE
PART OF THE COMMONWEALTH TO ANOTHER.
"DENIAL OF FREEDOM TO MOVE ABOUT IS ONE OF THE REASONS WE RESENT
THE RUSSIAN SYSTEM SO MUCH. THE AMERICANS, IN IMPOSING THIS BAN, ARE
IMITATING THE VERY PHILOSOPHY WHICH THEY SEEK TO EXTIRPATE."
N1122AES

A5
LONDON, SATURDAY, APRIL 29-(AP)-THE NATIONAL COUNCIL OF LABOR,
AFFILIATED WITH THE LABOR PARTY, HAILED THE EUROPEAN RECOVERY PROGRAM
TODAY AS THE FOUNDATION UPON WHICH "THE ULTIMATE PROSPERITY OF ALL
THE WORKING PEOPLE OF EUROPE DEPENDS."
THE COUNCIL ISSUED A MAY DAY STATEMENT SAYING "THE TRAGIC ONSET OF
NEW CONFLICTS LEADING TO NEW TYRANIES CAN ONLY BE FINALLY OVERCOME BY
OUR CONTINUANCE IN STEADFAST ATTACHMENT TO THE IDEALS OF DEMOCRACY,
FREEDOM AND PEACE."
VS920PES

B1
LONDON, APRIL 28-(AP)-TRUVE LIE, SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE UNITED
NATIONS, CONFERRED HERE TODAY WITH BRITISH OFFICIALS. HE SAW SIR
GLADYN JEBB, DEPUTY-UNDERSECRETARY TO THE FOREIGN OFFICE AND THEN
LUNCHED WITH MINISTER OF STATE KENNETH YOUNGER AND SIR WILLIAM STRANG,
PERMANENT UNDER-SECRETARY TO THE FOREIGN OFFICE.
LIE WILL GO TO PARIS TOMORROW AND WHILE THERE WILL DECIDE WHETHER
TO GO ON TO MOSCOW ON HIS CURRENT EUROPEAN TRIP, WHICH HAS BEEN DUBBED
A "TRAVEL-THE-UNITED NATIONS-MISSION."
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BP51

LONDON, APRIL 28-(AP)-SCOTLAND YARD ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT A BAN ON
PROCESSIONS OF A POLITICAL CHARACTER IN LONDON, WHICH EXPIRES MAY 2,
IS BEING EXTENDED FOR ANOTHER THREE MONTHS.

THE EXTENSION, WHICH THE YARD SAID HAD BEEN AUTHORIZED BY THE HOME OFFICE, UPSETS PLANS OF SIR OSWALD MOSLEY'S UNION MOVEMENT TO MARCH THROUGH LONDON'S EAST END MAY 7. MOSLEY WAS A LEADER OF PREWAR FASCIST GROUPS, AND MEETINGS OF HIS UNION MOVEMENT HAVE GIVEN RISE TO DISORDERS IN PREDOMINANTLY JEWISH SECTIONS OF THE EAST END.

WD1016ARS

geneva, switzerland, april 28--(ap)--a british proposal for partition of eritrea between the anglo-egyptian sudan and ethiopia was published here today by the united nations commission for eritrea.

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the british proposal was submitted in asmara, eritrea, on march 18 but not published until now for fear of possible violent repercussions in eritrea. nearly 50 were slain in february rioting between christians and moslems.

the statement said the british government is "firmly of the opinion" that establishment of an independent eritrean state is not practicable.

eritrea, one of italy's african colonies, now is under british administrat and the u.n. commission is making investigations prior to recommending future disposition.

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A60 (280)
NIGHT LEAD TITO
BY ALEX SINGLETON
BELGRADE, YUGOSLAVIA, APRIL 28-(AP)-PREMIER MARSHAL TITO DECLARED TODAY HE SEES NO IMMEDIATE DANGER OF WAR WITH THE SOVIET UNION AND, IN ANY CASE, FEELS SURE THE RUSSIANS WOULD NOT "RISK BECOMING THE AGGRESSOR."
TITO'S DECLARATION, MADE AT THE FIRST NEWS CONFERENCE HE HAS HELD IN RECENT YEARS, CAME AFTER HE WAS ASKED IF HE WOULD WELCOME ARMS AID FROM THE UNITED STATES.
THE PREMIER REPLIED HE DID NOT THINK THE UNITED STATES WOULD OFFER HIM ARMS AND ADDED THAT HIS COUNTRY HAS MEANS OF MAKING HER OWN. YUGOSLAVIA, HE DECLARED, HAS NEVER TRIED TO BUY ARMS FROM ANY WESTERN COUNTRY.
IT WAS AT THIS POINT THAT HE SAID: "I SEE NO INTENSE NEED FOR PREPARATIONS FOR WAR. I DO NOT SEE ANY IMMEDIATE DANGER OF WAR."
HE EXPRESSED CONFIDENCE THAT RUSSIA IS "NOT PREPARING AN ATTACK UPON US."
ASKED WHETHER HE THOUGHT THERE WAS ANY POSSIBILITY OF SOLVING YUGOSLAVIA'S TWO-YEAR FEUD WITH THE MOSCOW-LED COMINFORM, TITO REPLIED:
"IT'S NOT UP TO US TO SAY. IT PROBABLY WILL LAST FOR A CERTAIN TIME. BUT IT MUST BE SOLVED ULTIMATELY SO THAT AT LEAST NORMAL OR BEARABLE RELATIONS WILL BE ESTABLISHED."
SMARTLY TAILORED IN A PEARL GRAY DOUBLE BREASTED SUIT AND PUFFING AWAY AT A CIGARETTE IN A PIPE-SHAPED HOLDER, TITO ARGUED STRONGLY AGAINST NATIONS CREATING BLOCS OR SPHERES OF INFLUENCE, WARNING THAT THEY ALWAYS "CARRY THE DANGER OF WAR."
THE PREMIER CONTENDED THAT THE BEST WAY TO SETTLE INTERNATIONAL ARGUMENTS IS THROUGH THE UNITED NATIONS. HE ALSO URGED ADMISSION OF COMMUNIST CHINA TO THE U.N., SAYING IT WOULD "DO A GREAT DEAL TOWARD LESSENING THE POSSIBILITY OF WAR." RUSSIA AND HER SATELLITES WANT COMMUNIST CHINESE TO REPLACE CHINESE NATIONALISTS IN THE U.N.
TITO SAID HIS COUNTRY IS WILLING TO "START DIRECT NEGOTIATIONS WITH ITALY OVER MUTUAL DIFFERENCES," BUT MADE IT CLEAR YUGOSLAVIA IS NOT PREPARED TO TRADE AWAY HER CLAIMS IN THE DISPUTED FREE TERRITORY OF TRIESTE, PART OF WHICH IS CONTROLLED BY YUGOSLAV TROOPS.
HE ALSO EXPRESSED BELIEF THE POST-WAR DIFFERENCES BETWEEN GREECE AND YUGOSLAVIA WILL BE SOLVED "WITH NORMAL RELATIONS."
TITO TOLD PARLIAMENT YESTERDAY YUGOSLAVIA IS READY TO RESUME FULL DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH GREECE AND WOULD NAME AN ENVOY IN A FEW DAYS.
TA739PES

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BELGRADE, YUGOSLAVIA, APRIL 28-(AP)-PREMIER MARSHAL TITO SAID FLATLY TODAY THAT HE SEES NO IMMEDIATE DANGER OF WAR WITH THE SOVIET UNION.
"I DO NOT SEE ANY IMMEDIATE DANGER OF WAR," TITO DECLARED AT A PRESS CONFERENCE FOR FOREIGN CORRESPONDENTS, THE FIRST HE HAS HELD IN RECENT YEARS.
"IN NO CASE," HE DECLARED, "DO I THINK THE SOVIET UNION WOULD RISK BECOMING THE AGGRESSOR."
TITO'S DECLARATION CAME AFTER HE WAS ASKED IF HE WOULD WELCOME ARMS AID FROM THE UNITED STATES.
THE MARSHAL REPLIED THAT HE DID NOT CONSIDER AMERICA WOULD OFFER HIM ARMS, AND ADDED THAT HIS COUNTRY HAD THE MEANS OF MAKING ITS OWN ARMS.
"I SEE NO INTENSE NEED FOR PREPARATIONS FOR WAR," HE THEN DECLARED. "I DO NOT SEE ANY IMMEDIATE DANGER OF WAR."
HE CAUTIONED, HOWEVER, AGAINST THE DANGER OF CREATING BLOCS OR SPHERES OF INFLUENCE, SAYING THEY ALWAYS "CARRY THE DANGER OF WAR."
HE CONTENDED THAT THE BEST WAY TO SETTLE INTERNATIONAL DISPUTES IS THROUGH THE UNITED NATIONS.

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TITO DECLARED THAT YUGOSLAVIA IS "WILLING TO START DIRECT NEGOTIATIONS" WITH ITALY OVER DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES. HE TOLD PARLIAMENT YESTERDAY HE HOPED FOR IMPROVEMENT OF RELATIONS WITH ITALY.

HE MADE IT CLEAR, HOWEVER, THAT HIS COUNTRY IS NOT PREPARED TO TRADE AWAY ITS INTERESTS IN THE DISPUTED FREE TERRITORY OF TRIESTE PART OF WHICH NOW IS CONTROLLED BY YUGOSLAV TROOPS.

DECLARING THAT YUGOSLAVIA WOULD NOT USE TRIESTE "AS A BASIS FOR TRADE" WITH ITALY, TITO DECLARED IT IS NOT UP TO YUGOSLAVIA TO MAKE PROPOSALS FOR SETTLEMENT BUT UP TO THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT.

TO ANOTHER QUESTION TITO EXPRESSED CONVICTION THAT RUSSIA IS "NOT PREPARING AN ATTACK UPON US." HE SAID YUGOSLAVIA MEANWHILE REMAINS "COOL AND PATIENT."

ASKED WHETHER HE THOUGHT THERE WAS ANY POSSIBILITY OF SOLVING YUGOSLAVIA'S TWO-YEAR FEUD WITH THE MOSCOW-LED COMINFORM, TITO REPLIED:

"IT'S NOT UP TO US TO SAY. IT PROBABLY WILL LAST FOR A CERTAIN TIME. BUT IT MUST BE SOLVED ULTIMATELY SO THAT AT LEAST NORMAL OR BEARABLE RELATIONS WILL BE ESTABLISHED."

HE TOLD A QUESTIONER YUGOSLAVIA HAS NEVER TRIED TO BUY ARMS FROM ANY WESTERN COUNTRY.

ASKED WHETHER THE UNITED STATES OR OTHER WESTERN COUNTRIES HAD APPLIED POLITICAL PRESSURE OR MADE ANY ATTEMPT TO INTERFERE IN THE INTERNAL AFFAIRS OF YUGOSLAVIA, TITO COUNTERED:

"WHY SHOULD WE BE UNDER THE DOMINATION OF THE WEST X X X? WE ARE NOT FRIGHTENED BY POWER. I DO NOT KNOW IN WHAT WAY WE COULD BE UNDER DOMINATION."

HE ALSO EXPRESSED BELIEF THAT THE POST-WAR DIFFERENCE BETWEEN GREECE AND YUGOSLAVIA WILL BE SOLVED "WITH NORMAL RELATIONS," ADDING THAT "IT WOULD BE OF BENEFIT TO BOTH."

TITO TOLD PARLIAMENT YESTERDAY THAT YUGOSLAVIA IS READY TO RESUME FULL DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH GREECE AND WOULD NAME A DIPLOMATIC ENVOY WITHIN A FEW DAYS. THE TWO COUNTRIES WITHDREW THEIR MINISTERS WHEN GREECE ACCUSED YUGOSLAVIA OF AIDING THE COMMUNIST REBELS IN THE GREEK CIVIL WAR.

TITO ADVOCATED THE ADMISSION OF THE NEW CHINESE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT TO THE UNITED NATIONS, SAYING IT WOULD "DO A GREAT DEAL TOWARD LESSENING THE POSSIBILITY OF WAR" AND REMOVING THE PRESENT STALEMATE IN U.N. DELIBERATIONS.

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Naples, Italy, Saturday, April 29--(AP)-- The freighter Hellas, with the second American arms aid shipment to Italy, is expected to arrive here this morning.

The port area is being sealed off as a security measure by heavily armed police forces.

The first American arms shipment was unloaded here earlier this month under guard without any disturbance. The Communists called a strike, which had little effect.

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B79 (Q)

ROME, APRIL 28-(AP)-SEVERAL THOUSAND ITALIANS ATTENDED MASSES IN ROME TODAY ON THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE EXECUTION OF BENITO MUSSOLINI.

AMONG 2,500 PERSONS CROWDING THE CHURCH OF ST.AUGUSTINE WERE IL DUCE'S DAUGHTERS, COUNTESS EDDA CIANO, ELEGANTLY DRESSED, AND ANNA MARIA MUSSOLINI, WHOSE CLOTHES REFLECTED HARDER TIMES. THEY SAT APART.

ABOUT 100 POLICE IN UNIFORM AND PLAIN CLOTHES GUARDED THE CHURCH. TWO MEN WERE ARRESTED AS A PRECAUTION. THERE WERE NO INCIDENTS THERE OR IN SEVERAL OTHER CHURCHES WHICH HELD SERVICES.

MT1155AES

A56

ATHENS, GREECE, APRIL 28-(AP)-PARLIAMENT TODAY VOTED CONFIDENCE IN THE NEW GOVERNMENT HEADED BY PREMIER NICHOLAS PLASTIRAS. THE VOTE WAS 140 TO 99.

TA727PES

204 (150)

ATHENS, APRIL 28-(AP)-PREMIER GEN.NICHOLAS PLASTIRAS ANNOUNCED IN PARLIAMENT TONIGHT GREECE WILL SEND A DIPLOMATIC REPRESENTATIVE TO YUGOSLAVIA, THUS RESUMING RELATIONS SEVERED MORE THAN THREE YEARS AGO. PREMIER MARSHAL TITO ANNOUNCED TO THE YUGOSLAV PARLIAMENT YESTERDAY IN BELGRADE THAT HE WAS SENDING AN ENVOY TO ATHENS.

PLASTIRAS EXPRESSED CERTAINTY "THAT THE TWO COUNTRIES, IN CLOSE COLLABORATION, WILL CONTRIBUTE TO THE PACIFICATION OF THE BALKANS TO THEIR COMMON ADVANTAGE FROM A POLITICAL AND AN ECONOMIC VIEWPOINT."

THE TWO COUNTRIES HAVE BEEN AT ODDS VIRTUALLY SINCE THE WAR. YUGOSLAVIA WAS BLAMED, ALONG WITH ALBANIA AND BULGARIA, FOR HELPING THE COMMUNIST GUERRILLAS IN THEIR REBELLION IN GREECE.

SINCE YUGOSLAVIA WAS CAST OUB TY THE KREMLIN-BOSSED COMINFORM, HOWEVER, THERE HAS BEEN A GRADUAL EASING OF TENSION BETWEEN THE TWO NATIONS. WHEN PLASTIRAS BECAME PREMIER, HEADING A CENTRAL COALITION GOVERNMENT, THE LAST BARS CAME DOWN AND FRIENDLY RELATIONS NOW ARE TO BE RESTORED ON A FORMAL BASIS.

WD317PES

A59

BUDAPEST, HUNGARY, APRIL 28-(AP)-THE HUNGARIAN GOVERNMENT TONIGHT CALLED PARLIAMENT INTO SESSION MAY 8. PARLIAMENT IS SLATED TO ELECT FOREIGN TRADE MINISTER SANDOR RONAI AS HEAD OF THE PRESIDENTIAL COUNCIL. THIS POST, EQUIVALENT TO PRESENT OF THE COUNTRY, HAS BEEN VACANT SINCE MONDAY, WHEN FORMER PRESIDENT ARPAD SZAKASITS RESIGNED.

TA731PES

A7
VIENNA, AUSTRIA, APRIL 28-(AP)-SOVIET AUTHORITIES HAVE REJECTED A WESTERN PROPOSAL THAT ALL TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS WITHIN AUSTRIA BE ABOLISHED.

THE PROPOSAL WAS MADE BY THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE IN LAST WEEK'S MEETING OF THE ALLIED COUNCIL. THE AIM WAS TO ELIMINATE CHECKING OF DOCUMENTS AT THE BOUNDARIES SEPARATING THE SOVIET AND WESTERN ZONES. FREE TRAVEL, WITHOUT RED TAPE, IS PERMITTED WITHIN THE WESTERN ZONES.

TU453PES

B54 (Q)
ATHENS, APRIL 28-(AP)-A TON AND A HALF OF GIFT PARCELS FROM TUCSON, ARIZ., ARRIVED IN PRAEUS, PORT OF ATHENS, THIS MORNING ABOARD THE ROBIN TRENT. THEY WILL BE SENT ON TO TRIKKALA, WHICH TUCSON "ADOPTED" LAST OCTOBER.

THE GIFTS, MOSTLY CLOTHING, ARE THE FIRST OF WHAT IS EXPECTED TO BE A REGULAR FLOW. PREMIER NICHOLAS PLASTIRAS AND OTHER GOVERNMENT DIGNITARIES MET THE VESSEL AND ATTENDED RELIGIOUS SERVICES MARKING ITS ARRIVAL. MAYOR HERACLES RETOS OF TRIKKALA ALSO WAS PRESENT.

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NIGHT LEAD CZECH (300)
PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, APRIL 28-(AP)-THE CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT CALLED ON THE UNITED STATES TODAY TO CUT ITS DIPLOMATIC STAFFS IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA BY TWO-THIRDS IN EVERY CATEGORY.

THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS DEMANDED THE DECREASE AMONG EMPLOYES ON THE DIPLOMATIC LIST OF THE AMERICAN EMBASSY IN PRAGUE AND THE CONSULATE GENERAL IN BRATISLAVA.

A MINISTRY NOTE ACCUSED THE EMBASSY OF ORGANIZING AND GIVING MATERIAL AID TO SPIES IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA, ENDANGERING THE SECURITY OF THE COUNTRY AND VIOLATING INTERNATIONAL CUSTOMS AND DIPLOMATIC USAGES.

THE NOTE ASSERTED THAT AN UNNECESSARILY HIGH NUMBER OF DIPLOMATIC EMPLOYES WAS CONTRIBUTING TO A WORSENING OF RELATIONS BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

A CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT ORDER RECENTLY CLOSED U.S. INFORMATION SERVICE LIBRARIES IN PRAGUE AND BRATISLAVA. IN RETALIATION, THE UNITED STATES ORDERED THE CZECH CONSULATE IN CHICAGO CLOSED BY MAY 1.

THE CZECH NOTE TODAY SAID:

"DURING THE LATEST TRIALS AT THE STATE COURT IN PRAGUE THE WIDE ESPIONAGE AND HOSTILE ACTIVITIES OF MANY MEMBERS OF THE REPRESENTATIVE OFFICES OF THE UNITED STATES WERE AGAIN PROVED."

(THE NOTE REFERRED TO THE TRIAL A WEEK AGO OF SIX CZECHS CHARGED WITH SPYING FOR THE AMERICAN EMBASSY. A CZECH BROADCAST AT THE TIME REPEATED PREVIOUSLY DENIED CHARGES THAT WALTER BIRGE, SAMUEL MERYN, SPENCER TAGGART AND MISS LOUISE SCHAFFNER, ALL FORMER EMBASSY OFFICIALS, WERE DIRECTORS OF THE ALLEGED SPY RING.)

"THESE ACTIVITIES," THE NOTE CONTINUED, "WERE AIMED AGAINST THE SECURITY OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK REPUBLIC. THEY ENTAILED THE DIRECT ORGANIZATION AND DIRECTION OF ESPIONAGE AND THE SUPPLYING OF MATERIAL NEEDS FOR ITS EFFECTING.

"THIS IS THE CASE WITH THE MAJORITY OF EMPLOYES WHO HELD PROMINENT POSITIONS IN THE OFFICES OF THE UNITED STATES. THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS HAS POINTED OUT THIS FACT MANY TIMES.

"THESE ACTIVITIES HAVE NOTHING IN COMMON WITH THE NORMAL ACTIVITIES OF OFFICIALS OF REPRESENTATIVE'S OFFICES, THIS BEING THE DEFENDING OF INTERESTS OF THE STATE CONCERNED IN THE CZECHOSLOVAK REPUBLIC."

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A193
PRAGUE, APRIL 28-(AP)-CZECHOSLOVAKIA DEMANDED TODAY THAT THE U.S. EMBASSY HERE REDUCE BY TWO-THIRDS THE NUMBER OF ITS EMPLOYES REGISTERED ON THE DIPLOMATIC LIST.

THE DEMAND WAS CONTAINED IN A NOTE TO THE EMBASSY FROM THE CZECH MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS. IT ASKED SIMILAR REDUCTIONS AT THE U.S. CONSULATE GENERAL IN BRATISLAVA.

THE NOTE DECLARED THAT AN UNNECESSARILY HIGH NUMBER OF EMPLOYES WAS WORSENING RELATIONS BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND THE CZECH GOVERNMENT.

IT ACCUSED THE EMBASSY OF ORGANIZING AND GIVING MATERIAL AID TO ESPIONAGE IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA, ENDANGERING THE SECURITY OF THE COUNTRY AND VIOLATING ALL INTERNATIONAL CUSTOMS AND DIPLOMATIC USAGES.

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COMMUNIST PARTY

moscow, april 28--(a p)--the soviet newspaper pravda said toda
american
~~united states~~ military leaders were using col. gen. heinz guderian, former
commander of german forces on the russian front, to help them plan for a
~~one world~~ FOR
fascist military dictatorship in the united states.

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(moscow newspapers have charged several times in the past two years that top u.s. officials have sought guderian's advice. the latest charge, last december, was that u.s. secretary of defense louis johnson had conferred with him on plans to remilitarize germany. johnson and other u. s. authorities have flatly denied making any such plans.)

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A53
MOSCOW, APRIL 28-(AP)-A SOVIET-CHINESE COMPANY HAS BEGUN OPERATING THE CHANGCHUN RAILWAY IN MANCHURIA.

AN OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT SAID THE JOINT OPERATION, SPECIFIED IN THE CHINESE-SOVIET TREATY SIGNED IN FEBRUARY, BEGAN APRIL 25.

THE TREATY PROVIDES FOR COMPLETE CHINESE ADMINISTRATION OF THE RAILROAD NOT LATER THAN 1952.

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A107
PRECEDE MOSCOW DAY
DIETRAMSZELL, GERMANY, APRIL 28-(AP)-COL.GEN.HEINZ GUDERIAN, FORMER COMMANDER OF GERMAN FORCES ON THE RUSSIAN FRONT, TODAY DENIED A SOVIET NEWSPAPER REPORT THAT HE IS HELPING PLAN A FASCIST MILITARY DICTATORSHIP IN THE UNITED STATES.
A SOVIET MAJOR GENERAL TALENSKY SAID IN AN ARTICLE IN PRAVDA THAT GUDERIAN WAS WORKING ON SUCH A PROJECT WITH AMERICANS.
GUDERIAN, 62, IS NOW LIVING IN AN OLD PEOPLE'S HOME IN THIS BAVARIAN TOWN.
"THE PRAVDA STORY IS PURE INVENTION," HE TOLD REPORTERS. "AND IT MUST BE COUNTERED WITH A DENIAL. I HAVE NO REASON AT ALL TO GIVE THE AMERICANS INSTRUCTIONS IN SETTING UP THEIR ARMY. IN MY OPINION THE AMERICANS ARE CLEVER ENOUGH TO DO THIS THEMSELVES."
VS1047PES

A156
HOOVER
MOSCOW, APRIL 28-(AP)-A SUGGESTION BY FORMER U.S. PRESIDENT HOOVER THAT THE UNITED NATIONS BE REORGANIZED WITH COMMUNIST COUNTRIES LEFT OUT DREW NO IMMEDIATE SOVIET COMMENT TODAY. NEITHER WAS THERE ANY COMMENT ON JOHN FOSTER DULLES RECOMMENDATION THAT THE U.N. CHARTER BE REVIEWED.
NEITHER HOOVER NOR DULLES ARE REGARDED IN THE SOVIET UNION AS IN THE SLIGHTEST DEGREE FRIENDLY TO RUSSIA AND BOTH SUGGESTIONS PROBABLY WILL DRAW VERY SHARP EDITORIAL FIRE SOON.
N1159AES

B48 (Q)
NEW DELHI, INDIA, APRIL 28-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER JAWAHARLAL NEHRU ARRIVED BY AIR TODAY FROM KARACHI. HE HAD CONFERRED THERE FOR TWO DAYS WITH PAKISTAN'S PREMIER LIAQUAT ALI KHAN ON WAYS OF IMPLEMENTING AN AGREEMENT AIMED AT SETTLING DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THEIR TWO COUNTRIES.
BEFORE NEHRU LEFT KARACHI AN OFFICIAL COMMUNIQUE SAID THE TWO GOVERNMENT HEADS HAD REVIEWED THE WHOLE FIELD OF INDO-PAKISTAN RELATIONS, INCLUDING THE KASHMIR QUESTION.
NEHRU SAID HIS TALKS WITH LIAQUAT ALI KHAN HAD BEEN "FREE AND FRANK." HE SAID HE WOULD RETURN SOON TO KARACHI FOR FURTHER DISCUSSIONS ON THE PACT SIGNED TWO WEEKS AGO IN AN EFFORT TO END COMMUNAL TROUBLES BETWEEN HINDUS AND MOSLEMS IN THE TWO NEIGHBORING COUNTRIES.
M810AES

A7
SINGAPORE, APRIL 28-(AP)-OFFICIALS SAID 10 POLICE WERE KILLED TODAY WHEN A LARGE FORCE OF COMMUNIST INSURGENTS AMBUSHED TRUCKS TAKING RUBBER PLANTATION WORKERS TO THEIR JOBS IN JOHORE AND PERAK STATES.
AN OFFICIAL STATEMENT ALSO SAID COMMUNISTS MADE AN UNSUCCESSFUL ATTEMPT LAST NIGHT TO DERAIL THE NIGHT MAIL TRAIN WHICH LEFT SINGAPORE FOR KUALA LUMPUR. AN EXPLOSION TORE UP A SECTION OF A BRIDGE BUT THE DAMAGE WAS DISCOVERED IN TIME TO PREVENT THE ONCOMING TRAIN FROM BEING WRECKED.
TU437PES

A69
SINGAPORE, SATURDAY, APRIL 29-(AP)-A HANDGRENADE WAS THROWN EARLY TODAY AT SIR FRANKLIN GIMSON, GOVERNOR OF SINGAPORE, BUT FAILED TO EXPLODE. THE GOVERNOR WAS NOT HURT.
POLICE SAID THE THROWER WAS UNQUESTIONABLY A COMMUNIST.
THE INCIDENT OCCURRED AS GIMSON WAS LEAVING AN AMUSEMENT STADIUM SHORTLY AFTER LAST MIDNIGHT. THE GRENADE BROKE INTO FIVE PIECES. ONE OF THE PIECES HIT THE GOVERNOR IN THE LEG BUT DID NOT WOUND HIM.
THE GRENADE THROWER ESCAPED. ALTHOUGH AT LEAST 300 PERSONS WERE IN THE VICINITY, POLICE SAID THEY WERE UNABLE TO GET A GOOD DESCRIPTION OF HIM.
VS809PES

B5 (Q)
-17-(270)
NIGHT LEAD INDOCHINESE
SAIGON, VIETNAM, INDOCHINA, APRIL 28-(AP)-LUCIEN BAZIN, ASSISTANT FRENCH POLICE CHIEF WAS ASSASSINATED IN A DAYLIGHT ASSAULT ON HIS HOME TODAY, THE FIRST ANNIVERSARY OF EX-EMPEROR BAO DAI'S RETURN FROM EXILE.
THE VIETMINH REBELS ANNOUNCED RECENTLY THAT BAZIN AND 11 OTHER FRENCH POLICE OFFICIALS HAD BEEN MARKED FOR DEATH BY THE JUNGLE REGIME OF THE MOSCOW-TRAINED HO CHI MINH FOR "CAUSING THE DEATH OF A NUMBER OF VIETMINH PATRIOTS."
OBSERVERS LOOKED ON THE SLAYING AS A REBEL WARNING TO ALL VIETNAMESE TO AVOID CLOSE COOPERATION WITH THE FRENCH.
SHORTLY AFTER THE SLAYING OCCURRED, TRAN VAN HUU, NEW PREMIER OF THE FRENCH-SPONSORED STATE CALLED FOR AN END TO STRIFE BETWEEN FRANCE AND HIS PEOPLE:
"THE FRANCO-VIETNAMESE CONFLICT MUST END. FRANCE AND VIETNAM ARE NOW TWO ASSOCIATED STATES. WE MUST TRUST OUR GREAT ASSOCIATEMZ
BAO DAI APPOINTED HUU YESTERDAY AND DISSOLVED THE CABINET OF NGUYEN PHAN LONG, WHOME THE FRENCH HAVE OPPOSED. THEY CHARGED HE FOLLOWED A "DO NOTHING" POLICY.
LEON PIGNON, FRENCH HIGH COMMISSIONER TO INDOCHINA, DECLARED TONIGHT RESULTS WOULD BE DISASTROUS IF THE THREE-POWER FOREIGN MINISTERS CONFERENCE IN LONDON IN MAY FAILS TO PRODUCE A WESTERN POWER DECLARATION OF SOLIDARITY ON INDOCHINESE POLICY.
PIGNON SAID AN EXPRESSION BY THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN AT THE CONFERENCE OF A FAVORABLE ATTITUDE TOWARDS THE FRENCH POSITION WAS OF FIRST IMPORTANCE. HE SAID THE QUESTION OF MATERIAL AID TO THE FRANCO-VIETNAMESE FORCES FIGHTING THE VIETMINH COULD FOLLOW.
"IF NO SUCH DECISION IS TAKEN AT THE CONFERENCE THERE WILL BE A DISASTER," PIGNON SAID.
THE HIGH COMMISSIONER ASSERTED THAT THE CHINESE OCCUPATION OF HAINAN ISLAND UNDERLINED THE NECESSITY FOR CONCERTED ACTION. HE POINTED OUT THE POSSIBILITIES OF THE BIG SOUTH CHINA ISLAND LYING 150 MILES OFF THE INDOCHINESE COAST BEING USED AS A CHINESE COMMUNIST MILITARY BASE AND ARMS SUPPLY POINT FOR THE VIETMINH.
PIGNON SPOKE TO NEWSMEN ON THE EVE OF HIS DEPARTURE BY AIR FOR PARIS, WHERE HE WILL CONFER WITH FRENCH OFFICIALS.
PA423PES

B50 (Q)
SAIGON, VIETNAM, INDOCHINA, APRIL 28-(AP) INDOCHINESE ASSASSINS TODAY KILLED LUCIEN BAZIN, ASSISTANT FRENCH POLICE CHIEF IN VIETNAM, IN A DARING DAYLIGHT ASSAULT BEFORE HIS HOME.
THE COMMUNIST-LED VIET MINH REBELS ANNOUNCED ON THEIR CLANDESTINE RADIO A MONTH AGO THAT BAZIN AND 11 OTHER FRENCH POLICE OFFICERS HAD BEEN CONDEMNED TO DEATH BY THE JUNGLE REGIME OF VIET MINH LEADER HO CHI MINH FOR "CAUSING THE DEATH OF A NUMBER OF VIET

MINH PATRIOTS."

THE ATTACKERS SHOT BAZIN TWICE, MORTALLY WOUNDING HIM, AND THEN ESCAPED IN A CAR.

BAZIN, 45, HAD ENTERED POLICE SERVICE IN FRANCE IN 1928 AND HELD VARIOUS POSTS IN THE GOVERNMENT OF INDOCHINA. HE BECAME CHIEF ADJUTANT OF POLICE HERE LAST YEAR, A JOB HE HELD AT THE TIME OF HIS ASSASSINATION.

B49 (Q)

SAIGON, INDOCHINA, APRIL 28-(AP)-TRAN VAN HUU HAS ACCEPTED FORMER EMPEROR BAO DAI'S MANDATE TO HEAD THE GOVERNMENT OF THE THREE-MONTH-OLD STATE OF VIETNAM.

ACCEPTING THE APPOINTMENT AS PREMIER YESTERDAY, THE PRO-FRENCH VIETNAMESE SAID HE HOPED FOR IMMEDIATE AND REAL INDOCHINESE INDEPENDENCE AND FOR CREATION OF A VIETNAMESE ARMY.

A LAND OWNER WITH FRENCH CITIZENSHIP, 54-YEAR-OLD HUU WAS SELECTED TO REPLACE FORMER PREMIER NGUYEN PHAN LONG. THE FRENCH HAD OUTSPOKENLY OPPOSED LONG RECENTLY.

HUU IS EXPECTED TO SUBMIT A NEW CABINET EARLY NEXT WEEK TO BAO DAI, CHIEF OF STATE, WHOM THE FRENCH INSTALLED AT THE HEAD OF THE VIETNAM GOVERNMENT IN OPPOSITION TO THE REBELLIOUS, MOSCOW-TRAINED HO CHI MINH. HO'S NATIONALIST GUERRILLA REGIME, WHO CONTROLS MUCH OF RURAL VIETNAM, HAS BEEN RECOGNIZED BY THE SOVIET UNION.

M813AES

B81KX(Q)
APW (130)

HONG KONG,APRIL 28 (AP)-IN AN ALMOST UNPRECEDENTED MOVE THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT OF HONG KONG TODAY REVOKED THE LONG-STANDING RIGHT OF CHINESE SUBJECTS TO TRAVEL FREELY TO AND FROM THE CHINA MAINLAND.

SIR ALEXANDER GRANTHAM, THE GOVERNOR, ORDERED BORDER POLICE TO DEMAND STARTING MONDAY VALID TRAVEL DOCUMENTS OF CHINESE CROSSING THE 20-MILE BORDER.

SINCE 1842 BRITAIN HAS ALLOWED CHINESE FREE ACCESS UNDER AN UNWRITTEN "GENTLEMEN'S AGREEMENT" WITH THE CHINESE GOVERNMENT. A SPOKESMAN SAID IT HAD BEEN REVOKED ONLY ONCE, IN 1941 JUST BEFORE WORLD WAR II.

HE SAID THE AGREEMENT ALLOWED FOR "EXCEPTIONAL CIRCUMSTANCES."

THE FEAR WAS EXPRESSED THAT DISSIDENT CHINESE MIGHT PROVOKE POLITICAL QUARRELS WHICH WOULD DRAW CHINESE COMMUNIST CRITICISM.

RECENT IMMIGRATION HAS BEEN ESTIMATED AT 11,000 WEEKLY.

HONG KONG'S POPULATION HAS SOARED FROM A PREWAR 800,000 TO MORE THAN 2,000,000 (M).

A27KX GG941ACS

NITE LEAD CHINESE (260)
BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI,FORMOSA,APRIL 28-(AP)-THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS ANNOUNCED TONIGHT THAT THEY MADE AN UNCHALLENGED AIR RAID ON COMMUNIST SHANGHAI TODAY.

THE AIR FORCE COMMUNIQUE DID NOT MENTION TARGETS OR RESULTS BUT SAID FIGHTERS CIRCLED SHANGHAI SEVERAL TIMES WITHOUT OPPOSITION.

"THIS SHOWED THE COMMUNIST AIR FORCE DARED NOT MEET US," IT SAID.

AIR HEADQUARTERS ALSO REPORTED ATTACKS ON THE MAINLAND PORTS OF AMOY AND FOOHOW AND ON THE COMMUNIST ISLAND OF TAOHUA, ONLY EIGHT MILES SOUTH OF THE NATIONALIST ISLAND BASE OF CHUSHAN. IT SAID 15 BIG JUNKS WERE HIT AND THREE DESTROYED, WHILE 95 PER CENT OF THE TAOHUA ARTILLERY POSITIONS WERE KNOCKED OUT.

THE NATIONALISTS ARE ANTICIPATING AN EARLY COMMUNIST AMPHIBIOUS ASSAULT ON CHUSHAN, WHICH IS 100 MILES SOUTHEAST OF SHANGHAI AND THE KEY TO THE NATIONALIST BLOCKADE OF THE COMMUNIST COAST.

THE NATIONALISTS ALSO EXPECT AN INVASION ATTEMPT PROBABLY IN JUNE OR JULY AGAINST FORMOSA, 350 MILES SOUTH OF CHUSHAN AND 100 MILES OFF THE COAST.

IF THE NATIONALISTS CAN HOLD CHUSHAN, THEY EXPECT A BREATHING SPELL UNTIL NEXT YEAR, AS ALL ASSERT WEATHER CONDITIONS AT SEA WILL RULE OUT AN ATTACK ON FORMOSA DURING THE FALL AND WINTER.

AS FORMOSA RECOVERED FROM THE SHOCK OF LAST WEEK'S RED VICTORY ON HAINAN ISLAND, A GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN SAID THAT GEN.HUSEH YUEH, THE HAINAN DEFENSE COMMANDER, WAS STILL DIRECTING A CAMPAIGN FROM YULIN, SOUTH HAINAN CITY. THE SPOKESMAN DENIED REPORTS THAT HSUEH HAD LEFT FOR PORTUGUESE MACAO OR SAIGON, INDOCHINA.

NOTHING WAS SAID OF FORMAL OPERATIONS, BUT NATIONALIST PRESS REPORTS DECLARED MANY NATIONALIST TROOPS HAD TAKEN TO THE MOUNTAINOUS INTERIOR OF HAINAN TO WAGE GUERRILLA WARFARE.

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A79FX (CHINESE)
WITH BUDGET
CHINESE WAR (270)
BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI, FORMOSA, APRIL 28-(AP)-CAN TINY, INVASION-THREATENED CHUSHAN HOLD BACK THE ON-RUSHING CHINESE COMMUNIST TIDE LONG ENOUGH TO GIVE NATIONALIST FORMOSA A BREATHING SPELL?

THAT'S THE PROBLEM BOTHERING CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S MILITARY STRATEGISTS TODAY.

THE 13-MILE-LONG ISLAND AT THE MOUTH OF HANGCHOW BAY, 100 MILES SOUTHEAST OF SHANGHAI, IS THE LAST OBSTACLE TO FORMOSA. NATIONALIST INTELLIGENCE SAYS RED GEN.CHEN YI HAS MASSED SEVEN ARMIES ON THE MAINLAND AND NEARBY ISLANDS FOR THE ASSAULT.

IT ALSO REPORTS A VAST ARMADA OF STEEL AND WOODEN CRAFT DRAWN UP IN HANGCHOW BAY FOR THE INVASION. CHUSHAN IS ONLY 10 MILES FROM THE MAINLAND, WITH RED-HELD ISLANDS BETWEEN.

THE REDS ARE REPORTED RECRUITING CREWS FOR ASSAULT CRAFT. SEVERAL LANDING SHIPS LOADED WITH AMPHIBIAN TANKS ARE REPORTED ANCHORED IN THE YANGTZE OFF SHANGHAI AWAITING ORDERS TO SAIL SOUTH.

NATIONALISTS SAY THE COMMUNIST TIMETABLE CALLS FOR THE BIG STRIKE AT FORMOSA, 90 MILES OFF THE EAST CHINA COAST, IN JUNE OR JULY.

THE ASSAULT ON CHUSHAN, NATIONALIST BLOCKADE BASE FOR SHANGHAI, IS EXPECTED ANY DAY.

IF CHUSHAN CAN HOLD, EVEN FOR A TIME, NATIONALISTS SAY IT MIGHT UPSET THE REDS' TIMETABLE FOR FORMOSA. ROUGH SEAS FROM OCTOBER THROUGH FEBRUARY, THEY SAY, RULE OUT A THRUST IN THE WINTER MONTHS.

CHUSHAN, 165 SQUARE MILES, IS ONLY ONE-SIXTIETH THE SIZE OF HAINAN, SOUTH CHINA ISLAND WHICH THE REDS OVERRAN EARLIER THIS WEEK.

ONE TAIPEI NEWSPAPER SAID GEN.HSUEH YUEH, DEFENSE COMMANDER OF HAINAN, AND ADM.KWEI YUNG-CHING, COMMANDER IN CHIEF OF THE NATIONALIST NAVY, STILL WERE AT THE SOUTH HAINAN PORT OF YULIN. THIS INDICATED THE NATIONALISTS MIGHT BE TRYING TO EVACUATE TROOPS.

AIR HEADQUARTERS REPORTED: NATIONALIST PLANES MADE AN UNCHALLENGED RAID TODAY ON SHANGHAI; DESTROYED THREE JUNKS ATTACKED AT AMOY AND MINHOW (FOOCHOW) OPPOSITE FORMOSA, AND DESTROYED ARTILLERY POSITIONS ON TAOHUA ISLAND, SOUTH OF CHUSHAN.

(A PEIPING BROADCAST SAID COMMUNIST FIGHTERS KILLED OR WOUNDED 5,621 NATIONALISTS LAST WEEK ON HAINAN. THE BROADCAST WAS HEARD BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS IN SAN FRANCISCO.)

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132FX
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TAIPEI,FORMOSA,SATURDAY,APRIL 29-(AP)-THE 300-TON BRITISH FREIGHTER CLOVERLOCK WAS SHELLED BY A CHINESE NATIONALIST WARSHIP THURSDAY NEARTHE COMMUNIST PORT OF AMOY, IT WAS REPORTED TODAY.
THE STEAMER SOOCHOW, NOW AT THE FORMOSAN PORT OF KEELUNG, SAID IT PICKED UP A DISTRESS SIGNAL FROM THE CLOVERLOCK.
THE SOOCHOW SAID THE CLOVERLOCK'S MASTER REPORTED HIS SHIP WAS BEING ATTACKED OUTSIDE CHINESE TERRITORIAL WATERS. NOTHING WAS HEARD FROM THE CLOVERLOCK SINCE. IT WAS PRESUMED IF IT WAS NOT SUNK IT MIGHT HAVE BEEN SEIZED.
THE CLOVERLOCK APPARENTLY WAS RUNNING THE NATIONALIST BLOCKADE AT THE TIME. IT WAS SHELLED AND DAMAGED BY A NATIONALIST GUNBOAT LAST JANUARY, BUT MANAGED TO REACH HONG KONG.
CK957PPS NM

ADKX
(WEST OUT)
TOKYO,APRIL 28-(AP)-GEN.WU TEH-CHEN, CLOSE ADVISER OF CHIANG KAI-SHEK, LEFT BY PLANE THIS MORNING FOR FORMOSA AFTER A TALK WITH GENERAL MACARTHUR.
WU SAID YESTERDAY HE WAS MAKING A PERSONAL SURVEY TOUR OF NON-COMMUNIST COUNTRIES IN ASIA. HE ALSO VISITED SOUTH KOREA.
WU DENIED REPORTS HE HAD GONE TO SOUTH KOREA TO SEEK BASES FOR THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS IN THE EVENT THEY WERE DRIVEN FROM FORMOSA.
VR133ACS

B120KX (Q)
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TOKYO,APRIL 28 (AP)-OCCUPATION HEADQUARTERS REPORTED TODAY A JAPANESE WOODSMAN HAD DISCOVERED THE REMAINS OF AN AMERICAN AIRMAN MISSING SINCE A B-29 CRASH MAY 7, 1945.
IDENTIFICATION TAGS BORE THE NAME OF SECOND LT.NORMAN S.SIEGEL. AIR FORCE RECORDS SHOW HIS FATHER WAS RUBEN SIEGEL OF 3050 GUNNISON ST., CHICAGO.
THE DISCOVERY WAS MADE APRIL 16 NEAR BEPPU, ON THE SOUTHERN ISLAND OF KYUSHU.
HEADQUARTERS SAID SIEGEL WAS NAVIGATOR OF A SUPERFORTRESS THAT COLLIDED IN THE AIR WITH A JAPANESE FIGHTER. OF THE TEN OTHER CREW MEMBERS, SEVEN WENT DOWN WITH THE PLANE AND THREE ESCAPED BY PARACHUTE, ONLY TO BE CAPTURED AND BEHEADED.
GG233PCS NM

7KX (Q)
(130)
O.H.P. KING
SEOUL, KOREA, APRIL 28-(AP)-A NORTH KOREAN FIGHTER PILOT WHO FLEW TO HAVEN IN SOUTH KOREAN WAS QUOTED BY THE SOUTHERN GOVERNMENT TODAY AS PREDICTING FURTHER DESERTIONS FROM THE RUSSIAN-SPONSORED NORTHERN REGIME.
THE FLIER, LT. LEE KUN-SOON, 24, LANDED AT PUSAN, SOUTH KOREA, IN A SINGLE-ENGINED PLANE WHICH ARMY AUTHORITIES IDENTIFIED AS A RUSSIAN-MADE STORMOVIK OF THE TYPE USED FOR CLOSE TROOPS-SUPPORT WORK IN WORLD WAR II. THEY SAID IT CARRIED TWO 37-MILLIMETER CANNON AND THREE MACHINE-GUNS BUT NO AMMUNITION.
LEE WAS QUOTED AS SAYING HE TOOK OFF FROM YONPORI, NORTH KOREAN AIR BASE 125 MILES NORTH OF THE DEMARCATION LINE, BECAUSE HE RESENTED "THE CRUEL, INHUMAN TREATMENT AFFORDED THE NORTH KOREAN CITIZENRY BY THE RULING CLASS."
THE GOVERNMENT STATEMENT SAID HE TOLD INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS "MANY OF MY BROTHER PILOTS WILL COME TO SOUTH KOREA" UPON LEARNING THEY NEED NOT FEAR ANTIAIRCRAFT.
DP329PCS NM

6KX
(WEST OUT)
SEOUL,APRIL 28-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES AND SOUTH KOREA TODAY SIGNED AN AGREEMENT BY WHICH PROCEEDS FROM THE SALE OF AMERICAN WARTIME PROPERTY HERE WILL BE USED TO EDUCATE KOREANS.
IN SIGNING THE AGREEMENT, FOREIGN MINISTER BEN C.LIMG PRAISED SENATOR FULBRIGHT (D-ARK), AUTHOR OF THE PLAN, FOR HIS "HUMANITARIAN ACT (WHICH IS) A BOON TO A YOUNG REPUBLIC LIKE OURS."
KOREA WILL RECEIVE ABOUT $2,000,000 WHICH WILL BE USED IN SETTING UP AMERICAN-TYPE INSTITUTIONS IN KOREA.
VR134ACS

A198
AMS BUDGET (560)
NIGHT LEAD SLAYINGS
BY KENNETH LIKES
JAKARTA, JAVA, U.S.I., APRIL 28-(AP)-TWO AMERICANS DELVING FOR INFORMATION ON INDONESIAN LIFE--A UNIVERSITY PROFESSOR AND A MAGAZINE CORRESPONDENT--WERE SHOT TO DEATH YESTERDAY ON A JEEP TRIP IN WEST JAVA.
THE VICTIMS WERE PROF.RAYMOND KENNEDY, 43, A YALE SOCIOLOGIST, AND ROBERT DOYLE, 3[illegible], A TIME AND LIFE WRITER.
KENNEDY WAS STUDYING THE IMPACT OF WESTERN CIVILIZATION ON NATIVE CULTURE. DOYLE WAS AFTER A STORY ON FEELINGS OF THE COMMON PEOPLE AFTER FOUR MONTHS OF INDEPENDENCE FROM THE DUTCH.
THEY WERE WAYLAID AND SLAIN NEAR TOMO, IN A BEAUTIFUL MOUNTAIN COUNTRY DOTTED WITH RICE PADDIES AND TEA AND RUBBER ESTATES, BY A BAND OF FOUR OR FIVE MEN REPORTED BY VILLAGERS TO HAVE BEEN IN UNIFORM OF SOME SORT.
THE INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT SUGGESTED THAT ENEMIES OF THE STATE MAY HAVE KILLED THE TWO AMERICANS TO DISTURB RELATIONS BETWEEN INDONESIA AND THE UNITED STATES.
AN OFFICIAL STATEMENT SAID:
"INDONESIA LOSES TWO GENUINE FRIENDS OF HER NATIONAL STRUGGLE. IN THE OPINION OF THE GOVERNMENT IT IS NOT OUTSIDE THE BOUNDS OF POSSIBILITY THAT ENEMIES OF THE STATE DELIBERATELY PLANNED THIS MURDER HOPING TO DISTURB THE FRIENDLY RELATIONS BETWEEN THE U.S.I. AND THE U.S.A.
"THE GOVERNMENT HAS ORDERED A THOROUGH INVESTIGATION OF THE CIRCUMSTANCES SURROUNDING THIS TRAGIC AFFAIR."
FANATICAL GUERRILLA GANGS WERE ACTIVE IN THE REGION EVEN AFTER THE DUTCH-INDONESIAN WARFARE THAT ENDED LAST YEAR, BUT THE HIGHWAYS HAD BEEN REGARDED AS SAFE IN RECENT WEEKS FOR DAYLIGHT TRAVEL.
KENNEDY AND DOYLE LEFT JAKARTA, THE U.S.I. CAPITAL, IN KENNEDY'S JEEP WEDNESDAY FOR JOGJAKARTA, THE OLD CAPITAL OF THE INDONESIAN REPUBLIC, WHICH LIES IN CENTRAL JAVA. DOYLE PLANNED TO TALK WITH PEASANTS ALONG THE WAY. THEY STOPPED OVERNIGHT IN BANDOENG, THE SCENE OF A BLOODY RAID IN JANUARY BY GUERRILLA TROOPS OF CAPT.R.P.P. "TURK" WESTERLING, WHO IS NOW IN JAIL IN SINGAPORE.
DETAILS OF THE KILLINGS CAME TODAY FROM LT.COL.F.DAY, A BRITISH MILITARY OBSERVER FOR THE UNITED NATIONS IN BANDOENG; COL.KARL HISGEN, A U.S. MILITARY OBSERVER; THE U.S. EMBASSY AND A BANDOENG CORRESPONDENT OF RADIO JAKARTA:
KENNEDY AND DOYLE HAD HOPED TO COMPLETE THE 350-MILE TRIP EASTWARD

FROM BANDOENG TO JOGJAKARTA BEFORE SUNDOWN THURSDAY.
THEIR JEEP WAS HALTED ABOUT NOON BY THE UNIFORMED BAND. THE TWO WERE TAKEN TO A CLEARING AND SHOT. THE MOTIVE FOR THE KILLINGS WAS NOT DISCLOSED. VILLAGERS WERE FORCED TO BURY THE TWO. THE BAND COMMANDEERED A SEDAN ON THE HIGHWAY AND HEADED NORTHEAST TOWARD THE JAVA SEA PORT OF CHERIBON. THE VILLAGERS REPORTED THE SHOOTING TO INDONESIAN TROOPS AND THE BODIES WERE EXHUMED. THE INDONESIAN ARMY COMMAND IDENTIFIED THE BODY OF DOYLE EASILY, BUT HAD DIFFICULTY IN IDENTIFYING KENNEDY. THIS APPEARED TO INDICATE MUTILATION.

KENNEDY, KNOWN TO HIS STUDENTS AS "JUNGLE JIM," WAS THE AUTHOR OF THREE BOOKS ON INDONESIAN ETHNOLOGY. ETHNOLOGY IS A SCIENCE DEALING WITH THE DIVISION OF MANKIND INTO RACES, THEIR ORIGIN, DISTRIBUTION AND THE PECULIARITIES THAT CHARACTERIZE THEM.

OUT-OF-THE-WAY PLACES ATTRACTED KENNEDY. HIS INTEREST IN THE INDONESIAN ISLANDS DEVELOPED DURING SERVICE AS A FIELD REPRESENTATIVE OF GENERAL MOTORS HERE FROM 1929 TO 1932.

HE LEFT YALE IN 1949 FOR A YEAR'S STUDY ABROAD UNDER A GUGGENHEIM FELLOWSHIP. A YALE GRADUATE, HE WAS A CONSULTANT FOR THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND THE OFFICE OF STRATEGIC SERVICES (OSS) ON SOUTHEAST ASIAN AFFAIRS IN WORLD WAR II. HE WAS A NATIVE OF HOLYOKE,MASS.

HIS WIFE, THE FORMER RUBY JO REEVES, HERSELF A PROFESSOR OF SOCIOLOGY AND HEAD OF THAT DEPARTMENT AT CONNECTICUT STATE COLLEGE IN NEW LONDON, WAS EXPECTED TO JOIN HIM HERE IN A FEW WEEKS.

(NEWS OF THE KILLINGS CAME TO MRS.KENNEDY FROM A FRIEND AT NEW HAVEN WHILE SHE WAS ENROUTE TO NEW YORK TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS FOR HER TRIP TO JAVA. HER EYES TEAR-STAINED, SHE CANCELLED THE JOURNEY TO NEW YORK. SHE HAD PLANNED TO FLY BACK TO THE UNITED STATES WITH HER HUSBAND IN AUGUST.)

DOYLE, TOO, WAS MARRIED. HIS WIDOW IS IN HONG KONG, THE BRITISH COLONY THAT BECAME HIS BASE OF OPERATIONS AFTER THE FALL OF PEIPING AND SHANGHAI TO THE COMMUNISTS. HE HAD BEEN A TIME AND LIFE CORRESPONDENT IN CHINA SINCE THE SPRING OF 1948.

DOYLE WAS BORN IN CHICAGO. HE ATTENDED THE NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF JOURNALISM, WORKED FOR A CHICAGO RADIO STATION FOR A SHORT TIME AND THEN WENT INTO THE U.S. NAVY. HE SERVED AS A FLIGHT INTELLIGENCE OFFICER ON THE CARRIER [redacted] IN THE WAR.

(HE GOT ACQUAINTED WITH SEVERAL TIME AND LIFE EDITORS ON THE CARRIER AND THEY FOUND HIM TO BE "AN EXTRAORDINARILY ABLE YOUNG MAN," A SPOKESMAN FOR THE MAGAZINES SAID IN NEW YORK.)

DOYLE DECIDED DURING THE WAR THAT HE WISHED TO DO NEWS WORK IN CHINA. HE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES AND STUDIED THE CHINESE LANGUAGE AT YALE FOR A YEAR AND A HALF. TIME AND LIFE HIRED HIM IN [redacted]1947 ON THE BASIS OF HIS WARTIME CONTACTS.

(TIME SAID DOYLE WAS BORN IN CHICAGO JULY 4, 1918. HE WORKED HIS WAY THROUGH NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY, WHERE HE OBTAINED DEGREES IN POLITICAL SCIENCE AND JOURNALISM. HE WAS A MEMBER OF PHI BETA KAPPA AND AN EDITOR OF THE DAILY NORTHWESTERNER. FOR SEVERAL MONTHS BEFORE ENTERING THE NAVY HE WAS A RADIO SCRIPT WRITER AT STATION WGN. HIS WIDOW IS THE FORMER ANN FORD.

(MANFRED GOTTFRIED, CHIEF OF CORRESPONDENTS OF TIME, INC., SAID: "YOUNG AS HE WAS, BOB DOYLE WAS ONE OF THE ABLEST CORRESPONDENTS WE HAVE EVER KNOWN.")

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A118

FIRST LEAD SLAYINGS (270)

BY KENNETH LIKES

JAKARTA, U.S.I., APRIL 28-(AP)-A YALE PROFESSOR AND AN AMERICAN CORRESPONDENT WERE SLAIN YESTERDAY IN WEST JAVA--THE APPARENT VICTIMS OF A MURDEROUS GANG WHOSE MOTIVES COULD NOT BE DETERMINED.

THE TWO WERE PROF.RAYMOND KENNEDY, 43, OF YALE UNIVERSITY, A NOTED SOCIOLOGIST KNOWN TO HIS STUDENTS AS "JUNGLE JIM" BECAUSE OF HIS URGE TO EXPLORE REMOTE PLACES, AND ROBERT DOYLE, 30, A NATIVE OF CHICAGO WHO WORKED FOR TIME AND LIFE MAGAZINES OUT OF HONG KONG.

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE AMERICAN EMBASSY SAID THE TWO WERE KILLED ON A PAVED HIGHWAY NEAR TOMO. THIS IS IN A BEAUTIFUL MOUNTAINOUS AREA WHERE FANATICAL GUERRILLA BANDS WERE ACTIVE DURING THE DUTCH-INDONESIAN WARFARE. THERE WAS AN INDICATION THE BODIES MAY HAVE BEEN MUTILATED.

THE ROAD HAS BEEN CONSIDERED SAFE FOR DAYTIME TRAVEL IN RECENT MONTHS BUT MOST FOREIGNERS DO NOT VENTURE ALONG IT AT NIGHT. THE ROAD WINDS THROUGH TEA AND RUBBER ESTATES AND RICE PADDIES THICKLY POPULATED WITH NATIVES.

THE TWO LEFT JAKARTA WEDNESDAY FOR JOGJAKARTA, CAPITAL OF THE INDONESIAN REPUBLIC. THEY SPENT THE NIGHT IN BANDOENG, AND HOPED TO MAKE JOGJAKARTA BY LAST NIGHT.

THERE WAS NO OFFICIAL ACCOUNT OF WHAT HAPPENED. RADIO JOGJAKARTA QUOTED ITS BANDOENG CORRESPONDENT AS SAYING THE MEN WERE HALTED IN THEIR JEEP AT NOON YESTERDAY BY A GANG OF FOUR OF FIVE MEN IN UNIFORM.

THE DISPATCH SAID DOYLE AND KENNEDY WERE TAKEN TO A CLEARING IN A FOREST AND SHOT. VILLAGERS WERE COMPELLED TO BURY THEM AND THE GANG MADE THEIR GETAWAY TOWARD CHERIBON IN A SEDAN THEY HAD SEIZED ON THE HIGHWAY.

THE FRIGHTENED VILLAGERS REPORTED TO INDONESIAN SOLDIERS, WHO DUG UP THE BODIES.

COL.KARL HISGEN, AN AMERICAN OBSERVER, GOT THE FIRST REPORT OF THE KILLINGS FROM THE BRITISH U.N. MILITARY OBSERVER STATIONED AT BANDOENG. LT.COL.F.DAY.

[redacted] SAID HIS REPORT CAME BY TELEPHONE FROM THE BRITISH UNITED NATIONS MILITARY OBSERVER STATIONED AT BANDOENG, LIEUT.-COL.F.DAY.

HE SAID THE INDONESIAN ARMY COMMAND HAD IDENTIFIED POSTIVELY THE BODY OF DOYLE BUT, ACCORDING TO A FIRST REPORT, HAD DIFFICULTY IN IDENTIFYING KENNEDY. THIS APPEARED TO INDICATE THAT THE BODIES HAD BEEN MUTILATED.

THEY WERE FOUND NEAR THE TOWN OF TOMO, IN A MOUNTAINOUS AREA. FANATIC MOSLEM BANDS OF THE DARUL ISLAM MOVEMENT HAVE OPERATED IN THAT AREA IN THE PAST BUT IT WAS NOT KNOWN IF THEY WERE INVOLVED IN THE MURDER.

KENNEDY, A PROFESSOR OF SOCIOLOGY AT YALE WHO HAD WRITTEN SEVERAL REPORTS AND BOOKS ON INDONESIA, RECENTLY HAS BEEN DOING RESEARCH WORK IN THE FIELD. HE ALWAYS DROVE HIS OWN JEEP.

DOYLE HAD BEEN WORKING ON A STORY ON HOW THE INDONESIAN PEASANTS FELT ABOUT THE CURRENT SITUATION IN THE ISLANDS. HE CAUGHT A RIDE WITH KENNEDY AND SAID HE EXPECTED TO INTERVIEW VILLAGERS ALONG THE ROUTE TO JOGJAKARTA.

DOYLE, A 30-YEAR-OLD MIDWESTERNER, HAD BEEN LIVING WITH HIS WIFE IN HONG KONG, HIS HEADQUARTERS.

BEFORE THE WAR HE ATTENDED NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF JOURNALISM, THEN WORKED FOR A TIME AT A CHICAGO RADIO STATION. HIS WARTIME CAREER INCLUDED SERVING AS A FLIGHT INTELLIGENCE OFFICER ON THE CARRIER [redacted] YORKTOWN.

WHEN THE WAR WAS OVER DOYLE WENT TO YALE UNIVERSITY TO STUDY CHINESE FOR A YEAR AND A HALF. HE WAS HIRED BY TIME IN THE SPRING OF 1948 AND WAS ASSIGNED TO CHINA. HE SERVED ON THE MAINLAND UNTIL THE FALL OF PEIPING AND SHANGHAI, THEN WENT TO TOKYO AND FROM THERE TO HONG KONG.

LAST FALL HE WAS IN INDONESIA ON ASSIGNMENT FROM LIFE. HE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES FOR A SHORT VISIT LAST JANUARY.

DOYLE WAS BORN IN CHICAGO JULY 4, 1918, ATTENDED HIGH SCHOOL THERE AND WAS GRADUATED FROM NORTHWESTERN IN 1940. HE WAS A SCRIPT WRITER FOR RADIO STATION WGN IN CHICAGO BEFORE HE ENTERED THE NAVY DURING WORLD WAR II.

HE SERVED AS SENIOR INTELLIGENCE OFFICER TO ADMIRAL RADFORD OF THE U.S.S. YORKTOWN, AND WORKED ON ANALYSES FOR CHINESE COASTAL OPERATIONS.

AFTER LEAVING THE NAVY, DOYLE STUDIED FAR EASTERN HISTORY AND POLITICS AT COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY, WHERE HE RECEIVED HIS MASTERS DEGREE IN 1946. HE SPENT A YEAR AT YALE STUDYING THE CHINESE LANGUAGE AND JOINED TIME, INC., IN OCTOBER 1947.

DOYLE WORKED IN THE NEW YORK AND WASHINGTON OFFICES OF TIME AND BECAME TIME'S BUREAU CHIEF IN SHANGHAI IN JUNE, 1948. SINCE THE FALL OF NANKING, HIS BASE HAS BEEN AT HONG KONG.

HIS WIDOW, ANN FORD DOYLE, IS IN HONG KONG.

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WITH JAKARTA (A66)

NEW HAVEN, CONN., APRIL 28-(AP)-RAYMOND KENNEDY, REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN FOUND MURDERED IN WEST JAVA, U.S.I., WAS PROFESSOR OF SOCIOLOGY AT YALE UNIVERSITY HERE.

HE LEFT NEW HAVEN IN 1949 FOR A YEAR'S STUDY ABROAD UNDER A GUGGENHEIM SCHOLARSHIP. HE WAS MARRIED AND LIVED AT 11 BURNS STREET. A COLLEGE SPOKESMAN SAID THAT PROFESSOR KENNEDY WAS EXPECTED TO RETURN TO HIS FACULTY POST IN TIME FOR THE OPENING OF THE TERM IN SEPTEMBER.

THE 43-YEAR-OLD SOCIOLOGIST HAD GONE TO INDONESIA TO STUDY THE INFLUENCE OF WESTERN CIVILIZATION ON NATIVE CULTURE.

HIS STUDENTS AT YALE SOMETIMES REFERRED TO HIM AS "JUNGLE JIM" BECAUSE OF HIS FONDNESS FOR EXPLORING OUT-OF-THE-WAY PLACES.

AUTHOR OF THREE BOOKS ON INDONESIAN ETHNOLOGY, HE WAS FAMILIAR WITH THE COUNTRY, HAVING BEEN A FIELD REPRESENTATIVE FOR GENERAL MOTORS CORPORATION IN JAVA AND SUMATRA FROM 1929 TO 1932.

FOR A SHORT TIME BEFORE THAT, FOLLOWING HIS GRADUATION FROM YALE IN 1928, HE HAD TAUGHT IN THE PHILIPPINES.

DURING THE WAR HE WAS A CONSULTANT FOR THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND THE OFFICE OF STRATEGIC SERVICES ON SOUTHEASTERN ASIA AFFAIRS.

HE WAS BORN IN HOLYOKE, MASS.

MRS.KENNEDY, THE FORMER RUBY JO REEVES, HERSELF IS A PROFESSOR OF SOCIOLOGY AND HEAD OF THAT DEPARTMENT AT CONNECTICUT COLLEGE (FOR WOMEN) IN NEW LONDON.

THEY HAVE A DAUGHTER, ELLEN REEVES KENNEDY.

MRS.KENNEDY HAS BEEN LIVING IN NEW LONDON DURING HER HUSBAND'S ABSENCE.

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KENNEDY, THOUGH HE HAD PLANNED HIS TRIP TO INDONESIA FOR A LONG TIME, WAITED UNTIL THE REBELLION THERE ENDED BEFORE DEPARTING.

IN AN INTERVIEW WITH THE YALE DAILY NEWS ALMOST A YEAR BEFORE HE LEFT NEW HAVEN, HE SAID:

"I LOOK ENOUGH LIKE A DUTCHMAN TO GET SHOT AT."

PAUL H.KATTENBURG, A RESEARCH FELLOW IN THE YALE DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE, ACCOMPANIED KENNEDY ON HIS TRIP. KATTENBURG ASSISTED KENNEDY IN THEIR COMMUNITY BY COMMUNITY INVESTIGATION OF WESTERN CIVILIZATION'S EFFECT ON THE NATIVES.

PRESIDENT CHARLES SEYMOUR OF YALE ISSUED THIS STATEMENT:

"ALL OF YALE JOINS WITH ME IN MOURNING THE UNTIMELY AND TRAGIC DEATH OF RAYMOND KENNEDY, ONE OF THE GREAT AUTHORITIES ON THE PEOPLES OF INDONESIA. HE WAS NOT ONLY ONE OF YALE'S TOP SCHOLARS, HE WAS ALSO ONE OF OUR MOST POPULAR AND EFFECTIVE CLASSROOM LECTURERS.

"HIS LOSS WILL BE SORELY FELT, NOT ONLY IN HIS SPECIALIZED FIELD, BUT HERE ON THE CAMPUS AS WELL."

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(140) WASHINGTON,APRIL 28-(AP)-AMBASSADOR ALI SASTROAMIDJOJO SAID TODAY THE PEOPLE OF INDONESIA ARE "SHOCKED AND HORRIFIED" BY THE MURDER OF ROBERT DOYLE AND PROFESSOR RAYMOND KENNEDY IN WEST JAVA.

THE TWO WERE KILLED WHILE ON A JEEP TRIP. A BAND OF FOUR OR FIVE MEN STOPPED THEM IN A REGION WHERE GUERRILLA GANGS HAVE BEEN ACTIVE.

THE INDONESIAN AMBASSADOR SAID IN A STATEMENT:

"THE DEATH OF THESE TWO MEN IS A PERSONAL LOSS TO ME, AND I KNOW THAT THE INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT SHARES MY SORROW. MANY OF OUR LEADING OFFICIALS, BOTH IN THE UNITED STATES AND IN INDONESIA, INCLUDING MYSELF KNEW THESE MEN WELL. TO THEIR FAMILIES AND TO THEIR FRIENDS, WE EXTEND INDONESIA'S HEARTFELT SYMPATHY. THE PEOPLE OF MY COUNTRY ARE SHOCKED AND HORRIFIED BY THIS VICIOUS CRIME. THE INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT WILL LEAVE NO STONE UNTURNED IN ITS ENDEAVOR TO APPREHEND AND BRING TO JUSTICE THE PERSONS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE MURDER OF PROFESSOR KENNEDY AND MR.DOYLE."

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SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA, APRIL 28-(AP)-THE AUSTRALIAN GOVERNMENT'S BILL TO OUTLAW THE COMMUNIST PARTY DREW SUPPORT TODAY FROM A MAJOR GROUP IN THE OPPOSITION LABOR PARTY.

THE PARLIAMENTARY LABOR PARTY OF NEW SOUTH WALES--AUSTRALIA'S BIGGEST STATE--ANNOUNCED IT WOULD SUPPORT IN PRINCIPLE THE COMMUNIST PARTY DISSOLUTION BILL.

LIBERAL PRIME MINISTER ROBERT G. MENZIES, WHO HEADS THE LIBERAL-COUNTRY PARTY COALITION GOVERNMENT, INTRODUCED THE LEGISLATION IN THE FEDERAL PARLIAMENT AT CANBERRA LAST NIGHT.

ANNOUNCING SUPPORT OF THE BILL, THE NEW SOUTH WALES LABOR PARTY'S ACTING CHAIRMAN R. G. HAMILTON SAID HIS GROUP WAS "PRACTICALLY UNANIMOUS" IN BELIEVING THE BILL SHOULD BE SUPPORTED BY THE FEDERAL LABOR PARTY.

THIS SWIFT LABOR BACKING FOR THE ANTI-RED BILL CAME AS A SURPRISE TO POLITICAL OBSERVERS. THE COMMUNIST PARTY HAS STRONG SUPPORT IN SEVERAL AUSTRALIAN LABOR UNIONS.

LABOR APPROVAL FOR THE BILL IS CONSIDERED ESSENTIAL FOR ITS SPEEDY PASSAGE. THE LABOR PARTY STILL CONTROLS THE FEDERAL UPPER HOUSE, THE SENATE, IN WHICH THE BILL MUST BE PASSED BEFORE IT CAN BECOME LAW.

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havana, cuba, april 28—(ap)--diplomatic circles ~~x~~ said today that the "inter-american conference for democracy and freedom," scheduled here next month, might cause one or more latin american nations to break relations with cuba.

these sources said the conference was opposed by the governments of venezuela, argentina, colombia and the dominican republic. [redacted]

these ~~cirles~~ DIPLOMATS ADDED THAT these [redacted] at least one country — [redacted] apparently venezuela — had discussed the possibility of severing relations if it developed the cuban government was sponsoring the conference. ~~thex~~ a spokesman for the cuban state department last night denied his government [redacted] HAD EXTENDED SUCH SPONSORSHIP

[redacted] among those scheduled to attend the conference are labor, political and education leaders of the americas, including political exiles from venezuela, peru and the dominican republic. critics of argentine and colombia also are expected to be on hand.

the [redacted] newspaper democracia, buenos aires has denounced the conference, which it said of president juan peron, already has included some persons with "a close affinity of communism" and some "declared enemies of argentina."

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NIGHT LEAD HOOVER-FOREIGN (650)
WASHINGTON,APRIL 28-(AP)-HERBERT HOOVER'S SUGGESTION THAT NON-COMMUNIST COUNTRIES ORGANIZE A NEW UNITED NATIONS WITHOUT THE RUSSIANS GOT FAVORABLE ATTENTION IN CONGRESS TODAY, BUT THERE ALSO WAS VIGOROUS DISSENT.

COMMENT RANGED FROM THAT OF SENATOR GEORGE (D-GA), WHO SAID, "ULTIMATELY WE WILL HAVE TO COME TO THAT," TO MRS.FRANKLIN D.ROOSEVELT'S BELIEF THAT THE HOOVER PLAN IS "THE SUREST WAY TO WAR."
AND CARLOS P.ROMULO, PRESIDENT OF THE U.N.GENERAL ASSEMBLY,

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SAID THE UNITED NATIONS STILL IS ONLY WORKABLE LINK BETWEEN THE EAST AND THE WEST.

AFTER HOOVER HAD FINISHED HIS SPEECH IN NEW YORK LAST NIGHT, HE GOT A TELEPHONE CALL FROM PRESIDENT TRUMAN.

PRESIDENTIAL SECRETARY CHARLES ROSS TOLD REPORTERS TODAY THAT MR. TRUMAN CONGRATULATED HOOVER ON HIS CALL FOR "MOBILIZATION OF THE MORAL FORCES OF THE WORLD."

BUT ROSS SAID MR.TRUMAN DID NOT SAY ANYTHING TO HOOVER ABOUT A NON-COMMUNIST U.N.

"HOW DOES THE PRESIDENT FEEL ON THAT PHASE?" A REPORTER ASKED.

"NO COMMENT," ROSS ANSWERED. "THE PRESIDENT DIDN'T GO INTO THAT AND I HAVE NO COMMENT."

IN THE PAST, MR.TRUMAN CONSISTENTLY HAS ARGUED THAT THE U.N. SHOULD BE SUPPORTED UNDER ITS PRESENT SETUP.

MRS.ROOSEVELT WAS ASKED FOR COMMENT ON HER ARRIVAL AT UNITED NATIONS HEADQUARTERS IN LAKE SUCCESS, N.Y. SHE WAS TO PRESIDE OVER ANOTHER SESSION OF THE U.N.HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION.

MRS.ROOSEVELT SAID:

"I THINK IT WAS AN ODD SPEECH FOR A QUAKER. IT IS THE SUREST WAY TO WAR, AND FOR A QUAKER TO ADVOCATE A STEP TOWARD WAR IS ODD."

ROMULO DECLARED:

"IF THE CONFLICT BETWEEN THE GREAT POWERS THREATENS TO DIVIDE THE NASCENT WORLD COMMUNITY INTO TWO, THE REMEDY IS NOT TO HARDEN THE CLEAVAGE BY SPLITTING THE UNITED NATIONS; THE WISER COURSE WOULD BE TO DO EVERYTHING POSSIBLE TO MAINTAIN AND STRENGTHEN THE UNITED NATIONS, WHICH IS THE ONLY WORKABLE BRIDGE THAT WE HAVE TODAY BETWEEN THE TWO HOSTILE CAMPS ON EITHER SIDE OF THE CHASM."

ON THE OTHER HAND, SENATOR GEORGE, WHO IS A MEMBER OF THE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE, SAID:

"IF THE UNITED NATIONS ISN'T REORGANIZED IT IS DIFFICULT TO SEE HOW IT CAN CONTINUE WITH ANY STRONG PROMISE OF SUCCESS."

ANOTHER MEMBER OF THE COMMITTEE, SENATOR HICKENLOOPER (R-IOWA), SAID CONGRESS SHOULD GIVE "PROFOUND AND IMMEDIATE" CONSIDERATION TO HOOVER'S VIEWS.

"RUSSIA HAS BEEN APPROACHED FROM EVERY ANGLE IN THE INTERESTS OF PEACE AND CONTINUES TO BLOCK EVERY EFFORT TO ATTAIN IT," HE SAID.

"WHILE IT COULD BE DESIRABLE FOR ALL THE NATIONS TO COOPERATE IN THE U.N., RUSSIA'S CONTINUAL OBSTRUCTION PREVENTS FREE NATIONS FROM GOING AHEAD."

BUT JOHN FOSTER DULLES, REPUBLICAN FOREIGN POLICY EXPERT WHO IS AN ADVISER TO SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON, SAID THERE IS "NO OCCASION TO DESTROY THE UNIVERSALITY OF THE UNITED NATIONS."

HE MADE HIS COMMENT AFTER A TALK WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN. HOWEVER, DULLES SAID THAT SINCE HE DID NOT HEAR, AND HAD NOT READ, HOOVER'S SPEECH, HIS REMARKS DID NOT DEAL SPECIFICALLY WITH WHAT HOOVER HAD SAID.

"ANYTHING WE NEED TO DO IN THE WAY OF MAKING A MORE CLOSELY KNIT ALLIANCE," DULLES SAID, "CAN BE DONE WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE CHARTER AS WE HAVE ALREADY SHOWN IN TWO INSTANCES--THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY AND THE RIO PACT."

ANOTHER OF ACHESON'S REPUBLICAN ADVISERS, JOHN SHERMAN COOPER, SAID:

"MR.HOOVER'S PROPOSAL SEEMS TO LEAD TO A HOPELESS VIEW OF THE FUTURE."

THE FORMER SENATOR FROM KENTUCKY SAID:

"I FEEL WE CAN LOOK FORWARD TO A WORLD ORGANIZATION THROUGH WHICH WE MAY FIND PEACE. A U.N.WITHOUT RUSSIA AND THE SATELLITES WOULD INCREASE TENSIONS AND FREEZE THE WORLD INTO TWO RIVAL AREAS."

SENATOR TAFT (R-OHIO), WHO HEADS HIS PARTY'S POLICY COMMITTEE, SAID HE THOUGHT A UNITED FRONT "ORGANIZED OF THOSE PEOPLES WHO DISAVOW COMMUNISM, WHO STAND FOR MORALS AND RELIGION AND WHO LOVE FREEDOM" MIGHT HAVE BEEN ACCOMPLISHED UNDER THE ATLANTIC PACT.

BUT, SAID TAFT:

"THE ADMINISTRATION MADE IT A MILITARY ALLIANCE."

SENATOR KEFAUVER (D-TENN) SAID HE THINKS HOOVER'S IDEA CAN BE CARRIED OUT WITHIN THE UNITED NATIONS FRAMEWORK, WHICH HE SAYS WOULD BE RETAINED SO THAT THE U.S.WILL CONTINUE TO HAVE CONTACT WITH THE RUSSIANS.

FROM THE STATE DEPARTMENT CAME THIS STATEMENT BY ASSISTANT SECRETARY JOHN D.HICKERSON:

"THE UNITED NATIONS REPRESENTS THE CORNERSTONE OF OUR FOREIGN POLICY. WE WANT TO STRENGTHEN IT. WE HAVE PLAYED OUR FULL PART; WE HAVE NEVER WALKED OUT AND WE HAVE NEVER MISSED A MEETING."

FROM THE RUSSIANS: NO COMMENT.

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NIGHT LEAD U.N.-HOOVER

BY FRANCIS W.CARPENTER

LAKE SUCCESS, APRIL 28-(AP)-TWO UNITED NATIONS VETERANS, ASSEMBLY PRESIDENT CARLOS P.ROMULO AND MRS.FRANKLIN D.ROOSEVELT, REJECTED TODAY FORMER PRESIDENT HERBERT HOOVER'S SUGGESTION FOR REORGANIZING THE U.N. WITHOUT THE RUSSIANS.

INSTEAD, THEY CALLED FOR ALL-OUT EFFORTS TO MAKE THE U.N. STRONGER AND TO USE IT AS THE BEST WAY TO KEEP THE EAST AND WEST WORKING TOGETHER.

VLADIMIR HOUDEK, PERMANENT DELEGATE HERE FOR COMMUNIST CZECHOSLOVAKIA SAID THE HOOVER PLAN IS NOT THE BEST WAY TO SECURE WORLD PEACE. HE ADDED THAT THE RUSSIAN BLOC COUNTRIES WHICH HAVE WALKED OUT OF OR BOYCOTTED 21 U.N. ORGANIZATIONS BECAUSE OF THE ISSUE OF CHINESE REPRESENTATION ARE NOT GOING TO "QUIT THE U.N." HE WAS THE FIRST COMMUNIST DELEGATE TO COMMENT ON HOOVER'S SPEEECH.

ROMULO, THE HIGHEST POLITICAL OFFICER IN THE U.N. AS PRESIDENT OF THE FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY, CALLED THE PRESENT ORGANIZATION THE "ONLY WORKABLE BRIDGE THAT WE HAVE TODAY BETWEEN THE TWO HOSTILE CAMPS ON EITHER SIDE OF THE CHASM."

HE SAID THE WORLD TODAY NEEDS "UNITY, NOT UNIFORMITY."

MRS. ROOSEVELT TOLD A REPORTER THE PROPOSAL BY FORMER PRESIDENT HOOVER, MADE LAST NIGHT IN A SPEECH AT A NEW YORK DINNER OF THE AMERICAN NEWSPAPER PUBLISHERS ASSOCIATION, IS "THE SUREST WAY TO WAR." IN A FORMAL STATEMENT LATER SHE LEFT OUT THOSE WORDS, BUT SAID HOOVER'S STATEMENT "SEEMED AN ACTION SOMEWHAT MARCHING TOWARD WAR RATHER THAN KEEPING THE WORLD TOGETHER."

MRS. ROOSEVELT, WIDOW OF ONE OF THE FOUNDERS OF THE U.N., PRESIDENT OF THE U.N. COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS AND AN AMERICAN DELEGATE TO EVERY U.N. ASSEMBLY SINCE THE FIRST MEETING IN LONDON IN 1946, SAID "I BELIEVE IN DOING THE BEST WE CAN WITH THE U.N. AS IT IS ORGANIZED." SHE SAID THE U.N. IS AN INSTRUMENT "WE SHOULD BACK AND FOSTER AND USE TO THE UTMOST."

HOOVER'S SUGGESTION DREW THIS COMMENT FROM T.F.TSIANG, CHIEF DELEGATE OF NATIONALIST CHINA: "THE WORLD IS NOT QUITE READY FOR SUCH A DRASTIC PROPOSAL, BUT THE PRESSURE OF WORLD EVENTS WILL EVENTUALLY DRIVE US TO ACCEPT MR.HOOVER'S PROPOSAL."

TSIANG HAS BEEN ATTACKED REPEATEDLY IN THE U.N. BY THE SOVIET BLOC AND THE RUSSIANS HAVE WALKED OUT OF OR BOYCOTTED 21 U.N. ORGANIZATIONS AFTER THEY FAILED TO OUST TSIANG.

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THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR THE UNITED NATIONS AND THE UNITED WORLD FEDERALISTS HELD A JOINT PRESS CONFERENCE AND ISSUED STATEMENTS CALLING FOR MORE SUPPORT FOR THE U.N.

THE A.A.U.N. STATEMENT SAID THAT ORGANIZATION DID NOT BELIEVE PEACE CAN BE MAINTAINED BY CONVERTING THE UNITED NATIONS "INTO A CLUB OF LIKE-MINDED MEMBERS." IT SAID THAT "IT WOULD BE THE GREATEST BLUNDER OF STATESMANSHIP FOR THIS COUNTRY TO FORCE A VERY LARGE PART OF THE HUMAN RACE TO CHOOSE BETWEEN ONE SIDE OR ANOTHER IN THE FINAL AND IRREVOCABLE DIVISION OF THE WORLD."

THE UNITED WORLD FEDERALISTS STATEMENT SAID THE DISAGREEMENTS BETWEEN EAST AND WEST WILL NOT BE EASED BY "TURNING OUR BACKS UPON EACH OTHER AND FREEZING THE COLD WAR INTO A PERMANENT CLEAVAGE THAT ONLY A HOT WAR CAN DISSOLVE." IT SAID "WE MUST NOT TAKE FROM THE U.N. IN TERMS OF MEMBERS. WE MUST ADD TO THE U.N. IN TERMS OF POWER."

CLARK EICHELBERGER, DIRECTOR OF THE A.A.U.N., SAID AT THE PRESS CONFERENCE HE DID NOT BELIEVE A GREAT NUMBER OF CONGRESSMEN WOULD SUPPORT HOOVER. HE SAID WIRES ARE BEING SENT TO REGIONAL CHAPTERS OF THE A.A.U.N. THROUGHOUT THE UNITED STATES INSTRUCTING THEM TO TAKE IMMEDIATE STEPS TO MEET ANY EFFECTS OF THE HOOVER SPEECH IN THEIR AREAS.

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HOOVER (130)

LAKE SUCCESS, APRIL 28-(AP)-MRS.FRANKLIN D.ROOSEVELT SAID TODAY FORMER PRESIDENT HERBERT HOOVER'S TWO-WORLDS SPEECH ADVOCATES "THE SUREST WAY TO WAR."

THE WIDOW OF THE WARTIME PRESIDENT, ACTIVE IN UNITED NATIONS AFFAIRS SINCE THE BEGINNING OF THE WORLD PEACE ORGANIZATION, WAS ASKED FOR COMMENT ON MR.HOOVER'S PROPOSAL TO REORGANIZE THE U.N. IN A WAY TO SHUT OUT RUSSIA AND OTHER COMMUNIST COUNTRIES.

"I THINK IT WAS AN ODD SPEECH FOR A QUAKER," MRS.ROOSEVELT SAID. "IT IS THE SUREST WAY TO WAR, AND FOR A QUAKER TO ADVOCATE A STEP TOWARD WAR IS ODD."

MRS.ROOSEVELT MADE HER COMMENT TO REPORTERS ON HER ARRIVAL TO PRESIDE OVER A UNITED NATIONS HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION SESSION. SHE IS SERVING HER FIFTH TERM AS COMMISSION CHAIRMAN, AND HAS BEEN A U.S. DELEGATE TO ALL U.N. ASSEMBLIES SINCE THE FIRST IN 1946. SHE HAS TANGLED IN DEBATE FREQUENTLY WITH THE RUSSIANS, INCLUDING FOREIGN MINISTER A.Y.VISHINSKY.

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HOOVER (300)

NEW YORK, APRIL 28-(AP)-CARLOS P.ROMULO, PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY, SAID TODAY THE U.N. IS THE ONLY WORKABLE LINK IN THE WORLD BETWEEN THE EAST AND THE WEST.

COMMENTING IN A STATEMENT ON THE PROPOSAL OF FORMER PRESIDENT HERBERT HOOVER THAT THE U.N. SHOULD BE REORGANIZED WITHOUT THE COMMUNIST NATIONS, ROMULO DECLARED:

"IF THE CONFLICT BETWEEN THE GREAT POWERS THREATENS TO DIVIDE THE NASCENT WORLD COMMUNITY INTO TWO, THE REMEDY IS NOT TO HARDEN THE CLEAVAGE BY SPLITTING THE UNITED NATIONS; THE WISER COURSE WOULD BE TO DO EVERYTHING POSSIBLE TO MAINTAIN AND STRENGTHEN THE UNITED NATIONS, WHICH IS THE ONLY WORKABLE BRIDGE THAT WE HAVE TODAY BETWEEN THE TWO HOSTILE CAMPS ON EITHER SIDE OF THE CHASM."

ROMULO, WHO ALSO HEADS THE PHILIPPINE MISSION TO THE U.N., SAID IT WAS A MISCONCEPTION TO BELIEVE THAT BECAUSE OF THE EAST-WEST COLD WAR THE UNITED NATIONS HAS BEEN DEFEATED AS A PRESERVER OF THE PEACE.

ROMULO SAID THE U.N. IS NOT INTENDED NOR EQUIPPED TO SETTLE QUARRELS OF THE BIG POWERS AND THAT THE ENTIRE STRUCTURE OF THE ORGANIZATION IS BASED ON BIG POWER COOPERATION. IT IS WRONG, HE ADDED, TO BLAME THE U.N. BECAUSE THE BIG POWERS HAVE NOT RESOLVED THEIR DIFFERENCES.

DESPITE THE HANDICAP OF THE EAST-WEST STRUGGLE, ROMULO DECLARED, THE U.N. HAS HELPED TO MAINTAIN PEACE AND PREVENT WAR. HE CITED AS EXAMPLES PALESTINE, IRAN AND INDONESIA.

ROMULO PREDICTED THAT THE EAST-WEST COLD WAR MIGHT BE VIEWED BY FUTURE HISTORIANS AS ONLY A MINOR EPISODE COMPARED WITH THE MOVEMENT OF THE PEOPLES OF ASIA AND AFRICA TOWARDS A GREATER FREEDOM--A MOVEMENT ROMULO SAID IS GUIDED BY THE U.N.

THE ASSEMBLY PRESIDENT SAID THERE IS AMPLE SCOPE WITHIN THE UNITED NATIONS FOR GROUPS OF NATIONS TO PROTECT THEIR COMMON INTERESTS. HE ADDED:

"A UNITED NATIONS REORGANIZED TO INCLUDE ONLY THOSE NATIONS WHO ARE PREPARED TO LINE UP WITH ONE GREAT POWER AGAINST ANOTHER WOULD NOT BE A WORLD ORGANIZATION. IT WOULD BE MERELY A MAGNIFIED REGIONAL ASSOCIATION. WE MUST GUARD AGAINST THE TEMPTATION TO REDUCE THE UNITED NATIONS TO THAT STATUS."

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LAKE SUCCESS, APRIL 28-(AP)-FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF AMBASSADOR CARLOS P. ROMULO'S STATEMENT TODAY:

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FORMER PRESIDENT HERBERT HOOVER'S SPEECH BEFORE THE AMERICAN NEWSPAPER PUBLISHERS ASSOCIATION POINTS UP THE CRISIS IN WHICH THE UNITED NATIONS FINDS ITSELF TODAY. MR. HOOVER'S VIEWS ARE SHARED BY OTHERS AND THEY DESERVE THOUGHTFUL CONSIDERATION.

THE CRISIS THAT CONFRONTS THE UNITED NATIONS IS A REFLECTION OF THE ACTUAL STATE OF THE WORLD. IT IS A MISCONCEPTION TO SAY OR IMPLY THAT THERE WAS ONE WORLD BEFORE THE UNITED NATIONS WAS ORGANIZED AND THAT NOW THERE ARE TWO WORLDS, IN SPITE OR PERHAPS BECAUSE OF THE UNITED NATIONS. THE TCUTH OF THE MATTER IS THAT THERE HAS BEVER BEEN ONE WORLD IN THE SENSE IN WHICH WE NOW UNDERSTAND THE PHRASE. THERE WERE NOT ONLY TWO BUT MANY WORLDS BEFORE THE UNITED NATIONS WAS ORGANIZED. WHAT WE HAVE BEEN TRYING TO DO IN AND THROUGH THE UNITED NATIONS IS TO UNITE THE MANY FACTIONS AND BLOCS OF NATIONS, WITH THEIR DIFFERING TRADITIONS AND CULTURES AND THEIR DIVERSE AND SOMETIMES CONFLICTING NATIONAL AND REGIONAL INTERESTS, INTO ONE WORLD SOCIETY, ONE UNIVERSAL COMMUNITY. WE HAVE BEEN TRYING TO HEAL THE CLEAVAGES AND DIVISIONS OF A THOUSAND YEARS, IN THE BELIEF THAT REAL SECURITY AND FREEDOM AND PROSPERITY TODAY CANNOT BE ACHIEVED ON ANYTHING LESS THAN A GLOBAL SCALE.

IF THE CONFLICT BETWEEN THE GREAT POWERS THREATENS TO DIVIDE THE NASCENT WORLD COMMUNITY INTO TWO, THE REMEDY IS NOT TO HARDEN THE CLEAVAGE BY SPLITTING THE UNITED NATIONS; THE WISER COURSE WOULD BE TO DO EVERYTHING POSSIBLE TO MAINTAIN AND STRENGTHEN THE UNITED NATIONS, WHICH IS THE ONLY WORKABLE BRIDGE THAT WE HAVE TODAY BETWEEN THE TWO HOSTILE CAMPS ON EITHER SIDE OF THE CHASM.

ANOTHER MISCOONCEPTION IS THE BELIEF THAT BECAUSE THE COLD WAR BETWEEN THE GREAT POWERS PERSISTS, THE UNITED NATIONS "HAS BEEN DEFEATED AS A PRESERVATIVE OF PEACE." IN THE FIRST PLACE, THE UNITED NATIONS WAS NOT INTENDED AND WAS NOT EQUIPPED TO SETTLE THE QUARRELS OF THE

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GREAT POWERS. THE ENTIRE STRUCTURE OF THE UNITED NATIONS IS BASED ON GREAT-POWER COOPERATION. THE GREAT POWERS, THOUGH THE SECURITY COUNCIL, WERE TO ASSUME THE GUARDIANSHIP OF INTERNATIONAL PEACE AND SECURITYM THE FACT THAT THEY HAVE NOT COMPOSED THEIR DIFFERENCES SHOULD NOT BE BLAMED ON THE UNITED NATIONS.

IN SPITF OF THE HANDICAP OF THIS GREAT POWER CONFLICT, HOWEVER, THE UNITED NATIONS HAS HELPED TO MAINTAIN PEACE AND PREVENT WAR. THE UNITED NATIONS WAS INSTRUMENTAL IN SOLVING THE DISPUTES IN PALESTINE, IRAN AND INDONESIA, AND IN CONCILIATING OTHER CONFLICTS WHICH ALTOGETHER INVOLVED SOME FIVE HUNDRED MILLION PEOPLE, ABOUT ONE FOURTH OF THE HUMAN RACE. CONSIDERING THE DISADVANTAGES UNDER WHICH THE UNITED NATIONS HAS WORKED, THIS IS NO MEAN ACHIEVEMENT.

IN THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL FIELDS, THE VALUE OF THE ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE UNITED NATIONS IS GENERALLY RECOGNIZED. THE UNIVERSAL DECLARATION OF HUMAN RIGHTS, THE INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION ON GENOCIDE, THE GLOBAL AID TO CHILDREN, REFUGEES AND SICK PEOPLE, AND THE EXTENSION OF TECHNICAL AID TO UNDERDEVELOPED COUNTRIES HIGHLIGHT THE SUPREMELY IMPORTANT WORK BEING DONE BY THE UNITED NATIONS AND ITS AGENCIES IN LAYING THE FOUNDATIONS OF A HEALTHY, FREE AND SECURE SOCIETY.

THE UNITED NATIONS IS ALSO PERFORMING AN HISTORIC FUNCTION IN FACILITATING THE PEACEFUL LIBERATION OF FORMER COLONIES AND NON-SELF-GOVERNING TERRITORIES, THUS FORESTALLING THE BITTER STRUGGLES AND SOCIAL UPHEAVALS THAT USUALLY ACCOMPANY SUCH REVOLUTIONARY CHANGES.

IN THE LONG VIEW, THE COLD WAR THAT NOW LOOMS SO LARGE IN OUR EYES MAY SEEM TO FUTURE HISTORIANS AS BUT A MINOR EPISODE COMPARED TO THE MASSIVE MOVEMENT OF THE PEOPLES OF ASIA AND AFRICA TOWARDS LARGER FREEDOM, A MOVEMENT WHICH THE UNITED NATIONS INSPIRES, GUIDES AND SPEARHEADS.

WITH REGARD TO THE "MORAL MOBILIZATION" OF THE NATIONS IN THE CAUSE OF PEACE AND FREEDOM, WHAT BETTER VEHICLE CAN THERE BE THAN THE UNITED NATIONS? IN THE UNITED NATIONS, WORLD OPINION FINDS ITS FULLEST AND MOST EFFECTIVE EXPRESSION TODAY. ON THE GREAT ISSUES AFFECTING HUMAN RIGHTS, FUNDAMENTAL FREEDOMS AND INTERNATIONAL MORALITY, ABOUT WHICH MR.HOOVER HAS EXPRESSED A VERY PROPER AND COMMENDABLE CONCERN, THE MEMBER STATES OF THE UNITED NATIONS HAVE AGAIN AND AGAIN STOOD UP TO BE COUNTED. THE WHOLE WORLD KNOWS THE RECORD, AND IT IS A RECORD OF WHICH THE DEMOCRATIC, FREEDOM-LOVING AND GOD-FEARING NATIONS CAN BE PROUD.

THE LEGITIMATE DESIRE OF GROUPS OF NATIONS TO PROTECT AND FOSTER THEIR COMMON INTERESTS WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE WORLD ORGANIZATION HAS FOUND ADEQUATE EXPRESSION IN REGIONAL ASSOCIATIONS LIKE THOSE OF THE AMERICAN AND WESTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES. THERE IS AMPLE SCOPE FOR COLLECTIVE ACTION THROUGH SUCH ASSOCIATIONS WITHIN THE UNITED NATIONS.

A UNITED NATIONS REORGANIZED TO INCLUDE ONLY THOSE NATIONS WHO ARE PREPARED TO LINE UP WITH ONE GREAT POWER AGAINST ANOTHER WOULD NOT BE A WORLD ORGANIZATION. IT WOULD BE MERELY A MAGNIFIED REGIONAL ASSOCIATION. WE MUST GUARD AGAINST THE TEMPTATION TO REDUCE THE UNITED NATIONS TO THAT STATUS.

THE BUILDING UP OF A VIABLE ORGANIZATION OF DIVERSE STATES HAS ALWAYS BEEN AND WILL ALWAYS BE A SLOW AND DIFFICULT TASK. WE MAY PERHAPS PROFIT BY AN EXAMPLE OUT OF AMERICA'S OWN HISTORY. WHEN THE SOUTHERN STATES SECEDED FROM THE UNION, ABRAHAM LINCOLN EXERTED EVERY EFFORT TO PRESERVE THE UNIION RATHER THAN TO FORAMLIZE AND PERPETUATE THE DIVISION.

THE PARAMOUNT NEED OF MANKIND TODAY IS NOT A MOVEMENT TOWARDS FURTHER DIVISION BUT A MOVEMENT TOWARDS CLOSER UNION. WE SHOULD STRIVE TO MODERATE, NOT TO EXACERBATE, EXISTING TENSIONS. WE MUST DO EVERYTHING TO KEEP OPEN THE DOORS OF INTERCOURSE, CONCILIATION AND ACCOMODATION INSTEAD OF SPLITTING UP THE WORLD INTO SEALED, AIR-TIGHT COMPARTMENTS. THE WORLD STANDS IN NEED TODAY OF UNITY, NOT UNIFORMITY.

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NIGHT LEAD COMMUNISTS
BY JOHN B.OWEN

WASHINGTON, APRIL 28-(AP)-FREDERICK VANDERBILT FIELD, REPUTED RED MILLIONAIRE, TESTIFIED TODAY HE NEVER CALLED OWEN LATTIMORE A COMMUNIST AND REGARDS HIM AS LOYAL TO THE UNITED STATES.

ASKED ABOUT THREE STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS, HALDORE HANSON, JOHN S.SERVICE AND JOHN CARTER VINCENT, THE WITNESS SAID NONE HAS EVER BEEN A COMMUNIST SO FAR AS HE KNOWS.

BUT FIELD, GREAT GRANDSON OF COMMODORE CORNELIUS VANDERBILT, FLATLY REFUSED TO SAY WHETHER HE HIMSELF IS OR EVER HAS BEEN A COMMUNIST AND SENATE INVESTIGATORS MADE IT CLEAR THEY WILL CONSIDER CONTEMPT ACTION AGAINST HIM.

FIELD TURNED BACK A FLOOD OF QUESTIONS, CAUSING SENATOR LODGE (R-MASS) TO BRAND HIS BEHAVIOR ONE OF THE "MOST SHOCKING SPECTACLES I HAVE EVER SEEN."

FIELD, A WITNESS BEFORE A SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE INVESTIGATING SENATOR MCCARTHY'S CHARGES OF COMMUNISM IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT, WAS DESCRIBED BY LODGE AS A MAN WHO HAD ENJOYED ABOUT EVERY ADVANTAGE THE COUNTRY COULD OFFER. YET, THE SENATOR SAID, HE "REFUSES TO DO HIS DUTY AND HELP THIS SUBCOMMITTEE."

COMMITTEE COUNSEL EDWARD MORGAN CALLED IT "A MATTER OF THE MOST SERIOUS CHARACTER . . . CONTEMPTUOUS." AND SENATOR HICKENLOOPER (R-IOWA) DECLARED: "I PLAN TO SEEK ACTION AGAINST FIELD."

FIELD BROUGHT UP THE CONSTITUTION TO SUPPORT HIS REFUSALS TO ANSWER. BUT AS TO LATTIMORE, FAR EASTERN AFFAIRS EXPERT, HE CAME PREPARED WITH A STATEMENT. IT WAS A CONTRADICTION OF TESTIMONY OF EX-COMMUNIST LOUIS BUDENZ.

BUDENZ, STAR WITNESS FOR MCCARTHY AGAINST LATTIMORE, SAID LAST WEEK THAT FIELD HAD CALLED LATTIMORE A COMMUNIST. BUDENZ ALSO SAID FIELD WAS A SOVIET AGENT. FIELD DENIED BOTH STATEMENTS.

HE DENIED "ANY IMPLICATION" THAT HE HAD "AT ANY TIME ATTENDED A COMMUNIST PARTY MEETING OR MEETINGS WITH PROFESSOR LATTIMORE OR HIS WIFE . . . OR THAT I HAVE EVER STATED . . . THAT BOTH OR EITHER OF THE LATTIMORES WERE COMMUNISTS, COMMUNIST AGENTS, OR DOMINATED BY COMMUNISTS."

MCCARTHY HAS REFERRED TO FIELD AS AN ADMITTED COMMUNIST, AND A WEALTHY MAN WHOM THE COMMUNISTS ARE USING FOR HIS MONEY. FIELD, A NEW YORKER, HAS SPENT MUCH OF HIS LIFE STUDYING FAR EASTERN AFFAIRS. EARL BROWDER, FORMER COMMUNIST PARTY CHIEF, TOLD THE INVESTIGATORS YESTERDAY THAT HE "ASSUMED" FIELD WAS A COMMUNIST.

FIELD INFORMED THE COMMITTEE TODAY HE WOULD DECLINE TO DISCUSS HIS "POLITICAL VIEWS OR AFFILIATIONS, SUCH AS MY ALLEGED MEMBERSHIP IN OR

AFFILIATION WITH THE COMMUNIST PARTY."
HE SAID THE GOVERNMENT USED THE QUESTION "ARE YOU A COMMUNIST?" IN AN ATTEMPT TO INTIMIDATE AND TERRORIZE ITS CRITICS.
FIELD BASED HIS VARIOUS REFUSALS TO ANSWER QUESTIONS ON THE GROUNDS THAT THE CONSTITUTION GAVE HIM IMMUNITY, OR THAT HIS ANSWER MIGHT TEND TO INCRIMINATE HIM. HE REFUSED TO SAY WHETHER HE KNEW SERVICE, VINCENT OR HANSON FOR THE LATTER REASON.
THIS WAS AFTER CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD) HAD COAXED OUT OF HIM THE STATEMENT THAT THE THREE WERE NOT COMMUNISTS SO FAR AS HE KNOWS. TYDINGS HAD SAID REFUSAL TO ANSWER SUCH A QUESTION WOULD LEAVE THE WAY OPEN TO "ALL SORTS OF INFERENCES," FAVORABLE AND UNFAVORABLE.
THE THREE STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS HAD FIGURED PREVIOUSLY IN THE TESTIMONY.
MCCARTHY TOLD THE SENATE YESTERDAY THAT BUDENZ, IN SECRET TESTIMONY, HAD CALLED HANSON A COMMUNIST. THIS WAS CHALLENGED AS "NOT ACCURATE" BY SENATOR MCMAHON (D-CONN), A MEMBER OF THE INVESTIGATING GROUP. HANSON, WHO HAS GIVEN A DETAILED DENIAL OF MCCARTHY'S CHARGES, IS CONNECTED WITH THE DEPARTMENT'S "POINT 4" PROGRAM FOR DEVELOPMENT OF BACKWARD WORLD AREAS.
MCCARTHY HAS ACCUSED SERVICE, CAREER DIPLOMAT, OF COMMUNIST LEANINGS. SERVICE IS EXPECTED TO REPEAT HIS DENIAL BEFORE THE COMMITTEE.
VINCENT, U.S. MINISTER TO SWITZERLAND, FIGURED IN THE HEARING YESTERDAY WHEN BROWDER TESTIFIED. BROWDER REFUSED TO SAY WHETHER VINCENT HAD ATTENDED A MEETING WITH A CHINESE COMMUNIST LEADER IN THIS COUNTRY IN 1945. HE TOSSED ASIDE A SERIES OF QUESTIONS ABOUT INDIVIDUALS ON THE GROUNDS THEY REPRESENTED A "FISHING EXPEDITION."
FIELD, MILD-MANNERED, WITH PALE BLUE EYES BEHIND HORN-RIMMED GLASSES, SAID THAT HE KNEW LATTIMORE.
THEY MET, HE SAID, ABOUT 1934 WHEN BOTH WERE EMPLOYED BY THE INSTITUTE OF PACIFIC RELATIONS. HE SAID THEY HADN'T MET FOR SIX YEARS WHEN BOTH WERE MEMBERS OF THE INSTITUTE'S BOARD OF TRUSTEES. BOTH MR. AND MRS. LATTIMORE PROBABLY HAD VISITED FIELD'S NEW YORK CITY HOME, THE WITNESS SAID.
FIELD SAID HE HAD BEEN EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OF THE AMERICAN BRANCH OF THE INSTITUTE FOR SIX YEARS. HE LEFT IT IN 1940. HE SAID HIS RELATIONSHIP WITH LATTIMORE WAS LIMITED BECAUSE THEY WERE STATIONED GENERALLY IN DIFFERENT CITIES AND COUNTRIES.
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(260) MCCARTHY-EVJUE

WASHINGTON,APRIL 28-(AP)-SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) PINNED A PRO-COMMUNIST LABEL ON TWO WISCONSIN NEWSPAPERMEN YESTERDAY AND CHALLENGED THEM TO SUE HIM.

SPEAKING ON THE SENATE FLOOR, MCCARTHY SAID WILLIAM T.EVJUE, EDITOR OF THE MADISON DAILY TIMES, IS RUNNING A "DISGUISED POISONED WATERHOLE OF DANGEROUS COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA."
HE SAID EVJUE, IN A SIGNED EDITORIAL, ONCE DESCRIBED CEDRIC PARKER, NOW THE PAPER'S CITY EDITOR, AS "THE COMMUNIST LEADER IN MADISON," ADDING: "THIS STATEMENT BY MR.EVJUE WAS NEVER LATER DENIED OR RETRACTED BY HIM. IT STILL STANDS."
AT MADISON, PARKER SAID THAT "SEN. MCCARTHY TALKS BIG BUT SAYS NOTHING.
"EVERY CHARGE WHICH SEN. MCCARTHY MADE THURSDAY WAS MADE BY HIM SEVERAL MONTHS AGO IN A 3,000-WORD STATEMENT SENT OUT TO WISCONSIN NEWSPAPERS. THE CHARGES WERE ANSWERED FULLY AT THAT TIME BY BOTH MR. EVJUE AND MYSELF.
"SEN. MCCARTHY IS ACTING ON THE HITLER THEORY THAT IF A LIE IS BIG ENOUGH AND IS REPEATED OFTEN ENOUGH, IT WILL BE BELIEVED."
PARKER ADDED:
"I AM NOT A COMMUNIST.
"IF SEN. MCCARTHY HAS THE COURAGE TO SAY THAT I AM--AND SAY IT OFF THE SENATE FLOOR--HE WILL BE GIVEN AN OPPORTUNITY TO DEFEND HIMSELF."

MCCARTHY'S SENATE SPEECH WAS THE LATEST BLOW IN A LONG FEUD BETWEEN HIM AND EVJUE. EVJUE VISITED THE WHITE HOUSE THIS WEEK TO GIVE PRESIDENT TRUMAN A REPORT, HE SAID, ON MCCARTHY'S BACKGROUND.
EVJUE--WHO LIKE PARKER HAS DENIED SIMILAR CHARGES BY MCCARTHY IN THE PAST--TOLD NEWSMEN AFTER THE WHITE HOUSE VISIT THAT THE SENATOR IS A "DEAD DUCK POLITICALLY" AND HAD MADE HIS COMMUNISTS-IN-THE-STATE-DEPARTMENT CHARGES "TO REHABILITATE HIS SHATTERED POLITICAL FORTUNES."
IN A STATEMENT INSERTED IN THE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD AFTER HIS SENATE SPEECH, MCCARTHY SAID YESTERDAY:
"WHILE THIS IS BEING MADE ON THE SENATE FLOOR AND IMMUNITY WOULD ATTACH THERETO, I WANT TO ASSURE MR.EVJUE AND HIS ATTORNEYS THAT I WILL WAIVE CONGRESSIONAL IMMUNITY IF THEY DESIRE TO SUE AND WILL ASSURE ME THAT SUIT WILL BE STARTED WITHIN SUCH REASONABLE PERIOD OF TIME AS THEY SHALL NAME."
MCCARTHY CHARGED LAST NOVEMBER THAT EVJUE ONCE HAD CALLED PARKER A COMMUNIST. AT THE TIME, PARKER CALLED THE STATEMENT "RIDICULOUS," AND EVJUE SAID PARKER HAD IN FACT SIGNED A NON-COMMUNIST AFFADAVIT AS PRESIDENT OF THE MADISON NEWSPAPER GUILD.
THE TAFT-HARTLEY ACT REQUIRES UNION OFFICIALS TO SWEAR THEY ARE NOT COMMUNISTS BEFORE THE UNION CAN USE THE MACHINERY OF THE NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD.
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MT.VERNON, N.Y., APRIL 28-(AP)-JOHN HUBER, THE MYSTERIOUSLY MISSING WITNESS FROM THE SENATE'S STATE DEPARTMENT PROBE, TOLD A NEWSPAPER FRIEND TODAY HE WILL GO TO WASHINGTON LATE NEXT WEEK TO "TELL ALL I KNOW."
LARRY ANGEL, MANAGING EDITOR OF THE MT.VERNON ARGUS, SAID HUBER TELEPHONED HIM SHORTLY AFTER 3 P.M. (EST) TODAY, AND SAID HE WAS "SOMEWHERE ON LONG ISLAND VISITING FRIENDS" AND "TRYING TO GET A COMPLETE REST."
HUBER, WHO ASSERTEDLY SERVED 10 YEARS AS AN UNDERCOVER FBI INFORMANT IN COMMUNIST RANKS, DISAPPEARED FROM WASHINGTON TUESDAY, SHORTLY BEFORE HE WAS SCHEDULED TO APPEAR BEFORE A SENATE SUBCOMMITTEE.
THE NEXT DAY, HE TELEPHONED HIS WIFE HERE AND SAID HE HAD SUFFERED A "BLACKOUT." HE TOLD THE SAME STORY TO SEVERAL OTHERS BY TELEPHONE.
IN HIS CALL TODAY, HUMBER--AS BEFORE--DECLINED TO DISCLOSE HIS EXACT WHEREABOUTS, BUT SAID THAT AFTER "ANOTHER WEEK OF REST, I AM ANXIOUS TO GO BACK TO WASHINGTON AND GET ON THE STAND."
"I'M GOING BACK TO WASHINGTON, AND MAKE WHATEVER APOLOGIES OR EXPLANATIONS I CAN OFFER, AND THEN DO ALL I POSSIBLY CAN IN BEING OF HELP IN THE SENATE'S INVESTIGATION."
HE SAID HE HAD TRIED UNSUCCESSFULLY TO REACH SEN.JOSEPH MCCARTHY (R-WIS), IN SUPPORT OF WHOSE CHARGES HUBER WAS TO TESTIFY. MCCARTHY HAS CHARGED THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAS CONTAINED COMMUNISTS.
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BY GEORGE MILLER

(NY) HARTFORD, CONN., APRIL 28-(AP)-HARMONICA ARTIST LARRY ADLER SAYS HE BELIEVES A COMMUNIST SHOULD BE ALLOWED TO WORK AND LIVE IN THE U.S. "UNLESS HE BREAKS A LAW."

ADLER AND PAUL DRAPER, THE DANCER, HAVE BEEN ACCUSED OF PRO-COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES BY A GREENWICH, CONN., MATRON, MRS. HESTER MC CULLOUGH. SHE IS THE WIFE OF JOHN T. MC CULLOUGH, AN ASSOCIATE EDITOR OF TIME MAGAZINE.

THE TWO ENTERTAINERS ARE SUING MRS. MC CULLOUGH FOR $200,000 DAMAGES, CONTENDING HER ALLEGED LIBEL CAUSED THEIR EARNINGS TO DROP SHARPLY.

TESTIFYING YESTERDAY FOR THE SECOND DAY AT THE TRIAL IN FEDERAL COURT HERE, ADLER SAID UNDER CROSS-EXAMINATION THAT HE BELIEVES EVEN A COMMUNIST "HAS A RIGHT TO EARN A LIVING" AND RESIDE IN THIS COUNTRY.

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"I BELIEVE HE (A COMMUNIST) SHOULD BE ALLOWED TO WORK UNLESS HE BREAKS A LAW," ADLER SAID.

THE WITNESS ADDED, HOWEVER, THAT HE BELIEVES THE GOVERNMENT HAS THE RIGHT TO DENY EMPLOYMENT TO COMMUNISTS, ON SECURITY GROUNDS.

MRS. MC CULLOUGH HAS CHARGED THAT ADLER SUPPORTED NINE SUBVERSIVE ORGANIZATIONS.

ADLER, HIS DARK EYES PEERING THROUGH THICK HORN-RIMMED GLASSES, SAID, "IT IS CORRECT THAT THE ORGANIZATIONS ARE LISTED AS SUBVERSIVE, BUT IT IS NOT CORRECT THAT I SUPPORTED THEM."

HIS APPROVAL OF SUCH ORGANIZATIONS, ADLER SAID, EXTENDED ONLY TO CERTAIN OF THEIR AIMS.

ASKED BY DEFENSE COUNSEL WHETHER HE REMAINED IN SOME GROUPS AFTER THEY WERE LISTED AS SUBVERSIVE BY THE GOVERNMENT, ADLER REPLIED "YES."

SPECIFIC ORGANIZATIONS WERE NOT MENTIONED IN THIS PHASE OF THE EXAMINATION.

THE SUIT STEMMED FROM A PUBLISHED LETTER WRITTEN BY MRS. MC CULLOUGH OPPOSING DRAPER AND ADLER'S APPEARANCE UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE GREENWICH COMMUNITY CONCERT COMMITTEE.

ADLER TESTIFIED THE COMMITTEE AT FIRST ASKED HIM AND DRAPER TO SUBMIT NON-COMMUNIST AFFIDAVITS. HE SAID BOTH REFUSED ON THE GROUND THAT SUCH A PROCEDURE WAS UN-AMERICAN.

ALSO, ADLER SAID, "I DON'T THINK THAT IN A DEMOCRATIC COUNTRY ANY ONE SHOULD HAVE TO STATE, AS A PREREQUISITE TO GETTING A JOB, WHAT POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY HE HAPPENS TO ESPOUSE."

DRAPER AND HE LATER APPEARED BEFORE THE COMMITTEE, ADLER SAID, AND THE COMMITTEE ISSUED A STATEMENT SAYING IT WAS SATISFIED THEY WERE NOT SUBVERSIVE.

ADLER SAID HE AND DRAPER "NEVER MIXED ART AND POLITICS IN A CONCERT IN OUR LIVES."

ADLER AND DRAPER APPEARED AT THE ROXY THEATER, NEW YORK, IN MAY, 1948, WHEN LEFTIST PICKETS RINGED THE THEATER PROTESTING THE SHOWING OF "BEHIND THE IRON CURTAIN," AN ANTI-COMMUNIST FILM.

ASKED ABOUT THAT APPEARANCE, ADLER TESTIFIED THAT DRAPER DID A PANTOMINE DANCE INTENDED TO PORTRAY "YOUR LEAST FAVORITE SENATOR."

"YEAH, IT'S HENRY WALLACE," ADLER SAID A HECKLER SHOUTED FROM THE AUDIENCE.

ADLER QUOTED DRAPER AS REPLYING. "I DON'T HAVE ANY CANDIDATE IN MIND -- NOT HENRY WALLACE OR ANY ONE ELSE."

WALLACE THEN WAS PROGRESSIVE PARTY LEADER AND ITS CANDIDATE FOR PRESIDENT. ADLER EARLIER SAID HE SUPPORTED WALLACE BECAUSE THE FORMER VICE PRESIDENT FOLLOWED THE LATE PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S POLICIES MORE THAN PRESIDENT TRUMAN DID.

WHEN HE FOLLOWED DRAPER ON STAGE, ADLER SAID, HE TOLD THE AUDIENCE HE AGREED WITH HIS CO-ARTIST AND THAT THEY MIGHT AS WELL BOO HIM TOO. ADLER SAID THE AUDIENCE PROCEEDED TO BOO HIM, ALSO.

THE TRIAL WAS ADJOURNED UNTIL 10 A.M. (EST) MONDAY.

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(200) FIRST LEAD FOREIGN

WASHINGTON, APRIL 28-(AP)-SENATOR LUCAS (D-ILL) SAID TODAY THE GROWING TENSION BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND RUSSIA HAS PRODUCED THE "MOST DANGEROUS PEACE TIME DAYS OUR COUNTRY HAS EVER EXPERIENCED."

LUCAS, THE SENATE DEMOCRATIC LEADER, MADE THIS ASSERTION IN AN APPEAL FOR TWO-PARTY SUPPORT OF FOREIGN POLICY, SAYING:

"IF WE BATTLE ONE ANOTHER FIERCELY AND STUBBORNLY, IF WE REFUSE TO GIVE AND TAKE, IF WE ARE LED INTO QUARRELS BY FALSE VOICES OF STUBBORN MEN, IT SEEMS TO ME WE COULD WELL BE INVITING ANOTHER PEARL HARBOR."

LUCAS MADE HIS REMARKS IN AN ADDRESS RECORDED HERE FOR ILLINOIS RADIO STATIONS.

HE CALLED RUSSIA'S RECENT FIRING ON AN AMERICAN PLANE OVER THE BALTIC "AN ACT OF FRIGHT" AND A WARNING TO CONGRESS THAT "WE COULD NOT AFFORD TO ENGAGE IN PARTISAN WRANGLING AT THIS GRAVE HOUR IN HISTORY."

THE QUESTION OF WHAT AN AMERICAN PLANE SHOULD DO IF IT BECOMES INVOLVED IN ANOTHER SUCH INCIDENT APPEARS TO BE UNDER DISCUSSION AT BOTH THE STATE AND DEFENSE DEPARTMENTS.

PRESIDENT TRUMAN WAS ASKED AT HIS NEWS CONFERENCE YESTERDAY WHETHER, IN ANOTHER CASE, THE U.S. PLANE WOULD SHOOT -:(.

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IN ANOTHER CASE, THE U.S. PLANE WOULD SHOOT BACK.

ON SPECIFIC PROBLEMS, DULLES HAD THESE THINGS TO SAY:

UNITED NATIONS--THE PRESENT CHARTER AND MEMBERSHIP OF THE UNITED NATIONS ARE "DATED 1945." IT IS NOW TIME "TO START PLANNING A GENERAL CONFERENCE TO REVIEW THE CHARTER" IN THE LIGHT OF DEVELOPMENTS, INCLUDING THE BIRTH OF THE ATOMIC AGE.

WESTERN HEMISPHERE--FIVE OF THE 21 NATIONS WHICH SIGNED THE RIO PACT FOR THE DEFENSE OF THE HEMISPHERE IN SEPTEMBER 1947 HAVE NOT YET RATIFIED IT. THOSE NATIONS ARE ARGENTINA, BOLIVIA, ECUADOR, GUATEMALA AND PERU. THE UNITED STATES SHOULD FIND OUT NOW WHETHER THEY INTEND TO RATIFY SO THAT IF THEY DO NOT "WE MAY IN TURN DEVISE NEW POLICIES WHICH WILL TAKE ACCOUNT OF THE REALITIES OF THIS HEMISPHERE."

WESTERN EUROPE--AMERICAN ECONOMIC AND MILITARY AID HAVE "PRESERVED THE LIFE OF THE FREE INSTITUTIONS OF THE WEST" AND KEPT ALIVE HOPE FOR THE FUTURE. THAT HOPE NOW NEEDS TO BE TRANSFORMED "INTO A CLEAR CUT PROGRAM FOR RESTORING PERMANENT HEALTH AND VIGOR TO PEOPLES WHO COLLECTIVELY POSSES ENORMOUS HUMAN AND MATERIAL RESOURCES."

GERMANY--WAYS MUST BE FOUND "TO PROVIDE THE GERMAN PEOPLE WITH

SECURITY AND OPPORTUNITY IN PEACEFUL ASSOCIATIONS WITH THE OTHER FREE PEOPLES OF THE WEST."

FAR EAST--THE UNITED STATES STILL HAS TO DEFINE AND DEVELOP ITS POSTWAR POLICIES AS REGARDS AN ASIA IN WHICH CHINA HAS COME UNDER COMMUNIST RULE. WITH RESPECT TO JAPAN "THERE IS INCREASING NEED FOR A PROGRAM FOR BRINGING PEACE AND SELF GOVERNMENT TO THE JAPANESE PEOPLE."

DULLES SAID THAT MOST OF THE FREE NATIONS OF THE WORLD ARE MORE DIRECTLY EXPOSED TO THE DANGER OF SOVIET COMMUNISM THAN THE UNITED STATES, ALTHOUGH IF THERE SHOULD BE A SHOOTING WAR "WE MIGHT BE A PRIMARY TARGET."

"BUT IT IS THE GENERAL OPINION THAT A SHOOTING WAR IS NEITHER IMMINENT NOR INEVITABLE," HE DECLARED.

"WHAT IS IN PROGRESS IS AN AGGRESSION IMPLEMENTED BY FRAUDULENT PROPAGANDA, TERRORISM AND CIVIL VIOLENCE WHEREBY SOVIET COMMUNISM TRIES TO BREAK DOWN THE EFFECTIVE FUNCTIONING OF NON-COMMUNIST GOVERNMENTS SO THAT LOCAL COMMUNIST BANDS CAN SEIZE THE GOVERNMENTAL POWER AND TRANSFORM THE NATION INTO A SOVIET SATELLITE."

MR. TRUMAN REPLIED THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT IS HANDLING THAT MATTER.

STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS MAINTAINED SILENCE ON THE ISSUE, BUT THIS IS THE KIND OF A PROBLEM WHICH NORMALLY REQUIRES CLOSE CONSULTATION BETWEEN STATE AND DEFENSE OFFICIALS. THE BALTIC INCIDENT OCCURED APRIL 8 WHEN THE UNARMED NAVY PRIVATEER PLANE WAS LOST WITH ITS CREW OF 10. THE RUSSIANS SAY THAT ON THAT DAY AN AMERICAN BOMBER INVADED LATVIAN TERRITORY, FIRED ON SOME RUSSIAN FIGHTERS AND THAT ONE OF THEM RETURNED THE FIRE.

MR.TRUMAN HAD LITTLE TO SAY ON THE INTERNATIONAL SITUATION. HE DID TELL QUESTIONERS THAT HE STILL FAVORS EXTENSION OF THE DRAFT LAW AND THAT HE APPROVED IN ADVANCE A STATEMENT BY SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON THAT THE "FORCE OF EVENTS"--INCLUDING THE BALTIC INCIDENT--WARRANTS AN INCREASE IN DEFENSE SPENDING.

JOHNSON USED THOSE WORDS IN SUCCESSFULLY ASKING THE HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE TO APPROVE $350,000,000 MORE FOR THE DEFENSE BUDGET, MOSTLY FOR NEW PLANES.

MR.TRUMAN ANNOUNCED HE IS NAMING STANLEY WOODWARD, CHIEF OF PROTOCOL AT THE STATE DEPARTMENT, TO BE AMBASSADOR TO CANADA.

REPUBLICAN ADVISER JOHN FOSTER DULLES WAS REPORTED TODAY TO BE URGING IN THE HIGH COUNCILS OF THE DEPARTMENT THAT THE UNITED STATES DEVELOP QUICKLY A VIGOROUS ACTION PROGRAM TO RECAPTURE THE INITIATIVE IN THE COLD WAR WITH RUSSIA.

DULLES HIMSELF OUTLINED HIS POLICY VIEWS IN HIS FIRST PUBLIC SPEECH AFTER BEING SWORN IN AS ADVISER TO SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON WEDNESDAY. HE SPOKE HERE LAST NIGHT BEFORE THE AMERICAN SOCIETY OF INTERNATIONAL LAW.

HE CALLED FOR MEASURES TO SPEED THE SETTLEMENT OF GERMAN AND JAPANESE PROBLEMS, TO REVISE THE UNITED NATIONS CHARTER AND TO ADVANCE AMERICAN POLICIES IN SOUTH AMERICA, WESTERN EUROPE AND SOUTHEAST ASIA.

THE UNITED STATES AND COOPERATING NATIONS HAVE ESTABLISHED BASIC UNITY WITH THE FREE NATIONS OF THE WORLD AND ARE BUILDING UNITY IN FOREIGN POLICY MATTERS AT HOME, HE DECLARED, BUT "ORGANIZATION IS NEVER AN END IN ITSELF, IT IS A MEANS FOR ACTION."

"THE NEED TODAY IS FOR ACTION THAT DRAMATIZES THE CAPACITY OF THE FREE WORLD TO DEFEND ITSELF AND TO ENLARGE ITSELF," DULLES DECLARED. IT WAS UNDERSTOOD THAT HE HAS TAKEN THE SAME LINE IN HIS DISCUSSIONS WITH STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS ON THE PRESENT STAGE OF AMERICAN FOREIGN POLICY.

DULLES PRAISED THE EXTENT TO WHICH THE PRESIDENT AND REPUBLICAN LEADERS HAVE RECENTLY COOPERATED IN BI-PARTISAN DEVELOPMENT OF POLICY. HE SAID THIS "WILL REQUIRE SOME SELF RESTRAINT IN EXERCISING POLITICAL FREEDOMS AND IN INDULGING IN CONTROVERSY."

DULLES DEALT AT GREATEST LENGTH, HOWEVER, WITH THE PROBLEM OF MEETING THE RUSSIAN CHALLENGE WHICH HE DESCRIBED AS "THE BLACK PLAGUE OF SOVIET COMMUNISM." MOSCOW, HE DECLARED, IS BENT ON ENCIRCLING THE UNITED STATES WITH COMMUNIST NATIONS BY EXTENDING ITS POWER TO INCREASINGLY GREATER AREAS OF THE WORLD.

"WE CAN SAVE FREEDOM FOR OURSELVES," HE DECLARED, "ONLY AS WE ENGAGE IN THE GREATER EFFORT OF SAVING HUMAN FREEDOM EVERYWHERE."

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(350) NIGHT LEAD FOREIGN AID

WASHINGTON, APRIL 28-(AP)-AFTER A WEEK OF SPORADIC DEBATE, THE SENATE AGREED TODAY TO START VOTING NEXT FRIDAY ON THE $3,372,450,000 FOREIGN AID BILL.

DESPITE THE FACT THAT PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAD PUT THE AID MEASURE AT THE TOP OF HIS "MUST" LIST OF LEGISLATION, HIS SENATE LIEUTENANTS HAVE NOT BEEN ABLE TO HURRY ACTION ON THE BILL WHICH THE HOUSE PASSED LAST MONTH.

CHAIRMAN CONNALLY (D-TEX) OF THE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE FINALLY WON UNANIMOUS CONSENT LATE TODAY TO FIX THE VOTE DEADLINE. BUT IT TOOK ALMOST AN HOUR TO ROUNDUP ENOUGH MEMBERS TO GET THE 49 SENATORS REQUIRED TO TRANSACT BUSINESS.

BEFORE THE VOTE DECISION WAS REACHED SENATOR MILLIKIN (R-COLO) RAISED OBJECTIONS TO INCLUDING A $45,000,000 ITEM FOR PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S "POINT FOUR" PROGRAM IN THE SINGLE PACKAGE FOREIGN AID BILL.

MILLIKIN SAID HE WAS NOT SPECIFICALLY OPPOSING THE PROPOSED TECHNICAL AID PLAN, BUT HE DECLARED THAT SINCE IT WAS A LONG RANGE AFFAIR IT SHOULD BE KEPT SEPARATE FROM THE MARSHALL PLAN WHICH IS SCHEDULED TO END IN 1952.

SENATOR FERGUSON (R-MICH) JOINED IN TO SAY THAT CONGRESS SHOULD EXAMINE THE POINT FOUR PLAN CLOSELY FOR ANY "PIT FALLS" BEFORE REACHING A DECISION.

"IF WE ARE NOT CAREFUL," HE SAID, "WE MAY LAY OUT THE ROAD--EVEN ON A TEMPORARY BASIS--AND THEN BE UNABLE TO TURN BACK FROM IT."

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SENATOR LODGE (R-MASS), A MEMBER OF THE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE, CONCEDED THAT THE MARSHALL PLAN BILL IS "NOT THE IDEAL PLACE" FOR THE CONTROVERSIAL POINT FOUR LEGISLATION. HE SAID IT WAS IN THE BILL BECAUSE THE HOUSE WANTED IT THERE.

THE HOUSE, HOWEVER, REFUSED TO GO ALONG WITH THE ADMINISTRATION'S REQUEST FOR $45,000,000 TO START THE AID PROGRAM FOR UNDEVELOPED REGIONS AND CUT THE AMOUNT TO $25,000,000.

THE HOUSE ALSO MADE A $250,000,000 SLASH IN THE $3,100,000,000 ALLOTMENT FOR THE EUROPEAN RECOVERY PROGRAM ASKED BY THE ADMINISTRATION.

SENATOR TAFT (R-OHIO) SERVED NOTICE YESTERDAY HE WILL PRESS FOR A $600,000,000 SLASH IN THE MARSHALL PLAN FUNDS ON THE GROUNDS THAT WESTERN EUROPE ALREADY HAS ACHIEVED INDUSTRIAL RECOVERY AND IS NOW ABLE TO STAND ON ITS OWN AGAINST COMMUNISTIC THREATS.

FIRST LEAD MANN (220)

NEW YORK, APRIL 28-(AP)-NOBEL PRIZE NOVELIST THOMAS MANN SAID TONIGHT THAT "UNHAPPILY, THERE IS A WIDESPREAD TENDENCY IN THIS COUNTRY TO CONSIDER EVERYONE A COMMUNIST WHO SPEAKS IN FAVOR OF PEACE."

"BUT NOTHING COULD BE MORE DANGEROUSLY ERRONEOUS THAN TO IDENTIFY THE CAUSE OF PEACE WITH THAT OF COMMUNISM," HE SAID IN A SPEECH PREPARED FOR THE NATIONAL COUNCIL OF THE ARTS, SCIENCES AND

PROFESSIONS.
THE COUNCIL HELD A DINNER HONORING ASTRONOMER HARLOW SHAPLEY AS HE ENDED HIS SECOND ONE-YEAR TERM AS PRESIDENT OF THE ORGANIZATION. ANNUAL ELECTIONS ARE SCHEDULED FOR TOMORROW.
THE COUNCIL SPONSORED THE 1949 "PEACE" MEETING IN NEW YORK CITY, ATTENDED BY SOME DELEGATES FROM IRON CURTAIN COUNTRIES.
THE U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT CALLED THAT MEETING A SOUNDING BOARD FOR RUSSIAN PROPAGANDA.
EARLY THIS YEAR, SEN. MC CARTHY (R-WIS) IN A SPEECH NAMED DR. SHAPLEY, VETERAN DIRECTOR OF HARVARD OBSERVATORIES, AS A MAN "WITH COMMUNIST CONNECTIONS."
HE DID NOT CALL HIM A COMMUNIST.
DR.SHAPLEY CALLED THE STATEMENT BY THE SENATOR A "SLANDEROUS LIE."
ANOTHER SCHEDULED SPEAKER TONIGHT WAS PROF.JOHN H.DE BOER OF CHICAGO'S ROOSEVELT COLLEGE, WHO CRITICISED LOYALTY OATHS FOR SCHOOL TEACHERS.
"THERE IS NO GROUP IN THIS COUNTRY THAT IS MORE LOYAL TO THE UNITED STATES AND THE IDEALS IT STANDS FOR THAN THE TEACHING PROFESSION," HE SAID.
EARLIER, THE GERMAN-BORN MANN TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THAT THE OUTLOOK IN GERMANY TODAY IS "VERY DARK AND UNCERTAIN."
BLAMING BOTH THE GERMANS AND THE OCCUPYING POWERS, "TOTALITARIAN" IN THE EAST AND "REACTIONARY" IN THE WEST, HE LIKENED PRESENT DEVELOPMENTS TO THOSE AFTER WORLD WAR I.
"THE VERY COMPREHENSIBLE FEAR OF COMMUNISM IN AMERICA AND ENGLAND TEMPTS THESE TWO COUNTRIES TO ACCEPT FASCISM AS A BROTHER-IN-ARMS," HE SAID AT A NEWS CONFERENCE. THE RESULT IS, THAT "THE BAD ELEMENTS HAVE THE ADVANTAGE OVER THE GOOD, THAT IS, THE DEMOCRATIC, WHICH ARE NOT SUFFICIENTLY SUPPORTED BY THE OCCUPYING POWERS."
MANN, WHOSE HOME IS IN CALIFORNIA IS ON HIS WAY TO EUROPE. ON JUNE 6 HE WILL CELEBRATE HIS 75TH BIRTHDAY IN ZURICH. HE VISITED GERMANY LAST YEAR, BUT DOES NOT PLAN TO THIS TIME.

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(NY) WASHINGTON, APRIL 28-(AP)-BRIG.GEN.DAVID SARNOFF, CHAIRMAN OF THE RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA, SAID TONIGHT THAT THE "VOICE OF AMERICA" SHOULD BE MADE INTO "THE VOICE OF ALL THE DEMOCRACIES."
HE SAID THE STATE DEPARTMENT BROADCASTS AIMED AT TAKING AMERICA'S MESSAGE BEYOND THE IRON CURTAIN SHOULD BE AMPLIFIED FROM A "WHISPER" TO "A ROAR THAT WILL OVER-RIDE MAN-MADE INTERFERENCE."
"WE MUST GIVE THE VOICE OF AMERICA GREATER STRENGTH, WIDER RANGE AND A LARGER AUDIENCE," SARNOFF SAID IN AN ADDRESS PREPARED FOR THE AMERICAN SOCIETY OF NAVAL ENGINEERS.

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(200) WASHINGTON,APRIL 28-(AP)-HOUSE MAJORITY LEADER JOHN W.MCCORMACK URGED TODAY THAT CONGRESS ACT PROMPTLY TO GO ON RECORD AGAINST CONTINUED PARTITION OF IRELAND.
HE SAID HE WILL SEEK QUICKEST POSSIBLE ACTION IN THE HOUSE IF THE FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE APPROVES LEGISLATION PROTESTING PARTITION OF "THAT GALLANT LITTLE ISLE."
HIS STATEMENTS BROUGHT LONG, LOUD BURSTS OF APPLAUSE FROM A STAND-ROOM ONLY CROWD THAT OVERFLOWED THE FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE ROOM AND JAMMED AN ADJOINING RECEPTION ROOM.
MCCORMACK WAS ONE OF NEARLY 50 WITNESSES SEEKING A CHANCE TO GIVE THE COMMITTEE THEIR IDEAS ON CONTINUED SEPARATION OF NORTHERN IRELAND FROM THE REPUBLIC.
"THE TIME HAS COME TO DO SOMETHING," SAID REP.FOGARTY (D-RI) AUTHOR OF ONE OF HALF A DOZEN RESOLUTIONS TO PUT CONGRESS ON RECORD FOR UNIFICATION OF IRELAND.
"I BELIEVE THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT WANTS TO HAVE THE SITUATION STRAIGHTENED OUT," FOGARTY CONTINUED, "BUT BECAUSE THE QUESTION IS POLITICAL DYNAMITE NONE OF THEM HAVE THE GUTS TO DO ANYTHING ABOUT IT." HE ADDED A BELIEF THAT IF THE UNITED STATES TOOK THE LEAD TOWARD ENDING PARTITION "IT WOULD BE WELCOMED BY BRITAIN."

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ATLANTIC CITY, N.J., APRIL 28-(AP)-IN CASE WAR BREAKS OUT WITH RUSSIA, THE FBI IS READY TO ROUND UP POSSIBLE SUBVERSIVES ON A MOMENT'S NOTICE, ATTORNEY GENERAL HOWARD J. MCGRATH SAID LAST NIGHT.
HE SAID THAT ACTING ON THE BASIS OF FILES AND INVIESTIGATIONS, AND USING IMPROVED TECHNIQUES GAINED DURING WORLD WAR II, "THE FBI IS READY TO HERD "PERSONS WHO WOULD BE DANGEROUS TO THE INTERNAL SECURITY OF THE UNITED STATES" INTO DETENTION CAMPS IMMEDIATELY.
THEN THEY WOULD BE SCREENED, HE SAID, AND "SOME OF THOSE WE PICK UP PROBABLY WILL BE PERFECTLY ALL RIGHT AND WE'D RELEASE THEM."
"I DON'T ENTERTAIN THE SLIGHTEST DOUBT THAT THE FBI IS READY TO GIVE COMPLETE PROTECTION IN THE EVENT OF WAR," MCGRATH SAID. "THE FBI IS READY TO MOVE AT 12 O'CLOCK TONIGHT."
THE ATTORNEY GENERAL HEADS THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, OF WHICH THE FBI IS A BRANCH.
HERE TO ADDRESS THE NATIONAL PROBATION AND PAROLE ASSOCIATION ON THE SUBJECT OF JUVENILE DELINQUENCY, HE SAID THAT JUVENILES CONTINUE TO BE THE ROOT OF OUR CRIME SITUATION," WITH POLICE DEALING WITH MORE THAN A MILLION OF THEM ANNUALLY.
HIS COMMENTS ON THE FBI WERE MADE DURING AN INTERVIEW.
HE TOLD NEWSMEN THAT THE CURRENT SENATE INVESTIGATION OF CHARGES BROUGHT BY SEN. MCCARTHY (R-WIS) "WILL CAST NO REFLECTION ON THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT OR THE FBI. SO FAR MCCARTHY HASN'T TURNED UP ANY COMMUNISTS OR SUBVERSIVENESS IN THE GOVERNMENT."

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WASHINGTON, APRIL 28-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS NAMED SURGEON GENERAL LEONARD A. SCHEELE AS CHAIRMAN OF THE U.S. DELEGATION TO THE THIRD WORLD HEALTH ASSEMBLY OF THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION.
THE ASSEMBLY IS TO MEET MAY 8 AT GENEVA, SWITZERLAND.
DELEGATES INCLUDE DR. VLADA GETTING, MASSACHUSETTS, COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC HEALTH, AND MRS. SARAH A. WHITEHURST, BALTIMORE, MD. AN ALTERNATE IS DR. E.J. MCCORMICK, PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE, TOLEDO, OHIO.
ADVISORS INCLUDE MRS. LILLIAN PATTERSON, DEAN-ELECT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON SCHOOL OF NURSING, SEATTLE.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 7 A.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, FRIDAY, APRIL 28)
(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, APRIL 28-(AP)-THE ARMY IS SENDING MAJ. GEN. FRANK A.KEATING, A COMBAT LEADER DURING WORLD WAR II AND A MILITARY GOVERNOR IN GERMANY AFTER THE WAR, TO BE TOP U.S. MILITARY ADVISER TO

THE KOREAN REPUBLIC.
HE WILL RELIEVE BRIG.GEN.WILLIAM L.ROBERTS, WHO IS RETURNING TO THE U.S. IN JUNE TO RETIRE.
THE KOREAN REPUBLIC IS ONE OF THE LAST AREAS REMAINING IN NON-COMMUNIST HANDS ON THE PACIFIC'S WESTERN SHORES. THE NORTHERN PART OF THE KOREAN PENINSULA IS RUSSIAN-DOMINATED.
KEATING NOW IS COMMANDING GENERAL OF THE NEW ENGLAND MILITARY DISTRICT AT BOSTON. IN WORLD WAR II HE COMMANDED THE 102ND INFANTRY DIVISION DURING EIGHT MONTHS OF FIGHTING IN THE RHINELAND AND CENTRAL EUROPE.
(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 7 A.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, FRIDAY, APRIL 28)
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CHICAGO, APRIL 28-(AP)-THE IDEA OF AN INTERNATIONAL POLITICAL PARTY OF WOMEN, WITH A BUCKET AND MOP AS ITS SYMBOL, SENT THE HANDS OF THREE VISITING FRENCHMEN UP IN HORROW TODAY.
SIGMA ALPHA SIGMA, CHICAGO CAREER GIRLS' SORORITY, IS FACETIOUSLY BREWING UP THE IDEA OF A PARTY FOR PEACE CALLED "THE WOMEN," IN CONNECTION WITH WORKING GIRLS' DAY MAY 19. THE DAY WILL MARK 50 YEARS OF PROGRESS FOR WORKING WOMEN.
MURIEL DAVIS, SORORITY PRESIDENT, SAID THE BUCKET AND MOP WOULD SYMBOLIZE THE SOROITY'S VIEWPOINT THAT "MEN HAVE MADE A MESS OF THINGS AND IT'S UP TO THE WOMEN TO CLEAN UP AFTER THEM."
THE SORITY GIRLS SOUNDED OUT THEIR IDEA ON THE TRIO OF FRENCHMEN AND GOT THE FOLLOWING RESPONSE:
FROM M. JOSEPH F. LOTTHE, DIRECTOR GENERAL OF SCERA, A BOXMAKING PLANT IN AUBERVILLIERS, FRANCE: "I DO NOT FEAR WHAT I KNOW, BUT WHAT I DON'T KNOW. I HAVE LIVED THROUGH WARS MADE BY MEN, BUT NOT ONE MADE BY WOMEN!"
M.J. DREVET, OWNER OF ESTABLISSEMENT E. DREVET, PARIS: "MEN ALONE, DIRECTING THE FATE OF THE WORLD, HAVE PROVED DANGEROUS, BUT WOMEN ALONE ALORS! THAT WOULD BE MUCH MORE DANGEROUS! IT IS BETTER THAT BOTH SHOULD WORK TOGETHER."
ARTHUR J. HUGHES OF THE SCERA PLANT IN PARIS: "WOMEN ARE AS PASSIONATE IN THE DEFENSE OF THEIR IDEAS AS MEN, AND NO WISER. IF WOMEN TAKE OVER THE DIRECTION OF POLITICS FOR PEACE, EVERYTHING WILL BE EXACTLY THE SAME AS IT IS NOW."
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B49 (270)
NIGHT LEAD SWARMER
BY LATHAM MIMS
FORT BRAGG, N.C., APRIL 28-(AP)-TWO PARATROOPERS WERE KILLED AND 77 WERE INJURED, SLIGHTLY, TODAY DURING D-DAY OF EXERCISE SWARMER WAR GAMES.
PREVIOUSLY THREE AIRMEN--TWO NAVY AND ONE AIR FORCE PILOT--WERE KILLED IN AIR ACTIVITY PRECEEDING D-DAY OF THE MANEUVERS INVOLVING 60,000 MEN AND 675 PLANES.
THE ARMY AND AIR FORCE TODAY THREW NEARLY 4,000 PARATROOPERS AND TONS OF FIGHTING EQUIPMENT BEHIND THE LINES OF AN "ENEMY" IN AN EFFORT TO SHOW THAT MODERN ARMIES CAN BE MOVED AND SUPPLIED BY AIR ALONE.
TODAY'S TEST COST THE LIVES OF TWO PARATROOPERS. THEY WERE IDENTIFIED AS CORP.GEORGE W.COOLEY OF HOUSTON, TEXAS (STREET ADDRESS UNAVAILABLE), A MEMBER OF THE 187TH COMBAT TEAM OF THE 11TH AIRBORNE DIVISION, AND AN UNIDENTIFIED MEMBER OF THE 505TH COMBAT TEAM OF THE 82ND AIRBORNE DIVISION.
COOLEY FELL ABOUT 800 FEET AFTER PUSHING AN ARTILLERY PIECE FROM A GIANT TRANSPORT PLANE DURING THE MORNING ASSAULT. THE UNIDENTIFIED 82ND DIVISION PARATROOPER DIED WHEN HIS PARACHUTE FAILED TO OPEN DURING AN AFTERNOON JUMP.
THIRTY PARATROOPERS WERE INJURED, MOST OF THEM ONLY SLIGHTLY, AS THE BIG PLANES DISCHARGED THE FIRST ELEMENTS OF THE 11TH AIRBORNE DIVISION THIS MORNING. IN ADDITION TO THESE CASUALTIES, THE 82ND AIRBORNE DIVISION REPORTED 44 INJURED, NONE SERIIOUS, IN THE AFTERNOON JUMP.
HIGH WASHINGTON MILITARY OFFICIALS WITNESSED THE MASS JUMPS AND EXPRESSED CONFIDENCE THAT MORE AND MORE EMPHASIS WILL BE PLACED ON THE AIR-GROUND TEAM IN FUTURE MILITARY PLANNING. ALL OF THEM SAID THEY WERE WELL PLEASED WITH THE INITIAL RESULTS OF THE OPERATION.
ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE ARMY KARL BENDETSEN SAID THE OPERATION SHOWS THE NEED OF MORE INTEGRATION OF THE TWO SERVICES IN WEAPONS. HE ALSO DECLARED THAT THE NEED FOR MORE TACTICAL PLANES WAS DEMONSTRATED.
SATISFACTION WITH THE OVERALL OPERATION ALSO WAS EXPRESSED BY SECRETARY OF THE AIR FORCE THOMAS FINLETTER AND FORMER NAVY SECRETARY JOHN SULLIVAN.
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FIRST LEAD HUMAN RIGHTS
LAKE SUCCESS, APRIL 28-(AP)-MRS. FRANKLIN D.ROOSEVELT TODAY WON HER FIGHT TO HAVE FRENCH AND RUSSIAN PROPOSALS FOR AN ARTICLE BANNING "FASCIST" PROPAGANDA EXCLUDED FROM A PROPOSED COVENANT ON HUMAN RIGHTS.
THE VOTE WAS 7 TO 4 WITH THREE ABSTENTIONS.
MRS. ROOSEVELT IS CHAIRMAN OF THE HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION WHICH IS DRAFTING THE TREATY. SHE SAID BOTH THE FRENCH AND SOVIET VERSIONS OF THE PROPOSED ARTICLE WOULD RESULT IN SERIOUS ENCORACHMENTS ON FREEDOM OF EXPRESSION. THE PROPOSAL WAS SUBMITTED LAST YEAR. THE RUSSIANS ARE NOW BOYCOTTING THE COMMISSION.
BOTH DRAFTS STATED THAT PROPAGANDA OF RACIAL, RELIGIOUS OR NATIONAL SUPERIORITY SHALL BE PROHIBITED BY LAW IN ANY COUNTRY WHICH SIGNS THE COVENANT.
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LAKE SUCCESS, APRIL 28-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES DISCLOSED TODAY IT HAD SENT NEW NOTES CALLING ON HUNGARY, ROMANIA AND BULGARIA TO CARRY OUT PEACE TREATY PROVISIONS ON HUMAN RIGHTS. THESE PREVIOUS WERE UPHELD IN AN ADVISORY OPINION BY THE INTERNATIONAL COURT OF JUSTICE MARCH 31.
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A29
LAKE SUCCESS, APRIL 28-(AP)-VLADIMIR HOUDEK, CZECHOSLOVAK DELEGATE TO THE U.N., SUBMITTED TO THE U.N. TODAY A "PEACE" RESOLUTION APPROVED BY THE CZECHOSLOVAK PARLIAMENT FEB. 22. HE ASKED IT BE CIRCULATED TO ALL U.N. MEMBERS BUT SAID HIS GOVERNMENT HAS NOT DECIDED WHETHER TO PUT IT BEFORE THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY MEETING NEXT SEPTEMBER.
THE RESOLUTION FOLLOWS THE LINES OF A "PEACE" RESOLUTION PUT BEFORE THE ASSEMBLY LAST FALL BY SOVIET FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI Y. VISHINSKY AND REJECTED. THE SOVIET PROPOSAL CALLED FOR A BIG POWER PEACE PACT.
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NIGHT LEAD ROMANIAN (290)

LONDON, APRIL 29-(AP)-ADVICES FROM BUCHAREST SAID A ROMANIAN COURT TODAY SENTENCED FIVE ROMANIANS TO TERMS RANGING FROM 15 YEARS TO LIFE AT HARD LABOR ON CHARGES OF SPYING FOR BRITAIN AND THE UNITED STATES.

A LIFE SENTENCE WAS IMPOSED ON CONSTANTIN MUGHR, ACCUSED BY THE PROSECUTION OF HELPING THE BRITISH LEGATION SMUGGLE CURRENCY OUT OF ROMANIA.

THE OTHERS WERE IVIU POPESCU NASTA, A NEWSPAPER OWNER, 20 YEARS; ANNY SAMUELI, A FORMER EMPLOYEE OF THE BRITISH INFORMATION OFFICE, 20 YEARS; NORA SAMUELI, A SISTER OF ANNY AND FORMER EMPLOYEE OF THE U.S. INFORMATION SERVICE, 15 YEARS; MARIE ELEONORA BUNEA, DAUGHTER OF THE LATE PRINCE WILLIAM OF WIED, 15 YEARS.

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ONE OUTGROWTH OF THE TRIAL WAS THE ARREST OF LEONARD KIRSCHEN, ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT IN BUCHAREST. HE IS A ROMANIAN CITIZEN. A WITNESS DENOUNCED KIRSCHEN AS A PERSON WHO GAVE INFORMATION TO THE U.S. EMBASSY.

A BRITISH FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMAN TERMED THE TRIAL A STAGED SHOW TO JUSTIFY CLOSING OF THE BRITISH INFORMATION OFFICE IN BUCHAREST.

"THIS FOLLOWS SIMILAR ACTION BY THE CZECHS IN CLOSING THE AMERICAN INFORMATION SECTION AND IS PART OF A PLAN TO RESTRICT STILL FURTHER THE FLOW OF INFORMATION FROM THE OUTSIDE WORLD TO THE ROMANIAN PUBLIC," HE DECLARED.

HE SAID MUCH OF THE INFORMATIONMINVOLVED IN THE CHARGES AGAINST THE FIVE WAS MATERIAL "WHICH, IN A DEMOCRATIC COUNTRY, WOULD IN NO SENSE BE REGARDED AS SECRET AND INDEED WOULD BE PUBLISHED IN THE PRESS.

SOME OF IT RELATED TO PERIODS WHEN ROMANIA WAS SUBJECT TO ARMISTICE CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH BRITAIN AND THE UNITED STATES, AS WELL AS OTHER ALLIES AGAINST THE NAZIS, "HAD THE RIGHT AND DUTY TO INFORM THEMSELVES" ABOUT HOW ROMANIA WAS CARRYING OUT THE ARMIUTICEN THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

"THE TRIAL IS NO DOUBT AN ATTEMPT BY THE ROMANIAN GOVERNMENT TO DEMONSTRATE THEIR ZEAL IN THE SOVIET AND COMMUNIST CAUSE," HE COMMENTED. "THE ATTEMPT TO SEAL ALL COMMUNICATION BETWEEN EAST AND WEST IS A CURIOUS CONTRIBUTION TO THE ACHIEVEMENT OF 'PEACE.'"

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A119 (240)

LONDON, APRIL 29-(AP)-BRITAIN DENOUNCED TODAY ROMANIA'S CONVICTION OF FIVE PERSONS ON CHARGES OF SPYING FOR BRITAIN AND THE UNITED STATES AS A STAGED SHOW TO JUSTIFY CLOSING OF THE BRITISH INFORMATION OFFICE IN BUCHAREST.

"THIS FOLLOWS SIMILAR ACTION BY THE CZECHS IN CLOSING THE AMERICAN INFORMATION SECTION, AND IS PART OF A PLAN TO RESTRICT STILL FURTHER THE FLOW OF INFORMATION FROM THE OUTSIDE WORLD TO THE ROMANIAN PUBLIC," A FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMAN SAID.

ONE OUTGROWTH OF THE TRIAL WAS THE ARREST OF LEONARD KIRSCHEN, ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT IN BUCHAREST. KIRSCHEN, A ROMANIAN CITIZEN, WAS DENOUNCED BY ONE WITNESS AT THE TRIAL AS A PERSON WHO GAVE INFORMATION TO THE AMERICAN EMBASSY.

ADVICES FROM BUCHAREST SAID THE FIVE PERSONS ON TRIAL--ALL ROMANIANS--RECEIVED SENTENCES RANGING FROM LIFE IMPRISONMENT TO 15 YEARS AT HARD LABOR.

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SENTENCED WERE:

CONSTANTIN MUGHR. LIFE IMPRISONMENT FOR ALLEGEDLY HELPING THE BRITISH LEGATION SMUGGLE CURRENCY OUT OF ROMANIA.

IVIU POPESCU NASTA, A NEWSPAPER OWNER, 20 YEARS AT HARD LABOR.

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MARIE ELEONORA BUNEA, DAUGHTER OF THE LATE PRINCE WILLIAM OF WIED, 15 YEARS AT HARD LABOR.

MUCH OF THE INFORMATION INVOLVED IN THE CHARGES AGAINST THEM WAS MATERIAL "WHICH IN A DEMOCRATIC COUNTRY WOULD IN NO SENSE BE REGARDED AS SECRET, AND INDEED WOULD BE PUBLISHED IN THE PRESS," THE FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMAN SAID.

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LONDON, APRIL 29-(AP)-HUNGARY'S ROMAN CATHOLIC BENCH OF BISHOPS, ROMANIA'S CATHOLIC "CLERGY AND BELIEVERS" AND CZECHOSLOVAK NON-CATHOLIC CHURCHMEN HAVE THROWN THEIR SUPPORT BEHIND A SOVIET "PEACE" DRIVE TO OUTLAW THE ATOM BOMB.

CLERGYMEN IN RED-CONTROLLED HUNGARY APPROVED TODAY A RESOLUTION ADOPTED BY A COMMUNIST-SPONSORED "WORLD PEACE PARTISANS CONGRESS" IN STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN, MARCH 19.

AT THE SAME TIME, A RELEASE BY THE OFFICIAL CZECH NEWS AGENCY IN PRAGUE INDICATED, ALL NON-CATHOLIC CZECH CHURCHES SUPPORTED THE SAME RESOLUTION.

THE STOCKHOLM RESOLUTION DEMANDED THE "ABSOLUTE OUTLAWING OF THE ATOMIC WEAPON," ESTABLISHMENT OF "STRICT INTERNATIONAL CONTROL" TO OBTAIN THIS END, AND BRANDING, AS WAR CRIMINALS, THE FIRST GOVERNMENT "WHO MIGHT FIRST USE THE ATOM WEAPON AGAINST ANY COUNTRY."

THE HUNGARIAN BENCH OF BISHOPS SUBSCRIBED TO THIS RESOLUTION IN A STATEMENT ISSUED BY THE CATHOLIC NEWS AGENCY MAGYAR CURIER.

"THE BENCH OF BISHOPS ISSUED THIS DECLARATION ALSO IN THE NAME OF SECULAR PRIESTS, MONKS AND NUNS, THUS SUBSTITUTING FOR ANY OTHER STATEMENTS OR SIGNATURES," THE LAST PARAGRAPH OF THEIR STATEMENT SAID.

THIS PARAGRAPH IS PARTICULARLY SIGNIFICANT IN THE LIGHT OF BITTER ATTACKS IN BUDAPEST NEWSPAPERS ON NUNS WHO HAVE REFUSED TO SIGN THE STOCKHOLM "PEACE" APPEAL. THE PRESS HAS BRANDED AS "ATOM NUNS" THE SISTERS RELUCTANT TO SIGN. THE BISHOPS' ACTION OBVIOUSLY GIVES THE RELUCTANT NUNS AND OTHER CLERICAL PERSONS AN OPPORTUNITY TO STATE THERE IS NO NEED ANY MORE FOR PERSONAL SIGNATURES BECAUSE OF THEIR SUPERIORS' WHOLESALE DECLARATION.

THE BISHOPS, HEADED BY ARCHBISHOP JOZSEF GROESZ OF KALOCASA, SAID THEY ARE "PRAYING TO GOD INCESSANTLY THAT THE SPIRIT OF COOPERATION AND RECONCILIATION SHOULD INSPIRE THE LEADERS OF ALL NATIONS INSTEAD OF THE SPIRIT OF KILLING. APART FROM OUR PRAYERS, WE ALSO ENDEAVOR TO SECURE PEACE WITH TEACHING AND WORK."

THE CZECH NEWS AGENCY SAID THAT THE CONGREGATION OF CZECHOSLOVAK UNITARIANS HAD ISSUED THIS STATEMENT:

"WE PLEDGE THAT WE SHALL FIGHT BY ALL MEANS ANYTHING ENDANGERING WORLD PEACE AND THAT WE SHALL ALWAYS BE ON GUARD AGAINST ALL WHO HAVE SUNK SO LOW AS TO WANT A NEW WAR."

NON-CATHOLIC CHURCHES IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA HAVE CONSISTENTLY FOLLOWED HE LINE SET DOWN BY THE COMMUNIST-LED GOVERNMENT. THEY HAVE APPROVED STRINGENTCHURCH LAWS WHICH WERE BITTERLY OPPOSED BY THE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH. THEIR TOP LEADERS HAVE ALL SWORN AN OATH OF LOYALTY TO THE "PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC REGIME." CZECH CATHOLIC BISHOPS HAVE REPEATEDLY SAID THEY HAD REFUSED TO TAKE THIS OATH WHEN CALLED UPON TO DO SO.

THE ACTION BY THE HUNGARIAN BISHOPS AND THE CZECH CLERGYMEN FOLLOWED BY ONLY A FEW DAYS A CZECH GOVERNMENT NOTE TO UNITED NATIONS MEMBERS PROPOSING A "PEACE PACT AMONG THE GREAT POWRS WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE UNITED NATIONS." ONE OF THE MAIN POINTS OF THE DIPLOMATIC NOTE WAS A DEMAND THAT "IMPERIALIST PRODUCTION OF ARMS" CEASE.

A TASS DISPATCH FROM BUCHAREST, ROMANIA, DISTRIBUTED HERE BY THE SOVIET RADIO MONITOR, SAID THAT A "CONFERENCE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE CLERGY AND BELIEVERS OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH HAS TAKEN PLACE IN THE TOWN OF TIRGU-MURESULUI AT WHICH AN APPEAL OF THE PERMANENT COMMITTEE OF THE WORLD PEACE CONGRESS ON BANNING THE ATOMIC WEAPON WAS READ OUT.

"THE CONFERENCE PASSED A RESOLUTION STATING THAT PEACE-LOVING CATHOLICS LIVING IN THE ROMANIAN PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC CONDEMN ALL ACTIONS AIMED AT USING THE CHURCH FOR PURPOSES OF FOMENTING WAR. THE CONFERENCE CALLED ON ALL PRIESTS AND MEMBERS OF THE CHURCH TO SUBSCRIBE TO THE DECISIONS OF THE STOCKHOLM SESSION (OF THE CONGRESS)."

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LONDON, APRIL 29-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES HAS REJECTED CZECHOSLOVAKIA'S CHARGES THAT AMERICAN SOLDIERS MISTREATED CZECHS WHO ESCAPED FROM THEIR COUNTRY IN THREE AIRPLANES MARCH 24.

AN AMERICAN EMBASSY SPOKESMAN SAID A NOTE "EMPHATICALLY DENYING" THE ACCUSATIONS HAD BEEN DELIVERED TO THE CZECHOSLOVAK FOREIGN OFFICE BY THE U.S. EMBASSY IN PRAGUE.

THE CZECH COMPLAINT GREW OUT OF THE LANDING OF THE PLANES, ENGAGED IN PASSENGER SERVICE WITHIN CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AT MUNICH. SOME PASSENGERS AND MEMBERS OF THE CREWS WHO WERE NOT INVOLVED IN THE ESCAPE PLOT RETURNED VOLUNTARILY TO CZECHOSLOVAKIA AFTER BEING QUESTIONED BY AMERICAN SOLDIERS.

THE LATEST AMERICAN NOTE, THE SPOKESMAN SAID, IS A GENERAL DENIAL OF STATEMENTS ATTRIBUTED TO SOME OF THE PASSENGERS THAT THEY WERE SUBJECTED TO UNWARRANTED INDIGNITIES AT MUNICH.

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LONDON, APRIL 29-(AP)-THE LEAGUE OF RED CROSS SOCIETIES WILL TURN OVER TO A NEW UNITED NATIONS AGENCY MONDAY THE JOB OF CARING FOR 300,000 PALESTINE ARAB REFUGEES IN HASHEMITE JORDAN, LEBANON AND SYRIA.

IN THE LAST 16 MONTHS THE LEAGUE HAS DISTRIBUTED MORE THAN $13,000,000 WORTH OF FOOD AND OTHER GOODS IN THE THREE NATIONS.

THE REFUGEES WILL BE CARED FOR STARTING MONDAY BY THE UNITED NATIONS RELIEF AND WORKS AGENCY. THIS IS HEADED BY A CANADIAN, MAJOR-GENERAL HOWARD KENNEDY.

THE REFUGEES IN THE THREE NATIONS ARE SCATTERED OVER AN AREA OF 60,000 SQUARE MILES. OFFICIALS SAID 48 PER CENT OF THEM ARE CHILDREN UNDER 15.

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B73 (150)

LONDON, APRIL 29-(AP)-SIXTY-EIGHT PROTESTANT LEADERS CONNECTED WITH MISSIONARY WORK IN CHINA CALLED TODAY FOR EARLY RECOGNITION OF CHINA'S COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT.

IN A STATEMENT SENT TO SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON AND CONGRESSIONAL LEADERS, THE CHURCHMEN AND WOMEN SAID THEY WERE NOT DEFENDING THE RED REGIME, BUT ADDED:

"IF THE U.S. IS TO HOLD ITS PLACE IN ASIA WE MUST BE CONSTANTLY AWARE OF THE LONGINGS AND ASPIRATIONS OF THE COMMON PEOPLE IN ALL LANDS AND SHAPE OUR POLICY SO AS TO AID IN EVERY PROPER WAY THE FULFILLMENT OF THESE HOPES.

"RECOGNITION OF THE PEOPLE'S GOVERNMENT OF CHINA WOULD CLEARLY SHOW THAT THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT IS NOT TO BE UNDERSTOOD AS OPPOSING CHANGES."

DR. ROWLAND CROSS, SECRETARY OF THE CHINA COMMITTEE OF THE FOREIGN MISSIONS CONFERENCE OF NORTH AMERICA, SAID THE SIGNERS ALL WERE "OFFICERS, EXECUTIVE SECRETARIES AND PRESENT AND FORMER MISSIONARIES CONNECTED WITH MAJOR PROTESTANT BOARDS WITH WORK IN CHINA."

THE FOREIGN MISSIONS CONFERENCE INCLUDES 55 PROTESTANT DENOMINATIONS.

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A11 (110)

LONDON, APRIL 29-(AP)-DR.EDITH SUMMERSKILL, BRITAIN'S MINISTER OF INSURANCE, ASSERTED TODAY PORNOGRAPHIC NOVELS AND SADISTIC MOVIES ARE UNDOING THE WORK OF THE UNITED NATIONS.

DR.SUMMERSKILL TOLD A MEETING OF THE MARRIED WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION SHE IS "ASTONISHED AT LEARNING OF THE PORNOGRAPHIC RUBBISH IT IS POSSIBLE FOR OUR YOUNG PEOPLE TO BUY."

SHE SAID SHE IS ALSO AMAZED "WHEN I GO TO THE CINEMA AND FOR 30 MINUTES ENDURE SHOOTING, STABBING AND CHOKING SCENES PRESENTED AS IF THEY WERE THE NORMAL BRITISH WAY OF LIFE."

DR.SUMMERSKILL DECLARED:

"WE SEE THE UNITED NATIONS DESPERATELY STRUGGLING TO ESTABLISH RIGHT HUMAN RELATIONSHIPS, BELIEVING IN TOLERANCE, UNDERSTANDING AND REPUDIATION OF FORCE IN THE SETTLING OF DISPUTES. THIS CAN ONLY BE ACHIEVED IF WE FIRST SECURE THIS DESIRABLE END IN THE HOMES OF THE WORLD."

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(ADVANCE FOR PMS OF SATURDAY, APRIL 29)

INFORMATION ROUNDUP (900)

BY NATE POLOWETZKY

(ADVANCE) LONDON, APRIL 29-(AP)-COMMUNIST NATIONS ARE MAKING IT CLEAR TODAY THAT ONE OF THE THINGS THEY FEAR MOST IS FREE EXCHANGE OF INFORMATION.

THE SOVIET SATELLITES ARE BUSILY CEMENTING UP PEEPHOLES IN THE IRON CURTAIN, SEALING OFF THEIR PEOPLE BOTH FROM THE INQUISITIVE EYES AND THE INSISTENT VOICES OF THE WEST.

FROM ONE IRON CURTAIN COUNTRY AFTER ANOTHER, WESTERN REPORTERS ARE BEING EXPELLED. NATIONALS WHO WRITE NEWS FROM THE WEST ARE BEING JAILED OR HOUNDED. VISAS FOR WESTERN REPORTERS ARE EXTREMELY DIFFICULT AND SOMETIMES IMPOSSIBLE TO OBTAIN.

AMERICAN GOVERNMENT INFORMATION SERVICES HAVE BEEN ENDED IN ROMANIA, HUNGARY, BULGARIA AND CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

WHY? IT COULD BE FOR ANY ONE OF A NUMBER OF REASONS. AS FOR THE WESTERN REPORTERS, THE COMMUNIST COUNTRIES AND RUSSIA MAY BE GETTING READY FOR COORDINATED ACTIVITIES THEY WANT TO SHIELD FROM THE CURIOUS EYES OF THE WEST. GRADUALLY THEY ARE GETTING RID OF CORRESPONDENTS IN A POSITION TO INTERPRET AS WELL AS REPORT THE EVENTS IN THE SATELLITE BLOC. THE INDICATIONS ARE THAT MORE EXPULSIONS ARE TO COME.

THE INFORMATION SERVICES HAVE BEEN ABLE TO DISSEMINATE ONLY A TRICKLE OF NEWS, BUT EVEN THAT TRICKLE EVIDENTLY HAS IRRITATED SORE SPOTS. THE "PEOPLE'S DEMOCRACIES," BUSY COMMUNIZING ON THE STALIN SCALE, WANT NO COMPARISONS.

HERE IS A SUMMARY OF THE NEWLY STEPPED UP DRIVE AGAINST FREE

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HERE IS A SUMMARY OF THE [illegible]
INFORMATION EXCHANGE IN THE COMMUNIST COUNTRIES:

ROMANIA--LEONARD KIRSCHEN, A ROMANIAN WHO SERVED AS CORRESPONDENT OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS, WAS ARRESTED THIS WEEK. THE REPORTED CHARGE IS THAT HE WAS NAMED IN A TRIAL OF OTHERS AS HAVING BEEN AN INFORMANT FOR JOHN BENNETT, FORMER CHIEF OF THE BRITISH INFORMATION OFFICE IN BUCHAREST.

MARCEL POINE OF THE JEWISH TELEGRAPH AGENCY ALSO WAS ARRESTED ON CHARGES WHICH GREW OUT OF THE MILITARY TRIAL OF FIVE ROMANIANS FORMERLY EMPLOYED BY THE BRITISH AND AMERICAN INFORMATION SERVICES. THE U.S. LEGATION THERE IS STUDYING THE REPORTS OF THE TRIAL AND PLANS A REPORT TO WASHINGTON.

NO WESTERN CORRESPONDENT HAS BEEN ADMITTED TO ROMANIA FOR TWO YEARS. BOTH THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN HAVE CLOSED THEIR INFORMATION SERVICES IN BUCHAREST ON ORDERS OF THE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT. VISITORS TO THE TWO SERVICES MARCH 3 FOUND NOTICES THAT THE SERVICES HAD "SUSPENDED THEIR ACTIVITIES, LIBRARY SERVICE, CONCERTS AND FILMS." NO OFFICIAL RASON WAS GIVEN. THE SERVICES' JOB HAD BEEN TO ACQUAINT THE ROMANIAN PUBLIC WITH FACTS ABOUT LIFE IN BRITAIN AND AMERICA. THE ROMANIAN GOVERNMENT ALREADY HAD CLOSED THE FRENCH INSTITUTE.

BULGARIA--THE BULGARIAN COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT ENDED THE ASSOCIATED PRESS' NEWS GATHERING FACILITIES LAST WEEK. EFFORTS TO REACH THE AP CORRESPONDENT IN SOFIA, DIMITER MISHEV, HAVE BEEN UNAVAILING. HE IS A BULGARIAN CITIZEN. AFTER A RECENT "SPY" TRIAL IN WHICH THE COMMUNISTS ACCUSED THE UNITED STATES MINISTER OF PLOTTING AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT, THE UNITED STATES BROKE DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH BULGARIA, THE MOST DRASTIC RETALIATORY STEP YET TAKEN AGAINST A SOVIET SATELLITE.

CZECHOSLOVAKIA--EARLY THIS MONTH THE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA EXPELLED THE AP'S LAST AMERICAN REPORTER AT PRAGUE, AND HAS THUS FAR FAILED TO GRANT A VISA FOR ANOTHER AP CORRESPONDENT. AT ONE POINT THIS MONTH CZECHOSLOVAK NATIONALS CARRYING ON FOR THE AP IN PRAGUE INDICATED THEY COULD FILE NO MORE, BUT LATER THIS WAS RELAXED AND THE NATIONALS ARE ALLOWED TO FILE MATTER ISSUED BY THE OFFICIAL NEWS AGENCY.

THE GOVERNMENT ALSO EXPELLED THE UNITED PRESS' AMERICAN STAFFER THIS MONTH, BUT PERMITTED ANOTHER AMERICAN TO REPLACE HIM. THREE MONTHS PREVIOUSLY THE CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT EXPELLED FOUR OTHER WESTERN CORRESPONDENTS--ONE EACH OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS, THE UNITED PRESS, THE FRENCH PRESS AGENCY AND BRITAIN'S KEMSLEY NEWSPAPERS. IN ALL CASES THE EXPELLED REPORTERS WERE ACCUSED OF "UNOBJECTIVE" REPORTING. THEY DENIED IT, CHALLENGED THE GOVERNMENT TO SUBSTANTIATE THE CHARGES AND WERE REWARDED WITH STONY SILENCE.

CZECHOSLOVAKIA EXPELLED JOSEPH C.KOLAREK, U.S. PRESS ATTACHE IN PRAGUE, AND CLOSED THE U.S. INFORMATION SERVICE, WHICH HAD BEEN POPULAR WITH CZECHS. IT DID THIS AFTER CONVICTING TWO CZECH EMPLOYES OF THE U.S.I.S. OF SPYING FOR A FOREIGN POWER AND SENDING THEM TO PRISON FOR 15 AND 18 YEARS. OTHER TRIALS OF SIMILARLY ACCUSED CZECHS ARE PENDING.

POLAND -- COMMUNIST-GOVERNED POLAND THIS MONTH EXPELLED VINCENT BUIST, THE LAST REPRESENTATIVE OF THE BRITISH NEWS AGENCY, REUTERS, ON AN UNSUPPORTED CHARGE OF "UNOBJECTIVE" REPORTING. THIS LEFT ONLY TWO WESTERN NEWSPAPERMEN IN POLAND, REPRESENTING THE ASSOCIATED PRESS AND THE NEW YORK TIMES. CHRISTOPHER CHANCELLOR, REUTERS' GENERAL MANAGER, SAID BUIST, WHO HAD BEEN IN WARSAW TWO YEARS, HAD THE AGENCY'S FULLEST CONFIDENCE.

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HUNGARY -- THE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT HAS CLOSED THE BRITISH AND AMERICAN INFORMATION SERVICES, CHARGING THESE WERE INVOLVED IN SPYING. HUNGARY RECENTLY DEMANDED THE RECALL OF SEVERA MILITARY AND AIR ATTACHES OF THE BRITISH AND AMERICAN EMBASSIES.

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS IS REPRESENTED IN BUDAPEST BY DR. ENDRE MARTON, A HUNGARIAN CITIZEN. ONE AMERICAN STAFFER, JACK GUINN, WAS EXPELLED SEVERAL YEARS AGO. ANOTHER, DAN DE LUCE, WAS GIVEN WARNING MOTICE. HUNGARY REFUSED A VISA TO AN AMERICAN CORRESPONDENT OF THE AP WHO SOUGHT TO GO TO BUDAPEST FOR THE 1949 TRIAL OF JOSEF CARDINAL MINDSZENTY. THE HUNGARIAN GOVERNMENT REJECTED MANY VISA APPLICATIONS FROM WESTERN NEWS ORGANIZATIONS AND ADMITTED ONLY ONE AMERICAN CORRESPONDENT FOR THE RECENT TRIAL OF ROBERT VOGELER, U.S. BUSINESSMAN.

ALBANIA -- COMMUNIST ALBANIA HAS HAD NO TRAFFIC WITH WESTERN REPORTERS SINCE ITS GOVERNMENT WAS INSTALLED AFTER THE WAR. NO NEWS COMES OUT OF TIRANA EXCEPT THROUGH THE CONTROLLED RADIO.

CHINA -- WITH THE COMMUNIST ACQUISITION OF POWER, WESTERN ON-THE-SPOT NEWS COVERAGE ENDED IN COMMUNIST-CONTROLLED AREAS.

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RUSSIA -- THE SOVIET UNION SHOWS RENEWED SIGNS OF IRRITATION WITH THE BRITISH AND AMERICAN OFFICIAL INFORMATION PAPERS WHICH HAVE BEEN CIRCULATING IN RUSSIA SINCE THE EARLY DAYS OF WORLD WAR II. THIS MONTH SIR DAVID KELLY, BRITISH AMBASSADOR, CALLED ON THE FOREIGN MINISTRY TO DISCUSS THE DWINDLING CIRCULATION OF BRITISH ALLY, ITS RUSSIAN-LANGUAGE MOSCOW PAPER. FOR SEVERAL MONTHS THE PRESS UNION, THE SOVIET ORGANIZATION WHICH DISTRIBUTES THE PAPER, HAS BEEN TURNING BACK MANY COPIES, SAYING THEY WERE UNSOLD ON THE STANDS. PRESS UNION ALSO HAS BEEN TURNING BACK NUMEROUS COPIES OF THE U.S. RUSSIAN-LANGUAGE MAGAZINE, AMERIKA.

THE WESTERN PRESS CORPS IN MOSCOW HAS DWINDLED SHARPLY SINCE THE WAR. VISAS ARE DIFFICULT AND SOMETIMES IMPOSSIBLE TO OBTAIN. SOME WESTERN REPORTERS WERE WITHDRAWN, DUE TO MOSCOW'S HEAVY CENSORSHIP AND RESTRICTIONS ON THE MOVEMENTS OF FOREIGNERS.

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OPERATION BALTIC--WIREPHOTO IS MOVING MAP (1,600)

EDITOR'S NOTE: THE BALTIC PLANE INCIDENT HAS SHOWN HOW ZEALOUSLY THE RUSSIANS REGARD THE BALTIC SEA AND THE ADJACENT MAINLAND. MOSCOW HAS SERVED NOTICE, IN EFFECT, THAT THE BALTIC IS "OUR SEA," A 1950 SUCCESSOR TO THE "MARE NOSTRUM" THAT MUSSOLINI SOUGHT TO MAKE OF THE MEDITERRANEAN. BUT THE BALTIC ALSO WASHES DENMARK, A KEY MEMBER OF THE ATLANTIC PACT, AS WELL AS THE BRITISH ZONE OF GERMANY. THUS IT IS AN AREA WHERE CONFLICTING IDEOLOGIES MEET, AN AREA WHERE MORE "INCIDENTS" MAY ARISE.

THE RUSSIANS AFTER THE WAR TOOK OVER EASTERN GERMANY WITH EAST PRUSSIA, AND GAINED DOMINANCE OVER POLAND. WHAT HAVE THEY BEEN DOING IN THAT AREA IN A MILITARY WAY? THERE HAVE BEEN MANY RUMORS, AND FEW HARD FACTS BECAUSE WESTERN CORRESPONDENTS CANNOT GET INTO THE RUSSIAN-CONTROLLED AREAS. CORRESPONDENT CURT L.HEYMANN COMES UP WITH HIS ANSWER IN THE ACCOMPANYING ARTICLE. HEYMANN IS A EUROPEAN CORRESPONDENT FOR UNITED NATIONS WORLD MAGAZINE. AN EXPERIENCED REPORTER OF THE EUROPEAN SCENE, HEYMANN CREDITS TOP LEVEL ALLIED INTELLIGENCE SOURCES FOR THE INFORMATION HE GIVES IN THIS ARTICLE WRITTEN FOR THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.

(ADVANCE)..PARIS, APRIL 29-(AP)-SOVIET MILITARY AND NAVAL POWER HAS TURNED THE BALTIC SEA INTO A RUSSIAN "MARE NOSTRUM."

ALONG A 600-MILE COASTLINE, EXTENDING FROM KALININGRAD IN THE EAST TO THE BRITISH OCCUPATION ZONE NEAR LUEBECK IN THE WEST, RUSSIA DOMINATES TODAY THIS STRATEGICALLY IMPORTANT BODY OF WATER. ONLY FIVE YEARS AGO, THE NAZI WAR MACHINE LAUNCHED ITS DEVASTATING SEA AND AIR ATTACKS FROM THE SOUTHERN SHORES OF THE BALTIC, IN THE DAYS WHEN KALININGRAD WAS KOENIGSBERG.

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THE RUSSIANS REPLACED THE GERMANS IN A REGION THAT WAS NOT ONLY THE THIRD REICH'S NORTHERN "DEFENSE TERRITORY." IT WAS ALSO A TESTING GROUND FOR HITLER'S NEW WEAPONS. TODAY'S MASTERS OF MECKLENBURG, POMERANIA, THE FORMER EAST AND WEST PRUSSIA COMPLETED IN THESE PROVINCES MANY JOBS WHICH THE WEHRMACHT LEFT UNFINISHED. WHAT WAS FORMERLY THE NAZI "NORTH WALL" IS NOW FIRMLY INCORPORATED IN THE RUSSIAN FORTIFICATION SYSTEM. THE ADMIRALTY OF THE RED NAVY MADE OF THE BALTIC A HUGE ARMAMENT BASIN. THIS IS MOSCOW'S ANSWER TO THE CHALLENGE OF AMERICAN AND BRITISH NAVAL SUPREMACY.

THE RUSSIANS HAVE DONE A THOROUGH JOB. EAGER TO HAVE THE ENTIRE TERRAIN TO THEMSELVES, THEY ELIMINATED "USELESS" INHABITANTS OF THE REGION BY EXECUTING THE MOST DRASTIC EVACUATION ORDERS. ISLANDS, PENINSULAS, FISHING VILLAGES AND PORTS ALONG THE COAST WERE COMPLETELY STRIPPED OF CIVILIANS AND REPLACED BY FORCED LABOR BATTALIONS. THUS A "TOTAL DEFENSE ZONE" WAS CREATED THAT LAID WASTE A WHOLE STRIP OF VALUABLE MARSHLAND AND AT CERTAIN POINTS REACHES AS FAR AS THIRTY MILES INLAND.

ROSTOCK IS A POINT IN QUESTION. THIS IMPORTANT INLAND HARBOR, ONLY A SHORT DISTANCE FROM THE SEA PORT OF WARNEMUENDE, WAS AN INDUSTRIAL CITY WITH A POPULATION OF 90,000. IT WAS TRANSFORMED INTO A RAIL HUB AND DISTRIBUTION CENTER FOR NEARBY MILITARY AND NAVAL INSTALLATIONS. THE RUSSIANS EVACUATED RECKLESSLY THOUSANDS OF ROSTOCKERS WHO WERE EITHER TOO OLD TO BE USEFUL OR HAD NO BUSINESS IN THE CITY'S DEFENSE SCHEME.

BUT ROSTOCK'S POPULATION DID NOT DECREASE. TO THE CONTRARY. ITS SHIPYARFS ARE GOING FULL BLAST. AT THE NEPTUNE WORKS 12,000 WORKERS ARE CONVERTING AT PRESENT THE GERMAN VESSELS HANSA, OCEANA AND CORDILLERA INTO SOVIET TROOP TRANSPORTS. BY THE SAME TOKEN, DER DEUTSCHE, FORMER EXCURSION BOAT OF THE NAZI STRENGTH-THROUGH-JOY ORGANIZATION, BECAME THE SOVIET TRANSPORT ASIA WHILE THE GROSSDEUTSCHLAND WERFT OF THE HITLER ERA IS REFITTING AND MODERNIZING RUSSIAN MINELAYERS AND THE LIGHT CRUISER KOMINTERN.

INCIDENTALLY, THE ROSTOCK SHIPYARDS WERE ALSO CHARGED WITH THE CONSTRUCTION OF A LUXURY YACHT FOR PREMIER STALIN'S SEVENTIETH BIRTH-DAY. ACTS OF SABOTAGE, THOUGH, WHICH ARE MOST FREQUENT AT THE NEPTUNE WORKS, UNFORTUNATELY PREVENTED THE BOAT'S DELIVERY IN TIME FOR THE ANNIVERSARY.

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THE HOTELS AND BOARDINGHOUSES OF WARNEMUENDE, FORMERLY A POPULAR SEASIDE RESORT ON THE MOUTH OF THE RIVER WARNOW, ARE FILLED WITH 4,000 WORKERS OF THE KARL LIEBKNECHT PLANT, CONSTRUCTING 600-TON TORPEDOBOATS (TYPE TI) AND TWO TYPES OF SUBMARINES: TYPE XXI OF 2,000 TONS AND TYPE XXVIII OF 2,500 TONS, BOTH PROPELLED BY WALTHER TURBINES AND FITTED WITH TEN TORPEDO TUBES EACH.

POPULATIONS OF THE ANCIENT CITY OF STETTIN (SZCZECIN) AND THE PORTS OF SWINEMUENDE (SWINOUJSCIE) AND KOLBERG (KOLBRZEG) LIKEWISE INCREASED BY LEAPS AND BOUNDS. MISDROY AND KOLBERG, RESPECTIVELY, FORM THE WESTERN AND EASTERN BRIDGEHEADS OF A "SCHEME WITHIN A SCHEME" OF FORTIFICATIONS, LINKED TO EACH OTHER BY A CHAIN OF FORTIFIED COASTAL POINTS WHICH, FOR GOOD MEASURE, FORM THE CENTER OF THE BALTIC "RED BASTION." THEY ARE DESTINED TO PROTECT (1) THE MOUTH OF THE ODER AND THE STETTIN HAFF; (2) SWINEMUENDE, HEADQUARTERS OF THE SOVIET BALTIC FLEET; AND (3) STETTIN, THE NO.1 NAVAL CONSTRUCTION BASE OF THE RUSSIANS IN CENTRAL EUROPE.

PROCLAIMED AS A "FORBIDDEN ZONE," SECRECY IN THIS TERRITORY HAS ALL THE EARMARKS OF OUR WARTIME "MANHATTAN PROJECT." A SPECIAL "ZONE POLICE," EXCLUSIVELY RUSSIAN, IS ON DUTY AND KEEPS RIGID ORDER. TRAFFIC IS LIMITED TO VEHICLES WITH SPECIAL PERMITS. PEOPLE WHO ARE CONSIDERED A NUISANCE ARE BARRED AND A MINORITY OF GERMANS, ASSIGNED TO CONFIDENTIAL JOBS, WORK UNDER SOVIET MILITARY RULE AND ARE SUBJECT TO RUSSIAN LAW.

KOLBERG, FOR ONCE, NOW SHARES HONORS WITH PEENEMUENDE AS THE FOREMOST TESTING GROUND FOR ROCKETS AND V-BOMBS. WHILE THE LATTER CONTINUES TO BE USED BY THE RUSSIANS AS AN EXPERIMENTAL STATION (LARGELY EXPANDED BUT BASICALLY THE SAME "ROCKET LABORATORY" THE NAZIS HAD INSTALLED) MANY SPECIALISTS FROM PEENEMUENDE HAVE BEEN SHIFTED TO THE NEW KOLBERG BASE WHERE THEY ARE EMPLOYED IN SIMILAR CAPACITY AS TECHNICAL EXPERTS.

NOMINALLY BELONGING TO POLAND, THE COASTAL STRIP FROM KOLBERG TO MISDROY IS CLOSED TO "FOREIGNERS"--IRONICALLY ENOUGH INCLUDING EVEN POLES. WHERE POLISH TROOPS ARE STATIONED THEY ARE KEPT BEHIND BARBED WIRE. THERE IS A NEW RADAR STATION AT DEEP AND A SEAPLANE BASIN AT HENKENHAGEN BUT THE RUSSIANS DID NOT TRUST POLISH WORKERS AND ENGINEERS WITH THEIR CONSTRUCTION. THEY TRANSPORTED FOR THIS PURPOSE GERMAN PRISONERS FROM THE NEUBRANDENBURG CAMP INTO THE "FORBIDDEN ZONE."

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STETTIN AND SWINEMUENDE COMPRISE THE HUB OF THE RUSSIAN "BALTIC PROJECT." BOTH CITIES ARE LINKED BY A NEWLY CONSTRUCTED HIGHWAY, THE ARNDTSTRASSE, ALONG WHICH THE SOVIETS BUILT BLOCKS AND BLOCKS OF NEW HOUSES MOSTLY FOR ESPECIALLY QUALIFIED GERMAN WORKERS. SO FAR 900 AND THEIR FAMILIES HAVE BEEN SETTLED THERE. THEY ARE EMPLOYED IN THE STETTIN VULKAN SHIPYARDS WHERE THE PAYROLLS ARE EXCEEDING THE PEAK OF WARTIME CAPACITY: 15,000 LABORERS WORK IN THREE SHIFTS OF 5,000 MEN EACH, 24 HOURS AROUND THE CLOCK. TURNING OUT AN AVERAGE OF FOUR SUBMARINES PER MONTH (OF THE ABOVEMENTIONED TYPES XXI AND XVIII) THEY ARE WARNED BY POSTERS, REMINISCENT OF WARTIME: SHUT UP--THE ENEMY LISTENS!

SOVIET SECURITY MEASURES--ALWAYS STERN--ARE PARTICULARLY SEVERE AND CONSPICUOUS IN THE BALTIC WHERE THE RUSSIANS ORGANIZED A UNIQUE COAST GUARD--A SHORE PATROL COMPLETELY COMPOSED OF MONGOLIANS. THESE YELLOW-SKINNED FELLOWS FROM THE RUSSIAN STEPPES ARE TRUSTED RED ARMY SOLDIERS WHO RECEIVE THEIR SPECIAL POLICE TRAINING IN MILITARY CAMPS AT GRAAL AND MUERITZ IN MECKLENBURG. THEY ARE THEN SENT TO THE ISLAND OF POEL, A SUBMARINE BASE, OR TO PREROW, AN ANTI-AIRCRAFT STRONGHOLD. THERE THE MONGOLS ARE FINALLY TRANSFORMED INTO SHORE POLICEMEN AND LEARN--AMONG OTHER THINGS--HOW TO HANDLE A SPEED BOAT.

WHY DID THE RUSSIANS TAKE SUCH EXTRAORDINARY PRECAUTIONS, PICKING ASIATICS TO PATROL THE BALTIC COAST AND TO POLICE THE NORDICS UNDER THEIR HEEL? MECKLENBURGERS SAY WITH A GRIN: BECAUSE IT'S HARDER TO FIND A WHITE MAN IF HE ESCAPES IN A SPEED BOAT TO SWEDEN...

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TRAVELERS CAN CROSS THE BALTIC FROM GERMANY TO SCANDINAVIA BY GRACE OF THE RUSSIANS ONLY. IN THEIR EFFORT TO SEAL THE COASTLINE HERMETICALLY, THE SOVIETS STOPPED THE WARNEMUENDE-GEDSER FERRY WHICH IN PREWAR TIMES RAN TWICE DAILY BETWEEN GERMANY AND DENMARK. ALL TRAFFIC BETWEEN DENMARK AND THE CONTINENT IS REROUTED THROUGH THE BRITISH OCCUPATION ZONE IN GERMANY. SWEDES MUST MAKE THE SAME DETOUR SINCE THE RUSSIANS NOW RUN THE TRAELLEBORG AND MALMOE FERRIES TO SASSNITZ ON THE ISLAND OF RUEGEN ON A WEEKLY INSTEAD OF A DAILY SCHEDULE. NO TRANSIT VISAS ARE GRANTED BECAUSE RUSSIA

THE POMERANIAN BAY, HAS BECOME THE RUSSIAN "GIBRALTAR OF THE BALTIC."- NO VACATIONISTS THERE, AND NO MORE BATHING EITHER!

IN ADDITION TO WARNEMUENDE, SWINEMUENDE AND ROSTOCK, THE PORTS OF WISMAR AND STRALSUND ARE CONSTANTLY BEING DREDGED TO HARBOR VESSELS UP TO 20,000 TONS. THE VILLAGES OF RECHLIN, RUPPIN AND PRIEGNITZ HAVE BEEN COMPLETELY EVACUATED BECAUSE THE SURROUNDING AREA HAS BECOME THE EXPERIMENTAL BOMBING TARGET OF THE RED AIR FORCE AND IS BEING USED AS TESTING GROUND FOR NEW HEAVY ARTILLERY EXPLOSIVES. THE REGION BETWEEN SCHWERIN, STAROGARD AND GOLLNOW IS PLASTERED WITH MUNITION DUMPS.

EAST PRUSSIA, IN ITSELF A HUGE SOVIET FORTRESS, HAS BEEN CLOSELY LINKED TO THE FORTIFIED GERMAN BALTIC COAST BY A NEW DOUBLE-TRACK RAILROAD FROM KALININGRAD (KOENIGSBERG) TO STETTIN WHICH TRANSPORTS TROOPS AND WAR MATERIAL EXCLUSIVELY. THE PILLAU CANAL HAS BEEN DEEPENED CONSIDERABLY AND THERE ARE TWENTY FORTS BETWEEN PILLAU AND MEMEL, FORMING A FIRST DEFENSE LINE.

THE PORT OF MEMEL HAS BEEN EQUIPPED WITH COLOSSAL U-BOAT "BUNKERS" (OF THE TYPE THE GERMANS BUILT FOR THEIR SUBMARINES IN THE FRENCH HARBOR OF BREST) AND IS PROTECTED AGAINST SNEAK U-BOAT ATTACKS BY UNDER-WATER NETS. INSTERBURG (CHERNYAKHOVSK), A RED ARMY FORTRESS, IS ALSO THE EXPERIMENTAL STATION FOR NEW SOVIET ARMS.

THE RUSSIANS MOVED MANY FACTORIES FROM THE INTERIOR FARTHER NORTH AND BUILT ASSEMBLY PLANTS CLOSER TO THE BALTIC DEFENSE BELT. THE JUNKER WORKS OF DESSAU AND SCHAEFFER & BUDENBERG OF MAGDEBURG, BOTH SPECIALISTS IN MARINE AND PLANE ENGINES, HAVE NOW WORKSHOPS NEAR BOIZENBURG AND SCHWERIN. THE RUSSIAN GOVERNMENT HAS PLACED WITH THESE FIRMS ORDERS FOR 8,000 DIESEL MOTORS TO BE DELIVERED BEFORE SEPTEMBER 30, 1950.

IRONICALLY ENOUGH, THE RUSSIANS CLAIM PUBLICLY THROUGH THEIR PARTY ORGANS THAT SUCH DELIVERIES FOR THEIR "OPERATION BALTIC" ARE FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE GERMAN MERCHANT MARINE AND IN THE INTEREST OF THE FISHING INDUSTRY. A TOUCH OF SARCASM IS FURTHER ADDED TO THE SITUATION BY THE FACT THAT ALL SOVIET REQUIREMENTS FOR MEN, MATERIAL AND MONEY ARE MET BY THE GERMAN MINISTRY FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND WELFARE IN MECKLENBURG-SCHWERIN.

CZARIST RUSSIA MASTERED THE 160,000 SQUARE MILES OF THE BALTIC SEA DURING THE REIGN OF PETER THE GREAT, WHO WAS CONVINCED THAT HIS PEOPLE HAD A FUTURE ON THE SEAS. THE SOVIETS, OBSESSED BY THE SAME IDEA, NOW DEMONSTRATE THAT THEY HAVE SOMETHING IN COMMON WITH THEIR IMPERIAL FOREBEARS.

SOMETIMES, HISTORY TAKES FUNNY TURNS. IT JUST TOOK TWO AND A HALF CENTURIES TO REPEAT ITSELF.

(END ADVANCE FOR AMS OF SUNDAY, APRIL 30. - MOVED APRIL 28.)

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PARIS, APRIL 29-(AP)-MEMBERS OF PARIS' COMMUNIST-LED TRANSPORT WORKERS' UNION DECIDED TODAY TO TAKE MAY DAY OFF.
THE ACTION PROBABLY WILL LEAVE THE CITY WITHOUT PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION ON THE TRADITIONAL LABOR HOLIDAY.
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FIRST LEAD ARMS AID (A50)

NAPLES, ITALY, APRIL 29-(AP)-UNDER A HEAVY MILITARY GUARD, UNLOADING OF THE SECOND SHIPMENT OF AMERICAN ARMS AID TO ITALY BEGAN HERE TODAY.

HIGH ITALIAN MILITARY AND CIVIC OFFICIALS WATCHED AS SMALL WEAPONS AND AMMUNITION IN WOODEN CASES WERE SWUNG ASHORE FROM THE UNITED STATES FREIGHTER ALCODA PIONEER (CQ).

THE PORT AREA REMAINED QUIET AND THERE WERE NO IMMEDIATE INDICATIONS OF ANY DEMONSTRATIONS BY COMMUNISTS SEEKING TO HAMPER THE UNLOADING OF THE ARMS.

THE FIRST AMERICAN ARMS SHIPMENT WAS UNLOADED UNDER GUARD HERE EARLIER THIS MONTH WITHOUT ANY DISTURBANCE.

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NIGHT LEAD ARMS

NAPLES, ITALY, APRIL 29-(AP)-ANTI-COMMUNIST LONGSHOREMEN UNLOADED THE SECOND ATLANTIC PACT ARMS SHIPMENT FROM THE UNITED STATES TO ITALY WITHOUT INCIDENT TODAY.

THE U.S. FREIGHTER ALCODA PIONEER CARRIED IN THE SHIPMENT, 230 TONS OF SMALL ARMS AND AMMUNITION CASES. ITALIAN ARMY TRUCKS TRANSFERRED IT FROM THE HEAVILY GUARDED DOCKS TO AN ARSENAL.

FAR FROM THE DOCK AREA, POLICE BROKE UP SEVERAL MINOR DEMONSTRATIONS LED BY COMMUNISTS. SEVERAL DEMONSTRATORS WERE ARRESTED. THE COMMUNISTS ONCE DECLARED THEY WOULD BLOCK ALL SUCH SHIPMENTS, CONTENDING THE ARMS WERE INTENDED FOR USE AGAINST RUSSIA.
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ROME, APRIL 29-(AP)-THE ITALIAN NEWS AGENCY ANSA REPORTED AN UNIDENTIFIED PLANE MACHINE-GUNNED THE TOWN OF RUFFRE, NEAR CANARENO IN THE ITALIAN TYROL, THIS MORNING.

ANSA SAID THE BURSTS OF BULLETS KNOCKED TILES OFF SEVERAL ROOFS. A CROWD OF MOURNERS FOLLOWING A FUNERAL FLED IN PANIC, ABANDONING THE HEARSE IN THE ROAD.

AFTER THE ATTACK, THE NEWS AGENCY SAID, THE PLANE FLEW OFF BEHIND THE MOUNTAINS.

ANSA SAID THE GOVERNMENT WAS INVESTIGATING WHETHER THE SHOTS MIGHT HAVE BEEN FIRED BY AN ITALIAN PLANE, TWO OF WHICH ARE IN THE AREA FOR FIRING TRAINING.
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BULLETIN

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BRUSSELS, BELGIUM, APRIL 29-(AP)-THE BELGIAN PARLIAMENT WAS DISSOLVED TODAY IN AN ATTEMPT TO SOLVE THE CRISIS OVER THE FUTURE OF EXILED KING LEOPOLD.

CARETAKER PRIME MINISTER GASTON EYSKENS TOLD THE BELGIAN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THE DECREE DISSOLVING PARLIAMENT HAS BEEN SIGNED BY REGENT PRINCE CHARLES AND HIMSELF AS PREMIER IN CHARGE.

LEGISLATIVE ELECTIONS AUTOMATICALLY WILL FOLLOW WITHIN 40 DAYS. THEY WILL BE FOUGHT ON THE CLEAR-CUT ISSUE OF WHETHER OR NOT LEOPOLD SHOULD RETURN TO THE THRONE FROM WHICH HE HAS BEEN BARRED SINCE 1945.

THE DISSOLUTION FOLOWED WEEKS OF WEARY NEGOTIATIONS BY BELGIUM'S THREE POLITICAL PARTIES--THE CATHOLIC SOCIAL CHRISTIANS SEEKING LEOPOLD'S RETURN, AND THE SOCIALISTS AND LIBERALS, WHO FINALLY HAD AGREED CONDITIONALLY TO LEOPOLD'S RETURN IF HE ASSIGNED HIS ROYAL POWERS TO HIS SON, CROWN PRINCE BAUDOUIN, AND THEN LEFT THE COUNTRY. THE SOCIAL CHRISTIANS WANTED THE KING TO REMAIN IN THE COUNTRY.

NEGOTIATIONS OVER THE COMPROMISE REPORTEDLY COLLAPSED YESTERDAY BECAUSE OF LIBERAL DEMANDS THAT PREMIER-DESIGNATE PAUL VAN ZEELAND BE

REPLACED BY MINISTER OF ECONOMIC AFFAIRS JEAN DUVIERUSAERT.
THE LAST GENERAL ELECTIONS, ON JUNE 26, 1949, GAVE THIS PARTY LINEUP IN PARLIAMENT:
SENATE: 92 SOCIAL CHRISTIANS, 53 SOCIALISTS, 24 LIBERALS, SIX COMMUNISTS.
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES: 105 SOCIAL CHRISTIANS, 66 SOCIALISTS, 29 LIBERALS, 12 COMMUNISTS.
IN AN "ADVISORY REFERENDUM" MARCH 12 TO DETERMINE THE POPULAR WILL REGARDING THE KING'S PROPOSED RETURN, 57.68 PER CENT OF THE BELGIANS VOTING FAVORED HIS RECALL TO THE THRONE. THE SOCIALISTS, HOWEVER, CONTENDED THAT THIS MAJORITY WAS NOT DECISIVE AND THREATENED WIDESPREAD STRIKE ACTION SHOULD LEOPOLD BE BROUGHT BACK.

LATER THE PRINCE REGENT'S PALACE ISSUED THE FOLLOWING COMMUNIQUE:
"IN CONCLUSION TO REPORTS BY PAUL VAN ZEELAND, THE PRINCE REGENT HAS ASKED THE PRIME MINISTER IN CHARGE, GASTON EYSKENS, TO WITHDRAW HIS RESIGNATION AND REQUESTED THE PRIME MINISTER TO TAKE MEASURES FOR IMMEDIATE DISSOLUTION OF PARLIAMENT. EYSKENS HAS ACCEPTED THIS MISSION."
EYSKENS' COALITION CABINET COLLAPSED SIX DAYS AFTER THE ADVISORY REFERENDUM AND NO ONE HAS FOUND IT POSSIBLE SINCE TO ORGANIZE A NEW ONE. THE NEW ELECTIONS WILL BE HELD ON JUNE 4, WITH THE NEW PARLIAMENT SLATED TO MEET ON JUNE 20.

NO FURTHER ACTION CAN BE TAKEN ON THE QUESTION OF LEOPOLD'S FUTURE UNTIL PARLIAMENT MEETS. BY LAW, ONLY A JOINT SESSION OF PARLIAMENT CAN END THE REGENCY, WHICH HAS BEEN IN EXISTENCE SINCE LEOPOLD WENT INTO EXILE AFTER THE WAR.
FOES OF THE KING, NOTABLY THE SOCIALISTS, DISLIKE HIM BECAUSE OF HIS SURRENDER TO THE GERMANS IN 1940. OTHERS WERE DISPLEASED BY HIS WEDDING TO A FLEMISH COMMONER.

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NIGHT LEAD LEOPOLD (650)
BY ALFRED CHEVAL
BRUSSELS, BELGIUM, APRIL 29-(AP)-BELGIAN VOTERS ARE TO REGISTER THEIR VIEWS ON THE KING LEOPOLD QUESTION FOR THE THIRD TIME IN A YEAR BY ELECTING A NEW PARLIAMENT JUNE 4.
THE OLD PARLIAMENT WAS DISSOLVED BY REGENT PRINCE CHARLES TODAY. SEVEN WEEKS OF FRUITLESS NEGOTIATIONS HAD FOLLOWED THE MARCH 12 REFERENDUM ON WHETHER THE PEOPLE WANTED THE RETURN OF THE EXILED MONARCH WHO SURRENDERED BELGIUM TO THE GERMANS IN 1940.
IN THE NEW ELECTION, THE PRO-LEOPOLD SOCIAL CHRISTIANS, ANTI-LEOPOLD SOCIALISTS AND SMALL LIBERAL PARTY WILL BE THE MAIN CONTENDERS.
THE NEW PARLIAMENT WILL SIT ON JUNE 20. UNTIL A NEW GOVERNMENT IS FORMED, THERE CAN BE NO SOLUTION OF THE LEOPOLD QUESTION. THE KING AND HIS 19-YEAR-OLD HEIR APPARENT, PRINCE BAUDOUIN, WILL REMAIN IN EXILE IN SWITZERLAND.
PREMIER GASTON EYSKENS, WHOSE SOCIAL CHRISTIAN-LIBERAL CABINET COLLAPSED LAST MARCH IN A DEADLOCK, REMAINS IN OFFICE AT THE HEAD OF A CARETAKER REGIME TO CONDUCT THE ELECTIONS.
THE ELECTORAL CAMPAIGN WILL GET AN EARLY PUSH MAY 1, WHEN SOCIALIST AND COMMUNISTS WILL HOLD ANTI-LEOPOLD DEMONSTRATIONS IN MAY DAY PARADES THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY.
ON SUNDAY, JUNE 4, ABOUT 5,000,000 MEN AND WOMEN WILL ELECT 212 NEW MEMBERS TO THE BELGIAN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, 175 NEW SENATORS AND 696 PROVINCIAL COUNCILLORS.
THE NEW PARLIAMENT WILL REPLACE THE ONE ELECTED JUNE 26, 1949, IN WHICH THE SOCIAL CHRISTIANS HAD A MAJORITY IN THE SENATE, BUT FAILED BY TWO VOTES OF HAVING A MAJORITY IN THE LOWER HOUSE.
THE LINEUP IN THE OLD PARLIAMENT WAS:

SENATE--SOCIAL CHRISTIANS, 92; SOCIALISTS, 51; LIBERALS, 26; COMMUNISTS, 6.
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES--SOCIAL CHRISTIANS, 105, SOCIALISTS, 66; LIBERALS, 29; COMMUNISTS, 12.
THE ROYAL QUESTION HAS BEEN HANGING OVER BELGIUM POLITICAL LIFE SINCE 1945 WHEN THE KING WAS RELEASED FROM THE GERMANS BY AMERICAN TROOPS. LEOPOLD FOUND A MAJORITY COMPOSED OF SOCIALISTS, LIBERALS AND COMMUNISTS OPPOSED HIS RETURN TO THE THRONE.
THESE REPROACHED HIM FOR WHAT THEY SAID WAS HIS NEUTRAL ATTITUDE TOWARD THE NAZI OCCUPIERS DURING THE WAR. MANY BELGIANS ALSO DISLIKED HIS SECOND MARRIAGE TO A FLEMISH COMMONER, THE PRESENT PRINCESS DE RETHY.
PRINCE CHARLES, THE KING'S BROTHER, WAS ELECTED REGENT AND PARLIAMENT BANNED THE KING'S RETURN TO THE COUNTRY WITHOUT PARLIAMENT'S CONSENT.

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IN THE 1949 ELECTION THE SOCIAL CHRISTIANS CAMPAIGNED ON A PRO-LEOPOLD PLATFORM. THEY SUCCEEDED IN GETTING A BILL PASSED CALLING FOR AN ADVISORY REFERENDUM.
IN THE REFERENDUM, KING LEOPOLD WON 57.68 PER CENT OF THE NATION-WIDE VOTE, BUT FAILED TO GET A MAJORITY IN TWO DIVISIONS OF THE COUNTRY, FRENCH-SPEAKING WALLOONIA IN THE SOUTH AND EAST, AND THE CENTRAL AREA OF BRABAND AND BRUSSELS. HE WON A LARGE MAJORITY IN THE FLEMISH SPEAKING NORTH.
SOCIALISTS SAID THEY WOULD NOT ACCEPT A "57 PER CENT KING" AND STAGED A SERIES OF STRIKES. AS A SAMPLE OF THE SOCIAL CHAOS WHICH THEY SAID WOULD RESULT FROM HIS RETURN.
LEOPOLD SAID IT WAS UP TO PARLIAMENT TO DECIDE WHETHER HE SHOULD BE CALLED BACK TO THE THRONE.
THE EIGHT LIBERAL MEMBERS OF THE CABINET, WHO HAD TAKEN THE POSITION THAT LEOPOLD MUST WIN A MAJORITY IN ALL PARTS OF THE COUNTRY, BALKED AT CALLING PARLIAMENT INTO JOINT SESSION TO END THE REGENCY, AND THE GOVERNMENT COLLAPSED.
EYSKENS, 81-YEAR-OLD HENRI CARTON DE WIART AND PAUL VAN ZEELAND ALL SOCIAL CHRISTIANS, AND ALBERT DEVEZE, A LIBERAL, TRIED IN VAIN TO FORM A NEW GOVERNMENT.

ON APRIL 15 THE KING'S VOICE WAS HEARD IN BELGIUM FOR THE FIRST TIME IN 10 YEARS. IT WAS THE BROADCAST OF A RECORDING HE HAD MADE AT HIS RESIDENCE IN PREGNY, SWITZERLAND, OFFERING TO TURN OVER HIS POWERS TEMPORARILY TO HIS SON, BAUDOUIN.
THE THREE PARTIES WERE UNABLE TO NEGOTIATE A COMPROMISE EVEN ON THIS BASIS. THE SOCIALISTS WANTED TO MAKE SURE THE KING'S ABANDONMENT OF HIS POWERS WOULD BE PERMANENT. THE SOCIAL CHRISTIANS HOPED IT WOULD BE TEMPORARY.
THE SOCIALISTS REPORTED THAT THE KING SAID PRIVATELY HE WOULD REMAIN OUT OF THE COUNTRY DURING BAUDOUIN'S REGENCY. THEY REQUESTED A WRITTEN CONTRACT, BUT THE KING SAID IN EFFECT, "NO, TAKE MY WORD FOR IT."
VAN ZEELAND THEN ATTEMPTED NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE LIBERALS, LEAVING THE SOCIALISTS OUT. HE OFFERED TO STEP OUT AND LEAVE THE WAY OPEN FOR JEAN DUVIEUSART, MINISTER OF ECONOMIC AFFAIRS AND A MODERATE WALLOON SOCIAL CHRISTIAN, TO BE PREMIER.
LAST NIGHT VAN ZEELAND GAVE THE LIBERALS AN ULTIMATUM TO ACCEPT HIS PROPOSITION OR FACE THE ELECTORATE IN A NEW ELECTION.
"YES TONIGHT, OR DISSOLUTION TOMORROW." HE SAID.

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THE LIBERALS SPLIT AND WERE UNABLE TO COME TO A DECISION. TODAY, VAN ZEELAND WENT TO PRINCE CHARLES WITH A DISSOLUTION DECREE, AND THE REGENT SIGNED IT.

ROGER MOTZ, PRESIDENT OF THE LIBERAL PARTY, RESIGNED IN PROTEST AGAINST THE POSITION OF SOME LIBERAL MINISTERS WHICH MADE AGREEMENT WITH THE SOCIAL CHRISTIANS IMPOSSIBLE.

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BERLIN SECURITY
BY DANIEL DE LUCE

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BERLIN, APRIL 29-(AP)-ALLIED PROTECTIVE MEASURES AKIN TO THOSE OF A SHOOTING WAR WILL GO INTO EFFECT FOR WEST BERLIN MONDAY.

THROUGHOUT MAY, A MONTH IN WHICH THE COMMUNISTS ONCE THREATENED CRUCIAL PRESSURE, NEARLY 8,000 UNITED STATES, BRITISH AND FRENCH TROOPS WILL STAY ON THE ALERT.

THREE THOUSAND OTHER TROOPS, STATIONED IN WEST GERMANY, ARE UNDER ORDERS TO BE READY TO FLY TO THIS DIVIDED CITY IN THE SOVIET ZONE IF THE NEED ARISES. THEY COULD MAKE THE TRIP IN TWO HOURS.

DEFENSE PREPARATIONS WERE TOUCHED UP BY THE ARRIVAL OF TWO U.S. AIR FORCE HELICOPTERS AT THE TEMPELHOF AIR BASE TODAY. AN OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT SAID THEY WILL ENGAGE IN "ORIENTATION FLYING PRIOR TO PARTICIPATION IN CEREMONIES ON NATIONAL DEFENSE DAY, MAY 20."

IT IS NO SECRET, HOWEVER, THAT THIS FLYING WILL INCLUDE PATROLS OF THE CITY LIMITS ACROSS WHICH COMMUNIST BANDS PRESUMABLY MIGHT MARCH. THE BOUNDARY BETWEEN WEST BERLIN AND THE SOVIET ZONE TERRITORY SURROUNDING IT STRETCHES MORE THAN 70 MILES.

IF EAST GERMAN COMMUNISTS LIVE UP TO THEIR RECENT PUBLIC PROMISES, MAY WILL BE A MONTH OF HOT WORDS BUT NOT A HOT WAR.

THEY HAVE TAKEN BACK THEIR THREATS TO "OCCUPY ALL BERLIN" AND ARE NOW SAYING THEY WILL STICK TO THE RUSSIAN SECTOR OF THE CITY AND AVOID PROVOCATIONS IN THE WEST.

MAY DAY WILL BE THE FIRST TEST. THE BIGGEST WILL COME DURING THE WHITSUN WEEKEND, MAY 27-29, WHEN 500,000 MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNIST-LED FREE GERMAN YOUTH (FDJ) ARE SUPPOSED TO RALLY HERE.

LATEST ALLIED INTELLIGENCE REPORTS INDICATE THAT THE BUILDING UP OF WEST BERLIN'S DEFENSES HAS COWED RED STRATEGISTS AND CONVINCED THEM THEY MUST LIMIT THEMSELVES TO PROPAGANDA SPECTACLES INSTEAD OF RISKING A REAL PUTSCH.

ACCORDING TO THESE REPORTS, EAST GERMAN PARENTS HAVE BECOME FRIGHTENED AND MANY ARE SCHEMING FOR THEIR CHILDREN TO AVOID THE WHITSUN RALLY ALTOGETHER.

BUT EVEN IF MAY BECOMES A PROPAGANDA DUD FOR THE COMMUNISTS, THEY HAVE ALREADY HIT WEST BERLIN A STAGGERING ECONOMIC BLOW.

TRADE WITH WESTERN GERMANY AND ABROAD IS DWINDLING AS A RESULT OF FOREIGN UNCERTAINTY ABOUT ALLIED SECTOR INDUSTRIES. MANY CONTRACTS HAVE BEEN HELD UP UNTIL JUNE.

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A BUDDING TOURIST TRAFFIC HAS SHRIVELED. INSTEAD, 200 FOREIGN AND WEST GERMAN CORRESPONDENTS ARE TO COME HERE TO REPORT THE CRISIS.

WEST BERLIN'S DEFIANCE UNDER THE SHADOW OF RUSSIA'S MILITARY AND POLITICAL MIGHT WILL FIND EXPRESSION MONDAY MORNING IN A HUGE DEMONSTRATION IN FRONT OF THE FIRE-GUTTED REICHSTAG, MEMENTO OF THE NAZI DICTATORSHIP. ANTI-COMMUNIST ORGANIZERS HOPE TO ASSEMBLE 300,000 WEST BERLINERS THERE UNDER THE SLOGAN "UNITY IN FREEDOM."

AT THE SAME TIME, THE RUSSIAN-SPONSORED EAST GERMAN STATE WILL BEGIN A PARADE OF THOUSANDS OF WORKERS, FDJ MEMBERS AND PEOPLE'S POLICE THROUGH THE LUSTGARTEN, LESS THAN A MILE AWAY.

THE EAST BERLIN DEMONSTRATION WILL HAVE 57 SLOGANS, AMONG THEM "FIGHT AGAINST IMPERIALIST FOREIGN RULE," "ETERNAL FRIENDSHIP WITH THE SOCIALIST SOVIET UNION, BULWARK OF PEACE AND GERMANY'S BEST FRIEND," AND "FINISH WITH THE WARMONGERS IN WEST BERLIN."

COMMUNISTS KICKED OFF THEIR MAY CAMPAIGN AGAINST THE ALLIES BY PASTING "GO HOME" SLIPS TODAY ON AMERICAN AUTOMOBILES IN FRANKFURT, WHERE U.S. COMMISSIONER JOHN J.MCCLOY HAS HIS HEADQUARTERS.

"GO HOME--THE GERMAN YOUTH WANT PEACE," THE SLIPS SAID.

A FEW AMERICAN-REQUISITIONED HOMES AND BUILDINGS IN WEST BERLIN WERE SURREPTITIOUSLY PAINTED WITH SIMILAR REMARKS IN RECENT MONTHS.

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NIGHT LEAD INDUSTRIALISTS (240)

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BERLIN, APRIL 29-(AP)-A SOVIET ZONE COURT IN DESSAU SENTENCED EIGHT GERMAN INDUSTRIALISTS AND POLITICIANS TODAY TO PRISON TERMS RANGING FROM TWO TO 15 YEARS ON CHARGES OF SABOTAGING THE EAST GERMAN STATE ECONOMICALLY.

A NINTH WAS SENTENCED IN ABSENTIA.

ALL WERE ACCUSED OF TRANSFERRING ASSETS OF THE CONTINENTAL GAS COMPANY FROM THE SOVIET ZONE TO WEST GERMANY. A DIRECTOR OF THAT COMPANY, FRIEDRICH METHFESSEL, WAS THE ABSENTEE. HE HAD FLED TO WEST GERMANY.

THE COURT SENTENCED METHFESSEL, LEO HERWEGEN AND WILLY BRUDERT TO 15 YEARS IMPRISONMENT. HERWEGEN FORMERLY WAS THE CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATIC MINISTER-PRESIDENT (GOVERNOR) AND LABOR MINISTER OF SAXONY-ANHALT. BRUDERT ALSO WAS A FORMER STATE OFFICIAL.

TWO PRISONERS WERE SENTENCED TO 12 YEARS AND THE OTHERS TO LESSER TERMS IN THE TRIAL, THE BIGGEST PROCEEDING OF ITS KIND SINCE THE COMMUNISTS ESTABLISHED THE EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT LAST YEAR.

THE COMMUNIST PROSECUTION SOUGHT TO MAKE "WESTERN IMPERIALISM" AND "MONOPOLY CAPITALISM" CO-DEFENDANTS IN THE TRIAL.

PROSECUTOR ERNST MELSHEIMER ATTACKED THE MARSHALL PLAN IN HIS SUMMATION YESTERDAY AND DECLARED THAT ITS ROVING AMBASSADOR, W.AVERELL HARRIMAN, WAS PERSONALLY INTERESTED IN THE DESSAU COMPANY. HE OFFERED NO PROOF.

HARRIMAN, SHOWN AN ACCOUNT OF THE SUMMATION IN PARIS, DECLINED COMMENT. AN AIDE SAID HARRIMAN WAS HIGHLY AMUSED.

WEST BERLIN'S ANTI-COMMUNIST PRESS GENERALLY DENOUNCED THE TRIAL AS "A STAGED PROCEEDINGS IN THE MOSCOW MANNER."

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BERLIN, APRIL 29-(AP)-EIGHT PROMINENT RUSSIAN ZONE INDUSTRIALISTS AND POLITICIANS WERE SENTENCED TODAY TO PRISON TERMS RANGING FROM TWO TO 15 YEARS FOR "ECONOMIC SABOTAGE" AGAINST THE SOVIET EAST GERMAN STATE.

THEY WERE SENTENCED BY THE SUPREME COURT OF THE SOVIET ZONE AT DESSAU AFTER A WEEK'S TRIAL. A NINTH DEFENDANT WAS SENTENCED IN ABSENTIA.

THEY WERE ACCUSED OF MILKING THE BIG CONTINENTAL GAS COMPANY AND TRANSFERRING ITS ASSETS FROM THE RUSSIAN ZONE TO ALLIED-OCCUPIED WESTERN GERMANY.

THREE DEFENDANTS RECEIVED 15-YEAR-TERMS. THEY WERE LEO HERWEGEN, FORMER CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATIC MINISTER PRESIDENT AND MINISTER OF LABOR IN THE STATE OF SAXONY-ANHALT; WILLY BRUDERT, ALSO A FORMER STATE OFFICIAL; AND FRIEDRICH METHFESSEL, A COMPANY DIRECTOR. THE LATTER WAS TRIED AND SENTENCED IN ABSENTIA AFTER FLEEING TO WEST GERMANY.

TWO OTHER DEFENDANTS RECEIVED 12 YEARS, ONE EIGHT YEARS, ONE SEVEN YEARS, ONE FOUR YEARS AND ONE TWO YEARS.

THE DEFENDANTS ALSO WERE ORDERED TO PAY FULL COSTS OF THE TRIAL--THE BIGGEST PROCEEDINGS OF ITS KIND SINCE THE COMMUNIST-CONTROLLED SEPARATE EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT WAS ESTABLISHED LAST YEAR.
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BERLIN, APRIL 29-(AP)-EAST GERMANY'S CHURCH-STATE DISPUTE WENT BACK TO THE NEGOTIATION STAGE TODAY AS THE COMMUNIST-LED GOVERNMENT BEAT A STRATEGIC RETREAT FROM THREATENED POLICE ACTION.

TOP OFFICIALS OF THE SOVIET ZONE GOVERNMENT MET FOR SIX HOURS WITH PROTESTANT AND CATHOLIC LEADERS YESTERDAY. THEY ANNOUNCED JOINTLY THEIR AGREEMENT TO CONTINUE NEGOTIATIONS.

"REPRESENTATIVES OF THE CHURCHES GAVE ASSURANCES THAT THE RECONSTRUCTION OF THE GERMAN PEOPLE'S LIFE IN PEACE AND FREEDOM IS THEIR URGENT DESIRE," SAID THE COMMUNIQUE.

"REPRESENTATIVES OF THE GOVERNMENT GAVE ASSURANCE THAT THE CHURCHES CAN FULFILL THEIR WORK ON THE BASIS OF THE CONSTITUTION AS IT EXISTS UNTIL NOW."

THE CONFERENCE FOLLOWED GOVERNMENT THREATS OF RETALIATORY ACTION AFTER PASTORAL OUTBURSTS IN EAST GERMAN CHURCHES LAST SUNDAY. THE CLERGY ATTACKED STATE PRESSURES AND ATTEMPTS TO SUPPLANT CHRISTIANITY WITH COMMUNIST DOCTINE IN THE SCHOOLS.

PARTICIPATING IN THE CONFERENCE IN EAST BERLIN WERE EAST GERMAN COMMUNIST PREMIER OTTO GROTEWOHL, DEPUTY PREMIERS WALTER ULBRICHT, OTTO MUSCHKE AND HERMANN KASTNER; EVANGELICAL BISHOP OTTO DIBELIUS OF BERLIN, AND CATHOLIC SUFFRAGEN BISHOP WILHELM WESSKAMM OF MAGDEBURG.

PROTESTANT AND CATHOLIC CLERGYMEN PROTESTED LAST SUNDAY IN EAST GERMAN CHURCHES AGAINST POLITICAL PRESSURE. THE SOVIET ARMY NEWSPAPER TAEGLICHE RUNDSCHAU REACTED YESTERDAY WITH A BLAST AGAINST "ATTEMPTS BY SOME REACTIONARY PASTORS TO DRAG THE CHURCH INTO A POLITICAL BATTLE AND PLACE THE CHURCH IN THE SERVICE OF ANGLO-AMERICAN ESPIONAGE."

BUT THE EASTERN GOVERNMENT APPARENTLY FEELS IT IS NOT STRONG ENOUGH TO EMBARK ON POLICE ACTION AGAINST THE CHURCH SUCH AS HAS BEEN LAUNCHED IN OTHER SOVIET SATELLITE COUNTRIES. CHURCH SOURCES SAID BOTH GROTEWOHL AND ULBRICHT SEEMED WILLING TO REACH A COMPROMISE.

THERE WAS NO INDICATION, HOWEVER, THAT THE GOVERNMENT INTENDS TO WITHDRAW SOVIET-WRITTEN ATHEIST HISTORY BOOKS FROM PUBLIC SCHOOLS. IT APPEARED, THOUGH, THAT CLERGYMEN WOULD NOT BE PROSECUTED FOR PREVIOUS COMPLAINTS AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT.

FOR THE PAST YEAR BISHOP DIBELIUS HAS LED RESISTANCE IN PREDOMINANTLY PROTESTANT EAST GERMANY AGAINST COMMUNIST PRESSURE TO ENROLL CLERGYMEN IN THE RED-DOMINATED "NATIONAL FRONT." IT APPEARED LIKELY THIS COMMUNIST PRESSURE MIGHT TEMPORARILY SUBSIDE.

A PROTESTANT DIGNITARY SAID AFTER THE CONFERENCE THAT THE "CHURCH WILL CONTINUE TO RAISE ITS DEMANDS IN ALL FRANKNESS--OUR STAND IS UNCHANGED."

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BERLIN, SUNDAY, APRIL 30-(AP)-THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF ADOLF HITLER'S PRESUMED DEATH PASSED WITHOUT PUBLIC MENTION OF HIS NAME IN BERLIN. NONE OF THE CITY'S NEWSPAPERS REFERRED TO GERMANY'S ONE-TIME FUEHRER.

ACCORDING TO CIRCUMSTANTIAL EVIDENCE THE NAZI CHIEF COMMITTED SUICIDE AT THE REICHSCHANCELLORY AIR RAID SHELTER ON APRIL 29,1945. A FEW HOURS PREVIOUSLY HE HAD MARRIED HIS MISTRESS, EVA BRAUN.
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B25 (Q)
(130)
SECOND NIGHT LEAD SOLDIERS (B13)

MUNICH, GERMANY, APRIL 29-(AP)-GERMAN POLICE RECAPTURED TODAY TWO UNITED STATES SOLDIERS WHO HAD ESCAPED FROM AN AIR FORCE GUARDHOUSE AT FUERSTENFELDBRUCK.

POLICE FOUND JOHANN R. VETTER, OF MOBRIDGE, S. DAK., IN A GERMAN RESTAURANT AT NEUBIBERG. LATER, LON STEVENS, OF PAMP, TEX., WAS ARRESTED BY THREE OFFICERS AT CARCHING, IN UPPER BAVARIA.

STEVENS WAS ARMED WITH A PISTOL, BUT OFFERED NO RESISTANCE. HE WAS TURNED OVER TO AMERICAN AUTHORITIES AT NEARBY MIESBACH.

AMERICAN MILITARY POLICE SAID VETTER AND STEVENS BROKE OUT OF THE GUARDHOUSE WHILE ON A WORK DETAIL, OVERPOWERED A GUARD, TOOK HIS WEAPONS AND ESCAPED IN AN ARMY WEAPONS CARRIER. IN THEIR FLIGHT THEY FORCED A GERMAN CIVILIAN TO GIVE UP HIS SMALL CAR AND LATER COMMANDEERED A JEEP BELONGING TO THE INTERNATIONAL REFUGEE ORGANIZATION (IRO).

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B93 Q (120)

MUNICH, GERMANY, APRIL 29-(AP)-HUNDREDS OF MILITARY AND GERMAN POLICE COMBED SOUTHERN BAVARIA TONIGHT FOR TWO ARMED U.S. SOLDIERS WHO ESCAPED FROM AN AIR FORCE GUARDHOUSE.

AN AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN IDENTIFIED THE TWO MEN AS LON STEVENS, 19, OF PAMPA, TEX., AND JOHANN R.VETTER, OF MOBRIDGE, S.D.

THE SOLDIERS BROKE OUT OF THE GUARDHOUSE AT FUERNSTENFELDBRUCK AIR BASE THURSDAY WHILE ON A WORK DETAIL. MILITARY POLICE SAID THEY OVERPOWERED A GUARD, TOOK HIS WEAPONS AND STOLE AN ARMY WEAPONS CARRIER.

IN THE 48 HOURS SINCE THEIR ESCAPE, POLICE SAID, THE MEN HAVE FORCED A GERMAN CIVILIAN TO GIVE UP HIS SMALL CAR, HAVE ABANDONED IT AND HAVE COMMANDEERED A JEEP BELONGING TO THE INTERNATIONAL REFUGEE ORGANIZATION.

STEVENS, U.S. AUTHORITIES SAID, WAS SERVING A LARCENY SENTENCE AND VETTER WAS AWAITING TRIAL ON ARMED ROBBERY CHARGES.

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B11 Q (290)

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NIGHT LEAD HARLAN

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BY PAUL R. BLOCK

HAMBURG, GERMANY, APRIL 29-(AP)-VIET HARLAN, THE GERMAN FILM PRODUCER WHO TURNED OUT THE ANTI-SEMITIC "JEW SUESS" FOR THE NAZIS, WAS ACQUITTED TODAY FOR THE SECOND TIME OF COMPLICITY IN A CRIME AGAINST HUMANITY.

A GERMAN COURT AGREED WITH HARLAN'S CONTENTION THAT HE WAS FORCED TO DIRECT THE FILM, WHICH WAS PRODUCED UNDER THE PERSONAL SUPERVISION OF PROPAGANDA MINISTER PAUL JOSEPH GOEBBELS, AND THAT THE NAZIS WOULD HAVE LIQUIDATED HIM IF HE REFUSED.

THE MOVIE WAS BASED ON A BOOK BY LION FEUCHTWANGER, PUBLISHED IN GERMANY IN 1925 AND IN THE UNITED STATES TWO YEARS LATER. THE MAIN CHARACTER, "JEW SUESS," WAS PICTURED AS PRIVATE COUNSELLOR TO A WEAK DUKE OF SWABIA IN THE 18TH CENTURY. THE PLOT INVOLVED HIS BACKING OF A HARSH TAX PROGRAM AND ASSAULT ON A GERMAN GIRL WHO REPULSED HIS

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ADVANCES. THE PROSECUTION CHARGED THE FILM INCITED ANTI-JEWISH FEELINGS AMONG THE GERMANS.

HARLAN AGAIN TESTIFIED HE MADE THE FILM LESS ANTI-SEMITIC THAN GOEBBELS WANTED IT TO BE. HE WAS FREED BY A GERMAN TRIBUNAL LAST YEAR, BUT THE HIGH GERMAN COURT OF THE BRITISH ZONE ORDERED THE RETRIAL.

IN PASSING JUDGEMENT TODAY, COURT PRESIDENT WALTER TRYROLF SAID HARLAN WAS NOT A NAZI, ADDING:

"HE HELPED MANY PEOPLE PERSECUTED BY THE NAZIS AND THUS SHOWED MORE COURAGE THAN MANY OF HIS FRIENDS."

THE COURT GALLERY WAS PACKED DURING THE TRIAL. MOST OF THE SPECTATORS SYMPATHIED OPENLY WITH HARLAN. AT ONE TIME A PROSECUTOR TOLD THE COURT THE GALLERY WAS "NAZISTIC."

MISS KARENA NIEHOFF, A FORMER SECRETARY IN THE PROPAGANDA MINISTRY'S FILM DEPARTMENT WHO TESTIFIED AGAINST HARLAN, WAS SET UPON OUTSIDE THE COURT TWO WEEKS AGO BY A CURSING, SPITTING CROWD. A WOMAN CALLED HER "A JEWISH PIG."

HAMBURG'S MAYOR, MAX BRAUER, SAID COMMUNISTS STAGED THE INCIDENT.

THE COMMUNIST-CONTROLLED "BERLIN VICTIMS OF NAZISM" BLASTED HARLAN'S ACQUITTAL IN A STATEMENT TONIGHT AS "A PROVOCATION AGAINST PEACE AND FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN NATIONS."

THE STATEMENT CALLED FOR " A MIGHTY DEMONSTRATION IN BERLIN ON MAY DAY AGAINST THE WARMONGERS OF WALL STREET WHO USE THEIR TOOLS IN GERMANY TO OPPOSE UNITY AND PEACE."

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B54 (SEG) (190)

HAMBURG, GERMANY, APRIL 29-(AP)-A GERMAN COURT TODAY ACQUITTED VEIT HARLAN, DIRECTOR OF THE ANTI-SEMITIC NAZI FILM "JEW SUESS," ON CHARGES OF COMPLICITY IN A CRIME AGAINST HUMANITY.

IT WAS THE SECOND TRIAL OF THE WELL-KNOWN NAZI-TIME FILM DIRECTOR. LAST YEAR A SIMILAR GERMAN COURT ALSO ACQUITTED HIM OF IDENTICAL CHARGES. ON THE APPEAL OF THE PROSECUTION, THE GERMAN FEDERAL HIGH COURT ORDERED A RETRIAL.

THE PROSECUTION ALLEGED THAT THE FILM "JEW SUESS" INCITED ANTI-SEMITIC FEELINGS AMONG THE GERMAN POPULATION.

HARLAN TOLD THE COURT THAT IT WOULD HAVE BEEN "SUICIDE" TO REFUSE TO DIRECT THE FILM, WHICH WAS PRODUCED UNDER NAZI PROPAGANDA MINISTER JOSEPH GOEBBELS' PERSONAL DIRECTION.

ORGANIZATIONS OF JEWISH AND NAZI PERSECUTEES HAD PROTESTED VIGOROUSLY AGAINST HARLAN'S FIRST ACQUITTAL.

A JEWISH WITNESS TESTIFYING AGAINST HARLAN AT THE RETRIAL WAS CURSED BY THE SPECTATORS. HOWEVER, NO INCIDENTS AGAINST THE SECOND ACQUITTAL TOOK PLACE THIS MORNING.

THE COURT FOUND THAT HARLAN HAD ONLY PRODUCED THE FILM UNDER PRESSURE. JUDGE WALTER TYROF, WHO ALSO ACQUITTED HARLAN IN THE FIRST TRIAL, SAID IT HAD BEEN PROVOED THAT HARLAN HAD NOT TAKEN THE ORDER TO PRODUCE THE FILM OF HIS OWN FREE WILL. ONE COULD NOT PUNISH HIM FOR THIS, HE SAID.

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SAARBRUECKEN, THE SAAR, APRIL 29-(AP)-THE SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC PARTY'S NEWSPAPER VOLKSTIMME SAID TODAY THE SAAR IS NOT GETTING HER FULL SHARE OF MARSHALL PLAN FUNDS.

THE NEWSPAPER STATED THAT ON THE BASIS OF THE SAAR'S POPULATION, COMPARED TO THAT OF FRANCE, THE SAAR SHOULD RECEIVE 2.2 PER CENT OF ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION (ECA) FUNDS. INSTEAD, IT SAID, THE LATEST PARTITION OF COUNTERPART FUNDS BY FRANCE GAVE THE SAAR ONLY FOUR-TENTHS OF ONE PER CENT.

THE SAAR, ONCE GERMAN TERRITORY, HAS BEEN ECONOMICALLY ATTACHED TO FRANCE SINCE THE WAR.

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B38 (SEG) (170)

BONN, GERMANY, APRIL 29-(AP)-U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J. MCCLOY HAS PROMISED THE WEST GERMAN GOVERNMENT IT WILL HAVE POWERS NECESSARY FOR PARTICIPATION IN AN ADVISORY CAPACITY IN THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE.

WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER WHOSE GOVERNMENT IS CONSIDERING AN INVITATION TO PARTICIPATE IN SOME COUNCIL ACTIVITIES, HAD ASKED WHETHER HIS REGIME WOULD HAVE DIRECT CONTACT WITH THE COUNCIL IF IT SHOULD ACCEPT AN INVITATION TO JOIN AS AN ASSOCIATE MEMBER, OR WOULD HAVE TO DEAL THROUGH THE ALLIED HIGH COMMISSION.

IN REPLY, MCCLOY SAID YESTERDAY THAT REPRESENTATIVES OF WEST GERMANY "COULD DEAL WITH THE COUNCIL ON EVERY SUBJECT WITHIN THE COMPETENCE OF THE CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY."

SHOULD GERMANY JOIN THE COUNCIL, SOMETIMES CALLED THE "PARLIAMENT OF EUROPE," IT WOULD BE REPRESENTED ONLY IN THE LOWER ADVISORY BODY, THE CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY. THIS BODY SERVES AS A FORUM AND ADVISES THE COUNCIL'S MORE POWERFUL FOREIGN MINISTERS' COMMITTEE ON VARIOUS MATTERS.

WEST GERMANY'S FOREIGN RELATIONS ARE HANDLED BY THE HIGH COMMISSION.

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B59 (Q)

DIETRANSZELL, GERMANY, APRIL 29-(AP)-COL. GEN. HEINZ GUDERIAN, FORMER COMMANDER OF GERMAN FORCES ON THE RUSSIAN FRONT, SAYS THE UNITED STATES IS "CLEVER ENOUGH" TO SET UP ITS OWN ARMY -- IT DOESN'T NEED INSTRUCTIONS FROM HIM.

A SOVIET MAJOR GENERAL TALENSKY WROTE IN THE COMMUNIST PARTY NEWSPAPER PRAVDA FRIDAY THAT GUDERIAN WAS HELPING AMERICANS PLAN A FASCIST MILITARY DICTATORSHIP IN THE UNITED STATES.

GUDERIAN, NOW LIVING IN AN OLD PEOPLE'S HOME IN THIS BAVARIAN TOWN, SAID THE PRAVADA STORY WAS "PURE INVENTION AND MUST BE COUNTERED WITH A DENIAL."

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PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, SUNDAY, APRIL 30-(AP)-A DRAMATIC REHEARSAL FOR CZECHOSLOVAKIA'S GREAT MAY DAY CELEBRATION TOOK PLACE EARLY THIS MORNING.

PRECISELY AT MIDNIGHT A ROAR OF ENGINES WOKE THE TOWN WHEN ABOUT 200 TRACTORS STARTED TO ROLL DOWN THE MAIN STREET.

LIGHTED PICTURES OF SOVIET AND CZECH LEADERS SHINE ON BUILDINGS AL OVER THE CITY. MANY OF THE BUILDINGS HAVE LIGHTED FIVE POINTED STARS ON TOP.

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B53 (SEG) (200)

PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, APRIL 29-(AP)-THE YOUTH ORGAN MLADA FRONTA IN ITS EDITORIAL TODAY SAID THAT "THE RULERS OF THE UNITED STATES ARE AGAIN SHOWING THEMSELVES TO THE CZECHOSLOVAK PEOPLE AS THEIR DEADLY ENEMIES."

THIS ASSERTION FOLLOWED YESTERDAY'S DEMAND BY THE FOREIGN MINISTRY FOR A TWO-THIRDS REDUCTION OF THE AMERICAN DIPLOMATIC STAFF IN THIS COUNTRY.

"THE RULERS OF THE UNITED STATES," SAID THE PAPER, "WILL JUST HAVE TO REALIZE THAT THEIR DIPLOMATIC REPRESENTATIVES IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA MUST BEHAVE LIKE DIPLOMATIC REPRESENTATIVES. ORGANIZED ESPIONAGE, DELIVERING OF WIRELESS TRANSMITTERS IN DIPLOMATIC CARS AND SIMILAR ACTIVITIES ARE NOT CONSIDERED DIPLOMATIC FUNCTIONS IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA."

A CZECH COURT LAST WEEK CONVICTED SIX CZECHS ON CHARGES OF SPAYING FOR THE U.S. EMBASSY IN PRAGUE. THE NAMES OF FOUR FORMER EMBASSY OFFICIALS WERE LINKED TO THE GROUP IN THE TRIAL.

"CZECHOSLOVAKIA HAS SHOWN THAT IT CAN FACE AMERICAN EFFONTERY," THE PAPER CONTINUED, "OUR REPUBLIC IS AN INDEPENDENT STATE AND WILL IN FUTURE CONTINUE TO LIQUIDATE ALL HOSTILE ACTIVITIES, WHETHER DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY INSTIGATED AND DIRECTED BY AMERICAN IMPERIALISM.

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"TOGETHER WITH THE SOVIET UNION AND THE PEOPLE'S DEMOCRACIES OUR REPUBLIC IS PART OF A POWER FAR STRONGER THAN ANY IN HISTORY. AND THEREFORE WE ARE TELLING OUR ENEMIES: 'HANDS OFF CZECHOSLOVAKIA.'"

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A27

BUDAPEST, HUNGARY, APRIL 29-(AP)-HUNGARY'S PARLIAMENT HAS BEEN SUMMONED TO MEET MAY 8. IT IS EXPECTED TO ELECT FOREIGN TRADE MINISTER SANDOR RONAI TO HEAD THE PRESIDENTIAL COUNCIL.

FORMER COUNCIL PRESIDENT ARPAD SZAKASITS RESIGNED LAST MONDAY. THE POST IS EQUIVALENT TO THAT OF PRESIDENT OF THE COUNTRY.

HA413AES

A32

ATHENS, APRIL 29-(AP)-GREECE LAST NIGHT JOINED YUGOSLAVIA IN SEEKING BETTER RELATIONS BETWEEN THE TWO BALKAN NEIGHBORS.

FOLLOWING CLOSELY YUGOSLAV PREMIER MARSHAL TITO'S ANNOUNCEMENT THAT HIS GOVERNMENT WOULD SOON NAME A NEW MINISTER TO GREECE, PREMIER GEN. NICHOLAS PLASTIRAS SAID YESTERDAY HIS NEW GOVERNMENT WOULD SEND DIPLOMATIC REPRESENTATIVE TO YUGOSLAVIA.

HA419AES

B56 (Q)

MOSCOW, APRIL 29-(AP)-THE SOVIET PRESS TODAY SAID THAT RUSSIAN REPRESENTATIVES IN IRAN WOULD NOT PARTICIPATE IN THE FUNERAL OF THE LATE REZA SHAH PAHLEVI, FATHER OF THE PRESENT SHAH.

IDENTICAL EDITORIALS IN THE COMMUNIST PARTY ORGAN PRAVDA AND THE GOVERNMENT NEWSPAPER IZVESTIA CHARGED THAT IRANIAN "REACTIONARIES" WERE "ORGANIZING A LAVISH FUNERAL TO REESTABLISH THE TRADITION OF REZA SHAH WHICH WAS DISCREDITED IN THE EYES OF ALL DEMOCRATIC COUNTRIES."

THE STATE FUNERAL IS TO BE HELD IN TEHRAN, IRAN'S CAPITAL, IN THE NEAR FUTURE. REZA SHAH DIED IN EXILE IN SOUTH AFRICA IN 1944 AFTER BEING DEPOSED IN 1941 FOR FAVORING THE NAZIS. HIS SON, MOHAMMED REZA SHAH PAHLEVI, SUCCEEDED HIM.

THE EDITORIALS SAID THE FORMER SHAH TOOK PART IN "HITLERITE FASCIST CRIMES" AND "ALLOWED THE HITLERITES TO TRANSFORM IRANIAN TERRITORY INTO A NUCLEUS OF THE STRUGGLE AGAINST THE U.S.S.R., ENGLAND AND THE UNITED STATES."

"THE ASHES OF REZA SHAH ARE BEING TAKEN TO IRAN" SAID THE EDITORIALS, "IN ORDER TO USE THIS FOR THE RALLYING AND MOBILIZING OF THOSE FORCES IN IRAN WHOM REZA SHAH LED IN LIFE."

DA810AES

B62 (Q) (110)

KX FOR FX APW

MOSCOW, APRIL 29-(AP)-THE SOVIET NEWS AGENCY TASS CHARGED TODAY THE UNITED STATES HAD CATEGORICALLY PROTESTED AGAINST A NEW PHILIPPINE LAW ON IMPORT CONTROL.

A TASS DISPATCH FROM SHANGHAI, PUBLISHED IN THE GOVERNMENT NEWSPAPER IZVESTIA, TERMED THE PROTEST A THREAT AGAINST THE PHILIPPINES.

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AMERICAN OIL AND SHIPPING OFFICIALS LATE LAST YEAR PROTESTED AGAINST NEW RESTRICTIONS IMPOSED BY THE PHILIPPINE GOVERNMENT ON IMPORT QUOTAS. A PHILIPPINE OFFICIAL PROMISED THEN THAT THE GOVERNMENT WOULD RELAX THE RESTRICTIONS AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. PATTEN D. ALLEN, COMMERCIAL ATTACHE OF THE U.S. EMBASSY IN MANILA, DEFENDED THE HILIPPINE MOVE IN DECEMBER, 1949, AS THE BEST METHOD OF CONSERVING OLLARS. THERE HAVE BEEN NO REPORTS OF ANY RECENT OFFICIAL PROTESTS Y THE UNITED STATES.

DA827AES

A107KX

NIGHT LEAD CHINESE (130)

BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI,FORMOSA,APRIL 29-(AP)-FORMOSA'S FIRST LINE OF DEFENSE--CHUSHAN ISLAND--STRUCK OUT TODAY AT RED CHINA'S INVASION CRAFT.

NATIONALIST WARPLANES HAMMERED AT COMMUNIST SHIPPING ALONG THE COAST NEAR THAT ISLAND 100 MILES SOUTH OF SHANGHAI.

THE OPERATION WAS DESIGNED TO UPSET RED PREPARATIONS FOR AN INVASION OF CHUSAN, THE BLOCKADE BASE FROM WHERE PLANES AND GUNBOATS HAVE STRUCK AT COMMUNIST COASTAL OPERATIONS SOUTH OF SHANGHAI.

THE RESULTS OF THE AERIAL ATTACKS WERE NOT GIVEN.

WHILE THE SOUTH CHINA ISLAND OF HAINAN HAS BEEN WRITTEN OFF FOR ALL PRACTICAL MILITARY PURPOSES, THE NATIONALISTS REITERATED THAT THE SOUTH COAST PORT OF YULIN STILL WAS IN THEIR HANDS.

NATIONALISTS REPORTS ALSO EMPHASIZED THAT GEN.HSUEH YUEHN COMMANDER OF HAINAN, STILL WAS AT YULIN, APPARENTLY DIRECTING THE FORLORN DEFENSE OF THE ISLAND.

JW930PCS HAVE TO GO ON ANOTHER SIRCUT

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W2FX
CHINESE (200)
BY SPENCER MOOSA
TAIPEI, FORMOSA, APRIL 29-(AP)-CHINESE NATIONALIST WARPLANES KEPT HAMMERING TODAY AT COMMUNIST PREPARATIONS FOR AN INVASION OF CHUSHAN ISLAND, VITAL OUTPOST FOR THE DEFENSE OF FORMOSA.
THE AIRCRAFT RANGED ALONG THE MAINLAND COAST ATTACKING RED CRAFT MASSING FOR THE EXPECTED AMPHIBIOUS ASSAULT ON THE AIR AND NAVAL BASE ISLAND. CHUSHAN, 100 MILES SOUTHEAST OF SHANGHAI, IS A MAIN BASE FOR THE NATIONALIST BLOCKADE OF RED PORTS.
BEYOND THIS THERE WAS LITTLE WAR NEWS. HOWEVER, IT WAS REITERATED THAT YULIN ON THE SOUTH COAST OF COMMUNIST-INVADED HAINAN ISLAND STILL WAS IN NATIONALIST HANDS.
(THE PRO-COMMUNIST HONG KONG NEWSPAPER WEN WEI PAO SAID RED FORCES WERE MOVING SOUTHWARD ON HAINAN ALONG BOTH EAST AND WEST COASTS. THIS DISPATCH PUT THE EAST COAST SPEARHEAD 70 MILES FROM YULIN ON WEDNESDAY.)
IN TAIPEI, THOUSANDS CHEERED LAST NIGHT AS A NATIONALIST YOUTH ORGANIZATION STAGED A MOCK TRIAL OF RUSSIA'S JOSEPH STALIN AND HIS CHINESE RED COUNTERPART, MAO TZE-TUNG. THEY WERE SENTENCED TO DEATH AND EXECUTED IN EFFIGY AS WAR CRIMINALS.
RIGOROUS ATTEMPTS CONTINUED TO TIGHTEN FORMOSAN SECURITY BY COMBING OUT COMMUNIST AND OTHER SUBVERSIVE ELEMENTS. ALL TRAFFIC WILL BE HALTED BETWEEN MIDNIGHT TONIGHT AND 8 A.M. SUNDAY WHILE A CENSUS IS TAKEN. ANYONE WITHOUT A RESIDENT'S CERTIFICATE IS LIABLE TO ARREST.
JL345APS

A120KX
APR 29 1950
FOLLOW TAIPEI (120)
HONG KONG,SUNDAY,APRIL 30-(AP)-THE SOUTH CHINA SUNDAY POST SAID TODAY THE BRITISH FREIGHTER EDITH MOLLER WAS FORCED BY THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS TO HELP IN THE EVACUATION OF HOIHOW, CAPITAL OF HAINAN.
IT QUOTED SHIP OFFICERS AS SAYING THE FREIGHTER ARRIVED AT HOIHOW JUST BEFORE THE COMMUNIST INVADERS OF THE NATIONALIST SOUTH CHINA ISLAND SEIZED THE CAPITAL.
THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE NEWSPAPER SAID THE EDITH MOLLER TOOK SOME NATIONALISTS TO YULIN, ON THE SOUTH COAST WHERE THE NATIONALISTS STILL ARE HOLDING OUT.
THE POST ADDED THAT THE SHIP WAS DETAINED AT YULIN FOR SEVERAL DAYS UNTIL THE BRITISH DESTROYER CONSTANCE ARRIVED AND "CHANGED THE ATTITUD OF NATIONALIST OFFICIALS." THE SHIP LEFT YULIN THURSDAY.
CHINESE AND LOCAL PRESS REPORTS ESTIMATED THAT CHINESE COMMUNIST REGULARS FROM THE MAINLAND NOW CONTROL ABOUT TWO-THIRDS OF THE EASTERN PART OF HAINAN.
JW1029PCS

A06FX
KWITH CHINESE WAR
HONG KONG,APRIL 29-(AP)-A BRISK LITTLE TRADE WAS REPORTED TODAY BETWEEN COMMUNIST SHANGHAI AND NATIONALIST TINGHAI ON CHUSHAN ISLAND WHICH IS BRACED FOR AN IMMINENT RED INVASION.
THE INDEPENDENT NEWSPAPER WAH KIU YAT PAO SAID NATIONALIST BLOCKADE SHIPS AND COMMUNIST COASTAL PATROLS BOTH CLOSE THEIR EYES AT THIS TRADE CARRIED ON BY 10 JUNKS. IT GIVES SHANGHAI SUGAR FROM FORMOSA AND TINGHAI FOODSTUFFS FROM THE RED MAINLAND.
CC/JL610APS

A00FX
REFUGEES (190)
HONG KONG,APRIL 29-(AP)-THE STEAMSHIP HEINRICH JESSEN ARRIVED TODAY WITH 388 FOREIGNERS FROM COMMUNIST CHINA. THIRTY-THREE ARE AMERICANS, MOSTLY MEMBERS OF MISSIONARY FAMILIES.
THE JEBSEN LINE VESSEL, ORIGINALLY BUILT TO ACCOMMODATE 36 PASSENGERS, BROUGHT THE FOREIGNERS FROM TIENTSIN. MOST OF THEM HAD GONE TO THAT NORTHERN RED PORT FROM SHANGHAI BY RAIL.
AMONG THE PASSENGERS WERE DIENUS HENDRICK VISSCHER, CHANCELLOR OF THE NETHERLANDS CONSULATE AT SHANGHAI, AND HIS WIFE WHO ARE GOING HOME ON LEAVE; 75 BRITISH NATIONALS AND 121 DISPLACED PERSONS UNDER CARE OF THE INTERNATIONAL REFUGEE ORGANIZATION. MOST OF THE IRO GROUP ARE BOUND FOR ISRAEL, A FEW FOR AUSTRALIA.
AMERICANS DESIGNATED AS MISSIONARIES ON THE SHIP'S MANIFEST ARE CHARLES WEST, ELIZABETH KNABE, PETER GREENE, DOROTHY CLAWSON, GEORGE HUDSON, JAMES DANIELS, DR.HAROLD THOMAS, MRS.DOROTHEA GLAZIER, DAVID LINDBERG AND ERNEST WAMPLER. MANY WERE ACCOMPANIED BY WIVES AND CHILDREN. YMCA WORKERS ROBBINS STRONG AND JAY OLIVER WERE ABOARD WITH THEIR WIVES.
OTHER AMERICANS COMING OUT ON THE JESSEN INCLUDED JAMES MACKINNON, HAROLD SHEHAN, AUGUST GEHRELS, WILLIAM CRUM AND MR.AND MRS.GEORGE THORNGATE.
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(EDITORS: HOME TOWNS UNAVAILABLE)
CC549APS
APR 29 1950

B34KX
(APW)
HONG KONG, APRIL 29-(AP)-THE COMMUNIST NEW CHINA NEWS AGENCY SAID TODAY FIVE FRENCH SOLDIERS FROM INDOCHINA ARE BEING HELD FOR ALLEGEDLY VIOLATING THE BORDER OF RED CHINA.
THE AGENCY SAID THE SOLDIERS WERE PICKED UP ON THE CHINA SIDE OF THE INDOCHINA BORDER MARCH 15. IT DID NOT SAY WHERE THE FIVE ARE BEING HELD.
"FOR THE PAST MONTH INCIDENTS IN WHICH FRENCH SOLDIERS VIOLATED OUR BORDER OCCURRED FREQUENTLY," SAID A PEIPING DISPATCH.
A SECOND DISPATCH ACCUSED THE FRENCH OF HOLDING 39 CHINESE COMMUNIST OFFICERS AND MEN ABOARD A SAILBOAT WHICH SUPPOSEDLY WAS BLOW INTO INDOCHINA WATERS MARCH 26.
FR450ACS

A121KX
(140)
HONG KONG,SUNDAY,APRIL 30-(AP)-FAMINE IS INCREASING IN NORTH CHINA AND FLOODS ARE PLAGUING THE SOUTH, IT WAS REPORTED TODAY.
THE HONG KONG STANDARD QUOTED A WELL-INFORMED CHINESE ARRIVAL FROM THE NORTH AS SAYING CONDITIONS ARE GETTING WORSE IN EASTERN HOPEH PROVINCE. PEIPING, THE RED CAPITAL, IS IN HOPEH.
THE ARRIVAL SAID THE STARVATION DEATH RATE WAS CONSIDERABLY HIGHER THERE THAN LAST YEAR'S 20,000 TO 30,000 CHINESE.
MANY HOPEH CHINESE WERE SAID TO BE LIVING ON GRASS ROOTS, CLAY AND BEAN CAKES. THE STANDARD SAID FOOD APPEARED TO BE ADEQUATE IN PEIPING, ITSELF. BUT THE EFFECTS OF FAMINE WERE FELT ONLY A FEW MILES AWAY.

THE INDEPENDENT WAH KIU YAT PO SAID SERIOUS FLOODS THREATENED KWANGTUNG PROVINCE AROUND CANTON IN SOUTH CHINA.
THE EAST, NORTH AND WEST RIVER--THE THREE MAIN STREAMS OF KWANGTUNG--ALL WERE SAID TO BE FLOODING RICE LANDS AND DISRUPTING COMMUNICATIONS AFTER RECENT HEAVY RAINS.
JW1032PCS NM

B79KX Q
APW (120)
HONG KONG,APRIL 29 (AP)-RED CHINA WANTS TO SEND ITS OWN DELEGATE TO THE MEETING OF THE UNITED NATIONS ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR ASIA AND THE FAR EAST AT BANGKOK, THAILAND, MAY 16.
THE COMMUNIST NEW CHINA NEWS AGENCY SAID FOREIGN MINISTER CHOU EN-LAI NOTIFIED U.N. SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE YESTERDAY THE PEIPING REGIME HAS APPOINTED CHI CHAO-TING AS DELEGATE.
THE CHINESE REDS, SINCE OCCUPYING THE MAINLAND, HAVE BEEN PRESSING TO OUST THE NATIONALISTS FROM U.N. REPRESENTATION. SO FAR THEY HAVE BEEN UNSUCCESSFUL.
CHOU ALSO TELEGRAPHED R.BEROUGE, SECRETARY OF THE LEAGUE OF RED CROSS SOCIETIES, AND JEAN DUCHOSAL, SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE OF THE RED CROSS, A DECLARATION THAT THE NATIONALISTS ARE NOT QUALIFIED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE LEAGUE.
SC908ACS

B33KX (Q)
TOKYO, APRIL 29-(AP)-KYUICHI TOKUDA, FIERY SECRETARY-GENERAL OF JAPAN'S COMMUNIST PARTY, WILL BE PROSECUTED ON A CHARGE OF LYING TO A DIET (PARLIAMENT) COMMITTEE.
CHAIRMAN RYOSAKU KAJI OF THE HOUSE EXAMINATION COMMITTEE ANNOUNCED THE CHARGE OF CRIMINAL PERJURY WOULD BE FILED NEXT WEEK.
TOKUDA IS ACCUSED OF GIVING CONFLICTING TESTIMONY AT A DIET INQUIRY INTO CHARGES HE ASKED THE RUSSIANS TO RETURN ONLY COMMUNIST-INDOCTRINATED JAPANESE PRISONERS OF WAR.
FR448ACS

B36KX
(MP)
TOKYO, APRIL 29-(AP)-THE ARMY SAID TODAY PVT.ALBERT L.EDWARDS, WORTHINGTON, MINN., WAS KILLED THURSDAY WHEN THE CAR WHICH HE WAS DRIVING HIT A TELEPHONE POLE ON THE OUTSKIRTS OF TOKYO.
FR453ACS NM

A107FX
TOKYO, APRIL 29-(AP)-SOME 100,000 JAPANESE TROOPED INTO THE IMPERIAL PALACE TODAY TO WISH EMPEROR HIROHITO A HAPPY 49TH BIRTHDAY.
WHILE THOUSANDS SIGNED BIRTHDAY REGISTRY BOOKS, HIROHITO CELEBRATED AT A SMALL FAMILY PARTY. HE LISTENED TO HIS DAUGHTER, PRINCESS TAKA, SING A SONG COMPOSED FOR THE OCCASION BY HER COMMONER FINANCE, TOSHIMICHI TAKATSUKASA. CROWN PRINCE AKIHITO ENTERTAINED WITH FEATS OF MAGIC.
PRIME MINSTER SHIGERU YOSHIDA AND OTHER OFFICIALS PAID OFFICIAL RESPECTS TO THE EMPEROR.
JL612APS

B5KX
NIGHT LEAD KOREAN (200)
SEOUL,SUNDAY, APRIL 30-(AP)-SOUTH KOREA HAS A RUSSIAN-MADE FIGHTER PLANE, BUT IT CAN'T FLY THE THING.
LT.LEE KUN SOON, 24, WHO SAID HE NEVER WANTED TO BE A FLIER FOR THE COMMUNIST NORTH, FLEW THE PLANE TO SOUTH KOREA FRIDAY.
THE PLANE IS A MODERN VERSION OF THE STORMOVIK, EFFECTIVE AGAINST THE GERMANS IN THE LAST WAR.
AUTHORITIES SAID IT HAD AN AIR PRESSURE SYSTEM TO SUPPLY FUEL. LEE LANDED THE PLANE AT PUSAN, ON THE SOUTH COAST. THERE WAS NO EQUIPMENT THERE TO RESTORE THE PRESSURE.
A COUPLE OF CYCLINDERS OF COMPRESSED AIR WERE FLOWN TO PUSAN, BUT AN AIRMAN SAID "IF THE RUSSIAN FITTINGS ARE ODD SIZE, OR THE THREAD IS OFF STANDARD WE STILL WILL HAVE TROUBLE."
ALL THIS WAS EMBARRASSING TO SOUTH KOREAN ARMY OFFICERS WHO WANTED TO SHOW THE PRIZE TO THE PUBLIC HERE.
LEE TOLD NEWSMEN YESTERDAY HE DESERTED THE COMMUNIST NORTH BECAUSE THE NORTHERN REGIME WAS CRUEL AND SUPPRESSED INDIVIDUAL LIBERTIES. HE PREDICTED OTHER FLIERS FROM THE NORTH WOULD FLY TO THE U.S.-SPONSORED SOUTH.
FOR WANT OF A PLANE, SOUTH KOREAN AUTHORITIES PARADED THROUGH SEOUL 100 COMMUNIST GUERRILLAS CAPTURED RECENTLY.
THE GUERRILLAS, REPLYING TO TAUNTS FROM THE CROWD, SAID THEY WERE SORRY THEY EVER ACCEPTED COMMUNISM.
JW811PCS

A71FX
(190)
BY O.H.P. KING
SEOUL, APRIL 29-(AP)-A PILOT WHO FLED FROM COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA IN A RUSSIAN-MADE FIGHTER PLANE SAID TODAY HE WAS PURSUED BY TWO OTHER PLANES AND SHOT AT BY THE REDS' ANTIAIRCRAFT GUNS.
LT. LEE KUN SOON, 24, LANDED AT PUSAN ON THE SOUTH KOREAN COAST YESTERDAY AFTER A 340-MILE FLIGHT FROM YONPORI.
LEE, A CATHOLIC, TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE:
THE NORTH KOREAN "DICTATORSHIP PAID NO ATTENTION TO THE INDIVIDUAL THE FAMILY, OR TO RELIGION."
HE WAS ORDERED TO A POLITICAL SCHOOL AT PYONGYANG, THE RED CAPITAL.
HE RECEIVED FLIGHT TRAINING FROM BOTH RUSSIAN AND NORTH KOREAN PILOTS.
LEE SAID A BROTHER AND SISTER HAD ESCAPED INTO SOUTH KOREA AND HE HAD TRIED TO FIND A WAY TO BRING OUT HIS PARENTS. AT LAST HE DECIDED TO STEAL A PLANE AND COME ALONE.
"I SOON NOTICED TWO PLANES PURSUING ME. I ENCOUNTERED ANTIAIRCRAFT FIRE OVER WONSAN (GENZAN, EAST COAST PORT IN THE RED NORTH) SO I TURNED OUT TO SEA AND HEADED DOWN THE EAST COAST."
INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS WOULD NOT LET LEE DISCUSS THE NUMBER OF PLANES OR LOCATIONS OF AIR FIELDS IN NORTH KOREA. THE NORTH KOREANS ARE BELIEVED TO HAVE FROM 30 TO 60 PLANES.
JL342APS

A38
SINGAPORE, APRIL 29-(AP)-SINGAPORE'S GOVERNOR SIR FRANKLIN GIMSON WAS HIT ON THE LEG EARLY TODAY BY A PIECE OF AN UNEXPLODED HAND GRENADE WHICH POLICE SAID UNQUESTIONABLY WAS THROWN BY A COMMUNIST.
SIR FRANKLIN WAS NOT HURT. A WITNESS SAID HE DID NOT FLINCH

WHEN THE FAULTY GRENADE LANDED AT HIS FEET AND BROKE INTO PIECES AS HE WAS LEAVING AN AMUSEMENT STADIUM AFTER A BOXING MATCH. THE GRENADE-HURLER ESCAPED IN THE CROWD.

AT LEAST 300 PERSONS WERE IN THE VICINITY WHEN THE GRENADE WAS THROWN.

THEY SAID THE GRENADE WAS MADE BY AN EXPERT BUT FAILED TO GO OFF BECAUSE OF A DEFECTIVE DETONATOR TAKEN FROM A JAPANESE ARTILLERY SHELL.

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B43 (Q)

FX (120)

SINGAPORE, APRIL 29-(AP)-THE MALAYAN GOVERNMENT PUT STILL MORE TEETH IN ITS ANTI-COMMUNIST CAMPAIGN TODAY BY PROVIDING THE DEATH PENALTY FOR COMMUNIST AGENTS.

UNTIL NOW ONLY ARMED TERRORISTS HAVE BEEN LIABLE TO THE DEATH PENALTY.

A GOVERNMENT COMMUNIQUE SAID THAT, EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, THE DEATH PENALTY WOULD BE EXTENDED TO COMMUNIST AGENTS CONVICTED OF "COLLECTING OR RECEIVING MONEY, FOOD AND OTHER SUPPLIES FOR THE TERRORISTS."

THIS IS THE GOVERNMENT'S SECOND MAJOR MOVE TO CUT OFF SUPPLIES FROM GUERRILLA BANDS HIDING IN THE JUNGLE. SEVERAL HUNDRED THOUSAND CHINESE SQUATTERS ARE BEING SHIFTED FROM SCATTERED, REMOTE SETTLEMENTS TO AREAS WHERE THEY CAN BE BETTER CONTROLLED AND PREVENTED FROM AIDING THE GUERRILLAS.

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B65KX (Q)

APW (160)

MANILA, SUNDAY, APRIL 30-(AP)-THE PHILIPPINES HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES HAS CHALLENGED THE BRITISH TITLE TO NORTH BORNEO.

THE HOUSE ADOPTED A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING PRESIDENT ELPIDIO QUIRINO TO NEGOTIATE WITH THE BRITISH FOR THE RETURN OF NORTH BORNEO TO THE FILIPINO HEIRS OF THE SULTAN OF SULU.

THE HEIRS FIRST SOUGHT THE AID OF THE PHILIPPINES WHEN THE BRITISH ANNEXED THE 30,000-SQUARE-MILE TERRITORY IN JUNE OF 1946.

THE BRITISH SAY A DEED BY SULTAN MOHAMAT JAMAL AL ALAM IN 1878 WAS A CESSION AND NOT A LEASE. THE HEIRS ARGUE THE DEED WAS MERELY A LEASE FOR AN ANNUAL RENTAL OF $5,000.

THE HOUSE RESOLUTION ALSO DSIPUTES THE BRITISH POSITION THAT THE SULTAN IN 1878 SURRENDERED TO SPAIN, WHICH IN TRUN RENOUNCED ITS SOVEREIGNTY OVER NORTH BORNEO.

THE RESOLUTION SAYS THAT THE BRITISH CLAIM LACKS MERIT BECAUSE THE SULTAN IN HIS TREATY WITH SPAIN NEVER RELINQUISHED HIS SOVEREIGNTY OVER NORTH BORNEO.

THE RESOLUTION ADDS THAT THE ANNEXATION IS UNWARRANTED AND THE TERRITORY SHOULD BE RESTORED TO THE HEIRS OF THE SULTAN AND TO THE SOVEREIGN JURISDICTION OF THE PHILIPPINES.

JH927PCS

A130 (290)

JAKARTA, U.S.I., APRIL 29-(AP)-THE INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT SAID TODAY IT IS MOBILIZING ITS POLICE FORCES TO CLEAR UP THE MYSTERIOUS JUNGLE KILLING THURSDAY OF TWO AMERICANS.

INFORMATION MINISTER ARNOLD OONONUTO SAID IN A RADIO ADDRESS HE EXPLORED THE KILLING OF PROF. RAYMOND KENNEDY, A YALE SOCIOLOGIST, AND ROBERT BOYLE, A TIME AND LIFE WRITER, WHO WERE SLAIN BY UNKNOWN ASSASSINS WHILE ON A JEEP TRIP IN WEST JAVA.

MONONUTO SAID HE WAS SPEAKING FOR PRIME MINISTER MOHAMED HATTA WHEN HE DECLARED THE INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT WOULD "LEAVE NO STONE UNTURNED UNTIL THIS SAD, MYSTERIOUS EVENT HAS BEEN CLEARED UP AND THE GUILTY MEN BROUGHT TO JUSTICE."

THE TWO AMERICANS, SEEKING INFORMATION ON INDONESIAN LIFE, WERE WAYLAID AND SLAIN ON THE HIGHWAY BETWEEN BANDOENG AND JOGJAKARTA BY A BAND OF FOUR OR FIVE MEN REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN IN UNIFORM.

NEWSPAPERS HERE HAVE SHOWN A RELUCTANCE TO COMMENT ON THE MURDER ALTHOUGH THE JAKARTA DAILY MERDEKA EXPRESSED THE OPINION INDONESIANS WERE NOT RESPONSIBLE. IT SAID "FOREIGN IMPERIALISTS" WERE BEHIND THE INCIDENT BUT DID NOT ELABORATE.

THE FOREIGN CORRESPONDENTS ORGANIZATION IN INDONESIA, IN A LETTER TO HATTA, EXPRESSED "PROFOUND REGRET OVER THE BRUTAL MURDER OF BOYLE AND KENNEDY," ADDING "WE ARE SHOCKED TO LEARN OF THE INCIDENT AND WE TRUST THE GOVERNMENT WILL MOBILIZE ITS POLICE MACHINERY IN TRACKING DOWN THE KILLERS. WE TRUST THE GOVERNMENT WILL TAKE SPEEDY STEPS IN SOLVING THESE BRUTAL MURDERS."

THE INFORMATION MINISTER, ADDRESSING HIS REMARKS TO THE NEXT OF KIN OF THE VICTIMS, SAID: "ON BEHALF OF MY GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE AS WELL AS IN MY OWN BEHALF I WISH TO EXPRESS DEEPEST REGRET THAT THIS TERRIBLE EVENT SHOULD HAVE TAKEN PLACE AND AT THE SAME TIME EXTEND MY MOST SINCERE SYMPATHY TO YOU IN YOUR BEREAVEMENT. YOUR PERSONAL LOSS, ARISING FROM THIS SENSELESS TRAGEDY, IS ECHOED THROUGHOUT INDONESIA TODAY."

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TEL AVIV, ISRAEL, APRIL 29-(AP)-THREE FORMER COMMANDERS OF IRGUN ZVAI LEUMI, THE NOW OUTLAWED UNDERGROUND ORGANIZATION, CALLED UPON JEWS TONIGHT TO FIGHT TO THE DEATH AGAINST HASHEMITE JORDAN'S ANNEXATION OF EASTERN PALESTINE.

THEY PLEDGED THAT BRITAIN WOULD FACE THE TOUGHEST STRUGGLE IN HER HISTORY IF SHEATTEMPTED TO STATION TROOPS IN THE AREAS WEST OF THE JORDAN RIVER AND THE DEAD SEA ANNEXED MONDAY BY KING ABDULLAH. BRITAIN RECOGNIZED THE JORDAN ACTION THURSDAY, AND AT THE SAME TIME EXTENDED FUULL DIPLOMATIC RECOGNITION TO ISRAEL.

THE FORMER HIGH COMMANDERS OF IRGUN ZVAI LEUMI--WHICH FOUGHT THE BRITISH TOOTH AND NAIL PRIOR TO ESTABLISHMENT OF THE STATE OF ISRAEL IN MAY 1948--TOLD A THRONG OF 10,000 IN TEL AVIV'S MAIN SQUARE THAT ISRAELIS NEVER WOULD PERMIT JORDAN TO HOLD THE ANNEXED TERRITORY. THE AREA TAKES IN 1,600 SQUARE MILES AND INCLUDES THE OLD, OR WALLED, PORTION OF JERUSALEM.

THEY ALSO SENT A MESSAGE TO SIR ALEXANDER KNOX HELM, BRITISH MINISTER IN TEL AVIV, DECLARING THAT IRGUN AGAIN WOULD TAKE UP ARMS IF BRITISH TROOPS MOVED INTO THE ANNEXED REGIONS.

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MENACHEM BEIGIN, 36-YEAR-OLD FORMER COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF IRGUN, AND HIS TWO TOP AIDES, CHAIM LANDAU AND YACOV MERIDOR, CALLED UPON JEWS ON THIS HEBREW SABBATH DAY TO SWEAR THEY WOULD RATHER DIE THAN LET JORDAN'S ANNEXATION OF PART OF THE HOLY LAND STAND.

ALL THREE NOW ARE MEMBERS OF THE ISRAELI PARLIAMENT, REPRESENTING HERUTH, OR THE FREEDOM PARTY--COMPOSED LARGELY OF FORMER IRGUNISTS. IRGUN WAS OUTLAWED IN SEPTEMBER, 1948, SHORTLY AFTER THE ASSASSINATION OF COUNT FOLKE BERNADOTTE, U.N. MEDIATOR. HIS KILLING WAS BLAMED ON AN OFFSHOOT OF ANOTHER UNDERGROUND ORGANIZATION, THE STERN GANG. HIS MURDERERS NEVER HAVE BEEN NAMED OR FOUND.

"IF WE ATTACK JORDAN," BEGIN TOLD THE CROWD, "WE WILL HAVE THE HELP OF SOVIET RUSSIA, FRANCE AND A GREAT PART OF AMERICA."

HE CRITICIZED THE ISRAELI GOVERNMENT'S FOREIGN POLICY AND CHARGED THAT PREMIER DAVID BEN-GURION HAD PREVENTED ISRAELI TROOPS FROM CROSSING THE JORDAN DURING THE RECENT ARAB-JEWISH WAR "ALTHOUGH WE HAD THE STRENGTH TO DO SO AND TAKE ALL PALESTINE."

LANDAU CHARGED THAT ARABS ALREADY WERE INFILTRATING ARMISTICE LINES IN PLANNED MILITARY ACTION AGAINST ISRAEL AND ACCUSED ISRAELI CENSORSHIP OF SUPPRESSING NEWS OF BORDER INCIDENTS. MERIDOR BLAMED BERNADOTTE FOR HALTING THE VICTORIOUS DRIVE OF JEWISH FORCES, THUS PREVENTING THEM FROM WRESTING THE OLD PART OF JERUSALEM FROM ABDULLAH'S TROOPS.

MERIDOR ALSO PREDICTED THAT A NEW GOVERNMENT SHORTLY WOULD ARISE IN ISRAEL TO CHANGE CURRENT POLICIES. HERUTH NOW HAS A MEMBERSHIP OF ABOUT 70,000 AND A SPOKESMAN HINTED TONIGHT AN ATTACK ON THE GOVERNMENT'S FOREIGN POLICIES WOULD BE LAUNCHED IN PARLIAMENT TUESDAY.
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BY TAKING OVER ALMOST ALL OF THAT PORTION OF PALESTINE WHICH WAS DESIGNATED AS ARAB TERRITORY BY THE UNITED NATIONS PARTITION ACT OF 1947, ABDULLAH NOW FINDS HIMSELF STANDING AGAINST THE ARAB LEAGUE, THE UNITED NATIONS AND A FIERY SEGMENT OF ISRAELI PUBLIC OPINION.

THE ARAB LEAGUE, TWO WEEKS AGO, DECLARED THE ANNEXATION OF ANY PART OF PALESTINE BY AN ARAB COUNTRY WOULD VIOLATE THE LEAGUE CHARTER AND MAKE THE PERPETRATOR SUBJECT TO EXPULSION. KING ABDULLAH CALMLY DEFIED THIS DECLARATION.

THE UNITED NATIONS IS ON RECORD FOR INTERNATIONALIZATION OF THE CITY OF JERUSALEM. ABDULLAH'S ARAB LEGION HOLDS THE OLD WALLED CITY BY FORCE OF ARMS; ISRAELI FORCES HOLD THE MODERN CITY. ABDULLAH'S ANNEXATION ACTION MAKES HIS PART OF THE HOLY CITY PART OF HASHEMITE JORDAN IN DEFIANCE OF U.N. INTERNATIONALIZATION DECISIONS.
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KARACHI, PAKISTAN, APRIL 29-(AP)-PAKISTAN PREMIER LIAQUAT ALI KHAN LEFT KARACHI TODAY FOR LONDON AND THE UNITED STATES.

HE WAS ACCOMPANIED BY HIS WIFE AND FIVE PAKISTAN OFFICIALS.

THE PREMIER SAID HIS DISCUSSIONS WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE WOULD INCLUDE TALKS ON THE PRINCELY STATE OF KASHMIR, OVER WHICH PAKISTAN AND INDIA HAVE BEEN DISPUTING BITTERLY.

U.S. AMBASSADOR AVRA M. WARREN AND ALL OTHER MEMBERS OF THE DIPLOMATIC CORPS EXCEPT SOVIET AMBASSADOR A. C. STETSENKO WERE PRESENT AT THE AIRPORT FOR THE PREMIER'S DEPARTURE.

LIAQUAT ALI KHAN SAID HE HAD FIXED NO MEETING WITH THE NEW UNITED NATIONS MEDIATOR FOR THE KASHMIR DISPUTE, JUSTICE SIR OWEN DIXON OF AUSTRALIA, WHO IS AT LAKE SUCCESS. BUT HE ADDED THAT HE MIGHT MEET DIXON IN THE UNITED STATES.
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PRECEDE KARACHI DAY

LONDON, SUNDAY, APRIL 30-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER LIAQUAT ALI KHAN OF PAKISTAN REACHED LONDON TODAY ON HIS WAY TO THE UNITED STATES.

AS HE STEPPED FROM HIS PLANE THE PAKISTAN LEADER SAID:

"I AM LOOKING FORWARD VERY MUCH TO MY VISIT, ESPECIALLY TO MEETING PRESIDENT TRUMAN. MY TOUR OF THE UNITED STATES IS BEING MADE SO THAT I CAN SEE THE COUNTRY AND GET TO KNOW THE PEOPLE."

HE IS SCHEDULED TO LEAVE LONDON FOR WASHINGTON IN PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S PLANE, THE INDEPENDENCE, NEXT TUESDAY AFTER CONFERENCES HERE WITH BRITISH OFFICIALS.
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NEW DELHI, INDIA, APRIL 29-(AP)-A TRADE DELEGATION FROM SOUTH KOREA IS SCHEDULED TO CONFER HERE WITH INDIAN COMMERCE MINISTRY OFFICIALS MAY 7 AND 8, IT WAS ANNOUNCED TODAY.

THE COMMERCE MINISTRY SAID THE DELEGATION WOULD INCLUDE 13 SOUTH KOREAN BUSINESSMEN, A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE SOUTH KOREAN GOVERNMENT TRADING CORPORATION AND THREE AMERICANS.
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CAPETOWN, SOUTH AFRICA, APRIL 29-(AP)-ERIC LOUW, SOUTH AFRICA'S MINISTER OF ECONOMIC AFFAIRS, SAID TODAY THE GOVERNMENT WILL ASK PARLIAMENT NEXT WEEK FOR WIDE POWERS TO OUTLAW THE COUNTRY'S SMALL COMMUNIST MOVEMENT.

ANOTHER OF THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH NATIONS, AUSTRALIA, INTRODUCED A MEASURE IN PARLIAMENT THURSDAY TO OUTLAW THE COMMUNIST PARTY THERE.
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NIGHT LEAD SOUTH AFRICAN

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BY ARTHUR GAVSHON

CAPETOWN, SOUTH AFRICA, APRIL 29-(AP)-THE SOUTH AFRICAN GOVERNMENT WILL ASK PARLIAMENT NEXT WEEK FOR WIDE POWERS TO OUTLAW THIS COUNTRY'S SMALL COMMUNIST MOVEMENT, A RANKING MEMBER OF THE CABINET SAID TODAY.

THE MOVE FITS IN WITH A GENERAL ANTI-RED OFFENSIVE BY SOME OTHER BRITISH COMMONWEALTH COUNTRIES--AUSTRALIA, CANADA, INDIA AND MALAYA.

ECONOMIC MINISTER ERIC LOUW SAID IN AN INTERVIEW THE SOUTH AFRICAN MEASURE WILL BE STRONG, HE WOULD NOT GO INTO DETAIL. OTHER INFORMANTS SAID THE BILL IS BELIEVED TO STEM AT LEAST IN PART FROM A WARTIME PROPOSAL BY LOUW TO OUTLAT COMMUNISM. PARLIAMENT REJECTED HIS MOTION AT THAT TIME.

IN THE POSTWAR YEARS, NATIVE UPRISINGS DOWN AFRICA'S EAST AND WEST COASTS AND IN SOUTH AFRICA ITSELF HAVE SPURRED DISCUSSION OF A POSSIBILITY THAT COMMUNIST AGITATORS MIGHT TRY TO TAKE OVER GROWING NATIONALIST MOVEMENTS AND LABOR ORGANIZATIONS. THE SOUTH AFRICAN UNION HAS BEEN BOTHERED BY FOLDED ARMS STRIKES AND PASSIVE RESISTANCE ON THE PART OF NEGRO WORKERS.

THE SOUTH AFRICAN COMMUNIST PARTY IS NOT PARTICULARLY ACTIVE. THE MEMBERSHIP IS AUTHORITATIVELY ESTIMATED TO BE LESS THAN 2,000. THE MOVEMENT CONTROLS OR INFLUENCES FEW NEWSPAPERS. THE MOST IMPORTANT IS THE ENGLISH-LANGUAGE GUARDIAN, SELLING AROUND 40,000 COPIES WEEKLY.

EGGED ON BY THIS RACE-CONSCIOUS COUNTRY. BRITAIN IS SPONSORING

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ANTI-COMMUNIST ACTION IN OTHER AFRICAN TERRITORIES, SOUTHERN AND NORTHERN RHODESIA, KENYA, UGANDA, NIGERIA AND THE GOLD COAST.

THE OPERATIONS ARE REPORTED TO BE UNDER THE DIRECT SUPERVISION OF SIR PERCY SILLITOE, BRITISH SECRET SERVICE CHIEF. HE CONFERRED WITH GOVERNMENT LEADERS HERE AND IN EAST AFRICA LATE LAST YEAR.

ALMOST EVERY BRITISH TERRITORY IN AFRICA HAS SENT A POLICE CHIEF TO BRITAIN IN THE PAST YEAR OR SO TO BRUSH UP ON POLITICAL SECURITY TECHNIQUES.

THE SOUTH AFRICAN BILL IS TO BE INTRODUCED BY JUSTICE MINISTER C.R.SWART. QUALIFIED INFORMANTS SAID THE MEASURE IS NOT EXPECTED TO MENTION COMMUNISM BY NAME, BUT WILL BE BROADLY DRAWN TO EMPOWER THE GOVERNMENT TO:

BAN MEETINGS ORGANIZED BY COMMUNISTS OR FELLOW TRAVELERS WHICH COULD THREATEN TO DISRUPT THE PEACE.

CLOSE NEWSPAPERS SPREADING DOCTRINES WHICH COULD BE CONSTRUED AS RED "INCITEMENT."

JAIL AGITATORS WHO PROMOTE MARXIST, LENINIST AND ALLIED TEACHINGS.

DEPORT KNOWN COMMUNISTS WHO WERE NOT BORN HERE AND RESTRICT OTHERS FROM ENTERING OR LEAVING THE UNION.

AUSTRALIA'S GOVERNMENT INTRODUCED THURSDAY A BILL TO BAN THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN THAT SOUTH PACIFIC NATION.

THE MALAYAN GOVERNMENT, FIGHTING A JUNGLE WAR WITH COMMUNIST-LED GUERRILLAS, ANNOUNCED TODAY IT IS ESTABLISHING THE DEATH PENALTY JUNE 1 FOR COMMUNIST AGENTS WHO COLLECT "MONEY, FOOD AND OTHER SUPPLIES FOR THE TERRORISTS."

INDIA HAS JAILED VARIOUS COMMUNIST LEADERS ON CHARGES OF FOSTERING UNREST.

CANADA DECLARED THE COMMUNIST PARTY ILLEGAL DURING THE WAR. A LABOR PROGRESSIVE PARTY SUCCEEDED IT.

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PANAMA, PANAMA, APRIL 29-(AP)-THE GOVERNMENT, NOTING ITS JOINT RESPONSIBILITY WITH THE UNITED STATES FOR DEFENSE OF THE PANAMA CANAL, TODAY OUTLAWED COMMUNIST ACTIVITY.

A RESOLUTION SIGNED BY PRESIDENT ARNULFO ARIAS AND EIGHT MEMBERS OF HIS CABINET SAID THAT "ALL COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA, ACTIVITY OR AGITATION IS CONTRARY TO THE REPUBLIC'S DEMOCRATIC CONSTITUTIONAL REGIME."

NO PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION OF THE MEASURE WERE FIXED, BUT THE GOVERNMENT DECLARED IT WILL BE "INFLEXIBLE IN INVESTIGATING AND REPRESSING ALL COMMUNIST ACTIVITY, WHETHER OPEN OR CONCEALED, ADMITTED OR CLANDESTINE.

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BOGOTA, COLOMBIA, APRIL 29-(AP)-FOREIGN MINISTER EVARISTO SOURDIS ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT COLOMBIA HAS RECOGNIZED THE FRENCH-SPONSORED VIETNAM REPUBLIC AND THE STATES OF LAOS AND CAMBODIA IN INDOCHINA.

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1,100) ATLANTIC COALITION
(ADVANCE FOR AMS OF SUNDAY APRIL 30)
BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER
(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON,APRIL 29-(AP)-A NEW CONCEPT OF RELATIONS BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND WESTERN EUROPE IS REPORTED TO BE TAKING SHAPE HERE IN ADVANCE OF THE MAY MEETINGS OF WESTERN DIPLOMATIC CHIEFS IN LONDON.

THE CENTRAL IDEA IS THE DEVELOPMENT OF A TIGHT COALITION AMONG THE NATIONS OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC AREA TO PROVIDE FOR INTENSIFIED POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC AS WELL AS MILITARY COOPERATION.

THIS APPARENTLY MEANS THAT THE OLDER CONCEPT OF A WESTERN EUROPEAN FEDERATION STANDING ALONE--WHICH HAS BEEN A PRIMARY OBJECTIVE OF U.S. FOREIGN POLICY--IS BEING PUSHED ASIDE IN FAVOR OF THE BROADER BUT MORE LOSSELY ORGANIZED ATLANTIC GROUPING.

IT APPEARS ALSO TO MEAN THAT AMERICAN OFFICIALS HAVE NOW COME TO SEE A NEED FOR THE UNITED STATES TO PLAY A LARGER ROLE IN WESTERN EUROPE THAN THEY HAD FORMERLY THOUGHT NECESSARY.

BRITAIN'S RELUCTANCE TO CONSIDER ITSELF AS A CONTINENTAL POWER, THE DECLINE IN UNITED NATIONS AUTHORITY, CALLS FOR A GREATER EFFORT BY THE WEST TO WIN THE COLD WAR, AND THE PROBLEM OF WHAT TO DO ABOUT GERMANY--ALL ARE FACTORS WHICH HAVE ENTERED INTO SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON'S CALCULATIONS OF POLICY FOR THE LONDON MEETINGS.

AMERICAN OFFICIALS NOW EXPECT THAT OUT OF THESE MEETINGS OF THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE 12 ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS TWO NEW PIECES OF INTERNATIONAL MACHINERY MAY EMERGE:

1. A PERMANENT STAFF OR SECRETARIAT FOR THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY COUNCIL TO SPEED THE HANDLING OF ALL SORTS OF MATTERS WHICH MAY COME UP UNDER THE TREATY. AT PRESENT ONLY DEFENSE AND MILITARY COMMITTEES HAVE BEEN ORGANIZED.

2. A COMMITTEE TO STUDY VARIOUS PROPOSALS FOR ENLARGING THE JOINT WORK OF THE TREATY NATIONS--SUCH PROPOSALS AS FRENCH GOVERNMENT LEADERS HAVE MADE FOR A PERMANENT ATLANTIC COUNCIL HAVING ADMINISTRATIVE OR EXECUTIVE AUTHORITY.

BOTH OF THESE STEPS WOULD BE DEVELOPMENTS OF EXISTING ARRANGEMENTS. OFFICIALS FAMILIAR WITH ACHESON'S THINKING ON THE SUBJECT SAY HE WANTS TO AVOID TYING UP THE LONDON SESSIONS IN ARGUMENTS OVER NEW DEPARTURES IN INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION. HE BELIEVES THE CONFERENCES SHOULD CONCENTRATE ON SOLVING URGENT DIPLOMATIC PROBLEMS.

ACHESON IS EXPECTED TO EMPHASIZE THIS POINT WHEN HE GOES BEFORE THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE MONDAY TO GIVE MEMBERS A PREVIEW OF THE LONDON TALKS AS HE SEES THEM.

THE CENTRAL NEED, IN HIS OPINION, IS TO OBTAIN GREATER COOPERATION IN ALL FIELDS AMONG THE NATIONS OF THE NON-COMMUNIST WEST. UNDER THE PRESSURE OF THE RUSSIAN SPRING OFFENSIVE IN THE COLD WAR, THERE IS SOME EVIDENCE THAT THIS IS HAPPENING ALREADY IN AREAS OUTSIDE THE ATLANTIC PACT.

MARSHALL TITO HAS ASKED FOR BETTER RELATIONS BETWEEN THE INDEPENDENT COMMUNIST STATE OF YUGOSLAVIA AND NEIGHBORING GREECE, ITALY AND AUSTRIA. PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND ACHESON REPORTEDLY HAVE APPROVED THE PRINCIPLE OF A U.S.EXPORT-IMPORT BANK LOAN TO SPAIN. THERE SEEMS TO BE NO DOUBT THAT WESTERN MILITARY LEADERS WOULD LIKE SOME DAY TO HAVE STRATEGICALLY LOCATED SPAIN ASSOCIATED WITH THE ATLANTIC ALLIANCE.

BUT THERE ARE MANY CRITICAL PROBLEMS UNSOLVED AND RUSSIAN PRESSURE, AS EXPRESSED IN THE RECENT BALTIC PLANE SHOOTING INCIDENT AND IN THE THREATENED COMMUNIST MARCH ON WESTERN BERLIN, IS SPURRING WESTERN DIPLOMATS TO FIND PRACTICAL SOLUTIONS.

THESE PROBLEMS INCLUDE: HOW CAN WESTERN GERMANY BE BROUGHT FULLY

INTO THE ANTI-COMMUNIST COALITION EVENTUALLY? WHAT HAPPENS TO WESTERN EUROPE WHEN THE MARSHALL PLAN ENDS IN 1952? HOW WILL THE ATLANTIC PACT POWERS DIVIDE THE COST OF REARMING THE WEST UNDER THE TREATY?

HOW FULLY CAN BRITAIN, FRANCE AND AMERICA COOPERATE IN ESTABLISHING AN ANTI-COMMUNIST FRONT IN SOUTHEAST ASIA? SHOULD THEY PRESS NOW FOR A JAPANESE PEACE TREATY, WITHOUT RUSSIA IF NECESSARY?

WHEN THE MARSHALL PLAN WAS FIRST WORKED OUT MORE THAN TWO YEARS AGO, THE PRIMARY AIM OF THE UNITED STATES, ASIDE FROM PREVENTING AN ECONOMIC COLLAPSE IN WESTERN EUROPE, WAS TO PROMOTE WESTERN UNION--ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL.

AMERICAN OFFICIALS CONCEIVED OF THAT AREA AS A GREAT POTENTIAL POWER CENTER, ALLIED WITH NORTH AMERICA, BUT STANDING AS A "THIRD FORCE" BETWEEN THIS COUNTRY AND EUROPE. THERE WAS A STRONG IMPLICATION THAT WITH THE END OF THE MARSHALL PLAN AND EVENTUALLY THE END OF MILITARY INVOLVEMENT IN THE OCCUPATION OF GERMANY, AMERICAN INTERESTS AND ACTIVITIES IN WESTERN EUROPE WOULD DECLINE.

THE SAME CONCEPT, ASIDE FROM THE LONG RANGE NATURE OF THE MILITARY GUARANTEES, UNDERLAY THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY. FOR WHILE THE TREATY MADE IN EFFECT A COMMITTMENT TO FIGHT IF ATTACKED, IT WAS REGARDED HERE AS A SCREEN THROWN BETWEEN WESTERN EUROPE AND RUSSIA--A DEFENSIVE ALLIANCE RATHER THAN A POLITICAL, ECONOMIC AND MILITARY COALITION.

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(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON--FIRST ADD ATLANTIC COALITION (BY HIGHTOWER)

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CONGRESS SUBSEQUENTLY MODIFIED THIS MORE OR LESS PASSIVE CONCEPT BY INSISTING THAT AMERICAN MILITARY AID PROVIDED TO WESTERN EUROPE SHOULD DEPEND ON THE DEVELOPMENT OF A STRATEGIC PLAN IN WHICH THIS COUNTRY WOULD BE INVOLVED IN THE DAY-TO-DAY WORKING OUT OF EUROPEAN DEFENSE PREPARATIONS. THAT PLAN WAS AGREED ON MONTHS AGO.

MORE RECENTLY THE UNITED STATES HAS PRESSED FOR A CLOSER ASSOCIATION OF THE WESTERN EUROPEAN NATIONS, INCLUDING GERMANY. THE FUTURE OF GERMANY WAS SAID TO LIE IN ITS ROLE AS AN EVENTUAL EQUAL MEMBER OF A WESTERN EUROPEAN UNION.

THE PLANS HAVE NOT WORKED OUT, HOWEVER, AS SMOOTHLY AS MANY OFFICIALS HERE HAD HOPED. DESPITE AMERICAN PRESSURE, BRITAIN HAS HELD ALOOF FROM FULL PARTICIPATION WITH FRANCE AND OTHER CONTINENTAL POWERS FEARING THAT IT WOULD WRECK ITS LINKS WITH THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH. FRANCE, FEARFUL OF A REVIVED GERMANY, HAS BALKED AT FULL GERMAN MEMBERSHIP IN ANY NEW OR TIGHTER GROUPING OF NATIONS UNLESS IT WAS BALANCED BY BRITISH AND, IF POSSIBLE, AMERICAN PARTICIPATION.

ON ANOTHER FRONT, THE UNITED STATES HAS COME TO RELY LESS AND LESS ON THE UNITED NATIONS AS AN INSTRUMENT OF ITS DIPLOMACY. MANY OFFICIALS NOW FEEL THAT A CLOSER ASSOCIATION OF THE LEADING NON-COMMUNIST NATIONS IS NECESSARY. ACHESON HAS CALLED FOR "TOTAL DIPLOMACY," BOTH INSIDE THIS COUNTRY AND INTERNATIONALLY TO WIN THE COLD WAR.

ALONG WITH ALL THESE CONSIDERATIONS, THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAS HAD T GRAPPLE WITH THE PROBLEM OF GERMANY. IF FRANCE WANTS MORE SECURITY FOR THE FUTURE AGAINST GERMANY AND BRITAIN WANTS TO BE LINKED ALIKE WITH WESTERN EUROPE, THE EMPIRE AND THE UNITED STATES--THEN THE IDEA OF A COALITION OF THE WESTERN NATIONS GOING BEYOND THE BASIC MILITARY PROVISIONS OF THE ATLANTIC ALLIANCE MAY PROVIDE A WAY OUT.

ACHESON HAS NOT MADE ANY COMMITTMENT ON THIS POINT AND IT IS BY NO MEANS FIXED AMERICAN POLICY NOW. HOWEVER, IT SHOWS UP AS A TREND IN STATE DEPARTMENT THINKING WHICH MAY INFLUENCE THE DEVELOPMENT OF AMERICAN POLICIES AT LONDON AND TAKE MORE CONCRETE FORM IN THE MONTHS AHEAD.

OFFICIALS HERE SAY THE KIND OF MACHINERY USED FOR THE GENERAL OBJECTIVE IS NOT SO IMPORTANT AS THE PROBLEMS WHICH HAVE TO BE SOLVED. FOR EXAMPLE, THERE IS NOW NO PROVISION FOR CLOSE ECONOMIC RELATIONS BETWEEN AMERICA AND WESTERN EUROPE WHEN THE EUROPEAN RECOVERY PROGRAM ENDS.

EUROPE'S MARSHALL PLAN AGENCY IS THE OFFICE OF EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COOPERATION. THE UNITED STATES IS NOT A MEMBER. GERMANY, SWITZERLAND AND SWEDEN ARE MEMBERS BUT ARE NOT IN THE ATLANTIC PACT.

SOME OF ACHESON'S ADVISORS FEEL THAT AS THE MARSHALL PLAN COMES TO AN END, THE OEEC MIGHT BE REORGANIZED TO INCLUDE THE UNITED STATES. THAT WOULD AVOID RAISING THE PROBLEM OF SWISS, GERMAN AND SWEDISH ASSOCIATION WITH THE ATLANTIC ALLIANCE YET ASSURE A DAY-TO-DAY WORKING ARRANGEMENT BETWEEN THE NATIONS OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC COMMUNITY IN THE ECONOMIC FIELD.

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(ADVANCE FOR AMS OF SUNDAY, APRIL 30)

MILITARY (1100)

BY ELTON C.FAY APR 29 1950

WASHINGTON,APRIL 29-(AP)-THE MOUNTING TENSION OF THE COLD WAR TODAY HAS GIVEN THE UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES THEIR MOST DELICATE AND DANGEROUS PEACETIME ROLE.

DEVELOPMENTS THIS PAST WEEK POINTED UP THE GRAVITY OF THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE ARMY, NAVY AND AIR FORCE AS THE "INSTRUMENTS OF NATIONAL POLICY."

THERE WAS DEFENSE SECRETARY JOHNSON'S SOMBER MENTION OF THE "FORCE OF EVENTS" WHICH COMPELS INCREASED DEFENSE SPENDING....NAVY SECRETARY MATTHEWS' OMINOUS WARNING THAT "OUR POSITION OF FIRMNESS CANNOT BE MAINTAINED WITHOUT CASUALTIES," SUCH AS THE TEN NAVY FLIERS LOST WHEN RUSSIAN FIGHTER PLANES DOWNED A PATROL PLANE IN THE BALTIC AREA.... MORE TALK OF A GIANT DEMONSTRATION IN BERLIN LATE NEXT MONTH TO TEST THE RESOLVE OF THE UNITED STATES TO CLING TO ITS SECTOR....EVIDENCE THAT RUSSIA MAY BE REARMING EAST GERMANY WITH ARMY, AIR AND SEA UNITS.

BEFORE THAT THERE HAD BEEN OTHER DISQUIETING NEWS, INCLUDING REPORTS OF THE PRESENCE OF FOREIGN SUBMARINES SCOUTING THE WATERS OFF THE AMERICAN PACIFIC COAST....THE FALL OF NATIONALIST-HELD HAINAN ISLAND OFF THE CHINA COAST TO COMMUNIST FORCES, A POSSIBLE TOKEN OF A FUTURE DAY WHEN FORMOSA MAY GO THE SAME WAY. THAT WOULD PUSH AN EASTWARD FLANKING POSITION OUT TO THE SOUTH OF UNITED STATES FORCES IN OKINAWA AND JAPAN.

MILITARY LEADERS ARE NOT IGNORING THE POSSIBILITY THAT RUSSIA, INCREASING THE PRESSURE OF ACTS SHORT OF WAR, MAY REIMPOSE THE BERLIN BLOCKADE. THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN, WITH THEIR AIRLIFT, BEAT THE LAST BLOCKADE WITHOUT A SHOOTING INCIDENT.

WHETHER FUTURE QUARRELS CAN BE HANDLED WITHOUT SHOOTING IS THE BIG QUESTION.

AT ANY RATE, DEFENSE SECRETARY JOHNSON MAKES IT UNMISTAKABLY CLEAR THAT THE ARMED FORCES ARE AN INTEGRAL PART OF THE NEW "TOTAL DIPLOMACY" OF THE UNITED STATES. HE EXPLAINED IN A RECENT REPORT THAT, THROUGH THE NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL, "THE POLITICO-MILITARY ELEMENTS OF OUR NATIONAL POLICY HAVE BEEN FUSED, ENSURING THOROUGH CONSIDERATION OF THE BALANCE WHICH MUST BE MAINTAINED BETWEEN OUR CAPABILITIES AND OUR COMMITMENTS." AND HE ADDS THAT BECAUSE OF THIS SYSTEM "THE UNITED STATES IS IN A STRONG POSITION TO TAKE APPROPRIATE ACTION IN ANY AREA

OF THE WORLD WHERE THE CAUSE OF PEACE IS INVOLVED."
THE UNITED STATES MILITARY FORCES ARE STANDING NOW IN THE NARROWING AREA BETWEEN A COLD AND A HOT WAR.
WHAT DO THEY HAVE TO BACK UP THE FOREIGN POLICY MADE IN WASHINGTON?
NOT TOO MUCH IN QUANTITY,--A TOTAL OF 1,476,800 MEN. BUT MUCH BETTER IN QUALITY IN MOST CATEGORIES OF ARMS. SOMETHING LIKE THIS:

--ARMY--

ABOUT 603,100 MEN. OUT OF THIS OVERALL TOTAL--WHICH INCLUDES SERVICE, SUPPLY AND OTHER NON-FIGHTING ORGANIZATIONS--TEN DIVISIONS ARE ORGANIZED. FIVE OF THEM ARE IN THE UNITED STATES. IN GERMANY THERE IS THE FIRST INFANTRY DIVISION, BUT THIS CAN BE BACKED UP, IN ANY SWIFT EMERGENCY, BY THE COMBAT-TRAINED CONSTABULARY FORCE WHICH INCLUDES THREE ARMORED CAVALRY REGIMENTS. IN AUSTRIA THERE IS AN INFANTRY REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM AND A RECONNAISSANCE BATTALION--A TOTAL OF ABOUT 10,000 MEN.
THE REST OF THE APPROXIMATE 97,000 U.S.ARMY MEN IN EUROPE MAKE UP THE FORCE IN GERMANY AND A REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM IN TRIESTE, OF ABOUT THE SIZE OF THE AUSTRIAN FORCE.
GEN.J.LAWTON COLLINS, ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF, IS CAUTIOUSLY HOPEFUL ABOUT THE EFFECTIVENESS OF HIS COMMAND. HE HAS ADVISED CONGRESS, IN RECENT TESTIMONY, THAT "WE HAVE UNITS THAT ARE READY TO MOVE RIGHT NOW IN CASE OF AGGRESSION; WE STAND TODAY STRONGER IN THE EFFECTIVENESS OF OUR MEN IN UNIFORM THAN AT ANY TIME SINCE THE END OF WORLD WAR II."
THE DIVISIONS IN GERMANY AND JAPAN PRESUMABLY ARE AT OR CLOSE TO FULL STRENGTH. BUT COLLINS DOESN'T CLAIM THAT ALL FIVE OF THE DIVISIONS IN THE UNITED STATES--THE "STRIKING FORCE" WHICH WOULD HAVE TO MOVE QUICKLY IF TROUBLE CAME TO THE FORCES OVERSEAS--ARE IN THE SAME STATE OF READINESS. HE SAYS THE 82ND AIRBORNE DIVISION, BASED AT FORT BRAGG, N.C., "IS IN EXCELLENT CONDITION." THE OTHER FOUR, HE COMMENTED, "ARE IN VARIOUS DEGREES OF TRAINING AND REQUIPPING."
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(ADVANCE FOR AMS OF SUNDAY, APRIL 30)
ADVANCE) WASHINGTON--FIRST ADD COLD WAR. X X X REQUIPPING.
BACKING UP THIS REGULAR ARMY STRENGTH IS THE NATIONAL GUARD OF ABOUT 353,000 MEN, ORGANIZED INTO 27 DIVISIONS.
(RUSSIA MAY HAVE UPWARDS OF 3,000,000 MEN IN HER GROUND ARMY, ORGANIZED INTO FROM 175 TO 200 DIVISIONS, WITH PERHAPS ANOTHER 100 DIVISIONS OF SATELLITE COUNTRY TROOPS OF LESS EFFICIENCY THAN THE RED ARMY FORCES. SHE IS BELIEVED TO HAVE THE BIGGEST TANK FORCE, INCLUDING EXCELLENT NEW TYPES.)

--NAVY-

ABOUT 383,700 MEN, PLUS 77,700 MARINES. THERE ARE APPROXIMATELY 650 VESSELS IN THE ACTIVE FLEET, OF WHICH ABOUT 240 ARE MAJOR COMBATANT CRAFT--CARRIERS, CRUISERS, DESTROYERS, SUBMARINES AND SPECIALIZED VERSIONS OF THESE TYPES--AND THE BATTLESHIP MISSOURI.
THE NUMBER OF OPERATING AIRCRAFT IS ABOUT 4,300 FOR BOTH THE NAVY AND MARINES, THE RESULT OF SHARP CUTBACKS IN ATTACK CARRIER, ANTISUBMARINE AND MARINE AIR UNITS.
IN FAR-FORWARD POSITIONS ARE THE AMERICAN 6TH FLEET IN THE MEDITERRANEAN AND THE 7TH IN THE WESTERN PACIFIC.
THE UNITED STATES NAVY IS THE WORLD'S BIGGEST. BUT ADMIRAL FORREST SHERMAN, CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS, EXPLAINS TO QUESTIONING CONGRESSMEN THAT "THE STRENGTH OF THE NAVY OF COURSE MUST BE PROPORTIONATE, NOT ONLY TO THE STRENGTH OF OTHER NAVIES, BUT MUST BE PROPORTIONATE TO THE TASK THAT IT HAS TO PERFORM." HE REFERRED TO AMERICAN COMMITMENTS OVERSEAS AND THE NECESSITY FOR SUPPORTING THOSE FORCES AND KEEPING CONTROL OF SEA LANES.
(THE RUSSIAN FLEET IS COMPARATIVELY SMALL, BUT HER SWIFTLY GROWING SUBMARINE FORCE FIGURES HEAVILY IN AMERICAN RECKONING. ESTIMATES RANGE AROUND 300, OF WHICH PART ARE SNORKEL TYPE. THE NAVAL ANNUAL, "JANE'S FIGHTING SHIPS," GUESSES RUSSIA MIGHT BUILD AS MANY AS 1,000 NEW SUBMARINES BY THE END OF NEXT YEAR.)

--AIR FORCE--

APPROXIMATELY 412,300 MEN OF WHICH ABOUT 24,000 AR PILOTS. THE USAF HAS ABOUT 10,250 COMBAT TYPE AIRCRAFT (BUT MORE THAN 80 PER CENT OF THEM WILL BE OBSOLETE, WORLD WAR II DESIGNS BY THE MIDDLE OF 1952.
FORMER AIR SECRETARY SYMINGTON NOTES THAT THE PROGRAM APPROVED BY THE WHITE HOUSE CALLS FOR 48 GROUPS, BUT COMMENTS THAT NEW PLANE BUYING POSSIBLE UNDER PRESENT PLANNING WILL NOT KEEP THAT FORCE, WHICH INCLUDES 11 MEDIUM AND HEAVY BOMB GROUPS, UP TO THE PROPOSED LEVEL.
THE USAF RECENTLY HAS HAD ONE B-50 BOMBER GROUP OPERATING FROM A BASE IN ENGLAND ON TRAINING MISSIONS. TWO PERMENTLY-STATIONED FIGHTER GROUPS ARE BASED IN GERMANY. THE FORCE IN JAPAN AND THE FAR EAST INCLUDES ONE B-29 GROUP, ONE LIGHT BOMB GROUP AND FIVE FIGHTER GROUPS.
WHAT COULD AMERICA'S AIRMEN ACCOMPLISH IF WAR SHOULD COME? MAJ. GEN.S.E.ANDERSON, DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF FOR OPERATIONS, DISCUSSING THE B-36 LONG RANGE HEAVY BOMBER AND THE B-29 AND B-50 MEDIUM BOMBERS, CLAIMED:

"THE HEAVY BOMBER CAN STRIKE ALL SIGNIFICANT MILITARY TARGETS ON THE EARTH, DEPARTING FROM AND RETURNING TO BASES IN THE WESTERN HEMISPHERE. THIS CAPABILITY IS A SAFEGUARD AGAINST THE OTHERWISE UNACCEPTABLE SITUATION THAT WOULD EXIST IF INTERMEDIATE BASES WERE TO BE DENIED TO US OR WERE MADE UNTENABLE."
SYMINGTON, LOOKING AT THE OTHER SIDE OF THE PICTURE, TOLD CONGRESS RECENTLY THAT THE RUSSIANS "HAVE THE CAPACITY TO DELIVER BOMBS TODAY TO ANY PART OF THE UNITED STATES."
DID HE HEAVE IN MIND ONE-WAY, SUICIDAL MISSIONS?
"I HAVE IN MIND ONE-WAY MISSIONS, BUT I DO NOT THINK THERE IS ANYTHING PARTICULARLY SUICIDAL ABOUT THEM," SAID SYMINGTON. "IT IS NOT THE POLICY OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE TO SHOOT THEIR PRISONERS; AND IT IS A WELL-KNOWN FACT THAT THERE ARE A GREAT MANY SUBVERSIVES IN THIS COUNTRY. THERE ARE CERTAINLY THOUSANDS OF MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY.
"THEREFORE, EITHER THROUGH AGREEMENT AS TO WHERE THEY WOULD MEET AFTERWARD, OR THROUGH SIMPLY PARACHUTING DOWN AND BEING SENT TO SOME PLACE TO REST UP AFTER A LONG FLIGHT, I DO NOT SEE WHY PEOPLE WOULD CALL IT, FROM THE RUSSIAN STANDPOINT, A SUICIDAL MISSION.."
(RUSSIA, USING IMPOUNDED AMERICAN B-29S AS PATTERNS, HAS DEVELOPED THE TU-70, A FOUR-ENGINED BOMBER LIKE THE SUPERFORT. THE TOTAL PLANE STRENGTH OF THE RED AIR FORCE IS GUESSED AT ANYWHERE FROM 15,000 TO MORE THAN 20,000. SHE HAS GONE INTO INTENSIVE PRODUCTION OF JET FIGHTERS).
(END ADVANCE FOR AMS OF SUNDAY, APRIL 30)

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B34WX (Q)
(450) WHEAT INTERPRETIVE
BY JERRY KORN
WASHINGTON, APRIL 29-(AP)-BRITAIN IS ABOUT TO USE UP THE LAST OF A $175,000,000 MARSHALL PLAN GRANT FOR THE PURCHASE OF CANADIAN WHEAT, BUT THE ARGUMENT OVER THIS ARRANGEMENT STILL IS GOING ON.
THE BRITISH DREW THEIR FINAL INSTALLMENT OF $35,000,000 YESTERDAY. THEY ARE USING THIS AMERICAN MONEY TO BUY CANADIAN WHEAT DESPITE WHAT IS-TECHNICALLY, AT LEAST--A.U.S. WHEAT SURPLUS OF MORE THAN 400,000,000

BUSHELS.

DOESN'T THIS PUT THE UNITED STATES IN THE POSITION OF CUTTING THE GROUND FROM UNDER ITS OWN WHEAT GROWERS? SOME FARM BELT SENATORS SAY IT DOES. GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS DENY IT.

SENATORS YOUNG (R-ND) AND ELMER THOMAS (D-OKLA) HAVE OFFERED AN AMENDMENT TO THE FOREIGN AID BILL NOW BEFORE THE SENATE AIMED AT JUST THAT SITUATION.

THEIR "BUY AMERICAN" PROPOSAL WOULD REQUIRE THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION TO CHECK THE U.S. MARKET FOR SURPLUSES BEFORE APPROVING THE PURCHASE OF ANY COMMODITY ABROAD WITH AMERICAN FUNDS. IF A SURPLUS OF THAT COMMODITY EXISTED IN THIS COUNTRY, THE PURCHASE WOULD HAVE TO BE MADE HERE.

THIS IS THEIR ARGUMENT:

1. AMERICAN MONEY SHOULD NOT BE USED TO BUY A FOREIGN PRODUCT WHEN AMERICAN FARMERS HAVE MORE OF THE COMMODITY ON HAND THAN CAN BE SOLD ON THE MARKET.

2. THE BRITISH PURCHASES IN CANADA, SPECIFICALLY, ARE BEING MADE DESPITE AN IMPLIED PROMISE THAT BRITAIN WOULD SEEK WHEAT ON THE AMERICA MARKET. IN A SENATE SPEECH THURSDAY, YOUNG QUOTED ECA ADMINISTRATOR PAUL G.HOFFMAN AS HAVING TESTIFIED: "WE THINK IT IS IMPORTANT THAT THE EUROPEAN COUNTRIES BUY THEIR WHEAT FROM THE UNITED STATES."

3. THE BRITISH-CANADIAN WHEAT AGREEMENT VIOLATES THE SPIRIT--IF NOT THE LETTER--OF THE LAW, WHICH STATES THAT SUCH PURCHASES SHALL BE MADE IN THIS COUNTRY "INSOFAR AS PRACTICABLE." YOUNG SAID THAT HOFFMAN, IN CLAIMING IT WAS NOT "PRACTICABLE" THIS YEAR, "DID VIOLENC TO THE SPIRIT OF THE LAW."

ADMINISTRATION SUPPORTERS COUNTER WITH THIS ARGUMENT:

1. ACTUALLY, THE AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT DOESN'T CONSIDER THE PRESENT BACKLOG OF WHEAT AS A REAL SURPLUS. AT ALL TIMES, THIS COUNTRY MAINTAINS A STORE OF UNUSED WHEAT--USUALLY AMOUNTING TO SOME 250,000,-000 BUSHELS--AS A SORT OF SAFETY FACTOR. WHILE CONSIDERABLY MORE THAN THAT IS ON HAND NOW, A SHORT WHEAT CROP THIS YEAR IS EXPECTED TO EAT DEEPLY INTO THE OVERSUPPLY.

2. FURTHERMORE, THE UNITED STATES CAN SELL ONLY A CERTAIN AMOUNT OF ITS WHEAT TO OTHER NATIONS UNDER THE INTERNATIONAL WHEAT AGREEMENT. THAT PACT DIVIDES UP THE WORLD'S WHEAT-BUYING MARKET AMONG THE FOUR MAJOR EXPORTING NATIONS: THE UNITED STATES, CANADA, ARGENTINA AND AUSTRALIA. THUS, IF THIS COUNTRY INSISTED ON TAKING THE BRITISH MARKET AWAY FROM CANADA, IT WOULD HAVE TO DROP ANOTHER CUSTOMER TO REMAIN WITHIN ITS QUOTA. CANADA PRESUMABLY WOULD PICK UP THE FORMER U.S. CUSTOMER.

ADMINISTRATION MEN ALSO CONTEND IF FOREIGN NATIONS CAN CARRY ON A HEALTHY WORLD TRADE THE WHOLE NON-COMMUNIST WORLD, INCLUDING THE UNITED STATES, WILL BENEFIT.

THE FINAL GRANT OF FUNDS TO BRITAIN FOR CANADIAN WHEAT WAS ANNOUNCED YESTERDAY BY THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION. THE WHEAT, TO BE BOUGHT UNDER THE BRITISH-CANADIAN WHEAT AGREEMENT, MUST BE DELI-VERED BY AUG. 31.

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A26WX (CHINA)

(400) NIGHT LEAD CHINA

WASHINGTON, APRIL 29-(AP)-MORE THAN 700 FOREIGNERS STRANDED IN COMMUNIST CHINA--INCLUDING THE LAST AMERICAN OFFICIALS THERE--HAVE FINALLY BOARDED SHIP FOR HOME, THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID TODAY.

THE REFUGEES WERE REPORTED SAFE ABOARD THE AMERICAN PRESIDENT LINER GENERAL GORDON OFF TIENTSIN, BRINGING TO A SUCCESSFUL CONCLUSION NEGOTIATIONS FOR THEIR RELEASE WHICH HAD GONE ON FOR MONTHS.

INCLUDED IN THE GROUP WERE 93 STATE DEPARTMENT PEOPLE AND THEIR DEPENDENTS, AND ABOUT 60 OTHER AMERICANS. SOME 26 NATIONALITIES WERE REPRESENTED IN ALL.

AN EFFORT TO GET THE REFUGEES OUT OF SHANGHAI BY WAY OF THE YANGTZE RIVER COLLAPSED EARLIER THIS MONTH WHEN THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS ANNOUNCED THAT THEY WERE SEALING THE RIVER WITH MINES.

SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON SAID AT THE TIME THAT EFFORTS WOULD BE MADE TO GET THE FOREIGNERS OUT THROUGH ANOTHER NORTH CHINA PORT. TODAY'S ANNOUNCEMENT PRESUMABLY REPRESENTS THE RESULT OF AN EFFORT ALONG A SOMEWHAT DIFFERENT LINE.

THE GENERAL GORDON HAD SAILED TO TAKU BAR NEAR TIENTSIN FRIDAY TO REMOVE CONSUL GENERAL EDMUND O. CLUBB AND THE REMAINING MEMBERS OF HIS PEIPING STAFF.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID THE 700 SHANGHAI REFUGEES TRAVELED BY SPECIAL TRAIN TO TIENTSIN, AND FROM THERE BY ANOTHER TRAIN TO THE LITTLE PORT TOWN OF TANGKU. LIGHTERS CARRIED THEM TO THE LINER AT TAKU BAR, THE NEAREST DEEP WATER ANCHORAGE.

THE GORDON IS EXPECTED TO SAIL TOMORROW ON THE FIRST LEG OF A TRIP WHICH CALLS FOR ITS ARRIVAL IN SAN FRANCISCO MAY 22. THE VESSEL'S FIRST STOP WILL BE AT HONG KONG TUESDAY OR WEDNESDAY. IT WILL CALL AT YOKOHAMA AND MANILA BEFORE SETTING OUT FOR THE UNITED STATES.

SOME EIGHT OR 10 BUSINESSMEN WERE REPORTED STILL IN SHANGHAI, UNABLE TO GET EXIT VISAS FROM THE COMMUNIST AUTHORITIES. THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID ANOTHER 2,000 AMERICANS ARE REMAINING IN CHINA BY THEIR OWN CHOICE.

THE DEPARTURE OF THE SHANGHAI GROUP--WHICH THE DEPARTMENT SAID MARKS "THE CLOSURE OF ALL OFFICIAL U.S. ESTABLISHMENTS IN COMMUNIST CHINA"--CAME AFTER THREE MONTHS OF HAGGLING WITH CHINESE COMMUNISTS.

AT ONE POINT, ARRANGEMENTS HAD BEEN MADE TO EVACUATE THE 700-ODD REFUGEES DIRECTLY FROM SHANGHAI.

THIS PLAN, SET UP AT A COST TO THE UNITED STATES OF NEARLY $500,000, FELL THROUGH WHEN THE COMMUNISTS REFUSED TO ALLOW THE ENTRY OF A PAIR OF SHALLOW DRAFT LANDING SHIPS WHICH WERE TO FERRY THE STRANDED FOREIGNERS TO THE MOUTH OF THE YANGTZE, WHERE THE GENERAL GORDON WAS WAITING.

THE COMMUNISTS OBJECTED TO THE LST'S ON GROUNDS THAT THEY WERE "VESSELS OF WAR."

ON APRIL 12, ACHESON SAID ALL PLANS FOR EVACUATION FROM SHANGHAI BY SEA HAD BEEN ABANDONED. HE SAID THE LAST STRAW WAS THE MINING OF THE RIVER BY THE NATIONALISTS FOR "MILITARY REASONS."

THE COMMUNIST RADIO AT PEIPING SAID A WEEK LATER THAT RED OFFICIALS HAD GIVEN WRITTEN PERMISSION FOR THE EVACUATION TWO DAYS BEFORE ACHESON'S ANNOUNCEMENT. IT SAID THE U.S. EVACUATION PLAN HAD BEEN "A PURE ACT OF FRAUD," ADDING:

"THE DOOR IS OPEN FOR THEM TO LEAVE FREELY, AND WILL REMAIN OPEN."

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WASHINGTON, APRIL 29-(AP)-AMBASSADOR MERRLE M.COCHRAN INFORMED THE STATE DEPARTMENT FROM INDONIESA TODAY THAT LOCAL AUTHORITIES ARE PRESSING "WITH GREAT ENERGY" AN INVESTIGATION INTO THE MURDER OF TWO AMERICANS THERE THIS WEEK.

THE SLAIN MEN WERE PROFESSOR RAYMOND KENNEDY OF YALE UNIVERSITY AND TIME-LIFE CORRESPONDENT ROBERT DOYLE.

PRESS OFFICER MICHAEL MCDERMOTT TOLD REPORTERS HERE THAT COCHRAN TELEPHONED FROM JAKARTA THAT EMBASSY COUNSELOR JACOB D.BEAN HAS GONE TO BANDUNG TO INVESTIGATE THE ASSASINATIONS.

"MR.BEAN HAS IDENTIFIED BOTH BODIES AND ARRANGED FOR TEMPORARY BURIAL IN A CHRISTIAN CEMETERY THERE PENDING INSTRUCTIONS OF THE FAMILIES," MCDERMOTT SAID.

"MR. COCHRAN REPORTED THAT CHIEF OF POLICE SUKANTO FOR THE REPUBLIC OF THE UNITED STATES OF INDONESIA AND THE REPUBLIC'S ATTORNEY GENERAL ARE BOTH ON THE SPOT AND THAT THE INVESTIGATION IS BEING PRESSED WITH GREAT ENERGY."

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(650) AMS BUDGET
MISSILE-CARRYING PLANE

BY MAX BOYD

WASHINGTON, APRIL 29-(AP)-THE AIR FORCE HAS DROPPED A HINT THAT PROGRESS IS BEING MADE TOWARD A NEW INTERCONTINENTAL WEAPON--A PLANE THAT WILL STAY OUTSIDE AN ENEMY'S DEFENSES AND SEND A GUIDED MISSILE HUNDREDS OF MILES TO THE TARGET.

SUCH A COMBINATION IS REGARDED BY THE AIR FORCE AS ONE ANSWER TO IMPROVEMENTS BEING MADE IN FIGHTER AND ANTIAIRCRAFT DEFENSES AGAINST BOMBING PLANES.

THE AIR FORCE NOW COUNTS ON DARKNESS AND BAD WEATHER TO HELP ITS INTERCONTINENTAL BOMBERS REACH TARGETS WITHOUT BEING DOWNED BY FIGHTER PLANES. HOWEVER, IT IS BUYING RADAR-LOADED JET FIGHTERS TO TRACK DOWN BOMBERS AT NIGHT AND IN BAD WEATHER--AND THE RUSSIANS PRESUMABLY ARE DEVELOPING SIMILAR ALL WEATHER INTERCEPTORS.

IN ADDITION TO THIS THREAT, BOMBERS WILL FACE IMPROVED ANTIAIRCRAFT WEAPONS IN THE FUTURE. GENERAL J.LAWTON COLLINS, CHIEF OF STAFF OF THE ARMY, SAID A FEW DAYS AGO THAT NEW ANTIAIRCRAFT ROCKETS ABLE TO DESTROY PLANES FLYING 12 MILES HIGH ARE IN THE ADVANCED STAGES OF DEVELOPMENT. COLLINS SAID ALSO THAT THIS COUNTRY HAS AN ANTIAIRCRAFT GUIDED MISSILE WHICH GIVES PROMISE OF DESTROYING ATTACKING PLANES AT EVEN GREATER RANGES AND WITH EVEN GREATER ACCURACY.

RUSSIA, WITH THE AID OF GERMAN SCIENTISTS, IS BELIEVED TO BE IMPROVING ITS ANTIAIRCRAFT AS WELL.

THE HINT THAT PROGRESS IS BEING MADE TOWARD A LONG RANGE MISSILE-CARRYING PLANE TO OVERCOME SUCH IMPROVED DEFENSES WAS TUCKED AWAY IN A PARAGRAPH OF THE AIR FORCE'S SEMI-ANNUAL REPORT, FORWARDED RECENTLY TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN.

"THE AIR FORCE WOULD HOPE THAT AN EFFECTIVE DEFENSE CAN BE DEVELOPED IN THE NEXT FEW YEARS WHICH WILL OUTSTRIP ADVANCES IN OFFENSIVE WEAPONS," IT SAID. "THERE IS LITTLE JUSTIFICATION FOR ANY SUCH HOPE, HOWEVER.

THE DEVELOPMENT OF A LONG-RANGE OFFENSIVE GUIDED MISSILE, ESPECIALLY ONE LAUNCHED FROM AN AIRPLANE, IS FOLLOWING SO CLOSELY THE DEVELOPMENT OF A SHORT-RANGE DEFENSE MISSILE THAT ANY SECURITY WHICH WOULD RELY SOLELY ON DEFENSE MISSILES AS PROTECTION AGAINST AIR ATTACK WOULD BE FALSE SECURITY."

A LONG-RANGE MISSILE LAUNCHED FROM A PLANE COULD BE GUIDED TO THE TARGET BY SEVERAL MEANS.

ONE DEVICE ALREADY USED IS TELEVISION IN THE NOSE OF A MISSILE, SENDING BACK PICTURES OF THE COUNTRY BEFORE IT. THESE PICTURES ARE RECEIVED BY THE HIGH-FLYING MOTHER PLANE WHICH ALTERS THE MISSILE'S

STILL ANOTHER POSSIBILITY IS A MECHANICAL DEVICE TO GUIDE THE WEAPON TO A GIVEN SPOT BY THE LIGHT OF THE STARS.

THE MISSLE'S HIGH SPEED WOULD BE RELIED UPON TO TAKE IT PAST DEFENSIVE MISSILES. IT MIGHT ALSO ENGAGE IN EVASIVE ACTION CONTROLLED BY RADIO FROM THE MOTHER PLANE.

THE IDEA OF GUIDING MISSILES LAUNCHED FROM PLANES IS NOT NEW. RADIO-CONTROLLED GLIDER BOMBS WERE USED DURING WORLD WAR II.

THE AIR FORCE NOW HAS A 12,000 POUND RADIO-CONTROLLED BOMB, THE GARZON, FITTED WITH RADIO AND MOVABLE TAIL FINS. BOTH ITS RANGE AND ITS MOVEMENT TO THE LEFT OR RIGHT ARE CONTROLLED BY THE BOMBARDIER AFTER THE BOMB IS RELEASED FROM A PLANE. FLARES BURN IN THE BOMB'S TAIL TO HELP THE BOMBARDIER FOLLOW IT THROUGHOUT ITS FALL.

ANOTHER RADIO-CONTROLLED BOMB, THE RAZON, IS SIMILAR BUT WEIGHS ONLY 1,000 POUNDS.

THE RANGE OF THESE BOMBS IS LIMITED BY THE FACT THAT THEY ARE FREE-FALLING. MISSILES POWERED BY ROCKET OR RAM JET MOTORS PROMISE MUCH MORE. ONE FORM THEY MAY TAKE IS SUGGESTED BY THE TINY X-1 ROCKET PLANE, FASTER THAN SOUND, WHICH HAS BEEN LAUNCHED FROM THE UNDERBELLY OF A B-29 SUPERFORTRESS. MECHANICAL GUIDANCE COULD BE SUBSTITUTED FOR THE PILOT WHO HAS FLOWN THE ROCKET PLANE.

WHAT RANGE THE AIR FORCE HAS ACHIEVED SO FAR IN ITS AIR TO GROUND MISSILES HAS NOT BEEN DISCLOSED.

HOWEVER, MAJOR GENERAL CARL A.BRANDT, DIRECTOR OF REQUIREMENTS IN THE RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT SECTION OF THE AIR FORCE, CONSIDERS A PLANE CARRYING A LONG-RANGE MISSILE AS ONE POSSIBLE SOLUTION OF THE QUESTION: WHAT FORM SHOULD LONG-RANGE GUIDED MISSILES TAKE?

SCIENTISTS HAVE ESTIMATED THAT THE COST OF AN OCEAN-SPANNING ROCKET WOULD BE ENORMOUS. IN AN INTERVIEW DISCUSSING WHETHER SUCH COSTLY WEAPONS WILL BE WORTHWHILE MILITARILY, GENERAL BRANDT SAID:

"WE DON'T YET HAVE SUFFICIENT RELIABLE DATA TO DETERMINE POSITIVELY WHAT IS THE BEST FORM FOR LONG RANGE GUIDED MISSILES.

"WE KNOW THAT THE ROCKET IS A GOOD FORM OF PROPULSION FOR HIGH SPEEDS IN THE SHORTER RANGES. ROCKETS ATTAIN THE HIGHEST VELOCITY WE KNOW, AND IT IS TECHNICALLY POSSIBLE TO PERFORM THE STRATEGIC AIR ROLE WITH THEM.

"THEY WILL AUGMENT THE BOMBER AND, IF THEY CAN BE MADE ACCURATE, CHEAP AND EFFECTIVE ENOUGH, THEY WILL REPLACE IT.

"ANOTHER POSSIBLE SOLUTION MAY BE THE COMBINATION OF A PLANE STANDING OFF AND LAUNCHING A GUIDED MISSLE AT A TARGET HUNDREDS OF MILES AWAY."

GENERAL BRANDT SAID THE MOST ECONOMICAL WAY TO DO THE JOB WILL BE THE ONE USED.

WHATEVER TECHNICAL IMPROVEMENTS ARE MADE, HE ADDED, IT STILL WON'T BE POSSIBLE TO FIGHT A WAR BY SITTING IN THE PENTAGON AND PRESSING BUTTONS.

PEOPLE MAY HAVE TO BE IN DIFFERENT PLACES THAN IN THE PAST, BRANDT SAID, BUT PEOPLE STILL WILL BE ESSENTIAL.

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COURSE BY RADIO, AS NECESSARY TO BRING IT ONTO THE TARGET.
A WEAKNESS OF RADIO CONTROL IS THAT AN ENEMY EVENTUALLY MIGHT FIGURE OUT A WAY TO JAM IT OR TAKE OVER CONTROL OF THE MISSILE.
ANOTHER MEANS OF GUIDANCE IS A HEAT-SEEKER BUILT INTO THE MISSILE. THIS STEERS IT TOWARD SOURCES OF GREAT HEAT, SUCH AS THE FURNACES OF INDUSTRIAL PLANTS.

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NIGHT LEAD COMMUNISTS

(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 7 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, SATURDAY, APRIL 29)

BY MARVIN L ARROWSMITH

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, APRIL 29-(AP)-GEN.GEORGE C.MARSHALL DECLARED TONIGHT THAT SENATOR MC CARTHY'S CHARGES OF COMMUNISM-IN-THE-GOVERNMENT "UNDERMINE AND WEAKEN OUR POSITION BEFORE THE WORLD AND ACTUALLY LEND ASSISTANCE TO POWERS THAT WOULD DESTROY US."

MARSHALL, FORMER SECRETARY OF STATE, JOINED AT THE SAME TIME WITH TWO MEN WHO PRECEDED HIM IN THAT POST--CORDELL HULL AND JAMES F. BYRNES--AND WITH THE PRESENT SECRETARY OF STATE, DEAN ACHESON, IN SHARPLY DENYING MC CARTHY'S ASSERTION THAT OWEN LATTIMORE IS "THE PRINCIPAL ARCHITECT OF OUR FAR EASTERN POLICY." MC CARTHY CONTENDS THAT POLICY BETRAYED CHINA TO RUSSIA.

THEIR STATEMENTS FORMED ONE OF TWO MAJOR DEVELOPMENTS TODAY IN CONNECTION WITH A SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE'S INQUIRY INTO MCCARTHY'S ACCUSATIONS WHICH CENTER ON THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

IN THE OTHER ACTION, CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD) OF THE INVESTIGATING GROUP ORDERED CONTEMPT CITATIONS PREPARED AGAINST TWO WITNESSES WHO REFUSED TO ANSWER A SERIES OF QUESTIONS. THE COMMITTEE WILL DECIDE LATER WHETHER TO SEEK FORMAL COURT ACTION.

THE WITNESSES WERE EARL BROWDER, FORMER COMMUNIST PARTY LEADER, WHO OBJECTED THAT HE WAS BEING SUBJECTED TO A "FISHING EXPEDITION," AND WEALTHY FREDERICK VANDERBILT FIELD, WHO WOULDN'T SAY WHETHER HE IS A COMMUNIST, AND TURNED ASIDE MANY OTHER QUESTIONS, GENERALLY ON GROUNDS OF POSSIBLE SELF INCRIMINATION.

TYDINGS, IN A STATEMENT, CALLED THEIR ACTIONS "AN AFFRONT TO THE DIGNITY OF THE SENATE AND THE GOVERNMENT."

LATTIMORE, FAR EASTERN AFFAIRS SPECIALIST AND JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY PROFESSOR, HAS BEEN ACCUSED BY MC CARTHY, WISCONSIN REPUBLICAN, OF BEING RUSSIA'S TOP SPY IN THE UNITED STATES. LATTIMORE HAS DENIED UNDER OATH THAT CONTENTION AS WELL AS CHARGES THAT HE WAS A COMMUNIST.

MARSHALL, HULL, BYRNES AND ACHESON EXPRESSED THEIR VIEWS IN REPLY TO A REQUEST BY TYDINGS.

THE CHAIRMAN ASKED THE FOUR TO TELL HIM TO WHAT EXTENT LATTIMORE WAS THE ARCHITECT OF U.S. FAR EASTERN POLICY, OR THE EXTENT THAT LATTIMORE "INFLUENCED OUR FAR EASTERN POLICY DURING THE PERIOD IN WHICH YOU WERE SECRETARY OF STATE."

IN HIS REPLY, MARSHALL SAID MC CARTHY'S ASSERTION REGARDING LATTIMORE "IS COMPLETELY WITHOUT BASIS IN FACT."

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MARSHALL SAID HE COULD NOT REMEMBER EVEN HAVING EVER MET LATTIMORE. HE ADDED:

"I TAKE THE LIBERTY OF COMMENTING ON THE HARMFUL EFFECT ON OUR FOREIGN RELATIONS OF SUCH STATEMENTS, CHARGES OR INSINUATIONS BROADCAST WITH SO LITTLE REGARD FOR THE TRUTH.

"THEY UNDOUBTEDLY CONFUSE OUR FRIENDS ABROAD, UNDERMINE AND WEAKEN OUR POSITION BEFORE THE WORLD AND ACTUALLY LEND ASSISTANCE TO THE POWERS THAT WOULD DESTROY US."

MARSHALL'S LETTER TO TYDINGS WAS WRITTEN APRIL 22--JUST TWO DAYS AFTER MC CARTHY CALLED MARSHALL'S APPOINTMENT AS SECRETARY OF STATE "A PATHETIC THING." MC CARTHY CALLED HIM A GREAT GENERAL BUT SAID HE WAS "COMPLETELY UNFITTED" FOR THE FOREIGN OFFICE JOB.

TYDINGS TOLD REPORTERS HE WROTE TO MARSHALL, ACHESON, HULL AND BYRNES BECAUSE THE PERIOD DURING WHICH THEY HELD THE POST OF SECRETARY OF STATE--FROM 1933 TO THE PRESENT--COVERS THE SAME PERIOD DURING WHICH MC CARTHY HAS ASSERTED THAT LATTIMORE WAS FORMULATING U.S. FAR EASTERN POLICY. THE LATE EDWARD R.STETTINIUS,JR., WAS SECRETARY IN THE INTERIM BETWEEN HULL'S RESIGNATION AND THE TIME BYRNES TOOK OFFICE.

BYRNES, IN REPLYING TO TYDINGS, ALSO TOOK NOTE OF THE WORLD SITUATION IN CONNECTION WITH MC CARTHY'S CHARGES. HE SAID:

"IT IS EXTREMELY IMPORTANT AT THIS TIME, IN VIEW OF THE TENSENESS OF THE SITUATION IN WORLD AFFAIRS, THAT WE DO NOT GIVE TO EITHER OUR FRIENDS OR OUR ENEMIES ABROAD, THE FALSE IMPRESSION OF A SERIOUS DIVISION AMONG US IN OUR POLICIES AS TO THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT. SELDOM IN HISTORY HAVE OUR PEOPLE BEEN SO UNITED ON ANY ISSUE."

BYRNES, LIKE MARSHALL, SAID HE DOES NOT KNOW LATTIMORE.

"IF HE EVER WROTE ME ABOUT FAR EASTERN POLICY THE LETTER WAS NOT CALLED TO MY ATTENTION," BYRNES ADDED. "IF, WHILE I WAS SECRETARY OF STATE, HE DISCUSSED OUR FAR EASTERN POLICY WITH ANY OFFICIALS OF THE DEPARTMENT CONCERNED WITH THAT POLICY, IN THEIR DISCUSSIONS WITH ME THEY DID NOT QUOTE HIM."

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BYRNES NOTED THAT EARLY IN 1945 MARSHALL WENT TO CHINA AT THE REQUEST OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN "AND THEREAFTER HIS REPORTS TO THE PRESIDENT AND ME INFLUENCED OUR POLICIES IN CHINA AND THE FAR EAST. I DO NOT THINK GENERAL MARSHALL WAS INFLUENCED BY MR.LATTIMORE."

HULL TOLD TYDINGS THAT IN HIS OPINION LATTIMORE "WAS IN NO SENSE THE 'PRINCIPAL ARCHITECT' OF OUR FAR EASTERN POLICY DURING THE PERIOD I SERVED AS SECRETARY OF STATE." HULL ADDED:

"I AM NOT AWARE THAT DURING THIS PERIOD HE HAD ANY APPRECIABLE INFLUENCE ON OUR FAR EASTERN POLICY. I DO NOT REMEMBER HAVING CONSULTED WITH HIM ON THAT SUBJECT OR ON ANY SUBJECT AT ANY TIME."

ACHESON, WHO HAS TERMED MC CARTHY'S CHARGES "MAD AND VICIOUS," TOLD TYDINGS:

"I WELCOME THIS OPPORTUNITY TO STATE PERSONALLY AND CATEGORICALLY THAT DURING THE PERIOD IN WHICH I HAVE BEEN SECRETARY, MR.LATTIMORE, SO FAR AS I AM CONCERNED OR AM AWARE, HAS HAD NO INFLUENCE IN DETERMINATION OF OUR FAR EASTERN POLICY.

"THERE IS CLEARLY NO BASIS IN FACT FOR DESCRIBING MR.LATTIMORE AS THE 'PRINCIPAL ARCHITECT' OF OUR FAR EASTERN POLICY."

ACHESON REPEATED THAT SO FAR AS HE IS AWARE HE NEVER HAS MET LATTIMORE. AND HE NOTED THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT ALREADY HAD SAID THAT LATTIMORE HAS NO PRESENT ASSOCIATION WITH THE AGENCY, AND THAT HE HAS HAD ONLY FLEETING ASSOCIATIONS IN THE PAST.

LATTIMORE HIMSELF HAS DECLARED IT RIDICULOUS TO CALL HIM THE ARCHITECT OF THIS COUNTRY'S POLICY IN THE ORIENT.

LATTIMORE HAS SAID THAT IF THE GOVERNMENT HAD FOLLOWED HIS RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING THE FAR EAST, CHINA WOULD NOT BE IN THE HANDS OF THE COMMUNISTS TODAY.

MEANWHILE, COMMITTEE OFFICIALS AWAITED WORD FROM LOUIS F.BUDENZ, FORMER MANAGING EDITOR OF THE COMMUNIST DAILY WORKER, WHO PROMISED TO GIVE IT TODAY THE NAME OF "AN IMPORTANT CONSPIRATORIAL COMMUNIST."

EDWARD MORGAN, COMMITTEE COUNSEL, TOLD A REPORTER THAT HE HADN'T HEARD FROM BUDENZ TODAY AND DOESN'T KNOW WHAT HE HAS IN MIND.

BUDENZ IS MCCARTHY'S PRINCIPAL WITNESS. HIS TESTIMONY HAS BEEN CONTRADICTED BY BROWDER AND FIELD.

BUDENZ SAID IN A SPEECH LAST NIGHT IN NEW YORK STATE THAT HE WILL PRODUCE "A VERY IMPORTANT NAME IN THE AMERASIA CASE." HE SAID THE LATTIMORE AND AMERASIA CASES ARE INTERLINKED. THE AMERASIA CASE INVOLVED CHARGES OF REMOVAL OF GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS FOR USE IN THE

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MAGAZINE. SIX PERSONS WERE ARRESTED AND TWO FINED. THE SIX DID NOT INCLUDE LATTIMORE.

LATTIMORE, WHO HAS NOTED THAT MCCARTHY ATTEMPTED TO CONNECT HIM WITH THE AMERASIA CASE, HAS ACKNOWLEDGED THAT HE WAS ON THE BOARD OF THE MAGAZINE BUT SAID HE WAS NOT ACTIVE AND HAS HAD NO CONNECTION WITH IT SINCE 1941 WHEN HE RESIGNED. THIS WAS FOUR YEARS BEFORE THE ARRESTS OCCURRED, HE POINTED OUT.

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AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE

WASHINGTON,APRIL 29-(AP)-GREEK AMBASSADOR VASSILI G.DENDRAMIS TODAY AWARDED THE INSIGNIA AND DIPLOMA OF THE CROSS OF THE COMMANDER OF THE ROYAL ORDER OF THE PHOENIX TO JOSEPH E.BAUDINO, GENERAL MANAGER OF RADIO STATION KDKA, PITTSBURGH,PA.

THE AWARD WAS IN RECOGNITION OF PROGRAMS SPONSORED BY STATION KDKA IN BEHALF OF THE GREEK PEOPLE AND NATION.

THE AMBASSADOR SAID DURING CEREMONIES AT THE EMBASSY "IT IS A PLEASURE AND AN HONOR TO PRESENT YOU WITH THE INSIGNIA AND DIPLOMA X X X WHICH HIS MAJESTY THE KING HAS GRACIOUSLY BESTOWED UPON YOU IN RECOGNITION OF YOUR VALUABLE SERVICES TO GREECE."

BAUDINO SAID HE ACCEPTED THE HONOR "NOT ONLY FOR MYSELF BUT FOR THE STAFF OF MY STATION AND IN FULL RECOGNITION OF THE AID GIVEN BY STEVEN J. CONTOS."

CONTOS, WHO WAS PRESENT AT THE CEREMONY, COOPERATED WITH BAUDINO IN DOMESTIC AND SHORT WAVE PROGRAMS DESIGNED TO GENERATE SYMPATHY IN THIS COUNTRY AND RAISE MORALE IN GREECE FOR THAT COUNTRY'S RESISTANCE TO COMMUNIST DOMINATION.

THE AMBASSADOR TOLD BAUDINO THAT "AS PRESIDENT OF ONE OF THE LARGE RADIO STATIONS IN THE UNITED STATES, YOU HAVE CONTINUOUSLY GIVEN YOUR MORAL SUPPORT TO MY COUNTRY AND YOU HAVE HELPED IN ESTABLISHING A BETTER UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN OUR TWO NATIONS.

"I CONGRATULATE YOU ON THIS HONOR WHICH YOU SO JUSTLY DESERVE AND I THANK YOU."

ALSO PRESENT FOR THE CEREMONY WERE MRS. BAUDINO AND MRS. CONTOS.

BAUDINO SAID HIS PARTY WILL RETURN TO PITTSBURGH THIS AFTERNOON.

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(260) GERMAN POLL

WASHINGTON, APRIL 29-(AP)-MOST OF THE GERMANS IN WESTERN BERLIN WERE REPORTED TODAY TO BE MORE WORRIED ABOUT MAKING A LIVING THAN ABOUT SOVIET THREATS TO THE CITY.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID THIS WAS SHOWN BY A SERIES OF POLLS RECENTLY COMPLETED BY THE OFFICE OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS, A STAFF AGENCY OF U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J. MCCLOY.

"IN SPITE OF THE SERIOUS ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL SITUATION, EIGHT OUT OF 10 WEST BERLINERS THINK THE FUTURE LOOKS HOPEFUL, AND THEIR MORALE IS HIGH," SAID A SUMMARY OF THE FINDINGS.

POLLS WERE CONDUCTED BY TRAINED GERMAN INTERVIEWERS WORKING UNDER SUPERVISION OF AN AMERICAN SURVEY OFFICER. OTHER FINDINGS:

MOST OF THOSE INTERVIEWED ARE DOUBTFUL THAT A NEW SOVIET BLOCKADE WILL BE IMPOSED, DESPITE THE INTERMITTENT HALTING OF TRUCK TRAFFIC BETWEEN BERLIN AND THE WEST SINCE JANUARY.

TWO-THIRDS WERE AWARE OF HELP RECEIVED THROUGH THE MARSHALL PLAN. MOST COMPARED THE PRESENT FAVORABLY WITH THE PAST, AND EIGHT OUT OF 10 SAID THEIR PERSONAL SITUATION IS BETTER TODAY THAN BEFORE THE 1948 BLOCKADE WAS IMPOSED.

"ONLY 20 PER CENT SAID THEY WOULD LEAVE THE CITY IF THEY HAD THE OPPORTUNITY," THE SURVEY REPORTED, "AS COMPARED WITH 39 PER CENT WHO SAID THEY WOULD DO SO AT THE BEGINNING OF 1949 AND 43 PER CENT IN JULY, 1948, DURING THE EARLY DAYS OF THE BLOCKADE.

"BERLINERS WERE ALMOST UNANIMOUS IN SAYING THAT THE AMERICANS WILL REMAIN IN BERLIN AS LONG AS THEY STAY IN GERMANY. ALTHOUGH 99 PER CENT DECLARED THAT AMERICAN RATHER THAN RUSSIAN PRESTIGE HAS GONE UP IN BERLIN, NOT EVERYONE IS TOTALLY IN AGREEMENT WITH WESTERN POLICIES."

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(180) CZECH

WASHINGTON,APRIL 29-(AP)-THE STATE DEPARTMENT ACCUSED COMMUNIST CZECHOSLOVAKIA TODAY OF CONTRADICTING ITS OWN PEACE PROPOSALS BY ASKING FOR A TWO-THIRDS CUT IN THE AMERICAN EMBASSY AND CONSULAR STAFFS THERE.

PRESS OFFICER MICHAEL MCDERMOTT SAID THE DEPARTMENT IS STUDYING THE REQUEST FOR STAFF REDUCTIONS.

"THIS CERTAINLY IS A SURPRISING MATTER OF TIMING, HE SAID, "FOR THEM TO SEND A NOTE LIKE THIS THE DAY AFTER THE CZECH AMBASSADOR CALLED ON UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE WEBB AND PRESENTED A NOTE TRANSMITTING A PEACE RESOLUTION.

"THERE SEEMS TO BE A FLAGRANT CONTRADICTION BETWEEN THESE TWO ACTS OCCURING AT ALMOST THE SAME TIME."

THE CZECH PEACE NOTE WAS DELIVERED TO WEBB THURSDAY. IT HAD PREVIOUSLY BEEN PRESENTED IN OTHER WESTERN CAPITALS. OFFICIALS REGARDED IT AS PURE COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA IN LINE WITH THE SOVIET CONTENTION THAT THE COMMUNIST NATIONS ARE SEEKING PEACE AND THAT THE WESTERN POWERS ARE WORKING FOR WAR.

THE U.S.EMBASSY AT PRAGUE HAS 48 AMERICAN EMPLOYES NOT INCLUDING MILITARY PERSONNEL. OF THE 48, SIX ARE ALREADY BEING TRANSFERRED. THE CONSULATE AT BRATISLAVA HAS SEVEN STATE DEPARTMENT EMPLOYES, INCLUDING ONE U.S.INFORMATION SERVICE CLERK ASSUMED TO BE READY TO LEAVE THERE.

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CHICAGO, APRIL 29-(AP)-THE CZECH CONSULATE BORE A SIGN READING "CLOSED FOR BUSINESS" TODAY.

THE CONSULATE WAS ORDERED CLOSED BY THE U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT, IN RETALIATION FOR THE OUSTER OF THE U.S. INFORMATION SERVICE IN PRAGUE.

CONSULATE RECORDS ARE BEING SHIPPED TO NEW YORK, WHERE BUSINESS FOR THIS DISTRICT WILL BE CARRIED ON. DEADLINE FOR CLOSING THE CONSULATE HERE WAS MAY 1.

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(400) (ADVANCE FOR USE AT 9:30 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, SATURDAY, APRIL 29)

(ADVANCE) LAWRENCE, KAS., APRIL 29-(AP)-FRANCIS CARDINAL SPELLMAN WARNED TONIGHT "AMERICA IS NOT IMMORTAL" AND COULD BE PLUNDERED BY COMMUNISM.

IN A SPEECH PREPARED FOR DELIVERY AT AN "I AM AN AMERICAN DAY" RALLY, THE ROMAN CATHOLIC LEADER SAID "WE AMERICANS MUST NOT DELUDE OURSELVES THAT WE CAN GO ON FOREVER DESPITE OUR ENEMIES, AND, ABOVE ALL, DESPITE OURSELVES."

"IN THIS ATOMIC AGET OF DISCORD," HE CONTINUED. "WITH NATIONS NOT

ONLY WARRING AGAINST ONE ANOTHER BUT DIVIDED WITHIN THEMSELVES, WHERE MEN MAKE MOCKERY OF THE MEANING AND MAJESTY OF FAITH, AMERICA STANDS BEFORE ALL NATIONS AND PEOPLES, ENVIOUS OF NONE AND FEARLING NONE, DESIROUS OF NOTHING FROM OTHER NATIONS SAVE THEIR RESPECT AND COOPERATION IN THE REHABILITATION AND SALVATION OF MANKIND.

"WE SHALL OURSELVES BE GUILTY OF CONTRIBUTING TO OUR COUNTRY'S DESTRUCTION IF WE DO NOT PROTECT HER AGAINST THE LUST-BORN HATES OF COMMUNIST TREACHERIES SWEEPING LIKE SCYTHES ACROSS THE WORLD, MARRING AND DESPOILING EVEN THE FAIR FACE OF FREE AMERICA."

CARDINAL SPELLMAN ADDRESSED 700 PERSONS FOLLOWING A DINNER IN THE HOME CITY OF THE UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS. HE WAS INTRODUCED BY FORMER KANSAS GOVERNOR HARRY H.WOODRING.

"IF WE ARE TO ENDURE AS A NATION OF FREE, STRONG-HEARTED MEN," THE CARDINAL SAID, "WE MUST, IN UNITY, STAND SENTINEL AGAINST THE POTENT, GROWING DANGERS OF FAITHLESS, TRAITOROUS COMMUNISTS AND COMMUNIST-SYMPATHIZERS WHO ARE USING THEIR FREEDOM TO DESTROY OUR FREEDOMS.

"THEY ARE THE HOST OF TRAITOROUS MEN AND WOMEN WHO, LIVING BENEATH THE PROTECTION OF OUR AMERICAN FLAG, ENJOY THE PRICELESS PRIVILEGE OF BEING CITIZENS OF OUR REPUBLIC, WHILE THEIR OWN ALLEGIANCE IS ACTUALLY PLEDGED TO AN EMBLEM REPRESENTING A THEORY OF GOVERNMENT OPPOSED TO EVERYTHING FOR WHICH OLD GLORY STANDS."

"AND ON THIS I AM AN AMERICAN DAY, AND EVERY DAY OF OUR YEARS, IT IS THE PRIVILEGE AND THE DUTY OF STATESMEN ENTRUSTED WITH THE RICHEST HERITAGE OF ANY PEOPLE IN THE WORLD, AS WELL AS THE DUTY OF EVERY MAN WHO TILLS THE FARM, WHO TOILS IN THE FACTORY, WHO TENDS THE SHOP, WHO TEACHERS IN THE SCHOOL, WHO PREACHES IN THE PULPIT, WHO GRACES THE HOME, TO PLEDGE HIS PLIGHTED WORD DEVOTEDLY TO LIVE AND WORK, FAITHFULLY TO FIGHT AND IF NEED BE DIE, TO PROTECT AMERICA FROM VIOLATION, THIS AMERICA, THE WORLD'S TREASURE HOUSE OF FREEDOM."

CARDINAL SPELLMAN FINISHED HIS ADDRESS WITH A POEM. THE LAST TWO STANZAS WERE:

AMERICA, OUR AMERICA!
PRAY ALWAYS TO MARY,
MARY IMMACULATE.
SHE, THE MOTHER TO NATIONS-
SHE, THE MOTHER OF CHRIST,
THE LORD OF ALL NATIONS;
SHE GUARDS THEM AND GUIDES,
SUBDUING THEIR HATES,
INSPIRING THEIR SPIRITS;
SHE MOURNS FOR THE PRODIGALS,
AS CHILDLESS MOTHERS MOURN,
TORN BY THEIR TREASONS.

AMERICA, OUR AMERICA!
GIVE THY HEART TO MARY,
MARY IMMACULATE.
JOIN HER PRAYER OF PRAISE,
ALL HEAVEN ATTENDING,
FOR OUR LAND THAT IS FREE.
SING THOU HER SONG OF JOY,
ALL NATIONS LISTENING,
GVING THANKS TO GOD.
SING THOU THE SONG OF SOULS,
THE MAGNIFICAT OF MARY,
THE MAGNIFICAT OF AMERICA.
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WALLACE

(ADVANCE) DES MOINES, APRIL 29-(AP)-A 30-BILLION-DOLLAR-A-YEAR PLAN TO END THE COLD WAR WAS URGED TONIGHT BY HENRY A.WALLACE. HE SAID PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND STALIN SHOULD CONFER TO GET IT GOING.

THE FORMER VICE PRESIDENT SAID THIS PLAN--WHICH CALLS FOR "A NEW AND MORE POWERFUL WORLD BANK"--SHOULD BE LINKED WITH CLOSE U.S.-RUSSIAN COOPERATION IN THE UNITED NATIONS.

UNLESS SOME SUCH ACTION IS TAKEN, WALLACE SAID, THE ALTERNATIVE IS A GLOBAL ECONOMIC SMASHUP IN 1952 AND THE PROBABLE RISE SOMEWHERE OF "A GREATER HITLER."

HE CALLED ON THIS COUNTRY TO GIVE $10 BILLION A YEAR TO A "WORLD BANK" WHICH HE WANTS THE UN TO SPONSOR.

WALLACE ADDED THAT "RUSSIA AND CHINA WOULD BE BORROWING FROM THE BANK IN A BIG WAY."

WALLACE'S REMARKS WERE PREPARED FOR DELIVERY AT A CLOSED SESSION OF THE PRAIRIE CLUB, A GROUP OF PROMINENT DES MOINES MEN WHO MEET MONTHLY TO DISCUSS CURRENT AFFAIRS.

THE 1948 PROGRESSIVE PARTY CANDIDATE FOR PRESIDENT SAID THE WORLD'S HOPE LIES IN COOPERATION BY THE U.S., BRITAIN, RUSSIA AND CHINA WITHIN THE UN FRAMEWORK.

THIS WAS IN SHARP CONTRAST WITH THE VIEWS OF FORMER PRESIDENT HOOVER WHO THURSDAY NIGHT URGED A REORGANIZED UN "WITHOUT COMMUNIST NATIONS IN IT."

WALLACE'S TALK OBVIOUSLY WAS NOT INTENDED AS A REBUTTAL TO HOOVER, HOWEVER. IT WAS PRINTED IN A 31-PAGE BOOKLET PRIOR TO HOOVER'S ADDRESS.

WALLACE SAID BOTH THE U.S.AND RUSSIA STAND IN "EXTREME DANGER."

"BOTH COUNTRIES," WALLACE SAID, "ARE BEING INCREASINGLY HATED AND FEARED--EVEN BY THEIR OWN SATELLITES.

"THE MORE THE COLD WAR INTENSIFIES, THE MORE THIS HATRED AND FEAR WILL INCREASE."

BUT TIME IS ON RUSSIA'S SIDE, HE SAID.

"THE PEOPLE OF WESTERN EUROPE," HE SAID, "MUCH AS THEY FEAR RUSSIA, WILL NOT PERMIT THEMSELVES INDEFINITELY TO BE BUILT UP BY THE UNITED STATES FOR THE PRIME PURPOSE OF SERVING AS THE FIRST VICTIMS IN A "HYDROGEN AND ATOMIC BOMB) HOLOCAUST."

TO END STRIFE, WALLACE SAID, THE UN SHOULD SPONSOR A WORLD BANK TO WHICH THE U.S.WOULD BE THE NO. 1 CONTRIBUTOR.

"THE UNDER-DEVELOPED AND OVER-CROWDED AREAS OF THE WORLD NEED EACH YEAR FULLY $30 BILLION OF FRESH CAPITAL," HE SAID.

THE U.S.OUGHT TO CONTRIBUTE $10 BILLION A YEAR, WALLACE CONTINUED. HE SAID THIS COUNTRY COULD GET THE MONEY BY CUTTING MILITARY SPENDING.

"BUT IN DOING THIS," HE ADDED, "WE WANT TO BE SURE THAT RUSSIA AND CHINA WILL REDUCE THEIR ARMAMENTS IN THE SAME PROPORTION."

WALLACE NOTED THAT SENATOR MC MAHON (D-CONN) HAD PROPOSED SUCH ACTION BUT ADDED HE LIKED THE IDEA "BECAUSE I MADE IT MYSELF IN APRIL OF 1947."

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WALLACE SAID THE "TRUMAN DOCTRINE" HAS BEENFZWRECKED BEYOND REPAIR."
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(ADVANCE) DES MOINES--FIRST ADD WALLACE XXX OF 1947."
WALLACE SAID THE "TRUMAN DOCTRINE" HAS BEENFZWRECKED BEYOND REPAIR."
HE SAID WESTERN EUROPE "WILL STILL BE IN A MESS WHEN THE MARSHALL PLAN COMES TO AN END IN 1952."
HE DECLARED MR. TRUMAN'S "POINT FOUR" PROGRAM "WILL NOT DO THE JOB BECAUSE IT IS TOO SMALL AND IS APPLIED IN THE SPIRIT OF HATRED AND FEAR OF RUSSIA."
AFTER REVIEWING THE COURSE OF THE GROWING BREACH BETWEEN THE U. S. AND RUSSIA SINCE THE WAR, WALLACE SAID:
"OUR PRESSURE AGAINST RUSSIA COSTS US PERHAPS TEN OR EVEN TWENTY TIMES AS MUCH AS HER COUNTER-PRESSURE AGAINST US."
IN THE U. S.-RUSSIAN TENSION, HE SAID, "EACH SIDE IS COMPLETELY CONVINCED OF ITS MORAL RIGHTEOUSNESS AND THE CERTAINTY OF ULTIMATE VICTORY."
MEANTIME, HE SAID, "THE 84 PERCENT OF HUMANITY WHICH IS NEITHER RUSSIAN NOR AMERICAN BECOMES INCREASINGLY SUSPICIOUS."
HE CITED INDIA'S REFUSAL TO ALLY ITSELF WITH EITHER "OF THE TWO GIANTS."
WHEN THE GERMAN AND JAPANESE PEACE TREATIES ARE WRITTEN, HE SAID, THE LEADERS OF GERMANY AND JAPAN WILL TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE TENSION "TO FISH SUCCESSFULLY IN THE TROUBLED WATERS."
WALLACE SAID THE IMMEDIATE PROBLEM IS "TO ATTAIN ONE WORLD WITH A RAPIDLY EXPANDING TRADE WITH THE MINIMUM OF TRADE BARRIERS."
HE CALLED ON THE U. S. TO TAKE THE INITIATIVE.
"MY PROPOSAL," HE SAID, "IS THAT TRUMAN AND STALIN FIRST HAVE A CONFERENCE ON THE PROBLEM OF SETTING UP A NEW AND MORE POWERFUL WORLD BANK, TO WHICH RUSSIA WOULD GIVE ADHERENCE--AND THE CAPITAL OF WHICH WOULD BE PROVIDED BY THE GOVERNMENTS ON THE BASIS OF THE PRODUCTIVITY OF THE DIFFERENT NATIONS.
"THERE WOULD ALSO BE SET UP AN INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION, TO WHICH RUSSIA WOULD ADHERE, WHOSE BONDS WOULD BE MARKETED THROUGH THE WORLD BANK TO THE VARIOUS GOVERNMENTS.
"THEIR PAYMENT WOULD BE GUARANTEED BY THE UNITED NATIONS XXX
"THE INVESTMENTS OF THE INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION WOULD BE IN THE BASIC ECONOMY OF THE UNDERDEVELOPED AND OVERCROWDED AREAS OF THE WORLD X X X
"THE UNITED STATES, PUTTING UP MORE MONEY FOR THE WORLD BANK AND THE INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT BONDS THAN ALL THE OTHER NATIONS OF THE WORLD, WOULD NECESSARILY BE GRAVELY CONCERNED ABOUT THE SECURITY OF INVESTMENTS IN RUSSIA AND CHINA.
"HERE IS THE REAL LEVEL AT WHICH HORSE-TRADING SHOULD TAKE PLACE, REMEMBERING ALWAYS THAT THERE IS ONLY ONE OBJECT IN THE HORSE TRADING, AND THAT IS ONE WORLD AT PEACE."
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SUB INTRO MCCARTHY (120)
PHOENIX,ARIZ.,APRIL 29-(AP)-SEN.JOSEPH MCCARTHY, WISCONSIN REPUBLICAN, TONIGHT CHARGED THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAS "ADOPTED THE OFFICIAL COMMUNIST PROGRAM IN THE FAR EAST RIGHT DOWN TO THE LAST COMMA."
MCCARTHY, HERE FOR A SHORT STAY TO RELIEVE A SINUS CONDITION, CITED THIS AS THE PRINCIPAL REASON FOR MAINTAINING SOMEONE HAD SOLD THE STATE DEPARTMENT ON OUR PRESENT POLICY IN CHINA.
"IF MR.LATTIMORE WAS NOT THE SALESMAN FOR THE COMMUNIST PARTY THEN I ASK MR.ACHESON AND HIS FRIENDS WHO DID THE SELLING JOB," HE SAID.
MCCARTHY POSED THE QUESTION IN ANSWER TO STATEMENTS ETC. PICKING UP IN THIRD GRAF PREVIOUS (A153PN), DELETING SEVENTH GRAPH BEGINNING "MCCARTHY, HERE FOR A SHORT ETC.
MAKE NINTH GRAF READ: IT WAS AT THIS POINT THE WISCONSIN SENATOR DEMANDED TO KNOW "WHO DID THE SELLING JOB."
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FOLO MARSHALL (250)
PHOENIX,ARIZ.,APRIL 29-(AP)-SEN.JOSEPH MCCARTHY, WISCONSIN REPUBLICAN, TONIGHT DEMANDED TO KNOW WHO SOLD THE STATE DEPARTMENT ON OUR PRESENT POLICY IN CHINA.
"IF MR.LATTIMORE WAS NOT THE SALESMAN FOR THE COMMUNIST PARTY, THEN I ASK MR.ACHESON AND HIS FRIENDS WHO DID THE SELLING JOB."
MCCARTHY MADE HIS DEMAND IN ANSWER TO STATEMENTS FROM THREE FORMER SECRETARIES OF STATE AND THE PRESENT SECRETARY, DEAN ACHESON, THAT OWEN LATTIMORE IS NOT THE PRINCIPAL ARCHITECT OF OUR FAR EASTERN POLICY.
MCCARTHY HAS ACCUSED LATTIMORE, FAR EASTERN SPECIALIST AND JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY PROFESSOR OF BEING RUSSIA'S TOP AGENT IN THE UNITED STATES.
"I AM SHOCKED BY THE CLAIM THAT I SHOULD NOT EXPOSE COMMUNIST AGENTS IN OUR GOVERNMENT--THE CLAIM THAT IT IS EVIL TO REMOVE FROM POSITIONS OF POWER THOSE WHO WOULD DESTROY US," HE SAID.
"THIS CLAIM IS TOO DANGEROUSLY CHILDISH AND SILLY TO EVEN WARRANT COMMENT."
MCCARTHY, HERE FOR A SHORT STAY TO RELIEVE A SINUS CONDITION, SAID THE FACT REMAINS THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAS ADOPTED THE OFFICIAL COMMUNIST PROGRAM IN THE FAR EAST RIGHT DOWN TO THE LAST COMMA.
"IT WILL BE REMEMBERED THAT EARL BROWDER, FORMER SECRETARY OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY TESTIFIED THAT THE COMMUNISTS WERE COMPLETELY SATISFIED THEY HAD SOLD THEIR PROGRAM IN ALL MAJOR ASPECTS TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT," HE ASSERTED.
IT WAS AT THIS POINT THE WISCONSIN SENATOR DEMANDED TO KNOW WHO WAS THE SALESMAN IF IT WAS NOT LATTIMORE.
"THE AMERICAN PUBLIC IS ENTITLED TO THAT INFORMATION," HE SAID.
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(EDITORS: THE SECOND GRAPH OF THE FOLLOWING STORY IS EMBARGOED FOR USE AT 7 P.M., EST.)
NEWBURYPORT,MASS., APRIL 29-(AP)-A BOYCOTT AGAINST RUSSIAN GOODS WAS ORDERED TODAY BY THE CITY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT WHO COMMENDED A HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL FOR BANNING RUSSIAN CRABMEAT FROM THE SCHOOL CAFETERIA.
AT NEWARK, N.J., THE UNION LABEL COUNCIL OF NEW JERSEY, AN AFL

AFFILIATE, WROTE THE STATE'S U.S. SENATORS PROTESTING THE IMPORTATION OF A "GREAT VOLUME OF RUSSIAN SLAVE-LABOR PRODUCTS." IT SAID WAGE-EARNERS ARE BEING THROWN OUT OF WORK IN CANNING, HATTING, SHOE AND FUR INDUSTRIES IN THAT STATE BECAUSE DOMESTIC INDUSTRIES CANNOT COMBAT RUSSIAN "UNDERSELLING."

HERE IN NEWBURYPORT, SUPT. RUPERT A. NOCK, 42, AN ARMY AIR FORCE MAJOR IN WORLD WAR II, MADE PUBLIC HIS BOYCOTT DIRECTIVE TO PATRICK J. MURNANE, PRINCIPAL OF THE 650-STUDENT NEWBURYPORT HIGH. MURNANE ISSUED THE CRABMEAT BAN THIS WEEK.

NOCK'S LETTER SAID:

"I WISH TO COMMEND YOU FOR YOUR REFUSAL TO ACCEPT CANNED CRABMEAT PACKED IN THE U.S.S.R.

"DUE TO CONTINUED LACK OF COOPERATION ON THE PART OF RUSSIA IN PROMOTING WORLD PEACE AND THE EFFORTS THEY ARE MAKING WITHIN OUR COUNTRY TO SABOTAGE OUR WAY OF LIFE AND ESPECIALLY AFTER THEIR OVERT HOSTILE ACT OF SHOOTING DOWN A U.S.NAVY PLANE, I HEREBY INSTRUCT YOU TO BOYCOTT ALL GOODS FROM THE SOVIET UNION.

"THERE IS NO REASON WHY WE AMERICANS SHOULD HELP PAY FOR THEIR ESPIONAGE SYSTEM AND INDIRECTLY ENDORSE THEIR POLICY OF SLAVE LABOR THROUGH THE PURCHASE OF LOW COST COMMODITIES FROM THEIR COUNTRY.

"IF IT COSTS MORE TO STRENGTHEN DEMOCRACY, LET'S DO IT WITHOUT RESERVATION. THIS IS THE ONLY LONG-RANGE POLICY WE SHOULD ENDORSE.

"I SUGGEST THAT YOU NOTIFY ALL PEOPLE YOU DO BUSINESS WITH OF THIS DIRECTIVE."

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FOLLOW LONDON PEACE DRIVE

SAN FRANCISCO,APRIL 29-(AP)-THE PEIPING RADIO ASSERTED TODAY THAT LEADERS OF "CHRISTIAN, BUDDHIST AND MOSLEM RELIGIONS" IN COMMUNIST CHINA HAD SIGNED A MANIFESTO SUPPORTING THE STOCKHOLM "PEACE" APPEAL.

THE BROADCAST HEARD BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS HERE SAID THE MANIFESTO "WARMLY SUPPORTS THE STOCKHOLM CALL TO PROHIBIT ATOMIC WEAPONS AND TO DECLARE AS WAR CRIMINALS ANY GOVERNMENT FIRST USING THEM."

THE SO-CALLED PEACE APPEAL WAS MADE MARCH 19 AT A COMMUNIST-SPONSORED "WORLD PEACE PARTISANS CONGRESS" IN STOCKHOLM.

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PRECEDE WASHN.

SAN FRANCISCO, APRIL 29-(AP)-AMERICAN PRESIDENT LINES REPORTED TONIGHT THE LINER GENERAL W.H. GORDON HAS SAILED FROM TAKU BAR, OFF TIENTSIN, WITH MORE THAN 700 FOREIGNERS STRANDED IN RED CHINA.

ABOARD ARE 93 U.S. DIPLOMATIC PERSONNEL AND DEPENDANTS--COMPLETING THE REMOVAL OF AMERICAN OFFICIALS FROM THE CHINESE MAINLAND.

A COMPANY SPOKESMAN SAID CAPT. VLADIMIR NIELSEN OF THE GENERAL GORDON RADIOED HE SAILED AT 10 A.M., SUNDAY, CHINA TIME (9 P.M., SATURDAY, EASTERN STANDARD TIME.) THE SKIPPER SAID SAILING HAD BEEN DELAYED BY BAD WEATHER.

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SAN FRANCISCO,APRIL 29 (AP)-THE PACIFIC FAR EAST LINES REPORTED TODAY ITS FREIGHTER CALIFORNIA BEAR WAS LOADING CARGO AT TAKU BAR, COMMUNIST CHINA, AND IT THEREFORE ASSUMED A COLLISION CASE WOULD BE SETTLED SHORTLY.

THE COMMUNIST RADIO ASSERTED THURSDAY THAT THE CALIFORNIA BEAR HAD STRUCK AND SUNK THE CHINESE SHIP SINAN, CAUSING 70 DEATHS. THE BROADCAST SAID THE CHINESE SHIP'S OWNERS HAD FILED A CRIMINAL CASE SEEKING DAMAGES AND A COMMUNIST MARITIME COMMISSION AT TIENTSIN WAS INVESTIGATING.

THE LINE REPORTED THE CALIFORNIA BEAR WAS FULLY INSURED AND ITS INSURANCE AGENT WAS ON THE JOB. IT ADDED THAT THE SHIP'S MASTER HAD RADIOED "OKAY" TO FUTURE SAILING INSTRUCTIONS, INDICATING A SETTLEMENT WAS ANTICIPATED.

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MI WX (320)

NEW YORK, APRIL 29-(AP)-A HARVARD PROFESSOR SAID TONIGHT THAT SEN. JOSEPH A.MCCARTHY (R-WIS) IS WORTH 10 DIVISIONS TO THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS AND MORE TO THE RUSSIANS, AND THAT THE SENATE'S INVESTIGATION OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT IS A "DISGRACE."

DR. JOHN KING FAIRBANK, PROFESSOR OF HISTORY AT HARVARD AND AN AUTHORITY ON FAR EASTERN AFFAIRS, MADE THOSE REMARKS AT A CONFERENCE OF THE NATION ASSOCIATES ON "THE ATOMIC ERA."

MCCARTHY'S CHARGES OF ALLEGED COMMUNIST INFILTRATION INTO THE STATE DEPARTMENT SET OFF THE SENATE PROBE.

FREDA KIRCHWEY, EDITOR OF THE MAGAZINE "THE NATION," IS PRESIDENT OF THE ORGANIZATION AND PRESIDED AT TONIGHT'S BANQUET AT THE WALDORF ASTORIA, ATTENDED BY PROMINENT EDUCATORS.

"THE CURRENT EFFORT TO USE OUR DISASTER IN CHINA AS A POLITICAL WEAPON IN DOMESTIC AMERICAN POLITICS IS NOT ONLY A DISGRACE TO THE REPUBLICANS WHO ARE DOING IT," FAIRBANK SAID, "BUT ALSO AN ADVERTISEMENT OF OUR OWN INTELLECTUAL WEAKNESS CONCERNING ASIA."

"ONE MCCARTHY IS PROBABLY WORTH 10 DIVISIONS TO THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS, AND MANY MORE TO THE RUSSIANS, BY MAKING US LOOK TO THE ASIATICS LIKE FOOLS CONSUMED BY OUR OWN FEARS," FAIRBANK SAID.

HE ADDED:

"OUR REAL DEFENSE AGAINST RUSSIA'S ASIATIC EXPANSION MUST BEGIN AT HOME, BY AVOIDING WISHFULNESS AND UNREALISM.

"FANTASY IS NO BASIS FOR FOREIGN POLICY, YET PUBLIC DISCUSSIONS ARE CURRENTLY BEING CONDUCTED ON THE FANTASTIC ASSUMPTION THAT AMERICAN POLICY HAS BEEN THE MAIN DETERMINING FACTOR WHICH HAS PERMITTED THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS TO WIN."

FAIRBANK SUGGESTED SENDING "YOUNG PEOPLE AND PRACTICAL WORKERS INTO COUNTRIES OF SOUTH AND SOUTHEAST ASIA, NOT JUST DIPLOMATS, SCHOLARS OR ADMINISTRATORS."

OTHER SPEAKERS ON THE PROGRAM INCLUDED DR. HARRISON S.BROWN, NUCLEAR PHYSICIST OF CALIFORNIA UNIVERSITY; DR. WILLIAM F.OGBURN, PROFESSOR OF SOCIOLOGY AT THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO; DR.STUART MUDD, PROFESSOR OF PATHOLOGY AND BACTERIOLOGY, UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA; AND DR.DAVID BRADLEY, AUTHOR.

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Lake Success, April 29--(ap)--Warren R. Austin, former republican senator from Vermont and a close personal friend of former president Herbert Hoover, has long stood for the principle of universality in the united nations.

This means, in short, that he favors the admission of all countries into the u.n. who are qualified for membership under standards of the charter.

Austin had no comment in any shape on the proposal of Hoover for reorganizing the United Nations to exclude the communistic countries.

From his past record, however, it is know that Austin feels strongly the United Nations should be given a chance to show what it can do.

He is just as upset as many other u.n. delegates over the Russian record in the u.n. and he often has made speeches eating attention to the opposition of the Soviet bloc to almost everything the western world wants to do.

In testifying at senate hearing in Washington a year ago Austin counseled against any drastic change in the basis of the u.n. as it exists. There are several measures long pending for overhauling the u.n. charter. Any such changes would be subject to the big power veto which the Russians have used 43 times in the security council to kill majority decisions.

Austin as a leading member of the Senate in the days in which the u.n. was being formed often was consulted on u.n. matters. He is a veteran of long standing in u.n. councils and worked hard for the u.n. even before he became the chief U.S. Delegate.

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LAKE SUCCESS, APRIL 29-(AP)-MRS. FRANKLIN D.ROOSEVELT YESTERDAY BEAT DOWN RUSSIAN AND FRENCH PROPOSALS TO BAN "FASCIST" PROPAGANDA IN A HUMAN RIGHTS TREATY BEING DRAFTED IN THE UNITED NATIONS.
MRS. ROOSEVELT, CHAIRMAN OF THE HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION WHICH IS DRAWING UP THE COVENANT, SAID BOTH PROPOSALS WOULD SERIOUSLY ENCROACH ON FREEDOM OF EXPRESSION.
THE COMMISSION VOTE WAS 7 TO 4 WITH THREE ABSTENTIONS. THE PROPOSED COVENANT WAS SUBMITTED LAST YEAR, BUT THE RUSSIANS ARE NOW BOYCOTTING THE COMMISSION.
BOTH FRANCE AND RUSSIA PROPOSED PROHIBITION BY LAW OF PROPAGANDA OF RACIAL, RELIGIOUS OR NATIONAL SUPERIORITY.
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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 3 P.M., EST, TODAY, SATURDAY, APRIL 29)
(ADVANCE)...LAKE SUCCESS, APRIL 29-(AP)-THE QUESTION OF TUNISIAN INDEPENDENCE TODAY WAS REPORTED SLATED TO BE BROUGHT BEFORE THE UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY.
A REPRESENTATIVE OF EMIR ABD EL KRIM, PRESIDENT OF THE COMMITTEE FOR FREEDOM OF NORTH AFRICA, SAID AN ARAB COUNTRY WOULD BRING UP THE MATTER.
THE ANNOUNCEMENT WAS MADE BY EL ABED BOUHAFA, SECRETARY OF THE COMMITTEE AND REPRESENTATIVE OF THE FAMED REBEL LEADER NOW LIVING IN EXILE IN CAIRO. BOUHAFA DID NOT IDENTIFY THE COUNTRY WHICH WILL SPONSOR THE TUNISIAN CASE.
THE ARAB LEAGUE, MEETING RECENTLY IN CAIRO, DECIDED TO SUPPORT BY

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LEGAL AND DIPLOMATIC MEANS THE INDEPENDENCE MOVEMENTS IN TUNISIA, ALGERIA AND MOROCCO. TUNISIA AND ALGERIA ARE CONTROLLED BY FRANCE. MOROCCO IS DIVIDED INTO ZONES CONTROLLED BY FRANCE AND SPAIN AND, IN TANGIER, BY AN INTERNATIONAL COMMISSION.
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UNDATED MAY DAY (550)
BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
MOSCOW WILL HAVE COMPETITION FOR THE SPOTLIGHT ON MAY DAY, LABOR'S TRADITIONAL INTERNATIONAL HOLIDAY.
THE SOVIET CAPITAL WAS DRAPED WITH BANNERS AND SLOGANS IN READINESS FOR THE HUGE MAY 1 CELEBRATION AND PARADE ACROSS RED SQUARE. HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS WERE EXPECTED TO TROOP BEFORE REVIEWING STANDS IN OTHER CAPITALS OF THE SATELLITE STATES IN A DISPLAY OF WORKER AND MILITARY MIGHT.
BUT IN ANOTHER MOSCOW-- MOSCOW, IDAHO-- GIRL SCOUTS, BOY SCOUTS AND CAMP FIRE GIRLS WILL SET UP BOOTHS AND PASS OUT BADGES SAYING THE WEARER BELIEVES IN DEMOCRACY AND LIKES BEING AN AMERICAN.
MOSINEE, WIS., WILL STAGE A MOCK COMMUNIST REVOLUTION. AMERICAN LEGION MEMBERS, GARBED AS PISTOL-PACKING SECRET POLICE, WILL ARREST CITY OFFICIALS, NAIL PAPER LOCKS ON THE CHURCH DOORS, AND TURN THE WEEKLY MOSINEE TIMES INTO A "RED STAR." THE PURPOSE IS TO TEACH BY EXAMPLE AND ACTUAL LIVING THE CONTRAST BETWEEN LIFE IN AMERICA AND TOTALITARIAN STATES. MOSINEE'S CONCENTRATION CAMPS WILL LAST BUT A DAY.
TO TAKE THE EDGE OFF ANY MAY DAY DEMONSTRATIONS BY RADICALS, NEW YORK AND CHICAGO HELD LOYALTY DAY PARADES YESTERDAY (SATURDAY). THE AMERICAN LEGION, VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS AND SPANISH WAR VETERANS, SCHOOL CHILDREN AND BOY AND GIRL SCOUTS TOOK PART.
NEW YORK WILL HAVE ITS REGULAR MAY DAY PARADE UP EIGHTH AVENUE. USUALLY BETWEEN 15,000 AND 25,000 PERSONS TAKE PART.
THE BIGGEST TOUCH-AND-GO SPOT IS BERLIN, WHERE COMMUNISTS AND ANTI-COMMUNISTS WILL STAGE RIVAL DEMONSTRATIONS WITHIN A MILE OF EACH OTHER MONDAY.
WEST BERLIN'S SOCIAL DEMOCRATS AND OTHER ANTI-COMMUNISTS PLANNED A RALLY OF 300,000 IN FRONT OF THE BURNED-OUT REICHSTAG UNDER THE SLOGAN, "UNITY IN FREEDOM."
AT THE SAME TIME THE RUSSIAN-SPONSORED EAST GERMAN STATE PREPARED A PARADE OF THOUSANDS OF WORKERS, PEOPLES' POLICE AND FREE GERMAN YOUTH THROUGH THE LUSTGARTEN.
THE RIVAL DEMONSTRATIONS MAY PUT TO A TEST WEST BERLIN'S ORDER-ENFORCING MACHINERY, GEARED TO SHOOTING WAR ALERTNESS, IN READINESS FOR MAY 27-29 WHEN 500,000 FREE GERMAN YOUTH MAY OR MAY NOT STAGE THEIR OFT-THREATENED "MARCH ON BERLIN." NEARLY 8,000 AMERICAN, FRENCH AND BRITISH TROOPS ARE ON GUARD.
BELGIAN SOCIALISTS AND COMMUNISTS WILL KICK OFF A PARLIAMENTARY ELECTORAL CAMPAIGN WITH PARADES THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY WHICH THEY WILL TURN INTO DEMONSTRATIONS AGAINST EXILED KING LEOPOLD

ELSEWHERE IN EUROPE, COMMUNISTS AND ANTI-COMMUNISTS WILL VIE FOR THE CENTER OF THE POLITICAL STAGE WITH PARADES, SPEECHES AND RALLIES.
TWO DEMONSTRATIONS ARE PLANNED IN PARIS, ONE BY THE COMMUNIST-LED GENERAL CONFEDERATION OF LABOR, AND THE OTHER BY GEN.CHARLES DE GAULLE'S RALLY OF THE FRENCH PEOPLE.
GREEK LABOR WILL BE ALLOWED RESTRICTED MAY DAY CELEBRATIONS IN ATHENS FOR THE FIRST TIME SINCE 1936.
LEFT WING AND RIGHT WING PARTIES ALSO WILL HOLD RIVAL MAY DAY AFFAIRS IN VIENNA. MAX BAIR, BAIL-SKIPPING FUGITIVE ALLEGED BY AMERICAN AUTHORITIES TO HAVE PARTICIPATED IN A SOVIET KIDNAPING RING, MAY PARTICIPATE IN THE COMMUNIST PARADE THROUGH THE CITY'S INTERNATIONAL DISTRICT.
THE INTERNATIONAL DISTRICT WILL BE UNDER AMERICAN CONTROL DURING MAY AND AMERICAN AUTHORITIES SAID THEY WOULD BE WITHIN THEIR RIGHTS IF THEY BROKE UP THE PARADE AND ARRESTED HIM. AN AMERICAN SPOKESMAN SAID, HOWEVER, IT COULD BE "ASSUMED U.S. AUTHORITIES WILL NOT MAR THE TRADITIONAL WORKERS' CELEBRATION."
LEADERS IN EAST EUROPE'S COMMUNIST PEOPLE'S DEMOCRACIES WERE EXPECTED TO USE MAY DAY FOR PROPAGANDA FOR THE SOVIET "PEACE DRIVE." PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, WAS DECORATED WITH THOUSANDS OF FLAGS AND POSTERS OF THE DOVE OF PEACE. COMMUNIST LEADERS RELEASED MANY FOODS FROM THE RATIONED MARKET IN HONOR OF THE DAY.
PROMINENT IN MOSCOW SLOGANS WAS ONE HAILING "SOVIET FRONTIER GUARDS," A POSSIBLE REFERENCE TO RUSSIA'S CHARGE THAT AN AMERICAN B-29 BOMBER INVADED THE SOVIET AIR FRONTIER OVER LATVIA ON APRIL 8 AND WAS CHASED OUT IN AN EXCHANGE OF FIRE. THE UNITED STATES HAS CHARGED THE RUSSIANS SHOT DOWN AN UNARMED NAVY PRIVATEER PATROL BOMBER WHILE IT ALLEGEDLY WAS OUTSIDE RUSSIAN TERRITORY OVER THE BALTIC SEA.
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MOSCOW,IDAHO,APRIL 29-(AP)-MOSCOW, RUSSIA, ISN'T THE ONLY MOSCOW THAT HAS A LITTLE SOMETHING PLANNED ON MONDAY, MAY DAY.
WHILE TANKS RUMBLE THROUGH THE STREETS AND PLANES ROAR OVERHEAD IN MOSCOW, UUSR, GIRL SCOUTS, BOY SCOUTS AND CAMP FIRE GIRLS WILL SET UP BOOTHS ON MAIN STREET IN MOSCOW, IDAHO, USA, AND PASS OUT BADGES.
THE BADGES WILL SAY THE WEARER LIKES BEING AN AMERICAN AND BELIEVES IN DEMOCRACY.
MAY 1 IS A BIG TRADITIONAL HOLIDAY IN THE SOVIET CAPITAL, AN OCCASION FOR MILITARY PARADES, SPEECHES AND MASS DEMONSTRATIONS. BUT UP UNTIL NOW IT WAS JUST ANOTHER DAY IN THIS PLACID COLLEGE TOWN WITH THE SAME NAME.
THE BADGE IDEA WAS FOSTERED BY THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE HERE. SECRETARY DON F.WILSON, WHO SAYS HE'S RECEIVED HUNDREDS OF LETTERS ASKING THAT THIS TOWN CHANGE ITS NAME, EXPLAINED THAT AMERICA'S MOSCOW THINKS IT SHOULD HAVE SOME ANSWER TO THE BIG GOINGS ON IN THE OTHER PLACE ON MAY DAY.
HE SAID THE CHAMBER IS GIVING AWAY THE BADGES AS A COUNTER EVENT AFFIRMING "FRIENDSHIP AND DEMOCRACY."
CIVIC CLUBS IN TOWN ARE JOINING IN A "WAKE UP AMERICA" PROGRAM MAY 8. MOSCOW, HOME OF THE UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO, IS A CITY OF SOME 10,000 CITIZENS.
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WASHINGTON, APRIL 29-(AP)-JOHN FOSTER DULLES DECLARED LAST NIGH THE CONQUEST OF HAINAN ISLAND BY THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS "CALLS FOR ACTION" BY THIS COUNTRY TO KEEP THE MORE STRATEGIC ISLAND OF FORMOSA OUT OF RED HANDS.
JUST WHAT THIS ACTION SHOULD OR MIGHT BE, THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S

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REPUBLICAN ADVISER DID NOT DISCLOSE IN A RADIO INTERVIEW.

DULLES, FORMER REPUBLICAN SENATOR FROM NEW YORK, WAS FRANKLY CRITICAL OF THE WAY THE ADMINISTRATION HAS BEEN CONDUCTING THIS COUNTRY'S FOREIGN RELATIONS IN RECENT MONTHS, SAYING THAT IT HAS MADE THE GOVERNMENT A "SITTING DUCK" FOR POTSHOTS AT HOME AND ABROAD. APR 29 1950

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BERLIN (550)

BY THOMAS A. REEDY

BERLIN, APRIL 30-(AP)-WESTERN COMMANDERS TODAY ORDERED ALL TROOPS OFF THE STREETS AND INTO BARRACK COMPOUNDS DURING TOMORROW'S RIVAL MAY DAY RALLIES IN EAST AND WEST BERLIN.

ALL ELEMENTS OF AMERICAN, BRITISH AND FRENCH FORCES WERE ALERTED IN CASE OF AN EXPLOSIVE OUTBREAK BEYOND THE POWERS OF GERMAN POLICE TO HANDLE. NO LEAVES WILL BE GRANTED.

WEST BERLIN POLICE AND THE SOVIET SECTOR PEOPLE'S POLICE MUSTERED THEIR FULL STRENGTH FOR DUTY.

WEST BERLIN EXPECTED 300,000 TO MASS IN THE SQUARE NEAR THE BURNED-OUT REICHSTAG UNDER THE SLOGAN, "UNITY THROUGH FREEDOM." ON THE OTHER SIDE OF BRANDENBURG GATE, IN THE RUSSIAN SECTOR, COMMUNISTS PLANNED TO CLOG UNTER DEN LINDEN AND THE LUSTGARTEN WITH 400,000 WORKERS AND CHILDREN, MANY MARSHALLED FROM STATE-OWNED INDUSTRIES BY POLITICAL AGENTS.

THE RIVAL MASS MEETINGS WILL BE LESS THAN A MILE APART, SEPARATED BY AN INDISTINCT SECTOR BORDER THAT HARDENED INTO A FRONTIER DURING THE RUSSIAN BLOCKADE OF 1948-49.

WEST BERLIN'S ANTI-COMMUNISTS BUILT THEIR MAY DAY PROGRAM INTO A CLEAR CHALLENGE TO THE EAST. IN THE PRESS, IN LEAFLETS AND ON POSTERS, THE LEADERS URGED THE PUBLIC TO SHOW THAT UNITY AGAINST SOVIET AND COMMUNIST BLOCKADE TACTICS IS STRONGER THAN EVER.

THE SLOGAN, "UNITY THROUGH FREEDOM" WAS A HEAD-ON REJOINDER TO COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA FOR A REUNITED GERMANY.

MAYOR ERNST REUTER AND WEST GERMAN MINISTER JAKOB KAISER, REPRESENTING THE DOMINANT SOCIALIST AND CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATIC PARTIES IN WEST BERLIN AND WESTERN GERMANY, WILL MAKE THE PRINCIPAL SPEECHES AT THE REICHSTAG AND RENEW DEMANDS FOR ALL-BERLIN AND ALL-GERMAN FREE ELECTIONS.

IN THE SOVIET SECTOR COMMUNIST TRADE UNIONS ARE OFFICIAL HOSTS TO THE EASTERN RALLY. THEIR NEWSPAPERS INDICATED THE SPEAKERS WILL DEMAND THAT ALL GERMANS BACK THE "NATIONAL FRONT". THIS IS AN ASSORTMENT OF MASS ORGANIZATIONS OF YOUTH, WOMEN, UNIONS AND FAVORED PARTIES SPONSORED BY COMMUNISTS IN LIEU OF FREE ELECTIONS THE SOVIET SECTOR.

BOTH ASSEMBLY POINTS AND ROUTES OF MARCH WERE DECORATED BOLDLY WITH FLAGS AND POSTERS.

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PLANS APPARENTLY CALLED FOR NEITHER RALLY TO COLLIDE WITH THE OTHER. THE WESTERNERS WILL START AT 9 A.M. (3 A.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME). THE EASTERN RALLY WILL GET UNDER WAY SHORTLY BEFORE NOON. BUT WESTERN AUTHORITIES WERE WARY OF ROVING GROUPS WHICH MIGHT START TROUBLE.

THE DAY WILL BE A TEST OF WEST BERLIN'S POLICE. THE MILITARY COMMANDERS HOPED THE 11,000 MEN UNDER POLICE CHIEF JOHANNES STUMM COULD HANDLE ANY THREATS TO LAW AND ORDER.

THE WESTERN COMMANDERS VIEWED TOMORROW'S RALLIES AS A GUIDEPOST FOR FUTURE ACTION. THE COMMUNISTS MAY TIP OFF HOW FAR THEY ARE WILLING TO GO WITH PUTSCH TACTICS IN THEIR UNCEASING CAMPAIGN TO INCH THE SOVIET SYSTEM WESTWARD.

THE DAY MAY DISCLOSE HOW SERIOUS A THREAT THE PROPOSED MARCH OF 500,000 COMMUNIST YOUTH DURING THE WHITSUN WEEKEND OF MAY 26-28 POSES FOR THE WEST.

THE PREPARATIONS HAVE EVOKED GRIM WARNINGS FROM WASHINGTON THAT VIOLENT TACTICS WOULD BE OPPOSED WITH MACHINEGUNS IF NECESSARY. ABOUT 8,000 WESTERN TROOPS ARE HERE. ABOUT 3,000 MORE ARE IN WESTERN GERMANY READY TO BE FLOWN IN. SPECIAL UNITS HAVE BEEN ENGAGED IN REALISTIC RIOT-CONTROL EXERCISES.

ONE OF TWO AMERICAN HELICOPTERS BROUGHT TO BERLIN FOR OBSERVATION OF THE 70 MILES OF WEST BERLIN'S BORDERS MADE ITS FIRST TEST FLIGHT THIS AFTERNOON. IT LANDED NEAR HEADQUARTERS OF THE U.S. HIGH COMMISSION WHILE HUNDREDS OF SUNDAY AFTERNOON STROLLERS WATCHED.

THE PILOT OF THE PLANE WAS LT. H.G. HILTON OF WINBURNE, PENNA. THE NAVIGATOR WAS LT. C. L. SHORT OF 1205 20TH STREET, N.W., WASHINGTON, D.C.

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BERLIN, APRIL 30-(AP)-CHURCH SOURCES SAID TODAY KONRAD CARDINAL VON PREYSING, BISHOP OF BERLIN, HAS COMPLAINED THAT THE CATHOLIC CHURCH FEELS ITSELF "MOST SERIOUSLY PREJUDICED" BY THE EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT'S HOSTILE ATTITUDE.

THE COMPLAINT WAS CONTAINED IN A LETTER THE CARDINAL SENT LAST WEEK TO PREMIER OTTO GROTEWOHL.

THE CARDINAL DEMANDED PARTICULARLY THAT THE GOVERNMENT OF COMMUNIST-RULED EAST GERMANY CHANGE ITS CULTURAL POLICY WHICH HE CHARGED WITH SPREADING A MATERIALISTIC WORLD PHILOSOPHY IN SCHOOLS, IN PUBLIC SPEECHES, IN THE PRESS AND IN LITERATURE.

DISCLOSURE OF HIS PROTEST FOLLOWED BY A WEEK A SIMILAR BLAST AT THE EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT BY PROTESTANT BISHOP OTTO DIBELIUS, HEAD OF THE EVANGELICAL CHURCH, WHO DEMANDED THAT THE EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT RESTORE CIVIL LIBERTIES TO THE PEOPLE.

INFORMANTS SAID GOVERNMENT LEADERS WILL HOLD ANOTHER CONFERENCE WITH PROTESTANT AND CATHOLIC CHURCH OFFICIALS EARLY IN MAY ON THE TENSE CHURCH SITUATION. REPRESENTATIVES OF CHURCHES AND THE GOVERNMENT MET FOR SIX HOURS FRIDAY AND ANNOUNCED THEY WOULD CONTINUE NEGOTIATIONS.

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TETTAU, GERMANY, APRIL 30-(AP)-ABOUT 800 GERMAN YOUTHS FROM THE SOVIET ZONE MARCHED UP TO THE AMERICAN ZONE BORDER HERE TONIGHT CARRYING LIGHTED TORCHES. THEY SANG THE OLD SONGS OF THE HITLER YOUTH MOVEMENT WITH NEW COMMUNIST WORDS.

A JEEP-LOAD OF AMERICAN SOLDIERS ARMED WITH MACHINEGUNS STOOD GUARD DUTY IN CASE OF ANY INCIDENTS, BUT THE YOUTHS MADE NO ATTEMPT TO CROSS THE BORDER.

IT WAS THE BEGINNING OF MAY DAY ACTIVITY WHICH THE COMMUNISTS HAVE ADVERTISED AS ANTI-AMERICAN DEMONSTRATIONS.

THE MARCHERS -- RANGING IN AGE FROM 10 TO 20 -- SHOUTED "DOWN WITH ZONAL BARRIERS" AND "LIBERTY FOR ALL GERMANY".

THEY HAD COME FROM THE SOVIET ZONE TOWNS OF HASENTHAL AND SPECHTSBRUNN TO SING, SHOUT AND LISTEN TO SPEECHES FROM THEIR LEADERS WITHIN EARSHOT OF THE AMERICAN ZONE.

SOME MARCHERS, APPARENTLY REPRESENTING SPORTS ORGANIZATION, SHIVERED IN THEIR SKIMPY TRACK AND FIELD SUITS.

ABOUT 150 GERMANS FROM THE AMERICAN ZONE LISTENED FROM 15 YARDS INSIDE THE BORDER WHERE THEY WERE KEPT BY AMERICAN ZONE POLICE.

SOME OF THE YOUTHS CARRIED THE BANNERS OF THE COMMUNIST-SPONSORED FREE GERMAN YOUTH, SOME THE RED BANNERS OF THE SOVIET ZONE TRADE UNION MOVEMENT AND OTHERS THE BLACK, RED AND GOLD FLAG OF THE SOVIET ZONE GOVERNMENT.

AMERICAN ZONE GERMANS WATCHED THE DEMONSTRATION CALMLY. THERE WERE NO DISORDERS.

AT THE END OF THE SINGING AND SPEECH-MAKING, THE SOVIET ZONE YOUTHS OFFERED THEIR HANDS ACROSS THE ZONAL BORDER, BUT THERE WAS NO RESPONSE FROM THE WEST GERMANS, WHO STOOD STOLIDLY SOME YARDS AWAY.

ABOUT 80 SOVIET ZONE CHILDREN MARCHED UP TO THE BRITISH ZONE BORDER AT SCHNACKENBURG AND SANG COMMUNIST SONGS.

"WHY DON'T YOU SING LOUDER?" SHOUTED BRITISH ZONE CHILDREN. "IS IT BECAUSE YOU DON'T GET ENOUGH TO EAT?"

COMMUNIST DEMONSTRATORS LIGHTED BONFIRES AT VARIOUS POINTS ALONG THE BOUNDARIES OF THE RUSSIAN-BRITISH ZONE BUT THERE WERE NO DISORDERS.

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DACHAU, GERMANY, APRIL 30-(AP)-NINE AMERICAN AIRPLANES FLYING IN THE FORM OF A CROSS, FLEW OVER DACHAU TODAY IN CEREMONIES MARKING THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE LIBERATION OF THE INFAMOUS NAZI CONCENTRATION CAMP BY THE AMERICAN ARMY.

FIVE THOUSAND FORMER INMATES FROM FRANCE, BELGIUM, LUXENBOURG, BRITAIN, AUSTRIA AND GERMANY JOINED IN DEDICATING A STATUE TO THE CAMP'S DEAD OUTSIDE THE FORMER CREMATORIUM.

DR. HANS EHARD, MINISTER-PRESIDENT OF BAVARIA, LAID THE CORNER-STONE OF A HALL WHICH WILL BE DEDICATED TO THE MEMORY OF THE CAMP'S THOUSANDS OF VICTIMS.

HE EXPRESSED HOPE THAT THE HALL WILL NOT SERVE AS A SYMBOL OF HATRED BUT AS A REMINDER OF THE MISUSE OF POWER BY DICTATORSHIPS.

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DUESSELDORF, GERMANY, APRIL 30-(AP)-FRANZ BLUECHER, VICE CHANCELLOR OF THE WEST GERMAN GOVERNMENT, WAS ELECTED CHAIRMAN OF THE FREE DEMOCRATIC PARTY (FDP) TODAY. HE SUCCEEDS THEODOR HEUSS, FEDERAL PRESIDENT, WHO GAVE UP HIS PARTY FUNCTIONS LAST SUMMER.

THE FDP, - RIGHT WING PARTY, IS THE THIRD STRONGEST IN WEST GERMANY. THE CONSERVATIVE DEMOCRATIC UNION (CDU) AND THE LEFT OF CENTER SOCIALIST PARTY (SPD) TOPPED FDP IN LAST SUMMER'S ELECTIONS.

REINHOLD MAIER, MINISTER-PRESIDENT (GOVERNOR) OF WUERTTEMBERG-BADEN, TOLD THE PARTY MEETING FOREIGN PRESS REPORTS HAD GREATLY EXAGGERATED NATIONALISM IN WEST GERMANY. GERMANS, HE DECLARED, ARE NO MORE NATIONALISTIC THAN OTHER PEOPLE.

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WIESBADEN, GERMANY, APRIL 30-(AP)-A U.S. AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN SAID TOAY AN AMERICAN PLANE WITH ENGINE TROUBLE SHOT ITS AMMUNITION "INTO THE CLEAR" TO LIGHTEN ITS LOAD AND SO CAUSED THE ITALIAN TOWN OF RUFFRE TO THINK IT WAS BEING MACHINEGUNNED.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID IT WAS THE EMPTY CARTRIDGES --NOT LIVE BULLETS-- WHICH RATTLED ON RUFFRE'S TILE ROOFS YESTERDAY AND SENT THE PEOPLE SCATTERING. SOME ITALIANS THOUGHT THERE HAD BEEN AN AERIAL DOGFIGHT.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID LT. DANIEL J. SHEEHAN, JR. OF WEST SPRINGFIELD, MASS., WAS PILOTING AN F-47 FIGHTER FROM NEUBIBERG AIR BASE IN SOUTHERN GERMANY TO WHEELER FIELD, TRIPOLI, BY WAY OF BRENNER PASS. WHEN THE PLANE DEVELOPED ENGINE TROUBLE HE DROPPED EXTERNAL FUEL TANKS AND SHOT OFF HIS AMMUNITION SO HE COULD LAND SAFELY. HE MADE THE LANDING AT TREVISO, SOUTHEAST OF TRENTO.

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FRANKFURT, GERMANY, APRIL 30-(AP)-FIFTY AMERICAN MILITARY POLICE WERE SENT TO FRANKFURT'S MAIN RAILROAD STATION TONIGHT FOLLOWING A REPORT THAT COMMUNIST YOUTHS INTENDED TO "TAKE OVER" THE MILITARY TRAIN TO BERLIN.

POLICE FORMED A CORDON AROUND THE STATION PLATFORM, BUT THE YOUTHS FAILED TO APPEAR AND THE TRAIN LEFT WITHOUT TROUBLE.

AMERICAN SPECIAL AGENTS AND GERMAN CITY POLICE ALSO WERE POSTED IN THE STATION TO BLOCK ANY VIOLENCE.

THE ELABORATE PRECAUTIONS FOLLOWED A TIP THAT MEMBERS OF THE FREE GERMAN YOUTH, A COMMUNIST-SPONSORED YOUNG PEOPLE'S ORGANIZATION, WOULD TRY TO SWARM ON THE TRAIN TO GET TO BERLIN FOR A MAY DAY DEMONSTRATION.

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LONDON, MONDAY, MAY 1-(AP)-SOVIET SOLDIERS AND SAILORS TODAY WERE URGED TO STUDY THEIR POLITICAL HANDBOOKS AS HARD AS THEIR COMBAT MANUALS DURING SUMMER TRAINING.

SPECIAL ORDERS OF THE DAY ALONG THESE LINES CAME FROM MARSHAL ALEXANDER M. VASILEVSKY, ARMY MINISTER, AND ADM. IVAN S. YUMASHEV, NAVY MINISTER, IN CONNECTION WITH THE OBSERVANCE OF MAY DAY.

THE ORDERS WERE REPORTED IN A TASS DISPATCH DISTRIBUTED HERE.

VASILEVSKY'S ORDER SAID:

"I WISH THE WHOLE PERSONNEL OF OUR ARMY TO ATTAIN NEW SUCCESSES IN COMBAT AND POLITICAL PREPAREDNESS DURING THE COMING SUMMER PERIOD OF TRAINING."

THE MARSHAL ORDERED 20 ARTILLERY SALVOES FIRED DURING THE DAY IN MOSCOW, KALININGRAD, LVOV, KHABAROVSK, VLADIVOSTOK; THE "HERO CITIES OF LENINGRAD, STALINGRAD, SEVASTOPOL AND ODESSA," AND THE CAPITALS OF THE MEMBER STATES IN THE U.S.S.R.

ADM. YUMASHEV SAID THE SOVIET NAVY HAS AN "OBLIGATION TO RAISE STILL NIGHTI

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HE MEMBER STATES IN THE U.S.S.R.

ADM. YUMASHEV SAID THE SOVIET NAVY HAS AN "OBLIGATION TO RAISE STILL HIGHER THE FIGHTING EFFICIENCY OF THE VESSELS AND UNITS X X X AND IMPROVE IN EVERY WAY OUR VIGILANCE TOWARD THE INTRIGUES OF THE IMPERIALISTIC POWERS." HE ADDED:

"I WISH YOU NEW SUCCESSES IN COMBAT AND POLITICAL TRAINING."

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LONDON, APRIL 30-(AP)-BRITAIN'S ATOMIC ENERGY PLANT AT HARWELL HAS STARTED OPERATION OF A MACHINE WHICH CAUSES ATOMIC PARTICLES TO TRAVEL AT ALMOST THE SPEED OF LIGHT, 186,000 MILES PER SECOND IT WAS ANNOUNCED TODAY.

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IT IS EXPECTED THE MACHINE WILL FACILITATE RESEARCH INTO THE PROBLEM OF PRODUCING ATOMIC POWER, A MINISTRY OF SUPPLY ANNOUNCEMENT SAID. IT WAS ALSO EXPECTED THAT EXPERIMENTS NOW UNDER WAY WILL INDICATE HOW ATOMIC PILES MAY BE DESIGNED FOR GREATER EFFICIENCY.

THE NEW MACHINE IS CALLED A TRAVELING WAVE LINEAR ACCELERATOR. IT GENERATES ENERGIES OF THREE AND A HALF MILLION ELECTRON VOLTS, AND RADIATION FROM IT IS SO INTENSE THAT IT HAS HAD TO BE INSTALLED IN ITS OWN SHELTER. ITS WALLS AND ROOF ARE MADE OF BRICK AND CONCRETE FOUR AND A HALF FEET THICK. x43

IT IS THE SECOND HIGH-POWERED PARTICLE ACCELERATOR TO GO INTO ACTION AT HARWELL. THE FIRST WAS A SYNCHRO-CYCLOTRON, WHICH BEGAN OPERATION LAST DECEMBER. THE OLDER MACHINE SPEEDS UP PARTICLES IN A CIRCULAR PATH; THE NEW MACHINE PROPELS THEM IN A STRAIGHT LINE.

THE MINISTRY EXPLAINED THAT IN DEVELOPING ATOMIC ENERGY IT WAS MOST IMPORTANT TO MEASURE THE NUCLEAR PROPERTIES OF MATERIALS, AND PARTICULARLY THE INTERACTIONS OF NEUTRONS WITH THE ATOMS OF VARIOUS ELEMENTS. THE MEASUREMENTS HAVE A BEARING ON THE DESIGN OF NUCLEAR REACTORS BECAUSE THE CHOICE OF MATERIALS IS LIMITED BY THEIR NUCLEAR PROPERTIES.

THE NEW MACHINE PROVIDES A PROLIFIC SOURCE OF NEUTRONS FOR SUCH STUDIES.

THE MACHINE GIVES OUT A SERIES OF INTENSE SHORT BURSTS OF HIGH ENERGY ELECTRONS AIMED AT A HEAVY METAL TARGET. THE IMPACT WITH THE METAL PRODUCES A CORRESPONDING SERIES OF BURSTS OF GAMMA RAYS. MOST OF THE GAMMA RAYS ARE ABSORBED IN A TANK OF HEAVY WATER. THE HEAVY HYDROGEN NUCLEI IN THE WATER THEN BREAK UP AND EMIT THE NEUTRONS.

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DUNDEE, SCOTLAND, APRIL 30-(AP)-WAR MINISTER JOHN STRACHEY TODAY REFUSED TO SIGN A SOVIET-SPONSORED "PEACE PLEDGE," DECLARING THAT HE CHALLENGES THE GOOD FAITH OF BRITAIN'S COMMUNISTS.

STRACHEY DESCRIBED THE INCIDENT IN A SPEECH BEFORE A LABOR MEETING.

THE WAR MINISTER HIMSELF RECENTLY WAS SUBJECTED TO ATTACK BY SOME CONSERVATIVE NEWSPAPERS FOR HIS PRO-COMMUNIST WRITINGS IN THE 1930'S. HE REPLIED HE HAD REPUDIATED THESE VIEWS PUBLICLY IN 1940.

STRACHEY TOLD THE LABOR MEETING THAT A DEPUTATION WHICH REFUSED TO IDENTIFY ITSELF BUT APPARENTLY WAS COMMUNIST HAD ASKED HIM WHETHER HE FAVORS THE ABOLITION OF THE ATOM BOMB, ATOMIC WARFARE, AND BRANDING AS AGGRESSIVE ANY GOVERNMENT WHICH USES THIS WEAPON.

HE REPLIED THAT ANY SANE MAN OR WOMAN WOULD ABSOLUTELY OPPOSE THE USE OF THE ATOMIC WEAPON AND THAT HE WOULD LIKE NOTHING BETTER THAN TO SEE IT ABOLISHED.

AT THE SAME TIME, HE ADDED, HE "COULD NOT POSSIBLY SIGN THE PIECES OF PAPER PLEDGES THEY HAD OFFERED ME BECAUSE I DID NOT RECOGNIZE THE GOOD FAITH OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY REPRESENTATIVES IN THIS OR OTHER MATTERS."

STRACHEY'S SPEECH WAS INTERRUPTED FREQUENTLY BY COMMUNIST SYMPATHIZERS.

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HE SAID THAT "ON THESE MATTERS OF PEACE AND WAR WE CANNOT POSSIBLY IGNORE THE FACT THAT REPRESENTATIVES OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY AND THE COMMUNIST PARTY (ITSELF) ARE NOT REALLY THINKING SINCERELY AND HONESTLY OF THE PEACE OF THE WORLD."

THE WAR MINISTER SAID THAT PARTY IS WORKING FOR "ITS OWN SPECIAL INTERNATIONAL INTEREST, BOUND UP WITH WHAT IT SUPPOSES AT ANY RATE TO BE THE INTERNATIONAL INTERESTS OF RUSSIA." BOOS FROM THE COMMUNIST SYMPATHIZERS GREETED THIS STATEMENT.

HE ACCUSED THE COMMUNISTS OF TRYING TO SPLIT THE LABOR MOVEMENT IN THE FEBRUARY GENERAL ELECTION.

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VIAREGGIO, ITALY, APRIL 30-(AP)-AN ITALIAN SHIPYARD HAS BEGUN CONSTRUCTION OF TEN 112-TON TUGBOATS FOR RUSSIA, IT WAS ANNOUNCED TODAY.

TWO SOVIET TECHNICIANS ATTENDED CEREMONIES INAUGURATING THE WORK HERE YESTERDAY. THE TUGS, POWERED BY 250 HORSEPOWER ENGINES, WILL BE DELIVERED TO RUSSIA BETWEEN AUG. 31 AND JAN. 31, 1951, UNDER TERMS OF AN ITALIAN-SOVIET COMMERCIAL TREATY. 1950

ITALIAN INDUSTRY AND COMMERCE MINISTER GIUSEPPE TOGNI, IN AN ADDRESS AT THE CEREMONIES, SAID POLITICAL AND IDEOLOGICAL DIFFERENCES DO NOT ALTER THE NEED TO EXCHANGE PRODUCTS. HE ADDED "EFFECTIVE ECONOMIC SOLIDARITY" IS THE PREMISE FOR POLITICAL RELATIONS.

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BY ALEX SINGLETON

BELGRADE, YUGOSLAVIA, APRIL 30-(AP)-YUGOSLAV COMMUNISTS TRIUMPHANTLY PROCLAIMED TONIGHT THAT PREMIER MARSHAL TITO'S GOVERNMENT HAS BROKEN THE SOVIET-ORGANIZED COMINFORM'S BLOCKADE OF THE COUNTRY.

A MAY DAY EVE PROCLAMATION BY THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE YUGOSLAV COMMUNIST PARTY DECLARED:

"IN THE LAST FEW YEARS OUR COUNTRY SUCCEEDED IN BREAKING THE ECONOMIC BLOCKADE WHICH WAS ORGANIZED BY RUSSIA AND IN BROADENING THE TRADE EXCHANGES WITH THOSE COUNTRIES WHICH ARE WILLING TO DEAL WITH US ON EQUAL TERMS WITHOUT MIXING INTO THE INTERIOR AFFAIRS OF OUR COUNTRY."

THIS WAS APPARENTLY A REFERENCE TO THE BETTERING OF RELATIONS BETWEEN YUGOSLAVIA, THE UNITED STATES AND OTHER WESTERN COUNTRIES.

THE EIGHT-PAGE, 3,000-WORD STATEMENT VISIONED YUGOSLAVIA'S DEVELOPMENT AS THE "SPARK WHICH IS GOING TO FLAME UP IN NEW VICTORIES FOR THE FORCE OF SOCIALISM". THIS COULD BE INTERPRETED AS A BID TO OTHER COUNTRIES, SUCH AS COMMUNIST CHINA, TO DEVELOP AN INDEPENDENT COMMUNIST PARTY FREE FROM SUBSERVIENCE TO THE KREMLIN.

THE PROCLAMATION BLUNTLY DECLARED THAT RUSSIA'S POLICY TOWARDS YUGOSLAVIA WAS "HOSTILE" AND PART OF A PROPAGANDA WAR. IT SAID THE CAMPAIGN SERVED ONLY TO COMPLICATE "AN ALREADY COMPLICATED INTERNATIONAL SITUATION AND DIVERT THE ATTENTION OF THE WORKING MASSES OF THE WORLD FROM THEIR ACUTE PROBLEMS."

IT SAID YUGOSLAVIA'S RESISTANCE HAD SHOWN THAT THE PEOPLE HERE COULD AND WOULD MAINTAIN THEIR "FIGHT IN A JUST CAUSE FOR EQUAL RELATIONS" AMONG ALL COUNTRIES.

THE PROCLAMATION WAS ADDRESSED TO THE WORKERS, PEASANTS, INTELLIGENTSIA, YOUTH AND SOLDIERS OF YUGOSLAVIA. IT SAID:

"YOU ARE EDUCATED BY THE BRIGHT TRADITIONS OF OUR LIBERATION STRUGGLE AND THE PEOPLE'S REVOLUTION TO RESPECT OTHER PEOPLE, BUT TO BE AT THE SAME TIME PITILESS TOWARD THOSE WHO WOULD X X X IMPAIR THE LIBERTY AND INDEPENDENCE OF OUR COUNTRY."

YUGOSLAVS HEARD THE PROCLAMATION AS THEY PREPARED TO CELEBRATE THE LABOR HOLIDAY, MAY DAY.

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BELGRADE'S STREETS WERE DRAPED WITH THE NATIONAL COLORS OF RED, WHITE AND BLUE -- INSTEAD OF JUST THE COMMUNIST RED. BRIGHT LIGHTS ILLUMINATED HUGE RED STARS ATOP BUILDINGS AND SPOTTED HUGE PICTURES OF TITO AND EIGHT OTHER MEMBERS OF THE POLITBURO.

FOR THE SECOND YEAR IN A ROW THERE WERE NO PICTURES OF RUSSIA'S PRIME MINISTER STALIN WHICH ARE COMMON TO MAY DAY DEMONSTRATIONS IN COUNTRIES UNDER THE KREMLIN'S DOMINATION. INSTEAD THE PICTURES OF TITO AND OTHER YUGOSLAV LEADERS WERE FLANKED WITH PICTURES OF MARX, NGELS AND LENIN AS THE APOSTLES OF TRUE COMMUNISM.

THE BIG PARADE HERE TOMORROW WILL DEMONSTRATE YUGOSLAVIA'S ELIEF IN ITS OWN INDEPENDENT COMMUNISM AND CONFIDENCE IN ITS FUTURE.

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BY THOMAS P.WHITNEY

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MOSCOW, APRIL 30-(AP)-MUSCOVITES DECORATED THEIR CITY WITH THOUSANDS OF YARDS OF RED BUNTING TODAY IN PREPARATION FOR TOMORROW'S BIG MAY DAY CELEBRATION AND PARADE.

PORTRAITS OF PRIME MINISTER STALIN, V.I. LENIN AND MEMBERS OF THE POLITBURO MADE THEIR APPEARANCE ON THOUSANDS OF BUILDINGS. MAY DAY IS AN OFFICIAL HOLIDAY THROUGHOUT THE SOVIET UNION.

THERE WAS A GENERAL HOLIDAY SPIRIT THROUGHOUT MOSCOW. EVEN THE TREES JOINED IN, LAST WEEK'S HEAT WAVE BRINGING THEM TO LEAF JUST IN TIME FOR MAY DAY.

AN ORDER TO THE ARMIES OF THE MOSCOW GARRISON, PUBLISHED IN ALL PAPERS THIS MORNING, ANNOUNCED THAT TOMORROW'S MILITARY PARADE WILL BE REVIEWED BY GEN. S.M. SHTEMENKO, CHIEF OF THE SOVIET ARMY'S GENERAL STAFF. A WORKERS' DEMONSTRATION WILL FOLLOW THE PARADE.

FOREIGN DELEGATIONS WERE ARRIVING FOR THE HOLIDAY. TODAY'S PAPERS ANNOUNCED THAT GROUPS HAD COME REPRESENTING BULGARIAN WORKERS, THE GERMAN WORKERS' SOCIETY, THE BELGIAN-SOVIET FRIENDSHIP GROUP AND FREE AUSTRIAN YOUTH. THERE ALSO ARE GROUPS PRESENT FROM BRITAIN, DENMARK AND FRANCE.

AT THE SAME TIME, GROUPS FROM THE SOVIET UNION ARE VISITING OTHER CAPITALS FOR THE MAY DAY CELEBRATION. FOR INSTANCE, TODAY'S PAPERS REPORTED A SOVIET GROUP HAD ARRIVED IN PEIPING.

IN GENERAL, THE PRESS COMMENTARY ON THE EVE OF THE HOLIDAY EXPRESSED A MOOD OF SELF-CONFIDENCE. THE LEAD EDITORIAL IN PRAVDA, THE COMMUNIST PARTY ORGAN, DECLARED THAT "WORKERS IN ALL COUNTRIES, UNDER THE BANNER OF LENIN AND STALIN, ARE CONDUCTING A SUCCESSFUL BATTLE AGAINST CAPITALIST SLAVERY AND BLOODY IMPERIALIST WARS."

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MOSCOW, APRIL 30-(AP)-SOVIET ACADEMICIAN M.M. LEONTEVICH DECLARED TODAY COMMUNIST FREDERIC JOLIOT-CURIE WAS FIRED AS HEAD OF THE FRENCH ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION BECAUSE HE WISHED TO USE ATOMIC ENERGY FOR PEACE, NOT WAR.

WRITING IN TRUD, LABOR UNION PAPER, LEONTEVICH SAID "THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT IS SUBJECTING THE SCIENTIST TO PERSECUTION, TRYING TO FRIGHTEN TH BATTLERS FOR PEACE. BUT ONE CAN SAY BOLDLY TO THE ORGANIZERS OF THE PERSECUTION OF OUR FRIEND, 'IT WILL NOT WORK.' HOWEVER FIERCE THE IMPERIALIST WARMONGERS MAY GROW, THEY WILL NOT SUCCEED IN STOPPING THE PARTISANS OF PEACE. WE ARE WITH YOU, OLIOT-CURIE."

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PARIS--APRIL 30-(AP)-PIETRO NENNI, PRO-COMMUNIST SOCIALIST LEADER IN ITALY, TODAY PROTESTED THE DISMISSAL OF FREDERIC JOLIOT-CURIE AS HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR ATOMIC ENERGY IN FRANCE.

OTHER PROTEST TELEGRAMS TO THE WORLD COMMITTEE OF PEACE PARTISANS WERE SENT BY M. EINAUDI, SON OF THE ITALIAN PRESIDENT, THE SWEDISH COMMITTEE OF PEACE PARTISANS, THE BELGIAN UNION FOR THE DEFENSE OF PEACE, THE PEACE COMMITTEE OF FINLAND AND THE ITALIAN COMMITTEE OF THE PARTISANS OF PEACE.

JOLIOT-CURIE WAS DISMISSED BY THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT FRIDAY AFTER HE HAD DECLARED THAT COMMUNIST SCIENTISTS NEVER WOULD CONTRIBUTE TO A WAR AGAINST RUSSIA.

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BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI, FORMOSA, MONDAY, MAY 1-(AP)-GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK DECLARED TODAY HIS CHINESE NATIONALISTS WERE FIGHTING AN "ANTI-RUSSIAN WAR."

IN A MAY DAY MESSAGE THE NATIONALIST CHIEF BITTERLY ASSAILED BOTH THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS AND THE SOVIET UNION.

HE DESCRIBED THE ISLAND OF FORMOSA AS "OUR BASE IN THE ANTI-OMMUNIST AND ANTI-RUSSIAN WAR FOR NATIONAL SALVATION."

IN THE HALF-CENTURY SINCE THE START OF DR. SUN YAT-SEN'S REVOLUTIONARY MOVEMENT CHIANG ASSERTED, THE MANCHU DYNASTY HAS BEEN OVERTHROWN, THE NORTHERN WARLORDS ELIMINATED AND JAPANESE AGGRESSION THWARTED, BUT:

"NOW WE ARE FIGHTING AGAINST THE COMMUNISTS AND SOVIET RUSSIA."

CHIANG STATED, "TODAY MAO TZE-TUNG (THE CHINESE COMMUNIST LEADER) HAS ADOPTED A 'LEANING-TO-ONE-SIDE' POLICY TOWARDS SOVIET RUSSIA, HAS PUT ALL MATERIAL RESOURCES AND INDUSTRIAL EQUIPMENT OF THE MAINLAND AT RUSSIA'S DISPOSAL, AND HAS SUBJECTED OUR COMPATRIOTS TO SOVIET SERVITUDE.

"ALL WORKERS SHOULD ALL THE MORE CONSOLIDATE THEMSELVES IN THE ANTI-COMMUNIST, ANTI-RUSSIAN FIGHT IN ORDER TO ACCOMPLISH THE NATIONAL REVOLUTION."

CHIANG SAID THAT UNDER THE COMMUNISTS, PRODUCTION HAD BEEN REDUCED, WAGES DECREASED AND WORKING HOURS LENGTHENED, WHILE MILLIONS HAD BECOME JOBLESS.

ADDRESSING HIS REMARKS TO THOSE WORKERS ON THE MAINLAND, HE STATED, "YOU HAVE FULLY RECOGNIZED THE SIGNIFICANCE OF THE STRUGGLE AGAINST THE COMMUNISTS AND SOVIET RUSSIA. YOUR HATRED FOR AND PROREST AGAINST THE COMMUNISTS, YOUR SABOTAGE AND STRIKES, ARE OF EQUAL IMPORTANCE AS THE CONTRIBUTION MADE BY WORKERS IN THE REAR.

"OUR ANTI-COMMUNIST AND ANTI-RUSSIAN STRENGTH LIES IN THE WORKERS...ONLY THROUGH THRIFT AND HARD WORK IN THE REAR AND THROUGH CONSOLIDATED EFFORTS AT THE FRONT CAN TAIWAN (FORMOSA) BE HELD AND VICTORY OVER COMMUNISM AND RUSSIA BE WON.

"ONLY THROUGH ERADICATION OF THE PSYCHOLOGY OF OPPORTUNISM AND DEPENDENCE, AND THROUGH A HEIGHTENING OF THE SPIRIT OF INDEPENDENCE CAN WE CRUSH THE TRAITOROUS COMMUNISTS, DRIVE OUT RUSSIAN AGGRESSION AND RESTORE FREEDOM AND EQUALITY TO THE REPUBLIC OF CHINA.

"OUR ANTI-COMMUNIST WAR IS A WAR AGAINST AGGRESSION. WHILE 450,000,000 CHINESE NOW PIN THEIR HOPES ON TAIWAN (FORMOSA), THE BRUTE FORCE OF THE RUSSIAN AGGRESSOR AND THE COMMUNISTS IS ALSO POINTED TO THIS ISLAND...

"THE COMMUNISTS, IN PREPARATION FOR ARMED ATTACK ON TAIWAN, HAVE BEEN TRYING HARD TO SPREAD POISONOUS IDEOLOGIES AMONG US. THEY ATTEMPT TO DIVIDE US WITH THE SOCALLED CLASS STRUGGLE, AND TO

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SHATTER OUR MORALE WITH DEFEATISM...WE MUST MAKE TAIWAN A STRONG FORTRESS AND UNITE 450,000,000 PEOPLE IN COMMON STRUGGLE AGAINST COMMUNISM AND RUSSIA...

"THIS IS A WAR FOR NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE AND EXISTENCE, FOR THE FREE LIFE OF A HARD-WORKING PEOPLE, FOR THE RESTORATION OF THE CHINESE NATION...

"IT WILL EVENTUALLY END IN A FINAL, GLORIOUS VICTORY."

THE ONLY ACTIVE WAR NEWS WAS WORD THAT GEN. HSUEH YUEH, NATIONALIST DEFENSE COMMANDER FROM HAINAN ISLAND, HAD FLOWN TO FORMOSA SATURDAY AND THAT THE NATIONALIST NAVY REPORTED SINKING 60 COMMUNIST SMALL CRAFT NEAR HAINAN IN THE PAST TWO DAYS.

NATIONALISTS REMAINING ON HAINAN WERE LEFT UNDER COMMAND OF GEN. CHEN CHI OF THE FOURTH ARMY.

AN OFFOCIAL SOURCE SAID YULIN, TEMPORARY HEADQUARTERS ON HAINAN'S SOUTH COAST, HAD "NOT YET" BEEN ABANDONED TO THE COMMUNIST INVADERS. GUERRILLAS JUST NORTH OF YULIN APPEARED TO BE WAITING FOR RED REGULARS TO ARRIVE.

(THE RED RADIO SAID SATURDAY THAT THE REGULARS WERE WITHIN 70 MILES OF YULIN, ADVANCING IN CAPTURED TRUCKS WITHOUT OPPOSITION.)

NATIONALIST QUARTERS REFUSED TO SAY HOW MANY TROOPS HAD BEEN EVACUATED FROM HAINAN BUT THERE WERE INTIMATKONS THE NUMBER WAS SUBSTANTIAL. (WHEN THE REDS INVADED HAINAN APRIL 17, NATIONALIST DEFENDERS WERE ESTIMATED TO TOTAL 125,000. ALL IMPARTIAL INDICATIONS WERE THAT FEW OF THE RANK AND FILE COULD ESCAPE, OWING TO SHIPPING SHORTAGES.)

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TOKYO, MONDAY, MAY 1-(AP)-CHINA'S COMMUNISTS TODAY RULED OUT THE IDEA OF AMERICAN AID FOR THEIR FAMINE-STRICKEN LAND. THEY CHARGED RELIEF OFFERS CLOAK A DESIRE "TO CONDUCT SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES" AMONG THE CHINESE.

THE RED STAND WAS VOICED BY LIU SHAO-CHI, CONSIDERED BY MANY FOREIGN OBSERVERS THE NO. 2 CHINESE COMMUNIST AND THE MOST PRO-RUSSIAN LEADER IN THE PEIPING GOVERNMENT. HIS TITLE IS VICE CHAIRMAN OF THE CENTRAL PEOPLES GOVERNMENT COUNCIL. x17

A PEIPING RADIO BROADCAST MONITORED HERE QUOTED LIU AS SAYING IN AN ADDRESS TO KEY WORKERS IN THE RED CAPITAL:

"HAVING HELPED CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S GANG (CHINESE NATIONALISTS) TO KILL SEVERAL MILLIONS OF CHINESE PEOPLE, AMERICAN IMPERIALISTS SUDDENLY BECAME PHILANTHROPIC AND SAID THEY WOULD COME HERE TO RELIEVE PEOPLES IN AFFECTED AREAS.

"THE PURPOSE OF THEIR SO-CALLED RELIEF IS THAT THEY WANT TO CONDUCT SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES AMONG PEOPLE OF AFFECTED AREAS IN CHINA."

U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON ON APRIL 5 SAID THE STATE DEPARTMENT WAS CONSIDERING WHETHER TO SEND SURPLUS WHEAT AND OTHER COMMODITIES TO HELP CHINA'S FAMINE AREAS. HE INDICATED IF AID WERE SENT IT PROBABLY WOULD BE THROUGH PRIVATE ORGANIZATIONS BECAUSE OF THE U.S. GOVERNMENT'S DIFFICULTY WITH THE CHINESE RED GOVERNMENT.

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~~HONG KONG, APRIL 30-(AP)-LEADERS OF HONG KONG'S CHINESE~~ COMMUNITY ARE PROTESTING CANCELLATION OF THE TRADITIONAL FREE ENTRY OF CHINESE INTO ~~THIS~~ BRITISH COLONY.

EFFECTIVE MONDAY, THE COLONIAL GOVERNMENT HAS ORDERED THAT ONLY CHINESE WITH "VALID TRAVEL DOCUMENTS" BE ADMITTED.

THE "CHINA REFORM ASSOCIATION," WHICH MET LAST NIGHT, ISSUED A PRESS STATEMENT TODAY CONTENDING THE RESTRICTION VIOLATED THE TREATY UNDER WHICH BRITAIN OBTAINED HONG KONG IN 1842 AND ALSO WAS LIKELY TO COMPLICATE RELATIONS WITH THE CHINESE COMMUNIST REGIME.

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HONOLULU, APRIL 30-(AP)-CONSERVATIVE ELEMENTS BOLTED THE HAWAII DEMOCRATIC PARTY'S TERRITORIAL CONVENTION TODAY AND SET UP A RUMP SESSION.

THEY WALKED OUT TO PROTEST SEATING OF 16 DELEGATES WHO REFUSED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS BEFORE THE RECENT HOUSE UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE HEARINGS ON COMMUNISM.

THE CONSERVATIVES VOTED TO SEND A CABLEGRAM TO THE NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC CHAIRMAN, WILLIAM BOYLE, ASKING RECOGNITION. THEY CLAIMED 129 OF THE 484 DELEGATES PRESENT WHEN THE CONVENTION BEGAN THIS MORNING.

THE WALKOUT WAS LED BY HONOLULU SUPERVISOR ERNEST HEEN AND INCLUDED MRS. VICTORIA HOLT, NATIONAL COMMITTEE MEMBER. HEEN WAS DEFEATED FOR THE CONVENTION'S TEMPORARY CHAIRMANSHIP BY TERRITORIAL REP. EARL A. NEILSEN, 161 TO 319.

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SYDNEY, APRIL 30-(AP)-ADM. A.W. RADFORD, COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF THE U.S. PACIFIC FLEET, DECLARED UPON HIS ARRIVAL IN MELBOURNE TODAY "PEARL HARBOR WILL NEVER BE CAUGHT UNAWARE AGAIN."

HE IS VISITING AUSTRALIA AS A GUEST OF THE COMMONWEALTH GOVERNMENT FOR THE CORAL SEA BATTLE ANNIVERSARY WEEK.

RADFORD COMMENTED THAT AUSTRALIA WOULD HAVE TO DEPEND UPON HERSELF AT THE OUTSET IF WAR BROKE OUT IN THE PACIFIC BUT ADDED IT WOULD NOT TAKE LONG FOR OTHER NATIONS TO GET INTO IT.

"BUT," HE CONCLUDED, "I HAVE NO FEELING OF ANY IMMEDIATE DANGER."

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DAMASCUS, SYRIA, APRIL 30-(AP)-THE SYRIAN CABINET TODAY REJECTED THE RESIGNATION OF AKRAM HAWRANI AS DEFENSE MINISTER, BUT HAWRANI SAID HIS RESIGNATION STILL STANDS.

OBSERVERS SAID HAWRANI'S FIRMNESS MIGHT RESULT IN THE FALL OF THE PRESENT GOVERNMENT HEADED BY PREMIER KHALED EL-AZEM. HAWRANI IS CONSIDERED ONE OF THE CABINET'S STRONG MEN AND IS BELIEVED TO HAVE ARMY BACKING.

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BANDOENG, JAVA, U. S. I., APRIL 30-(AP)-FUNERAL SERVICES FOR YALE UNIVERSITY PROFESSOR RAYMOND KENNEDY AND TIME AND LIFE CORRESPONDENT ROBERT DOYLE, WHO WERE FOUND MURDERED FRIDAY, WERE HELD HERE TODAY.

FOLLOWING SIMPLE JOINT SERVICES OF THE DUTCH CATHOLIC CHURCH AT THE GRAVESIDE, THE BODIES WERE BURIED IN THE EUROPEAN CEMETERY OVERLOOKING THIS MOUNTAIN CITY.

NO MEMBERS OF EITHER FAMILY WERE PRESENT BUT SEVERAL HUNDRED

AMERICANS, INCLUDING U. S. EMBASSY OFFICIALS, INDONESIANS AND UNITED NATIONS' REPRESENTATIVES ATTENDED THE SERVICES. THE U. S. I. WAS REPRESENTED BY INFORMATION MINISTER MONONUTU.

MEANWHILE INDONESIAN CHIEF OF POLICE SUKANTO ARRIVED FROM JAKARTA TO PUSH AN INVESTIGATION OF THE UNSOLVED CRIME.

PRELIMINARY POLICE REPORTS SHOWED THE AMERICANS WERE KILLED WEDNESDAY MORNING ON A LONELY STRETCH OF HIGHWAY NEAR TOMO BY FOUR ASSASSINS WEARING UNIFORMS WITHOUT INSIGNIA.

THEY TRAILED PROF. KENNEDY'S JEEP IN A SEDAN AND TORE ACROSS THE ROAD BLOCKING THE JEEP. THE UNARMED VICTIMS WERE FORCED FROM THEIR CAR, TAKEN A FEW HUNDRED YARDS FROM THE ROAD AND SHOT WITH REVOLVERS AT CLOSE RANGE FROM BEHIND, POLICE REPORTS INDICATED.

THE GANG STRIPPED THE BODIES AND FORCED PEASANTS AT GUNPOINT TO BUY THEM, THREATENING TO RETURN AND BURN THE VILLAGE IF THE PEASANTS TOLD POLICE. THE GANG MADE A GETAWAY IN THE JEEP AND SEDAN IN THE DIRECTION OF CHERIBON.

POLICE AUTHORITIES REFUSED OFFICIAL COMMENT WHILE THE INVESTIGATION IS IN THE PRELIMINARY STAGES. THEY INDICATED, HOWEVER, THAT THEY SUSPECTED THE ATTACKERS WERE REBELS MOTIVATED BY A DESIRE TO TAKE SPECTACULAR ACTION THAT WOULD EMBARRASS THE U. S. I. GOVERNMENT AND AMERICANS IN GENERAL FOR THE SUPPORT THEY FEEL THE UNITED STATES HAS THROWN BEHIND THE NATIONALISTS AND THEIR PRESENT GOVERNMENT.

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(NY) WASHINGTON, APRIL 30-(AP)-ADMIRAL FORREST P. SHERMAN, CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS, SAID TODAY THE UNITED STATES NAVY NOW HAS A CARRIER THAT CAN CARRY A PLANE BIG ENOUGH TO DELIVER AN ATOMIC BOMB.

APPEARING ON THE NATIONAL BOARDCASTING COMPANY'S "MEET THE PRESS" TELEVISION PROGRAM, THE ADMIRAL ALSO SAID THAT:

(1) THE NAVY HAS "NO CONCLUSIVE EVIDENCE" OF FOREIGN SUBMARINES OPERATING OFF THE U.S. COASTS.

(2) RUSSIA HAS NEARLY TWICE AS MANY OFFICERS AND MEN IN HER NAVY THAN THE U.S. NAVY HAS, AND IT IS "SHORTSIGHTED" TO UNDERESTIMATE RUSSIAN NAVAL STRENGTH.

(3) THE U.S. NAVY COULD "DO A GOOD JOB" IN DEFENDING THIS COUNTRY AGAINST THE MODERN LONG-RANGE, SNORKEL-TYPE SUBMARINES OF WHICH RUSSIA HAS LARGE NUMBERS.

(4) IT WOULD BE FEASIBLE TO DEFEND WESTERN EUROPE AGAINST RUSSIAN AGGRESSION.

SHERMAN, ANSWERING MANY QUESTIONS FROM HIS INTERVIEWERS DURING THE HALF HOUR PROGRAM, SAID THE NAVY HAS "A CARRIER THAT COULD CARRY ON AIRCRAFT LARGE ENOUGH TO CARRY THE ATOMIC BOMB."

HE SAID THE NAVY HAS NOT ASKED FOR WHAT HIS QUESTIONERS CALLED A "SUPERCARRIER"--SHERMAN CALLED THE TERM MISLEADING--BUT THAT THE TIME PROBABLY WOULD COME WHEN A FLUSH-DECK CARRIER "SLIGHTLY LARGER THAN THE MIDWAY CLASS" WOULD BE NEEDED

SHERMAN SEEMED AROUSED WHEN A QUESTIONER SAID "THE RUSSIANS HAVE NO NAVY TO SPEAK ABOUT."

THAT THOUGHT, '£34.-, '-8$, "HAS BEEN LEADING PEOPLE ASTRAY."

"THEY HAVE NEARLY TWICE AS MANY OFFICERS AMD MEN IN THEIR NAVY AS WE HAVE IN OURS," HE SAID. "THEY HAVE MORE CRUISERS IN ACTUAL COMMISSION THAN WE DO. THEY HAVE AN AMPHIBIOUS FORCE COMPOSED OF PATROL VESSELS, SHORT-RANGE AMPHIBIOUS TYPES SUITABLE FOR THE WATERS OF THE BLACK SEA, THE MEDITERRANEAN, THE BALTIC. THEY HAVE A FORCE THERE THAT'S LARGER THAN THE CORRESPONDING ELEMENTS OF ALL THE OTHER NAVIES OF THE WORLD COMBINED. THEY HAVE A NUMBER OF LARGE CRUISERS UNDER CONSTRUCTION TODAY. WE HAVE NONE. THEY HAVE A LARGE NUMBER OF DESTROYERS AND DESTROYER TYPES."

THE RUSSIANS, HE SAID, HAVE NO AIRCRAFT CARRIERS "THAT WE KNOW OF."

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SHERMAN SAID:

"THE RUSSIANS FOR MANY YEARS HAVE BEEN TRYING TO GET TO WARM WATER. I THINK WE'D BE SHORTSIGHTED IF WE THOUGHT THAT ANY NATION WAS GOING TO PUSH FOR YEARS TO GET TO THE OPEN SEA, THEN ARRIVE AT THE OPEN SEA, THEN NOT CONSIDER NAVAL EXPANSION."

THE ADMIRAL WAS ASKED WHETHER THE "HEAVY-DUTY BATTLESHIP" FITTED INTO THE U.S. "SCHEME OF DEFENSE."

"DEFENSE?" HE REPLIED. "NO. OFFENSE, YES."

SHERMAN, ASKED WHETHER THE NAVY COULD KEEP THE ALANTIC SEA LANES OPEN AGAINST A LARGE FLEET OF SNORKEL SUBMARIES IN THE EVENT OF WAR, ANSWERED:

"THE NAVY IS IN A POSITION TO DO A VERY GOOD JOB IN PERFORMING ITS DUTIES IN RESPECT TO ANTI-SUBMARINE WARFARE AGAINST THE NUMBER OF SUBMARINES THAT WE BELIEVE CAN BE BROUGHT AGAINST US."

ASKED WHETHER HE THOUGHT IT FEASIBLE TO DEFEND WESTERN EUROPE AGAINST RUSSIAN AGGRESSION," HE REPLIED:

"I CERTAINLY DO."

SHERMAN SAID HE DID NOT BELIEVE RUSSIA WAS "COMPLETELY READY" TO WAGE A LARGE-SCALE WAR.

THE MILITARY EXPENDITURE BEING MADE BY THE U.S. "IN ALL FIELDS" NOW, HE SAID, "WILL DO THE JOB IF WE MAINTAIN IT LONG ENOUGH."

THE ADMIRAL SAID HE HAD REACHED ONE CONCLUSION FROM THE LIFE RAFTS RECOVERED FROM THE BALTIC WHERE THE U.S. SAYS AN AMERICAN PRIVATEER PLANE WAS SHOT DOWN B THE RUSSIANS--"THAT ONE OF THE RAFTS HAD BEEN EXPOSED TO FIRE BEFORE IT OPENED OR PARTLY OPENED."

"THE INTIMATION WAS THAT IT HAD BEEN ON A PLANE THAT WAS ON FIRE AND IT OPENED AFTER IT HAD BEEN IN THE SEA," HE ADDED.

HE WAS UNABLE TO SAY WHETHER REPORTS FROM SWEDEN WERE CORREST THAT THERE WERE BULLETS HOLES IN EITHER RAFT.

A REPORT THAT A FOREIGN SUBMARINE HAD BEEN SPOTTED OFF THE COAST OF CALIFORNIA WAS, SHERMAN SAID, "A STATEMENT OF OPINION FROM AN OFFICER JUNIOR TO FLAG RANK, AND NOT A VERIFIED OPINION."

THERE HAVE BEEN "A NUMBER OF REPORTS" BUT NO "100 PER CENT, ABSOLUTE CASE" SHOWING PRESENCE OF FOREIGN SUBMARINES OFF THE U.S. COAST, THE ADMIRAL SAID.

"IT'S JUST LIKE THE FLYING SAUCERS," HE REMARKED.

HE WAS IMMEDIATELY ASKED IF THE NAVY HAD ANY OF THOSE, AND ANSWERED WITH A SMILE:

"I HAVE BEEN UNABLE TO FIND ANY."

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SHERMAN WAS ASKED WHETHER THERE WAS A NEED FOR FRENCH, BRITISH, AND DUTCH NAVIES AS PART OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC DEFENSE FORCES, AND REPLIED THERE IS "NEED FOR VERY CONSIDERABLE NAVAL FORCES."

"EACH OF THE CONTINENTAL EUROPEAN POWERS MUST MAINTAIN ENOUGH NAVY TO DO THE LOCAL SECURITY JOB," HE SAID.

SHERMAN ADDED:

"I FEEL THAT THE BRITISH NAVY ISN'T STRONG ENOUGH. I WISH IT WERE STRONGER."

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WASHINGTON, APRIL 30-(AP)-MORE THAN 30 HAWAIIANS ARRIVED TONIGHT BY SPECIAL PLANE TO JOIN NEARLY A SCORE ALREADY HERE TO APPEAL TO THE UNITED STATES SENATE FOR "IMMEDIATE STATEHOOD."

IN HIGH SPIRITS, DESPITE A RAINY RECEPTION, MEMBERS OF THE DELEGATION VIEWED WITH CONFIDENCE THE HEARING BEGINNING TOMORROW BEFORE THE SENATE

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COMMITTEE ON INTERIOR AND INSULAR AFFAIRS ON THE HOUSE-PASSED HAWAIIAN STATEHOOD BILL.

SUMMING UP THE SENTIMENT OF THE GROUP, SPEAKER HIRAM L.FONG OF THE HAWAII HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TOLD REPORTERS:

"I AM CONFIDENT THAT THE PEOPLE OF HAWAII WILL BE GRANTED IMMEDIATE STATEHOOD. I SAY THIS WITH THE GREATEST OF OPTIMISM FOR THE ARGUMENTS FOR IMMEDIATE STATEHOOD ARE IRREFUTABLE."

FONG LOOKED UPON THE HEARING AS "HAWAII'S GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY TO REALIZE ITS LONG CHERISHED AMBITION AFTER 52 YEARS OF CONSCIENTIOUS EFFORT."

THE SPECIAL PLANE, LABELED "HAWAII STATEHOOD SPECIAL" IN LARGE RED LETTERS, WAS MET BY DELEGATE AND MRS.JOSEPH R.FARRINGTON (R-HAWAII) AND A GROUP OF HAWAIIANS WHO ARRIVED A DAY OR TWO AGO.

AMONG THOSE AT THE AIRPORT WERE TERRITORIAL SENATOR WILLIAM H. HEEN, FORMER DELEGATE SAMUEL WILDER KING, FORMER ATTORNEY GENERAL NILS TAVARES, MR. AND MRS.JACK PLEWES, AND ARTHUR WOOLAWAY.

FONG SAID THE GROUP ABOARD THE HAWAII SPECIAL HAD PLANNED AN IMMEDIATE MEETING TO GO OVER PLANS FOR THE HEARING, BUT BECAUSE OF THE LATE HOUR OF THEIR ARRIVAL (10 P.M., EST) THE MEETING WAS POSTPONED UNTIL MORNING.

STRATEGY FOR THE HEARING ALREADY HAD BEEN WORKED OUT BY FARRINGTON AND THOSE WHO ARRIVED EARLIER FROM HAWAII.

THE FIRST WITNESSES, FOLLOWING SECRETARY OF INTERIOR CHAPMAN, WILL BE GOVERNOR STAINBACK OF HAWAII, DELEGATE FARRINGTON AND SUPPORTERS OF HAWAII STATEHOOD IN CONGRESS.

THEY WILL BE FOLLOWED BY LEADERS OF THE HAWAII LEGISLATURE, MEMBERS OF THE HAWAII STATEHOOD COMMISSION, DELEGATES TO THE HAWAII CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION AND REPRESENTATIVES OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL GROUPS IN HAWAII.

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IN ALL, 59 WITNESSES HAVE BEEN LISTED WITH THE COMMITTEE. BUT FARRINGTON SAID HE DID NOT BELIEVE IT WOULD BE NECESSARY TO CALL UPON ALL OF THEM.

WILFRED TSUKIYAMA, PRESIDENT OF THE HAWAII SENATE, SAID THE HAWAII GROUP REPRESENTS ALL PHASES OF TERRITORIAL LIFE AND IS PREPARED TO ANSWER ANY QUESTION THAT MIGHT BE RAISED DURING THE HEARING.

THE HAWAII WITNESSES PAVED THEIR WAY WITH FLOWERS AND PINEAPPLE. TWO DAYS AGO, THE HAWAII STATEHOOD COMMITTEE DISTRIBUTED BASKETS OF ANTHURIUMS--A NATIVE FLOWER--TO THE OFFICES OF SENATORS ON THE INTERIOR COMMITTEE.

YESTERDAY, 50 CASES OF HAWAIIAN PINEAPPLE WAS DELIVERED TO THE SENATE RESTAURANT TO BE SERVED ON THE OPENING DAY OF THE HEARING TO ALL SENATORS AND CAPITOL EMPLOYES WHO LUNCH THERE.

THE PINEAPPLE WAS SHIPPED BY AIR EXPRESS FROM HAWAII, THE LARGEST SHIPMENT--TOTALING 1350 POUNDS--EVER SENT TO THE MAINLAND BY AIR.

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(200) WASHINGTON, APRIL 30-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON TODAY WELCOMED FORMATION OF ASSOCIATED SERVICES FOR THE ARMED FORCES, INC., TO TAKE OVER IN PART THE ACTIVITIES OF THE DISBANDED WARTIME USO.

THE ORGANIZATION IS COMPOSED OF THE YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATIONS, THE NATIONAL CATHOLIC COMMUNITY SERVICE AND THE NATIONAL JEWISH WELFARE BOARD. ITS STATED AIM IS TO SERVE THE "RELIGIOUS, SPIRITUAL, SOCIAL, WELFARE AND EDUCATIONAL NEEDS OF THE MEN AND WOMEN IN THE ARMED FORCES WHEREVER THEY MAY BE LOCATED."

MR.TRUMAN IN A LETTER TO THE NEW GROUP EXPRESSED HIS CONCERN OVER "THE MORALE PROBLEMS POSED BY THE SIZE AND YOUTH OF OUR PEACETIME ARMED FORCES." HE INVITED COOPERATION WITH THE PRESIDENT'S COMMITTEE ON RELIGION AND WELFARE IN THE ARMED FORCES WHICH HE SET UP A YEAR AND A HALF AGO, AND URGED PUBLIC SUPPORT.

SECRETARY JOHNSON IN A SEPARATE LETTER OFFERED A WELCOME ON BEHALF OF THE DEFENSE SERVICES, POINTING OUT THE NEED FOR OFF-POST RELIGIOUS, SOCIAL AND MORALE ACTIVITIES BY CIVILIAN AGENCIES TO ROUND OUT THE ARMED FORCES' OWN PROGRAMS.

ASSOCIATED SERVICES PLANS TO FINANCE AND OPERATE FOR THE REMAINDER OF THIS YEAR THE 99 CLUBS AND OTHER ACTIVITIES SERVING ARMED FORCES PERSONNEL IN THIS COUNTRY AND ABROAD, AND REOPENING 15 OF THE 43 OPERATIONS CLOSED SINCE UNITED SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS WAS DEACTIVATED.

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AMS BUDGET

COMMUNISTS (500)

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BY MARVIN L.ARROWSMITH

(ADVANCE)...WASHINGTON, APRIL 30-(AP)-SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) SAID TODAY THAT PRESIDENT TRUMAN EITHER WAS SEEKING "POLITICAL ADVANTAGE" OR WAS POORLY INFORMED IN SAYING COMMUNISM IS NOT A MAJOR FORCE IN THIS COUNTRY.

SENATOR TYDINGS (D-MD), INDICATED, MEANWHILE, THAT HE HAS UNCOVERED NEW EVIDENCE OF UNDISCLOSED NATURE WHICH MAY FIGURE SOON IN THE SENATE COMMUNIST INVESTIGATION.

TYDINGS HEADS THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE WHICH IS LOOKING INTO MCCARTHY'S CHARGES THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT IS A HAVEN FOR COMMUNISTS AND THEIR FRIENDS.

THE COMMITTEE IS SCHEDULED TO RESUME PUBLIC HEARINGS TOMORROW. IT ALSO MAY CONSIDER BEHIND CLOSED DOORS WHETHER TO CITE EARL BROWDER, FORMER COMMUNIST LEADER, AND FREDERICK VANDERBILT FIELD, WEALTHY NEW YORKER, FOR CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS.

BOTH BROWDER AND FIELD REFUSED TO ANSWER CERTAIN QUESTIONS BEFORE THE COMMITTEE LAST WEEK. FIELD, FOR EXAMPLE, DECLINED TO SAY WHETHER HE EVER HAS BEEN A COMMUNIST.

TYDINGS HAS DIRECTED THE COMMITTEE'S ATTORNEYS TO PREPARE CONTEMPT CITATIONS AGAINST BOTH MEN FOR CONSIDERATION BY HIS GROUP AND THE FULL FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE.

APPROVAL OF CONTEMPT CITATIONS BY THE SENATE ITSELF IS NECESSARY TO SEND THE MATTER TOWARD THE COURTS.

MCCARTHY AND TYDINGS SPOKE OUT TODAY IN SEPARATE RADIO BROADCASTS. MCCARTHY WAS INTERVIEWED BY COMMENTATOR UPTON CLOSE ON A PROGRAM TRANSCRIBED (FOR SEVERAL STATIONS) LATE LAST WEEK BEFORE THE SENATOR WENT TO ARIZONA FOR A FEW DAYS' REST. TYDINGS AIRED HIS VIEWS IN AN INTERVIEW (WBAL, BALTIMORE).

MCCARTHY DESCRIBED AS "EXTREMELY DISTURBING" MR. TRUMAN'S ASSERTION THAT "THE GREATEST THREAT TO US DOES NOT COME FROM THE COMMUNISTS IN THIS COUNTRY," BUT RATHER FROM "COMMUNIST IMPERIALISM ABROAD, WHERE THE CENTER OF ITS MILITARY AND ECONOMIC STRENGTH LIES."

THE PRESIDENT MADE THE STATEMENT IN A SPEECH LAST MONDAY TO THE FEDERAL BAR ASSOCIATION.

MCCARTHY DECLARED IT INDICATED "EITHER A LACK OF KNOWLEDGE OF THE ENTIRE SITUATION ON THE PART OF THE PRESIDENT OR THE FACT THAT HE WAS WILLING TO MAKE A RASH STATEMENT LIKE THAT SOLELY FOR SOME TEMPORARY POLITICAL ADVANTAGE."

MCCARTHY AGAIN SHARPLY CRITICIZED TYDINGS AND SENATOR MCMAHON OF CONNECTICUT, ANOTHER DEMOCRATIC MEMBER OF THE INQUIRY. HE SAID THEY HAVE PUT "OBSTACLES IN MY WAY," AND ADDED:

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"I'VE ALMOST GONE BANKRUPT HIRING FORMER FBI MEN TO DEVELOP THE FACTS X X X."

DECLARING THE COMMITTEE SHOULD BE DOING THAT JOB BUT ISN'T, MCCARTHY SAID:

"I'M HIRING MY OWN INVESTIGATORS, AND IT'S A RATHER EXPENSIVE THING, TOO. I'VE GOT SOME RATHER EXCELLENT FORMER FBI MEN--MEN WHO HAVE BEEN IN COUNTER-ESPIONAGE WORK."

MCCARTHY SAID HE HAD FOUR ON THE PAYROLL BUT HAD TO LET ONE GO BECAUSE "I'M GETTING TOO CLOSE TO THE BOTTOM OF THE BARREL." HE SAID HE IS PAYING THE INVESTIGATORS FROM $23 TO 35 A DAY, PLUS EXPENSES, OUT OF HIS OWN POCKET.

HE ADDED THAT HE IS GETTING SOME HELP FROM "A SIZEABLE NUMBER OF INDIVIDUALS" WHO HAVE MAILED HIM "CRUMPLED ONE DOLLAR BILLS."

IN HINTING HE HAS TURNED UP SOME NEW EVIDENCE FOR THE INQUIRY COMMITTEE, CHAIRMAN TYDINGS SAID:

"I HAVE MADE A TREMENDOUSLY FAR-RACHING AND WIDE INVESTIGATION INTO EVERY PHASE OF THIS MATTER THAT I COULD, QUITE INDEPENDENT OF THE COMMITTEE AND THE STAFF. X X X

"I HAVE X X X ACCUMULATED A VAST AMOUNT OF VALUABLE MATERIAL X X X. THERE ARE SOME THINGS I HAPPEN TO KNOW ABOUT THAT HAVE NEVER FULLY COME OUT TO THE PEOPLE AND TO THE SENATE AND EVEN TO THE COMMITTEE.

"IN VIEW OF THESE THINGS WHICH MAY COME TO NOTICE THIS WEEK, IT MIGHT BE WELL FOR EVERYONE TO BE A LITTLE CAREFUL, INCLUDING THE COMMITTEE AND MYSELF, ON REACHING ANY ULTIMATE CONCLUSION ABOUT WHAT IS INVOLVED IN THIS WHOLE MATTER."

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A74WX (MANGANESE & SHIP)

(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY, SUNDAY, APRIL 30)

(280) MANGANESE

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, APRIL 30-(AP)-AMERICA INCREASED ITS IMPORTS OF MANGANESE ORE--A VITAL MATERIAL IN STEEL MAKING--23 PER CENT IN 1949 DESPITE AN 81 PER CENT CUTBACK IN RUSSIAN SHIPMENTS TO THIS COUNTRY.

THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT, REPORTING THIS TONIGHT, COMMENTED:

"IN THE EARLY PART OF 1949 OPINIONS WERE DIVIDED AS TO WHETHER RUSSIAN MANGANESE WAS INDISPENSABLE TO THIS COUNTRY'S ECONOMY.

"HOWEVER, THE LARGE INCREASES IN UNITED STATES MANGANESE IMPORTS IN 1949 FROM NON-RUSSIAN SOURCES HAVE BEEN SUFFICIENT TO COMPENSATE FOR THE LOSS OF RUSSIA AS A SOURCE OF THAT COMMODITY. X X X

"THE PRESENT POLICY OF ACTIVE INTEREST AND ASSISTANCE BY THE UNITED STATES, THROUGH BOTH GOVERNMENTAL ACTION AND BY PRIVATE ENTERPRISE, IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF VARIOUS NEW SOURCES FOR THIS STRATEGIC COMMODITY, SHOULD REDUCE THIS COUNTRY'S DEPENDENCE UPON ANY ONE SOURCE OF SUPPLY."

INDIA HAS REPLACED RUSSIA AS THE LEADING SUPPLIER OF MANGANESE ORE TO THE U.S., THE DEPARTMENT SAID IN AN ANALYSIS SET OUT IN ITS "FOREIGN COMMERCE WEEKLY."

THE UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA AND THE AFRICAN GOLD COAST WERE CLOSE BEHIND INDIA IN 1949 AND BRAZIL, WHICH RANKED NEXT, IS LIKELY TO BECOME "THE MOST IMPORTANT SOURCE OF SUPPLY" IN THE FUTURE, THE DEPARTMENT SAID. CUBA, MEXICO, THE PHILIPPINES AND CHILE WERE OTHER SOURCES.

ALTHOUGH RUSSIA CUT SHIPMENTS TO THIS COUNTRY FROM 385,000 TONS IN 1948 TO ONLY 73,000 TONS LAST YEAR, TOTAL U.S. IMPORTS ROSE FROM 1,124,000 TO 1,379,000 TONS IN THAT PERIOD, THE DEPARTMENT SAID.

RUSSIA'S CURTAILMENT OF SHIPMENTS FOLLOWED ADOPTION OF A U.S. POLICY IN EARLY 1948 OF BANNING U.S. GOODS SHIPMENTS TO THE SOVIET BLOC THAT MIGHT ADD TO ITS "WAR POTENTIAL."

MANGANESE IS USED IN STEEL MAKING AS A PURIFYING AGENT AND ALSO AS AN ALLOYING CONSTITUENT TO IMPROVE STRENGTH AND TOUGHNESS OF STEEL. THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT CALLED IT "INDISPENSABLE" IN THE PRODUCTION OF STEEL.

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(170) EVACUATION

WASHINGTON, APRIL 30-(AP)-THE EVACUATION SHIP GENERAL GORDON TAKING 735 FOREIGNERS OUT OF COMMUNIST CHINA SAILED FROM TAKU BAR, OFF TIENTSIN, AT 9 P.M. EST LAST NIGHT, THE STATE DEPARTMENT REPORTED TODAY. THAT WAS 10 A.M. SUNDAY LOCAL TIME.

THE EVACUATION GROUP INCLUDES 154 AMERICANS, 93 OF THEM U.S. GOVERNMENT PERSONNEL AND DEPENDENTS. THE DEPARTURE OF THE OFFICIALS COMPLETES THE CLOSING OF ALL U.S. GOVERNMENT INSTALLATIONS IN COMMUNIST CHINA AND REMOVAL OF ALL THEIR AMERICAN EMPLOYES.

SAILING HAD BEEN DELAYED A DAY BY ROUGH WEATHER WHICH INTERFERED WITH LOADING BAGGAGE, BUT THE REPORTS TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID EMBARKATION OF THE PASSENGERS WAS ACCOMPLISHED WITHOUT INCIDENT.

AMONG THE EVACUEES, 165 WILL DEBARK AT HONG KONG, 49 AT MANILA, 58 AT YOKOHAMA, AND THE REST WILL STAY ABOARD UNTIL THE GORDON REACHES SAN FRANCISCO.

TWENTY-SIX NATIONALITIES ARE REPRESENTED, INCLUDING MORE THAN 200 STATELESS PERSONS SPONSORED BY THE INTERNATIONAL REFUGEE ORGANIZATION.

EVACUATION THROUGH TIENTSIN WAS ARRANGED AFTER PLANS TO TAKE THE FOREIGNERS OUT FROM SHANGHAI WERE STYMIED BY COMMUNIST OBJECTIONS TO ALL PLANS FOR GETTING THEM ABOARD AMERICAN VESSELS THERE.

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A81WX

COLD WAR-BERLIN (320)

WASHINGTON, APRIL 30-(AP)-SENATOR TYDINGS (D-MD) TODAY WARNED "THERE MAY BE SOME SHOOTING" IN BERLIN IF YOUTHFUL COMMUNISTS CARRY OUT THREATS TO INVADE THE ALLIED WESTERN SECTORS LATE NEXT MONTH.

THE REDS HAVE CALLED 500,000 TO RALLY IN EAST BERLIN MAY 27-30, AND PROPOSED TO MARCH THEM INTO THE ALLIED SECTORS. THEY SINCE HAVE MADE CONFLICTING STATEMENTS ABOUT THEIR INTENTIONS BUT THE ALLIES ARE TAKING NO CHANCES WITH A PUTSCH TO SMASH WESTERN CONTROL. AUTHORITIES SAY ANY SUCH INVASION WILL BE RESISTED BY NORMAL POLICE METHODS, BUT THAT MACHINE GUNS WILL BE USED IF NECESSARY.

TYDINGS, CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE, SAID HE HAD NO DOUBT "THAT THESE COMMUNIST YOUTH IN EAST BERLIN ARE BEING DRILLED AND GIVEN PEP TALKS AND DETAILED INSTRUCTIONS." HE SPOKE IN A BROADCAST (WBAL BALTIMORE).

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TYDINGS SAID THAT IF THOUSANDS OF COMMUNIST YOUTH START TO CROSS INTO THE AMERICAN ZONE, "I DON'T KNOW WHAT WILL HAPPEN. X X X IT COULD BE PRETTY NASTY SITUATION."

"PERHAPS WISER HEADS WILL PREVAIL AND THIS MOVEMENT WON'T TAKE PLACE BUT IF IT DOES THERE MAY BE SOME SHOOTING," HE CONTINUED.

TYDINGS WAS THE THIRD SENATOR TO CALL PUBLIC ATTENTION THIS WEEKEND TO THE GROWING TENSION BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND RUSSIA.

MAJORITY LEADER LUCAS (D-ILL) SAID THE ASSERTED SHOOTING DOWN OF A U.S. UNARMED PLANE BY RUSSIAN AIRMEN IN THE BALTIC HAD PRODUCED THE "MOST DANGEROUS PEACETIME DAYS OUR COUNTRY HAS EVER EXPERIENCED."

"WE ARE GOING TO STAND FIRM," LUCAS ADDED. "WE ARE GOING TO DEFEND OUR RIGHTS AND THE RIGHT OF THE FREE WORLD. BUT WE ARE NOT GOING TO ENTER ANY WAR UNLESS WE ARE DIRECTLY ATTACKED AND COMPELLED TO TAKE UP ARMS IN SELF DEFENSE."

SENATOR SALTONSTALL (R-MASS) TOLD THE SENATE THAT MORE INCIDENTS "ARE BOUND TO COME."

"WE CAN EXPECT THEM," HE SAID. "APPARENTLY SOVIET RUSSIA DOES NOT BEGIN TO UNDERSTAND THE MORAL FIBRE OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE. THE MORE INCIDENTS--THE TOUGHER WE ARE GOING TO GET--AND THE MORE WE WILL UNDERSTAND HOW TO DEAL WITH A RUTHLESS OPPONENT."

"THIS DOES NOT MEAN WAR, BUT IT DOES MEAN THAT WE CANNOT PREDICT JUST WHAT IS IN STORE FOR US IN THE YEAR AHEAD," SALTONSTALL ADDED.

SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON WAS TO MEET WITH THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE TOMORROW FOR A CLOSED-DOOR DISCUSSION OF TROUBLED WORLD CONDITIONS AND THIS COUNTRY'S POLICIES.

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A54WX (CRIME, ECA)

(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY SUNDAY, APRIL 30)

(ADVANCE)...WASHINGTON, APRIL 30-(AP)-THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION SAID TODAY THAT 223 SPECIALISTS FROM 12 MARSHALL PLAN COUNTRIES TOOK UP STUDIES IN THE UNITED STATES THIS MONTH.

THIS TECHNICAL KNOWLEDGE IS INTENDED TO BOOST EFFICIENCY, ECONOMIC STABILITY AND STANDARDS OF LIVING OF THE WESTERN EUROPEAN NATIONS.

ECA EXPECTS TO BRING 4,000 SPECIALISTS HERE DURING THE THIRD YEAR OF THE EUROPEAN AID PROGRAM WHICH BEGINS IN JULY. APRIL ARRIVALS INCLUDED 49 YOUNG DUTCH FARMERS STUDYING AGRICULTURAL TECHNIQUES. THERE WERE 24 DIFFERENT PROJECTS.

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A2WX (BJT)

(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 7 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY SUNDAY, APRIL 30)

(ADVANCE)...WASHINGTON, APRIL 30-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS FOOD AND AGRICULTURAL ORGANIZATION ANNOUNCED TODAY A WORLDWIDE MEETING ON FOOT AND MOUTH DISEASE TO BE HELD JOINTLY WITH THE INTERNATIONAL OFFICE OF EPIZOOTICS MAY 15 TO 20 IN PARIS. THE MAIN IDEA IS TO MAKE AVAILABLE TO ALL COUNTRIES THE LATEST CONTROL DEVELOPMENTS.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 7 PM. M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY, SUNDAY APRIL 30)

(ADVANCE)...WASHINGTON, APRIL 30-(AP)-THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS TODAY ANNOUNCED A NEW COMMITTEE WILL IMPLEMENT ITS FIGHT AGAINST "ALL TYPES OF WORLD GOVERNMENT."

THE GROUP INCLUDES LLOYD W.RICARDS (CQ), WILMINGTON, DEL., CHAIRMAN; ROBERT K.CHRISTENBERRY, NEW YORK, AND JOEL L.MILLER, BOSTON. ITS TITLE: AMERICAN SOVEREIGNTY CAMPAIGN FUND COMMITTEE.

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B48PX (Q)

PX OUT (210) APW

PHILADELPHIA, APRIL 30-(AP)-THE INDIAN AMBASSADOR TO THE UNITED STATES SAID TODAY AID TO HER COUNTRY MAY BRING PEACE AND STABILITY TO ASIA.

MME.VIJAYA LAKSHMI PANDIT TOLD THE 256TH DISTRICT CONFERENCE OF ROTARY INTERNATIONAL "THE PROBLEM BEFORE THE NEW REPUBLIC OF INDIA IS HOW TO CATCH UP WITH CENTURIES OF LOST TIME."

INDIA COULD WELL BE THE CENTER OF PEACE AND STABILITY IN ASIA "IF OUTSIDE AID IN THE FORM OF TECHNICAL SKILL, CAPITAL EQUIPMENT AND INVESTMENT COULD SHORTEN THE GAP BETWEEN PRESENT POVERTY AND EVENTUAL PLENTY," SHE SAID.

INDIA MUST LEARN HOW TO UTILIZE HER NATURAL RESOURCES BY MODERN TECHNIQUES OF PRODUCTION, THE AMBASSADOR ADDED.

SHE SAID "FAR BACK IN HISTORY THE PROBLEM OF POVERTY DID NOT EXIST IN INDIA, BUT MODERN INDIA IS A POOR NATION, IMPOVERISHED BY CENTURIES OF FOREIGN EXPLORATION. THE MAJORITY OF HER PEOPLE LIVE IN DEPRIVATION OF THE ESSENTIAL REQUIREMENTS OF LIFE."

INDIA'S PHILOSOPHY WOULD INFLUENCE THE ASIATIC SPHERE, SHE SAID.

HER COUNTRY'S PHILOSOPHY, MME.PANDIT SAID, "HAS ALWAYS STRESSED MAN'S RESPONSIBILITY TO HUMANITY--THAT EACH PEOPLE SHOULD CONTRIBUTE TO ALL OTHERS THAT WHICH ONLY THEY CAN CONTRIBUTE OF THEIR OWN STRENGTH WISDOM OR GOOD FORTUNE."

THE 2,000 ROTARIANS REGISTERED FOR THE CONFERENCE COME FROM 58 CLUBS IN EASTERN PENNSYLVANIA.

SIR CARL BERENDSEN, AMBASSADOR FROM NEW ZEALAND, WILL SPEAK AT A LUNCHEON TOMORROW, THE SECOND AND FINAL DAY OF THE MEETING.

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B67LX (Q)

LOUISVILLE,KY., APRIL 30-(AP)-THE YOUNG NATION OF ISRAEL WILL COLLAPSE IF IT DOES NOT GET GENEROUS FINANCIAL AID, VICE PRESIDENT ALBEN BARKLEY DECLARED HERE TONIGHT.

"IT IS A PROBLEM THAT FACES DEMOCRACY ITSELF," BARKLEY SAID. "IF ISRAEL FALLS, IT WILL BE FATAL TO OUR PRESTIGE AS A DEMOCRATIC FREEDOM-LOVING NATION."

BARKLEY SPOKE IN BEHALF OF THE UNITED JEWISH CAMPAIGN. A NATIONAL TOTAL OF $272,000,000 (M) IS BEING SOUGHT, LARGELY FOR AID TO EUROPEAN JEWISH REFUGEES AND THE GOVERNMENT OF ISRAEL.

THE VICE PRESIDENT CALLED ON JEWS AND CHRISTIANS ALIKE TO "GO THE SECOND MILE" IN GIVING TO THE CAMPAIGN. "THE TWO-MILE MAN GOES BEYOND

THE REQUIREMENTS OF MERE DUTY," HE SAID.
ISRAEL NEEDS NEW INDUSTRIES, REHABILITATED SOIL, NEW FORESTS, DOCTORS, HOSPITALS AND SCHOOLS, BARKLEY SAID, BUT THE GOVERNMENT OF ISRAEL CAN NOT PROVIDE THESE WITHOUT OUTSIDE HELP.
BARKLEY FLEW TO LOUISVILLE FROM BARBOURVILLE, WHERE HE SPOKE EARLIER TODAY AT THE DR. THOMAS WALKER BICENTENNIAL OBSERVANCE. TOMORROW HE IS SCHEDULED TO ATTEND A CELEBRATION AT SALISBURY, N.C., IN OBSERVANCE OF DANIEL BOONE'S LEAVING NORTH CAROLINA FOR KENTUCKY.
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SECOND NIGHT LEAD
BY ARTHUR BYSTROM
MOSINEE, WIS., APRIL 30-(AP)-SOME REAL COMMUNISTS GOT INTO THET
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MOSINEE, WIS., APRIL 30-(AP)-SOME REAL COMMUNISTS GOT INTO THE ACT TODAY AS MOSINEE BRACED ITSELF FOR TOMORROW'S MOCK RED INVASION.
AT THE DOORS OF HOMES AND BUSINESS PLACES RESIDENTS FOUND COPIES OF THE DAILY WORKER, THE OFFICIAL U.S. COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER, AND TWO PAMPHLETS.
ONE OF THE PAMPHLETS--HEADED "SO THIS IS SUPPOSED TO BE COMMUNISM--SAYS WHO?"--DERIDED THE AMERICAN LEGION-SPONSORED PROGRAM.
IT SAID THE MAY DAY DEMONSTRATION WAS BEING RUN BY PAPER MILL OWNERS AND "AMERICAN LEGION BIG SHOTS WHO DO WHAT THE MILL OWNERS TELL THEM TO DO."
THIS PAMPHLET WENT ON TO GIVE A ROSY VERSION OF WHAT COMMUNISM REALLY IS LIKE. THE OTHER PAMPHLET ADVERTISED A MAY DAY RALLY TO BE HELD IN MILWAUKEE.
NO ONE HERE WAS SURE JUST HOW THE PAMPHLETS GOT INTO MOSINEE OVERNIGHT BUT FRED BASSETT BLAIR, STATE COMMUNIST VICE-CHAIRMAN, SAID AT MILWAUKEE THAT SEVERAL PARTY MEMBERS FROM THIS AREA HAD DISTRIBUTED THEM.
MAANWHILE, CIVIC AND LEGION PEOPLE--ALONG WITH MORE THAN 50 NEWSPAPER, RADIO AND NEWSPAPER PEOPLE--PUT THE FINISHING TOUCHES ON PREPARATIONS FOR RUNNING AND REPORTING THE FIRST COMMUNIST "INVASION" 9! 5£3 7,853$ '5-53' 534485946.
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PREPARATIONS FOR RUNNING AND REPORTING THE FIRST COMMUNIST "INVASION" OF THE UNITED STATES TERRITORY.
ABOUT 85 LEGION MEMBERS WILL CARRY OUT THE ORDERS OF THE COMMISSAR FOR THE DAY, JOSEPH Z. KORNFEDER, AND HIS ASSISTANT, BENJAMIN GITLOW. BOTH ARE FORMER COMMUNIST PARTY OFFICIALS.
ARMED AND UNIFORMED "STORM TROOPERS" WILL MARCH IN BEFORE SUNRISE TO TAKE OVER THE CITY. THEY WILL ARREST THE MAYOR, CHIEF OF POLICE, CLERGYMEN AND OTHERS. THEY ALSO WILL TAKE OVER THE PAPER MILL, POWER PLANT, CITY HALL AND POLICE STATION AND SCHOOLS.
ALMOST TO A MAN, RESIDENTS OF THIS COMMUNITY OF 2,200 PERSONS HAVE ENTERED INTO THE SPIRIT OF THE PAGEANT, WHOSE PURPOSE IS TO SHOW WHAT WOULD HAPPEN IF COMMUNISTS ACTUALLY TOOK OVER A COMMUNITY.
"IT'S WONDERFUL, IT'S GIGANTIC AND IT'S SNOWBALLING EVERY MINUTE," KORNFEDER DECLARED. "THERE'LL BE PLENTY OF DRAMA ALL AROUND. WE'LL PRESENT COMMUNISM NOT AS COMMUNISTS PRESENT IT, BUT NAKED, WITHOUT EVEN A FIG LEAF."

AFTER HIGHWAYS LEADING TO THE CITY ARE BLOCKED TOMORROW, NO ONE WILL BE PERMITTED TO ENTER OR LEAVE THE CITY EXCEPT BY PRESENTATION OF CREDENTIALS. THE CREDENTIALS, RATION CARDS AND OTHER PERMITS WERE MAILED TO ALL RESIDENTS LAST WEEK. EVERYONE IN THE COMMUNITY MUST PRESENT THEM BEFORE THEY CAN BUY GASOLINE OR FOOD, TAKE PICTURES OR CARRY ON COMMERCIAL BUSINESS.
(NO PICKUP)
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SAN FRANCISCO, APRIL 30-(AP)-TWENTY-FOUR MEMBERS OF THE SOVIET YOUTH MOVEMENT ARRIVED IN PEIPING TONIGHT TO PARTICIPATE IN ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATIONS OF THE CHINESE COMMUNIST "NEW DEMOCRATIC YOUTH LEAGUE," THE PEIPING RADIO REPORTED.
THE BROADCAST, HEARD IN SAN FRANCISCO BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS, SAID THE PARTY WAS HEADED BY N.A.MIKHAILOV, GENERAL SECRETARY OF KOMSOMOL, THE SOVIET YOUTH MOVEMENT.
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A181 (NYC OUT)
NEW YORK, APRIL 30-(AP)-DR. RALPH BUNCHE, UNITED NATIONS TRUSTEESHIP DIRECTOR, SAID TODAY REORGANIZATION OF U.N. TO EXCLUDE RUSSIA WOULD BE THE FIRST STEP TWARD "A HOT WAR."
PBUNCHE TOLD THE HARLEM DISTRICT COMMITTEE OF THE COMMUNITY SOCIETIES THAT "THE U.N. HAS SHOWN ITS ABILITY TO STOP FIVE OR SIX WARS ALREADY."
"THIS COULD NOT HAVE BEEN ACCOMPLISHED IF THE WORLD WERE SPLIT INTO TWO PARTS," HE SAID.
FORMER PRESIDENT HERBERT HOOVER RECENTLY SUGGESTED THAT A NEW INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION BE FORMED WITHOUT THE SOVIET UNION AND HER SATELLITES.
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NEW YORK, APRIL 30-(AP)-LORD JOHN BOYD-ORR OF SCOTLAND, 1949 NOBEL PRIZE WINNER, SAID TODAY THE WORLD IS AT A "HIGHLY DANGEROUS IMPASSE" AND SPLIT BY TWO POWERS "EACH ENGAGED IN A FEVERISH ARMAMENTS RACE."
HE TOLD A CONFERENCE SPONSORED BY THE NATION ASSOCIATES THAT "A THIRD WORLD WAR IS UNLIKELY BECAUSE THOSE IN POWER KNOW THAT A WAR OF CONQUEST IS NO LONGER POSSIBLE."
"IF IT COMES IT WILL BE BY ACCIDENT," HE SAID. "BUT THERE IS A TERRIBLE DANGER THAT THE ACCIDENT MIGHT HAPPEN."
SIR JOHN SAID THE UNITED STATES' POINT FOUR PROGRAM OF EXPORTING "KNOW-HOW" TO BACKWARD REAS, IF UNDERTAKEN INDEPENDENTLY,

"KNOW-HOW" TO BACKWARD AREAS, IF UNDERTAKEN INDEPENDENTLY, "CAN BE INTERPRETED BY THE SUSPICIOUS AS AN ATTEMPT AT AMERICAN ECONOMIC IMPERIALISM."
"EVEN MARSHALL PLAN AID IN EUROPE, WHICH HAS HALTED THE SPREAD OF COMMUNISM, IS LIABLE TO CAUSE A FEELING OF HUMILIATION AND RESENTMENT X X X X ESPECIALLY IF IT IS THOUGHT THAT THE AID IS GIVEN NOT IN THE INTERESTS OF THOSE WHO GET IT BUT TO STOP COMMUNISM IN THE INTERESTS OF AMERICA," HE SAID.
THE NATION ASSOCIATES IS HEADED BY FRIEDA KIRCHWEY, EDITOR OF THE NATION MAGAZINE.
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COMMUNISTS AND ANTI-COMMUNISTS SQUARED OFF TODAY (MONDAY) FOR RIVAL CELEBRATIONS OF MAY DAY, THE INTERNATIONAL LABOR DAY.

PARADES, SPEECHES AND GIANT DEMONSTRATIONS WILL MARK THE HOLIDAY IN DIVIDED EUROPE, PART OF ASIA AND MANY OTHER INDUSTRIAL CENTERS OF THE WORLD, WITH THE FOCUS OF ATTENTION ON SPLIT BERLIN.

WESTERN COMMANDERS IN THE GERMAN CITY ORDERED THEIR TROOPS CONFINED IN THEIR BARRACKS BUT READY IN CASE OF AN EXPLOSIVE OUTBREAK. WEST BERLIN PLANNED A MASS DEMONSTRATION BY 300,000 BEFORE THE BURNED-OUT REICHSTAG AS A DIRECT CHALLENGE TO GERMAN COMMUNISTS. THE RALLY FLAUNTED THE SLOGAN, "UNITY THROUGH FREEDOM."

A MILE AWAY, COMMUNISTS SHEPHERDED A RALLY EXPECTED TO APPROACH 400,000 ON UNTER DEN LINDEN AND IN THE LUSTGARTEN. WESTERN COMMANDERS LOOKED FOR SOME SIGN AS TO HOW FAR THE COMMUNISTS WERE PREPARED TO GO IN INCHING SOVIET IDEOLOGY WESTWARD WHEN 500,000 FREE GERMAN YOUTH CONDUCT THEIR HERALDED COMMUNIST "MARCH ON BERLIN" DURING THE WHITSUN WEEKEND OF MAY 26-28. GRIM WARNINGS FROM WASHINGTON SAID MACHINEGUNS WILL BE USED, IF NECESSARY, TO CONTROL VIOLENT TACTICS.

POLICE PREPARATIONS, TOO, WERE PARAMOUNT IN PARIS WHERE COMMUNISTS AND DE GAULLISTS SET UP COUNTER DEMONSTRATIONS. THESE GROUPS HAVE CLASHED BEFORE. GEN. CHARLES DE GAULLE WAS SCHEDULED TO ADDRESS HIS FOLLOWERS. COMMUNIST-LED LABOR UNIONS MAY ATTEMPT TO MAKE AN ISSUE OF THE DISCHARGE LAST WEEK OF COMMUNIST FREDERIC JOLIOT-CURIE AS FRENCH HIGH COMMISSIONER OF ATOMIC ENERGY. THE COMMUNIST-LED TRANSPORT WORKERS IN PARIS DECIDED TO TAKE THE DAY OFF. THE ACTION PROBABLY WILL TIE UP THE CITY'S PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION.

THE DOVE OF PEACE, ADOPTED BY COMMUNISM AS THE EMBLEM OF ITS SO-CALLED PEACE OFFENSIVE, PROVIDED A CENTRAL THEME FOR THE OFFICIAL HOLIDAY IN RUSSIA AND THE SATELLITE PEOPLE'S DEMOCRACIES.

AS USUAL MOSCOW WAS THE CAPITAL FOR THE COMMUNIST-STYLE CELEBRATIONS. THE SOVIET CAPITAL WAS DECKED IN ACRES OF RED BUNTING AND BRIDGHTLY COLORED PORTRAITS OF STALIN, LENIN AND POLITBURO MEMBERS IN READINESS FOR THE TRADITIONAL MILITARY PARADE AND WORKERS PROCESSION ACROSS RED SQUARE.

FOREIGN DELEGATIONS WERE PRESENT FROM BULGARIA, GERMANY, BELGIUM, AUSTRIA, FRANCE, BRITAIN, DENMARK AND OTHER COUNTRIES. AT THE SAME TIME SOVIET DELEGATIONS WERE ON HAND TO VIEW MAY DAY PROCEEDINGS IN THE CAPITALS OF THE PEOPLE'S DEMOCRACIES, AND IN PEIPING, WHERE RED CHINA WILL HAVE ITS FIRST BIG MAY DAY SHOW.

A PRAVDA EDITORIAL DECLARED THE WORKERS OF ALL COUNTRIES UNDER THE BANNER OF LENIN AND STALIN WERE CONDUCTING A SUCCESSFUL BATTLE AGAINST CAPITALIST SLAVERY AND BLOODY IMPERIALIST WARS.

PRAGUE, DECORATED WITH PICTURES OF COMMUNIST LEADERS TOPPED BY FIVE-POINTED STARS, EXPECTED ITS BIGGEST PARADE IN HISTORY. A DRAMATIC PARADE OF 200 SNORTING TRACTORS SHORTLY AFTER MIDNIGHT SUNDAY MORNING TOUCHED OFF THE CELEBRATION.

LEFT WING AND RIGHT WING LABOR UNIONS WILL STAGE RIVAL PARADES AND RALLIES THROUGHOUT MOST OF WESTERN EUROPE.

IN BELGIUM SOCIALISTS AND COMMUNISTS PLANNED ANTI-LEOPOLD DEMONSTRATIONS AS A KICK-OFF TO A PARLIAMENTARY ELECTORAL CAMPAIGN WHICH MAY DETERMINE WHETHER THE KING WILL RETURN TO HIS THRONE FROM EXILE.

COMMUNISTS AND ANTI-COMMUNISTS WILL PARADE SEPARATELY THROUGH THE INTERNATIONAL DISTRICT OF VIENNA, AUSTRIA. THE INTERNATIONAL DISTRICT IS UNDER AMERICAN CONTROL DURING THE MONTH OF MAY.

ANTI-COMMUNIST SOCIALIST YOUTH OPENED THE CELEBRATIONS WITH A TORCHLIGHT PARADE AROUND THE RINGSTRASSE, THE TREE-LINED AVENUE THAT CIRCLES THE OLD INNER CITY.

AS THEY PASSED THE HEADQUARTERS OF THE RUSSIAN OCCUPATION FORCES THEY CHANTED IN UNISON: "AUSTRIA WILL NEVER BECOME A PEOPLE'S DEMOCRACY." THEY ALSO CHANTED PLEAS FOR ALL FOUR OCCUPYING POWERS TO GET OUT OF THE COUNTRY.

THE MARCHERS RANGED IN AGE FROM SEVEN TO 20.

THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE YUGOSLAV COMMUNIST PARTY ISSUED A PROCLAMATION CLAIMING THAT YUGOSLAVIA HAD BROKEN THE TWO-YEAR-OLD BLOCKADE OF THAT COUNTRY BY THE RUSSIAN-LED COMINFORM.

YUGOSLAV WORKERS WILL OBSERVE THE DAY WITH A PARADE THROUGH BELGRADE AND AN EXHIBITION OF THE PRODUCTS OF THEIR FACTORIES. GREEK LABOR IN ATHENS WILL BE ALLOWED RESTRICTED MAY DAY CELEBRATIONS FOR THE FIRST TIME SINCE 1936.

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A PRELIMINARY INCIDENT MARKED THE OBSERVANCE IN ISRAEL WHERE HAND-TO-HAND FIGHTING BROKE OUT SATURDAY NIGHT. A CROWD WITH THE BLUE AND WHITE FLAGS OF ISRAEL BROKE UP A MEETING OF COMMUNISTS AT WHICH THE INTERNATIONALE WAS SUNG. SEVERAL PERSONS WERE INJURED.

THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE JEWISH FEDERATION OF LABOR DECLARED A NATIONAL HOLIDAY, AND SCHEDULED PARADES IN ISRAEL'S PRINCIPAL TOWNS. THE LEFT-WING LABOR PARTY, MAPAM, CHIEF OPPOSITION TO THE GOVERNMENT, WAS PLANNING A SEPARATE MARCH, AS WERE THE COMMUNISTS.

THERE WILL BE NO PARADES IN LONDON, WHERE A YEAR-OLD BAN ON POLITICAL DEMONSTRATIONS HAS BEEN EXTENDED ANOTHER THREE MONTHS. ANYWAY, BY TRADITION BRITISH LABOR OBSERVES LABOR DAY ON THE FIRST SUNDAY AFTER MAY 1.

THE INTERNATIONAL SOCIALIST CONFERENCE IN LONDON SAID IN A MAY DAY MESSAGE LAST NIGHT THAT "SOCIALISM ALONE" CAN KNIT THE PEOPLES OF EUROPE, AMERICA, AFRICA AND ASIA "INTO AN ORGANIC UNITY OF EFFORT." THE CONFERENCE IS AN ORGANIZATION OF BRITISH AND EUROPEAN SOCIALISTS.

MAY 1 WAS DESIGNATED AN INTERNATIONAL LABOR DAY BY THE FIRST CONGRESS OF THE SECOND SOCIALIST INTERNATIONAL AT PARIS IN 1889. ATTEMPTS TO ENFORCE OBSERVANCE OF THE DAY AS A HOLIDAY, MADE MORE OR LESS REGULARLY IN EUROPE SINCE THEN, OFTEN RESULTED IN BLOODSHED.

IN THE UNITED STATES LABOR DAY IS OBSERVED ON THE FIRST MONDAY IN SEPTEMBER. HOWEVER, NEW YORK WILL HAVE ITS REGULAR MAY DAY PARADE UP EIGHTH AVENUE IN WHICH BETWEEN 15,000 AND 25,000 USUALLY MARCH.

MOSINEE, WIS., PLANNED A MOCK RED COUP AS A DEMONSTRATION OF WHAT A COMMUNIST REVOLUTION AND TOTALITARIAN LIFE WOULD BE LIKE. AMERICAN LEGIONNAIRES, GARBED AS ARMED SECRET POLICE, WILL ARREST CITY OFFICIALS, PADLOCK CHURCH DOORS, CONFISCATE THE LOCAL NEWSPAPER, RAISE RED BANNERS AND PLASTER THE TOWN WITH "COMMUNIST" POSTERS. A "RED" COMMITTEE WILL RULE THE TOWN FOR A DAY--BUT ONLY FOR A DAY.

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MOSCOW, IDAHO, WILL PUT BOY AND GIRL SCOUTS AND CAMPFIRE GIRLS INTO BOOTHS TO DISTRIBUTE BADGES SAYING THE WEARER LIKES BEING AN AMERICAN.

RUMORS OF A FOLDED ARMS STRIKE SPREAD IN PANAMA WHERE PRESIDENT ARNULFO ARIAS AND EIGHT MEMBERS OF HIS CABINET SATURDAY NIGHT DECLARED COMMUNISM OUTLAWED. THE RESOLUTION SAID PANAMA HAS JOINT RESPONS-

BILITY WITH THE UNITED STATES IN DEFENSE OF THE PANAMA CANAL, AND WILL BE "INFLEXIBLE" IN STAMPING OUT COMMUNIST ACTIVITY, OPEN OR CONCEALED. WORKERS PLANNED A PARADE.

IN SOUTH AFRICA AND AUSTRALIA ALSO, OFFICIAL MOVEMENTS WERE AFOOT TO OUTLAW COMMUNISM.

ERIC LOUW, ECONOMICS MINISTER OF THE UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA, SAID THE GOVERNMENT WILL ASK PARLIAMENT FOR STRONG POWERS TO JAIL MARXIST AGITATORS, DEPORT ALIEN COMMUNISTS, CLOSE NEWSPAPERS SPREADING RED DOCTRINE AND BAN MEETINGS OF FELLOW TRAVELERS.

THE SOUTH AFRICAN COMMUNIST PARTY'S MEMBERSHIP IS BELIEVED TO BE LESS THAN 2,000 BUT THE GOVERNMENT FEARS COMMUNIST AGENTS MAY TAKE CONTROL OF BUDDING NATIONALIST AND LABOR MOVEMENTS AMONG NEGROES.

THE GOVERNMENT FORBID MAY DAY DEMONSTRATIONS, AND ALL POLICE IN PRETORIA WERE ORDERED ON STAND-BY DUTY UNTIL TUESDAY.

HUNDREDS OF SOVIET ZONE GERMANS BEGAN MAY DAY ACTIVITY LAST (SUN) NIGHT BY MARCHING UP TO THE BORDER OF THE AMERICAN ZONE AT TETTAU CARRYING LIGHTED TORCHES AND SINGING COMMUNIST SONGS.

THEY SHOUTED "DOWN WITH THE ZONAL BARRIERS", "LIBERTY FOR ALL GERMANY" AND SANG THE OLD HITLER YOUTH SONGS -- BUT WITH NEW WORDS.

THE MARCHERS MADE NO EFFORT TO CROSS THE ZONAL BORDER.

AN AMERICAN ARMY JEEP FILLED WITH SOLDIERS EQUIPPED WITH MACHINEGUNS WAS STATIONED ON THE ROAD ABOUT 15 YARDS INSIDE THE AMERICAN ZONE.

WEST GERMAN POLICE KEPT A KNOT OF ABOUT 150 AMERICAN ZONE GERMANS THE SAME DISTANCE FROM THE BARRIER.

THE SOVIET ZONE MARCHERS WERE MOSTLY FROM 10 TO 20 YEARS OLD AND NUMBERED ABOUT 800.

IN ROME COMMUNIST LABOR BOSS GIUSEPPE DI VITTORIO URGED WHAT HE DESCRIBED AS "AUTHENTIC AMERICAN DEMOCRATS TO NEUTRALIZE THE FORCES OF THEIR WAR PROFITEERS."

THE LEADER OF THE COMMUNIST-LED GENERAL LABOR CONFEDERATION ALSO APPEALED FOR CLOSE COOPERATION BETWEEN AMERICAN WORKERS "AND THEIR BROTHERS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD IN EFFORTS TO CONQUOR PEACE."

GENERALISSIMO CHIANG-KAI-SHEK ISSUED A MAY DAY STATEMENT AT NATIONALIST CHINESE HEADQUARTERS IN TAIPEI, FORMOSA. HE DECLARED HIS FORCES ARE FIGHTING AN "ANTI-RUSSIAN WAR" AND DESCRIBED FORMOSA AS "OUR BASE IN THE ANTI-COMMUNIST AND ANTI-RUSSIAN WAR FOR NATIONAL SALVATION."

HE ACCUSED COMMUNIST CHIEF MAO TZE-TUNG OF SUBJECTING THE CHINESE TO SOVIET SERVITUDE AND URGED ALL WORKERS TO "CONSOLIDATE THEMSELVES IN THE ANTI-COMMUNIST, ANTI-RUSSIAN FIGHT IN ORDER TO ACCOMPLISH THE NATIONAL REVOLUTION."

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 7 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, FRIDAY, APRIL 28)

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(ADVANCE) THE HAGUE, APRIL 28-(AP)-THE DRAFT OF AN INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENT PROPOSING CONTROL OF TIN EXPORTS AND CREATION OF A BUFFER STOCK WAS MADE PUBLIC TODAY BY THE INTERNATIONAL TIN STUDY GROUP.

EXPORTS FROM PRODUCING COUNTRIES WOULD BE ALLOCATED ON A PERCENTAGE BASIS. PROVISION IS MADE FOR PART OF THE TOTAL TO BE REALLOCATED EACH YEAR IN SUCH A WAY AS BEST TO GIVE EFFECT TO THE RELEVANT SECTIONS OF THE HAVANA CHARTER FOR AN INTERNATIONAL TRADE ORGANIZATION.

THE BUFFER STOCK WOULD BE AUTHORIZED TO BUY AND SELL TIN AT WHATEVER PRICES ARE FIXED AS THE HIGHER AND LOWER PRICE MARGINS AND MIGHT OPERATE WITHIN THE MARGINS.

PROVISION ALSO IS MADE REGARDING MAINTENANCE OF FAIR LABOR STANDARDS IN THE TIN INDUSTRY, THE ORDERLY LIQUIDATION OF STRATEGIC STOCKPILES, RESTRICTIVE BUSINESS PRACTICES AND ACTION IN THE EVENT OF A TIN SHORTAGE.

THE STUDY GROUP MEETING WAS ATTENDED BY REPRESENTATIVES OF ALL THE MEMBERS OF THE GROUP:

AUSTRALIA, BELGIUM, BOLIVIA, BRITISH COLONIAL AND DEPENDENT TERRITORIES, CANADA, CHINA, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, FRANCE, INDIA, ITALY, NETHERLANDS, THAILAND, UNITED KINGDOM, THE U.S. AND THE UNITED STATES OF INDONESIA.

A MAJORITY VOTED FOR A RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS TO CONVENE A CONFERENCE AT AN EARLY DATE, TO WHICH ALL MEMBERS OF THE U.N. WOULD BE INVITED TO DISCUSS A COMMODITY CONTROL AGREEMENT ON TIN.

THE U.S. OPPOSED THE RESOLUTION. CHINA, FRANCE AND THAILAND ABSTAINED, CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND ITALY WERE NOT PRESENT AT THE FINAL SESSION.

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AN AMERICAN SOURCE SAID THE U.S. HAD RESERVATIONS BECAUSE "WE ARE MORE INTERESTED IN ADEQUATE SUPPLIES THAN IN PRICE CONTROL AND RESTRICTIONS."

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UNDER THE PROPOSED FIVE-YEAR AGREEMENT, AN INTERNATIONAL TIN COUNCIL WOULD ADMINISTER ITS PROVISIONS. EACH CONTRACTING GOVERNMENT WOULD BE REPRESENTED ON THE COUNCIL BY ONE DELEGATE. THE CONTROL SYSTEM WOULD GO INTO EFFECT ONLY BY DECISION OF THE COUNCIL. THE COUNCIL WOULD THEN ESTIMATE THE PROBABLE DEMAND FOR TIN AND THE PROBABLE INCREASE OR DECREASE OF COMMERCIAL STOCKS AND THUS FIX THE NET AMOUNTS OF TIN TO BE EXPORTED BY ALL THE PRODUCING COUNTRIES, DIVIDING THE TOTAL PERMISSIBLE EXPORT AMOUNT FOR EACH PRODUCING COUNTRY ON A FIXED PERCENTAGE BASIS.

THE COUNCIL WOULD APPOINT A BUFFER STOCK MANAGER WHO WOULD BUY AND SELL TIN. AT HIS DISPOSAL EACH PRODUCING COUNTRY WOULD PLACE A QUANTITY OF TIN METAL AS PRESCRIBED OR THE MONEY EQUIVALENT.

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WASHINGTON, APRIL 28-(AP)-GREAT BRITAIN WAS GRANTED $35,000,000 (M) TODAY TO BUY CANADIAN WHEAT UNDER THE MARSHALL PLAN.

THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION ANNOUNCED THE SPENDING APPROVAL. THE AGENCY SAID THE GRAIN-BUYING WILL BEGIN IMMEDIATELY AND CONTINUE UNTIL JUNE 30. DELIVERY MUST BE MADE BY AUG. 31.

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NIGHT LEAD BERLIN MAY 1 1950
BY RICHARD KASISCHKE
BERLIN,MAY 1-(AP)-ANTI-COMMUNISTS STONED EAST BERLIN POLICE AND TORE DOWN SOVIET FLAGS AND A LOUDSPEAKER IN SEETHING MAY DAY CELEBRATIONS TODAY BUT PATIENT POLICE ACTION ON BOTH SIDES AVERTED ANY SERIOUS VIOLENCE.
BERLIN BOILED WITH A MILLION CELEBRANTS AT RALLIES ON EACH SIDE OF THE BORDER, BUT THE CIVIL WAR, WHICH MANY HAD FEARED MIGHT EXPLODE IN THIS DIVIDED CITY 100 MILES BEHIND THE IRON CURTAIN, DID NOT BREAK OUT.
THE CLOSEST THING TO AN INCIDENT WAS WHEN A WESTERN MOB OF 5,000 RAGGED TEENAGERS PELTED 100 BLUE UNIFORMED EASTERN PATROLMEN WITH BRICK BATS IN POTSDAMER PLATZ.
THE WESTERN RIOTERS SCREAMED "BLACK SS" AND "COMMUNIST PIGS" AT THE LINE OF EASTERN POLICE LINE WHO KEPT TO THEIR SIDE OF THE BORDER AND DODGERS THE MISSILES WITHOUT EVEN DRAWING THEIR CLUBS.
AFTER 15 MINUTES, 300 WEST BERLIN POLICE RESERVES, RESPONDING TO A RIOT CALL, WEDGED AMONG THE DEMONSTRATORS AND PUSHED THEM BACK OUT OF ROCK THROWING RANGE.
THE YOUNGSTERS--SOME OF THEM DRUNK AND WAVING BOTTLES--MEANWHILE HAD SEIZED AND MAULED TWO EAST BERLIN CIVILIANS, AND TORN DOWN RED FLAGS AND A LOUDSPEAKER FROM A SOVIET SECTOR FRONTIER BUILDING. ONE EASTERN POLICEMAN HAD TO RECEIVE MEDICAL TREATMENT AND ONE YOUNG RIOTER WAS ARRESTED BY WESTERN POLICE.
MAYOR ERNST REUTER, WHO GUIDED BERLIN'S CITIZENS THROUGH THE GRIM SOVIET BLOCKADE, ESTIMATED 750,000 ATTENDED THE ANTI-COMMUNIST RALLY IN THE TIERGARTEN IN WEST BERLIN.
ON THE OTHER SIDE OF BRANDENBURG GATE AT LEAST 300,000 EAST BERLINERS JOINED THE COMMUNIST RALLY WHERE RED-BANNERED GROUPS PARADED FOR SIX HOURS ALONG UNTER DEN LINDEN WHERE HITLER'S REVIEWS ONCE STOMPED.
THE TWO RALLIES THOUGH WITHIN A FEW HUNDRED YARDS OF EACH OTHER WERE A CONTRAST IN TACTICS, ORGANIZATION AND ORATORY--
STRIKING EXAMPLES OF HOW RIVAL POLITICAL FORCES IN THE WORLD HAVE RIPPED THIS CITY INTO TWO CAMPS.
THE UNTER DEN LINDEN RESOUNDED AGAIN TO UNISON MARCHING. THE LUSTGARTEN, WHERE A BEDECKED REVIEWING STAND HAD BEEN SET UP, WAS A LITTLE "RED SQUARE" WITH A FOREST OF BANNERS, PORTRAITS OF STALIN AND PLACARDS EULOGIZING THE SOVIETIZATION OF EAST GERMANY.
TRAINED GROUPS MOVED IN DISCIPLINED FORMATION BEARING FLAGS.
FREE COMMUNIST YOUTH (FDJ) CLAPPED HANDS IN TIME OVER THEIR HEADS AS THEY PACED BEFORE THE REVIEWING STAND SINGING, "THE FDJ STORMS BERLIN."
IN THE COLUMNS WERE 4,000 UNIFORMED EAST ZONE POLICE, WHICH WESTERN AUTHORITIES SAY IS EQUIPPED AND TRAINED LIKE AN ARMY.
EVERY ORGANIZATION IN EAST BERLIN--EXCEPT THE CHURCHES--WAS MOBILIZED TO PROVIDE FLOATS AND MARCHERS. EVEN THE EAST GERMAN SUPREME COURT TRUDGED IN LINE CARRYING A SIGN, "ALL GERMANY NEEDS PEOPLE'S JUDGES."
LOUDSPEAKERS BOUNCED COMMUNIST SPEECHES THE LENGTH OF THE BROAD AVENUE. SUCH ANGRY EPITHETS AS "ANGLO-AMERICAN IMPERIALISM", "WESTERN MONGERS OF AN ATOM BOMB WAR" AND "BONN PUPPETS" WERE REPEATED AGAIN AND AGAIN FOR HOURS.

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BUT THIS WAS NOT "DER TAG" (THE DAY) FOR COMMUNISTS TO MAKE GOOD THEIR BOAST THAT "BERLIN MUST BE OURS."
WEST BERLIN'S 11,000 POLICE, WITH 8,000 RIOT-TRAINED AMERICAN, BRITISH AND FRENCH TROOPS IN BARRACKS IN THE BACKGROUND, WERE OUT IN FULL FORCE. SO WERE SEVERAL THOUSAND EAST BERLIN POLICE WHO MOUNTED A CLOSE WATCH ON THEIR BORDER.
OVERHEAD, AN AMERICAN HELICOPTER CARRYING MAJ.GEN.MAXWELL D. TAYLOR, BERLIN COMMANDANT, AND OTHER AMERICAN AND BRITISH OBSERVATION PLANES CIRCLED TO SPOT THE LEAST GESTURE TO INVADE THE WESTERN SECTORS.
IT MAY BE DIFFERENT AT THE WHITSUN WEEKEND OF MAY 26-28, WHEN COMMUNIST YOUTH ORGANIZATIONS MAY OR MAY NOT MAKE GOOD THEIR THREATS THAT 500,000 WILL "MARCH ON BERLIN." TODAY THEY WERE COMPLETELY ENGROSSED WITH THE PRO-SOVIET PAGEANTRY ON THE EAST SIDE.
IN WESTERN BERLIN THE THOUSANDS STREAMED TO THE TIERGARTEN IN PAIRS, DOZENS AND FAMILY GROUPS AS TO A PICNIC.
THEY MASSED IN FRONT OF THE BURNED-OUT REICHSTAG AND HEARD 90 MINUTES OF FIERY SPEECHES BY MAYOR REUTER, CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATIC LEADER JAKOB KAISER, AND IRVING BROWN, EUROPEAN REPRESENTATIVE OF THE AMERICAN FEDERATION OF LABOR. THEN THEY WERE TOLD TO GO HOME PEACEFULLY.
MANY FAINTED IN THE HOT SUN.
THE HUGE CROWD THUNDERED CHEERS AT EVERY MENTION OF "FREEDOM FOR BERLIN FROM COMMUNIST TYRANNY", CALLS FOR A UNITED GERMANY, AND RESTORATION OF EASTERN TERRITORIES.
"BERLIN HAS SHOWN THE COMMUNISTS IT NEVER WILL BECOME A PRAGUE," MAYOR REUTER SHOUTED.
BEFORE THE DEMONSTRATION THERE WERE A FEW MINOR INCIDENTS. SEVEN EAST BERLIN RAILWAY POLICE WERE ARRESTED AT A STATION JUST INSIDE THE AMERICAN SECTOR AFTER AN ARGUMENT OVER POSTING COMMUNIST PLACARDS.
THREE OTHER EASTERN POLICEMEN VOLUNTARILLY DESERTED, SAYING THEY COULD NOT BEAR THE COMMUNIST PRESSURE IN THEIR FORCE.
THE HOMEGOERS GAVE A WIDE BIRTH TO THE TANK-DECORATED SOVIET WAR MEMORIAL 200 YARDS INSIDE THE WESTERN ZONE WHERE THE BRITISH HAD POSTED 60 MILITARY POLICE WITH SIX TRUCKS LOADED WITH BARBED WIRE TO REINFORCE FOUR RUSSIAN TOMMYGUNNERS.
IT WAS ABOUT THIS MONUMENT THAT A RIOT RAGED DURING AN ANTI-COMMUNIST DEMONSTRATION ON SEPT. 9, 1948. THE RUSSIANS FIRED ON THAT OCCASION AND ONE GERMAN DEATH RESULTED.
BUT PART OF THE HUGE CROWD DRIFTED TOWARD THE SOVIET SECTOR AND BEGAN SHOUTING INSULTS AT EASTERN POLICE. A BLACK SEDAN CARRYING THREE SOVIET OFFICERS BARELY SQUEEZED THROUGH THE CROWD AND A ROCK OR TWO DENTED ITS STEEL ROOF. AFTERWARD THE ROCK THROWING STARTED AT POTSDAMER PLATZ.

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TONIGHT, GEN. TAYLOR PRAISED THE GENERAL CONDUCT OF THE WESTERN GERMANS.
"IT WAS AN INSPIRING DEMONSTRATION OFTHE WILL OF THE WEST BERLINERS TO REMAIN STEADFAST IN THE FACE OF COMMUNIST THREATS," HE SAID.
"I FEEL THAT TODAY WAS A GREAT VICTORY FOR THE DEMOCRATIC FORCES OF THE CITY.

BRITISH MAJ.GEN.G.K.BOURNE, WHO ALSO MADE A PLANE SORTIE OVER THE CITY, SAID "THE CONDUCT OF WEST BERLINERS TODAY HAS BEEN A TRIUMPH FOR THEM AND THEIR POLITICAL LEADERS. THERE WERE ONLY A FEW INCIDENTS OF HOOLIGANISM. THERE WAS NO NEED FOR ALLIED TROOPS TO INTERVENE."

ALLIED ALERTNESS WILL BE AT ITS PEAK DURING THE REST OF MAY, HOWEVER. ALLIED INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS HAVE ONLY THE WORD OF YOUNG COMMUNIST LEADERS THAT THE WHITSUN MARCH WILL BE CONFINED TO EAST BERLIN.

COMMUNISTS HAD NO COMPETITION IN THE REMAINDER OF EAST GERMANY TODAY AND THEY LED DEMONSTRATIONS OF MILLIONS IN LEIPZIG, DRESDEN AND OTHER CITIES.

IN WESTERN GERMANY, COMMUNIST RALLIES GENERALLY FELL FLAT, ATTRACTING ONLY SMALL CROWDS. THE GENERALLY QUIET DAY IN THE WEST, HOWEVER, WAS MARKED BY THE ARREST OF TWO COMMUNIST YOUTHS IN MUNICH AND A SCUFFLE BETWEEN COMMUNISTS AND ANTI-COMMUNISTS AT HAMBURG. IN BOTH CASES THE COMMUNISTS WERE PUBLICIZING THE WHITSUN "MARCH ON BERLIN."

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THIRD LEAD BERLIN MAY DAY

BY THOMAS A.REEDY AND DANIEL DE LUCE

MAY 1 1950

BERLIN, MAY 1-(AP)-MORE THAN A MILLION BERLINERS MASSED NEAR THE EAST-WEST BORDERS IN THIS NERVE CENTER OF THE COLD WAR TODAY IN RIVAL MAY DAY DEMONSTRATIONS, BUT CALM POLICE ACTION ON BOTH SIDES PREVENTED MAJOR VIOLENCE.

IN THIS SHATTERED CITY WHERE EAST MEETS WEST ACROSS PILES OF RUBBLE, SWIRLING CROWDS ESTIMATED TO NUMBER AT LEAST 500,000 ON EACH SIDE STAGED THE BIGGEST MAY DAY DEMONSTRATION IN BERLIN'S HISTORY.

STONES FLEW AND THERE WERE SOME MINOR FIGHTS, BUT POLICE DISPERSED THE UNRULY ELEMENTS IN TIME TO PREVENT RIOTING.

ON THE COMMUNIST SIDE OF THE BRANDENBURG GATE --ON UNTER DEN LINDEN, WHERE HITLER'S LEGIONS ONCE MARCHED -- BERLINERS ONCE AGAIN HEARD THE THUNDER OF MARCHING FEET IN REGIMENTED UNISON. THE COMMUNISTS WERE STAGING A MOSCOW-LIKE SIX-HOUR PARADE FEATURING THE NEWLY TRAINED SOVIET ZONE POLICE ARMY. IT LOOKED LIKE A DRESS REHEARSAL FOR THE FORTHCOMING WHITSUNTIDE DEMONSTRATIONS OF MAY 28 IN WHICH SOME FEAR THE COMMUNISTS MAY TRY TO TAKE OVER ALL BERLIN.

ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THE GATE, A MULTITUDE OF AT LEAST A HALF MILLION -- BERLIN'S ANTI-COMMUNIST MAYOR SAID THERE WERE 750,000--HEARD WESTERN GERMAN SPEAKERS BLAST RUSSIA AND THE COMMUNISTS.

BETWEEN THESE TWO OPPOSING MULTITUDES WERE THOUSANDS OF EAST AND WEST SECTOR GERMAN POLICE LINED UP ALONG THE SECTOR BORDERS, BACKED ON THE WESTERN SIDE BY THOUSANDS OF ALLIED OCCUPATION TROOPS ALERTED FOR TROUBLE, AND GUIDED BY RECONNAISSANCE PLANES AND HELICOPTERS.

IT WAS APPARENT THAT BOTH POLICE FORCES WERE TRYING TO MAKE MAY DAY --INTERNATIONAL LABOR DAY OF THE SOCIALISTS SINCE 1889-- PASS WITHOUT A HEAD-ON COLLISION AND BLOODSHED.

AS THE WESTERN RALLY BROKE UP, POLICE TRIED TO CHANNEL THE CROWDS BACK IN AN ORDERLY FASHION. SEVERAL THOUSAND, LED BY YOUNG MEN, FILTERED THROUGH POLICE LINES AND DRIFTED DOWN THE EAST-WEST SECTOR BORDER TO POTSDAMER PLATZ, A HUGE CIRCULAR AREA WHERE THE BRITISH-AMERICAN AND SOVIET SECTORS COME TOGETHER. THIS HAS BEEN THE SCENE OF MANY SERIOUS COLLISIONS.

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SOME OF THE WESTERN DEMONSTRATORS STARTED STONING EAST ZONE POLICE WHO WERE BARRING THE WAY TO THE SOVIET SECTOR. WEST GERMAN POLICE IMMEDIATELY CALLED UP RESERVES, AND, WITH THE AID OF LOUD SPEAKER TRUCKS, BROKE UP THE BUDDING RIOT. THE DEMONSTRATORS WERE FORCED OUT OF STONING DISTANCE. EAST ZONE POLICE KEPT THEIR TEMPERS AND DID NOT TRY TO RETALIATE.

SEVERAL OTHER MINOR INCIDENTS WERE REPORTED, BUT THRE WAS NO BLOODSHED.

ON THE WEST SIDE OF THE FRONTIER, THE GREAT CROWD GATHERED EARLY IN TIERGARTEN PARK, STRAGGLING IN FROM ALL THE HUNDREDS OF STREETS, MANY WITH CHILDREN BY THE HAND, AS IF GOING TO A PICNIC.

ON THE COMMUNIST SIDE, HOWEVER, REGIMENTATION AND ORGANIZATION WAS EVIDENT. UP UNTER DEN LINDEN IN MARCHING GROUPS CAME TENS OF THOUSANDS OF COMMUNIST-LED UNITS, MARCHING IN FORMATION UNDER COUNTLESS BANNERS IN A GERMAN VERSION OF THE MOSCOW CELEBRATIONS. FOR SIX HOURS THE DRILLED, DISCIPLINED GROUPS MARCHED PAST THE COMMUNIST BOSSES OF EAST GERMANY, WHO WERE IN A BEDECKED REVIEWING STAND. THIS WAS TO BE FOLLOWED BY AN ORGANIZED SHOWING OF EAST GERMAN UNITY WITH RUSSIA, TO LAST FAR INTO THE NIGHT.

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THE 11,000 WEST GERMAN POLICE AND, BEHIND THEM, 8,000 SPECIALLY ALERTED ALLIED SOLDIERS. HAD BEEN READY FOR ANY EMERGENCY.

AT ONE POINT ANTI-COMMUNIST DEMONSTRATORS AT POTSDAMER PLATZ BEGAN SURGING TOWARD THE RUSSIAN SECTOR BORDER, DESPITE EFFORTS OF WEST BERLIN POLICE TO KEEP THEM IN CHECK. AT THE BRANDENBURG GATE, SOME OF THE DEMONSTRATORS BEGAN SHOUTING INSULTS AT THE COMMUNIST-CONTROLLED EAST BERLIN POLICE, CALLING THEM THE "BLACK S.S." AND "COMMUNIST PIGS."

THE WEST GERMANS -- OFFICIALS SAID THEY APPEARED TO BE LED BY YOUNG ROUGHHOUSE ELEMENTS WHO MAY HAVE BEEN DRINKING -- BEGAN THROWING STONES AT EAST SECTOR POLICE. ALLIED REPORTERS SAID THE EAST BERLIN POLICE SHOWED RESTRAINT, MERELY DODGING THE STONES WITHOUT EVEN DRAWING THEIR CLUBS.

AFTER THIS INCIDENT, WEST BERLIN DEMONSTRATORS SEIZED TWO EAST SECTOR CIVILIANS AND BEAT THEM SEVERELY. ONE OF THE VICTIMS WAS A PHOTOGRAPHER. WEST BERLIN POLICE RESERVES, ANSWERING A RIOT ALARM, DISPERSED THE UNRULY ELEMENTS.

POTSDAMER PLATZ LONG HAS BEEN A HOT CORNER IN THE COLD WAR. IT HAS BEEN THE SCENE OF MANY CLASHES BETWEEN COMMUNISTS AND ANTI-COMMUNISTS.

WHILE THE WEST GERMAN CROWDS CONVERGED HAPHAZARDLY FOR THEIR MASS DEMONSTRATION, REGIMENTED TENS OF THOUSANDS, A FEW BLOCKS AWAY IN THE EAST SECTOR, MARCHED PAST SOVIET AND GERMAN COMMUNIST CHIEFTAINS IN A MOSCOW-LIKE COPY OF MAY DAY CELEBRATIONS OF RED SQUARE.

THOUSANDS FAINTED IN THE BURNING SUN AND WERE CARRIED AWAY.

A FEW MINOR INCIDENTS WERE REPORTED IN THE WESTERN SECTOR, BUT THERE WAS NO RIOTING, DESPITE EARLIER RED THREATS.

ELEVEN THOUSAND WEST GERMAN POLICE, BACKED BY 8,000 ALERTED ALLIED TROOPS, SEEMED TO HAVE THE TENSE CITY WELL IN HAND.

BRITISH AND AMERICAN PLANES AND HELICOPTERS SOARED OVER THE CENTRAL PART OF THE CITY, WITH OBSERVERS READY TO RADIO THE WORD TO HEADQUARTERS AT THE SLIGHTEST SIGN OF DISTURBANCE.

WEST BERLIN'S MAYOR ERNST REUTER ESTIMATED THE ANTI-COMMUNIST CROWD AT 750,000.

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WEST BERLIN ORGANIZERS CHARGED THAT AT LEAST ANOTHER 30,000 PERSONS HAD BEEN HELD BACK FORCIBLY FROM THE RALLY BY COMMUNIST POLICE AT SOVIET SECTOR BORDERS.

THIS HUGE DEMONSTRATION CHEERED THUNDEROUSLY AT EVERY MENTION OF "FREEDOM FOR BERLIN FROM COMMUNIST TYRANNY" FOR CALLS FOR A UNITED GERMANY AND RESTORATION OF THE EASTERN TERRITORIES WHICH HAVE BEEN GIVEN TO POLAND BY RUSSIA.

IN EAST BERLIN, MASSED THOUSANDS OF COMMUNIST MARCHERS CARRIED FLAGS AND PORTRAITS OF STALIN AND CHEERED ATTACKS AGAINST THE "WESTERN WAR MONGERS."

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THE WEST BERLIN RALLY BROKE UP SHORTLY BEFORE NOON AFTER 90 MINUTES OF SPEECHES.

THE MASSED HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS WERE TOLD TO GO HOME QUIETLY AND AVOID ANY CLASHES WITH THE COMMUNIST DEMONSTRATORS, STILL MARCHING IN THE LUSTGARTEN, A MILE AWAY IN THE SOVIET SECTOR.

THE FAMED BRANDENBURG GATE, DIVIDING LINE BETWEEN EAST AND WEST BERLIN, WAS GUARDED ON BOTH SIDES BY MASSES OF GERMAN POLICE.

IN CONTRAST TO STRAGGLING CROWDS STREAMING INTO THE WESTERN SECTOR AT THE TIERGARTEN, THE DEMONSTRATION IN THE EAST WAS ORGANIZED TO THE MINUTE.

THE EAST ZONE GOVERNMENT PUT ON A SHOW BY ITS "POLICE" WHICH THE WEST CLAIMS IS A SOVIET-SPONSORED ARMY. FOUR THOUSAND EAST ZONE POLICE MARCHED BY IN MILITARY FORMATION LED BY A BAND.

THESE WERE FOLLOWED BY THOUSANDS OF COMMUNIST YOUTH, MARCHING 24 ABREAST.

THE EAST BERLIN PARADE IS SUPPOSED TO LAST THROUGHOUT THE DAY, GOING PAST A REVIEWING STAND IN THE LUSTGARTEN.

AS THE COMMUNIST YOUTH MARCHED PAST THE STAND THEY CLAPPED THEIR HANDS OVER THEIR HEADS AS SOVIET YOUTH ORGANIZATIONS DO IN THEIR PARADES. THEY SANG THEIR SONG "THE FDJ (FREE DEMOCRATIC YOUTH) STORMS BERLIN," A SONG PREPARED FOR THEIR PROMISED BIG COMMUNIST YOUTH DEMONSTRATION IN BERLIN ON MAY 28.

IN THE BORDER DISTRICT BETWEEN THE EAST AND WEST SECTORS OF THE CITY, 300 COMMUNIST FOLLOWERS ATTEMPTED TO DEMONSTRATE EN ROUTE TO THE RED RALLY IN EAST BERLIN BUT WERE QUICKLY DISPERSED.

IN OTHER SECTORS OF THE CITY EARLY MINOR INCIDENTS WERE REPORTED.

THE LAST TIME THE WEST BERLINERS STAGED A GIANT RALLY, DURING THE BERLIN BLOCKADE, IT BROKE UP IN RIOTING AROUND THE SOVIET MEMORIAL AT BRANDENBURG GATE. THE SOVIET FLAG WAS TORN DOWN AMID GUNFIRE.

ONE OF THE FIRST SPEAKERS AT THE WESTERN RALLY WAS IRVING BROWN, EUROPEAN REPRESENTATIVE OF THE AMERICAN FEDERATION OF LABOR.

BROWN TOLD THE THOUSANDS OF WEST BERLINERS THAT AMERICAN TRADE UNIONS RECOGNIZED BERLIN WORKERS AS BATTLING TO PRESERVE "AN ISLAND WHERE HUMAN DECENCY AND INDIVIDUAL LIBERTY CAN SURVIVE."

HE URGED A UNITED EUROPE "MERGED INTO A WIDE ATLANTIC UNION WITH AMERICAN AS THE KEYSTONE."

THE WESTERN CROWD SAVED ITS BIGGEST CHEERS FOR SPEAKERS WHO ADVOCATED A UNITED GERMANY AND A RETURN OF THE EAST GERMAN TERRITORIES TAKE OVER BY POLAND.

AT THE EAST ZONE RALLY, COMMUNIST TRADE UNION CHIEF ADOLF DETER BRANDED THOSE AT THE WESTERN SECTOR RALLY AS "ANGLO-AMERICAN IMPERIALISTS DRAGGING BERLIN INTO PLANS FOR A NEW WAR.

STANDING NEAR THE BURNED-OUT REICHSTAG BUILDING IN THE TIERGARTEN, CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATIC LEADER JACOB KAISER TOLD THE CHEERING WESTERNERS THAT THOSE IN THE EAST "ARE MARCHING UNDER THE PRESSURE OF COMPULSION."

OTHER SPEAKERS URGED THE NEED FOR FREE ELECTIONS FOR ALL OF GERMANY.

A FEW BLOCKS AWAY, PAST THE HEAVILY GUARDED BRANDENBURG GATE, THOUSANDS OF EAST BERLINERS GATHERED IN THE LUSTGARTEN AT THE END OF UNTER DEN LINDEN FOR THE RED RALLY.

FOUR SOVIET TOMMYGUNNERS STOOD GUARD AT THE SOVIET MEMORIAL AT BRANDENBURG GATE, AUGMENTED BY BRITISH MILITARY POLICE.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DANIEL DE LUCE REPORTED FROM BRANDENBURG GATE THAT HUNDREDS OF EAST BERLINERS WALKED INTO THE WESTERN SECTOR TO WATCH THE ANTI-COMMUNIST DEMONSTRATION.

EAST ZONE POLICE HAD FIRE HORSES ON UNTER DEN LINDEN AS A PRECAUTION AGAINST RIOTING.

THE BROAD AVENUE WAS PACKED BUT A BRITISH OFFICER FLYING OVER THE AREA IN A RECONNAISSANCE PLANE SAID THE EAST SECTOR CROWD DID NOT APPEAR AS LARGE AS THE WESTERN ONE.

SCORES OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN FAINTED IN THE VAST WESTERN CROWD AS A BRIGHT SUN SWARMED THE TIERGARTEN.

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B71 (Q) (560)

KX FOR APW BY SIDNEY MIRKIN

LONDON, MAY 1-(AP)-OFFICIALS OF THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH NATIONS MET HERE TODAY TO FORMULATE A COMMON POLICY ON A JAPANESE PEACE TREATY.

THE SESSIONS WERE ARRANGED AT THE COMMONWEALTH FOREIGN MINISTERS CONFERENCE AT COLOMBO LAST JANUARY, WHEN IT WAS DECIDED AN EARLY TREATY WAS DESIRABLE.

THE MEETINGS HERE WILL NOT ATTEMPT TO DRAW UP A DRAFT TREATY BUT THE EXPERTS OF THE VARIOUS NATIONS HAVE DRAWN UP IDEAS TO BE PRESENTED.

THE OFFICIALS ARE HANDICAPPED BECAUSE THE UNITED STATES, WHICH WAS SUPPOSED TO HAVE A DRAFT TREATY DRAWN UP IN JANUARY, STILL HAS NOT BEEN ABLE TO RECONCILE THE VIEWS OF THE STATE AND DEFENSE DEPARTMENTS.

PATRICK GORDON WALKER, BRITAIN'S SECRETARY OF STATE FOR COMMONWEALTH AFFAIRS, PRESIDED AT TODAY'S OPENING SESSION, WHICH WAS ATTENDED BY THE HIGH COMMISSIONERS FROM THE COMMONWEALTH COUNTRIES.

LATER DISCUSSIONS WILL BE TURNED OVER TO EXPERTS, WHO ARE EXPECTED TO MEET FOR AT LEAST TWO WEEKS.

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THE TOP PRIORITY PROBLEM BEFORE THE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE COMMONWEALTH IS WHETHER TO PROCEED WITH PLANS FOR A PEACE TREATY IF RUSSIA CONTINUES HER REFUSAL TO DISCUSS THE QUESTION OUTSIDE THE COUNCIL OF FOREIGN MINISTERS.

THE SOVIETS HAVE INSISTED THE JAPANESE TREATY MUST BE DRAFTED BY THE BIG FOUR AND CHINA.

THE WESTERN VIEW IS THAT ALL THE NATIONS WHO FOUGHT AGAINST JAPAN SHOULD BE INCLUDED IN THE PEACE TALKS. AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND, IN PARTICULAR, HAVE BEEN INSISTENT ON THEIR RIGHTS TO PLACES AT THE PEACE TABLE.

THE MEETINGS ARE EXPECTED TO RESULT IN A REAFFIRMATION THAT THE PARTIES TO THE DRAWING UP OF THE TREATY SHOULD INCLUDE THE MEMBERS OF THE FAR EASTERN COMMISSION, AND POSSIBLY CEYLON AND INDONESIA.

THE MEMBERS OF THE 11-NATION COMMISSION ARE THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN, FRANCE, RUSSIA, THE NETHERLANDS, CHINA, AUSTRALIA, NEW ZEALAND, CANADA, INDIA AND THE PHILIPPINES.

THE COMMONWEALTH NATIONS ARE EXPECTED TO AGREE THAT PLANS FOR A CONFERENCE SHOULD PROCEED, WHETHER OR NOT RUSSIA PARTICIPATES.

WHILE THE AMERICAN DRAFT IS NOT YET READY, SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON IS EXPECTED TO PRESENT AMERICAN VIEWS ON A JAPANESE TREATY TO THE BIG THREE MEETING HERE LATER THIS MONTH.

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AN INFORMED SOURCE SAID TODAY THE QUESTION OF POSSIBLE AMERICAN BASES IN JAPAN WOULD NOT BE DISCUSSED.

AMERICA'S IS RECOGNIZED AS THE MAJOR INTEREST IN JAPAN, THIS SOURCE SAID, SINCE THE UNITED STATES CONTRIBUTED MOST TO THE WAR IN THE PACIFIC AND HAS FOOTED THE CONSIDERABLE COSTS OF THE OCCUPATION.

THE BRITISH HAVE NO DESIRE FOR A TREATY WHICH WOULD PLACE HARSH RESTRICTIONS ON JAPAN.

THIS HAS BEEN MADE PLAIN IN RECENT WEEKS AS SPOKESMEN FOR BRITAIN'S COTTON INDUSTRY EXPRESSED WORRIES ABOUT JAPAN'S EFFORTS TO REGAIN HER PRE-WAR SHARE OF THE WORLD COTTON MARKET.

THE BRITISH POSITION, EXPRESSED BY GOVERNMENT AND FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMEN, IS THAT JAPAN MUST BE ALLOWED TO EXPAND HER FOREIGN TRADE IN ORDER TO BE ABLE TO SUPPORT A REASONABLE LIVING STANDARD.

THE BRITISH ALSO FEEL THAT DISARMAMENT AND DEMILITARIZATION HAVE LARGELY BEEN ACCOMPLISHED.

THEY WOULD LIKE, HOWEVER, SOME FIRM RESTRICTION ON THE SIZE OF SHIPS JAPAN WILL BE ALLOWED TO BUILD. THE BRITISH POINT OUT THAT JAPAN'S LARGE OCEAN-GOING VESSELS WERE QUICKLY CONVERTED TO WAR DUTY AT THE OUTSET OF THE WAR.

THEY WOULD BE SATISFIED WITH A RULE SIMILAR TO THAT DECREED BY GEN. DOUGLAS MAC ARTHUR, ALLOWING JAPAN TO PRODUCE A GROSS TONNAGE OF 300,000 TONS THIS YEAR, WITH NO SHIP TO EXCEED 12,000 TONS.

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LONDON, MAY 1-(AP)-PAKISTAN'S PRIME MINISTER, LIAQUAT ALI KHAN, TALKED WITH BRITAIN'S PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE AND OTHER OFFICIALS TODAY. HE WILL FLY TO WASHINGTON TOMORROW FOR A MONTH'S VISIT TO THE U.S. AND CANADA.

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B37 (Q)

MANCHESTER, ENGLAND MAY 1-(AP)-SIR RAYMOND STREAT, CHAIRMAN OF THE BRITISH COTTON BOARD, LEFT TODAY FOR JAPAN TO JOIN THE ANGLO-U.S. TEXTILE MISSION THERE.

SIR RAYMOND AND HIS PARTY OF ADVISERS WILL FLY VIA ROME, CALCUTTA AND RANGOON, WHERE THEY WILL BE JOINED BY W.T. WINTERBOTTOM, ANOTHER MEMBER OF THE MISSION WHO HAD DONE ON AHEAD.

THE GROUP IS DUE IN TOKYO ON SATURDAY.

THE BRITISH AND AMERICAN MEMBERS OF THE MISSION WILL MAKE A CLOSE STUDY OF PRESENT CONDITIONS AND PROSPECTS OF THE JAPANESE TEXTILE INDUSTRY. THE SURVEY IS EXPECTED TO LAST THREE WEEKS. AFTERWARD THE FULL MISSION WILL RESUME DISCUSSIONS IN NEW YORK, BEGINNING JUNE 3.

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B39 (Q)

ROME, MAY 1-(AP)-TWO FARM WORKERS WERE KILLED AND FIVE OTHERS WOUNDED LAST NIGHT IN FIGHTING BETWEEN CARABINIERI AND DEMONSTRATORS AT CELANO, IN THE ABRUZZI HILLS.

POLICE AT NEARBY AVEZZANO TOLD NEWSMEN BY TELEPHONE THAT THE TROUBLE BEGAN WHEN A THRONG OF SOME 300 WORKERS IGNORED POLICE ORDERS TO DISBAND.

THE WORKERS REPLIED BY THROWING STONES AT THE CARABINIERI, WOUNDING FOUR, SAID AVEZZANO POLICE.

CARABINIERI, THEY SAID, FIRST FIRED IN THE AIR AND INTO THE GROUND.

IT WAS NOT KNOWN WHETHER THE CARABINERI THEN FIRED DIRECTLY INTO THE STONE-THROWING MOB, OR WHETHER RICHOCETING BULLETS TORE INTO THE MOB.

CELANO IS A TOWN OF 12,000 PEOPLE ABOUT 100 MILOMETERS WEST OF ROME IN ABRUZZI, ONE OF ITALY'S POOREST AREAS.

AVEZZANO POLICE SAID THEY HEARD TROUBLE BEGAN WHEN FARM HANDS TRIED TO TAKE POSSESSION OF UNCULTIVATED LAND.

THEY ADDED THERE WERE REPORTS A GENERAL STRIKE WOULD BE CALLED BY THE COMMUNIST-CONTROLLED CELANO CHAMBER OF LABOR TO PROTEST AGAINST THE POLICE ACTION.

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A7 (130)

BERLIN, MAY 1-(AP)-BERLIN'S ROMAN CATHOLIC BISHOP, KONRAD CARDINAL VON PREYSING, HAS COMPLAINED THAT THE PRO-COMMUNIST EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT HAS "MOST SERIOUSLY PREJUDICED" THE CATHOLIC CHURCH BY ITS HOSTILE ATTITUDE, CHURCH SOURCES REPORTED.

IN A LETTER TO COMMUNIST PREMIER OTTO GROTEWOHL THE CARDINAL DEMANDED PARTICULARLY THAT THE GOVERNMENT CHANGE ITS CULTURAL POLICY. HE CHARGED THE EAST GERMAN LEADERS WITH SPREADING A MATERIALISTIC WORLD PHILOSOPHY IN SCHOOLS, PUBLIC SPEECHES, PRESS AND LITERATURE.

THE CARDINAL'S PROTEST FOLLOWED A SIMILAR ONE MADE A WEEK AGO BY BERLIN'S EVANGELICAL (PROTESTANT) BISHOP OTTO DIBELIUS.

CHURCH AND GOVERNMENT LEADERS MET LAST FRIDAY TO DISCUSS THE GROWING TENSION. INFORMANTS SAID THEY HAD AGREED TO MEET AGAIN EARLY IN MAY TO CONTINUE NEGOTIATIONS AIMED AT A SETTLEMENT.

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B67 (Q) (210)

FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 1-(AP)-A MICHIGAN STUDENT HERE TO STUDY CONDITIONS IN GERMANY SAID TODAY HE HAS CONCLUDED THAT GERMAN YOUTH HAS A LONG WAY TO GO BEFORE IT CAN REALLY UNDERSTAND DEMOCRACY.

HE IS GEORGE VAN LOON, 18, OF EATON RAPIDS, MICH. HE SPENT THREE WEEKS WITH A WEST BERLIN EDUCATOR'S FAMILY UNDER A STUDENT EXCHANGE PROJECT SPONSORED BY THE LADIES' AUXILIARY OF THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS.

MRS.DONAT MONACO OF SANTA FE, N.M., NATIONAL PRESIDENT OF THE VFW AUXILIARY, INTRODUCED VAN LOON AT A NEW CONFERENCE. SHE EXPLAINED THAT THE VFW PROJECT IS AIMED AT PROMOTING UNDERSTANDING AMONG THE YOUNG PEOPLE OF EUROPE AND THE UNITED STATES.

THE PROGRAM, KNOWN AS "OPERATION FREEDOM," CALLS FOR A SIX-WEEK STUDY TOUR OF THE UNITED STATES BY WAR ORPHANS OF SIX EUROPEAN COUN--TRIES, AND VISITS WITH GERMAN, BRITISH, FRENCH, BELGIAN, ITALIAN AND GREEK FAMILIES BY YOUNG AMERICANS.

VAN LOON SAID THAT IN HIS THREE WEEKS IN WEST BERLIN HE TOOK LONG WALKS THROUGH THE EAST SECTOR, WHICH IS OCCUPIED BY THE RUSSIANS. HE SAID "THE YOUNG PEOPLE OF BERLIN ARE STILL DESPERATELY TRYING TO FIND THE PROPER POLITICAL FORM."

"THEY'RE STILL ENTANGLED IN THE TRADITIONS OF THE BISMARCK AND HITLER ERAS," HE SAID, "BUT THEY'RE MAKING RAPID PROGRESS, PARTICULARLY AT SCHOOL, AND IN A FEW YEARS THIS PRESENT STATE OF POLITICAL EXPERIMENTING WILL BE OVERCOME."

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FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 1-(AP)-W.AVERILL HARRIMAN, U.S. AMBASSADOR IN EUROPE FOR THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION (ECA), ARRIVED HERE BY AIR FROM PARIS TODAY FOR CONFERENCES ON AID TO BERLIN.

HARRIMAN DROVE IMMEDIATELY TO THE AMERICAN HEADQUARTERS BUILDING FOR A TALK WITH JOHN J.MCCLOY, U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR GERMANY. THEY WILL GO TO BERLIN TOMORROW. THERE THEY WILL DISCUSS ECA BERLIN INVESTMENTS WITH A 20-MEMBER COMMITTEE OF BERLIN INDUSTRIALISTS, BANKERS, CITY OFFICIALS AND LABOR LEADERS.

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B42 (Q) (210)

FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 1-(AP)-THE ATTORNEY FOR MRS. YVETTE MADSEN, SENTENCED TO 15 YEARS IN PRISON FOR THE MURDER OF HER AIR FORCE BUSBAND, ASKED A FIVE-JUDGE U.S. COURT OF APPEALS TODAY TO REVERSE HER CONVICTION WITHOUT A NEW TRIAL.

ELMO GOWER OF CUMBERLAND, MD. TOLD THE COURT THE BROOKLYN BEAUTY IS A "DANGEROUS SCREWBALL" WHO SHOULD BE CONFINED IN A HOSPITAL.

"I AM NOT ASKING THAT SHE GO SCOT FREE," GOWER SAID.

MRS. MADSEN WAS CONVICTED BY A U.S. DISTRICT COURT IN MARCH OF THE PISTOL SLAYING OF LIEUT. ANDREW E. MADSEN OF OAKLAND, CALIF. SHE IS NOW CONFINED IN A U.S. AIR FORCE HOSPITAL IN WIESBADEN.

GOWER ARGUED THAT THE PROSECUTION DID NOT PROVE BEYOND A REASONABLE DOUBT THAT MRS. MADSEN WAS SANE ON THE NIGHT HER HUSBAND WAS FATALLY SHOT WITH A 32-CALIBER PISTOL.

GOWER SAID HIS CLIENT WAS INSANE ON THE NIGHT OF THE SHOOTING--AND THAT SHE IS STILL INSANE.

THE LOWER COURT WHICH CONVICTED HER HAD REJECTED THIS PLEA, RULING THAT "SHE PLANNED AND INTENDED TO KILL. SHE WAS LYING IN WAIT. THIS CONSTITUTES TREACHERY."

OF THIS RULING, GOWER CONTENDED THAT "TREACHERY WAS NOT INVOLVED" SINCE MRS. MADSEN SHOT HER HUSBAND WHILE FACING HIM.

"THERE WAS NO MOTIVE," HE SAID, "SO WHY SHOULD THIS LITTLE FOOL KILL HER HUSBAND IF SHE WAS SANE? SHE WAS LEFT WITH NO SUPPORT FOR HER TWO CHILDREN."

THE COURT IS EXPECTED TO RULE ON THE APPEAL WITHIN TWO WEEKS.

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A50 (110)

BONN, GERMANY, MAY 1-(AP)-NOISY GERMAN NATIONALISTS ARE WHISTLING IN THE DARK TO KEEP UP THEIR COURAGE, WEST GERMAN PRESIDENT THEODOR HEUSS DECLARED TODAY IN A MAY DAY BROADCAST.

HEUSS SAID GERMAN NATIONALISM OCCASIONALLY SHOWED ITS FACE, BUT HE ASSERTED IT WAS NOTHING MORE THAN COWARDICE IN THE FACE OF REALITY. BUT HE WARNED THAT THE QUESTION OF NATIONALISM WAS NOT TO BE TREATED LIGHTLY.

U.S.HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J. MCCLOY DECLARED LAST WEEK THAT GERMAN NATIONALISM IS A FORCE "WHICH MUST BE RECKONED WITH INCREASINGLY." IN A LETTER TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT MCCLOY SAID "NATIONALIST GROUPS" HAVE BECOME MORE ACTIVE IN WESTERN GERMANY SINCE MILITARY GOVERNMENT ENDED LAST FALL.

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A23 (100)

DUESSELDORF, GERMANY, MAY 1-(AP)-REINHOLD MAIER, MINISTER-PRESIDENT OF THE STATE OF WUERTTEMBERG-BADEN, TOLD A PARTY MEETING YESTERDAY IT IS "NONSENSE" FOR THE WESTERN ALLIES "TO HOLD GERMANY HALF UP AND HALF DOWN."

SPEAKING AT A MEETING OF THE RIGHT-WING FREE DEMOCRATIC PARTY (FDP), MAIER SAID THE GERMAN PEOPLE "CANNOT LIVE MUCH LONGER UNDER A DIVIDED HALF-FREEDOM."

HE SAID THE ALLIES "EITHER COULD KEEP GERMANY ON THE FLOOR OR LET HER WORK UP HERSELF."

DURING THE MEETING THE PARTY ELECTED FRANZ BLUECHER, VICE CHANCELLOR OF THE REPUBLIC, AS ITS NEW CHAIRMAN, SUCCEEDING FEDERAL PRESIDENT THEODOR HEUSS, WHO GAVE UP HIS PARTY FUNCTIONS LAST SUMMER.

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MAY DAY BOX

BELGRADE, MAY 1-(AP)-RUSSIA GOT A RIBBING IN THE MAY DAY PARADE HERE TODAY.

ONE CARTOON CARRIED BY THE PARADERS DEPICTED RUSSIA AS THE CAPTAIN OF A BOAT ON THE DANUBE WITH THE PRO-COMINFORM SATELLITE COUNTRIES AS THE OARS. THE CAPTAIN URGED THE OARSMEN TO PULL HARDER WHILE HE LOLLED BACK COMFORTABLY AT THE TILLER.

THERE WERE OTHER FLOATS DEPICTING THE RIFT BETWEEN MARSHAL TITO AND THE SOVIET-LED COMINFORM. THEY DREW JEERS AND LAUGHTER FROM THE CROWDS.

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BY EDDY GILMORE

MOSCOW, MAY 1-(AP)-A SAMPLE OF SOVIET RUSSIA'S ARMED MIGHT PARADED TODAY UNDER A MODERN UMBRELLA OF BOMBER AND JET PLANES IN A BRILLIANT MAY DAY SHOW FOR PREMIER STALIN AND MORE THAN A MILLION SPECTATORS.

FOREIGN OBSERVERS SAID THE AIR ARMADA WAS THE GREATEST RUSSIAN FLYING SPECTACLE SINCE THE END OF THE WAR. IT WAS LED BY THE PREMIER'S SON, LT. GEN. VASSILY STALIN.

GENERALISSIMO STALIN, LOOKING FIT ON THE ROSTRUM OVERLOOKING RED SQUARE, HEARD GEN. S.M. SHTEMENKO, CHIEF OF THE ARMY GENERAL STAFF, WARN "WARMONGERS" THAT SOVIET ARMED FORCES STOOD READY TO RESIST AGGRESSORS.

"WARMONGERS, THE FORMATION OF AGGRESSIVE BLOCS, THE CREATION OF ARMED BASES AROUND THE SOVIET UNION AND THE PEOPLE'S DEMOCRACIES, AND MILITARY PROVOCATIONS," SHTEMENKO SAID, "DO NOT SCARE THE SOVIET UNION."

FOREIGN AIR ATTACHES SAID THIS WAS THE FIRST TIME TWIN-ENGINED JET PLANES HAVE APPEARED IN ANY SOVIET AIR SHOW. THEY ALSO OBSERVED THIS WAS THE FIRST TIME THE AIRFORCE HAD DISPLAYED AS MANY AS 64 FOUR-ENGINED BOMBERS. IN AN AIR PARADE LAST NOVEMBER THERE WERE 22 SUCH BOMBERS. LAST MAY DAY THERE WERE LESS THAN A DOZEN OF THE SKY GIANTS.

STALIN, IN A NATTY FAWN-COLORED UNIFORM, LED WITH SPRIGHTLY STEPS HIS FELLOW MEMBERS OF THE POLITBURO, HIGH-RANKING COMMUNIST PARTY AND GOVERNMENT LEADERS AND TOP MILITARY OFFICIALS UP THE STEPS NEAR THE LENIN TOMB TO THE REVIEWING STAND.

HE TOOK KEEN INTEREST IN THE AIR SHOW, LOOKING UP AND STUDYING EACH WING THAT FLEW PAST.

HE REMAINED ON THE TRIBUNAL THROUGHOUT, RETURNING HUNDREDS OF SALUTES AND CHATTING WITH ASSOCIATES.

BELOW THE REVIEWING STAND MARCHED SOLDIERS, SAILORS, PARACHUTE TROOPERS, MARINES AND STUDENTS OF MILITARY ACADEMIES. THERE WERE HUGE STALIN TANKS, MOBILE GUNS, ANTI-AIRCRAFT WEAPONS CAVALRY AND A CONTINGENT OF FRONTIER GUARDS IN SMART UNIFORMS AND GREEN-TOPPED CAPS.

FOREIGN OBSERVERS SPECULATED THAT THE LIVELY APPLAUSE GIVEN THE FRONTIER GUARDS MIGHT HAVE BEEN ON ACCOUNT OF THE APRIL 8 BALTIC INCIDEN IN WHICH A UNITED STATES PLANE WAS ACCUSED OF VIOLATING THE SOVIET FRONTIER.

A179 MAY 1 1950

A SOVIET ANNOUNCEMENT AT THE TIME SAID THE AMERICAN PLANE WAS TURNED BACK OVER LATVIA AFTER IT HAD FIRED ON SOVIET FIGHTERS.

(THE UNITED STATES CHARGED ~~THE PLANE WAS AN UNARMED NAVY PRIVATEER~~ PATROL PLANE AND IT WAS SHOT DOWN OVER THE OPEN SEA.)

THE SHOW WAS WITNESSED BY AMERICAN, BRITISH AND FRENCH AMBASSADORS AND REPRESENTATIVES OF ALL FOREIGN MISSIONS IN MOSCOW.

AFTER THE PARADE GEN. SHTEMENKO MOUNTED THE GREAT DAIS AND DECLARED "THE SOVIET ARMY AND NAVY, TOGETHER WITH THE ENTIRE PEOPLE, ARE MEETING ON MAY DAY FIRMLY CONVINCED OF THEIR MIGHT AND READY TO DEFEND THEIR BEAUTIFUL MOTHERLAND FROM THE ENCROACHMENTS OF ANY AGGRESSOR.

SHTEMENKO SAID ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENTS IN RUSSIA WERE ENCOURAGING, WHIL IN COMPARISON, "IN CAPITALISTIC COUNTRIES ECONOMIC DIFFICULTIES AND CCONTRADICTIONS ARE INCREASING, WHICH INDICATES THE GROWTH OF AN ECONOMIC CRISIS."

SHTEMENKO DECLARED "THE PARTY AND GOVERNMENT AND ARMED FORCES WILL WORK UNTIRINGLY FOR THEIR FURTHER COMBAT AND POLITICAL TRAINING."

IN SPECIAL CEREMONIAL ORDERS OF THE DAY, SOVIET SOLDIERS AND SAILROS WERE COMMANDED BY ARMY MINISTER MARSHAL A.M. VASILEVSKY AND NAVY MINISTER ADMIRAL IVAN YUMASHEV TO BE POLITICALLY, AS WELL AS MILITARILY, PREPARED.

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MOSCOW MAY DAY MAY 1 1950

BY EDDY GILMORE AND THOMAS P. WHITNEY

MOSCOW, MAY 1-(AP)-ROARING SOVIET AIR FORCE PLANES STAGED THEIR MOST SPECTACULAR PEACETIME AIR SHOW OVER RED SQUARE TODAY WITH GENERALISSIMO STALIN AND MORE THAN A MILLION SOVIET MAY DAY PARADERS LOOKING ON APPROVINGLY.

BIG FOUR-ENGINED BOMBERS LED THE THUNDERING AIR ARMADA THAT FEATURED THE ANNUAL PARADE IN CELEBRATION OF INTERNATIONAL LABOR DAY. THE RUSSIAN PREMIER'S SON, LT. GEN. VASSILY STALIN, LED THE AIR PARADE.

BEHIND THE GREAT BOMBERS ZOOMED GROUPS OF JET PLANES SPARKLING IN THE COBALT BLUE SKY.

MOSCOW'S CITIZENS, WHO JAMMED RED SQUARE FOR THEIR TRADITIONAL MAY DAY DEMONSTRATION, GAVE STALIN A MIGHTY CHEER AS HE MOUNTED THE PLATFORM NEAR LENIN'S TOMB. HE WAS FOLLOWED BY SOVIET GOVERNMENT AND COMMUNIST PARTY LEADERS.

ALL EYES WERE TURNED ON GENERALISSIMO STALIN AS HE WALKED NIMBLY UP THE STEPS TO THE ROSTRUM.

JUST BEFORE THE KREMLIN CHIMES RANG OUT AT 10 O'CLOCK, STALIN, DRESSED IN HIS FAWN-COLORED UNIFORM, LED HIS HIGH-RANKING FELLOW OFFICIALS TO THE TOP OF THE RED MARBLE TOMB OF LENIN.

WITHOUT HESITATING, HE TURNED SMARTLY AT THE TOP AND TOOK HIS CUSTOMARY PLACE ON THE TRIBUNAL.

AS STALIN WATCHED FROM THE ROSTRUM, GEN. S.M. SHTEMENKO, CHIEF OF THE ARMY GENERAL STAFF, REVIEWED A HUGE PARADE OF SOVIET TROOPS.

SHTEMENKO THEN JOINED STALIN ON THE ROSTRUM AND SPOKE TO THE CROWD.

SHTEMENKO WARNED THE "WARMONGERS" THAT SOVIET ARMIES ARE READY TO RESIST AGGRESSORS.

"COMRADES," HE DECLARED, "THE SOVIET ARMY AND NAVY, TOGETHER WITH THE ENTIRE PEOPLE, ARE MEETING ON MAY DAY FIRMLY CONVINCED OF THEIR MIGHT AND READY TO DEFEND THEIR BEAUTIFUL MOTHERLAND FROM THE ENCROACHMENTS OF ANY AGGRESSOR. THE FORCES OF THE SOVIET UNION SECURELY DEFEND THE INVIOLABILITY OF THE FRONTIERS OF THE SOVIET STATE AND STAND FIRMLY ON GUARD OVER THE PEACE AND SECURITY OF OUR MOTHERLAND."

ASSERTING THAT A CRISIS IS APPROACHING IN CAPITALIST COUNTRIES THE GENERAL DECLARED THE "SOVIET STATE ADVANCES CONFIDENTLY ON THE ROAD OF FURTHER IMPROVEMENTS OF LIVING STANDARDS--ON THE ROAD TO COMMUNISM."

"WARMONGERS," SHTEMENKO SAID, "THE FORMATION OF AGGRESSIVE BLOCS, THE CREATION OF MILITARY PLACES AND ARMIES AROUND THE SOVIET UNION AND PEOPLE'S DEMOCRACIES, AND MILITARY PROVOCATIONS DO NOT SCARE THE SOVIET UNION."

ASSERTING THAT THERE IS A "FURTHER GROWTH OF ABUNDANCE IN OUR COUNTRY", HE SAID THE WORKING PEOPLE OF CAPITALIST COUNTRIES "ARE INCREASINGLY SUFFERING WANT AND HARDSHIPS X X X INCREASINGLY EXPERIENCING THE ARBITRARY RULE OF REACTION AND OPPRESSION OF THE CAPITALISTIC SYSTEM."

A ROARING ARTILLERY SALVO WAS FIRED AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE GENERAL'S SPEECH.

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TWIN-ENGINE JET PLANES WERE A FEATURE OF THE AIR SPECTACLE. FOREIGN AIR ATTACHES SAID IT WAS THE FIRST TIME THESE JET PLANES APPEARED IN ANY SOVIET AIR SHOW.

THE ATTACHES ALSO SAID IT WAS THE FIRST TIME THE AIR FORCE PUT AS MANY AS 64 FOUR-ENGINE BOMBERS IN THE AIR FOR A SHOW LIKE THIS. LAST NOVEMBER, FOR INSTANCE, THERE WERE ONLY 22 OF THESE BOMBERS IN THE REVOLUTION ANNIVERSARY SHOW, AND LAST MAY DAY, LESS THAN A DOZEN OF THE SKY GIANTS.

AS EACH WING FLEW PAST, STALIN LOOKED UP WITH KEEN INTEREST. THE PRIME MINISTER LOOKED FIT AND WELL. HE REMAINED ON THE TRIBUNAL THROUGHOUT THE SHOW, TAKING AND RETURNING HUNDREDS OF SALUTES, CHATTING WITH HIS ASSOCIATES AND HIS MINISTER OF ARMED FORCES, MARSHAL A.M. VASILEVSKY.

BEFORE THEM PARADED SOLDIERS, SAILORS, PARACHUTE TROOPS AND MILITARY ACADEMY STUDENTS. MANY POWERFUL LOOKING WEAPONS RUMBLED BY, INCLUDING BIG STALIN TANKS, MOBILE GUNS, BIG CANNON, AND ANTI-AIRCRAFT WEAPONS.

ONE GROUP RECEIVED PARTICULARLY LIVELY APPLAUSE. THIS WAS A UNIT OF THE FRONTIER GUARDS, STRIDING PAST IN THEIR SMART GREEN UNIFORMS.

FOREIGN OBSERVERS SAID THE RECEPTION GIVEN THE FRONTIER GUARDS MIGHT HAVE STEMMED FROM THE RECENT INCIDENT IN WHICH A U.S. AIRPLANE WAS ACCUSED OF VIOLATING THE SOVIET FRONTIER IN THE BALTIC. ACCORDING TO THE ANNOUNCEMENT THE AMERICAN PLANE WAS TURNED BACK BY FRONTIER

GUARD PLANES AFTER THE AMERICAN HAD FIRED ON SOVIET FIGHTER PLANES.
(THE U.S. SAYS THE PLANE WAS A NAVY PATROL CRAFT, UNARMED, AND THAT IT APPARENTLY WAS SHOT DOWN BY THE SOVIET PLANES OVER THE OPEN BALTIC SEA.)

ANOTHER FEATURE WHICH CAPTURED THE CROWD'S ATTENTION WAS THE GROUP OF MORE THAN 1,000 PIONEERS --BOYS AND GIRLS FROM ORGANIZATIONS OF YOUTH YOUNGER THAN THE YOUNG COMMUNISTS. THE CHILDREN, DRESSED IN WHITE BLOUSES, BLUE SKIRTS OR TROUSERS AND RED KERCHIEFS ABOUT THEIR NECKS, CARRIED BOUQUETS OF FLOWERS AS THEY MOVED INTO THE PARADE LINE IN RED SQUARE.

AMONG THE DIPLOMATS PRESENT AT RED SQUARE WERE THE AMERICAN, BRITISH AND FRENCH AMBASSADORS AND REPRESENTATIVES OF ALL FOREIGN MISSIONS HERE.

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AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD CHINESE

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BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI,FORMOSA,MAY 1-(AP)-THE NATIONALISTS TONIGHT CHARGED THAT NEW JET FIGHTERS OF RUSSIA'S FAR EAST AIR FORCE "HAVE DEFINITELY JOINED THE CHINESE COMMUNIST AIR FORCE" IN FLYING CIVIL WAR MISSIONS.

THE CHARGE FOLLOWED CLOSELY CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S MAY DAY SPEECH CALLING THE NATIONALIST RESISTANCE AN "ANTI-COMMUNIST AND ANTI-RUSSIAN WAR FOR NATIONAL SALVATION."

(THERE HAVE BEEN NO INDEPENDENT REPORTS THAT RUSSIAN PLANES FLOWN BY SOVIET PILOTS ARE TAKING PART IN THE CIVIL WAR. HONG KONG'S PRESS HAS HEARD, HOWEVER, THAT A FEW RUSSIAN JET PLANES WERE GIVEN TO THE REDS.)

A COMMUNIQUE, ACCORDING TO AN OFFICIAL TRANSLATION, ASSERTED:

"CHINESE AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS HAS OBTAINED RELIABLE INFORMATION THAT LATE MODEL JET-PROPELLED FIGHTER PLANES OF THE SOVIET FAR EAST AIR FORCE HAVE DEFINITELY JOINED THE CHINESE COMMUNIST AIR FORCE IN OPERATIONS AGAINST CHINESE GOVERNMENT FORCES."

(THE COMMUNIQUE DID NOT SAY WHEN THE ALLEGED RUSSIAN OPERATIONS TOOK PLACE. ON APRIL 4 THE NATIONALISTS CHARGED THAT RUSSIAN PILOTS IN CONVENTIONAL PLANES SHOT DOWN TWO NATIONALIST FIGHTERS APRIL 2 OVER HANGCHOW BAY, SOUTH OF SHANGHAI.)

THE COMMUNIQUE SAID THE FIGHTERS WERE NEW YAK-21 JETS WITH BACKSWEPT WINGS. IT REPORTED THAT 11 OF THEM HAD BEEN SIGHTED ON AIR FIELDS AROUND SHANGHAI.

"JUDGING BY ALL REPORTS AND INFORMATION," THE COMMUNIQUE SAID, "THE SIGHTED PLANES ARE NEW YAK-21 FIGHTERS WHICH HAVE BEEN EMPLOYED BY THE SOVIET AIR FORCE IN COMBAT UNITS.

"THIS PROVES THAT SOVIET RUSSIA, IN TOTAL DISREGARD OF INTERNATIONAL FAITH, HAS OPENLY JOINED THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS IN EXTENDING THE SCOPE OF THE WAR."

THE NATIONALISTS KEPT HAMMERING AWAY AT THE SOVIET THEME BY SENDING PLANES OVER SHANGHAI WITH LEAFLETS ACCUSING RUSSIA OF CONVERTING CHINA INTO A SLAVE STATE UNDER "PUPPET" MAO TZE-TUNG, THE LEADER OF COMMUNIST CHINA.

"MAY DAY," SAID THE LEAFLETS, "IS THE DAY WHEN STALIN PARADES HIS SLAVE LABOR...THIS YEAR STALIN FOR THE FIRST TIME CELEBRATES HIS SUCCESS IN TURNING OUR CHINESE LABOR BRETHREN INTO SLAVE WORKERS."

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THE LEAFLETS THEN TURNED TO AN ATTACK ON RUSSIANS WHO ARE SAID TO BE SWARMING INTO SHANGHAI.

THE LEAFLETS CALLED THEM "RUSSIAN THIRD-CLASS PAUPERS." THEY SAID THE RUSSIANS OCCUPIED THE BEST HOUSES, WEAR THE BEST CLOTHES, "DRIVE THE FINEST CARS AND LIVE LIKE EMPERORS" WHILE CHINESE LABOR SWEATS TO SUPPORT THEM.

AS DID CHIANG KAI-SHEK IN HIS MAY DAY SPEECH, THE LEAFLETS CALLED ON THE WORKERS ON THE MAINLAND TO RISE AGAINST THE RED REGIME.

ON THE CIVIL WAR FRONT, THE AIR FORCE SAID WARPLANES SUNDAY ATTACKED 100 COMMUNIST CRAFT NEAR THE PORTS OF AMOY AND SWATOW, OPPOSITE FORMOSA. RESULTS WERE NOT INDICATED.

NATIONALIST NAVAL PATROLS WERE REPORTED KEEPING A VIGILANT WATCH FOR ANY POSSIBLE MOVEMENT OF COMMUNIST INVASION FLEETS TOWARD CHUSHAN ISLAND, MAJOR NATIONALIST BLOCKADE BASE 100 MILES SOUTHEAST OF SHANGHAI.

NATIONALIST WARPLANES ALSO WERE SAID TO BE KEEPING UP AN AERIAL PATROL WHILE THE GARRISON IS ON THE ALERT. THE NATIONALISTS PREDICT AN ATTEMPT TO INVADE CHUSHAN MAY BE MADE AT ANY TIME.

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BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI,FORMOSA,MAY 1-(AP)-CHIANG KAI-SHEK TODAY URGED WORKERS IN RED CHINA TO AID THE NATIONALISTS' WAR "AGAINST THE COMMUNISTS AND SOVIET RUSSIA."

THE NATIONALIST GENERALISSIMO'S MAY DAY MESSAGE WAS LOADED WITH ASSERTIONS THAT HIS GOVERNMENT IS FIGHTING THE RUSSIANS AS WELL AS THE CHINESE REDS.

NATIONALIST PLANES IN A PRE-DAWN RAID SHOWERED SHANGHAI WITH A HALF-MILLION LEAFLETS ACCUSING RUSSIA OF TRYING TO CONVERT CHINA INTO A SLAVE STATE, AIR HEADQUARTERS SAID.

APPEALING TO THE WORKERS ON THE COMMUNIST-OCCUPIED MAINLAND, CHIANG SAID:

"YOU HAVE FULLY RECOGNIZED THE SIGNIFICANCE OF THE STRUGGLE AGAINST THE COMMUNISTS AND SOVIET RUSSIA. YOUR HATRED FOR AND PROTEST AGAINST THE COMMUNISTS, YOUR SABOTAGE AND STRIKES, ARE OF EQUAL IMPORTANCE AS THE CONTRIBUTION MADE BY WORKERS IN THE REAR.

"OUR ANTI-COMMUNIST AND ANTI-RUSSIAN STRENGTH LIES IN THE WORKERS... ONLY THROUGH THRIFT AND HARD WORK IN THE REAR AND THROUGH CONSOLIDATED EFFORTS AT THE FRONT CAN TAIWAN (FORMOSA) BE HELD AND VICTORY OVER COMMUNISM AND RUSSIA BE WON."

HE DESCRIBED THIS ISLAND BASTION AS "OUR BASE IN THE ANTI-COMMUNIST AND ANTI-RUSSIAN WAR FOR NATIONAL SALVATION." HE ADDED:

"OUR ANTI-COMMUNIST WAR IS A WAR AGAINST AGGRESSION. WHILE 450,000,000 (M) CHINESE NOW PIN THEIR HOPES ON TAIWAN, THE BRUTE FORCE OF THE RUSSIAN AGGRESSOR AND THE COMMUNISTS IS ALSO POINTED TO THIS ISLAND...."

THE PRESIDENT OF WHAT IS LEFT OF NATIONALIST CHINA REVIEWED THE HALF-CENTURY SINCE THE START OF THE REVOLUTION LED BY DR. SUN YAT-SEN.

CHIANG DECLARED THE MANCHU DYNASTY HAS BEEN OVERTHROWN, THE NORTHERN WARLORDS ELIMINATED AND JAPANESE AGGRESSION THWARTED, BUT "NOW WE ARE FIGHTING AGAINST THE COMMUNISTS AND SOVIET RUSSIA."

CHINESE WORKERS UNDER THE REDS, CHIANG ASSERTED, HAVE SEEN WAGES DECREASED, WORKING HOURS INCREASED AND MILLIONS PUT OUT OF JOBS. HE CHARGED CHINESE RED LEADER MAO TZE-TUNG HAS PLACED "ALL MATERIAL RESOURCES AND INDUSTRIAL EQUIPMENT ON THE MAINLAND AT RUSSIA'S DISPOSAL AND HAS SUBJECTED OUR COMPATRIOTS TO SOVIET SERVITUDE."

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HONG KONG, MAY 1-(AP)-DISPATCHES TO THE COMMUNIST PRESS CLAIMED TODAY THE CAPTURE OF YULIN, CHINESE NATIONALIST ARMY AND NAVY HEADQUARTERS ON THE SOUTH COAST OF HAINAN ISLAND.

TA KUNG PAO AND WEN WEI PAO REPORTED TELEPHONED DISPATCHES FROM HAINAN BY WAY OF CANTON SAID THE TOWN FELL TO THE REDS SUNDAY EVENING. YULIN REPORTEDLY WAS TAKEN BY A COMMUNIST COLUMN WHICH MOVED DOWN THE ISLAND'S EAST COAST AFTER OCCUPYING HOIHOW, CAPITAL ON THE NORTH COAST, APRIL 23.

THE RED PRESS SAID:

"TO ALL PURPOSES, THE LIBERATION OF HAINAN'S LARGEST SEAPORT AND THE NATIONALISTS' LAST BASE ON THE ISLAND BRINGS TO A SUCCESSFUL CONCLUSION THE BATTLE OF HAINAN.

"AS FOR THE SMALL NUMBER OF SCATTERED ENEMY REMNANTS STILL ON THE ISLAND, THEY ARE EXPECTED TO BE CLEANED UP WITHIN A SHORT PERIOD OF TIME."

THE COMMUNISTS CLAIMED THE CAPTURE OF 2,800 NATIONALISTS LAST WEEK. GEN.HSUEH YUEH, NATIONALIST COMMANDER ON HAINAN, FLEW TO FORMOSA SATURDAY.

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HONG KONG,MAY 1-(AP)-BRITISH HONG KONG BEGAN TODAY TO CURB THE FLOW OF REFUGEES FROM RED CHINA WHO HAVE BOOSTED THE POPULATION TO MORE THAN 2,000,000, TRIPLE ITS PREWAR SIZE.

ARRIVALS MUST SHOW THEY HAVE A PLACE TO STAY OR BUSINESS CONNECTIONS.

ABOUT 30,000 CHINESE ENTERED THE COLONY LAST WEEK. TRAINS JAMMED WITH PASSENGERS ARRIVED IN THE BRITISH LEASED TERRITORY OPPOSITE THE ISLAND. LINES OF PE

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ISLAND. LINES OF PEOPLE EXTENDED FROM THE RAILROAD BRIDGE GATE FAR UP THE TRACKS TOWARD SHUMCHUN, NEAREST COMMUNIST TOWN.

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NIGHT LEAD BORDER
HONG KONG,TUESDAY, MAY 2-(AP)-HONG KONG BORDER POLICE TURNED BACK AN ESTIMATED 2,000 CHINESE ATTEMPTING TO ENTER THIS BRITISH COLONY YESTERDAY FROM COMMUNIST CHINA.

IT WAS THE BEGINNING OF HONG KONG'S NEW REGULATION TO RESTRICT IMMIGRATION INTO THIS OVERCROWDED COLONY. CHINESE COMING FROM THE MAINLAND NOW MUST PROMISE "VALID TRAVEL DOCUMENTS" TO BE ALLOWED ENTRY. SINCE 1842, CHINESE HAVE BEEN PERMITTED FREE ACCESS TO HONG KONG UNDER A "GENTLEMEN'S AGREEMENT" EXCEPT JUST BEFORE WORLD WAR II BROKE OUT.

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HONG KONG, MAY 1-(AP)-TWO GRENADES EXPLODED, INJURING FIVE PERSONS, AND THREE UNEXPLODED GRENADES WERE FOUND HERE TODAY. OTHERWISE MAY DAY PASSED PEACEFULLY.

THE FIVE WERE INJURED IN A GROCERY STORE. THE OTHER GRENADE EXPLODED IN A GARAGE, BUT NO ONE WAS HURT. UNEXPLODED GRENADES WERE FOUND IN A GOLDSMITH'S SHOP, A TAXI AND A BANK.

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(WEST OUT)
HONG KONG,TUESDAY, MAY 2-(AP)-FOUR CHINESE WERE INJURED, ONE SERIOUSLY, BY A HOMEMADE BOMB OR HAND GRENADE THROWN TODAY INTO A DOORWAY OF A CHINESE LANGUAGE NEWSPAPER, SING TAO JIM PAO.

THE PAPER IS AN INDEPENDENT DAILY OWNED BY MILLIONAIRE PATENT MEDICINE MANUFACTURER AW BOON HAW, WHO ALSO OWNS THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE DAILY, HONG KONG STANDARD. THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS CLOSED HIS CANTON PATENT MEDICINE OFFICE AFTER HE REFUSED TO SUBSCRIBE TO RED VICTORY BONDS AND PAY COMMUNISTS-ASSESSED TAXES.

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HONG KONG, MAY 1-(AP)-CONSUL GENERAL WALTER MCCONAUGHY FROM SHANGHAI HEADS THE LIST OF AMERICAN CONSULAR PERSONNEL ENROUTE FROM THE RED CHINA CITY OF TIENTSIN TO BRITISH HONG KONG.

THE AMERICAN PRESIDENT LINER GEN.W.H.GORDON LEFT TAKU BAR, OFF TIENTSIN, SATURDAY NIGHT WITH 735 FOREIGNERS INCLUDING 154 AMERICANS. MOST OF THE AMERICANS ARE U.S.GOVERNMENT PERSONNEL AND DEPENDENTS.

THEIR DEPARTURE COMPLETES THE CLOSING OF ALL U.S. GOVERNMENT INSTALLATIONS IN COMMUNIST CHINA AND REMOVAL OF ALL THEIR AMERICAN EMPLOYES.

THE GORDON IS DUE HERE AT 4 P.. (3A.M.EDT) WEDNESDAY.

LEONARD BACON, WHO WAS IN CHARGE OF THE CONSULATE AT NANKING AFTER THE DEPARTURE OF AMBASSADOR LEIGHTON STUART, ALSO IS ABOARD THE GORDON.

O.EDMUND CRABB, CONSUL GENERAL AT PEIPING, ARRIVED RECENTLY AT YOKOHAMA ABOARD ANOTHER VESSEL.

THE LIST OF AMERICANS, WHICH IN MANY CASES GAVE ONLY LAST NAMES, WAS RECEIVED HERE TODAY AT THE AMERICAN CONSULATE. NO HOME TOWNS WERE GIVEN. IT INCLUDED:

JOHN MORGAN, FRANK KIERMAN, JOHN GORDHAMMER, EDWARD CORRIPPO, FRANK COUGHLIN, GRENFALL L.PENNHOLLOW, LORIN REEDER, ALLEN RICHARD TURNER, ROBERT MEYER, SABIN CHASE, FREDERICK HINKE, HENDRIK VAN OSS, RALPH CLOUGH.

THESE LAST NAMES WERE GIVEN:

FARNSWORTH, SUTTER, ABRAMSON, COLLING, HOLMES, MYERS, HUSO, LUCAS, MANNING, STOLAR, GEBHARD, PERRY, SHROUF, UFDIKE.

THREE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION MEN ARE ABOARD. THEY ARE: ALBERT KOENIG, GEORGE ST.LOUIS AND WILLIAM H.STUBBS.

BRIG.GEN.ROBERT SOULE HEADS THE ARMY ATTACHE GROUP WHICH INCLUDES LT.COL.WALTER SHAW, MAJ.MAYNARD MOYER, CAPT.JOHN CHRISTENSEN, SGT. JOHN DANIELS, SGT.JOHNNFOX, MAJ.MICHAEL LUCKEY, SGT.GLENN MARTIN AND A MISS CAMPBELL.

THE NAVY GROUP IS HEADED BY CAPT.S.B.ERANKEL. IT INCLUDES ROBERT WOOD, LT.D.J.KUTCHERA, CHREI EMANUEL TRAUBONN, ARTHUR G.FISHER, JOHN E.CHAISSON, JOHN KEMPF AND JOHN D.TOBIN.

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NIGHT LEAD INCHARRAN (130)
HONG KONG,TUESDAY, MAY 2-(AP)-THE BRITISH FREIGHTER INCHARRAN, SEIZED BY THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS, RETURNED TO HONG KONG TODAY. HER RELEASE WAS NEGOTIATED BY THE ROYAL NAVY'S FRIGATE MOUNTS BAY.

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE ROYAL NAVY SAID NEGOTIATIONS WERE CARRIED OUT PEACEABLY AND THE INCHARRAN WAS RELEASED WITHOUT TROUBLE. THE MOUNTS BAY ESCORTED HER HERE.

THE FREIGHTER WAS SEIZED MONDAY BY A NATIONALIST DESTROYER ESCORT AND TAKEN TO A SMALL NATIONALIST-HELD ISLAND BETWEEN HONG KONG AND THE PORTUGUESE COLONY OF MACAO. THE SHIP WAS CARRYING A CARGO OF RICE FROM BANGKONG TO MACAO.

THE ROYAL NAVY SPOKESMAN SAID THE NATIONALISTS APPARENTLY SEIZED THE INCHARRAN BECAUSE THEY FEARED THE RICE CARGO WAS INTENDED FOR THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS.

NEGOTIATIONS FOR THE RELEASE OF THE 3,539-TON INCHARRAN WERE CARRIED OUT BY J. H. UNWIN, COMMANDER OF THE MOUNTS BAY. THE FREIGHTER IS OWNED BY THE INCHARRAN STEAMSHIP CO., LTD.

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HONG KONG, MAY 1-(AP)-THE ROYAL NAVY TONIGHT ANNOUNCED IT HAD SENT THE FRIGATE MOUNTS BAY TO THE AID OF THE BRITISH FREIGHER INCHARRAN, WHICH HAS BEEN SEIZED BY THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS.

THE INCHARRAN WAS REPORTED EN ROUTE TO THE PORTUGUESE COLONY OF MACAO FROM HONG KONG WHEN IT WAS INTERCEPTED BY A NATIONALIST WARSHIP. THE FREIGHTER CARRIED RICE FROM THAILAND.

THE BRITISH DECLARED THE FREIGHEER WAS SEIZED OUTSIDE BRITISH WATERS AND WAS TAKEN TO AN ISLAND MIDWAY BETWEEN MACAO AND HONG KONG.

IT WAS THE THIRD INCIDENT BETWEEN BRITISH FREIGHTERS AND THE NATIONALISTS REPORTED SINCE SATURDAY.

THE 300-TON FREIGHTER CLOVERLOCK WAS REPORTED SHELLED BY A NATIONALIST WARSHIP NEAR THE RED-HELD PORT OF AMOY ON THE SOUTHEAST CHINA COAST.

IT PRESUMABLY WAS RUNNING THE NATIONALIST BLOCKADE.

THE SOUTH CHINA SUNDAY POST SAID SUNDAY THE FREIGHTER EDITH MOLLER WAS FORCED TO HELP IN THE EVACUATION OF HOIHOW, CAPITAL OF HAINAN ISLAND. THE POST SAID THE SHIP WAS HELDAT THE SOUTHERN PORT OF YULIN UNTIL THE BRITISH DESTROYER CONSTANCE APPEARED AND "CHANGED THE ATTITUDE OF NATIONALIST OFFICIALS."

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HONG KONG, MAY 1-(AP)-ANN DOYLE, 32, WIDOW OF ROBERT DOYLE, TIME CORRESPONDENT MURDERED WEDNESDAY IN INDONESIA, PLANS TO GO TO JAKARTA, THE CAPITAL, TUESDAY.

MRS.DOYLE TOLD PREMIER MOHAMMED HATTA IN A MESSAGE YESTERDAY THAT SHE AND DOYLE HAD WITNESSED THE BIRTH OF THE INDONESIAN REPUBLICA A FEW MONTHS AGO AND "SHARED A GREAT FAITH IN ITS FUTURE.

"THE TRAGIC DEED OF ASSASSINS HAVE DESTROYED NEITHER HIS FRIENDSHIP NOR MINE FOR INDONESIA AND HER PEOPLE."

DOYLE AND ROBERT KENNEDY, YALE UNIVERSITY PROFESSOR, WERE ASSASSINATED BY UNKNOWN GUNMEN ON A LONELY STRETCH OF HIGHWAY.

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A91FX MACARTHUR

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ADVANCE FOR USE AT 5 A.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TUESDAY, MAY 2) (TIME FIXED BY SOURCE).

BY WILLIAM JORDEN

(ADVANCE) TOKYO, MAY 2-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR SUGGESTED TODAY, FOR THE SECOND TIME IN TEN MONTHS, THE POSSIBILITY THAT THE JAPANESE COMMUNIST PARTY MIGHT BE OUTLAWED.

IN A STATEMENT ON THE THIRD ANNIVERSARY OF JAPAN''S "NO-WAR" CONSTITUTION, THE OCCUPATION COMMANDER BLASTED THE COMMUNIST PARTY AS "AN AVOWED SATELLITE OF AN INTERNATIONAL PREDATORY FORCE AND A JAPANESE PAWN OF ALIEN POWER POLICY, IMPERIALISTIC PURPOSE AND SUBVERSIVE PROPAGANDA."

SIMILARLY LAST JULY 4 HE CASTIGATED COMMUNISM AS "NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL OUTLAWRY" AND QUESTIONED ITS RIGHT TO CONTINUED LEGAL SANCTION.

MACARTHUR WARNED THE JAPANESE TODAY, HOWEVER, THAT THEY SHOULD FIND THE ANSWER "CALMLY, JUSTLY AND DISPASSIONATELY, WITH THE SAME CONSIDERATION AND SAFEGUARDS EXTENDED TO ANY ANTI-SOCIAL FORCE IN A PEACEFUL AND LAW-ABIDING COMMUNITY."

THE GENERAL MADE IT CLEAR HE FELT NO DANGER OF THE COMMUNISTS COMIING TO POWER THROUGH CONSTITUTIONAL MEANS, BUT WARNED THAT "COMMUNISM NOW MAKES BUT A SHALLOW PRETENSE OF SEEKING SUCH AN OBJECTIVE."

INSTEAD, HE SAID, THERE WAS THE DANGER OF THE SMALL COMMUNIST MINORITY MAKING "ABUSIVE USE OF FREEDOM" TO CREATE CONDITIONS OF LAWLESSNESS AND UNREST TO OPEN THE WAY FOR SEIZURE OF POWER THROUGH "INTIMIDATION AND FORCE."

HE DECLARED, "THE ISSUE IS THEREFORE CLEAR AND UNEQUIVOCAL---HOW FAR MAY THE FUNDAMENTAL HUMAN RIGHTS BE EXERCISED UNABRIDGED WITHOUT BECOMING THE INSTRUMENTS OF THEIR OWN DESTRUCTION?

"IT IS AN ISSUE WHICH CONFRONTS ALL FREE PEOPLES, FOREWARNED THAT OTHERS HAVE LOST THEIR LIBERTIES BECAUSE, BLINDLY FOLLOWING AN IDEAL, THEY HAVE FAILED TO SEE THE DANGERS INHERENT IN REALITY."

THE ISSUE, HE STATED, "MAY NOT BE IGNORED WITHOUT HAZARDING THE SURVIVAL OF LIBERTY ITSELF."

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MACARTHUR'S ATTACK ON THE JAPANESE COMMUNISTS COMES AT A TIME WHEN THEY HAVE HEAVILY LOST PRESTIGE WITH MOST SEGMENTS OF THE POPULATION.

THE REDS REACHED A HIGH POINT OF POPULARITY IN JANUARY, 1949, WHEN THEY ELECTED 41 MEMBERS TO THE DIET. THEY SINCE HAVE FALLEN OFF FOR SEVERAL REASONS, OF WHICH THESE ARE THE MAIN ONES:

1. THE SUSPICION THAT THE PARTY HAD A HAND IN DELAYING REPATRIATION OF NON-COMMUNIST PRISONERS OF WAR FROM THE SOVIET UNION;
2. STRIKES BY COMMUNIST-LED UNIONS WHICH SEEMED AIMED PRIMARILY AT CREATING CONFUSION;
3. COMMUNIST-DIRECTED ATTACKS ON GOVERNMENT OFFICES BY GROUPS SEEKING RELIEF FROM HIGH TAXES AND UNEMPLOYMENT; AND
4. THE OBVIOUS SUBJUGATION OF JAPANESE COMMUNISTS TO THE LEADERSHIP OF RUSSIAN COMMUNISM---A SHOCKING THING TO THE AVERAGE JAPANESE, WHO IS HIGHLY NATIONALISTIC AND SUSPICIOUS OF ALL THINGS RUSSIAN.

MACARTHUR'S STATEMENT DROVE HOME THIS LAST POINT. HE REMINDED THE JAPANESE THAT IN THE RECENT PAST A MINORITY, "THE MILITARISTS AND THEIR COLLABORATORS," HAD BROUGHT JAPAN TO DISASTER.

THE REDS, HE SAID, NOW WERE PUSHING JAPAN TOWARDS AN EVEN GREATER DISASTER ---"THIS TIME WITHOUT EVEN THE PRETENSE OF SERVICE TO LEGITIMATE NATIONAL ENDS, BUT UNDER FOREIGN DICTATION TO ESTABLISH A DOMESTIC BASIS FAVORABLE TO THE ULTIMATE SUBJUGATION OF JAPAN TO THE POLITICAL CONTROL OF OTHERS."

TURNING TO THE CONSTITUTION ITSELF, HE PRAISED THE JAPANESE FOR HAVING SHOWN "A MARKED ABILITY TO LIVE AND ADVANCE WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF THESE GREAT CONSTITUTIONAL PRECEPTS," AND SUGGESTED THAT "HISTORY MAY FINALLY POINT TO THE JAPANESE CONSTITUTION AS THE MAGNA CHARTA OF FREE ASIA."

(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 5 A.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TUESDAY, MAY 2). (MOVED MONDAY MAY 1).

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 5 A.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TUESDAY, MAY 2)
(TIME FIXED BY SOURCE)

TOKYO, ~~WEDNESDAY~~, MAY 3-(AP)-TEXT OF GENERAL MACARTHUR'S STATEMENT ON THE THIRD ANNIVERSARY OF THE JAPANESE CONSTITUTION:

TODAY MARKS ANOTHER ANNIVERSARY OF THE BIRTH OF NEW JAPAN. ON THIS DAY THREE YEARS AGO, GROPING FOR THE WAY TO REGENERATION THROUGH THE HUMAN AND MATERIAL WRECKAGE OF WAR'S AFTERMATH, THE JAPANESE PEOPLE FIRMLY TURNED THEIR BACKS UPON A TRADITION FOUNDED UPON MYTH AND LEGEND WHICH HAD BROUGHT THEM TO NATIONAL DISASTER AND SET A COURSE INSTEAD ALONG THE ENLIGHTENED ROAD OF TRUTH AND REALISM. IN SO DOING THEY DEDICATED THEMSELVES TO THOSE IMMUTABLE CONCEPTS OF ETHICS AND MORALITY EVOLVED THROUGH THE AGES BY MEN WHO HAVE SOUGHT THE SPIRITUAL AND MATERIAL FRUITS OF HUMAN FREEDOM.

DURING THE YEARS WHICH HAVE SINCE PASSED THEY HAVE DEMONSTRATED A MARKED ABILITY TO LIVE AND ADVANCE WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF THESE GREAT CONSTITUTIONAL PRECEPTS. THEIR POLITICAL PROGRESS UNDER THE ESTABLISHED NORMS OF REPRESENTATIVE DEMOCRACY, THEIR ECONOMIC PROGRESS UNDER THE BROAD PATTERN OF FREE PRIVATE COMPETITIVE ENTERPRISE, AND THEIR SOCIAL PROGRESS THROUGH THE RUIN AND DESPAIR OF WAR'S END, TO THE PEACE, SERENITY AND HOPE WHICH NOW PREVAILS THROUGHOUT THE LAND, HAVE PROVIDED A BRIGHT OVERTONE TO AN OTHERWISE DISTRAUGHT AND CONFUSED POST-WAR WORLD.

THE CHECKS AND BALANCES ESTABLISHED TO SAFEGUARD AGAINST ABUSE OF THE POWERS CONFERRED BY THE CONSTITUTION HAVE FIRMLY SERVED THEIR PURPOSE DURING THIS PERIOD OF POLITICAL REORIENTATION AND DEMOCRATIC GROWTH, AND ISSUES OF INTERPRETATION AND APPLICATION HAVE FOUND THEIR PEACEFUL SOLUTION IN THE FORM OF PUBLIC DEBATE OR UNDER THE ESTABLISHED JUDICIAL PROCESS, RATHER THAN IN THE CRUCIBLE OF SOCIAL VIOLENCE. ABOVE ALL, THERE HAS BEEN AN INCREASINGLY HEALTHY AWARENESS AND ACCEPTANCE OF THAT INDIVIDUAL POLITICAL RESPONSIBILITY WHICH EXISTS WHERE SOVEREIGNTY RESTS WITH THE PEOPLE. IN THIS, INDEED, LIES BEST ASSURANCE FOR JAPAN'S CONTINUED ADVANCE AS AN EXPONENT AND PRACTITIONER OF REPRESENTATIVE DEMOCRACY. AND AS JAPAN GOES, SO IN DUE TIME MAY GO ALL OF ASIA. FOR MEN WILL COME TO SEE IN JAPAN'S BILL OF RIGHTS AND RESULTING SOCIAL PROGRESS THE ANTIDOTE TO MANY OF ASIA'S BASIC ILLS. IF JAPAN PROCEEDS FIRMLY AND WISELY UPON THE COURSE NOW SET, ITS WAY MAY WELL BECOME THE ASIAN WAY, LEADING TO THE ULTIMATE GOAL OF ALL MEN -- INDIVIDUAL LIBERTY AND PERSONAL DIGNITY -- AND HISTORY MAY FINALLY POINT TO THE JAPANESE CONSTITUTION AS THE MAGNA CARTA OF FREE ASIA.

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WHILE THE CHECKS AND BALANCES AGAINST ABUSE OF THE POWERS OF GOVERNMENT ARE THUS DEMONSTRATIVELY ADEQUATE, IN JAPAN AS ELSEWHERE THERE EXIST ONLY BROAD AND UNDEFINITIVE CONSTITUTIONAL SAFEGUARDS AGAINST ABUSE OF THOSE PERSONAL LIBERTIES CONFERRED BY THE BILL OF RIGHTS. AND IN JAPAN AS ELSEWHERE THIS VULNERABLE POINT IN FREEDOM'S ARMOR IS UNDER CONSTANT PRESSURE BY A SMALL MINORITY WHICH THROUGH THE PERVERSIVE USE OF LIBERTY AND PRIVILEGE SEEKS TO ENCOMPASS FREEDOM'S DESTRUCTION. THIS TYPE OF MINORITY PRESSURE IS NOT UNKNOWN TO JAPAN, AND ITS PEOPLE ARE THEREFORE FOREWARNED OF THE DREADFUL CONSEQUENCES POSSIBLE THEREFROM. FOR IN JAPAN'S VERY RECENT PAST AN EVEN SMALLER MINORITY -- THEN THE MILITARISTS AND THEIR COLLABORATORS -- COERCED THE JAPANESE PEOPLE INTO A WAR LEADING TO INEVITABLE AND, INDEED, FORESEEABLE DISASTER. NOW AS THEY STILL GROPE TO REGAIN THEIR EQUILIBRIUM FOLLOWING THAT DISASTROUS EXPERIENCE, THIS OTHER MINORITY, TAKING ADVANTAGE OF STILL UNREPLENISHED WARBORN IMPOVERISHMENT, SEEKS TO LULL THEIR INTUTIVE SENSE OF CAUTION INTO AN EVEN GREATER DISASTER -- THIS TIME WITHOUT EVEN THE PRETENSE OF SERVICE TO LEGITIMATE NATIONAL ENDS, BUT UNDER FOREIGN DICTATION TO ESTABLISH A DOMESTIC BASIS FAVORABLE TO THE ULTIMATE SUBJUGATION OF JAPAN TO THE POLITICAL CONTROL OF OTHERS.

ESTABLISHED IN THE IMMEDIATE POST-WAR ERA AS A POLITICAL PARTY UNDER CONSTITUTIONAL PROTECTION AND DEDICATED TO THE ADVANCE OF CERTAIN POLITICAL, ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL THEORIES, THE JAPAN COMMUNIST PARTY PROCEEDED INITIALLY IN MODERATION AND THEREBY ENLISTED SOME PUBLIC SUPPORT. IN ITS ENDEAVOR TO PRESS THIS ADVANTAGE, HOWEVER, IT WENT THE WAY OF ALL COMMUNIST MOVEMENTS, BECOMING INCREASINGLY INTEMPERATE IN POLITICAL AND SOCIAL ACTIVITY, AND IN DUE COURSE AROUSED A POPULAR REVULSION WHICH IN TURN RELEGATED THE PARTY INTO VIRTUAL POLITICAL ECLIPSE. MORE LATTERLY ITS SHATTERED REMNANT, IN FRUSTRATION BORN OF THIS FAILURE, HAS CAST OFF THE MANTLE OF PRETENDED LEGITIMACY AND ASSUMED INSTEAD THE ROLE OF AN AVOWED SATELLITE OF AN INTERNATIONAL PREDATORY FORCE AND A JAPANESE PAWN OF ALIEN POWER POLICY, IMPERIALISTIC PURPOSE AND SUBVERSIVE PROPAGANDA. THAT IT HAS DONE SO AT ONCE BRINGS INTO QUESTION ITS RIGHT TO THE FURTHER BENEFITS AND PROTECTION OF THE COUNTRY AND LAWS IT WOULD SUBVERT AND RAISES DOUBT AS TO WHETHER IT SHOULD LONGER BE REGARDED AS A CONSTITUTIONALLY RECOGNIZED POLITICAL MOVEMENT. SUCH DOUBT SHOULD, OF COURSE, BE RESOLVED CALMLY, JUSTLY AND DISPASSIONATELY WITH THE SAME CONSIDERATION AND SAFEGUARDS EXTENDED TO ANY ANTI-SOCIAL FORCE IN A PEACEFUL AND LAW ABIDING COMMUNITY. THE SAYING THAT TO BE FOREWARNED IS TO BE FOREARMED IS PARTICULARLY APPPROPRIATE TO THIS ISSUE. FOR IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF ITS COUNTERPARTS ABROAD THERE IS PROVIDED THE OPPORTUNITY CLEARLY TO OBSERVE THE UNDERLYING OBJECTIVES OF THIS MOVEMENT AND THE END TO WHICH IT INEVITABLY HAS LED WHERE IT SUCCESSFULLY HAS GAINED CONTROL OVER THE SOVEREIGN POWER.

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THUS WHILE HERE, AS IN THE OTHER DEMOCRACIES OF THE WORLD, IT PROFESSES CHAMPIONSHIP OF THE WORKERS' RIGHTS IN ORDER TO ENLIST SUPPORT WITHIN LABOR'S RANKS, EVENTS ABROAD DEMONSTRATE THAT THE WORKER LOSES ALL RIGHTS UNDER COMMUNIST POLITICAL RULE; WHERE HERE AS ELSEWHERE IT POSES AS AN ARDENT ADVOCATE OF FREEDOM OF SPEECH AND PEACEFUL ASSEMBLY, OF FREEDOM TO WORSHIP IN ACCORDANCE WITH CONSCIENCE, AND OF THE OTHER FREEDOMS WHICH FLOW FROM THE UNIVERSALLY RECOGNIZED FUNDAMENTAL HUMAN RIGHTS, EVENTS IRREFUTABLY DISCLOSE THE COMPLETE SUPPRESSION OF ALL FREEDOM WITH THE ASCENDANCY OF COMMUNIST POLITICAL POWER. INDEED, HISTORY OFFERS NO SLIGHTEST EVIDENCE OF INCREASE IN SOCIAL STABILITY, PRESERVATION OF SOCIAL JUSTICE OR CONTINUATION OF SOCIAL PROGRESS IN THE SPIRITUAL VACUUM WHICH LIES IN THE WAKE OF COMMUNISM'S ADVANCE. ANY THOUGHT THAT JAPANESE COMMUNISM MIGHT PRESERVE A MORE MODERATE DOMESTIC COURSE THAN CHARACTERIZES THE MOVEMENT ABROAD WAS THOROUGHLY DISABUSED BY ITS OPEN SUBMISSION TO EXTERNAL CONTROL, ITS EMBARKATION UPON THE SPREAD OF FALSE, MALICIOUS AND INFLAMMATORY PROPAGANDA INTENDED TO MISLEAD AND COERCE THE PUBLIC MIND, AND ITS PUBLIC INTEREST. EXPERIENCE, THE GREAT TEACHER, INDEED POINTS TO NO GREATER HYPOCRISY THAN THE PERORATIONS OF THOSE WHO THUS ALIGN THEMSELVES WITH THIS FORM OF INTERNATIONAL POLITICAL PERFIDY, SOCIAL DECEPTION, AND TERRITORIAL FRAUD AND SEEK AN ALLIANCE OF EXPEDIENCY WITH THE FUNDAMENTAL HUMAN RIGHTS, GIVING LIP SERVICE TO THEIR PRESERVATION SOLELY TO PROVIDE A SCREEN

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OF RESPECTABLE PLAUSIBILITY TO MASK A SINISTER SUBVERSIVE DESIGN TO DESTROY LIBERTY AS THE OBSTACLE TO PERSONAL POWER. THE TRAGEDY IS THAT IN EVERY COMMUNITY IT GAINS SOME CONVERTS AMONG THOSE CITIZENS INHERENTLY LAW-ABIDING BUT MENTALLY ABNORMAL, FRUSTRATED, GULLIBLE OR UNINFORMED, AND BECOMES BECAUSE OF THIS FACADE OF RESPECTABILITY A SEEMINGLY RESPONSIBLE MOVEMENT TO WHICH LAWLESS ELEMENTS MAY RALLY IN ORDER TO FULLY EXPLOIT THE VULNERABLE POINTS INHERENT IN DEMOCRATIC FREEDOM.

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THERE IS INVOLVED NO QUESTION OF THE PRIVILEGE EXTENDED TO ALL FREE PEOPLE CONSTITUTIONALLY TO ADVOCATE EVOLUTIONARY CHANGE, FOR COMMUNISM NOW MAKES BUT A SHALLOW PRETENSE OF SEEKING SUCH AN OBJECTIVE. ITS TACTICS ARE ALMOST ENTIRELY CONFINED TO SUCH AS ARE CONDUCIVE TO AROUSING SOCIAL UNREST AND PUBLIC HYSTERIA AS THE MEANS TOWARD ESTABLISHING A MORE FAVORABLE BASE FOR ASCENDANCY TO POLITICAL POWER. ITS PRESSURE IS BY NO MEANS LOCALIZED TO WITHIN NATIONAL OR REGIONAL BORDERS, AS THOUGH A HIGH DEGREE OF CENTRALLY CONTROLLED DIRECTION AND COORDINATION OF POLICY AND TACTIC AT THE INTERNATIONAL LEVEL, IT IS ABLE AT WILL, FROM THE PRINCIPAL CAPITALS WITHIN THE COMMUNIST ORBIT, TO BRING TO BEAR UPON INDIVIDUAL AREAS OF FREEDOM THE FULL POWER OF ITS SUBVERSIVE ATTACK. IT EMPLOYS THIS COORDINATED FORCE WITH RUTHLESSNESS AND CUNNING AND SEEKS TO REDUCE THE SPIRITUALITY WHICH BULWARKS MODERN CIVILIZATION BY EXPLOITING WEAKNESSES IN DETAIL AS THEY APPEAR. THE PROBLEM THUS RAPIDLY CONFRONTING JAPAN, AS OTHER COUNTRIES THROUGHOUT THE WORLD, IS HOW LOCALLY TO DEAL WITH THIS ANTI-SOCIAL FORCE IN ORDER TO PREVENT, WITHOUT IMPAIRMENT OF THE LEGITIMATE EXERCISE OF PERSONAL LIBERTY, SUCH AS ABUSE OF FREEDOM AS TO IMPERIL THE NATIONAL WELFARE. THUS FAR, HERE AS ELSEWHERE, RELIANCE HAS BEEN PLACED IN THE COUNTER PRESSURE OF AN AROUSED PUBLIC OPINION FINDING ITS EXPRESSION AT THE BALLOT BOX WHERE PEOPLE OF RIGHT HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO PASS UPON THE RESPONSIBILITY OF ALL ASPIRANTS FOR ELECTIVE LEADERSHIP. WHILE THIS SAFEGUARD SERVES TO ARREST THE DANGER OF THE
EMERGENCE THROUGH CONSTITUTIONAL MEANS OF A LAWLESS AND IRRESPONSIBLE LEADERSHIP, IT LESS ADEQUATELY PROTECTS AGAINST THE DANGER THAT THE ABUSIVE USE OF FREEDOM MAY CREATE CONDITIONS OF UNREST AND LAWLESSNESS FAVORABLE TO THE EMERGENCE OF JUST SUCH A LEADERSHIP THROUGH INTIMIDATION AND FORCE.

THE ISSUE IS THEREFORE CLEAR AND UNEQUIVOCAL--HOW FAR MAY THE FUNDAMENTAL HUMAN RIGHTS BE EXERCISED UNABRIDGED WITHOUT BECOMING THE INSTRUMENT OF THEIR OWN DESTRUCTION? IT IS AN ISSUE WHICH CONFRONTS ALL FREE PEOPLES' FOREWARNED THAT OTHERS HAVE LOST THEIR LIBERTIES BECAUSE, BLINDLY FOLLOWING AN IDEAL, THEY HAVE FAILED TO SEE THE DANGERS INHERENT IN REALITY. WHILE IT IS THE UNIVERSAL DESIRE OF ALL FREE MEN TO PRESERBE UNABRIDGED THE EXERCISE OF THEIR PERSONAL LIBERTIES, THEIR IS THUS AN ISSUE PROJECTED INTO EVERY LAW ABIDING SOCIETY WHICH MAY NOT BE IGNORED WITHOUT HAZARDING THE SURVIVAL OF LIBERTY ITSELF. EYE HAVE THE UTMOST FAITH THAT SHOULD COMING EVENTS PRESAGE THE NEED FOR DEFINITE ACTION HERE TO PRESERVE THE PUBLIC WELFARE AGAINST THE DESTRUCTIVE POTENTIAL OF THIS FORM OF INSIDIOUS ATTACK, THE JAPANESE PEOPLE WILL PROCEED WITH WISDOM, SERENITY AND JUSTICE, WITHOUT FAILING THE INTEGRITY OF THEIR CONSTITUTION.

(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 5 A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TUESDAY MAY 2) (MOVED APRIL 29)

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A40FX (FRIGATE, JAPANESE PRISONERS)
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TOKYO, MAY 1-(AP)- KYODO NEWS AGENCY SAID TODAY GENERALGENERAL MACARTHUR REPEATED HIS ASSERTIONS THAT MORE THAN 300,000 JAPANESE PRISONERS OF WAR IN RUSSIA STILL ARE MISSING.

CHAIRMAN ZENICHI KAMIJIMA OF THE JAPANESE REPATRIATION COUNCIL AND TWO OTHERS SAID MACARTHUR TOLD THEM IN AN EXCEPTIONAL 40 MINUTE INTERVIEW THE UNITED STATES, AUSTRALIA AND OTHER NEUTRAL GOVERNMENTS HAVE URGED RUSSIA TO INVESTIGATE ITS REPATRIATION.

RUSSIA'S TASS AGENCY ANNOUNCED APRIL 24 THE REPATRIATION WAS COMPLETED WITH THE EXCEPTION OF 2,000 JAPANESE WHO ARE SERVING SENTENCES AS WAR CRIMINALS.

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A77FX (YOSHIDA'S)

TOKYO, MAY 1-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER SHIGERU YOSHIDA'S LIBERAL PARTY BEAT DOWN, 256-143, A MOTION OF NON-CONFIDENCE TONIGHT IN THE LOWER HOUSE OF JAPAN'S DIET (PARLIAMENT).

THE MOTION WAS PUSHED BY OPPOSITION PARTIES EXCLUDING THE COMMUNISTS.

THE MINORITY PARTIES ACCUSED THE LIBERALS OF ABUSING THEIR MAJORITY POSITION BY RAMMING THROUGH IMPORTANT BILLS WITHOUT "FULL DEBATE."

MINORITY SPEAKERS ALSO CHARGED THE YOSHIDA GROUP WAS AN OCCUPATION RUBBER STAMP AND FAVORED A "SEPARATE PEACE" EXCLUDING CHINA AND RUSSIA.

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B17KX (Q)

OKINAWA, MAY 1-(AP)-THE U.S. 20TH AIR FORCE ANNOUNCED TODAY TWO OFFICERS WERE KILLED AND ANOTHER IS MISSING IN TWO AIR ACCIDENTS LAST WEEK.

CAPT.GEORGE O.DENT, 25, 2601 LOGAN AVE., DES MOINES, IA., AND FIRST LT.JAMES H.HAWKINS, 21, STOCKTON, CALIF., WERE KILLED IN A CRASH OF AN AT-6 TRAINING PLANE.

SECOND LT.EDSEL R.STARNES, 25, BOX 133, LEBANON, TENN., IS MISSING SINCE HIS F-80 JET FIGHTER DIVED INTO THE OCEAN FIVE MILES NORTHWEST OF NAHA AIR BASE. THE SEARCH IS CONTINUING.

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B35KX Q

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TOKYO, MAY 1-(AP)-ONE OF JAPAN'S TOP COMMUNISTS CALLED TODAY FOR AN ORIENTAL "PEOPLE'S FRONT" AGAINST IMPERIALISM AND ANY PACIFIC PACT OF "AN IMPERIALIST NATURE."

SANZO NOZAKA OF THE JAPAN COMMUNIST PARTY'S POLITBURO TOLD A CHEERING MAY DAY CROWD ESTIMATED AT 300,000:

"HALF THE WORLD'S POPULATION IS OUR FRIEND, LET US UNITE OUR FRONTS AND PREVENT WAR. LET US PUT INTO ACTION THE SLOGANS OF THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS."

THIS MARKED NOZAKA'S FIRST PUBLIC APPEARANCE SINCE THE COMINFORM AND PRAVDA, MOSCOW NEWSPAPER, STIFFLY REBUKED HIM SOME TIME AGO FOR STRAYING FROM THE PARTY LINE. RUSSIANS FLITTED ABOUT SNAPPING PICTURES.

NOZAKA PROTESTED AGAINST FOREIGN MILITARY BASES IN JAPAN AFTER THE PEACE TREATY. OTHER SPEAKERS INCLUDED SOCIALISTS, FARM-LABORITES, LABOR UNION REPRESENTATIVES AND A LONE KOREAN.

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B65KX (Q)

KUMAMOTO,JAPAN,MAY 1 (AP)-PVTS.JOSEPH P.FEELEY, 1815 E. ONTARIO ST., PHILADELPHIA, AND ROBERT W.SWEARINGEN, EUGENE, ORE., WERE SENTENCED TODAY TO TWO YEARS IN PRISON AND DISHONORABLE DISCHARGED.

THEY WERE CONVICTED OF SELLING OR BARTERING GOVERNMENT PROPERTY AND BEING ABSENT WITHOUT LEAVE FROM THEIR KYUSHU ISLAND BASE.

GG850ACS NM

B43 (Q) (150)

SINGAPORE, MAY 1-(AP)-POLICE COMMISSIONER R. E. FOULGER ANNOUNCED TODAY THE ARREST OF A MAN ACCUSED OF TOSSING A GRENADE FRIDAY NIGHT AT SIR FRANKLIN GIMSON, SINGAPORE'S GOVERNOR. THE ARREST LED TO THE ROUNDUP OF FOUR COMMUNIST LEADERS, AND DISCOVERY OF ANOTHER ALLEGED MURDER PLOT.

FOULGER SAID THE SUSPECT LED SECURITY AGENTS TO A HOUSE WHERE FIVE MALAYAN COMMUNIST LEADERS WERE MEETING. FOUR WERE ARRESTED, HE SAID. THE OTHER ESCAPED.

A. R. MCEWAN, CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION DEPARTMENT CHIEF, DESCRIBED THE ARREST OF THE FOUR RED LEADERS AS THE BIGGEST WINDALL SO FAR IN SINGAPORE'S ANTI-COMMUNIST CAMPAIGN.

MCEWAN SAID RED PLANS CALLED FOR THE ASSINATION OF AT LEAST THREE PERSONS, THE DESTRUCTION OF THE EIKHO RUBBER FACTORY, SABOTAGE IN THE SINGAPORE DOCK AREA AND THE CALLING OF MASS STRIKES AMONG RUBBER WORKERS.

FOUR OTHER KNOWN COMMUNIST PARTY MEMBERS HAVE BEEN DETAINED SINCE THE FIRST RAID, FOULGER SAID.

A HOMEMADE GRENADE WAS THROWN AT THE GOVERNOR FRIDAY NIGHT AS HE WAS LEAVING A BOXING MATCH. IT TURNED OUT TO BE A DUD AND HE WAS UNHURT. FOULGER DESCRIBED THE SUSPECTED GRENADE THROWER AS A 26-YEAR-OLD CHINESE.

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B2 (Q)

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NIGHT LEAD PLOT (280)

SINGAPORE, MAY 1-(AP)-SECURITY POLICE GOT ORDERS TONIGHT TO DOUBLE THEIR WATCH ON SUSPECTED COMMUNISTS AFTER DISCOVERY OF A RED PLOT AIMED AT DISRUPTING THIS BRITISH CROWN COLONY WITH A TWO WEEK CAMPAIGN OF ASSASSINATION, ARSON AND LABOR STRIFE.

THE PLOT WAS UNCOVERED BY POLICE WHO WERE LOOKING FOR THE MAN WHO HURLED A HOMEMADE GRENADE AT SIR FRANKLIN GIMSON, GOVERNOR OF SINGAPORE, LAST FRIDAY. THE GRENADE WAS THROWN AS SIR FRANKLIN WAS LEAVING A BOXING TOURNAMENT AT AN AMUSEMENT PARK. ONLY THE DETANATOR WENT OFF AND THE GOVERNOR WAS UNHURT.

POLICE COMMISSIONER R.E.FOULGER ARRESTED A 26-YEAR-OLD CHINESE AS THE ALLEGED GRENADE THROWER. FOULGER SAID "WE ARE ABSOLUTELY CERTAIN" THE CHINESE WAS THE WOULD-BE ASSASSIN.

FOULGER SAID THE SUSPECT LED RAIDERS TO A HOUSE WHERE FIVE LEADERS OF THE SINGAPORE TOWN COMMITTEE OF THE MALAYAN COMMUNIST PARTY WERE IN SESSION. FOUR OF THEM, INCLUDING A WOMAN, WERE ARRESTED BUT THE FIFTH LEADER FLED.

FOULGER SAID DOCUMENTS FOUND IN THE HOUSE DISCLOSED THAT THE COMMUNISTS WERE OPENING AN INTENSIVE CAMPAIGN TO "DISRUPT SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC LIFE" IN SINGAPORE.

HE SAID THE COMMUNIST PLANS CALLED FOR AN INTENSIVE CAMPAIGN FROM MAY 1 TO MAY 15, INCLUDING THE ASSASSINATION OF AT LEAST THREE PERSONS, DESTRUCTION OF A RUBBER FACTORY, BURNING OF RUBBER WAREHOUSES IN THE SINGAPORE DOCK AREA, INCITING RIOTS AND STRIKES AND DISTRIBUTING SEDITIOUS LITERATURE.

A SOVIET FLOTILLA OF THREE MERCHANT SHIPS ARRIVED IN SINGAPORE HABOR TODAY. AUTHORITIES REFUSED TO LET ANY MEMBERS OF THE CREW GO ASHORE BETWEEN 5 P.M. AND 5 A.M. WHEN THEY DID LAND THE RUSSIANS WERE ALLOWED TO SEND ASHORE ONLY FIVE MEN IN A BOAT AT A TIME. THEN THEIR MOVEMENTS WERE WATCHED CLOSELY BY SECURITY POLICE.

NO REASON WAS GIVEN FOR THE RESTRICTION, WHICH DID NOT APPLY TO SHIP'S OFFICERS.

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SINGAPORE, MAY 1-(AP)-IMMIGRATION AUTHORITIES TODAY IMPOSED A CURFEW ON A GROUP OF THREE SOVIET MERCHANT SHIPS IN SINGAPORE HARBOR.

SOVIET CREWMEN ARE NOT ALLOWED TO LAND BETWEEN 5 P.M. AND 5 A.M. ONLY FIVE MEN FROM EACH SHIP MAY LAND AT ONE TIME, AND THOSE COMING ASHORE ARE WATCHED CLOSELY BY PLAIN CLOTHESMEN FROM THE SECURITY BRANCH OF THE CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION DEPARTMENT.

IMMIGRATION AUTHORITIES DECLINED TO GIVE ANY REASON FOR THE RESTRICTIONS AND SURVEILLANCE, BUT SAID THESE APPLIED ONLY TO CREWMEN AND NOT TO THE OFFICERS. POLICE VIGILANCE HAD BEEN DOUBLED SINCE SUNDAY NIGHT IN PREPARATION FOR ANY POSSIBLE COMMUNIST MAY DAY DISTURBANCES.

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SINGAPORE, ~~APRIL~~ MAY 1-(AP)-THE "RED DEAN" OF CANTERBURY COMPLAINED TODAY THAT "THE UNITED STATES WOULD NOT LET ME THROUGH THE GOLDEN CURTAIN."

THE DEAN, THE REV. DR. HEWLETT JOHNSON, WAS PASSING THROUGH SINGAPORE ON HIS WAY TO CANADA BY WAY OF LONDON.

"THAT GOLDEN CURTAIN PREVENTS ME FROM FLYING BETWEEN ONE BRITISH TERRITORY AND ANOTHER IN A BRITISH PLANE," DR. JOHNSON SAID.

THE UNITED STATES REFUSED TO GRANT THE DEAN A VISA TO FLY FROM SYDNEY TO VANCOUVER BY WAY OF HAWAII. HE HAD BEEN IN SYDNEY ATTENDING A COMMUNIST-SUPPORTED PEACE MEETING.

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BB58KX (Q)

WITH WASHN STATEHOOD

HONOLULU, MAY 1-(AP)-TWO HAWAIIAN DEMOCRATIC PARTY CONVENTIONS ENDED EARLY TODAY WITH EACH MAINTAINING ITS WILL GET SUPPORT FROM NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS.

ABOUT ONE-FOURTH OF THE 484 DELEGATES WALKED OUT OF THE CONVENTION YESTERDAY IN PROTEST AGAINST SEATING OF 15 DELEGATES. THE DELEGATES RECENTLY REFUSED TO TELL THE HOUSE UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE WHETHER THEY HAD BEEN COMMUNISTS.

THE RUMP CONVENTION CALLED ITSELF THE "ANTI-COMMUNISTS." BOTH CONVENTIONS ELECTED TERRITORIAL CENTRAL COMMITTEES AND BOTH PLATFORMS HIT COMMUNISM.

THE ORIGINAL CONVENTION REPUDIATED GOV. INGRAM M. STAINBACK, WHO HAS BEEN ACCUSED BY THE CIO LONGSHOREMEN'S AND WAREHOUSEMEN'S UNION OF BEING ANTI-LABOR. THE RUMP CONVENTION PRAISED STAINBACK.

IT WAS REPORTED THE WALKOUT DELEGATES TALKED WITH STAINBACK IN WASHINGTON BY TELEPHONE BEFORE BOLTING.

AMONG THE BOLTERS OR SUPPORTERS OF THE BOLT WERE THE TWO DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL COMMITTEE MEMBERS, MRS. VICTORIA K. HOLT AND CHARLES E. KAUHANE, MEMBER OF THE TERRITORIAL LEGISLATURE. KAUHANE IS IN WASHINGTON WITH STAINBACK FOR A SENATE COMMITTEE HEARING ON THE HAWAII STATEHOOD BILL.

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A191 (200)
BY STAN SWINTON

TEHRAN, IRAN, MAY 1-(AP)-A SPOKESMAN FOR 300 WEARY JEWISH REFUGEES WHO WALKED INTO TEHRAN TODAY SAID 12 JEWS HAVE BEEN MURDERED AND SEVERAL JEWISH GIRLS RAPED IN A VIOLENT WAVE OF PERSECUTION IN IRANIAN KURDISTAN.

PERSECUTION OF THE 12,000 JEWS IN KURDISTAN BEGAN ABOUT TWO MONTHS AGO, THE SPOKESMAN SAID, ADDING:

"THE IRANIAN GOVERNMENT CANNOT BE BLAMED. THE PERSECUTION IS DUE TO LOCAL RELIGIOUS FANATICS. THE GOVERNMENT ORDERED KURD AUTHORITIES TO DO ALL POSSIBLE TO PROTECT OUR PEOPLE. FURTHERMORE, THEY ARE GIVING US THE FULLEST COOPERATION IN SENDING REFUGEES ON TO ISRAEL."

HE NUMBERED THE REFUGEES FROM KURDISTAN--A TRIBAL AREA IN NORTHWESTERN IRAN WHICH EXTENDS ACROSS THE BORDER INTO IRAQ--AT ABOUT 2,300. TWO THOUSAND, THIS SPOKESMAN SAID, ARE ENCAMPED IN A JEWISH CEMETERY OUTSIDE TEHRAN ALMOST WITHOUT FOOD. DONATIONS FROM TEHRAN'S 3,500 JEWS ARE HELPING TO KEEP THEM ALIVE.

THE KURDS ARE TOUGH TRIBESMEN OF THE SUNNI MOSLEM SECT, WHILE MOST IRANIANS FURTHER SOUTH ARE OF THE MORE TOLERANT SHIA SECT. FOUR YEARS AGO THE KURDS REBELLED AGAINST THE CENTRAL GOVERNMENT AT TEHRAN AND SET UP AN AUTONOMOUS REPUBLIC, BUT A YEAR LATER THREE OF THE REBELLIOUS LEADERS WERE CAUGHT AND EXECUTED.

THE JEWISH SPOKESMAN SAID SINCE THE WAVE OF PERSECUTION STARTED TWO JEWS HAD BEEN MURDERED AT BUKAN, THREE AT TIKAB, FOUR AT SAQQAZ AND THREE ENROUTE TO TEHRAN. IN CONNECTION WITH HIS STATEMENT THAT SEVERAL JEWISH GIRLS HAD BEEN RAPED HE SAID A REPORT HAD BEEN RECEIVED TODAY THAT ONE LOCAL RELIGIOUS LEADER IN KURDISTAN HAD TOLD HIS FOLLOWERS IT WAS NO SIGN TO ATTACK A JEWESS.

FOLLOWERS IT WAS NO SIN TO ATTACK A JEWESS.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID THE 300 REFUGEES IN HIS PARTY HAD WALKED MORE THAN 300 MILES. THEY NOW ARE BEING SHELTERED IN SYNAGOGUES HERE.

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IRAN, MAY 1-(AP)-U.S.SUPREME COURT JUSTICE WILLIAM DOUGLAS PLANS RIDE ACROSS IRAN ON HORSEBACK THIS SUMMER, A U.S.EMBASSY SOURCE ANNOUNCED.

DOUGLAS, WHO WENT MOUNTAIN CLIMBING IN IRAN LAST YEAR, EXPECTS TO ARRIVE IN JULY ON VACATION AND RIDE FROM AZERBAIJAN, IN THE NORTH, ACROSS THE RUGGED COUNTRYSIDE TO THE FAR SOUTH, THE INFORMANT SAID.

GERALD DOOHER, EMBASSY ATTACHE WHO ACCOMPANIED DOUGLAS LAST YEAR, IS TO MAKE THE TRIP WITH HIM.

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BANDOENG, JAVA, U.S.I., MAY 1-(AP)-THE BODIES OF YALE UNIVERSITY PROFESSOR RAYMOND KENNEDY AND TIME AND LIFE CORRESPONDENT ROBERT DOYLE, VICTIMS OF AN UNIDENTIFIED INDONESIAN MURDER GANG, WERE BURIED HERE YESTERDAY FOLLOWING SIMPLE FUNERAL SERVICES.

SEVERAL HUNDRED AMERICANS, INCLUDING U.S. EMBASSY OFFICIALS, AND INDONESIAN AND UNITED NATIONS REPRESENTATIVES, ATTENDED THE GRAVESIDE SERVICES IN THE EUROPEAN CEMETERY OVERLOOKING THE CITY.

THE TWO AMERICANS, POLICE BELIEVE, WERE KILLED LAST WEDNESDAY ON A LONELY STRETCH OF HIGHWAY BY FOUR ASSASSINS AS THEY TRAVELED UNARMED IN KENNEDY'S JEEP.

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MAY 1 1950

B38 (Q)

RANGOON, BURMA, MAY 1-(AP)-BURMESE GOVERNMENT TROOPS CAPTURED PAKOKKUJA BIG COMMUNIST STRONGHOLD, AFTER KILLING SIX AND ROUTING THE REMAINDER OF THE DEFENDING FORCE, IT WAS OFFICIALLY ANNOUNCED TODAY.

THE TOWN, ABOUT 80 MILES SOUTHWEST OF MANDALAY, WAS TAKEN AFTER STIFF RESISTANCE. IT WAS THE SECOND LARGEST COMMUNIST CENTER THE GOVERNMENT HAS CAPTURED.

THE GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCEMENT SAID THE FLEEING COMMUNISTS WERE BELIEVED TO HAVE GONE INTO THE INTERIOR TO MINGLE WITH THE CIVILIAN POPULATION. IT SAID TROOPS HOPED TO ROUND THEM UP SHORTLY.

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NIGHT LEAD SOUTH AFRICAN (390)

JOHANNESBURG, UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA, MAY 1-(AP)-MAY DAY VIOLENCE ERUPTED IN THIS RACE CONSCIOUS AREA TODAY AND AT LEAST 13 NEGROES WERE KILLED IN CLASHES WITH POLICE.

RIOTING BROKE OUT IN ALL NATIVE QUARTERS OF THE CITY, AT VEREENIGING, 36 MILES AWAY, AND AT OTHER TOWNS IN THE VICINITY.

THE OUTBREAK FOLLOWED ALL-DAY TENSION IN WHICH THE GOVERNMENT PROHIBITED ALL MAY DAY PUBLIC GATHERINGS AND PROCESSIONS, AND COMMUNIST LEADERS ATTEMPTED TO CARRY OUT A PROTEST STRIKE.

MORE THAN 2,000 JOHANNESBURG POLICE HAD BEEN MOBILIZED ON 24-HOUR DUTY TO PROTECT WORKERS GOING TO THEIR JOBS IN DEFIANCE OF THE STRIKE CALL. MILITARY UNITS WITH ARMORED CARS HAD BEEN ORDERED ON STAND-BY DUTY.

ENGINEERING WORKS AT BENONI AND ALBERTON WERE FORCED TO CLOSE DOWN, HOWEVER.

LATER POLICE MADE A BATON CHARGE TO DISPERSE A CROWD OUTSIDE JOHANNESBURG HEADQUARTERS OF THE TRANSVAAL INDIAN CONGRESS PARTY. SEVEN AFRICAN WOMEN WERE ARRESTED ON CHARGES OF AGITATING AND ATTEMPTING TO DISSUADE AFRICANS FROM GOING TO WORK.

RIOTING LATER BECAME GENERAL IN THE NATIVE AREAS. SIX NATIVES WERE SHOT AND KILLED AT ALEXANDRA, THREE AT BENONI AND FOUR AT NEWCLARE, ALL OUTSKIRT AREAS. STREET LIGHTS WERE STONED IN ANOTHER NATIVE AREA, SOPHIATOWN.

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LAST SATURDAY ECONOMICS MINISTER ERIC LOUW SAID THE GOVERNMENT INTENDED TO ASK PARLIAMENT FOR STRONG POWERS TO OUTLAW THE COMMUNIST MOVEMENT. INFORMANTS SAID THE BILL WOULD ALLOW THE GOVERNMENT TO JAIL

AGITATORS, DEPORT ALIEN MARXISTS, SUPPRESS RED NEWSPAPERS AND BAN MEETINGS OF FELLOW TRAVELERS.

THOUGH COMMUNIST MEMBERSHIP IS AUTHORITATIVELY ESTIMATED AT LESS THAN 2,000, MANY SOUTH AFRICANS HAVE BEEN FEARFUL THE REDS MIGHT GET CONTROL OF GROWING NATIONALIST AND LABOR MOVEMENTS AMONG THE NEGRO NATIVES.

PRIME MINISTER DANIEL F.MALAN TOLD THE SENATE AT CAPETOWN TODAY THAT A WHITE SOUTH AFRICA WOULD BE "DOOMED" IF IT ADOPTED BRITAIN'S IMPERIAL POLICY OF RACIAL QUALITY IN DEALING WITH THE FUTURE OF BRITISH-ADMINISTERED BECHUANALAND, BASUTOLAND AND SWAZILAND PROTECTORATES.

HE OBJECTED TO "BITTER AND INSULTING" REFERENCES WHICH HE SAID HAD BEEN MADE BY BRITISH POLITICIANS AND NEWSPAPERS IN REGARD TO SOUTH AFRICA'S POLICY TOWARD THE NEGROES. HE SAID THESE ATTACKS HAD BEEN MADE IN REFERENCE TO HIS CALL LAST MONTH FOR TRANSFER OF THE THREE TERRITORIES TO SOUTH AFRICA.

BANGING THE DESK HE SHOUTED, "I WOULD REMIND THESE PEOPLE ABOUT ONE THING: SOUTH AFRICA IS NO MORE A BRITISH COLONY. SOUTH AFRICA IS A FREE, INDEPENDENT ANDMSOVEREIGN COUNTRY."

PRIME MINISTER MALAN, WHO ADVOCATES A POLICY OF SEGREGATION TO DEAL WITH THE COUNTRY'S RACE PROBLEM, SAID HE WOULD MAKE NO FORMAL APPROACH TO THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT CONCERNING THE TERRITORIES WHILE THERE IS POLITICAL "INSTABILITY" IN BRITAIN.

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JOHANNESBURG, SOUTH AFRICA, MAY 1-(AP)-RIOTING ERUPTED TONIGHT IN ALL THE NATIVE AREAS AROUND THIS CITY, AND AT LEAST 13 NATIVES WERE SLAIN IN KLASHES WITH POLICE.

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AFTER A LONG PERIOD OF TENSION IN THIS RACE-CONSCIOUS CITY, THE VIOLENCE EXPLODED SUDDENLY. SHOPS WERE ATTACKED AND STONES FLEW, AND THE RIOTING SPREAD TO OTHER SOUTH AFRICAN TOWNS.

SIX NATIVES WERE SHOT DEAD BY POLICE AT ALEXANDRA NATIVE TOWNSHIP ON THE NORTHERN OUTSKIRTS OF JOHANNESBURG. THREE MORE WERE KILLED AT HENONI AND FOUR OTHERS IN OUTLYING AREAS.

THERE WAS RIOTING AT VEREENIGING, 36 MILES FROM JOHANNESBURG, AND IN SOME OTHER TOWNSHIPS.

SOUTH AFRICA RECENTLY STEPPED UP HER APARTHEID (SEGREGATION) POLICIES UNDER A RACE PROGRAM PROMULGATED BY THE NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT OF PREMIER DANIEL MALAN.

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THIRD NIGHT LEAD COMMUNISTS

BY ROGER D.GREENE

WASHINGTON,MAY 1-(AP)-EX-COMMUNIST FREDA UTLEY TESTIFIED TODAY THAT OWEN LATTIMORE'S WRITINGS SHOWED HIS "SUBSERVIENCE TO COMMUNIST PARTY DISCIPLINE," BUT AN AMERICAN MAGAZINE EDITOR STAUNCHLY DEFENDED LATTIMORE.

DEMAREE BESS, EDITOR AND FOREIGN CORRESPONDENT OF THE SATURDAY EVENING POST, TOLD SENATE INVESTIGATORS THAT HE NEVER SAW "EVEN THE SLIGHTEST EVIDENCE" THAT LATTIMORE WAS BECOMING "EVEN THE MILDEST FORM OF FELLOW TRAVELER" WHEN LATTIMORE VISITED MOSCOW IN 1936.

BESS ALSO DECLARED THAT LATTIMORE "LEARNED CONSIDERABLY MORE FROM SOVIET INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS DURING THAT MOSCOW VISIT THAN THEY DID FROM HIM--AND THIS INFORMATION HAS SINCE BEEN MADE AVAILABLE THROUGH MR.LATTIMORE TO OUR OWN INTELLIGENCE SERVICES AND TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT."

BESS DESCRIBED LATTIMORE AS AN OLD AND VALUED FRIEND AND SAID THEY HAD KNOWN EACH OTHER FOR YEARS IN CHINA. HE SAID LATTIMORE WAS HIS HOUSE GUEST IN MOSCOW.

MRS.UTLEY TESTIFIED THAT IN HER OPINION, BASED ON HER KNOWLEDGE OF COMMUNIST OPERATIONS, SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) "UNDER-ESTIMATED" LATTIMORE IN CALLING HIM "THE TOP" RUSSIAN ESPIONAGE AGENT IN THIS COUNTRY.

"LATTIMORE IS SUCH A RENOWNED SCHOLAR AND ADEPT WRITER THAT IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO BELIEVE MOSCOW REGARDS HIM AS EXPENDABLE, AS ALL SPIES ARE," SHE SAID.

UNDER QUESTIONING BY SENATOR GREEN (D-RI), MRS.UTLEY ACKNOWLEDGED SHE MAD NO PERSONAL KNOWLEDGE THAT LATTIMORE EVER JOINED THE COMMUNIST PARTY AND NEVER SAW HIM AT A RED PARTY MEETING.

MRS.UTLEY, A STOUTISH, GRAY-HAIRED WOMAN WEARING THICK HORN-RIMMED GLASSES, DESCRIBED HERSELF AS A FREE LANCE AUTHOR, JOURNALIST, LECTURER, AND EXPERT ON FAR EASTERN AFFAIRS. SHE NOW LIVES IN WASHINGTON.

SHE RELATED THAT SHE HAD JOINED THE BRITISH COMMUNIST PARTY IN 1928 BUT DROPPED OUT OF PARTY RANKS IN 1931 SHORTLY AFTER GOING TO RUSSIA TO BE WITH HER RUSSIAN HUSBAND. SHE LIVED THERE SIX YEARS.

SHE DECIDED TO QUIT THE PARTY, SHE EXPLAINED, WHEN SHE LEARNED SHE WAS EXPECTED TO "LIE AND CHEAT."

THE 52-YEAR-OLD WITNESS TOLD A SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE THAT THE ACTIONS OF BOTH LATTIMORE AND HIS WIFE WERE "INDISTINGUISHABLE" FROM THOSE OF A COMMUNIST.

"KNOWINGLY OR NOT," MRS.UTLEY SAID, "LATTIMORE HAS BEEN ASSIGNED TO AN IMPORTANT ROLE IN THE COMMUNIST PLOT."

FLANKED BY HIS ATTORNEYS, LATTIMORE SAT DIRECTLY BEHIND MRS.UTLEY AS SHE TESTIFIED IN THE SENATE INQUIRY INTO CHARGES BY SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WISC) THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT IS INFESTED WITH COMMUNISTS.

LATTIMORE, A ONETIME STATE DEPARTMENT ADVISER ON FAR EAST AFFAIRS AND JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY PROFESSOR, HAS VEHEMENTLY DENIED MCCARTHY'S CONTENTION THAT HE IS THE NO. 1 SOVIET AGENT IN THE UNITED STATES. HE HAS SWORN HE WAS NEVER A COMMUNIST OR COMMUNIST SYMPATHIZER.

MRS. UTLEY TOLD THE COMMITTEE SHE BECAME CONVINCED IN 1940 THAT LATTIMORE AND HIS WIFE-HAD GONE-OVER TO THE REDS.

"IT SEEMED TO ME (PREVIOUSLY) THAT HE AND MRS. LATTIMORE WERE SYMPATHETIC TO THE SOVIET EXPERIMENT BUT WERE NOT COMMUNISTS," SHE SAID. "BUT IN 1940 THEY BOTH HAD APPARENTLY DECIDED TO THROW IN THEIR LOT WITH THE COMMUNIST TOTALITARIANS."

AT ONE POINT, MRS.UTLEY COMMENTED THAT WHEN GEN. GEORGE C.MARSHALL WAS SECRETARY OF STATE, HE HAD TO "LEAN HEAVILY" ON THE ADVICE OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT FAR EASTERN DIVISION.

SHE SAID THIS "SMALL COTERIE" OF ADVISERS "REFLECTED THE VIEWS OF LATTIMORE."

COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD) QUICKLY ASKED HER TO IDENTIFY THE ADVISERS. AFTER 10 MINUTES OF SPARRING, MRS. UTLEY SAID REPORTS WRITTEN BY SUCH FAR EAST OFFICIALS AS JOHN S.SERVICE BORE A "CLOSE SIMILARITY" OR WERE IDENTICAL TO LATTIMORE'S WRITING.

SERVICE IS A CAREER DIPLOMAT IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT. CITED BY SENATOR MCCARTHY AS A PRO-COMMUNIST, SERVICE WAS RECENTLY CALLED HOME FROM A NEW ASSIGNMENT IN INDIA FOR A REVIEW OF HIS LOYALTY RECORD. HE IS SCHEDULED TO TESTIFY LATER.

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SERVICE HAS FLATLY DENIED MCCARTHY'S CHARGES AND THE STATE DEPARTMENT SUPPORTED HIM VIGOROUSLY IN A PUBLIC STATEMENT.

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MRS.UTLEY WENT ON TO SAY SHE HAS ANALYZED LATTIMORE'S PROLIFIC WRITING AND FOUND IT TO BE "REPLETE WITH SOVIET PROPAGANDA."

SUCH MEN, SHE SAID, "CONSCIOUSLY OR UNCONSCIOUSLY ARE A MENACE TO OUR SECURITY AND FREEDOM."

MRS. UTLEY RECALLED THAT SHE MET LATTIMORE IN MOSCOW IN 1936 AT A CONFERENCE WHERE THE INSTITUTE OF PACIFIC RELATIONS, A PRIVATE ORGANIZATION IN THE UNITED STATES, WAS DISCUSSED.

SHE SAID SHE DID NOT THINK THEN THAT LATTIMORE WAS A COMMUNIST, BUT AFTER SHE CAME TO THIS COUNTRY AND MET THE LATTIMORES IN BALTIMORE IN 1940 SHE WAS CONVINCED THEY WERE "FOLLOWING THE COMMUNIST LINE."

LATTIMORE IS BILLED TO TAKE THE WITNESS STAND TOMORROW TO ANSWER CHARGES BY FORMER U.S. COMMUNIST LEADER LOUIS F. BUDENZ, WHO TESTIFIED ON APRIL 20 THAT LATTIMORE WAS A MEMBER OF A "COMMUNIST CELL" IN THE INSTITUTE OF PACIFIC RELATIONS AND HELPED BETRAY CHINA TO THE REDS.

ON THE OTHER SIDE OF CAPITOL HILL, DEMOCRATIC REP. KARSTEN OF MISSOURI SAID MOST OF SENATOR MCCARTHY'S CHARGES ARE OLD STUFF, INVESTIGATED LONG AGO, AND URGED CONGRESS TO FIND OUT WHETHER "A FRAUD" HAS BEEN PERPETRATED ON THE AMERICAN PEOPLE.

KARSTEN ASSERTED THAT TWO REPUBLICAN-CONTROLLED HOUSE COMMITTEES OVER TWO YEARS AGO INVESTIGATED 108 STATE DEPARTMENT CASES WITH NEGATIVE RESULT. HE SAID IT APPEARED THEY INCLUDED MOST, IF NOT ALL, THE CASES CITED BY MCCARTHY (R-WIS) IN ATTACKING THE DEPARTMENT AS A COMMUNIST HOTBED.

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"IF SO," THE MISSOURIAN ADDED, "INQUIRY SHOULD BE MADE AS TO WHETHER OR NOT A HOAX, A DECEIT, OR A FRAUD, HAS BEEN PRACTICED SOMEWHERE, BY SOMEONE, UPON THE AMERICAN PEOPLE."

HE SAID THE FBI HAD ALSO INVESTIGATED 57 STATE DEPARTMENT "SECURITY RISKS" SIMILAR TO THOSE CITED BY MCCARTHY.

"I WOULD HAVE COMPLETE CONTEMPT FOR ANYONE WHO, THROUGH DECEIT OR FRAUD, WOULD SEEK TO INFLAME AND HOODWINK THE AMERICAN PEOPLE WITH THE ASSERTION THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF THEIR GOVERNMENT HAS HARBORED OR IS SATURATED WITH COMMUNISTS," KARSTEN SAID IN A STATEMENT.

COMMENTING ON KARSTEN'S BLAST, SENATOR GREEN (D-RI), A MEMBER OF THE SENATE COMMITTEE WHICH HAS BEEN LOOKING INTO MCCARTHY'S CHARGES, TOLD NEWSMEN:

"THE COMMITTEE IS QUITE FAMILIAR WITH THE FACT THAT THESE CHARGES ARE JUST WARMED-OVER DISHES."

REPORTS CIRCULATED ON CAPITOL HILL, MEANWHILE, THAT SENATE REPUBLICANS WERE SPLIT OVER A MOVE TO BRING DOWN THE CURTAIN AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE ON THE ENTIRE SENSATION-STUDDED AFFAIR IN WHICH POLITICAL OVERTONES HAVE BEEN APPARENT SINCE THE OUTSET.

SOME LEADING REPUBLICANS WERE REPORTED SEEKING A METHOD TO WIND UP THE INQUIRY ON THE GROUND THAT IT MAY NEVER BRING A CLEAR-CUT DECISION, ONE WAY OR ANOTHER, ON MCCARTHY'S CHARGES.

HOWEVER, MCCARTHY HIMSELF GAVE NO INDICATION OF CLOSING DOWN. HE HAS ALREADY RESISTED PRESSURE TO CALL A HALT AND MADE IT CLEAR THAT AS LONG AS NEW DATA TURNS UP, HE WILL CONTINUE TO PRESENT IT TO THE TYDINGS COMMITTEE.

REP.KARSTEN SAID IN HIS STATEMENT THAT 81 "CASE HISTORIES" OUTLINED BY MCCARTHY IN THE SENATE ON FEB. 20 WERE APPARENTLY AMONG 108 CASES INVESTIGATED IN 1948 BY A HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE AND A HOUSE EXPENDITURES SUBCOMMITTEE.

"IT WAS NOT CONSIDERED THAT THE INVESTIGATION WARRANTED MAKING ANY REPORT," KARSTEN SAID, REFERRING TO THE EXPENDITURES SUBCOMMITTEE'S INQUIRY. "IT WAS FELT THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT WAS HANDLING THE SITUATION IN A SATISFACTORY MANNER."

HIS STATEMENT CONTINUED:

"THERE IS NOTHING NEW ABOUT THE MAJORITY, IF NOT ALL, OF THE CASES MENTIONED BY SENATOR MCCARTHY. ANY IMPRESSION THE AMERICAN PEOPLE MIGHT HAVE THAT THIS IS A MATTER OF RECENT ORIGIN IS COMPLETELY ERRONEOUS."

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(540) NIGHT LEAD ~~HAWAII~~ STATEHOOD

BY HARRISON HUMPHRIES

AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE

WASHINGTON,MAY 1-(AP)-STATEHOOD FOR HAWAII WAS ENDORSED TODAY BY THE DEPARTMENTS OF STATE, INTERIOR AND DEFENSE AT A SENATE COMMITTEE HEARING.

SUPPORTING TESTIMONY WAS PRESENTED BY INGRAM M.STAINBACK, THE PRESIDENT-APPOINTED GOVERNOR OF HAWAII, AND SENATOR KNOWLAND (R-CALIF), A CO-SPONSOR OF A HAWAIIAN STATEHOOD BILL IN THE SENATE.

APPEARING IN PERSON, SECRETARY OF INTERIOR CHAPMAN ASKED THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON INTERIOR AND INSULAR AFFAIRS TO MAKE WITHOUT FURTHER DELAY ITS DECISION ON THE HOUSE-PASSED STATEHOOD BILL.

HE SAID HAWAII, AFTER 50 YEARS AS AN INCORPORATED TERRITORY, IS MORE READY FOR STATEHOOD NOW THAN ANY STATE WAS AT THE TIME OF ITS ADMISSION TO THE UNION.

SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON SENT A LETTER "STRONGLY SUPPORTING THE PRINCIPLE OF GRANTING STATEHOOD TO HAWAII AND ALASKA."

SPEAKING FOR THE STATE DEPARTMENT, ASSISTANT SECRETARY JOHN D. HICKERSON SAID THE ADMISSION OF HAWAII WOULD SUPPORT AMERICAN FOREIGN POLICY AND STRENGTHEN THE POSITION OF THE UNITED STATES IN INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS. HE SAID IT WOULD FULFILL THE OBLIGATION UNDER THE UNITED NATIONS CHARTER TO PROMOTE LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT.

CHAPMAN TALKED ABOUT THE POPULATION (530,000), THE SCHOOLS, THE ECONOMY, THE GOVERNMENT OF HAWAII, AND THE LOYALTY OF HER PEOPLE.

"THERE IS NO VALID REASON WHY HAWAII SHOULD NOT BE ADMITTED TO THE UNION NOW," HE SAID.

AS EVIDENCE OF THE DESIRE IN HAWAII FOR THE FULL CITIZENSHIP OF STATEHOOD, CHAPMAN SAID THE TERRITORIAL LEGISLATURE APPROPRIATED FUNDS TO SEND A DELEGATION OF NEARLY 50 WITNESSES TO THE HEARING.

SENATOR BUTLER (R-NEB), RANKING MINORITY MEMBER OF THE COMMITTEE, INTERRUPTED TO SAY THAT HE HAD RECEIVED LETTERS AND TELEGRAMS FROM A NUMBER OF HAWAIIANS WHO WANTED TO COME TO THE HEARINGS BUT HAD NOT BEEN ABLE TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS. HE SAID HE WOULD LIKE TO HEAR ONE OR TWO OPPONENTS OF STATEHOOD.

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CHAPMAN SAID THAT THE LAST CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE THAT WENT TO HAWAII ON THE STATEHOOD QUESTION ADVERTISED IN THE NEWSPAPERS FOR OPPOSITION WITNESSES, BUT NOT ONE APPEARED.

"YOU KNOW WHY," SAID BUTLER.

NO, CHAPMAN REPLIED, HE DID NOT KNOW WHY. IF HE WERE OPPOSED TO STATEHOOD FOR COLORADO (CHAPMAN'S HOME STATE), HE WOULD SAY SO.

"IF THE OPPOSITION IS SO TIMID THEY DON'T WANT TO STATE THEIR CASE IN PUBLIC, THEN THEY HAVEN'T GOT A CASE," HE ASSERTED.

BUTLER SAID HE THINKS IT WOULD BE "FAR BETTER" IF THE COMMITTEE HAD HELD ITS HEARING IN HAWAII.

"YOU HAVE HAD SO MANY HEARINGS IN HAWAII, THEY THINK EVERY BOAT THAT LANDS HAS A CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION ABOARD," CHAPMAN RETORTED.

CHAPMAN, STAINBACK AND KNOWLAND ALL SAID THEY CONSIDER COMMUNIST ACTIVITY IN HAWAII A PART OF THE NATIONAL COMMUNIST PROBLEM, AND NO GROUNDS FOR DENYING STATEHOOD.

SAYING HAWAII IS REGARDED AS A REPUBLICAN PARTY AREA, CHAPMAN TESTIFIED HE "WOULD BE DELIGHTED TO HAVE TWO REPUBLICAN SENATORS FROM HAWAII."

"I HAVE FAITH IN THE JUDGMENT OF THEIR PEOPLE."

HE WAS ASKED BY SENATOR BUTLER (R-NEB) IF HE HAD HEARD OF THE "SPLIT" IN THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY IN HAWAII.

CHAPMAN REPLIED THAT HE HAS AND THAT HE CONSIDERS IT "HONORABLE AND HONEST."

"THE DEMOCRATS," HE ADDED, "ARE TRYING TO GET THE COMMUNISTS OUT OF THEIR PARTY," BUT COULD NOT IDENTIFY THEM.

"WE HAVE IDENTIFIED SOME OF THEM," HE SAID, AS A RESULT OF THE HOUSE UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES SUBCOMMITTEE.

CHAPMAN SAID GOVERNOR STAINBACK HAS RECOMMENDED THAT "WE KICK THEM OUT."

STAINBACK SAID ONLY A SMALL PART OF THE INTERNATIONAL LONGSHOREMEN'S AND WAREHOUSEMEN'S UNION IN HAWAII IS COMMUNIST, AND THAT FRACTION IS CONTROLLED FROM CALIFORNIA.

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THE GOVERNOR SAID HE BELIEVES AND HOPES THAT THE UNION IN HAWAII WILL ELECT ITS OWN LEADERS AND THROW OUT THE COMMUNISTS.

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(450) NIGHT LEAD FOREIGN AID (CONGRESS ROUNDUP)

WASHINGTON,MAY 1-(AP)-SENATOR KEM (R-MO) DECLARED TODAY HE HAS RECEIVED "STARTLING EVIDENCE" THAT MARSHALL PLAN COUNTRIES ARE "MAKING SUBSTANTIAL SHIPMENTS OF WAR MATERIALS, INCLUDING ARMS, TO RUSSIA AND HER SATELLITES."

IN ANOTHER SPEECH ON THE FOREIGN AID QUESTION, SENATOR JENNER (R-IND) SAID THAT EVERY DAY THE MARSHALL PLAN "BECOMES MORE OF A FRAUD AND A SWINDLE."

THE SENATE IS SCHEDULED TO VOTE FRIDAY ON THE $3,372,450,000 FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATION BILL WHICH ALREADY HAS BEEN UNDER DEBATE INTERMITTENTLY FOR THREE WEEKS.

KEM SAID THE REAL BENEFICIARIES OF U.S. FOREIGN AID MAY BE THE COMMUNISTS, AND HE SHOUTED TO THE SENATE:

"I OPPOSE THE USE OF AMERICAN AID BY THE PRESENT BRITISH MARXIST GOVERNMENT TO CODDLE COMMUNISM."

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KEM SAID THAT STRACHEY HAS "QUITE A RECORD AS A COMMUNIST WRITER AND COMMUNIST WORKER." STRACHEY HAS SAID HE RENOUNCED YEARS AGO HIS EARLY WRITINGS IN SUPPORT OF COMMUNISM.

KEM SAID THAT BRITAIN, FRANCE AND BELGIUM ALL HAVE SENT WAR MATERIALS TO RUSSIA OR RUSSIAN SATELLITES. HE URGED THAT THE UNITED STATES CUT OFF AID TO ANY COUNTRY WHICH SENDS WAR MATERIALS BEHIND THE IRON CURTAIN.

JENNER SAID THE MARSHALL PLAN "REEKS OF POLITICS BOTH DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN" AND IS NOTHING BUT "A CATCH-ALL FOR 'CALCULATED RISKERS', 'DOLLAR-GAPPERS' AND 'DO-GOODERS' LEADING US FROM ONE CRISIS EVER DEEPER INTO ANOTHER."

THE HOUSE TODAY APPROVED A BILL PERMITTING THE USE OF DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME IN THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA THIS YEAR. THE SENATE HAS PASSED A MEASURE TO GIVE THE DISTRICT COMMISSIONERS CONTINUING POWER TO ORDER THE CLOCKS SET AHEAD EACH SUMMER. THIS DIFFERENCE WILL HAVE TO BE ADJUSTED BEFORE THE TIME BILL GOES TO THE WHITE HOUSE.

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THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE GAVE QUICK APPROVAL TO A $350,000,000 NAVY MODERNIZATION PROGRAM WHICH INCLUDES PLANS FOR AN ATOMIC POWERED SUBMARINE AND A GUIDED MISSILE SHIP.

THE COMMUNIST AND GAMBLING HEARINGS CONTINUED IN THE SENATE.

FREDA UTLEY, A FORMER COMMUNIST, TOLD INVESTIGATING SENATORS THAT WHILE SHE HAS NO PROOF THAT OWEN LATTIMORE EVER JOINED THE COMMUNIST PARTY, HIS WRITINGS SINCE 1938 SHOW "HIS SUBSERVIENCE TO COMMUNIST PARTY DISCIPLINE." ON THE OTHER HAND, DEMAREE BESS, SATURDAY EVENING POST EDITOR WHO CALLED LATTIMORE AN OLD FRIEND, SAID HE AND LATTIMORE WERE TOGETHER IN CHINA AND IN 1936 IN MOSCOW AND THAT LATTIMORE SHOWED NO SIGNS OF BECOMING PRO-COMMUNIST.

LATTIMORE IS A PROFESSOR AT JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY, RATED AN EXPERT OF FAR EASTERN AFFAIRS. AT TIMES HE HAS ACTED AS A CONSULTANT TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT. SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) HAS CHARGED THAT LATTIMORE IS THE KREMLIN'S TOP AGENT IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT. LATTIMORE HAS DENIED THIS, SWORN HE NEVER HAS BEEN A COMMUNIST, AND CALLED MCCARTHY AN UNMITIGATED LIAR.

AT THE GAMBLING HEARING BEING CONDUCTED BY A SENATE COMMERCE SUBCOMMITTEE, SENATOR TOBEY (R-NH) SAID THAT TELEPHONE COMPANIES ARE "AIDING AND ABETTING" GAMBLERS BY CONTINUING TO FURNISH THEM PHONE SERVICE.

THE COMMITTEE IS CONSIDERING A BILL TO PROHIBIT THE TRANSMISSION OF GAMBLING INFORMATION ACROSS STATE LINES.

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NIGHT LEAD NAVY

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WASHINGTON,MAY 1-(AP)-ADMIRAL FORREST P.SHERMAN WON QUICK APPROVAL FROM A HOUSE COMMITTEE TODAY FOR A $350,000,000 NAVY MODERNIZATION PROGRAM COVERING A GUIDED-MISSILES SHIP AND AN ATOMIC-POWERED SUBMARINE.

SHERMAN TOLD THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE THAT $40,000,000 OF THE MONEY WILL BE USED TO CONVERT A HEAVY CRUISER INTO A GUIDED-MILLILES CRAFT.

HE SAID THE SHIP WILL BE USED "PRIMARILY AGAINST AIRCRAFT," AND HE DECLARED:

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"WE HAVE GUIDED MISSILES WHICH ARE SUFFICIENTLY ADVANCED THAT THEY SHOULD BE INTRODUCED INTO THE FLEET AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

"WE ARE NOT WARRANTED IN DELAYING ANY LONGER IN GETTING THIS ESSENTIAL ELEMENT AFLOAT."

CHAIRMAN VINSON (D-GA) ASKED SHERMAN WHETHER HE BELIEVED THE DEVELOPMENT OF GUIDED MISSILES HAS GONE FAR ENOUGH TO JUSTIFY THE EXPENDITURE OF $40,000,000 FOR SUCH A SHIP.

"VERY DEFINITELY," THE ADMIRAL REPLIED.

SHERMAN, CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS, ALSO TOLD THE COMMITTEE THAT THE NAVY HOPES TO HAVE AN ATOMIC-POWERED SUBMARINE IN OPERATION WITHIN THREE YEARS AFTER FUNDS BECOME AVAILABLE FOR IT.

PRESUMABLY, THAT WOULD BE SOMETIME IN 1954, SINCE THE PROGRAM WILL BE FINANCED LARGELY FROM FUNDS FOR THE 1952 FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JULY 1, 1951.

PLANS FOR AN ATOM-DRIVEN SUBMARINE, THEORETICALLY CAPABLE OF CRUISING ALMOST INDEFINITELY WITHOUT RE-FUELING, ARE REPORTED ALREADY NEAR THE BLUEPRINT STAGE.

THE OVERALL PROGRAM INCLUDES THE CONSTRUCTION OF 112 SHIPS, MOSTLY SMALL, AND MODERNIZATION OF 30 OTHERS.

CHAIRMAN VINSON HAD ORIGINALLY CALLED FOR AN AUTHORIZATION OF $500,000,000, BUT THIS FIGURE WAS CUT WHEN SHERMAN SAID THE NAVY'S PRESENT PLANS CONTEMPLATE THE SPENDING OFTTTT

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PRESENT PLANS CONTEMPLATE THE SPENDING OF A LESSER AMOUNT ON THE MODERNIZATION PROGRAM.

SCHEDULED FOR MODERNIZATION ARE SIX CARRIERS OF THE 27,000-TON ESSEX CLASS. THREE ARE NOW IN SHIPYARDS. SHERMAN ESTIMATED IT WOULD TAKE ABOUT TWO YEARS BEFORE ALL SIX ARE READY FOR SERVICE.

REP.RIVERS (D-SC) SUGGESTED THAT THE ESSEX CLASS CARRIERS ARE NOT LARGE ENOUGH "TO TAKE CARE OF PLANES WHICH ARE JUST AROUND THE CORNER," BUT SHERMAN SAID THE SHIPS WILL BE NEEDED BY THE NAVY THROUGHOUT THEIR LIFE.

THE ADMIRAL SAID THE MODERNIZED CARRIERS ARE URGENTLY NEEDED TO HANDL FIGHTERS AND DIVE BOMBERS WHICH HE SAID WILL BE AVAILABLE BY THE TIME THE WORK IS FINISHED.

REP.SASSCER (D-MD) ASKED SHERMAN WHAT RUSSIA IS DOING IN THE CARRIER FIELD.

"I HAVE NO POSITIVE INFORMATION THAT RUSSIA IS BUILDING CARRIERS, AND I HAVE NO POSITIVE INFORMATION THAT SHE IS NOT," SHERMAN SAID.

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(320) RUSSIAN NAVY

WASHINGTON, MAY 1-(AP)-THE NATION'S TOP NAVAL OFFICER WARNS THAT RUSSIA'S NAVAL MANPOWER IS NEARLY TWICE THAT OF THE U.S. AND ITS SHIP STRENGTH GROWING.

ADMIRAL FORREST P.SHERMAN, CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS, DECLARED LAST NIGHT ON THE 'MEET THE PRESS' TELEVISION PROGRAM (NBC) THAT RUSSIA IS NOT "COMPLETELY READY" FOR A LARGE-SCALE WAR.

BUT HE POINTED OUT, "THEY HAVE NEARLY TWICE AS MANY OFFICERS AND MEN IN THEIR NAVY AS WE HAVE IN OURS. "THEY HAVE MORE CRUISERS IN ACTUAL COMMISSION THAN WE DO. (LARGE SEGMENTS OF U.S. NAVAL STRENGTH ARE IN "MOTHBALL" STORAGE).

THEY HAVE AN AMPHIBIOUS FORCE X X X SUITABLE FOR THE WATERS OF THE BLACK SEA, THE MEDITERRANEAN, THE BALTIC. THEY HAVE A FORCE THERE THAT'S LARGER THAN THE CORRESPONDING ELEMENTS OF ALL THE OTHER NAVIES OF THE WORLD COMBINED.

"THEY HAVE A NUMBER OF LARGE CRUISERS UNDER CONSTRUCTION TODAY. WE HAVE NONE. THEY HAVE A LARGE NUMBER OF DESTROYERS AND DESTROYER TYPES."

HE SAID THE RUSSIANS HAVE NO AIRCRAFT CARRIERS "THAT WE KNOW OF."

THE ADMIRAL INDICATED HE DID NOT BELIEVE REPORTS THAT FOREIGN SUBMARINES HAVE BEEN OPERATING OFF AMERICAN SHORES.

A NAVAL OFFICER'S REPORT OF A FOREIGN SUB OFF CALIFORNIA WAS, SHERMAN SAID, "A STATEMENT OF OPINION FROM AN OFFICER JUNIOR TO FLAG RANK AND NOT A VERIFIED OPINION."

THERE HAVE BEEN "A NUMBER OF REPORTS" BUT NO "100 PERCENT, ABSOLUTE CASE," HE ADDED, COMMENTING, "IT'S JUST LIKE THE FLYING SAUCERS."

TURNING TO HIS FAVORITE SUBJECT, CARRIERS, THE FLYING ADMIRAL SAID THE NAVY HAS A CARRIED THAT "COULD CARRY AN AIRCRAFT LARGE ENOUGH T

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HE WAS PRESUMABLY REFERRING TO THE 45,000 TON MIDWAY CLASS CARRIERS OF WHICH THE NAVY HAS THREE, ALTHOUGH IT HAS NEVER BEEN PUBLICLY ESTABLISHED (A) HOW BIG AN AIRPLANE IS NEEDED FOR THE A-BOMB AND CONSEQUENTLY (B) WHAT SIZE CARRIER COULD LAUNCH IT.

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD CHAMBER

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BY STERLING F.GREEN

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, MAY 1-(AP)-SECRETARY OF COMMERCE SAWYER TONIGHT INVITED THE UNITED STATES CHAMBER OF COMMERCE TO JOIN HIM IN A CAMPAIGN TO TEACH AMERICANS THAT THEIR PROSPERITY DEPENDS ON A "PROFITABLE AND A CONSTANTLY GROWING BUSINESS COMMUNITY."

THE ADMINISTRATION LEADER, ALONG WITH A LEADING REPUBLICAN, HAROLD E.STASSEN, USED MUCH THE SAME WORDS IN THEIR MESSAGES TO THE CHAMBER'S CONVENTION HERE.

THE MESSAGE WAS: THE BIGGEST SALES JOB NOW CONFRONTING BUSINESS IS TO SELL ITSELF TO ITS EMPLOYES AND TO THE PUBLIC.

SAWYER, WHO TALKED TO TWO DINNER SESSIONS OF CHAMBER DELEGATES IN THE SAME EVENING, CLOSED EACH ADDRESS WITH THE SAME APPEAL--THAT "THE MANY DIVERSE BUSINESS GROUPS" MAKE A CONCERTED EFFORT TO EXPLAIN AND EMPHASIZE THE CONTRIBUTIONS OF BUSINESS TO THE NATIONAL LIFE.

BUSINESSMEN HAVE "A SALE TO MAKE AND THE SALE HAS NOT BEEN CLOSED," SAWYER DECLARED. HE ADDED:

"THEY SHOULD WORK TOGETHER TO CONVINCE THE AMERICAN PEOPLE THAT OUR PROSPERITY AND EVEN OUR VERY EXISTENCE DEPEND UPON A PROFITABLE AND A CONSTANTLY GROWING BUSINESS COMMUNITY.

"AS SECRETARY OF COMMERCE I CAN SAY THAT MY DEPARTMENT WILL WELCOME THE OPPORTUNITY TO HELP IN SUCH AN EFFORT AND I SUGGEST THE UNITED STATES CHAMBER OF COMMERCE AS THE ORGANIZATION WHICH SHOULD INITIATE IT."

PRESIDENT HERMAN STEINKRAUS TOLD THE CHAMBER THAT BUSINESS MUST CREATE 600,000 NEW JOBS A YEAR TO PREVENT "WORSENING UNEMPLOYMENT" AND GOVERNMENT MUST HELP PROVIDE THE INCENTIVE.

"HIGH TAXES AND OTHER DISCOURAGEMENTS" HAVE PUT A CRIMP IN VENTURE CAPITAL, YET IT TAKES $10,000 OF INVESTMENT TO CREATE EACH NEW JOB--A TOTAL OF 6,000,000,000 A YEAR FOR EXPANSION, THE CHAMBER'S LEADER SAID IN HIS KEYNOTE ADDRESS TO THE 38TH ANNUAL MEETING.

TAXES, SPENDING AND FEDERAL REGULATION NEED A GOING-OVER TO HELP MEET THE SITUATION, STEINKRAUS SAID. HE CALLED IT A PROBLEM OF GOVERNMENT, BUSINESS, LABOR AND EVERYBODY.

THE JOB INCREASE IS REQUIRED BECAUSE OF POPULATION GROWTH, HE EXPLAINED.

HAROLD E.STASSEN ADVISED THAT THE BIGGEST SALES JOB FOR AMERICAN BUSINESS IS TO SELL ITSELF TO ITS EMPLOYES.

STASSEN, ADDRESSING 2,500 DELEGATES, SAID THE WORKING MAN IS "GROSSLY MISINFORMED" ON THE ECONOMIC SYSTEM--AND THEREFORE A LIKELY VICTIM TO "THE SIRENS OF SOCIALISM."

"DO NOT SPEND YOUR TIME THROWING STONES AT THE GOVERNMENT OR AT POLITICAL PARTIES," THE UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA PRESIDENT TOLD THE BUSINESS LEADERS.

"TELL THE TRUTH TO YOUR EMPLOYES AND THE TRUTH WILL KEEP YOU BOTH FREE."

SENATOR TAFT (R-OHIO) TOLD THE CHAMBER IT SHOULD "MEET THE DIRECT ATTACK OF THE SOCIALISTS" WHOSE POLICIES, HE DECLARED, ARE EDGING THE COUNTRY TOWARD "THE COMPLETE TOTALITARIAN STATE."

STASSEN, FORMER GOVERNOR OF MINNESOTA AND REPUBLICAN PRESIDENTIAL ASPIRANT, DELIVERED SOME STATISTICAL ILLUSTRATIONS. A SURVEY OF PHILADELPHIA WORKING MEN AND WOMEN, HE SAID, SHOWED THEY BELIEVED THEIR COMPANY MADE 43 CENTS CLEAR PROFIT FOR EVERY DOLLAR PAID IN WAGES. THE ACTUAL FIGURE WAS BELOW 10 CENTS.

AVERAGE ANSWERS TO ANOTHER QUESTION, STASSEN SAID, INDICATED THAT WORKERS BELIEVE ONE DEPARTMENT STORE AVERAGES ABOUT 32 CENTS PROFIT ON EACH DOLLAR OF SALES--INSTEAD OF THE 4 1/2 CENTS ACTUALLY MADE.

AND THE SAME POLL, HE WENT ON, SHOWED THAT WHILE MANY WORKERS LOOK WITH FAVOR ON SOME LARGE CORPORATIONS WHOSE PRODUCTS THEY KNOW, MOST OF THEM REGARD THE U.S. CHAMBER AS "A COMBINATION ON THE EMPLOYER'S SIDE" AND LOOK UPON IT WITH "SUSPICION, IF NOT OUTRIGHT DISFAVOR."

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STASSEN DECLARED IT VITAL TO THE PRESERVATION OF THE DEMOCRATIC SYSTEM THAT THE WORKERS "GET TO KNOW THE TRUE FACTS OF AMERICAN BUSINESS."

"THEY NEED TO BE INFORMED THAT THE OWNERS AND MANAGERS OF AMERICAN BUSINESS GET MUCH LESS PER DOLLAR OF PRODUCTION FOR PROFITS AND FOR SALARIES, THAN THE COMPARABLE COST OF ANY OF THE SOCIALIST GOVERNMENTAL SYSTEMS IN GOVERNMENT SALARIES AND TAXES," HE EXPLAINED.

"IT IS THIS LOW UNIT COST OF MANAGEMENT AND OF OWNERSHIP OF THE FREE CAPITALIST SYSTEM WHICH LEADS TO OUR HIGH STANDARD OF LIVING."

ONLY BUSINESSMEN THEMSELVES CAN PROVIDE THIS KNOWLEDGE, STASSEN ADDED.

STEINKRAUS, PRESIDENT OF BRIDGEPORT BRASS CO., BRIDGEPORT, CONN., SAID THAT BUSINESSMEN ARE FINDING IT DIFFICULT TO PLAN FOR EXPANSION IN THE FACE OF FORMIDABLE FEDERAL SPENDING AND THE PROSPECT OF CONTINUED HIGH TAXATION--AS WELL AS AN ATMOSPHERE OF UNCERTAINTY WHICH "PERHAPS IS THE RESULT OF CONFUSION IN HIGH PLACES." AMERICANS HAVE BEEN DEPRESSED AND SHOCKED AT THE LOSS OF CHINA TO THE COMMUNISTS, HE SAID, AND HE ADDED:

"THE STATE DEPARTMENT TO WHICH WE USED TO LOOK WITH GREAT REVERENCE AND RESPECT IS UNDER A CLOUD. WE FEAR PERHAPS THAT THE PEOPLE WHO MANAGE OUR AFFAIRS OVERSEAS MAY NOT HAVE BEEN SELECTED FOR THEIR ABILITY BUT FOR SOME OTHER REASON."

SEN. TAFT DEPLORED WHAT HE DESCRIBED AS THE GROWING TENDENCY IN EVERY SEGMENT OF AMERICAN LIFE TO BELIEVE THAT "ALL PROBLEMS MUST BE SOLVED BY WASHINGTON."

"BIG BUSINESS WANTS PROTECTION FOR ITS PROFITS, LITTLE BUSINESS WANTS PROTECTION FROM BIG BUSINESS, FARMERS WANT THE GOVERNMENT TO GUARANTEE PARITY PRICES, LABOR WANTS EVERY MAN GUARANTEED A JOB."

TAFT SAID HE AGREED THAT AGRICULTURE SHOULD HAVE PARITY PRICES AND THAT EVERY MAN SHOULD HAVE A JOB--BUT THAT IT IS A "FATAL STEP" FOR THE GOVERNMENT TO UNDERTAKE TO GUARANTEE THEM.

WHEN THE GOVERNMENT GUARANTEES JOBS FOR EVERYBODY IT MUST TAKE OVER BUSINESS AND PROVIDE THE JOBS, HE SAID. THEN IT MUST TELL EVERY MAN WHERE HE MAY WORK AND HOW MUCH HE MAY BE PAID--"AND AT THAT POINT YOU HAVE REACHED THE COMPLETE TOTALITARIAN STATE."

TAFT RECEIVED A ROUND OF APPLAUSE WHEN HE CONDEMNED THE "SOCIALISTS" WHO WOULD "REGULATE EVERY BUSINESS OPERATION IN DETAIL, AS IN THE SPENCE BILL; REGULATE EACH FARM, AS IN THE BRANNAN PLAN; REGULATE EVERY BOY, AS IN UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING; AND FURNISH DIRECT SERVICE, MEDICAL AND OTHERWISE, TO ALL."

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CONNALLY-FOREIGN (250)

MAY 1 1950

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, MAY 1-(AP)-SENATOR CONNALLY (D-TEX) SAID TONIGHT HE IS NOT IN FAVOR OF FILLING EUROPE'S DOLLAR GAP WITH AMERICAN DOLLARS.

CONNALLY'S STATEMENT WAS MADE PUBLIC AFTER SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON TOLD THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE IN A CLOSED SESSION HE WILL BE SEEKING A UNITED FRONT ON EUROPE'S PROBLEMS AT MEETINGS WITH BRITISH AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTERS NEXT WEEK.

ACCORDING TO CONNALLY, THESE PROBLEMS INCLUDE "PLANS FOR EXPRESSION OF OUR INTEREST IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF A HEALTHY EUROPEAN ECONOMY AND COOPERATIVE STEPS BY SOVEREIGN NATIONS TO ACHIEVE THAT GOAL."

IN THE MEANTIME, CONNALLY, WHO HEADS THE FOREIGN RELATIONS GROUP, MADE IT CLEAR IN AN INTERVIEW RECORDED BY U.S. NEWS & WORLD REPORT THAT HE THINKS IT IS TOO EARLY TO BEGIN TALKING ABOUT A SUCCESSOR TO THE MARSHALL PLAN, SCHEDULED TO END IN 1952.

OBSERVING THAT SUCH TALK MIGHT DISCOURAGE EFFORTS OF THE EUROPEAN NATIONS TO GET ON THEIR FEET, CONNALLY SAID IT WOULD LEAD THE EUROPEANS TO BELIEVE THAT THIS COUNTRY WILL INCREASE ITS IMPORTS FROM ABROAD AND DECREASE ITS EXPORTS, THUS FILLING IN THE "DOLLAR GAP" BROUGHT ABOUT BY THEIR EXCESS OF PURCHASES OF U.S. GOODS OVER WHAT THEY SELL AMERICA.

"I'VE HAD THE 'DOLLAR GAP' ALL MY LIFE--IT CAN'T BE FILLED," CONNALLY OBSERVED. "I'M NOT IN FAVOR OF FILLING THE 'DOLLAR GAP' WITH AMERICAN DOLLARS. THAT'S WHAT SOME OF THEM WOULD LIKE TO DO."

CONNALLY SAID PRESIDENT TRUMAN OUGHT TO CONSULT THE REPUBLICANS ON THE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE ABOUT FOREIGN ISSUES. HE SAID THAT INSTEAD, THE PRESIDENT AND ACHESON WERE CALLING IN SENATORS BRIDGES (R-NH) AND WHERRY (R-NEB). BRIDGES HAS VISITED THE WHITE HOUSE BUT WHERRY SAID HE HADN'T BEEN CONSULTED BY THE PRESIDENT OR ACHESON RECENTLY.

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THIRD NIGHT LEAD COMMUNIST COUP

BY ARTHUR BYSTROM

MOSINEE, WIS., MAY 1-(AP)-THE MAYOR OF MOSINEE WAS STRICKEN WITH A SEVERE HEART ATTACK TONIGHT SHORTLY BEFORE HIS VILLAGE WAS FREED OF A MOCK "COMMUNIST INVASION."

RALPH E. KRONENWETTER, 49, BECAME ILL WHILE ENROUTE TO A BONFIRE WHICH DESTROYED ALL TRACES OF THE ONE-DAY COMMUNIST RULE.

A PRIEST ADMINISTERED LAST SACRAMENTS BEFORE KRONENWETTER WAS TO BE TAKEN TO A WAUSAU HOSPITAL. A PHYSICIAN PRONOUNCED HIS CONDITION "VERY GRAVE."

AT 6 A.M. KRONENWETTER WAS HAULED FROM BED BY AN ARMED FORCE OF "RED SOLDIERS" AND "COMPELLED" TO ISSUE A PROCLAMATION THAT MOSINEE WAS UNDER "COMMUNIST DOMINATION."

LATER KRONENWETTER ANNOUNCED HIS CANDIDACY FOR THE DEMOCRATIC CONGRESSIONAL NOMINATION FOR THE SEVENTH DISTRICT.

HE WAS DEFEATED IN THE GENERAL ELECTION TWO YEARS AGO BY REP. MURRAY (R-WIS).

MEANWHILE RESIDENTS, NOT KNOWING OF THE MAYOR'S ILLNESS, GATHERED AT THE BONFIRE.

INTO THE BLAZE WENT SIGNS, PROCLAMATIONS AND RED FLAGS THAT HAD BEEN ALL OVER THIS LITTLE PAPER MILL COMMUNITY OF 2,200 FOR THIS MAY DAY DEMONSTRATION OF WHAT LIFE IS LIKE IN A COMMUNIST CITY.

WITH THE BURNING OF ALL REMNANTS OF THE "INSURRECTION" CAME A WARNING FROM THE STATE COMMANDER OF THE AMERICAN LEGION WHICH HAD STAGED THE "COMMUNIST COUP."

"IT HAS BEEN THE PURPOSE OF THE LEGION TO DEMONSTRATE LIFE UNDER COMMUNISM SO THAT YOU WHO LIVE IN MOSINEE COULD EXPERIENCE THE DIFFERENCES OF LIFE UNDER COMMUNISM AND LIVING IN OUR BELOVED DEMOCRACY," SAID CHARLES LARSON OF PORT WASHINGTON.

"THERE NEVER IN THE HISTORY OF AMERICA HAS BEEN A TIME WHEN A GREATER NEED EXISTED FOR AN EMPHASIS ON DEMOCRACY NOR HAS IT EVER BEEN MORE NECESSARY THAT WE HAVE AN ADEQUATE DEFENSE.

"IT IS MY BELIEF THAT THE BEST WAY TO COUNTERACT COMMUNISM AND TO ADVANCE THE CAUSE OF DEMOCRACY IS THROUGH EDUCATION."

A CROWD ESTIMATED BY POLICE CHIEF HAROLD GUISS AT MORE THAN 2,000 WITNESSED THE CEREMONY THAT ENDED MOSINEE'S MAY DAY.

EARLIER IN THE DAY CHIEF GUISS HAD BEEN A "VICTIM" OF THE PURGE BY "RED FORCES."

JOSEPH E. KORNFEDER, A FORMER COMMUNIST ORGANIZER WHO WAS COMMISSAR OF THE "REVOLUTION," SAID THE MOCK COUP "HAD BEEN IMMENSELY SUCCESSFUL."

"WE BELIEVE THAT PEOPLE NOW KNOW WHAT THEY WOULD HAVE TO PUT UP WITH IF COMMUNISM CAME TO THIS COUNTRY," HE SAID.

"THIS DEMONSTRATION NATURALLY WAS VERY MILD. THERE WOULD HAVE BEEN MASS KILLINGS UNDER A REAL UPRISING."

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KORNFEDER SPOKE WITH AUTHORITY. HE SPENT THREE YEARS IN A SOVIET TRAINING SCHOOL.

AFTER THE BONFIRE WHICH ENDED THE "RED INFILTRATION", THE CROWD SANG THE NATIONAL ANTHEM AND FILED HOMEWARD.

KORNFEDER WAS ASSISTED TODAY BY BENJAMIN GITLOW, FORMER SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN NEW YORK.

THEIR SECURITY POLICE PATROLS, WHICH STARTED THE COUP AT DAWN TODAY BY HUSTLING CITY OFFICIALS FROM THEIR BEDS INTO THE SNOWY STREETS, WERE MADE UP OF 85 (CQ) LEGIONNAIRES--LOCAL MILL HANDS, CLERKS AND BUSINESSMEN.

THIS SEIZURE TECHNIQUE, PATTERENED ON WHAT THE COMMISSARS SAID WAS MOSCOW-TAUGHT METHODS, WAS ROUGH AT TIMES. POLICE CHIEF CARYL GEWISS WAS SUMMARILY "EXECUTED" FOR FAILURE TO COOPERATE. MANY OTHER CIVIC LEADERS WERE HUTLED BEHIND BARBEDWIRE. BUT NO ONE EXPRESSED RESENTMENT. THOSE WHO DIDN'T WANT TO TAKE PART WERE ALLOWED TO GO ABOUT THEIR NORMAL BUSINESS.

BY AFTERNOON, HOWEVER, MOST PEOPLE WERE COOPERATING. THERE WAS SOME EARLY HOREPLAY BY SOME 70 NEWSMEN AND PHOTOGRAPHERS. MAYOR RALPH E. KRONENWETTER HAD TO BE DRAGGED, SHIVERING IN ROBE AND SLIPPERS, INTO THE STREET THREE TIMES, AND CHIEF GEWISS SUFFERED MULTIPLE EXECUTION FOR THE CAMERAS. THEN A MORE SERIOUS ATMOS-PHERE SETTLED.

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BUSINESS PLACES WERE TAKEN OVER AND "NATIONALIZED." PRIVATE PROPERTY WAS SEIZED IN THE NAME OF THE STATE. SCHOOL CHILDREN AND ADULTS--ABOUT 1,000 IN ALL-WERE MARSHALED FOR A SLOGAN-BEARING PARADE AND A MASS MEETING AT WHICH THE MAYOR WAS FORCED TO READ A STATEMENT URGING COOPERATION WITH THE OCCUPATION AUTHORITIES.

ROAD BLOCKS WERE MAINTAINED AND THE SECURITY PATROLS STOPPED PEDESTRIANS REPEATEDLY FOR FORMAL IDENTIFICATION, RATION CARDS AND OTHER TRAPPINGS OF SOVIET BUREAUCRACY. A SOUP KITCHEN ON MAIN STREET OFFERED BORSCHT "FREE"--TO HOLDERS OF RATION COUPONS.

GITLOW, A FOUNDER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN THE UNITED STATES, SPLIT WITH MOSCOW AND LEFT THE PARTY IN 1929. SINCE THEN HE HAS BEEN ACTIVE IN ANTI-COMMUNIST CIRCLES. KORNFEDER, WAS A PARTY [illegible] UNTIL 1934. HE IS AN A
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AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE

WASHINGTON, MAY 1-(AP)-REP. MANSFIELD (D-MONT) WILL REPRESENT THE HOUSE AS AN ADVISOR TO THE U.S. DELEGATION AT A MEETING OF THE UNITED NATIONS EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL DIVISION IN FLORENCE, ITALY, MAY 22 TO JUNE 17.

SENATOR MARGARET CHASE SMITH (R-ME) WILL BE AN ADVISOR FROM THE SENATE.

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WASHINGTON, MAY 1-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY NOMINATED EDWIN F. STANTON, AMBASSADOR TO THAILAND, AS THE U.S. REPRESENTATIVE ON THE UNITED NATIONS ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR ASIA AND THE FAR EAST.

HE ALSO NOMINATED HAROLD W. DODDS, PRESIDENT OF PRINCETON UNIVERSITY, AND EDWIN B. FRED OF WISCONSIN FOR REAPPOINTMENT AS MEMBERS OF THE U.N. ADVISORY COMMISSION ON EDUCATIONAL EXCHANGE.

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AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE

WASHINGTON, MAY 1-(AP)-REP. SANBORN (R-IDAHO) INTRODUCED A BILL TODAY CALLING FOR A SPECIAL CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE TO MAKE A STUDY OF THE UNITED NATIONS.

THE PURPOSE OF THE STUDY WOULD BE TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO EACH MEMBER NATION TO "IMPLEMENT OR REORGANIZE" THE UNITED NATIONS "TO ASSIST IN THE ACHIEVEMENT OF WORLD PEACE AND TO PREVENT AGGRESSION AGAINST ANY NATION BY ANY MEMBER OF THE UNITED NATIONS."

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THE COMMITTEE ALSO WOULD MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO REVISE THE EXISTING CHARTER OF THE UNITED NATIONS TO OPEN MEMBERSHIP TO OTHER NATIONS, PRESENTLY EXCLUDED.

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WASHINGTON,MAY 1-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN GAVE HIS "HEARTIEST APPROVAL" TODAY TO THE "NATIONWIDE CRUSADE FOR FREEDOM" SPONSORED BY THE NATIONAL COMMITTEE FOR A FREE EUROPE.

IN A LETTER TO JOSEPH C.GREW, FORMER AMBASSADOR TO JAPAN AND GENERAL LUCIUS D.CLAY, FORMER U.S. COMMANDER IN BERLIN, THE PRESIDENT SAID:

"I HOPE THAT ALL AMERICANS WILL JOIN WITH YOU IN DEDICATING THEMSELVES TO THIS CRITICAL STRUGGLE FOR MEN'S MINDS."

GREW AND CLAY HAD TELEGRAPHED THE PRESIDENT THAT THE AIM OF THE NEW COMMITTEE IS TO "SUPPORT THE VOICES OF THOSE FROM BEHIND THE IRON CURTAIN," WHO STILL FIGHT FOR FREEDOM AND SPREAD THROUGH THE WORLD AN EXPRESSION OF FAITH FROM PEOPLES HERE AND ELSEWHERE "THAT THERE WILL YET BE A FREE WORLD."

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THE TELEGRAM REFERRED TO MR.TRUMAN'S SPEECH APRIL 20 URGING PRIVATE INITIATIVE IN STRENGTHENING THE VOICE OF FREEDOM.

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WASHINGTON, MAY 1-(AP)-THE SUPREME COURT TODAY REFUSED TO RECONSIDER ITS DECISION UPHOLDING EUGENE DENNIS' CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS CONVICTION.

DENNIS, GENERAL SECRETARY OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF THE UNITED STATES, WAS CONVICTED FOR REFUSING TO APPEAR BEFORE THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE. HE WAS SENTENCED TO ONE YEAR IN PRISON AND FINED $1,000.

THE SUPREME COURT BY A 5-2 VOTE ON MARCH 27 REJECTED A CONTENTION BY DENNIS THAT HE DID NOT HAVE A FAIR TRIAL BECAUSE GOVERNMENT EMPLOYES WERE ON THE TRIAL JURY. IN ASKING RECONSIDERATION, ATTORNEYS FOR DENNIS ASSERTED:

"THE COURT'S OPINION PRESSES FURTHER THE NOTICEABLE GRADUAL RELEGATION OF JURIES TO A POSITION AS AN ARM OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE BUREAUCRACY RATHER THAN AS A BARRIER AGAINST INJUSTICES ATTEMPTED BY THAT BUREAUCRACY."

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MIAMI,FLA.,MAY 1-(AP)-REPORTS THAT AN UNIDENTIFIED SUBMARINEHAD BEEN SIGHTED NOT FAR OFF THE FLORIDA COAST TODAY SENT ARMED NAVY PATROL BOMBERS ON A FOUR-HOUR SWEEP OF THE AREA THAT TURNED UP NOTHING.

THE "HURRICANE HUNTING" PRIVATEERS RETURNED TO BASE AT MIAMI NAVAL AIR STATION AT DUSK AND OFFICERS CONCLUDED THE REPORTED SUB CONTACT WAS "SPURIOUS."

"IT IS DOUBTFUL THAT THERE WAS A SUB OUT THERE," SAID COMDR.LEWIS D. TAMNY, COMMANDING OFFICER OF PATROL SQUADRON 23.

THE PRIVATEERS COVERED THE AREA TO THE SOUTHEAST OF MIAMI "QUITE THOROUGHLY," TAMNY SAID, AFTER A NAVY PLANE FLYING FROM GUANTANAMO BAY, CUBA, TO MIAMI RADIOED IT HAD SIGHTED A SUBMARINE WHICH APPEARED TO CRASH DIVE AS THE PLANE APPROACHED.

TAMNY SAID THE SUB REPORT MAY HAVE BEEN A CASE OF "MISTAKEN IDENTITY." THERE IS AN OLD WRECKED SHIP IN THE AREA, HE ADDED, AND THE PILOT OF THE REPORTING PLANE MAY HAVE MISTAKEN IT FOR A SUB.

THE PRIVATEERS, OF THE TYPE WHICH RECENTLY DISAPPEARED OVER THE BALTIC SEA, WILL NOT RESUME THE SEARCH TOMORROW "UNLESS DIRECTED," TAMNY SAID.

THEY WERE "NOT OFFENSIVELY" ARMED, HE ADDED, BUT WERE READY FOR "ACTIVE DEFENSE."

IF THERE WAS A SUBMARINE IN THE AREA, SOME NAVY OFFICERS EXPLAINED, IT COULD HAVE BEEN AMERICAN, SINCE THE NAVY CARRIES ON EXTENSIVE UNDERWATER TRAINING OPERATIONS FROM ITS BIG SUBMARINE BASE AT KEY WEST.

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PHILADELPHIA, MAY 1-(AP)-RUSSIA HAS BUILT POWERFUL ROCKET INSTALLATIONS IN THE ARCTIC AND BALTIC AREAS AIMED AT ALASKA, NORWAY AND SWEDEN, A 33-YEAR-OLD ESCAPEE FROM A SOVIET CONCENTRATION CAMP SAID TODAY THROUGH HIS LAWYER.

THE STATEMENT OF SECRET OPERATIONS AT SVIRLAG, NORTH OF LENINGRAD, WAS MADE BY VICTOR MARTUNUK, A RUSSIAN NAVAL ENGINEER, THROUGH ATTORNEY IVAN M.CZAP.

MARTUNUK NOW IS IN MONTGOMERY COUNTY JAIL, NORRISTOWN,PA., AFTER FLEEING 12,000 MILES TO BRING VITAL RUSSIAN ROCKET SECRETS TO AMERICA, THE LAWYER SAID.

SENATOR EDWARD MARTIN (R-PA) INTRODUCED A BILL WHICH HAS PASSED THE SENATE GRANTING MARTUNUK "LAWFUL RESIDENCE" IN THIS COUNTRY. THE ESCAPEE IS IN JAIL AWAITING HOUSE ACTION ON THE BILL, HIS ATTORNEY EXPLAINED.

MARTUNUK WAS AN INMATE OF A SOVIET PRISON CAMP AT SVIRLAG AND, WHILE THERE, HE SAID HE CAME IN CONTACT WITH INFORMATION ABOUT ROCKET INSTALLATIONS POINTED AT ALASKA FROM THE ARCTIC OCEAN ISLAND OF NOVAYA ZEMLYA.

MARTUNUK SAID HE WAS SENTENCED TO A 25-YEAR TERM BECAUSE HE SERVED AS A VOLUNTEER WITH A GERMAN ANTI-COMMUNIST ARMY OF RUSSIAN PRISONERS.

CZAP SAID MARTUNUK WAS ARRESTED AS A STOWAWAY ABOARD THE S.S. MONITOR WHEN IT DOCKED IN PHILADELPHIA IN APRIL, 1949.

"I WAS DETERMINED TO GIVE THE UNITED STATES INFORMATION ON THE OPERATION OF ROCKETS AND THE WORKINGS OF COMMUNISM," CZAP QUOTED MARTUNUK AS SAYING.

CZAP SAID HE DID NOT KNOW THE EXTENT OF MARTUNUK'S REVELATIONS TO U.S.AUTHORITIES, BUT "WE CAN ASSUME, SINCE MARTUNUK IS AN ENGINEER, THAT HIS OBSERVATIONS WERE THOROUGH."

CZAP SAID HE WAS ASSIGNED TO THE CASE THE DAY MARTUNUK WAS ARRESTED IN PHILADELPHIA ON INSTRUCTIONS FROM COUNTESS ALEXANDRA TOLSTOY, CHAIRMAN OF THE TOLSTOY FOUNDATION,INC., NEW YORK.

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B116KX (CHINESE & CONVICT) (Q)

MAY 1 1950

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SAN FRANCISCO,MAY 1 (AP)-RED CHINA TODAY STAGED IN PEIPING "THE GREATEST MAY DAY PARADE CHINA HAS EVER SEEN," A COMMUNIST BROADCAST SAID.

A BROADCAST HEARD BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS HERE SAID COMMUNIST LEADER MAO TZE-TUNG STOOD ON THE HIGH RED GATEWAY OF THE CAPITAL AND RECEIVED THE SALUTE OF 200,000 MARCHERS.

MAO GREETED THE MARCHERS WITH "LONG LIVE THE WORKERS OF PEIPING." THE MARCHERS REPLIED WITH "LONG LIVE CHAIRMAN MAO! LONG LIVE STALIN!"

ARTILLERY SALUTES SHOOK THE CITY. PLANES ROARED OVERHEAD SCATTERING LEAFLETS ON THE MARCHERS.

THE MARCHERS CARRIED FIVE HUGE PICTURES OF MAO, STALIN, LENIN, MARX AND ENGELS.

AT THE HEAD OF THE PARADE WERE UNITS OF THE CHINESE COMMUNIST ARMY, NAVY AND AIR FORCE.

BEHIND THEM MARCHED WORKERS, PEASANTS, GOVERNMENT EMPLOYES, STUDENTS AND CITIZENS.

AMONG THE SHOUTED SLOGANS WAS "LONG LIVE THE SINO-SOVIET FRIENDSHIP, ALLIANCE AND MUTUAL ASSISTANCE."

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B83PX (NEWZEALAND) (Q)

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PHILADELPHIA, MAY 1-(AP)-THE WORLD NEEDS A SYSTEM OF LAW AND ORDER THAT WILL MEET LAWLESSNESS WITH FORCE, NEW ZEALAND'S AMBASSADOR TO THE UNITED STATES SAID TODAY.

SIR CARL BERENDSEN, WHO ALSO IS HIS COUNTRY'S PERMANENT DELEGATE TO THE UNITED NATIONS, SAID THE WORLD BODY CANNOT KEEP THE PEACE BECAUSE ITS HANDS ARE TIED BY THE VETO POWER.

"WHAT WE NEED IS A SYSTEM OF LAW AND ORDER WHERE LAWLESSNESS ALL OVER THE WORLD IS MET BY FORCES OF LAW AND ORDER," THE AMBASSADOR TOLD 2,000 DELEGATES ATTENDING A CONFERENCE OF THE 265TH DISTRICT OF ROTARY INTERNATIONAL. THE DISTRICT COMPRISES EASTERN PENNSYLVANIA.

"WE ARE AT THE CROSSROADS OF HISTORY, FACING A CRISIS WHICH IS A BITTER CONFLICT BETWEEN TWO IRRECONCILABLE THEORIES, THE SUPREMACY OF THE STATE OR THE INDIVIDUAL, DEMOCRACY OR DICTATORSHIP.

"IT IS NOT A DISPUTE BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND THE USSR, NOR A DISPUTE BETWEEN THE ATLANTIC POWERS AND THE SOVIET. IT IS NOT A DIFFERENCE OF OPINION THAT CAN BE SOLVED BY DISUSSION OR RECONCILIATION," SIR CARL SAID.

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"MANY MILLIONS HOLD THE VIEW THAT WE CAN KEEP THE PEACE OF THE WORLD BY WORDS ALONE. THIS IS CHILDISH NONSENSE," HE SAID.

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BOISE, IDAHO, MAY 1-(AP)-BRITAIN'S AMBASSADOR TO THE UNITED STATES, SIR OLIVER FRANKS, WILL MAKE HIS FIRST GOODWILL VISIT TO IDAHO TOMORROW.

HE WILL BE ACCOMPANIED BY HIS WIFE. THEY ARE SCHEDULED TO ARRIVE HERE TOMORROW NIGHT.

THE BRITISH AMBASSADOR WILL SPEAK TO A GENERAL MEETING OF THE BOISE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE WEDNESDAY NOON AND ALSO TO THE BOISE COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

HE WILL ALSO CALL ON MAYOR POTTER P. HOWARD AND GOV. C. A. ROBINS.

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WICHITA, KAS., MAY 1-(AP)-FOUR-STAR AIR FORCE GENERAL GEORGE C. KENNEY SAID TODAY HE BELIEVES WAR WITH RUSSIA COMING, WITH RUSSIA AS THE ATTACKER.

KENNEY, WARTIME HEAD OF ALLIED AIR FORCES IN THE PACIFIC, DECLARED RUSSIAN LEADERS "PROBABLY" HAVE GONE SO FAR AS TO SET A YEAR FOR THE ATTACK.

KENNEY TOLD THE WICHITA ROTARY CLUB THAT THE INTERNATIONAL SITUATION NOW IS SO "EXPLOSIVE" THAT WAR COULD BE TOUCHED OFF "AT ANY MOMENT" BY A DIPLOMATIC BLUNDER.

SOVIET DOCTRINE, HE SAID, IS ONE OF "INEVITABLE" CONFLICT WITH THE NON-COMMUNIST COUNTRIES.

AGGRESSIVE NATIONS "USUALLY" GO TO WAR WHEN THEY HAVE WAR POWER SUFFICIENT THAT THEY'RE PRETTY SURE THEY CAN WIN," HE TOLD NEWSMEN EARLIER.

"I DON'T THINK THEY (THE SOVIET) ARE IN THAT POSITION NOW. I THINK THAT THEY'RE TRYING TO REACH THAT POINT AS FAST AS THEY CAN."

THE UNITED STATES, AS "THE MAIN HOPE OF THE FREEDOM-LOVING PEOPLES OF THE WORLD," ALSO IS "THE PRIMARY TARGET OF ATTACK BY ANY AGGRESSOR SEEKING WORLD DOMINATION," KENNEY SAID.

SUCH AN ATTACK, HE ADDED, WOULD BE CARRIED OUT BY ATOM BOMB, HYDROGEN BOMB, "OR ANY OTHER DIABOLICAL WEAPON" THE AGGRESSOR HAS.

KENNEY SAID THE UNITED STATES IS OUTNUMBERED BY RUSSIA IN THE AIR TODAY, BUT HE ADDED:

"IN THE TECHNICAL ASPECT OF THE THING, I THINK WE'RE AHEAD. HOW LONG WE CAN MAINTAIN SUCH TECHNICAL LEADERSHIP, I DON'T KNOW. X X X

RUSSIA NOW HAS "THE WORLD'S LARGEST LAND ARMY, THE LARGEST SUBMARINE FLEET AND MORE AIRCRAFT THAN WE HAVE. THEIR AIR FORCE INCLUDES SEVERAL HUNDRED COPIES OF OUR B-29 AND THEY ARE IN MASS PRODUCTION OF THIS BOMBER.

"AS SOON AS THEY GET ENOUGH MODERN BOMBS AND BOMB CARRIERS TO TEMPT THEM TO ATTACK, THEY WILL HAVE THE CAPABILITY--OPERATING FROM BASES ALREADY IN THEIR POSSESSION--OF HITTING ANY POINT IN THE UNITED STATES.

"SOME DAY IN THE NOT FAR DISTANT FUTURE, WITH THE DEVELOPMENT OF IMPROVED FIGHTER DEFENSE, THOSE B-29S WILL BE OBSOLETE.

"I DON'T KNOW THE ANSWER, BUT I WONDER IF THEY INTEND TO LET THEIR LONG-RANGE STRIKING FORCE BECOME OBSOLETE WITHOUT USING IT. X X X EVIDENTLY THE RUSSIANS HAVE NO SUCCESSOR IN MIND OR THEY WOULD NOT BE CONCENTRATING ON THIS TYPE."

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SAN FRANCISCO, MAY 1-(AP)-A FEDERAL COURTROOM WAS THROWN INTO AN UPROAR TODAY BY A 33-YEAR OLD WOMAN SHOUTING FOR WORKERS TO PREPARE THEMSELVES FOR "THE REVOLUTION."

THE CENTER OF THE STORMY SCENE WAS MRS. JEAN MURRAY, CHARGED WITH TAMPERING WITH A GOVERNMENT WITNESS IN THE PERJURY-CONSPIRACY TRIAL OF CIO LONGSHORE LEADER HARRY BRIDGES.

MRS. MURRAY AND HER CO-DEFENDANT, MRS. BETTY TEIXEIRA, 33, OF MOUNTAIN VIEW, WERE BROUGHT BEFORE FEDERAL JUDGE LOUIS E. GOODMAN FOR RESETTING OF THEIR TRIAL.

MRS. MURRAY SUDDENLY DECLARED, "I BELIEVE THE WORKING CLASS IS GOING TO HAVE TO DEFEND ITSELF."

JUDGE GOODMAN ASKED HER NOT TO MAKE A SPEECH BUT SHE RETORTED:

"YOU NEED A SPEECH, JUDGE GOODMAN."

THE JUDGE ORDERED HER COMMITTED TO THE CUSTODY UNTIL SHE COULD COOL OFF. DEPUTY U.S. MARSHALL WILLIAM HANNAN STARTED TO LEAD HER FROM THE COURTROOM, SHE KICKED AND PUMMELED HIM. SHE TURNED TO STARTLED SPECTATORS AND LOUDLY DECLARED:

"WORKERS, PREPARE YOURSELVES FOR THE REVOLUTION."

JUDGE GOODMAN SAID THE TRIAL WOULD BE RESET IN TWO WEEKS AND MRS. MURRAY WOULD BE RELEASED AS SOON AS SHE COOLED OFF.

MRS.TEIXEIRA WAS QUIET AND CALM THROUGHOUT THE SCENE AND SAID NOTHING.

MERVYN RATHBORNE, A GOVERNMENT WITNESS AGAINST BRIDGES, TESTIFIED THE TWO WOMEN TRIED TO INDUCE HIM TO CHANGE HIS TESTIMONY. HE SAID THEY THREATENED TO TELL HIS WIFE A STORY THAT HE HAD BEEN INTIMATE WITH BOTH OF THEM SHOULD HE REFUSE. BOTH WOMEN DENIED THE CHARGE.

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SAN FRANCISCO,MAY 1-(AP)-THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS TODAY ADMITTED THEY WERE HAVING GUERRILLA TROUBLE IN FAR-OFF SINKIANG PROVINCE AND AGAIN BLAMED IT ON "AMERICAN IMPERIALIST AGENT" DOUGLAS MACKIERNAN (SMALL K).

A BROADCAST FROM PEIPING HEARD HERE BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS SAID MORE THAN 5,000 "BANDITS WERE KILLED, WOUNDED OR CAPTURED" BY THE RED ARMY AND THEIR HIDEOUT IN NORTH SINKIANG WAS SMASHED.

MACKIERNAN WAS VICE-CONSUL IN SINKIANG, THE NORTHWEST CHINESE PROVINCE WHERE RUSSIA RECENTLY ACQUIRED A HALF INTEREST IN OIL AND MINERAL RIGHTS.

MACKIERNAN, FORMERLY OF STOUGHTON, MASS., WAS LEFT IN CHARGE OF THE CONSULATE WHEN THE REMAINDER OF THE STAFF LEFT SINKIANG BY WAY OF INDIA LAST AUGUST AHEAD OF THE ONCOMING CHINESE COMMUNISTS.

LATER MACKIERNAN ALSO STARTED OUT OF SINKIANG BY WAY OF INDIA. THE STATE DEPARTMENT INFORMED HIS WIFE JAN. 31 IT HAD HEARD A FAINT RADIO MESSAGE FROM HIM SAYING HE WAS SAFE AND EXPECTED TO RETURN TO THE UNITED STATES THIS SPRING.

MRS.MACKIERNAN, WHO NOW LIVES AT SAN RAFAEL, CALIF., SAID TODAY SHE HAD HEARD NOTHING MORE CONCERNING HER HUSBAND SINCE THEN.

THE PEIPING BROADCAST SAID THE "BANDITS" WERE UNDER "BANDIT CHIEFS WUSMAN AND YAOLOBOU," WHO IN TURN WERE "UNDER THE DIRECTION OF AMERICAN IMPERIALIST AGENT DOUGLAS S.MACKIERNAN."

IT DID NOT CLAIM THAT EITHER WUSMAN OR YAOLOBOU HAD BEEN TAKEN. PEIPING ASSERTED THEY HAD UNDER THEM MORE THAN 7,000 MEN, INCLUDING SOME FORMER NATIONALIST SOLDIERS STATIONED IN SINKIANG.

THE CHARGE AGAINST MACKIERNAN WAS SIMILAR TO ONE MADE BY PEIPING JAN. 29 WHICH THE STATE DEPARTMENT LABELED "THE USUAL TRIPE."

AT THAT TIME, THE COMMUNISTS ASSERTED MACKIERNAN "HAS BEEN EXPOSED AS AN ESPIONAGE AGENT" BY THREE WHITE RUSSIAN CONFEDERATES WHO HAD SURRENDERED.

PEIPING SAID THEN THAT MACKIERNAN HAD REACHED INDIA. IN FACT, MACKIERNAN MAY BE SOMEWHERE IN THE MOUNTAINOUS FRONTIER COUNTRY OF INDIA, WHERE ROADS ARE ONLY MOUNTAIN TRAILS AND COMMUNICATIONS ARE ALMOST NON-EXISTENT.

PEIPING ASSERTED MACKIERNAN HAD GIVEN WUSMAN ABOUT $1,000 WORTH OF GOLD, INSTRUCTED HIS MEN IN RESISTANCE MEASURES, AND IN TURN WAS GIVEN 14 HORSES FOR HIS JOURNEY OUT THROUGH INDIA.

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GLEN COVE, N.Y., MAY 1-(AP)-THE MAYOR OF GLEN COVE ASKED THE STATE DEPARTMENT TODAY WHY A SOVIET OFFICIAL, MOVING INTO A FORMER J.P.MORGAN MANSION, MOVED IN 71 FOLDING BEDS.

MAYOR LUKE MERCADANTE ACTUALLY WAS ASKING THE STATE DEPARTMENT WHAT HE COULD DO ABOUT IT.

HE'S PRETTY SURE WHY THE BEDS WERE MOVED IN.

"IT HAS ALL THE EARMARKS OF A SUMMER RESORT," HE SAID.

A SUMMER RESORT IS AGAINST THE ZONING LAWS ON NEARBY EAST ISLAND, SITE OF THE 47-ROOM HOUSE. IT WAS RENTED BY LEONID A.MOROZOV, FIRST SECRETARY TO THE SOVIET UNITED NATIONS DELEGATION, AS A SUMMER HOME FOR HIS FAMILY.

THE ZONING LAWS HERE REQUIRE THAT EACH HOME MUST HOUSE A SINGLE FAMILY.

LAWYER JOHN FINN, JR., PRESIDENT OF THE EAST ISLAND ASSOCIATION, AN ORGANIZATION OF RESIDENTS, WENT THROUGH THE HUGE HOUSE, MINGLING WITH MOVING MEN, PLUMBERS AND CARPENTERS.

MERCADANTE SAID FINN FOUND IN THE HOUSE:

SIXTY-SEVEN FOLDING CANVAS CHAIRS IN THE LIVING ROOM, EIGHT BIG TABLES IN THE DINING ROOM, OF THE TYPE USED FOR CAFETERIA-STYLE MEALS; AND 71 FOLDING BEDS.

THE MAYOR, SPURRED BY FINN, CALLED SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON'S OFFICE TO ASK WHETHER THE RUSSIANS HAD DIPLOMATIC RIGHTS TO BREAK ZONING LAWS.

ALBERT F.BENDER, A MEMBER OF THE UNITED STATES U.N. MISSION, SAID THE RUSSIANS WOULD HAVE TO ADHERE TO HEALTH AND SAFETY STANDARDS, BUT BEYOND THAT IT WAS NOT CLEAR.

IT SHOULD ALL BE HANDLED THROUGH DIPLOMATIC CHANNELS, HE SAID.

TONIGHT FINN WAS STUDYING THE LEGAL ANGLES.

"IF WE FIND WE CAN PROCEED AGAINST THEM," SAID THE MAYOR, "WE WILL GO RIGHT THROUGH WITH IT."

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NEW YORK,MAY 1-(AP)-NEW YORK'S ANNUAL MAY DAY PARADE WAS HELD TODAY TO THE ACCOMPANIMENT OF SCATTERED JEERS FROM SPECTATORS AND A FEW OUTBREAKS OF FIGHTING.

POLICE ESTIMATED 13,000 PERSONS TOOK PART IN THE CHANTING PROCESSION DOWN EIGHTH AVENUE TO A SPARSELY ATTENDED RALLY IN UNION SQUARE. FIVE PERSONS WERE ARRESTED ON DISORDERLY CONDUCT CHARGES.

IT WAS ONE OF THE SMALLEST MAY DAY PARADES IN YEARS.

EUGENE DENNIS, SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY, AND OTHER COMMUNIST OFFICIALS UNDER SENTENCE FOR CRIMINAL CONSPIRACY ADDRESSED A CROWD OF ABOUT 3,000 AT THE REVIEWING STAND.

DENNIS DECLARED THAT HIS CONVICTION AND SENTENCING IS PROOF THAT THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION AND ITS SUPPORTERS "ARE PREPARING FOR WAR."

THREE MEN CARRYING AMERICAN FLAGS LED THE PARADE. MARCHERS INTERMITTENTLY SHOUTED "ONE, TWO, THREE, FOUR--WE DON'T WANT ANOTHER WAR." VARIOUS SIGNS AND PLACARDS DENOUNCED THE MANUFACTURE OF ATOM BOMBS AND OPPOSED ANY "DEAL" WITH FRANCO SPAIN.

THE PARADE WAS SPONSORED BY THE UNITED LABOR AND PEOPLE'S COMMITTEE FOR MAY DAY.

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BY MAX HARRELSON

LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 1-(AP)-A HIGH UNITED NATIONS OFFICIAL SAID TODAY THE U.N. MAY HAVE TO POSTPONE THE WORLD CONFERENCE ON TECHNICAL AID TO BACKWARD AREAS UNLESS CONGRESS ACTS QUICKLY ON PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S POINT FOUR PROGRAM.

THE CONFERENCE ORIGINALLY WAS PLANNED FOR APRIL, BUT WAS SET FOR MAY 16 AFTER STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS ASSURED U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE THAT CONGRESSIONAL ACTION WOULD BE COMPLETED BY THAT TIME.

ONE OF THE MAIN OBJECTS IS TO FIND OUT HOW MUCH MONEY THE PARTICIPATING GOVERNMENTS ARE WILLING TO CONTRIBUTE TO THE TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM. THE OTHER AIM IS TO APPORTION AVAILABLE FUNDS AMONG THE PARTICIPATING ORGANIZATIONS.

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SINCE THE UNITED STATES HAS BEEN COUNTED ON FROM THE BEGINNING AS THE PRIMARY SOURCE OF TECHNICAL AID FUNDS, U.N. OFFICIALS ACKNOWLEDGE FRANKLY THAT IT WOULD BE USELESS TO GO AHEAD WITH THE CONFERENCE BEFORE CONGRESS ACTS.

SEVENTY-FOUR NATIONS ALREADY HAVE BEEN INVITED FOR MAY 16, HOWEVER, AND MANY OF THE DELEGATES WILL HAVE TO COME FROM REMOTE PARTS OF THE WORLD. U.N. OFFICIALS SAID THEY MUST ACT WITHIN THE NEXT THREE OR FOUR DAYS IF THEY ARE TO ANNOUNCE A POSTPONEMENT. OTHERWISE, SOME OF THE DELEGATES WILL BE ON THEIR WAY BEFORE THEY GET THE NOTICES.

U.N. OFFICIALS STILL HOPE THAT CONGRESS WILL ACT IN TIME. THE SITUATION NOW IS THIS:

PRESIDENT TRUMAN ASKED FOR A $45,000,000 APPROPRIATION FOR TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE, THE HOUSE CUT THIS TO $25,000,000 AND THE SENATE IS STILL DEBATING THE BILL. ADMINISTRATION LEADERS ARE TRYING TO RESTORE THE BILL TO THE ORIGINAL $45,000,000.

WARREN R.AUSTIN, CHIEF U.S. DELEGATION, FIRST HINTED AS THE POSSIBILITY OF A POSTPONEMENT OF THE U.N. CONFERENCE YESTERDAY DURING A VISIT OF A LARGE CONGRESSIONAL GROUP TO NEW YORK. AUSTIN APPEALED FOR QUICK ACTION ON THE POINT FOUR BILL IN ITS ORIGINAL FORM.

HE SAID THE U.N. CONFERENCE WOULD BE "MEANINGLESS" IF IT IS HELD BEFORE CONGRESS ACTS. HE ADDED THAT "THE FUTURE OF THE POINT FOUR PROGRAM HANGS IN THE BALANCE."

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MAY DAY

LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 1-(AP)-MEMBERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS SOCIAL COMMISSION TODAY PAID A ONE-MINUTE SILENT TRIBUTE TO THE WORLD'S WORKING MEN AND WOMEN.

THE TRIBUTE WAS SUGGESTED BY THE COMMISSION CHAIRMAN, JOSE A. CORREA OF ECUADOR, WHO REMINDED THE DELEGATES THIS WAS MAY 1. HE SAID THE SOCIAL COMMISSION WAS DIRECTLY CONCERNED WITH THE WELFARE OF THE WORKERS.

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LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 1-(AP)-THE RUSSIANS HAVE INDICATED TO UNITED NATIONS OFFICIALS THAT THEY WILL BOYCOTT THE FORTHCOMING SESSION OF THE COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN INSTEAD OF STAGING THE USUAL WALKOUT.

NORMALLY THE SOVIET MEMBER OF THE COMMISSION, ELIZIEVETA POPOVA, IS SENT FROM MOSCOW FOR THE MEETINGS, BUT THE RUSSIANS NOTIFIED THE U.N. THAT NO SOVIET REPRESENTATIVE WOULD BE AVAILABLE FOR THE SESSION OPENING NEXT MONDAY. THIS WAS TAKEN TO MEAN THAT RUSSIA DOES NOT FEEL IT WORTHWHILE TO SEND A DELEGATE ALL THE WAY FROM MOSCOW MERELY TO WALK OUT.

THE RUSSIANS ALREADY ARE BOYCOTTING 21 U.N. ORGANS IN PROTEST OF THE CONTINUED PRESENCE OF CHINESE NATIONALISTS REPRESENTATIVES HERE.

RUSSIA ALSO HAS NOTIFIED THE U.N. THAT THE REGULAR SOVIET MEMBER OF THE SUB-COMMISSION ON FREEDOM OF INFORMATION WILL NOT ATTEND THE INFORMATION CONFERENCE WHICH OPENS IN MONTEVIDEO, URUGUAY, MAY 15. RUSSIA WILL BE REPRESENTED AT THE OPENING MEETING BY A MEMBER OF THE SOVIET EMBASSY IN MONTEVIDEO. IT IS ASSUMED HE WILL FOLLOW THE REGULAR PATTERN AND WITHDRAW AFTER TRYING UNSUCCESSFULLY TO OUST THE CHINESE NATIONALIST REPRESENTATIVE.

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CHINESE

LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 1-(AP)-COMMUNIST CHINA HAS ASKED THE UNITED NATIONS TO HELP GET A COMMUNIST DELEGATE INTO THAILAND (SIAM) FOR A MEETING OF THE ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR ASIA AND THE FAR EAST (ECAFE) STARTING MAY 16 IN BANGKOK.

A MESSAGE FROM THE PEIPING REGIME OF MAO TZE-TUNG TODAY SAID CHI CHAO TING, AMERICAN-EDUCATED ECONOMIC EXPERT AND FORMER NATIONALIST CHINA BANK OFFICIAL, HAS BEEN NAMED TO ATTEND THE ECAFE SESSION. IT ASKED THE U.N. TO HELP HIM GET A THAI VISA.

THIS IS THE FIRST TIME RED CHINA HAS ASKED FOR A VISA TO ATTEND A U.N. MEETING. THEY PREVIOUSLY HAD NAMED CHI AS THEIR REPRESENTATIVE ON THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL AND HAD DESIGNATED CHANG WEN-TIEN AS SECURITY COUNCIL DELEGATE, BUT HAD MADE NO ATTEMPT TO GET THEM INTO THE UNITED STATES.

THE LATEST PEIPING MESSAGE WAS RELAYED BY U.N. OFFICIALS TO THE THAI GOVERNMENT WITHOUT COMMENT.

BOTH THE SECURITY COUNCIL AND THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL HAVE REFUSED TO UNSEAT THE CHINESE NATIONALIST DELEGATES, BUT SOME U.N. OFFICIALS FEEL THE PEIPING REGIME MAY HAVE A BETTER CHANCE OF GAINING REPRESENTATION ON ECAFE.

SIX OF THE COMMISSION'S 13 MEMBERS ALREADY HAVE GRANTED DIPLOMATIC RECOGNITION TO THE PEIPING GOVERNMENT AND, IF THERE ARE A FEW ABSTENTIONS, THE COMMUNIST REGIME MIGHT WIN ITS FIRST SEAT IN THE U.N. COMMISSION NATIONS THAT HAVE RECOGNIZED THE MAO GOVERNMENT ARE BURMA, INDIA, PAKISTAN, BRITAIN, NETHERLANDS AND RUSSIA. THE OTHER MEMBERS ARE THE UNITED STATES, FRANCE, AUSTRALIA, NEW ZEALAND, THAILAND, THE PHILIPPINES AND NATIONALIST CHINA.

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NIGHT LEAD UNDATED MAY DAY (880)

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

THE EAST-WEST CROSSROADS OF BERLIN WAS THE FOCAL POINT YESTERDAY (MON.) OF WORLD-WIDE MAY DAY DEMONSTRATIONS AS COMMUNISTS AND ANTI-COMMUNISTS VIED TO PROMOTE THEIR POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC IDEAS.

AN ESTIMATED MILLION BERLINERS, HOLDING RIVAL RALLIES ON BOTH SIDES OF THE BORDER, STAGED THE BIGGEST MAY DAY SHOW IN THE CITY'S HISTORY. STONES FLEW BUT VIOLENCE WAS KEPT TO A MINIMUM BY ALERT GERMAN POLICE ACTION.

BLOODY RIOTING BROKE OUT IN THE NATIVE AREAS IN AND NEAR JOHANNESBURG, SOUTH AFRICA, HOWEVER.

THIRTEEN NATIVES WERE KILLED IN CLASHES WITH POLICE.

POLICE HAD BEEN ON THE ALERT TO PROTECT AFRICAN WORKERS WHO SOUGHT TO REACH THEIR JOBS IN DEFIANCE OF COMMUNIST EFFORTS TO DECLARE A MAY DAY STRIKE.

THOUGH MAY DAY WAS DESIGNATED AS INTERNATIONAL LABOR DAY BY THE FIRST CONGRESS OF THE SECOND SOCIALIST INTERNATIONAL AT PARIS IN 1889, IT HAS BECOME THE GREATEST STAGE AND FORUM FOR WORLD COMMUNISM.

IN BERLIN WESTERN DEMONSTRATORS STARTED HURLING ROCKS AT SOVIET POLICE WHO BARRED THEIR WAY TO THE RUSSIAN SECTOR. WEST GERMAN POLICE HURRIEDLY CALLED ON RESERVES, THE DEMONSTRATORS WERE DRIVEN BACK BEYOND HURLING DISTANCE AND THE BUDDING RIOT WAS QUELLED.

THERE WERE MINOR BRAWLS ELSEWHERE BUT NO BLOODSHED.

ON THE SOVIET SIDE OF THE BRANDENBURG GATE AN ECHO OF HITLER'S LEGIONS WAS HEARD AS THE COMMUNIST-TRAINED SOVIET ZONE POLICE ARMY MARCHED ALONG THE UNTER DEN LINDEN. SOME OBSERVERS SAW IT AS A REHEARSAL OF THE PROJECTED WHITSUNTIDE DEMONSTRATION LATE THIS MONTH.

ON THE WEST SIDE OF THE GATE BERLIN'S ANTI-COMMUNIST MAYOR, ERNST REUTER, ESTIMATED THE CROWD AT 750,000. SPEAKERS BLASTED RUSSIA AND THE EAST GERMAN COMMUNISTS. POLICE WERE BACKED UP BY THOUSANDS OF ALLIED OCCUPATION TROOPS, GUIDED BY HELICOPTERS.

IN MOSCOW PREMIER STALIN AND MORE THAN 1,000,000 OTHER SPECTATORS WATCHED A PARADE OF SOVIET ARMED MIGHT. STALIN'S SON, LIEUT. GEN. VASSILY STALIN, LED AN AIR ARMADA WHICH ROARED OVERHEAD AS SOLDIERS, SAILORS, PARATROOPERS, MARINES AND STUDENTS FROM MILITARY ACADEMIES MARCHED BY.

AT ONE END OF PARIS, NEAR THE BASTILLE, THOUSANDS OF COMMUNISTS MARCHED IN A PARADE ORGANIZED BY THE GENERAL LABOR CONFEDERATION (CGT). THEY APPLAUDED AS COMMUNIST SPEAKERS HARANGUED THE CROWDS.

IN THE BOIS DE BOLOGNE SECTION OTHER THOUSANDS CHEERED A SPEECH BY CHARLES DE GAULLE, LEADER OF THE RABIDLY ANTI-COMMUNIST FRENCH PEOPLE'S RALLY (RPF), AND GAILY DANCED AT A CARNIVAL AND SIDE SHOWS ORGANIZED BY THE RPF.

A COMMUNIST-LED MAY DAY RALLY IN ROME'S PIAZZA DEL POPOLO DREW AN ESTIMATED 100,000 DEMONSTRATORS. THE CROWD HEARD GIUSEPPE DI VITTORIO, LEADER OF THE ITALIAN GENERAL LABOR CONFEDERATION, DEMAND THAT "THE FIRST NATION TO USE THE ATOM BOMB BE BRANDED A WAR CRIMINAL." DEMONSTRATORS CARRIED PLACARDS DEMANDING "BREAD AND PEACE."

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YUGOSLAVIA STRESSED MILITARY PREPAREDNESS, ITS ECONOMIC PROGRESS AND ITS RESENTMENT AGAINST THE RUSSIAN-LED COMINFORM IN A PARADE OF MORE THAN 200,000 THAT PASSED BEFORE PREMIER MARSHAL TITO AND MEMBERS OF HIS POLITBURO.

HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF OTHERS LINED BELGRADE STREETS TO CHEER TITO'S TROOPS -- INFANTRY, ARTILLERY, PARATROOPERS, AIRMEN, SAILORS AND MARINES. THE ARMED FORCES SHARED APPLAUSE WITH INDUSTRIAL FLOATS AND BANNERS PROCLAIMING BITTERNESS AGAINST THE COMINFORM'S CAMPAIGN OF "SLANDERS AND LIES." NO HOMAGE WAS PAID TO MOSCOW, ASIDE FROM PICTURES CARRIED OF MARX, LENIN AND ENGELS AS THE APOSTLES OF COMMUNISM. PICTURES OF PREMIER STALIN WERE ABSENT.

IT WAS ESTIMATED MORE THAN 300,000 PERSONS MARCHED IN A SIX-HOUR MILITARY AND WORKERS' PARADE IN PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA. PRESIDENT GOTTWALD, IN A MAY DAY SPEECH, DECLARED THE CAMP OF "PEACE" IS NOW MUCH STRONGER THAN THE CAMP OF WARMONGERS.

"PEACE" DOVES WERE PASTED ON ALMOST ALL WINDOWS IN PRAGUE AND WENCESLAUS SQUARE WAS DECORATED WITH PICTURES OF STALIN, GOTTWALD AND MAO TZE-TUNG, CHINESE COMMUNIST LEADER.

ABOUT 500,000 HUNGARIANS, NEARLY HALF THHE POPULATION OF BUDAPEST, PARADED THROUGH LAVISHLY-DECORATED STREETS OF THE CAPITAL, PAYING TRIBUTE TO THE "PEACE" CAMPAIGN, TO THE SOVIET UNION AND TO HUNGARIAN LEADERS. PICTURES OF STALIN AND COMMUNIST LEADERS OF THE PEOPLE'S DEMOCRACIES SMILED ON THE MARCHING INHABITANTS. THE DEMONSTRATORS CARRIED POSTERS RIDICULING THE WESTERN WORLD.

WARSAW, CELEBRATING ITS FIRST MAY DAY AS A "NATIONAL DAY," WAS A CITY DECORATED WITH THE RED AND WHITE FLAGS OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY AND THE POLISH STATE. THE MAIN STREETS WERE CHOKED WITH MORE THAN 600,000 PERSONS, WATCHING OR TAKING PART IN VARIOUS PARADES.

THE COMMUNIST-INFILTRATED COUNTRIES OF THE FAR EAST AND SOUTHEAST ASIA PUT ON UNPRECEDENTED MAY DAY SHOWS.

RED CHINA STAGED "THE GREATEST MAY DAY PARADE CHINA HAS EVER SEEN" IN PIEPING, A COMMUNIST BROADCAST HEARD IN SAN FRANCISCO SAID. IT SAID THE COMMUNIST LEADER, MAO TSE-TUNG, RECEIVED THE SALUTE OF 200,000 MARCHERS.

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ARTILLERY BOOMED IN THE CITY AND PLANES ROARED OVERHEAD, AS MARCHERS CARRIED HUGE PICTURES OF MAO, STALIN, LENIN, MARX AND ENGELS, AND SHOUTED "LONG LIVE THE SINO-SOVIET FRIENDSHIP, ALLIANCE AND MUTUAL ASSISTANCE." AT THE HEAD OF THE PARADE WERE UNITS OF THE COMMUNIST ARMY, NAVY AND AIRFORCE.

IN RANGOON, BURMA, LIFE-SIZED OIL PORTRAITS OF STALIN, LENIN AND MAO GAZED ON SEVERAL THOUSAND BURMESE, CHINESE AND INDIAN WORKERS AS THEY PLEDGED SUPPRESSION OF THE BRITISH-OWNED BURMA OIL COMPANY. THE MAY DAY DEMONSTRATORS CALLED THE COMPANY AN "ENEMY OF PEACE."

IN SAIGON, INDOCHINA, POLICE BROKE UP AN ATTEMPTED DEMONSTRATION BY STUDENTS, MAKING NUMEROUS ARRESTS. NO CASUALTIES WERE REPORTED.

ISRAELI COMMUNISTS DENOUNCED ANY ATTEMPT OF THE JEWISH GENERAL FEDERATION OF LABOR TO SEVER TIES WITH THE COMMUNIST-CONTROLLED WORLD FEDERATION OF TRADE UNIONS.

AN ESTIMATED 100,000 JEWISH AND ARAB TRADE UNIONISTS PARADED IN CITIES, TOWNS AND VILLAGES, CARRYING BANNERS URGING GREATER UNITY IN THE WORKERS' MOVEMENT OF ISRAEL AND DEMANDING A "FIGHT FOR WORLD PEACE."

IN VIENNA SOCIALISTS CARRIED BANNERS DEMANDING A PEACE TREATY FOR AUSTRIA AND THE RETURN OF PRISONERS-OF-WAR BEING HELD IN RUSSIA. COMMUNIST BANNERS CALLED FOR AN END TO THE MARSHALL PLAN, THE ATLANTIC PACT AND BANNING OF THE ATOM BOMB.

MAY DAY IN THE NETHERLANDS WAS DOMINATED BY A CELEBRATION OF QUEEN JULIANA'S 41ST BIRTHDAY.

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NEW YORK, APRIL 29-(AP)-A NEW APPROACH BY ORGANIZED LABOR IN GERMANY COULD LEAD TO WORLD WIDE REPERCUSSIONS, ACCORDING TO DR.HELMUT KRENGEL, PUBLIC RELATIONS DIRECTOR FOR GERMAN EMPLOYERS.

THE PLAN, HE TOLD REPORTERS ON ARRIVING IN NEW YORK, IS TO HAVE EQUAL PARTNERSHIP WITH MANAGEMENT IN OPERATING A BUSINESS BUT NO RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE SUCCESS OR FAILURE OF THE INDUSTRY.

DR.KRENGEL WILL STUDY INDUSTRIAL OPERATIONS AND EMPLOYE RELATIONS IN A TOUR WHICH WILL INCLUDE CHICAGO, LOS ANGELES AND SAN FRANCISCO.

HE SAID "TRADE UNIONS AS 'FULL PARTNERS' IN GERMANY INDUSTRY IS IMMINENT AND CAN SPREAD THROUGHOUT THE INDUSTRIAL WORLD WITH AN IMMEDIATE AND DEVASTATING EFFECT TO DEMOCRATIC BUSINESS PRINCIPLES, U.S.DOLLAR FUNDS INVESTED THERE BY THE U.S. GOVERNMENT, AND PRIVATE CAPITAL.

"THIS AFFECTS BUSINESS EVERYWHERE, SINCE WESTERN GERMAN INDUSTRY WILL PARTICIPATE IN THE FIRST U.S. INTERNATIONAL TRADE FAIR IN CHICAGO IN AUGUST AND IS ANXIOUS TO BUILD DOLLAR CREDITS IN THIS COUNTRY SO IT MAY PURCHASE AMERICAN GOODS."

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DR.KRENGEL EXPLAINED THE UNION DEMANDS THIS WAY: THERE WOULD BE EQUAL REPRESENTATION BETWEEN WORKERS AND EMPLOYERS ON A BOARD OF DIRECTORS, WHICH WOULD DECIDE ALL QUESTIONS OF PRODUCTION AND ECONOMICS. THE BOARD WOULD HAVE THE VETO RIGHT IN ANY QUESTION OF CHANGE IN PRODUCTION, SIZE OF FACTORY, AMALGAMATION WITH ANOTHER FACTORY, OR REDUCTION IN SIZE.

REPRESENTATION ON THE BOARDS, DR.KRENGEL SAID, WOULD NOT BE CONFINED TO WORKERS AT A PARTICULAR PLANT. THEY COULD BE TRADE UNION DELEGATES, OR FROM SOME OTHER FACTORY OR INDUSTRY--EVEN A COMPETITOR.

THE PROPOSAL WOULD APPLY TO ANY PLANT EMPLOYING 20 OR MORE PERSONS, HE SAID.

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BY PAUL HURMUSES (ASO)

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(ADVANCE) ATHENS, APRIL 25-(AP)-TOP GERMAN MINING ENGINEERS ARE HELPING GREEK CREWS TAP LONG-DORMANT LIGNITE RESOURCES AS A MEANS OF AUGMENTING THE COUNTRY'S POWER RESOURCES.

IN GREECE FOR NEARLY A YEAR ON THE QUARTER-MILLION DOLLAR SURVEY PROJECT. THE TWO GEOLOGISTS AND TWO GEOPHYSICISTS WERE BROUGHT HERE BY ECA. THEY ARE DR.V.E.PETRASCHEK, GEOLOGIST, OF THE LOEBEN MINING SCHOOL, AUSTRIA, DR.FRITZ BANNEMANN, GEOPHYSICIST, OF MUNICH, GERMANY, DR.LEO AMEELY, GEOPHYSICIST OF MUNICH, AND DR.HANS MARTINI, GEOLOGIST, OF HANOVER, GERMANY.

EFFICIENT UTILIZATION OF THE KNOWN BEDS OF LIGNITE AS A NEW SOURCE OF POWER AND FUEL MAY OPEN INDUSTRIAL VISTAS PREVIOUSLY UNHEARD OF IN GREECE.

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WITH A PROVEN LOAD OF 300,000,000 (M) TONS SPREAD OUT OVER HALF-A-DOZEN AREAS, AND A POTENTIAL 3,000,000,000 (B) TONS, THE LIGNITE HAS NEVER BEEN WORKED ON A PROFITABLE COMMERCIAL BASIS.

TRADE AND INDUSTRY OFFICIALS OF ECA HERE, HOWEVER, ARE MOVING CAUTIOUSLY DESPITE SATISFACTORY REPORTS FROM WASHINGTON ON TESTS THEY HAVE TAKEN OF THE DEPOSITS OF LIGNITE, WHICH IS A PARTIALLY CARBONIZED VEGETABLE MASS LYING HALFWAY BETWEEN PEAT AND COAL IN THE FUEL CATEGORY.

THE LIGNITE IS NOT OF A HIGH GRADE QUALITY. CHEMISTS AND MINING EXPERTS SAY IT COULD BE MADE INTO HIGH-GRADE BRIQUETTES WHICH COULD BE USED EFFICIENTLY IN ELECTRIC POWER DEVELOPMENT AND AS A FUEL. FOR SOME TIME NOW ECA HAS BEEN LOOKING FOR MEANS OF BOLSTERING GREECE'S INADEQUATE RESOURCES.

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THERE ARE EIGHT ECA FIELD EXPERTS, AS WELL AS THE GERMAN TECHNICIANS AT PRESENT IN THE PTOLEMAIS AREA OF NORTHERN GREECE CARRYING OUT FURTHER DRILLING OF THE DEPOSITS. MORE THAN 200,000,

(M) TONS HAVE BEEN DETERMINED IN THIS DISTRICT ALONE FOLLOWING TESTING OF EIGHT SQUARE MILES. UNTIL A FEW MONTHS AGO, THE AREA WAS INACCESSIBLE BECAUSE OF GUERRILLA ACTIVITY, BUT TODAY DRILLING IS MOVING AHEAD RAPIDLY.

VILLAGERS LIVING AROUND PTOLEMAIS NOW ARE TAKING ABOUT 40 TONS A DAY OUT OF THE GROUND WITH THE CRUDEST METHODS POSSIBLE, PRACTICALLY WITH THEIR BARE HANDS.

MINING OF THE LIGNITE WILL BE A COMPARATIVELY SIMPLE OPERATION, IN THAT IT LIES CLOSE TO THE SURFACE. TESTS TAKEN SO FAR INDICATE THE MAIN LOADS LIE AT A DEPTH OF 40 FEET, WITH THICKNESSES OF THE LAYERS VARYING FROM A "FEATHEREDGE" TO 120 FEET.

ALTHOUGH THE GREEKS HAVE KNOWN OF THE LIGNITE DEPOSITS FOR MANY YEARS, THEY HAVE BEEN UNSUCCESSFUL IN CONVERTING THEM INTO A PAYING PROPOSITION.

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BEFORE THE WAR, HOWEVER, GERMAN CHEMISTS AND INDUSTRIALISTS TOOK AN 180-TON SAMPLE OF GREEK LIGNITE, PROCESSED IT WITH THEIR HIGHLY EFFICIENT INDUSTRIAL METHODS, AND FOUND THE PRODUCT SATISFACTORY AS A SOURCE OF FUEL. THEY DECLARED AT THE TIME THAT THE LIGNITE ALSO COULD BE USED SUCCESSFULLY IN RAILWAY OPERATION.

GREEK AND FOREIGN COMPANIES TODAY HAVE COME INTO THE PICTURE WITH A DOZEN APPLICATIONS TO BUILD VARIOUS INDUSTRIAL PLANTS IN THE LIGNITE AREAS.

MARSHALL PLAN ALLOTMENTS FOR THE CURRENT SURVEY, WHICH BEGAN LAST SUMMER, HAVE BEEN INCREASED TO MORE THAN $209,000. THE SURVEY PROGRAM IS EXPECTED TO BE COMPLETED BY SEPTEMBER.

MINED ON A PROFITABLE BASIS, LIGNITE COULD SAVE GREECE CONSIDERABLE FOREIGN EXCHANGE WHICH SHE IS NOW PAYING FOR IMPORTED FUELS, ECA OFFICIALS DECLARE.

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WASHINGTON, MAY 1--(AP)--JAPANESE GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS ARE DUE THIS WEEK TO OPEN AGENCIES IN FIVE AMERICAN CITIES, LARGELY TO PROMOTE TRADE BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND JAPAN.

THE OFFICES WILL BE IN NEW YORK, SAN FRANCISCO, LOS ANGELES, SEATTLE AND HONOLULU. THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID TODAY THEY WILL HANDLE CITIZENSHIP AND PROPERTY PROBLEMS RELATING TO JAPANESE LIVING IN THIS COUNTRY AS WELL AS TRADE MATTERS.

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AN INVITATION TO SEND THE TRADE REPRESENTATIVES WAS EXTENDED TO THE JAPANESE TWO MONTHS AGO AFTER THE UNITED STATES HAD CONSULTED WITH OTHER COUNTRIES REPRESENTED IN THE 13-NATION FAR EASTERN COMMISSION. THE COMMISSION FIXES POLICIES FOR GOVERNING OCCUPIED JAPAN.

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD COMMUNISTS
BY ROGER D.GREENE
WASHINGTON, MAY 2-(AP)-OWEN LATTIMORE POURED OUT A BITTER THREE-HOUR DENUNCIATION OF HIS ACCUSERS TODAY AND CHARGED EX-COMMUNIST LOUIS F.BUDENZ WITH TELLING "HOGWASH" LIES FOR "PERSONAL PROFIT."
BANGING THE WITNESS TABLE, LATTIMORE DIVIDED HIS ATTACK BETWEEN BUDENZ AND REPUBLICAN SENATOR MCCARTHY OF WISCONSIN WHO HAS CALLED HIM RUSSIA'S TOP ESPIONAGE AGENT IN THE UNITED STATES.
HE TERMED MCCARTHY A MAN WHO "DISGRACED HIS PARTY AND THE PEOPLE OF HIS STATE AND THE NATION."
TOWARD THE END OF HIS LONG OUTBURST BEFORE A SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE, LATTIMORE DREW A REBUKE FROM COMMITTEE COUNSEL EDWARD P.MORGAN FOR STRAYING AWAY FROM "OBJECTIVITY" IN HIS REMARKS.
DURING CROSS-EXAMINATION, SENATOR HICKENLOOPER (R-IOWA) ASKED LATTIMORE WHETHER HE HAD EVER RECOMMENDED TO AN AMERICAN GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL THAT THE UNITED STATES RECOGNIZED RUSSIAN-DOMINATED OUTER MONGOLIA AS A SOVEREIGN NATION.
LATTIMORE REPLIED THAT HE HAD URGED SUCH A STEP IN HIS WRITINGS AND MAY HAVE RECOMMENDED IT IN A MEMORANDUM TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT LAST AUGUST. HE SAID HE DID NOT RECALL EVER SPEAKING TO AN AMERICAN OFFICIAL ABOUT IT.
HICKENLOOPER INJECTED A MYSTERY NOTE IN THE INQUIRY WHEN HE ASKED--WITHOUT FURTHER IDENTIFYING THE INDIVIDUAL--IF LATTIMORE EVER KNEW A MAN NAMED LOOMIS, WHO, HE SAID, HAD ARRANGED TO FURNISH INFORMATION "PROVIDED BY YOU" TO RUSSIA.
"NO, SIR," LATTIMORE ANSWERED.

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AT THE END OF THE DAY, CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD) ASKED LATTIMORE TO RETURN TO THE WITNESS CHAIR TOMORROW MORNING FOR FURTHER QUESTIONING.
HICKENLOOPER SERVED NOTICE THAT HE HAS AT LEAST ANOTHER HOUR AND A HALF OF QUESTIONS TO ASK LATTIMORE.
IN HIS BLISTERING COMMENTS ON BUDENZ, LATTIMORE TOLD THE SENATE COMMITTEE:
"BUDENZ HAS TRIED TO DO TO ME THINGS ABOUT AS FILTHY AS ANYONE WHO CALLS HIMSELF AN AMERICAN CAN DO TO ANOTHER AMERICAN."
HE SAID BUDENZ, ONETIME EDITOR OF THE COMMUNIST DAILY WORKER, HAS LAUNCHED OUT ON A "SPECTACULAR CAREER" OF LECTURING AND WRITING ON COMMUNISM SINCE HE QUIT THE PARTY FIVE YEARS AGO.
NOW, HE SUGGESTED, BUDENZ MAY BE RUNNING OUT OF HEADLINE-CATCHING MATERIAL FOR HIS LECTURES AND ARTICLES AND SO HAS TRIED TO CASH IN ON SENATOR MCCARTHY'S CHARGES.
"I DEEPLY RESENT THE LIES HE (BUDENZ) HAS TOLD ABOUT ME," HE SAID. "BUDENZ WAS ACTIVATED BY EXTREMELY SORDID COMMERCIA MOTIVES. HE APPEARS TO BE THE KIND OF A MAN WHO WILL STOOP TO THIS SORT OF LOW THING."
HICKENLOOPER FIRED A BARRAGE OF QUESTIONS AT THE WITNESS, ONCE ASKING WHETHER MRS.LATTIMORE EVER LECTURED BEFORE THE TOM MOONEY SCHOOL IN CALIFORNIA.
LATTIMORE CONFERRED WITH HIS WIFE, SITTING BEHIND HIM, AND TURNED BACK TO REPORT THAT SHE COULD NOT RECALL SPEAKING THERE. HE SAID HE COULDN'T RECALL SUCH A SPEECH, EITHER.
HICKENLOOPER DISPLAYED A PAGE FROM THE NEWSPAPER "PEOPLE'S WORLD", DATED APRIL 28, 1943, WITH AN ADVERTISEMENT SAYING MRS.OWEN LATTIMORE WAS TO LECTURE ON "CHINA AND THE WAR" AT THE TOM MOONEY SCHOOL.
LATTIMORE LOOKED AT THE PAGE, THEN HANDED IT BACK TO HIS WIFE. A MINUTE LATER, HE TOLD HICKENLOOPER HIS WIFE SAID SHE "COULD HAVE" DELIVERED THE LECTURE.
BRISTLING, LATTIMORE DEMANDED:
"IS THERE ANY REASON WHY ONE SHOULDN'T SPEAK AT THE TOM MOONEY SCHOOL? IS THERE ANYTHING SINISTER ABOUT IT?
"I'M JUST TRYING TO GET THE FACTS," HICKENLOOPER SAID.
THE IOWA SENATOR NEXT WANTED TO KNOW IF THE "PEOPLE'S WORLD" WAS A COMMUNIST PUBLICATION IN 1943.
"I COULDN'T TELL YOU, SENATOR," LATTIMORE REPLIED.
UNDER FURTHER QUESTIONING, LATTIMORE ACKNOWLEDGED THAT HE KNEW HARRIET LEVINE CHI, WIFE OF THE CHINESE OFFICIAL DESIGNATED TO REPRESENT THE CHINESE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT IN THE UNITED NATIONS.
LATTIMORE SAID MRS.CHI WORKED FOR HIM AS A SECRETARY FOR ABOUT A WEEK ONE TIME.
COMMITTEE COUNSEL MORGAN ASKED LATTIMORE IF HE EVER HAD A DISCUSSION WITH THE PRESIDENT OF JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY IN BALTIMORE, WHERE LATTIMORE IS HEAD OF THE WALTER HINES PAGE SCHOOL OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS, ABOUT LATTIMORE'S "ALLEGED ASSOCIATION" WITH THE SECRETARY OF THE BALTIMORE COMMUNIST PARTY.
LATTIMORE SAID HE COULD NOT RECALL ANY SUCH DISCUSSION. MOREOVER, HE SAID HE DIDN'T THINK HE KNEW THE RED PARTY OFFICIAL.
EARLIER, IN A 15,000-WORD STATEMENT, LATTIMORE DEMANDED THAT THE SENATE COMMITTEE RETURN A VERDICT NOTIFYING SENATOR MCCARTHY THAT HE HAD BEEN "CAUGHT OUT IN HIS FRAUD AND DECEIT."
"I SUGGEST IT IS YOUR SOLEMN OBLIGATION," LATTIMORE TOLD THE COMMITTEE, "TO WARN SUCH PROFESSIONAL CHARACTER ASSASSINS THAT THEY WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO RUN RIOT OR PUBLICLY SPREAD THEIR VENOM."
ONCE AGAIN, AS HE DID ON APRIL 6, LATTIMORE BITTERLY DENIED MCCARTHY'S CHARGES THAT HE IS A COMMUNIST AND THE NO.1 SOVIET SPY IN THE UNITED STATES.
THE LEAN, SCHOLARLY WITNESS, WHO IN THE PAST HAS SOMETIMES ADVISED THE STATE DEPARTMENT ON FAR EAST AFFAIRS AND IS NOW A PROFESSOR AT JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY, DECLARED THAT SUCH ACCUSATIONS ARE "NOT SUPPORTED BY A SHRED OF EVIDENCE--PERJURED OR OTHERWISE."

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AND IN A VOICE COLD WITH ANGER, HE TOLD THE LAWMAKERS:
"THE PROCESSES OF THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES HAVE BEEN DEBASED BY THIS MAN MCCARTHY....HE HAS BEEN CONTEMPTUOUS OF THIS COMMITTEE...HE HAS LIED, DISTORTED AND VILIFIED...HE HAS MADE PROMISES WHICH HE HAS NOT FULFILLED...HE HAS USED DISCREDITABLE AND DISREPUTABLE SOURCES OF FALSE INFORMATION."
ALL THESE TERMS, HE SAID, SHOULD BE SPELLED OUT IN THE COMMITTEE'S FINAL "VERDICT" ON MCCARTHY'S CASE AGAINST HIM.
AS FOR EX-COMMUNIST LEADER LOUIS F.BUDENZ, WHO SWORE THAT LATTIMORE WAS A MEMBER OF A "COMMUNIST CELL" AND HELPED BETRAY CHINA TO RED CONQUEST, LATTIMORE SAID:
"HOGWASH--THE PRODUCT OF A TWISTED AND MALIGNANT PERSONALITY!"
UNDER CROSS-EXAMINATION THIS AFTERNOON, LATTIMORE CALLED BUDENZ AN "EXTREMELY DISGUSTING PERSONALITY."
BUT HE HELD BACK ON FURTHER ATTACKS AGAINST MCCARTHY AFTER EDWARD P.MORGAN, THE COMMITTEE'S CHIEF COUNSEL, CALLED FOR MORE "OBJECTIVITY" IN ANSWERING QUESTIONS AND TOLD LATTIMORE:
"YOU AND MCCARTHY ARE NOW EVEN."
CAREFULLY QUALIFYING HIMSELF AS A "NONEXPERT" AND "OUTSIDER", BASING HIS OPINION MERELY ON "HEARSAY", LATTIMORE SAID IN REPLY TO A QUESTION:
"THE COMMUNIST PARTY HAS PRACTICALLY NO ROOTS IN AMERICAN POLITICAL LIFE. IT IS MADE UP, FOR THE MOST PART, OF AN EXTRAORDINARY COLLECTION OF MISFITS, CRACKPOTS AND GENERALLY DISCONTENTED PEOPLE."
LATTIMORE SCOFFED AT MCCARTHY'S WITNESSES AGAINST HIM, DENOUNCING THEM AS "A MOTLEY CREW OF CRACKPOTS, PROFESSIONAL INFORMERS, HYSTERICS AND EX-COMMUNISTS WHO MCCARTHY WOULD HAVE YOU BELIEVE REPRESENT SOUND AMERICANISM."
HE ATTACKED BUDENZ, WHO QUIT THE COMMUNITY PARTY IN 1945 TO REENTER THE CATHOLIC CHURCH, AS "EITHER A PLAIN OLD-FASHIONED LIAR OR A PATHOLOGICAL LIAR," AND DECLARED:

"BUDENZ' FANTASTIC STORIES ABOUT ME ARE NOT ONLY AN INVENTION, THEY ARE A RECENT INVENTION. WE CANNOT PERMIT THIS MAN TO RUN WILD ANY LONGER."

LATTIMORE ALSO REPEATED THE OFT-TOLD STORY THAT BUDENZ WAS INVOLVED IN THE PLOT TO ASSASSINATE LEON TROTSKY, THE OLD-TIME RUSSIAN BOLSHEVIK LEADER, IN MEXICO SOME YEARS AGO.

"UNLIKE BUDENZ," HE SAID, "I HAVE NEVER BEEN ENGAGED IN A CONSPIRACY TO COMMIT MURDER OR ESPIONAGE."

HE SAID BUDENZ HAS ADMITTED WORKING FOR THREE YEARS WITH SOVIET SECRET POLICE TO HELP BRING ABOUT THE ASSASSINATION OF TROTSKY.

"HE (BUDENZ) NEVER SAW ANY VESTIGE OF MY ALLEGED COMMUNIST PARTY MEMBERSHIP, YET WITH THE MATCHLESS SKILL OF A VETERAN COMMUNIST, BUDENZ STILL TRIES TO GIVE THE IMPRESSION THAT I WAS ONE OF HIS ERSTWHILE COMPANIONS.

"WHEN HE WAS ASKED THE DIRECT QUESTION, HE SLID OFF INTO A GENERAL DISCUSSION OF THE DIFFERENT KINDS OF COMMUNISTS, BUT HE NOWHERE STATES ON HIS OWN RESPONSIBILITY THAT I WAS OR AM ANY ONE OF THE 57 VARIETIES."

AS LATTIMORE COMPLETED HIS DIRECT TESTIMONY, A BURST OF APPLAUSE BROKE FROM THE CROWDED RANKS OF SPECTATORS IN THE BIG SENATE CAUCUS ROOM. CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD) QUICKLY GAVELLED FOR ORDER.

MCCARTHY, WHO HAS BEEN SUFFERING FROM SINUS, WAS NOT PRESENT AS LATTIMORE READ HIS BULKY STATEMENT IN A VOICE THAT ALTERNATED BETWEEN ICY CONTEMPT AND SHOUTED FURY.

FLANKED BY HIS WIFE AND TWO ATTORNEYS, LATTIMORE TOLD THE COMMITTEE:

"IN SOME OF ITS TWISTS AND TURNS, THE COMMUNIST LINE AT TIMES COINCIDED WITH THE COURSE I WAS FOLLOWING, JUST AS FOR A TIME IT COINCIDED WITH THE PROGRAM OF THE AMERICAN AND BRITISH GOVERNMENTS IN THE WAR AGAINST HITLER.

"THIS DOES NOTHING TO PROVE THAT THE AMERICAN AND BRITISH GOVERNMENTS, OR I AS AN INDIVIDUAL, WERE COMMUNISTS. IT ONLY PROVES THAT AT TIMES THE COMMUNISTS, FOR THEIR OWN REASONS, FOLLOWED THE SAME COURSE THAT WE DID."

LATTIMORE THEN NOTED THAT HE WAS A FORMER ADVISER TO CHINA'S GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK, AND HE TOLD THE COMMITTEE:

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"I WANT TO MAKE IT CLEAR BEYOND ANY DOUBT THAT I DID BELIEVE FOR A LONG TIME--LONGER THAN THE FACTS JUSTIFIED, I AM AFRAID--IN THE ABILITY OF CHIANG KAI-SHEK TO STOP THE ADVANCE OF COMMUNISM BY INSTITUTING A FEW NECESSARY REFORMS.

"I CLUNG TO MY FAITH IN CHIANG'S ABILITY TO FREE HIMSELF AND TO REVITALIZE THE (CHINESE) NATIONALIST PARTY UNTIL 1946, WHEN I BEGAN TO SUPPORT GENERAL MARSHALL'S POLICY OF SALVAGING AS MUCH AS COULD BE SALVAGED OF THE NATIONALIST PARTY AND THE GENERALISSIMO'S PERSONAL POSITION."

LATTIMORE SCOFFED AT YESTERDAY'S TESTIMONY BY EX-COMMUNIST FREDA UTLEY THAT IF HE ISN'T A COMMUNIST HE ACTS LIKE ONE, AND THAT HIS WRITINGS SINCE 1938 SHOWED HIS "SUBSERVIANCE TO COMMUNIST PARTY DISCIPLINE."

LATTIMORE SAID MRS.UTLEY'S OWN WRITINGS COULD BE TAKEN TO BUILD UP A STRONG CASE THAT SHE WAS STILL FOLLOWING THE COMMUNIST PARTY LINE--AND THAT SHE ONCE FOLLOWED THE NAZI LINE. MRS.UTLEY SAT A FEW SEATS AWAY AS LATTIMORE TESTIFIED.

TURNING HIS MAIN ATTACK ON MCCARTHY, LATTIMORE CALLED THE SENATOR "CLEARLY A BAD POLICY RISK" IN THE LIGHT OF HIS BACKGROUND. THE WITNESS REFERRED TO OLD CONTROVERSIES INVOLVING MCCARTHY, CENTERING ON THE WISCONSIN SENATOR'S CONDUCT AS A STATE JUDGE BEFORE HE WON A SENATE SEAT AND ALLEGED DIFFICULTIES MCCARTHY HAD HAD OVER HIS WARTIME INCOME TAXES.

"MY LIFE AND WORKS SPEAK FOR THEMSELVES," LATTIMORE SAID. "UNLIKE MCCARTHY. I HAVE NEVER BEEN CHARGED WITH A VIOLATION OF THE LAWS OF THE UNITED STATES OR THE ETHICS OF MY PROFESSION.

"I HAVE NEVER BEEN ACCUSED, AS MCCARTHY HAS BEEN, OF INCOME TAX EVASION, OF THE DESTRUCTION OF RECORDS THAT WERE IN MY OFFICIAL CUSTODY, OR OF IMPROPERLY USING AN OFFICIAL POSITION FOR THE PURPOSE OF ADVANCING MY OWN FORTUNES, POLITICAL OR OTHERWISE."

IN THIS CONNECTION, IT WAS RECALLED THAT EDITOR WILLIAM T.EVJUE OF THE MADISON, WIS., CAPITAL TIMES, TOLD NEWSMEN AFTER A WHITE HOUSE CALL LAST WEEK THAT HE HAD GIVEN PRESIDENT TRUMAN A REPORT ON MCCARTHY.

HE SAID THE REPORT INCLUDED:

1. A RECOMMENDATION BY THE WISCONSIN STATE BOARD OF BAR COMMISSIONERS THAT MCCARTHY BE DISBARRED BECAUSE HE REFUSED TO RESIGN HIS STATE CIRCUIT JUDGESHIP WHILE RUNNING FOR THE SENATE IN 1946.

THE STATE SUPREME COURT TOOK NOTE OF THE RECOMMENDATION; NOTHING EVER CAME OF IT.

2. AN ORDER BY WISCONSIN AUTHORITIES THAT MCCARTHY PAY $3,900 IN STATE INCOME TAXES ON A 1943 INCOME OF $43,000 WHICH EVJUE SAID MCCARTHY DID NOT REPORT.

3. CRITICISM OF MCCARTHY BY THE WISCONSIN SUPREME COURT BECAUSE CERTAIN RECORDS IN A CASE HEARD BEFORE MCCARTHY, WHEN HE WAS A JUDGE, WERE MISSING WHEN THE CASE WAS APPEALED TO A HIGHER COURT.

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EVJUE'S REPORT TO MR.TRUMAN DREW A HOT BLAST FROM MCCARTHY, WHO SAID IN A SENATE SPEECH THE NEXT DAY THAT EVJUE'S NEWSPAPER WAS "A DISGUISED POISON WATERHOLE OF DANGEROUS COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA."

MCCARTHY ALSO PROMISED TO WAIVE HIS CONGRESSIONAL IMMUNITY AGAINST COURT ACTION IF EVJUE WANTED TO SUE HIM.

EVJUE HAS SAID THAT "NO NEWSPAPER IN WISCONSIN IS MORE HATED BY THE COMMUNISTS THAN THE CAPITAL TIMES."

ON THE WITNESS STAND TODAY, LATTIMORE TOLD THE SENATE COMMITTEE THAT FORMER COMMUNIST LEADER BUDENZ "ADMITS THAT EVEN BEFORE HE JOINED THE COMMUNIST PARTY HE ENGAGED IN CERTAIN PERSONAL ACTIVITIES WHICH, TO SAY THE LEAST, ARE OFFENSIVE TO ACCEPTED STANDARDS OF DECENT AND CONVENTIONAL BEHAVIOR."

LATTIMORE SAID THE ADMISSION WAS CONTAINED IN THE OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT OF BUDENZ' TESTIMONY IN A DEPORTATION CASE INVOLVING ONE JOHN SANTO, BUT HE REFUSED TO ELABORATE.

LATTIMORE HANDED THE COMMITTEE A LARGE SEALED ENVELOPE CONTAINING THE OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT BUT HE AND HIS ATTORNEY, ABE FORTAS, RECOMMENDED THAT THE COMMITTEE NOT MAKE IT PUBLIC.

BUDENZ WAS ONE OF SEVERAL EX-COMMUNISTS WHO TESTIFIED AGAINST SANTO AT IMMIGRATION HEARINGS.

DURING CROSS-EXAMINATION BUDENZ ADMITTED THAT HE WAS "TECHNICALLY" MARRIED TO HIS FIRST WIFE UNTIL 1938, BUT THAT HE AND ANOTHER WOMAN "BECAME HUSBAND AND WIFE" IN 1933.

HE SAID HE AND THE SECOND WOMAN HAD THREE CHILDREN BEFORE THEY WERE ACTUALLY MARRIED IN 1945.

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LONDON, MAY 2-(AP)-SOVIET AMBASSADOR GEORGI N.ZARUBIN MADE AN UNEXPECTED REQUEST TODAY THAT THE BIG FOUR DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTERS RESUME SESSIONS ON AN AUSTRIAN INDEPENDENCE TREATY.

ZARUBIN, WHO REPRESENTS RUSSIA AT THE TALKS, ASKED FOR A MEETING ON THURSDAY. THE WESTERN DELEGATES AGREED. ZARUBIN DID NOT GIVE ANY REASON FOR THE REQUEST.

THE FOUR DEPUTIES HAVE HELD 252 MEETINGS DURING A PERIOD OF MORE THAN THREE YEARS IN AN EFFORT TO COMPLETE THE TREATY.

THE RUSSIANS HAD INSISTED THEY FIRST HAD TO SETTLE NEGOTIATIONS ON FINANCIAL MATTERS WITH AUSTRIA.

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LONDON, MAY 2-(AP)-VISCOUNT KEMSLEY, HEAD OF KEMSLEY NEWSPAPERS, LTD., DEPLORED TODAY A "DISTRESSING DEVELOPMENT TOWARDS PRESS CENSORSHIP" IN THE WORLD SINCE THE WAR.

IN A REPORT PUBLISHED IN ADVANCE OF HIS PUBLISHING FIRM'S ANNUAL MEETING MAY 23, LORD KEMSLEY SAID CENSORSHIP WAS COMPLETE THROUGHOUT THE TOTALITARIAN AREA AND SEVERE IN MANY OTHER COUNTRIES.

"IN COUNTRIES WHICH HAVE ACHIEVED A NEW STATUS SINCE THE WAR, SUCH AS EGYPT AND ISRAEL," HE DECLARED, "ONE OF THE FIRST ACTS OF GOVERNMENT HAS BEEN TO CONTROL THE PRESS.

"EVEN WITHIN THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH ITSELF AND IN AREAS WHERE WE EXERCISE CONTROL, SUCH AS CYPRUS AND ERITREA, THE PRESS IS NOT ENTIRELY FREE. IN THIS COUNTRY, TOO, POLITICIANS SEEM TO DISPLAY A SENSITIVENESS ABOUT THE PRESS UNKNOWN FOR 100 YEARS."

KEMSLEY SAID HIS FIRM, BRITAIN'S BIGGEST NEWSPAPER CHAIN, MADE MORE MONEY OFF ADVERTISING AND CIRCULATION LAST YEAR BUT THE GAIN WAS MORE THAN OFFSET BY A BIGGER OUTLAY FOR NEWSPRINT, WAGES AND SALARIES AND GENERAL PURPOSES.

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LONDON, MAY 2-(AP)-THE HOUSE OF LORDS REFUSED TONIGHT TO CENSURE A PEER WHO CONTENDED COMMUNISM HAD INFILTRATED THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND, THE TEACHING PROFESSION AND THE BRITISH BROADCASTING CORPORATION.

THE MOTION OF CENSURE WAS BROUGHT BY VISCOUNT STANSGATE, A LABORITE, AGAINST LORD VANSITTART, A FORMER CAREER DIPLOMAT.

STANSGATE CONTENDED VANSITTART HAD MADE HIS CHARGES WITHOUT SUFFICIENT INVESTIGATION.

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LONDON, MAY 2-(AP)-PAKISTAN PRIME MINISTER LIAQUAT ALI KHAN LEFT FOR WASHINGTON TODAY ABOARD PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S PRIVATE PLANE, THE "INDEPENDENCE." HE WAS ACCOMPANIED BY MEMBERS OF HIS STAFF AND MR. TRUMAN'S MILITARY AIDE, MAJ.GEN. HARRY VAUGHAN. LIAQUAT ALI WILL SPEND A MONTH TOURING THE UNITED STATES AND CANADA.

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LONDON, MAY 2-(AP)-A BRITISH COTTON TEXTILE MISSION LEFT BY AIR TONIGHT FOR TOKYO.

THE GROUP WILL HOLD TALKS WITH AN AMERICAN DELEGATION AND REPRESENTATIVES OF THE JAPANESE INDUSTRY ON THE CONDUCT OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN COTTON TEXTILES. SIR RAYMOND STREAT, CHAIRMAN OF BRITAIN'S COTTON BOARD, HEADS THE NINE-MAN MISSION.

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london,may 2-(ap)-premier marshal tito of yugoslavia received a group of touring american students today and praised their efforts "to preserve peace and good relations in the world."

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the belgrade radio,heard here,said the group was headed by the rev. michael millen, chairman of the maine progressive party.

millen is also head of the landhaven private preparatory school in maine and a former methodist minister in rockport,me. the school makes a practise of sending its students on tours to various parts of the world.

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the radio quoted tito as saying:

"we greatly appreciate the efforts of the progressive people of america to preserve the peace and realize good relations in the world. i think that american youth as well as yugoslav youth should be in the front ranks of that struggle."

the yugoslav dictator was also quoted as saying his country would always welcome men from other countries "who want to understand what is happening here."

a student, identified as william frohlich, was quoted as saying that never before had he seen youth work so

nard to build up their country.

it said another student, identified as anthony parr marshall as stressing that he had never before seen such mass participation in cultural work.

the radio reported that millen told tito his pupils would return to "tell america the truth about yugoslavia successfully building up socialism."

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by jo ph dynan

paris,may 2-(ap) ...e national assembly decided today to air publicly the charges and countercharges of how a top-secret french report on indo-china got into the hands of/ho chi-minh's moscow-trained spies.

two french generals have already been fired for their part in the affair which has been the top post-war sensation in the french press.

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over the violent objections of a 12-man committee appointed last january to probe the case, the assembly voted to debate thursday the sections of the committee's reports charging former defense minister paul ramadier with hushing the case when the leakage first became known last october.

ramadier urged the debate in order to defend himself. his supporters say he put the lid on the case in order to safeguard france's position in negotiations for the atlantic pact which were then going on in paris.

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edmond michelet and pierre july, chairman and secretary of the probe group, quit after the assembly vote for public debate, because, they said, they wanted to be free to explain all their actions. on the floor of the house. (ADD) see sheet #10799

PARIS, MAY 2-(AP)-TRYGVE LIE, SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS WHO IS ON A "SAVE-THE-U.N." MISSION IN EUROPE, CONFERRED HERE TODAY WITH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN. INFORMANTS SAID THEY DISCUSSED THE ENTIRE WORLD SITUATION.

LIE CAME HERE FROM LONDON, WHERE HE HAD SIMILAR CONFERENCES WITH BRITISH OFFICIALS. LIE WILL DECIDE IN PARIS WHETHER HE WILL GO ON TO MOSCOW FOR A MEETING WITH TOP SOVIET LEADERS IN AN ATTEMPT TO END A RUSSIAN BOYCOTT OF U.N. MEETINGS IN PROTEST AGAINST CONTINUED REPRESENTATION OF THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS.

LIE HAD DINNER LAST NIGHT WITH PRESIDENT VINCENT AURIOL. HE WILL MEET LATER TODAY WITH PREMIER GEORGES BIDAULT.

in geneva professor gunnar myrdal of sweden, executive secretary of the u.n. economic commission for europe, said he will leave on may 5 for a week of high level talks with soviet officials in moscow.

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details of the affair are shrouded in secrecy, but the main lines already made public run like this:

the affair started when gen. georges revers, chief of staff of the french army, made a fact-finding tour last year of indochina where french-backed forces are locked in a life-and-death struggle with ho chi-minh's guerrillas.

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revers' report, as quoted by the french press, said france's situation there was "delicate" but not hopeless and indicated the civilian governor should be replaced by a military man. the newspapers charged that revers was trying to get the job for his friend, gen. charles mast, resident general of tunisia.

since then the affair has been referred to as the revers-mast case. neither general is still in the army. have been relieved of command.

premier georges bidault told the assembly when the investigating committee was appointed that revers had had dealings with an ex-convict w o was "a double or even a triple agent".

bidault said revers turned his report over to the agent, identified as roger peyre, and that peyre turned them over to indochinese in paris.

they were discovered accidently sept. 18 in a briefcase which burst open during a scuffle on a paris bus.

peyre fled to brazil and the french government has been unable to extradite him.

bidault said peyre got 2,800,000 francs from unidentified indochinese sources for waging a propaganda campaign to have mast appointed to indochina, and "the letters exchanged between him and the generals are surprising."

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he said peyre had been a spy for both the french resistance and the germans during world war two and was probably still working two sides.

BY PHILIP CLARKE

ROME, MAY 2-(AP)-ITALY'S WORLD WAR I PREMIER DECLARED TODAY THAT THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE ARE NO LONGER ITALY'S FRIENDS. HE SUGGESTED THAT ITALY RECONSIDER HER PARTICIPATION IN THE ATLANTIC PACT.

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VITTORIO EMANUELE ORLANDO, DISCUSSING TRIESTE IN THE SENATE, ACCUSED THE THREE WESTERN POWERS OF ABANDONING ITALY IN FAVOR OF YUGOSLAVIA.

"IT IS THEREFORE IMPOSSIBLE IN THESE CONDITIONS TO HAVE A PACT OF ALLIANCE WITH THESE THREE COUNTRIES WHO ARE NOT FRIENDS," SAID THE 89-YEAR-OLD FORMER PREMIER

FORMER PREMIER.

"THE ATLANTIC PACT MUST BE RECONSIDERED. THE (ITALIAN) GOVERNMENT MUST TAKE INTO ACCOUNT THE FACT THAT THE ITALIAN PEOPLE ARE FUNDAMENTALLY PATRIOTIC AND THE DAY OF RECKONING MUST BE MOST GRAVE."

THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE SUGGESTED ON MARCH 20, 1948 THAT THE FREE TERRITORY OF TRIESTE BE RETURNED TO ITALIAN SOVEREIGNTY. RUSSIA BLOCKED THAT MOVE. SUBSEQUENTLY YUGOSLAVIA BECAME INVOLVED IN A FEUD WITH THE MOSCOW-DIRECTED COMINFORM. RECENTLY THERE HAS BEEN SPECULATION THAT THE THREE WESTERN POWERS NOW WOULD PREFER A SOLUTION OF THE TRIESTE QUESTION WHICH WOULD NOT IGNORE ALL OF YUGOSLAVIA'S CLAIMS.

THE PEACE TREATY CONCLUDED WITH ITALY AT THE END OF WORLD WAR II TOOK TRIESTE FROM ITALIAN SOVEREIGNTY. THE FREE TERRITORY, NEAR THE HEAD OF THE ADRIATIC, IS DIVIDED INTO TWO ZONES, ONE BEING GARRISONED BY AMERICAN AND BRITISH TROOPS AND THE OTHER BY YUGOSLAV SOLDIERS.

ORLANDO, THE ONLY SURVIVOR OF THE VERSAILLES TREATY'S BIG FOUR, IS A SENATOR FOR LIFE BY VIRTUE OF HIS FORMER PREMIERSHIP. HE HAS JOINED NO POLITICAL PARTY.

HE DECLARED THAT BRITAIN "HAS CHOSEN TO BECOME THE FIRST ENEMY OF ITALY," AND ADDED THAT PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE'S "LABOR GOVERNMENT IS MORE DOGGEDLY AGAINST US" THAN WAS THE GOVERNMENT OF WINSTON CHURCHILL.

"I AM PAINED AND SURPRISED THAT AT A CERTAIN MOMENT THE UNITED STATES, AS FRANCE, HAS TAKEN A POSITION AGAINST US," HE SAID.

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FIRST LEAD GRAZIANI

ROME, MAY 2-(AP)-AN ITALIAN MILITARY TRIBUNAL TONIGHT CONVICTED FORMER MARSHAL RUDOLFO GRAZIANI, FASCISM'S "LION OF AFRICA," OF TREASON CHARGES. HE WAS SENTENCED TO 19 YEARS IN PRISON, BUT AMNESTIES AND CREDIT FOR TIME ALREADY SERVED IN CUSTODY WILL CUT THE ACTUAL SENTENCE TO ONLY ONE YEAR AND TWO MONTHS.

GRAZIANI, 67 AND AILING, TOOK THE VERDICT WITHOUT A SHOW OF EMOTION. HIS ATTORNEYS SAID THE DECISION WILL BE APPEALED TO THE SUPREME MILITARY TRIBUNAL, THE COURT OF LAST RESORT.

THE TIME HE WILL SPEND IN PRISON WAS REDUCED BY REASON OF ACTS OF VALOR AND WOUNDS RECEIVED DURING HIS SERVICE IN THE ITALIAN ARMY IN PREVIOUS WARS AND BEFORE THE ITALIAN ARMISTICE OF WORLD WAR II.

THE GRIZZLED VETERAN OF ITALY'S AFRICAN CONQUESTS WAS ACCUSED SPECIFICALLY OF TREASON AND OF COLLABORATING WITH MUSSOLINI'S LAST-DITCH FASCIST REGIME IN NORTHERN ITALY.

GRAZIANI HAD TESTIFIED THAT HE ACTED SIMPLY AS A SOLDIER IN SERVING AS MUSSOLINI'S WAR MINISTER IN THE LATE STAGES OF WORLD WAR II. EVEN TODAY HE DEFIANTLYTOLD THE MILITARY COURT TRYING HIM THAT HE WOULD DO THE SAME THING AGAIN IF CONDITIONS WERE THE SAME.

THIS WAS GRAZIANI'S SECOND TRIAL. A CIVILIAN COURT DISQUALIFIED ITSELF LAST YEAR AFTER A TURBULENT FIVE-MONTH HEARING. GRAZIANI HAS BEEN IN CUSTODY SINCE 1945.

GEN. EMANUEL BERAUDO DI PRALORMO, WHO ONCE SERVED UNDER GRAZIANI IN AFRICA, SLOWLY READ TODAY THE VERDICT OF THE COURT OF FIVE GENERALS AND ONE ADMIRAL. THE TRIAL LASTED NINE WEEKS. THE COURT REACHED ITS DECISION AFTER 11 HOURS OF DELIBERATION.

GRAZIANI, WEARING A BERIBBONED UNIFORM SHORN OF THE SYMBOLS OF RANK, SAID IN HIS FINAL STATEMENT THAT HE DID EVERYTHING "TO DEFEND THE HONOR AND INTEGRITY OF THE FATHERLAND. HE CONCEDED THAT HE HAD PRACTICED AND DEFENDED FASCISM IN ITALY FOR 18 YEARS.

PROSECUTING ATTORNEY GEN. NICOLO GALASSO HAD DEMANDED THAT GRAZIANI BE SENTENCED TO 24 YEARS FOR AIDING THE GERMANS AND FOR ORDERING THE EXECUTION OF NUMEROUS ANTI-FASCIST PARTISAN FIGHTERS. AT NO TIME DID THE PROSECUTION ASK FOR THE SUPREME PENALTY FOR TREASON--DEATH BY SHOTS IN THE BACK FROM A FIRING SQUAD.

GRAZIANI WAS CAPTURED BY THE ALLIES IN THE FINAL MONTHS OF THE WAR. FOR MOST OF HIS INTERNMENT HE HAS OCCUPIED A FIVE-ROOM APARTMENT WITHIN THE CELIO MILITARY HOSPITAL IN ROME.

IN VAIN HIS LAWYERS HAD SOUGHT HIS RELEASE ON GROUNDS THAT HE WAS SERIOUSLY ILL AND COULD NOT LIVE OUT A LONG PRISON SENTENCE. HE HAS BEEN PLAGUED FOR MONTHS BY HEART ATTACKS AND RESPIRATORY AILMENTS.

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ROME, MAY 2-(AP)-AN ANTI-COMMUNIST INDEPENDENT TOLD THE ITALIAN SENATE TODAY THE BIG ISSUE FACING ITALY IS:

"COCA COLA OR VODKA?"

BUT SENATOR ARTURO LABRIOLA, SUGGESTING A POLICY OF NEUTRALITY IN THE COLD WAR, TOLD ITALY TO STICK TO ITS "OWN GOOD WINE."

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AQUILA, ITALY, MAY 2-(AP)-THE FOUR PROVINCES OF ABRUZZI IN CENTRAL ITALY WERE TIED UP TODAY BY A COMMUNIST-SUPPORTED GENERAL STRIKE IN PROTEST AGAINST THE DEATHS OF TWO PEASANTS IN MAY DAY EVE RIOTING.

OFFICIALS OF THE COMMUNIST-DOMINATED CHAMBER OF LABOR SAID 21 OTHER PEASANTS WERE WOUNDED IN A DEMONSTRATION OVER ITALY'S PROPOSED LAND DISTRIBUTION PROGRAM. THESE OFFICIALS CHARGED THAT SOME OF THE SHOTS WERE FIRED BY POLICE AND OTHERS BY CIVILIANS WHO SNIPED AT THE DEMONSTRATORS.

AS A RESULT YESTERDAY'S MAY DAY DEMONSTRATIONS IN AQUILA WERE TURNED INTO A MOURNING PROCESSION. ROME'S COMMUNIST PRESS GAVE TOP PLAY TO THE SLAYINGS AND BLAMED THEM ON FASCIST AGITATORS.

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PRECEDE AQUILA DAY

ROME, MAY 2-(AP)-ITALY'S COMMUNIST LABOR LEADERS TONIGHT ORDERED A HALF-HOUR, NATION-WIDE STRIKE TOMORROW IN PROTEST AGAINST THE KILLING OF TWO PEASANTS IN A RIOT AT CELANO, IN THE ABRUZZI REGION.

TWENTY-ONE OTHER PEASANTS WERE WOUNDED BY GUNFIRE SUNDAY NIGHT AFTER A SQUABBLE OVER THE PROJECTED DIVISION OF UNCULTIVATED LANDS TO PEASANTS.

THE COMMUNIST-LED GENERAL CONFEDERATION OF LABOR (CGIL) CALLED ON ITS 5,000,000 MEMBERS TO STRIKE FROM 11:30 A.M. TO 12 NOON.

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NAPLES, ITALY, MAY 2-(AP)-POLICE ARRESTED 36 COMMUNISTS TONIGHT FOR "PRIVATE ACTS OF VIOLENCE" DURING THE UNLOADING OF THE SECOND SHIPMENT OF AMERICAN ARMS HERE SATURDAY.

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BY MICHAEL GOLDSMITH

GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, MAY 2-(AP)-A WORLDWIDE APPEAL TO OUTLAW ATOMIC WEAPONS WAS FORMALLY LAUNCHED TODAY BY THE INTERNATIONAL RED CROSS COMMITTEE.

THE APPEAL WAS SENT TO PRACTICALLY ALL THE WORLD'S GOVERNMENTS APRIL 20 AND PUBLISHED FOR THE FIRST TIME HERE TODAY BY PAUL RUEGGER, PRESIDENT OF THE COMMITTEE.

IT ASKED THE GOVERNMENTS TO TAKE "ALL STEPS TO REACH AN AGREEMENT ON THE PROHIBITION OF ATOMIC WEAPONS AND, IN A GENERAL WAY, OF ALL NON-DIRECTED MISSILES."

"WITHIN THE RADIUS AFFECTED BY THE ATOMIC BOMB, PROTECTION

IS NO LONGER FEASIBLE" THE APPEAL SAID. "THE USE OF THIS ARM IS LESS A DEVELOPMENT OF THE METHODS OF WARFARE THAN THE INSTITUTION OF AN ENTIRELY NEW CONCEPTION OF WAR, FIRST EXEMPLIFIED BY MASS BOMBARDMENTS AND LATER BY THE EMPLOYMENT OF ROCKET BOMBS.

"WITH ATOMIC BOMBS AND NON-DIRECTED MISSILES, DISCRIMINATION BECOMES IMPOSSIBLE. SUCH ARMS WILL NOT SPARE HOSPITALS, PRISONER-OF-WAR CAMPS AND CIVILIANS. THEIR INEVITABLE CONSEQUENCE IS EXTERMINATION, PURE AND SIMPLE.

"FURTHERMORE, THE SUFFERING CAUSED BY THE ATOMIC BOMB IS OUT OF PROPORTION TO STRATEGIC NECESSITY."

THE MISSION OF THE INTERNATIONAL RED CROSS WOULD DISAPPEAR, THE APPEAL SAID, IF SUCH ACTS OF WAR WERE PERMISSIBLE UNDER INTERNATIONAL LAW.

THE COMMITTEE FORMALLY CALLED ON ALL THE GOVERNMENTS WHICH SIGNED THE 1949 GENEVA WAR CONVENTIONS TO BAN ATOMIC WEAPONS AND NON-DIRECTED MISSILES" AS A LOGICAL COMPLEMENT" TO THE GENEVA CONVENTIONS. THE COMMITTEE OFFERED ITS AID TO GOVERNMENTS IN DRAWING UP A POSSIBLE INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION TO OUTLAW SUCH WEAPONS.

RUEGGER TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THAT GOVERNMENTS TO WHICH THE APPEAL WAS SENT INCLUDED THOSE OF THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN, THE SOVIET UNION, THE WEST GERMAN FEDERAL REPUBLIC AND JAPAN.

THE COMMITTEE IS COMPOSED ENTIRELY OF SWISS CITIZENS. IT SUPERVISES THE GENEVA CONVENTIONS FOR THE PROTECTION OF SOLDIERS AND CIVILIANS IN WARTIME.

THE INTERNATIONL RED CROSS CONFERENCE HELD IN STOCKHOLM IN 1948 PROPOSED THAT ATOMIC WEAPONS BE OUTLAWED.

THE STOCKHOLM PROPOSAL CAME BEFORE A WORLD CONFERENCE WHICH REVISED THE GENEVA WAR CONVENTIONS HERE LAST YEAR. THE SOVIET UNION AND ITS SATELLITES STRONGLY SUPPORTED IT. THE WESTERN DELEGATIONS MAINTAINED THE QUESTION OF ATOMIC WEAPONS BELONGED WITHIN THE CONMPETENCE OF THE UNITED NATIONS ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION.

A SOVIET RESOLUTION TO OUTLAW ATOMIC WEAPONS WAS REJECTED BY THE CONFERENCE, WHICH REFERRED THE WHOLE QUESTION TO THE U.N. ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION. THE COMMISSION IS DEADLOCKED ON EAST-WEST LINES.

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NIGHT LEAD POLICE (280)

BY RICKARD KASISCHKE

BERLIN, MAY 2-(AP)-A UNITED STATES COURT TODAY SENTENCED TWO MEMBERS OF THE EAST GERMAN PEOPLE'S POLICE TO A YEAR IN JAIL AS SOLDIERS IN AN ILLEGAL ARMY.

THE DEFENDANTS WERE LT.HEINZ ERICH NOCHT, 21, AND PATROLMAN WILHELM FOLOFF, 22. THEY WERE ARRESTED WITH SIX OTHER EAST GERMAN POLICEMEN APRIL 13 WHEN THEY INADVERTENTLY ENTERED THE AMERICAN SECTOR WHILE ARMED AND IN UNIFORM.

THEY PLEADED GUILTY OF WEARING THE UNIFORM OF A MODIFIED MILITARY ORGANIZATION, CARRYING MILITARY WEAPONS AND TRANSPORTING WAR MATERIALS -- ALL IN VIOLATION OF THE YALTA AND POTSDAM AGREEMENTS AND FOUR-POWER REGULATIONS DEMILITARIZING GERMANY.

THEIR SIX COMPANIONS ARE TO BE TRIED LATER.

IN PASSING SENTENCE, U.S. DISTRICT JUDGE JOHN A.SABO OF GARY, IND., SAID HE WAS BEING LEINENT BECAUSE THE MEN WERE "DUPES OF A DESIGNING AND SCHEMING AUTHORITY." (SOVIET RUSSIA OCCUPIES EAST GERMANY, WHOSE GOVERNMENT IS DIRECTED BY COMMUNISTS.)

THOUGH THE TWO MEN WERE SENTENCED TO A YEAR IN JAIL ON EACH OF THE THREE CHARGES, THE COURT SAID THE SENTENCES ON TWO OF THE CHARGES WOULD RUN CONCURRENTLY AND THE OTHER WOULD BE SUSPENDED.

THE DEPENDENTS, IN PLEADING GUILTY LAST WEEK, TESTIFIED THAT THE PEOPLE'S POLICE WAS IN FACT A FULL-SCALE WAR MACHINE OF 36,000 MEN WITH ARMOR, INFANTRY, NAVAL UNITS AND AN AIR FORCE IN TRAINING.

JUDGE SABO SAID THE MEN REALIZED THEY HAD BEEN "TRICKED BY A CONSTITUTED AUTHORITY INTO JOINING NOT WHAT THEY HAD BEEN LED TO BELIEVE WAS A SYSTEM FOR DETECTION OF CRIME BUT A PARA-MILITARY ORGANIZATION MADE UP OF UNITS STRATEGICALLY SCATTERED THROUGHOUT THE SOVIET ZONE OF GERMANY."

"THE INNOCENT SOUNDING BUT MISLEADING NAME OF PEOPLE'S POLICE WAS APPLIED TO AN ORGANIZATION WHICH HAS CARBINES, LIGHT AND HEAVY MACHINE-GUNS AND GRENADES--WEAPONS USED DURING THE LAST WAR BY THE GERMAN WEHRMACHT," HE SAID.

"THE PEOPLE'S POLICE WAS INTENTIONALLY MISNAMED TO FOOL THE PUBLIC. IT IS IN FACT AN UNLAWFUL MILITARY ORGANIZATION WITH ALL ITS TERRIFYING IMPLICATIONS."

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BERLIN, MAY 2-(AP)-AN AMERICAN COURT TODAY SENT TWO MEMBERS OF THE SOVIET-SPONSORED EAST GERMAN PEOPLE'S POLICE ARMY TO JAIL FOR ONE YEAR. THEY WERE CONVICTED OF TRANSPORTING WAR WEAPONS THROUGH THE U.S. SECTOR OF BERLIN.

THE PAIR, LIEUT. HEINZ ERICH NOCHT, 21, AND PATROLMAN WILHELM ROLOFF, 22, HAD TESTIFIED THAT THE SO-CALLED PEOPLE'S POLICE WAS ACTUALLY A FULL-SCALE WAR MACHINE-- A 36,000-MAN "ARMY" WITH ARMOR, NAVAL UNITS AND AIR FORCE INSTRUCTION.

NOCHT AND ROLOFF PLEADED GUILTY TO THREE CHARGES OF WARING MILITARY UNIFORMS AND TRANSPORTING RIFLES AND MACHINE PISTOLS.

THE COURT GRANTED LENIENCY, U.S. DISTRICT JUDGE JOHN A. SABO OF GARY, IND., SAID, BECAUSE THEY "WERE DUPES OF A DESIGNING AND SCHEMING AUTHORITY"-- THE RUSSIAN OCCUPATION AUTHORITIES AND THE COMMUNIST-DOMINATED EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT WHICH ORGANIZED THE PEOPLE'S POLICE.

SIX OTHER PEOPLE'S POLICEMEN ARRESTED WITH NOCHT AND ROLOFF ARE AWAITING TRIAL.

JUDGE SABO TERMED THE PEOPLE'S POLICE AN "UNLAWFUL MILITARY ORGANIZATION WITH ALL ITS TERRIFYING IMPLICATIONS." ITS CREATION, HE SAID, VIOLATED THE YALTA AND POTSDAM AGREEMENTS AND SUBSEQUENT FOUR-POWER LAWS FOR THE DEMILITARIZATION OF GERMANY.

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BY THOMAS A.REEDY

BERLIN, MAY 2-(AP)-THE YOUNG COMMUNISTS OF EAST GERMANY UNVEILED THEIR "AGITATION GROUPS" YESTERDAY IN A DRESS REHEARSAL OF WHITSUNDAY'S MARCH ON BERLIN.

THEY DID THEIR PRACTICING ONLY IN EAST BERLIN, WHERE IT WAS SAFE.

THE BLUE-SHIRTED "FREE GERMAN YOUTH" (FDJ) HAVE BORROWED AN OLD CARNIVAL TRICK TO PUT ON THEIR "AGITATION" ACT. THEY USE STOOGES.

TWO GROUPS WHICH SET UP SHOP ON SUN-BAKED UNTER DEN LINDEN, EAST OF THE BRANDENBURG GATE, ILLUSTRATED HOW THE AGITATION IS SUPPOSED TO WORK.

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A UNIFORMED FDJ BOY GETS INTO A SIMULATED ARGUMENT WITH ANOTHER YOUNG GERMAN WHO IS NOT IN UNIFORM. THIS ATTRACTS A CROWD.

A FEW MUTTER ANGRILY WHEN THE "UNCONVINCED" YOUTH SAYS THAT EVERYTHING DOESN'T SEEM SO ROSY TO HIM AND ASKS WHAT IS SO GOOD ABOUT THE "NATIONAL FRONT" OR THE SOCIALIST UNITY (COMMUNIST) PARTY AND WHAT IS SO BAD ABOUT THE AMERICANS OR THE BRITISH.

THE FDJ BOY HOLDS UP HIS HAND AND COMMANDS THE CROWD TO GIVE THE DISSENTER A CHANCE. HE USES THIS SPOT TO TALK AT GREAT LENGTH ABOUT FREEDOM OF SPEECH AND OPINION.

THEN THE FDJ REALLY SWINGS INTO ACTION. HE PREACHES THE COMMUNIST SLOGANS, HE DECLAIMS ABOUT FRIENDSHIP WITH THE SOVIET UNION AND WINDS UP WITH A BIG "DOWN WITH WARMONGERS" FLOURISH. LOOKING AROUND AT THE SCENE--A PISTOL SHOT FROM HITLER'S RUINED HEADQUARTERS--MOST GERMANS AGREE WAR OF ANY KIND SEEMS LIKE A PRETTY POOR BET SO HIS CURTAIN SPEECH IS ABOUT LIKE SAYING DOWN WITH SIN.

THE STOOGE FINALLY ALLOWS A LOOK OF DAWNING COMPREHENSION TO CREEP OVER HIM AND HE SHAKES HANDS WITH HIS FDJ INSTRUCTOR. HE WANTS TO KNOW THEN WHERE HE CAN JOIN UP WITH THIS "FIGHT FOR PEACE."

THIS IS ONE TACTIC THE EASTERN COMMUNIST BOSSES HAVE HIT UPON FOR THE PROPOSED MARCH OF 500,000 FDJ BLUESHIRTS DURING THE LAST WEEK OF THIS MONTH. IT HAS NOT YET BEEN ESTABLISHED WHETHER THE AGITATION GROUPS-- AS THEY ARE CALLED BY THEIR ORGANIZERS-- WILL VENTURE THEIR GAME IN THE WEST SECTORS SINCE THE ALLIED AUTHORITIES HAVE MADE IT CLEAR ANY UNIFORMED DEMONSTRATIONS ARE FORBIDDEN. IF THEY DO, IT WILL MEAN STREET CORNER ASSEMBLING AND GOADING THAT COULD STRAIN WEST BERLIN TEMPERS TOO FAR.

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BERLIN, MAY 2-(AP)-W. AVERELL HARRIMAN SAID TODAY THE RUSSIANS "MAY WELL HAVE OVERPLAYED THEIR HANDS" BY PREVENTING EXPANDED PRODUCTION IN THE COUNTRIES THEY CONTROL.

THE AMERICAN ROVING AMBASSADOR FOR THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION (ECA) TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THAT THE KREMLIN APPEARS TO HAVE CONDEMNED SATELLITE NATIONS TO "ECONOMIC DISTRESS."

HARRIMAN, WINDING UP A SERIES OF CONFERENCES ON A QUICK TRIP TO BERLIN, TOLD CORRESPONDENTS:

1. WEST BERLIN, WEST GERMANY AND WESTERN EUROPE ARE CLIMBING STEADILY UP THE LADDER OF PROSPERITY.

2. STEPS ARE BEING STUDIED NOW TO ENCOURAGE INVESTMENT OF FOREIGN CAPITAL IN EUROPE IF AND WHEN NO OTHER SUBSTITUTE FOR ECA IS FOUND WHEN THE PROGRAM ENDS IN 1952.

3. A STUDY IS BEING MADE OF STEPPING UP IMMIGRATION FROM GERMANY AND ITALY WHICH HAVE AN OVERSUPPLY OF LABOR.

HARRIMAN SAID SOVIET POLICY HAS HELD BACK ECONOMIC IMPROVEMENT IN THE EAST AND HE SAW LITTLE CHANCE FOR EXPANSION OF EAST-WEST TRADE AS A RESULT.

"IT IS THE POLICY OF THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT TO STRIP THE EAST OF EVERYTHING IT CAN AND NOTHING IS GOING BACK INTO IT," HE SAID.

HARRIMAN COMPLIMENTED THE PEOPLE OF WEST BERLIN AS HAVING SHOWN "THEIR WILL TO MAINTAIN THEIR FREEDOM."

"WE ARE GOING TO TRY TO HELP THEM ALL WE CAN," HE SAID, "WE BELIEVE IN THEM AND IN THEIR ULTIMATE SUCCESS."

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NIGHT LEAD STEEL (240)

BONN, GERMANY, MAY 2-(AP)-THE BRITISH AGREED WITH RESERVATIONS TODAY TO A GERMAN PLAN TO SAVE FOR PEACETIME PRODUCTION PARTS OF THE HERMANN GOERING STEEL WORKS EARMARKED FOR REPARATIONS.

SIR BRIAN ROBERTSON. THE BRITISH HIGH COMMISSIONER, ANNOUNCED THE CONCESSIONS IN A LETTER TO FEDERAL CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER.

THE HUGE STEEL PLANT AT WATENSTEDT-SALZGITTER, NEAR BRUNSWICK, HAS BEEN THE SCENE OF SEVERAL ANTI-DISMANTLING DEMONSTRATIONS. TWO MONTHS AGO, A CROWD OF GERMAN WORKERS DESTROYED TWO DRILLING DEVICES NEEDED FOR REMOVING MACHINERY, SNOWBALLED TWO BRITISH OFFICIALS AND SLASHED THE TIRES OF THEIR MOTOR CAR. BRITISH TROOPS LATER WERE MOVED TO THE WORKS TO KEEP ORDER.

THE DEMONSTRATORS CONTENDED THE DISMANTLING WOULD THROW THEM OUT OF WORK. THE ALLIES HELD THAT THE PLANT WAS BUILT SPECIALLY FOR WAR PRODUCTION AND WOULD BE UNECONOMICAL TO OPERATE IN PEACETIME .

THE WEST GERMAN LABOR MINISTER, ANTON STORCH, SUBMITTED A 19-POINT PROJECT FOR STARTING NEW INDUSTRIES THERE. HE PROPOSED TO ESTABLISH IMMEDIATELY A TILE FACTORY AND A ROAD TAR AND ASPHALT PLANT AND TO BEGIN LATER THE MANUFACTURE OF GLASS AND CERAMICS, OPTICAL INSTRUMENTS, WATCHES AND OFFICE MACHINERY.

STORCH ASKED FOR THE RETENTION OF BUILDINGS AND MACHINERY WHICH WOULD BE REQUIRED FOR THESE INDUSTRIES.

ROBERTSON AGREED TO MOST OF THE GERMAN REQUESTS. SOME HE TURNED DOWN BECAUSE THE EQUIPMENT INVOLVED HAD ALREADY BEEN SPECIFICALLY ALLOCATED. THE REPARATIONS ARE PAYMENT IN PART FOR THE DAMAGE THE GERMANS DID TO VARIOUS NATIONS THEY FOUGHT DURING WORLD WAR II.

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BONN, GERMANY, MAY 2-(AP)-BRITISH AUTHORITIES SAID TODAY THEY HAVE MADE SOME CONCESSIONS TO GERMAN APPEALS FOR A MODIFIED DISMANTLING OF THE HERMANN GOERING STEEL PLANT NEAR BRUNSWICK.

BRITISH HIGH COMMISSIONER SIR BRIAN ROBERTSON IN A LETTER TO WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER ACCEPTED WITH RESERVATIONS A GERMAN PLAN FOR CONVERSION OF PARTS OF THE PLANT FOR PEACETIME PRODUCTION.

THE STEEL PLANT HAS BEEN THE CENTER OF A DISMANTLING DISPUTE IN WESTERN GERMANY. IT WAS THE SCENE OF RECENT RIOTS AND BRITISH TROOPS WERE MOVED IN TO KEEP ORDER.

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STUTTGART, GERMANY, MAYY 2-(AP)-THE U.S. ARMY SAID TODAY FIVE SOLDIERS WERE CONVICTED BY A COURT MARTIAL YESTERDAY FOR RIOTING AND SMASHING PROPERTY IN A GERMAN TAVERN.

AN ARMY REPORT SAID THE SOLDIERS WENT TO THE TAVERN, NEAR AUGSBURG, ON FEB.12 TO "SQUARE ACCOUNTS" FOR A BEATING SUFFERED BY SOME OTHER SOLDIERS AT THE HANDS OF GERMANS IN THE TAVERN THE PREVIOUS NIGHT.

THE ARMY ANNOUNCEMENT SAID THE FIVE WERE: PFC. HUGH METZLER, BIRCHWOOD ROAD, BILLERICA, MASS., PFC. PAUL C. O'DONNELL, 308 EAST 56TH STREET, LONG BEACH, CALIF.; PVT. JAMES H. DEISCHER, BOX 401, NEW HARMONY, IND.; AND PVT. THOMAS H.WHITLOCK, 705 EAST MONROE, HUTCHINSON, KAS.

EACH WAS SENTENCED TO ONE YEAR'S CONFINEMENT, FINED $50 AND REDUCED IN RANK TO RECRUIT.

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FRANKFURT,GERMANY, MAY 2-(AP)-MSGR. NICHOLAS H.WEGNER, DIRECTOR OF BOYS TOWN, NEB., VISITED KARLKRUHE TODAY AND DISCUSSED WITH GERMAN OFFICIALS PLANS FOR SETTING UP A "BOYS TOWN" IN THAT AREA.

FATHER WEGNER, WHO SUCCEEDED THE LATE RT.REV. JOSEPH J.FLANNAGAN AS HEAD OF THE NEBRASKAN BOYS TOWN, WILL VISIT STUTTGART TOMORROW AND THEN LEAVE FOR BERLIN.

MSGR. EDWARD

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SAARBRUCKEN, THE SAAR, MAY 2-(AP)-THE SAAR PARLIAMENT TODAY VOTED OVERWHELMINGLY TO ACCEPT A RECENT INVITATION FROM THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE TO BECOME AN ASSOCIATE MEMBER.

AS SUCH, THE SAAR WILL HAVE THREE REPRESENTATIVES IN THE COUNCIL'S CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY AT STRASBOURG BUT WILL NOT BE REPRESENTED IN THE COMMITTEE OF FOREIGN MINISTERS.

THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE IS AN UNOFFICIAL PARLIAMENT OF WESTERN EUROPEAN NATIONS.

THE SAAR HAS LIMITED AUTONOMY, WITH ITS COAL-RICH ECONOMY MERGED WITH FRANCE.

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FREIBURG, GERMANY, MAY 2-(AP)-A GERMAN COURT TODAY CONVICTED TWO GERMAN DOCTORS OF THE "MERCY KILLINGS" OF 3,000 INMATES OF BADEN ASYLUMS UNDER HITLER'S SO-CALLED EUTHANASIA PROGRAM.

DR. JULIUS SCHRECK WAS SENTENCED TO 12 YEARS AT HARD LABOR AND DR. LUDWIG BRAUER TO 11 YEARS. THEY WERE CHARGED WITH CRIMES AGAINST HUMANITY.

THE DEFENDANTS ARGUED THAT THEY ACTED UNDER NAZI ORDERS TO ELIMINATE INCURABLES.

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WIESBADEN, GERMANY, MAY 2-(AP)-RETIRED U.S. AIR FORCE GEN. CARL A. SPAATZ ARRIVED TODAY TO ARRANGE FOR EXCHANGES OF CIVILIAN FLYING CADETS BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND WESTERN EUROPEAN NATIONS.

THE FORMER CHIEF OF STAFF OF THE U.S. AIR FORCE SAID "THE BASIC IDEA IS TO CREATE A LIAISON BETWEEN THE COUNTRIES THROUGH THE EXCHANGE OF THESE YOUNG FLIERS."

SPAATZ IS NOW CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD OF THE AMERICAN CIVIL AIR PATROL.

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CHIEM SEE, GERMANY, MAY 2-(AP)-MRS.JOHN J.MCCLOY CALLED ON AMERICAN WOMEN IN GERMANY TODAY TO REMOVE THE "NO GERMANS ALLOWED" SIGNS FROM THEIR HOMES AND TO BECOME MEMBERS OF THE GERMAN COMMUNITY.

AT THE OUTSET OF THE OCCUPATION ALL AMERICAN HOMES IN GERMANY HAD THE SIGNS ATTACHED TO THEIR FRONT DOORS.

ADDRESSING THE AMERICAN WOMEN'S ZONAL WELFARE CONFERENCE, THE WIFE OF THE U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER SAID:

"OUR TASK IS TO EXTEND X X X THE EXAMPLE OF DEMOCRACY DEEP INTO THE GERMAN COMMUNITY BY X X X FRIENDLINESS, INFLUENCE AND EXAMPLE."

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FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 2-(AP)-THE U.S. HIGH COMMISSION TODAY SAID THE STRUGGLE FOR A FREE GERMAN RADIO HAS NOT YET BEEN WON AND WARNED GERMANS OF POSSIBLE NEW ASSAULTS AGAINST RADIO'S INDEPENDENCE.

A REPORT ISSUED BY THE COMMISSION'S PUBLIC AFFAIRS OFFICE SAID: "THE GERMAN POST OFFICE, FOR EXAMPLE, IS KNOWN TO BE PREPARING A CAMPAIGN TO REGAIN THE CONTROLLING INFLUENCE OVER RADIO WHICH IT LOST BY MILITARY GOVERNMENT DECREE."

THE COMMISSION SAID THAT "MANY PERSONALITIES WITHIN AND AROUND THE BONN GOVERNMENT" ARE SEEKING TO RESURRECT THE OLD CENTRALIZED NETWORK USED BY THE NAZIS.

THE REPORT PRAISED THE PERFORMANCE OF INDEPENDENT STATIONS AT MUNICH, FRANKFURT, BREMEN AND STUTTGART, WHERE STATE LAWS GUARANTEE THE FREEDOM OF RADIO BROADCASTING.

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BERLIN, MAY 2-(AP)-DR. JAMES BURNHAM, NEW YORK UNIVERSITY PHILOSOPHY PROFESSOR AND AUTHOR OF "THE COMING DEFEAT OF COMMUNISM," URGED TODAY SUBVERSIVE RESISTANCE AGAINST RUSSIA BY EAST GERMANS.

HE TOLD A WEST BERLIN NEWS CONFERENCE THAT SUCH A CAMPAIGN "COULD MAKE EAST GERMANY UNTENABLE FOR COMMUNISM AND THE RUSSIANS WITHOUT RISK OF A REAL WAR."

HE ASSERTED THE ALLIES SHOULD ESTABLISH RUSSIAN-LANGUAGE RADIO STATIONS IN GERMANY TO APPEAL TO SOVIET TROOPS TO DESERT TO THE WEST.

EAST GERMANS, HE ADDED, SHOULD BE ENCOURAGED BY THE WESTERN POWERS TO DISRUPT THE RUSSIAN ZONE ADMINISTRATION, SLOW DOWN FACTORY PRODUCTION, AND IGNORE PRO-SOVIET OFFICIALS.

"I DON'T BELIEVE RUSSIA WILL BE READY FOR WAR FOR AT LEAST THREE YEARS," THE NEW YORKER ASSERTED. "THE WEST CAN BE FAR BOLDER THAN IT HAS BEEN TO DATE."

DR. BURNHAM CAME HERE TO OBSERVE THE WEST BERLIN MAY DAY DEMONSTRATION AGAINST COMMUNISM.

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FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 2-(AP)-AN AMERICAN DEFENDANT WHO HAD CHALLENGED THE VALIDITY OF THE AMERICAN COURT SYSTEM IN GERMANY WAS FREED TODAY FOR "INSUFFICIENT EVIDENCE."

THE DECISION WAS HANDED DOWN BY A U.S. HIGH COMMISSION COURT AT MARBURG IN THE RETRIAL OF CHARLES A. MARTRATT, OF ALBANY, N.Y., WHO WAS CHARGED WITH PARTICIPATING IN THE THEFT OF GOVERNMENT PROPERTY.

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THE COURT ON MARCH 22 HAD DENIED MARTRATT'S MOTION THAT THE AMERICAN COURTS WERE WERE ESTABLISHED WITHOUT PROPER AUTHORITY.

MARTRATT WAS DEFENDED BY EARL CARROLL, OF SAN BRUNO, CALIF.

MARTRATT WAS CONVICTED A YEAR AGO AND SENTENCED TO A YEAR IN JAIL, BUT AN APPEALS COURT ORDERED A RETRIAL BECAUSE THE FIRST CASE WAS HEARD BY TWO JUDGES, INSTEAD OF ONE OR THREE AS REQUIRED.

TWO PROSECUTION WITNESSES IN THE FIRST TRIAL FAILED TO APPEAR FOR THE RETRIAL.

THE PROSECUTION ATTEMPTED TO INTRODUCE THEIR EVIDENCE FROM THE FIIRST TRIAL. CARROLL OBJECTED ON THE GROUND THE FIRST TRIAL WAS INVALID.

JUDGE PETER STUPAR, MILWAUKEE, WIS., UPHELD CARROLL'S OBJECTION AND ORDERED THE CASE DISMISSED FOR LACK OF SUFFICIENT EVIDENCE.

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MOSCOW, MAY 2-(AP)-THE COMMUNIST PARTY ORGAN PRAVDA TODAY REPEATED CHARGES THAT 27 LENDLEASE SHIPS RETURNED TO THE U.S. BY RUSSIA WERE BEING USED TO FORM THE NUCLEUS OF A RESURRECTED JAPANESE NAVY.

PRAVDA SAID AN OFFICIAL U.S. DENIAL OF THE ORIGINAL CHARGES "HAD ONLY MADE MORE CLEAR THE FACT THAT THE FRIGATES NOW ARE COMMANDED BY JAPANESE NAVAL OFFICERS AND MANNED BY JAPANESE SAILORS AT THE YOKOSUKA NAVAL BASE."

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"THESE FACTS," ADDED THE PARTY NEWSPAPER, "ARE INDISPUTABLE EVIDENCE THAT AMERICAN MILITARY AUTHORITIES ARE RESURRECTING THE JAPANESE NAVY AND HELPING IN THE RESURRECTION OF JAPANESE MILITARISM."

PRAVDA'S REPETITION OF THE CHARGES WAS REGARDED BY OBSERVERS HERE AS SIGNIFICANT.

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MOSCOW, MAY 2-(AP)-MOSCOW NEWSPAPERS PUBLISHED TODAY PICTURES OF THE RED SQUARE REVIEWING STAND FROM WHICH MEMBERS OF THE SOVIET POLITBURO VIEWED MOSCOW'S MAY DAY PARADE.

PRIME MINISTER STALIN WAS FLANKED ON THE LEFT BY POLITBURO MEMBER GEORGI MALENKOV AND ON THE RIGHT BY MARSHAL NIKOLAI BULGANIN.

THE MILITARY FIGURES WERE ON THE LEFT, THE POLITBURO ON THE RIGHT. FROM LEFT TO RIGHT, AROUND STALIN, WERE: MARSHAL PAVEL ZHIGARYEV, ARMY GEN. ALEXANDER KHRULEV, NAVY MINISTER ADM. IVAN S. YUMASHEV, MARSHAL LEONID S. GOVOROV, MARSHAL SEMYON BUDYENNY, MARSHAL VASSILY D. SOKOLOVSKY, MARSHAL A. M. VASILEVSKY, MARSHAL K. E. VOROSHILOV, CHIEF OF STAFF GEN. S.M. SHTEMENKO, MARSHAL NIKOLAI A. BULGANIN, STALIN, AND POLITBURO MEMBERS MALENKOV, LAVRENTI P. BERIA, A.I. MIKOYAN, V.M. MOLOTOV, L.S. KAGANOVICH, A.A. ANDREYEV, N.S.KHRUSCHEV, N.M. SHVERNIK, A.N. KOSYGIN. IN THE BACKGROUND WERE COMMUNIST PARTY SECRETARIES M.A. SUSLOV, P.K. PONOMARENKO AND S.K. SHKIRYATOV, AS WELL AS DEPUTY PRIME MINISTERS I.T. TEVOSYAN, A.I. EFREMOV, V.A. MALYSHEV AND M.G. PERVUKHIN.

VOROSHILOV AND BULGANIN ARE ALSO POLITBURO MEMBERS.

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OBSERVERS IN THE WEST COULD NOT HELP WONDERING AT THE POSITION OF MOLOTOV IN THE PICTURE. IT MIGHT BE TAKEN AS A FRESH INDICATION THAT THE MAN LONG CONSIDERED THE CROWN PRINCE OF WORLD COMMUNISM HAS SLIPPED TO A LESSER SPOT IN THE SOVIET HIERARCHY.

THE SOVIET UNION'S PECULIAR PROTOCOL GENERALLY CALLS FOR THE LISTING OF POLITBURO MEMBERS IN THE ORDER OF THEIR IMPORTANCE IN PRESS ACCOUNTS OR PICTURES OF MAJOR CELEBRATIONS SUCH AS YESTERDAY'S.

IN THESE LISTINGS AND PICTURES MALENKOV HAS CLIMBED STEADILY UNTIL HE APPEARED TO BE ONE OF THE TOP, IF NOT THE HIGHEST RANKING, OF THE COMMUNISTS UNDER STALIN. LAST NOVEMBER, AT THE CELEBRATION OF THE ANNIVERSARY OF THE RUSSIAN REVOLUTION, IT WAS MOLOTOV ON STALIN'S RIGHT AND MALENKOV ON HIS LEFT. SUCH THINGS ARE CONSIDERED HIGHLY IMPORTANT IN RUSSIA.

THE DISPATCH LISTS THOSE DEPUTY PRIME MINISTERS WHO ARE NOT MEMBERS OF THE POLITBURO. ONE DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER, M.Z. SABUROV, IS MISSING FROM THE LIST. SABUROV HAS BEEN HOLDING A TICKLISH POSITION -- HEAD OF THE GOSPLAN, OR STATE PLANNING COMMISSION -- WHICH WAS THE JOB OF NIKOLAI N. VOZNESENSKY BEFORE THAT ONCE STRONG POLITBURO MEMBER WAS PURGED. SABUROV LAST WAS HEARD FROM IN FEBRUARY WHEN HE WAS AWARDED THE ORDER OF LENIN ON HIS 50TH BIRTHDAY.

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GFIRST LEAD CHINESE

BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI, FORMOSA, WEDNESDAY, MAY 3-(AP)-THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS TODAY OFFICIALLY CONCEDED THE REDS HAD CONQUERED HAINAN ISLAND BUT SAID THEY HAD EVACUATED TROOPS AND SUPPLIES WITH "BETTER RESULTS THAN EXPECTED."

A GOVERNMENT STATEMENT SAID THE LAST NATIONAL UNIT WAS EMBARKED FROM THE SOUTH COAST PORT OF YULIN ON MONDAY.

IT DID NOT SAY HOW MANY TROOPS WERE WITHDRAWN, BUT DECLARED THEY WOULD BE USED IN OTHER AREAS WHERE THE COMMUNISTS WOULD HAVE TO FIGHT UNDER LESS FAVORABLE CIRCUMSTANCES (PRESUMABLY FORMOSA ITSELF AND ITS SCREENING ISLANDS.)

THE STATEMENT ASSERTED THE COMMUNISTS SUFFERED ABOUT 17,000 CASUALTIES IN THE HAINAN CAMPAIGN EVEN BEFORE THE SUCCESSFUL INVASION. IT ADDED THAT THE REDS SUFFERED FAR HEAVIER LOSSES ON HAINAN ITSELF THAN THE DEFENDERS.

PREVIOUSLY, AUTHORITIES DISCLOSED THAT 1,284 PERSONS WERE ARRESTED IN A BIG RED HUNT ON FORMOSA SUNDAY.

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REPORTS FROM EAST COAST CENTERS AND THE PESCADORES ISLANDS OFF SOUTHWESTERN FORMOSA ARE EXPECTED TO SWELL THE NUMBER.

MOST WERE DETAINED FOR ENTERING FORMOSA ILLEGALLY OR LACKING PROPER CREDENTIALS.

IN TAIPEI, 213 WERE SEIZED. AT KAOHSIUNG, THE NAVAL BASE ON SOUTHWEST FORMOSA, 113 WERE ARRESTED.

ABOUT 91,000 PERSONS TOOK PART IN THE "CENSUS" BETWEEN MIDNIGHT AND 8 A.M.

THE NATIONALISTS ASSERTED THAT NEW YAK-21 FIGHTERS OF RUSSIA'S FAR EAST AIR FORCE ARE FLYING COMBAT MISSIONS WITH THE CHINESE COMMUNIST AIR FORCE. A COMMUNIQUE SAID "THIS OPENLY PROVES THAT SOVIET RUSSIA, IN TOTAL DISREGARD OF INTERNATIONAL FAITH, HAS OPENLY JOINED THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS IN EXTENDING THE SCOPE OF THE WAR."

THE NATIONALISTS TOLD BELATEDLY OF SMALL GUERRILLA COMBAT ACTIONS. THEY SAID:

THE WARSHIP YUNGTAI SATURDAY SHELLED KANMEN, ON THE EAST COAST OF YUHWAN ISLAND, 215 MILES SOUTH OF SHANGHAI. A FEW HUNDRED GUERRILLAS STORMED ASHORE AT 11 P.M., BATTLED COMMUNIST DEFENDERS AND WITHDREW IN TWO HOURS.

NATIONALIST GUERRILLAS KILLED OR WOUNDED MORE THAN 160 REDS IN RAIDS APRIL 11 AND 15 ON YUHWAN.

THE NATIONALISTS DESCRIBED THE ISLAND AS AN IMPORTANT POINT IN THE COMMUNISTS' COMMUNICATION SYSTEM ALONG EAST CHINA'S COAST.

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NIGHT LEAD CHINESE

BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIEPI,FORMOSA, WEDNESDAY, MAY 3-(AP)-THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS TODAY ANNOUNCED THEY HAD ABANDONED HAINAN ISLAND TO THE COMMUNISTS, BUT CLAIMED THEY HAD BROUGHT OFF MORE TROOPS THAN EXPECTED.

AN OFFICIAL GOVERNMENT STATEMENT SAID THE LAST NATIONALIST UNIT PULLED OUT MONDAY FROM THE SOUTH COAST PORT OF YULIN, COMPLETING A "PREARRANGED" WITHDRAWAL.

THE STATEMENT ASSERTED THE CONQUEST OF THE SOUTH CHINA ISLAND HAD COST THE COMMUNISTS DEARLY. IT BROKE DOWN ASSERTED RED LOSSES THIS WAY:

IN 10 STABS AT HAINAN BEFORE THE SUCCESSFUL INVASION APRIL 17---7,191 CASUALTIES PLUS 1,169 TAKEN PRISONER, 658 COMMUNIST CRAFT SUNK, 15 OTHERS CAPTURED.

IN A NIGHT SEA BATTLE BEFORE THE INVASION, ABOUT 10,000 COMMUNISTS KILLED.

THE STATEMENT DECLARED THE COMMUNIST INVADERS OF HAINAN ALSO SUFFERED FAR HEAVIER LOSSES THAN THE GARRISON.

THE TROOPS AND SUPPLIES BROUGHT OFF FROM HAINAN WILL BE USED IN FUTURE BATTLES WHICH THE NATIONALISTS SAID THE REDS WOULD BE FORCED TO FIGHT AT A LESS FAVORABLE TIME AND PLACE.

(THIS PRESUMABLY MEANS FORMOSA ITSELF AND SUCH SCREENING ISLANDS AS CHUSHAN, THE BLOCKADE BASE 100 MILES SOUTH OF SHANGHAI.)

THE NATIONALISTS ALSO REPORTED THEY HAD ARRESTED 1,284 PERSONS ON FORMOSA IN A SPOT CENSUS CHECK. THEY PROBABLY WILL BE SCREENED TO SEE IF THEY HAVE ANY COMMUNIST CONNECTIONS. THEY WERE HELD FOR ENTERING FORMOSA ILLEGALLY OR FOR LACKING CREDENTIALS.

AUTHORITIES DISCLOSED THAT A FEW HUNDRED NATIONALIST GUERRILLAS RAIDED YUHWAN ISLAND, OFF THE CHINA COAST 190 MILES NORTH OF FORMOSA, ON APRIL 29.

THE NATIONALISTS SAID THE INVADERS WITHDREW AFTER INFLICTING HEAVY CASUALTIES.

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GSECOND NIGHT LEAD MACARTHUR (170)

BY WILLIAM JORDEN

TOKYO,WEDNESDAY,MAY 3-(AP)-JAPANESE OBSERVED THE THIRD ANNIVERSARY OF THEIR NEW CONSTITUTION TODAY BUT THERE WAS NO FOLLOW THROUGH ON GENERAL MACARTHUR'S SUGGESTION OF OUTLAWING JAPAN'S COMMUNIST PARTY.

THE ALLIED OCCUPATION COMMANDER ISSUED AN ANNIVERSARY STATEMENT YESTERDAY CALLING THE JAPAN COMMUNIST PARTY "AN AVOWED SATELLITE OF AN INTERNATIONAL PREDATORY FORCE." FOR THE SECOND TIME IN 10 MONTHS HE RAISED THE QUESTION OF THE PARTY'S RIGHT TO LEGAL STATUS.

IN A SPEECH TODAY AT BRIEF CEREMINIES IN THE IMPERIAL PALACE PLAZA PRIME MINISTER SHIGERU YOSHIDA POINTEDLY AVOIDED ANY REFERENCE TO THE ISSUE RAISED BY MACARTHUR. HIS ONLY REFERENCE TO THE COMMUNISTS WAS A WARNING THAT JAPAN WOULD HAVE TO REJECT "ALL THINGS OPPOSED TO DEMOCRACY" IN ORDER TO "REALIZE THE IDEALS OF THE CONSTITUTION."

YOSHIDA SPOKE TO ABOUT 7,500 PERSONS--SMALL INCONTRAST TO THE ESTIMATED 300,000 WHO JAMMED THE SAME PLAZA TWO DAYS AGO TO OBSERVE MAY DAY. EMPEROR HIROHITO, DRESSED IN MORNING CLOTHES, AND EMPRESS NAGAKO ATTENDED THE 25-MINUTE CONSTITUTION OBSERVANCE. OTHER HIGH GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS SPOKE BRIEFLY.

THE OCCUPATION COMMANDER'S OBSERVATIONS WERE MADE IN A STATEMENT ON THE THIRD ANNIVERSARY OF JAPAN'S DEMOCRATIC CONSTITUTION. HE FIRST QUESTIONED THE PARTY'S RIGHT TO LEGAL STATUS 10 MONTHS AGO.

MACARTHUR PRAISED THE JAPANESE FOR THEIR "POLITICAL PROGRESS UNDER THE ESTABLISHED NORMS OF REPRESENTATIVE DEMOCRACY."

"AND AS JAPAN GOES, SO IN DUE TIME MAY GO ALL OF ASIA," HE SAID. "FOR MEN WILL COME TO SEE IN JAPAN'S BILL OF RIGHTS AND RESULTING SOCIAL PROGRESS THE ANTIDOTE TO MANY OF ASIA'S BASIC ILLS."

THEN HE TURNED TO THE COMMUNISTS. HE CALLED THE PARTY "A SMALL MINORITY WHICH, THROUGH THE PERVERSIVE USE OF LIBERTY AND PRIVILEGE, SEEKS TO ENCOMPASS FREEDOM'S DESTRUCTION."

MACARTHUR REMINDED THE JAPANESE THAT AN EVEN SMALLER MINORITY, THE MILITARISTS, LED THEM INTO A WAR AND DISASTER.

HE SAID THE COMMUNISTS SOUGHT TO LULL THE JAPANESE "INTO AN EVEN GREATER DISASTER--THIS TIME WITHOUT EVEN THE PRETENSE OF SERVICE TO LEGITIMATE NATIONAL ENDS, BUT UNDER FOREIGN DICTATION TO ESTABLISH A DOMESTIC BASIS FAVORABLE TO THE ULTIMATE SUBJUGATION OF JAPAN TO THE POLITICAL CONTROL OF OTHERS."

AT FIRST AFTER THE COMMUNISTS WERE GIVEN CONSTITUTIONAL PROTECTION THEY PROCEEDED "IN MODERATION AND THEREBY ENLISTED SOME PUBLIC SUPPORT," MACARTHUR CONTINUED.

HE SAID THE JAPANESE PARTY LATER "WENT THE WAY OF ALL COMMUNIST MOVEMENTS, BECOMING INCREASINGLY INTEMPERATE IN POLITICAL AND SOCIAL ACTIVITY" AND AROUSING SUCH "A POPULAR REVULSION" THAT IT FELL INTO ECLIPSE.

"MORE LATTERLY," MACARTHUR OBSERVED, "ITS SHATTERED REMNANT, IN FRUSTRATION BORN OF THIS FAILURE, HAS CAST OFF THE MANTLE OF PRETENDED LEGITIMACY AND ASSUMED INSTEAD THE ROLE OF AN AVOWED SATELLITE OF AN INTERNATIONAL PREDATORY FORCE AND A JAPANESE PAWN OF ALIEN POWER POLICY, IMPERIALISTIC PURPOSE AND SUBVERSIVE PROPAGANDA.

"THAT IT HAS DONE SO AT ONCE BRINGS INTO QUESTION ITS RIGHT TO THE FURTHER BENEFITS AND PROTECTION OF THE COUNTRY AND LAWS IT WOULD SUBVERT AND RAISES DOUBT AS TO WHETHER IT SHOULD LONGER BE REGARDED AS A CONSTITUTIONALLY-RECOGNIZED POLITICAL MOVEMENT."

THE ALLIED COMMANDER PROPOSED, HOWEVER, THAT THE QUESTION OF THE PARTY'S LEGALITY BE "RESOLVED CALMLY, JUSTLY AND DISPASSIONATELY WITH THE SAME CONSIDERATION AND SAFEGUARDS EXTENDED TO ANY ANTI-SOCIAL FORCE IN A PEACEFUL AND LAW-ABIDING COMMUNITY."

MEANWHILE, THE JAPANESE COMMUNIST PARTY'S CENTRAL COMMITTEE ISSUED A STATEMENT ASSERTING THE PARTY WILL "DETERMINEDLY COUNTERATTACK REACTIONARY FORCES HERE AND ABROAD."

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FIRST LEAD MACARTHUR (BJT)
BY WILLIAM JORDAN

TOKYO, MAY 2-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR TODAY URGED THE JAPANESE TO DEFEND THEIR NEW CONSTITUTIONAL LIBERTIES AGAINST THE "INTERNATIONAL POLITICAL PERFIDY" OF COMMUNISM. FOR THE SECOND TIME IN 10 MONTHS HE SUGGESTED THE POSSIBILITY OF OUTLAWING JAPAN'S COMMUNIST PARTY.

THE ALLIED OCCUPATION COMMANDER TOOK THE THIRD ANNIVERSARY OF JAPAN'S "NO WAR" CONSTITUTION AS THE OCCASION FOR A STATEMENT DENOUNCING ANEW COMMUNISM HERE AND ABROAD.

JAPAN'S COMMUNIST PARTY, MACARTHUR SAID, IS "AN AVOWED SATELLITE OF AN INTERNATIONAL PREDATORY FORCE AND A JAPANESE PAWN OF ALIEN POWER POLICY, IMPERIALISTIC PURPOSE AND SUBVERSIVE PROPAGANDA." THEN HE ADDED:

"THAT IT HAS DONE SO AT ONCE BRINGS INTO QUESTION ITS RIGHT TO THE FURTHER BENEFITS AND PROTECTION OF THE COUNTRY AND LAWS IT WOULD SUBVERT AND RAISES DOUBT AS TO WHETHER IT SHOULD LONGER BE REGARDED AS A CONSTITUTIONALLY RECOGNIZED POLITICAL MOVEMENT."

THE OCCUPATION CHIEF RAISED THE SAME QUESTION LAST JULY 4 WHEN HE LABELED COMMUNISM "NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL OUTLAWRY."

TODAY HE CALLED IT "THIS FORM OF INTERNATIONAL POLITICAL PERFIDY, SOCIAL DECEPTION AND TERRITORIAL FRAUD."

MACARTHUR CAUTIONED THE JAPANESE THAT THE QUESTION OF OUTLAWING THE COMMUNIST PARTY "SHOULD, OF COURSE, BE RESOLVED CALMLY, JUSTLY AND DISPASSIONATELY WITH THE SAME CONSIDERATION AND SAFEGUARDS EXTENDED TO ANY ANTI-SOCIAL FORCE IN A PEACEFUL AND LAW-ABIDING COMMUNITY."

THE GENERAL X X X FIFTH GRAF (A91 MOVED IN ADVANCE MONDAY)
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TOKYO,WEDNESDAY, MAY 3-(AP)-THE TOP RUSSIAN IN JAPAN TODAY FORMALLY ASKED GENERAL MACARTHUR TO EXPLAIN "THE RECONSTRUCTION OF FORMER JAPANESE NAVAL AND AIR BASES."

THE REQUEST WAS MADE BY LETTER BY LT. GEN. KUZMA DEREVYANKO, HEAD OF THE SOVIET MISSION.

DEREVYANKO CHARGED REHABILITATION OF KEY BASES OCCUPIED BY AMERICAN FORCES IS CONTRARY TO OCCUPATION POLICIES LAID DOWN BY THE FAR EASTERN COMMISSION.

THE RUSSIAN'S LETTER INDICATED THE POSSIBILITY OF A RENEWED OFFICIAL ATTACK ON THE MAINTENANCE OF AMERICAN BASES IN JAPAN. THIS WOULD COINCIDE WITH THE APPARENT START OF A NEW AMERICAN AND JAPANESE GOVERNMENT MOVE AGAINST THE ACTIVITIES OF JAPANESE COMMUNISTS.

DEREVYANKO'S LETTER REVIEWED SEVERAL LOCALLY PUBLISHED NEWSPAPER ACCOUNTS ON AMERICAN-MAINTAINED AIR BASES IN JAPAN AND OKINAWA AND THE BIG NAVAL BASE AT YOKOSUKA NEAR TOKYO. THE ARTICLES REFERRED PRINCIPALLY TO THE CAPACITY OF THE BASES FOR HANDLING AIRCRAFT AND SHIPS.

"IN CONNECTION WITH THE ABOVE MENTIONED," THE SOVIET LETTER SAID, "I ASK YOU, GENERAL, TO INFORM ME, AS THE MEMBER OF THE ALLIED COUNCIL FOR JAPAN FROM THE U. S. S. R., WITH REGARD TO THE ESSENCE OF THE ABOVE CITED REPORTS, KEEPING IN MIND THAT THE RECONSTRUCTION OF THE FORMER JAPANESE NAVAL AND AIR BASES IS INCOMPATIBLE WITH THE OBLIGATIONS ASSUMED BY THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA TOGETHER WITH THE SOVIET UNION AND OTHER MEMBERS OF THE FAR EASTERN COMMISSION UNDER THE REC POLICY DECISION ''

OBLIGATIONS ASSUMED BY THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA TOGETHER WITH THE SOVIET UNION AND OTHER MEMBERS OF THE FAR EASTERN COMMISSION UNDER THE FEC POLICY DECISION 'FUNDAMENTAL POLICY TOWARD JAPAN AFTER THE SURRENDER' OF JUNE 19, 1947."

A REPRESENTATIVE OF TASS, THE RUSSIAN NEWS AGENCY, DISTRIBUTED THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE TEXT OF THE LETTER. HE SAID IT WAS DELIVERED TO MACARTHUR TODAY.

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TOKYO,MAY 2-(AP)-KYODO NEWS AGENCY SAID TODAY TOHOKU UNIVERSITY STUDENTS AT SENDAI HOWLED DOWN AN OCCUPATION EDUCATOR WHO ATTEMPTED TO LECTURE AGAINST COMMUNISTS.

DR.W.C.EELLS OF GENERAL MACARTHUR'S CIVIL INFORMATION AND EDUCATION SECTION WAS FORCED TO STOP AFTER 90 MINUTES OF HECKLING.

THE NEWSPAPER ASAHI IDENTIFIED THE STUDENTS AS MEMBERS OF A COMMUNIST CELL.

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SEOUL, KOREA, MAY 2-(AP)-A UNITED NATIONS SPOKESMAN, IN A BROADCAST BEAMED TO COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA, LAST NIGHT PROMISED A PLAN TO UNITE THE NATION.

ARTHUR B. JAMESON OF AUSTRALIA, ACTING U.N. CHAIRMAN IN KOREA, SAID, "IT IS STILL OUR EARNEST HOPE THAT THE BARRIER (THE 38TH PARALLEL SEPARATING THE TWO HALVES OF KOREA) MAY BE SURMOUNTED AND REMOVED. I HARDLY NEED ADD THAT MUST BE DONE BY PEACEFUL MEANS."

JAMESON SAID DR.ANUP SINDH OF INDIA, A U.N. COMMISSIONER HERE, WILL PROPOSE A SOLUTION IN A WEDNESDAY BROADCAST.

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SEOUL,KOREA,MAY 2-(AP)-LOUIS K.BENJAMIN, CINCINNATI, DIRECTOR OF JOINT ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES IN KOREA, SAID TODAY HE HAS BEEN CALLED TO WASHINGTON FOR CONSULTATION. HE SAID HE WILL LEAVE SATURDAY AND RETURN MAY 15.

AMBASSADOR JOHN J.MUCCIO NOW IS IN WASHINGTON DISCUSSING KOREA'S PROGRESS TOWARD ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL STABILITY.

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PRECEDE JOHANNSEBURG DAY (380)
BY ARTHUR GAVSHON

CAPETOWN, UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA, MAY 2-(AP)-A NIGHT OF TERROR GROWING OUT OF AN ATTEMPTED MAY DAY STRIKE IN JOHANNESBURG AND THE SURROUNDING WITWATERSRAND GOLD MINING REGION LED TO THE DEATH OF 18 NEGROES AND THE WOUNDING OF MORE THAN 30, JUSTICE MINISTER C.R. SWART TOLD THE HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY TODAY.

IN AN INTERVIEW EARLIER ON PLANS FOR LEGISLATION TO SMASH THE SMALL COMMUNIST MOVEMENT HERE, SWART CHARGED COMMUNISTS ARE DEVOTING 95 PER CENT OF THEIR ATTENTION TO STIRRING UP SOUTH AFRICA'S NEGRO POPULATION. HE SAID THEY ALREADY HAVE TRIED THEIR HANDS AT ESPIONAGE--A THEME ON WHICH HE DID NOT ELABORATE -- AT THE "DICTATES OF MOSCOW."

SWART SAID A "STRONG, WIDE" ANTI-COMMUNIST BILL WILL BE INTRODUCED IN PARLIAMENT FRIDAY. HE REFUSED DETAILS.

SIXTEEN OF THE NEGROES KILLED AT JOHANNESBURG AND NEARBY WERE SHOT

BY POLICE IN DISPERSING GATHERINGS.
TWO SUFFOCATED IN A BURNING MOVIE THEATER SET ALIGHT BY RIOTERS.
SHOPS WERE LOOTED AND STREET LIGHTS STONED WHEN RIOTING FLARED IN ALL THE NATIVE SUBURBS OF JOHANNESBURG AND SOME NEARBY TOWNS.

FEARFUL OF COMMUNIST INROADS IN BUDDING NATIONALIST AND LABOR MOVEMENTS AMONG SOUTH AFRICA'S NATIVES, SWART HAD BANNED THE PROJECTED CELEBRATION OF MAY 1 AS "FREEDOM DAY."

ALL DAY YESTERDAY RESENTFUL CROWDS HISSED, JEERED AND THREATENED "WAIT UNTIL DARK" AS JOHANNESBURG POLICE PATROLS, ARMED WITH RIFLES, PISTOLS, BAYONETS AND STEN GUNS WENT ABOUT BREAKING UP GATHERINGS.

ABOUT 2,000 POLICE, SUPPLEMENTED BY TROOPS WITH ARMORED CARS ON STAND-BY DUTY, HAD BEEN MOBILIZED TO KEEP ORDER.

IN PROTEST AGAINST THE BAN ON MAY DAY MEETINGS, COMMUNIST LEADERS PROPOSED A STRIKE. STRIKERS TRIED TO DISSUADE OTHER WORKERS FROM REPORTING AT THEIR JOBS.

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SWART TOLD TE HOUSE THAT AT BENONI TWO INDIANS -- MEMBERS OF AN ASIATIC GROUP WHICH FORMS ANOTHER SOUTH AFRICAN PROBLEM -- ADDRESSED 450 NEGROES IN DEFIANCE OF THE BAN ON MEETINGS. WHEN POLICE ATTEMPTED TO BREAK UP THE MEETING THEY WERE SURROUNDED AND WERE FORCED TO OPEN FIRE, KILLING FOUR AND WOUNDING SIX, HE SAID.

AT SOPHIATOWN, A JOHANNESBURG SUBURB, AND AT NEWCLARE, POLICE PATROLS WERE STONED AND THE CROWDS WERE DISPERSED BY BURSTS OF STENGUN FIRE WHICH KILLED TWO AND WOUNDED SIX, SWART ADDED. THE NATIVES STONED BUSSES AND THEN GATHERED ALONG A ROAD LEADING TO THE POLICE STATION. AGAIN A RIOT SQUAD OPENED FIRE.

ELSEWHERE POLICE WERE STONED, BUS SHELTERS SET AFIRE AND MOVIES BURNED.

"THERE WOULD HAVE BEEN A BLOOD BATH" HAD THE NATIVES REACHED WHITE AREAS, SWART SAID, BUT THIS WAS PREVENTED.

NOT UNTIL MORNING DID THE SITUATION QUIET DOWN.

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JOHANNESBURG, SOUTH AFRICA, MAY 2-(AP)-POLICE LISTED TODAY 15 [illegible]RO NATIVES KILLED AND MORE THAN 30 WOUNDED IN A NIGHT OF TERROR THAT FOLLOWED MAY DAY DEMONSTRATIONS IN NATIVE AREAS AROUND JOHANNESBURG.

POLICE SAID THEY HAD THE SITUATION UNDER CONTROL AFTER 24 HOURS OF MOUNTING TENSION IN THIS RACE-CONSCIOUS CITY.

SIXTEEN OF THE DEAD WERE SHOT BY POLICE DISPERSING MAY DAY GATHERINGS. TWO NATIVES WERE SUFFOCATED BY FUMES FROM A BURNING MOVING PICTURE THEATER SET ALIGHT BY RIOTERS IN ALEXANDRA, A SUBURB.

THE SOUTH AFRICAN GOVERNMENT, EXPRESSING FEAR OF A COMMUNIST PLOT TO STIR UP A GENERAL STRIKE OF NATIVE WORKERS, BANNED ALL MAY DAY DEMONSTRATIONS. COMMUNIST LEADERS ORDERED THEIR FOLLOWERS TO DEFY THE BAN.

THROUGHOUT YESTERDAY THOUSANDS OF NATIVES WHO HAD PLANNED TO CELEBRATE MAY DAY AS "FREEDOM DAY" SHOWED RESENTMENT TOWARDS THE STRONG FORCE OF 2,000 JOHANNESBURG POLICE MOBLIZED ON A 24-HOUR DUTY TO PROTECT WORKERS GOING TO THEIR JOBS. ARMED POLICE PATROLS BROKE UP MEETINGS WHICH HAD BEEN BANNED BY ORDER OF MINISTER OF JUSTICE C.R. SWART.

THE NATIVE DEMONSTRATORS HISSED AND JEERED THE POLICE AND MANY WARNED POLICE "WAIT UNTIL DARK."

THE REAL TROUBLE STARTED WHEN NIGHT FELL.

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JAKARTA, U.S.I., WEDNESDAY, MAY 3-(AP)-THE INDONESIAN NEWS AGENCY ANTARA REPORTED TODAY THAT FOUR SUSPECTS HAVE BEEN ARRESTED AT BANDOENG IN CONNECTION WITH THE KILLING OF YALE PROFESSOR RAYMOND KENNEDY AND TIME MAGAZINE CORRESPONDENT ROBERT DOYLE LAST WEEK.

THERE WAS NO OFFICIAL CONFIRMATION.

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SAIGON, VIETNAM, INDOCHINA, MAY 2-(AP)-INDOCHINESE TERRORISTS HURLED 24 GRENADES IN SAIGON OVER THE MAY DAY WEEKEND, KILLING SEVEN PEOPLE AND INJURING 70.

A FRENCH SOLDIER ON GUARD AT A GOVERNMENT PLANT WAS WOUNDED BY A BULLET.

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COLOMBO, CEYLON, MAY 2-(AP)-CEYLON ANNOUNCED TODAY IT WILL NEGOTIATE A NEW TRADE PACT WITH JAPAN TO REPLACE THE PRESENT AGREEMENT WHICH WILL EXPIRE JUNE 30. THE NEW PACT WILL CALL FOR RECIPROCAL TRADE AMOUNTING TO £143,000 STERLING.

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TEHRAN, IRAN, MAY 2-(AP)-PERSECUTION OF THE 12,000 JEWS IN IRANIAN KURDISTAN WAS REPORTED YESTERDAY BY 300 WEARY REFUGEES WHO WALKED INTO TEHRAN.

A SPOKESMAN SAID 12 JEWS HAD BEEN MURDERED AND SEVERAL JEWISH GIRLS RAPED.

THE ANTI-SEMITIC ACTIVITY WAS BLAMED BY A JEWISH SPOKESMAN ON "LOCAL RELIGIOUS FANATICS" OF THE SUNNI MOSLEM SECT, THE LARGEST POPULATION GROUP IN THE DOMINANT POPULATION GROUP IN KURDISTAN.

THE IRANIAN GOVERNMENT, THE SPOKESMAN ADDED, "ORDERED KURD AUTHORITIES TO DO ALL POSSIBLE TO PROTECT OUR PEOPLE" AND "ARE GIVING US THE FULLEST COOPERATION IN SENDING REFUGEES ON TO ISRAEL."

THE SPOKESMAN SAID SOME 2,000 JEWISH REFUGEES WERE ENCAMPED IN A JEWISH CEMETERY OUTSIDE TEHRAN "ALMOST WITHOUT FOOD." THEY WERE BEING AIDED, HE SAID, BY DONATIONS FROM TEHRAN'S 3,500 JEWS.

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TEHRAN, IRAN, MAY 2-(AP)-A GENERAL STRIKE BY 4,000 STUDENTS TODAY CLOSED IRAN'S ONLY INSTITUTION OF HIGHER LEARNING.

SEEKING INCREASED FACILITIES FOR WORK AS INTERNES, 1,500 MEDICAL STUDENTS AT TEHRAN UNIVERSITY STRUCK TWO WEEKS AGO. THE UNIVERSITY'S REMAINING 2,500 STUDENTS WALKED OUT IN SYMPATHY TODAY.

THE STUDENTS PARADED THROUGH THE CITY AND CAMPED OUTSIDE THE PARLIAMENT BUILDING. A GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN PROMISED PARLIAMENT WOULD ACT IMMEDIATELY TO MEET THE MEDICAL STUDENTS' DEMAND.

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OTTAWA, MAY 2-(AP)-OPPOSITION LEADER GEORGE DREW TODAY ASKED THE HOUSE OF COMMONS TO OUTLAW COMMUNISM IN CANADA.

THE PROGRESSIVE CONSERVATIVE LEADER MADE A MOTION CALLING FOR LEGISLATION TO MAKE COMMUNISM AND "SIMILAR ACTIVITIES" PUNISHABLE UNDER THE CRIMINAL CODE. NO VOTE WAS TAKEN ON THE MOTION IMMEDIATELY.

IN A 50-MINUTE SPEECH, DREW SAID THERE SHOULD BE MEASURES "TO DEAL EFFECTIVELY WITH THOSE SEEKING TO UNDERMINE OUR DEMOCRATIC WAY OF LIFE." HE TERMED COMMUNISM THE "MOST BRUTAL" FORCE THE WORLD HAS EVER KNOWN AND CHARGED THE GOVERNMENT WITH INACTION IN MEETING ITS THREAT.

THE COMMUNIST PARTY AS SUCH WAS OUTLAWED IN CANADA IN 1940. SINCE THEN THE PARTY HAS OPERATED UNDER THE NAME OF LABOR PROGRESSIVES. COMMUNISM, AS DISTINGUISHED FROM A POLITICAL PARTY, IS STILL LEGAL IN CANADA.

PRIME MINISTER LOUIS ST.LAURENT, HEAD OF THE RULING LIBERAL PARTY, OPPOSED THE IDEA AND TOLD DREW CANADIAN LAW ALREADY IS ADEQUATE TO DEAL WITH SUBVERSION.

HE SAID THE BEST WAY TO COMBAT COMMUNISM IS TO SHOW DEMOCRACY WILL BETTER THE LIVES OF THE PEOPLE.

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TEL AVIV, ISRAEL, MAY 2-(AP)-AN ISRAELI FIGHTER PLANE FIRED A WARNING BURST TODAY AND COMPELLED A UNITED NATIONS OBSERVATION AIRPLANE TO LAND AT LYDDA AIRPORT.

A GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN SAID U.N.PLANES HAVE BEEN VIOLATING CONSISTENTLY ISRAELI AIR RULES AND FLYING OUTSIFE THE THE PRESCRIBED AIR CORRIDOR. HE SAID SUCH PROTESTS HAD MET WITH DENIALS FROM U.N. OFFICIALS. HE GAVE THIS ACCOUNT OF TODAY'S INCIDENT:

THE U.N. PLANE WAS FLYING EAST OF HAIFA OUTSIDE THE CORRIDOR. THE ISRAELI FIGHTER SIGNALLED FOR THE U.N. PLANE TO LAND, AND WHEN THI SIGNALS WERE IGNORED THE WARNING SHOTS WERE FIRED. THE U.N. PLANE THEN LANDED AT LYDDA, WHERE THE PILOT WAS GIVEN VERBAL INSTRUCTIONS ON AIR REGULATIONS AND PERMITTED TO PROCEED TO KALLANDIA AIRPORT IN JORDAN-OCCUPIED PALESTINE.

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NIGHT LEAD CHAMBER (480)

BY STERLING F.GREEN

WASHINGTON,MAY 2-(AP)-PAUL G.HOFFMAN, MARSHALL PLAN ADMINISTRATOR, PREDICTED TODAY THAT THE SOVIET'S SATELLITE EMPIRE WILL "CRACK QUITE SUDDENLY" UNDER THE STRESS OF TENSIONS NOW BUILDING BEHIND THE IRON CURTAIN.

BUT HE SAID VICTORY IN THE COLD WAR CALLS FOR REDOUBLED EFFORTS HERE AND ABROAD TO TURN THE "NEAR MIRACLE" OF EUROPEAN RECOVERY INTO A "FULL-FLEDGED" ONE BEFORE THE MARSHALL PLAN ENDS IN 1952.

HOFFMAN SET NO DATE ON HIS FORECAST OF A COLLAPSE OF THE RED EMPIRE BUT HE TOLD DELEGATES TO THE UNITED STATES CHAMBER OF COMMERCE CONVENTION THAT HE EXPECTED IT IN HIS LIFETIME.

"ELEVEN YEARS AGO," HE SAID, "WE HAD THREE DICTATORS TO WORRY ABOUT-HITLER, MUSSOLINI AND STALIN. TWO ARE GONE, AND I EXPECT TO LIVE LONG ENOUGH TO SEE THE THIRD ONE GO."

HOFFMAN'S VIEWS WERE SUPPORTED BY COLUMNIST WALTER LIPPMANN WHO TOLD THE FORUM SESSION ON "WINNING THE PEACE" THAT THE "BREAKAWAY OF THE SATELLITES HAS ALREADY BEGAN."

"TITO'S BREAK WITH MOSCOW AS THE GREATEST EVENT SINCE THE END OF THE WAR," LIPPMANN SAID. "POLAND WOULD GO THE WAY OF YUGOSLAVIA IF IT HAD AN OPEN FRONTIER TO THE WEST."

THE CHAMBER MEANWHILE HEARD DR.EDWIN C.NOURSE, FORMER CHAIRMAN OF THE PRESIDENT'S COUNCIL OF ECONOMIC ADVISERS, WARN AGAINST THROWING MORE MILLIONS INTO THE NATIONAL DEFENSE BUDGET "EVERY TIME JOE STALIN THROWS A SCARE INTO US."

NOURSE DECLARED THE THREAT OF CHRONIC DEFICIT, AND GROWING FEDERAL DEBT, IS A MENACE TO THE NATIONAL SECURITY FULLY AS REAL AS THE WARLIKE GESTURES OF THE "INDUSTRIALLY PRIMITIVE AND ILLITERATE" SOVIET UNION. "IF I WERE SITTING IN THE KREMLIN," NOURSE SAID, "I THINK I WOULD BE QUITE COMPLACENT AS I VIEW THE PROGRESS OF THE BATTLE OF THE (AMERICAN) BUDGET BULGE. SITTING IN WASHINGTON, I AM DEEPLY CONCERNED."

NATIONAL SECURITY HE SAID, CANNOT BE OBTAINED BY BUILDING UP A MILITARY MACHINE AT THE EXPENSE OF SOUND ECONOMY--WHICH IS NO STRONGER THAN THE FINANCIAL FOUNDATION ON WHICH IT RESTS.

FORECASTING A $7,000,000,000 DEFICIT THIS YEAR, NOURSE ADDED:

"WE ALL SEE THE FOLLY OF THE MISSISSIPPI STEAMBOAT OWNER WHO PUT ON SUCH A BIG WHISTLE THAT THE ENGINE STOPPED WHEN HE FLEW IT."

NOURSE, WHO QUIT THE WHITE HOUSE ADVISORY POST LAST FALL OFFERED THIS [redacted] PROGRAM FOR LICKING THE NATION'S BUDGET PROBLEMS:

1. LEARNING TO SAY "NUTS"--IN THE LANGUAGE OF GEN.MCAULIFFE AT BASTOGNE--"WHEN AN INDUSTRIALLY PRIMITIVE AND ILLETERATE COUNTRY TRIES TO BLUFF US AS TO OUR RESPECTIVE ABILITIES TO WAGE INDUSTRIALIZED WARFARE."

2. TIGHTENING BELTS ON THE HOME FRONT, BY FOREGOING SOME RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT, SOCIAL WELFARE AND PERSONAL SECURITY--"THINGS WE WOULD LIKE AND COULD HAVE ESXCEPT FOR THE COST OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS."

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3. REJECTING TAX-LOWERING PROPOSALS. NOURSE, CONCEDED THAT "GLARING INEQUITIES" IN THE TAX SYSTEM MAY CRIPPLE OR EVEN RUIN SOME COMPANIES. NEVERTHELESS, HE SAID, "THEY ARE NOT PREVENTING PROSPEROUS OPERATION FOR THE ECONOMY AS A WHOLE."

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SENATOR FERGUSON (R-MICH) TOLD THE SAME AUDIENCE THAT DEFICIT SPENDING IS "THE SECRET WEAPON IN THE MOSCOW ARSENAL."

IF CONGRESS FAILS TO CUT OUTLAYS BY OTHER MEANS, HE SAID, IT "SHOULD NOT HESITATE TO RESORT TO THE ARBITRARY, AND PERHAPS HARSH, DEVICE OF ACROSS-THE-BOARD CUTS."

MARX LEVA, ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF DEFENSE, ASSURED THE BUSINESSMEN THAT MILITARY ECONOMIES SO FAR ADOPTED ARE SAVING TAXPAYERS $1,500,000,000 (B) THIS YEAR. MILITARY MEN HAVE A "PROFIT MOTIVE" IN ELIMINATING WASTE, HE SAID, BECAUSE EACH KNOWS THAT "THE MONEY WHICH HE SAVES CAN BE USED TO BUY ADDITIONAL STRIKING POWER."

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CAIRO, EGYPT, MAY 2-(AP)-THE LEGAL DEPARTMENT OF THE ARAB LEAGUE DECLARED TODAY THAT JORDAN'S ANNEXATION OF ARAB PALESTINE PROVIDES NO GROUND FOR LEAGUE SANCTIONS AGAINST ABDULLAH'S HASHEMITE KINGDOM.

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LAST APRIL 13 THE LEAGUE PASSED A RESOLUTION DECLARING THAT ANNEXATION OF ANY PART OF ARAB PALESTINE WOULD BE CONSIDERED A VIOLATION OF THE LEAGUE CHARTER AND SUBJECT TO SANCTIONS. JORDAN ABSTAINED FROM VOTING.

TODAY THE LEAGUE'S LEGAL DEPARTMENT SAID THE RESOLUTION ISSUED BY JORDAN IN CONNECTION WITH THE ANNEXATION PROCLAMATION DECLARED THE MEASURE WAS ONLY TEMPORARY AND "WILL NOT AFFECT THE FINAL STATUS OF ARAB PALESTINE."

BY THIS PLEDGE, THE MEMORANDUM ADDED, "JORDAN MERELY PROTECTS ARAB PALESTINE AGAINST POSSIBLE ISRAELI AGGRESSION." IT WAS SUBMITTED TO ALL LEAGUE MEMBERS-- JORDAN, EGYPT, SYRIA, LEBANON, IRAQ, SAUDI ARABIA, AND YEMEN.

THE LEAGUE'S POLITICAL COMMITTEE WILL MEET HERE NEXT WEEK TO DISCUSS THE ANNEXATION.

JORDAN FORMALLY ANNEXED WESTERN PALESTINE AND THE OLD CITY OF JERUSALEM LAST APRIL 25. THE MILITARY FORCES OF JORDAN HAVE BEEN IN CONTROL OF THAT AREA FOR SOME TIME.

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THE ACTION WAS VIEWED AS A DIRECT CHALLENGE TO THE LEAGUE. TODAY'S ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE LEAGUE'S LEGAL DEPARTMENT APPARENTLY PAVES THE WAY FOR THE LEAGUE TO DO AN ABOUT-FACE AT NEXT WEEK'S MEETING.

ISRAEL HAS REFUSED TO RECOGNIZE ABDULLAH'S ANNEXATION. THE BRITISH, HOWEVER, HAVE APPROVED SUBJECT TO ANY FINAL ACTION BY THE UNITE NATIONS. BRITAIN AND JORDAN ARE LINKED BY A MUTUAL FRIENDSHIP TREATY.

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WASHINGTON, MAY 2-(AP)-SIX REPRESENTATIVES OF THE AMERICAN COTTON TEXTILE INDUSTRY LEFT HERE TONIFHT FOR JAPAN "TO FIND OUT WHERE THE INDUSTRY THERE IS HEADING AND WHAT ITS ROLE IN THE WORLD TEXTILE TRADE IS LIKELY TO BE IN THE FUTURE."

THE TEXTILE EXECUTIVES MAKE UP THE AMERICAN HALF OF AN ANGLO-AMERICAN COTTON TEXTILE MISSION TO JAPAN TO CONSULT THERE WITH MEMBERS OF THE JAPANESE INDUSTRY AND ALSO WITH THE OCCUPATION AUTHORITIES. THE BRITISH DELEGATION IS ALREADY ENROUTE TO TOKYO.

THE MISSION IS UNOFFICIAL, BUT HAS RECEIVED WORD FROM GENERAL MACARTHUR IT WILL BE WELCOMED IN JAPAN 2IN A PRIVATE CAPACITY." IT IS EXPECTED TO STAY IN JAPAN UNTIL LATE MAY.

PRIOR TO THEIR DEPARTURE THE MISSION MEMBERS CONFERRED WITH GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS CONCERNED WITH THE CURRENT ECONOMIC SITUATION IN JAPAN AND ALSO WITH OTHER COTTON TEXTILE INDUSTRYMEN.

FOLLOWING ITS RETURN FROM JAPAN THE MISSION WILL PRESENT ITS FINDINGS TO A SPECIAL INDUSTRY COMMITTEE HEADED BY ROBERT T.STEVENS, CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD OF J.P.STEVENS CO., NEW YORK.

"FOR THE PAST SEVERAL MONTHS TEXTILE MARKETS HAVE BEEN MADE NERVOUS BY RECURRENT REPORTS OF SEVERE INROADS BY JAPANESE GOODS INTO BOTH FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC MARKETS," STEVENS SAID IN A STATEMENT ON BEHALF OF THE GROUP GOING TO JAPAN.

"OUR INFORMATION AS TO JAPANESE TEXTILE PROGRESS AND PLANS IS MEAGRE. IT IS DESIRABLE THAT THE INDUSTRY HERE BE FULLY INFORMED ABOUT THE INDUSTRIES OF ALL OTHER MAJOR TEXTILE PRODUCING COUNTRIES."

MEMBERS OF THE GROUP SAID NO EFFORT WILL BE MADE TO REACH ANY AGREEMENTS WITH THE JAPANESE TEXTILE INDUSTRY ABOUT PRICES OR AREAS OF DISTRIBUTION.

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THE MEMBERS TERMED THE TRIP "AN EXPLORATORY, FACT-FINDING MISSION."

ROBERT C.JACKSON, EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT OF THE AMERICAN COTTON MANUFACTURERS INSTITUTE, CHARLOTTE, N.C., AND A MISSION MEMBER, SAID THE GROUP IS APPRECIATIVE OF THE INTEREST OF RAW COTTON FARMERS IN THE JAPANESE TEXTILE SITUATION AND "THE NECESSITY FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF THE JAPANESE INDUSTRY WHICH CONSTITUTES AN IMPORTANT OUTLET FOR AMERICAN COTTON."

IN ADDITION TO JACKSON, MEMBERS OF THE MISSION ARE:

DONNELL HOLT, PRESIDENT TRAVORA MANUFACTURING CO., GRAHAM, N.C., MARION HEISS, VICE-PRESIDENT CONE MILLS CORPORATION, GREENSBORO, N.C., SHANNON W.GAMBLE, VICE PRESIDENT STANDARD COOSA THACHER CO., CHATTANOOGA, TENN., WILLIAM C.PLANZ, VICE-PRESIDENT TEXTILE EXPORT CORPORATION, NEW YORK, AND GORDON W. RULE, COUNSEL FOR THE TEXTILE INDUSTRY COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN TRADE, WASHINGTON.

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WASHINGTON, MAY 2-(AP)-MAJ. GEN. ROBERT B. MCCLURE, SECOND ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF, WILL GO TO JAPAN IN AUGUST FOR AN ASSIGNMENT TO BE ANNOUNCED THERE BY GENERAL MACARTHUR.

MCCLURE, WHOSE HEADQUARTERS ARE AT FORT MEADE, MD., CALLS ROME, GA. HIS HOME.

HE IS A VETERAN OF BOTH WARS. AFTER SERVING IN THE SOUTH PACIFIC AREA, MCCLURE WAS MADE DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF TO GENERALISSIMO CHIANG-KAI-SHEK IN DECEMBER, 1944. IN THAT POST HE ALSO COMMANDED ALL U.S. GROUND FORCES IN CHINA.

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WASHINGTON,MAY 2-(AP)-THE TREASURY NOTIFIED REP.MACK (R-WASH) TODAY IT IS INVESTIGATING IMPORTATION OF RUSSIAN CRABMEAT INTO THIS COUNTRY TO DETERMINE WHETHER IT VIOLATES THE LAW PROHIBITING IMPORTATION OF PRODUCTS PRODUCED BY INVOLUNTARY LABOR.

MACK AND OTHER REPUBLICAN CONGRESSMEN FROM WASHINGTON STATE RECENTLY ASKED SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY SNYDER TO BAR THE RUSSIAN CRABMEAT.

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WASHINGTON, MAY 2-(AP)-REP.VORYS (R-OHIO) TOLD THE UNITED STATES CHAMBER OF COMMERCE TODAY "WAR IS INEVITABLE UNLESS THERE IS REVOLUTION HERE OR BEHIND THE IRON CURTAIN."

"WE WANT A REVOLUTIONARY CHANGE IN RUSSIA," HE CONTINUED IN A PREPARED SPEECH.

"TO OBTAIN IT, WE MUST NEVER AGAIN, IN PEACE OR WAR, MAKE THE MISTAKE OF DEMANDING UNCONDITIONAL SURRENDER. WE MUST REMEMBER THAT PEACE IS INEVITABLE.

"HOLDING OUT THE MAILED FIST, AND AT THE SAME TIME THE RIGHT HAND OF CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP, IS DIFFICULT. BUT WE MUST LEARN TO DO IT."

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(340) NIGHT LEAD HAWAII STATEHOOD

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BY HARRISON HUMPHRIES
AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE

WASHINGTON, MAY 2-(AP)-THE SENATE COMMITTEE CONSIDERING STATEHOOD FOR HAWAII WAS TOLD TODAY THAT COMMUNISM IS ON THE WAY OUT IN THE ISLANDS.

REP. WALTER (D-PA), CHAIRMAN OF A HOUSE UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES SUB-COMMITTEE, SAID THERE NEVER WERE MORE THAN 160 COMMUNISTS IN HAWAII AND THERE ARE NO MORE THAN 90 NOW.

BY THE END OF THIS YEAR, HE SAID, THERE PROBABLY WILL BE NO MORE THAN 40.

WALTER PRESIDED AT A NINE-DAY SUBCOMMITTEE HEARING ON COMMUNISM IN HAWAII LAST MONTH. THE INQUIRY WAS REQUESTED BY THE HAWAII LEGISLATURE.

THE PENNSYLVANIA HOUSE MEMBER WAS CALLED AS A WITNESS BEFORE THE SENATE INTERIOR COMMITTEE AT A HEARING ON THE HOUSE-PASSED HAWAII STATEHOOD BILL.

TWO YEARS AGO, THE COMMITTEE REFUSED TO RECOMMEND THE BILL FOR SENATE ACTION AFTER CHARGES WERE MADE THAT COMMUNISTS WERE EXERTING DANGEROUS INFLUENCES IN THE TERRITORY.

WALTER SAID THAT COMMUNIST ORGANIZERS SENT FROM THE UNITED STATES FOUND A FERTILE FIELD IN HAWAII, BECAUSE RESIDENTS THERE WERE NOT FULLY INFORMED ON THE OBJECTIVES OF COMMUNISM.

COMMUNISTS SUCCEEDED IN INFILTRATING INTO THE LABOR MOVEMENT AND INTO THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY, WHICH WAS NOT WELL ORGANIZED, HE SAID.

AS A RESULT OF THE HOUSE COMMITTEE'S HEARING, HE SAID, THE PEOPLE OF HAWAII HAVE BECOME AWARE THAT COMMUNISM IS A WORLD WIDE CONSPIRACY AND "GIVEN THE OPPORTUNITY THEY WILL PUT THEIR OWN HOUSE IN ORDER."

HE SAID HE IS CONVINCED, ALSO, THAT "DECENT DEMOCRATS WILL CLEAN HOUSE" AND RECAPTURE CONTROL OF THEIR PARTY.

THE COMMITTEE HEARD APPEALS FOR IMMEDIATE STATEHOOD FROM THE FIRST OF ABOUT 50 WITNESSES WHO FLEW HERE FROM HAWAII.

AMONG THEM WERE HIRAM L.FONG, SPEAKER OF THE HAWAII HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES; FORMER DELEGATE TO CONGRESS SAMUEL WILDER KING; FORMER TERRITORIAL SENATOR CHARLES E.RICE AND RANDOLPH CROSSLEY, AN INDEPENDENT PINEAPPLE PRODUCER AND CANNER.

SETH RICHARDSON, CHAIRMAN OF THE PRESIDENT'S LOYALTY BOARD, SAID THAT DURING THE WAR, DESPITE HAWAII'S LARGE JAPANESE POPULATION, NOT A SINGLE ACT OF SABOTAGE WAS COMMITTED BY A RESIDENT OF THE TERRITORY.

DELEGATE FARRINGTON (R-HAWAII) SAID THE PEOPLE OF HAWAII ARE DETERMINED TO WIN STATEHOOD AT THIS SESSION OF CONGRESS.

"IT IS A MATTER OF FAIR PLAY AND JUSTICE," HE SAID. "WE BELIEVE IT IS IN THE NATIONAL INTEREST."

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WASHINGTON, MAY 2-(AP)-MITSUKO ITO, 23-YEAR-OLD JAPANESE FIANCEE OF ARMY CORPORAL THOMAS S.RADTKE, 25, OF (2805 N.LEAVITT ST.) CHICAGO, ILL., WOULD BE PERMITTED TO ENTER THE UNITED STATES UNDER A BILL PASSED TODAY BY THE HOUSE.

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RADTKE NOW IS STATIONED IN JAPAN.

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WASHINGTON, MAY 2-(AP)-THE HOUSE VOTED TODAY TO OVER-RIDE THE U.S. IMMIGRATION SERVICE AND ADMIT GERMAN-BORN ELLEN KNAUFF TO THE UNITED STATES AS A GI WAR BRIDE.

WITHOUT A RECORD VOTE, THE HOUSE PASSED AND SENT TO THE SENATE A BILL CANCELLING AN EXCLUSION ORDER WHICH HAS BARRED HER LEGAL ENTRY SINCE AUG.14, 1948.

AT HEARINGS BY THE HOUSE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE, IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS REFUSED TO EXPLAIN THEIR GROUNDS FOR FINDING HER A SECURITY RISK.

THE YOUNG WOMAN, BRIDE OF KURT W.KNAUFF, A DECORATED COMBAT VETERAN, ATTRIBUTED HER TROUBLES TO A JEALOUS RIVAL FOR HER HUSBAND'S AFFECTIONS.

GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS DECLINED TO MAKE AVAILABLE TO CONGRESS THE SOURCE OR NATURE OF THEIR INFORMATION ABOUT MRS. KNAUFF.

MRS. KNAUFF'S RECORD ESTABLISHED SHE FLED TO ENGLAND FROM CZECHO-SLOVAKIA AFTER THE NAZI PUTSCH, AND LATER SERVED IN THE WOMEN'S AUXILIARY TO THE ROYAL AIR FORCE. AMONG OTHER JOBS, SHE HELPED THE RAF INTELLIGENCE SERVICE PREPARE TOP-SECRET CHARTS USED IN BRIEFING PILOTS FOR BOMBING MISSIONS.

SHE WAS HONORABLY DISCHARGED IN 1946, AND WAS EMPLOYED BY THE U.S. MILITARY OCCUPATION AUTHORITIES IN THE CENSORSHIP DIVISION AT FRANKFURT, GERMANY, WHEN SHE MARRIED KNAUFF. KNAUFF IS NOW EXPLOYED BY THE U.S. MILITARY GOVERNMENT IN A CIVILIAN CAPACITY.

TO BECOME ELIGIBLE FOR AMERICAN CITIZENSHIP, MRS. KNAUFF SAILED FOR THE UNITED STATES UNDER THE WAR BRIDES ACT BUT WAS STOPPED AT ELLIS ISLAND.

SHE WAS DETAINED THERE SEVERAL MONTHS BEFORE A LEGAL BATTLE WAS STARTED WHICH LED FINALLY TO THE SUPREME COURT.

THE COURT UPHELD THE RIGHT OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, UNDER A WAR-TIME EMERGENCY ORDER, TO EXCLUDE ALIENS WITHOUT HEARING IF HE CONSIDERED THEIR ENTRY PREJUDICIAL TO THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE UNITED STATES.

WHEN A NEWSPAPER CAMPAIGN WAS STARTED IN MRS. KNAUFF'S BEHALF, THE CASE CAME TO THE ATTENTION OF CONGRESS.

MRS. KNAUFF TESTIFIED BEFORE THE HOUSE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE THAT SHE WAS NOT AND NEVER HAD BEEN A COMMUNIST. SHE SAID HER ENTIRE FAMILY DIED IN A GERMAN EXTERMINATION CAMP FOR JEWS AT RIGA IN 1941.

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(130) UTLEY-CHINESE

WASHINGTON,MAY 2-(AP)-FREDA UTLEY, FORMER COMMUNIST WHO SAYS OWEN LATTIMORE ACTS LIKE A COMMUNIST, WAS ONCE EMPLOYED BY AN AGENCY OF CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S CHINESE NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT.

A SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ASKED HER ABOUT THAT WHEN SHE TESTIFIED YESTERDAY AT ITS HEARINGS ON CHARGES FROM SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT IS INFESTED WITH COMMUNISTS. MCCARTHY HAS CENTERED HIS FIRE ON LATTIMORE, SOME TIMES A CONSULTANT TO THE DEPARTMENT.

THE QUESTION OF MISS UTLEY'S EMPLOYMENT WAS RAISED BECAUSE OF ALLEGATIONS THAT THE CHINESE NATIONALIST "LOBBY" HAS SUPPLIED MATERIAL TO MCCARTHY FOR CRITICISMS OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

MISS UTLEY SAID THAT FROM SEPTEMBER, 1944, TO AUGUST, 1945, SHE GOT $600 A MONTH FROM THE CHINESE SUPPLY COMMISSION LARGELY FOR WRITING ECONOMIC REPORTS.

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(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, MAY 2-(AP)-ADM.FORREST P.SHERMAN GAVE ASSURANCE TONIGHT THAT THE NAVY IS A FULL PARTNER IN THE NATIONAL DEFENSE STRUCTURE.

THE REPORT FROM THE CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS WAS IN SHARP CONTRAST TO THAT GIVEN CONGRESS LAST OCTOBER BY HIS OUSTED PREDECESSOR, ADM. LOUIS E.DENFELD.

JAMES LUCAS OF THE SCRIPPS HOWARD NEWSPAPERS ASKED SHERMAN IN AN ABC BROADCAST TONIGHT WHETHER THE NAVY MEMBER OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF HAS BEEN TAKEN INTO FULL PARTNERSHIP.

THE ADMIRAL SAID FLATLY THAT IT HAS, AND EXPANDED:

"DURING THE PAST SIX MONTHS, I HAVE BEEN CONSTANTLY GRATIFIED AT THE UNDERSTANDING, COOPERATION AND SUPPORT EXTENDED TO ME BY THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE, THE SECRETARY OF THE NAVY AND BY THE MEMBERS OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF.

"I CAN ASSURE YOU THAT THE NAVY IS A FULL PARTNER."

(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 10 P.M.EASTERN STANDARD TIME TONIGHT TUES.MAY2)

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(150) CANTERBURY

WASHINGTON, MAY 2-(AP)-THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID TODAY THAT DEAN HEWLETT JOHNSON, THE SO-CALLED "RED DEAN" OF CANTERBURY, IS PERMANENTLY BARRED FROM THE UNITED STATES UNDER A RECENT RULING BY THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT.

PRESS OFFICER MICHAEL MCDERMOTT MADE THE STATEMENT AT A NEWS CONFERENCE IN EXPLAINING WHY THE DEPARTMENT HAD REFUSED A TRANSIT VISA WHICH WOULD HAVE PERMITTED THE DEAN TO STOP EITHER IN HAWAII OR CALIFORNIA EN ROUTE FROM AUSTRALIA TO BRITAIN.

MCDERMOTT SAID THE TRANSIT VISA WAS REFUSED BY AN AMERICAN CONSUL ABROAD, BUT THAT THE CONSUL "HAS THE DEPARTMENT'S SUPPORT."

THE BRITISH CLERGYMAN WAS BARRED UNDER A 1918 IMMIGRATION LAW WHICH FORBIDS ENTRY INTO THIS COUNTRY OF ANY PERSON SUSPECTED OF BELONGING TO ANY ORGANIZATION WHICH ADVOCATES FORCIBLE OVERTHROW OF THIS GOVERNMENT.

MCDERMOTT SAID JOHNSON WAS BARRED, AFTER BEING ADMITTED A YEAR AGO, "BECAUSE WE HAVE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ABOUT HIM." HE DECLINED TO ELABORATE.

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(180) DENNIS

WASHINGTON,MAY 2-(AP)-JUSTICE MINTON OF THE SUPREME COURT REFUSED TODAY TO DELAY JAIL PROCEEDINGS AGAINST EUGENE DENNIS, GENERAL SECRETARY OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY.

HIS ACTION MEANS THE HIGH COURT WILL NOTIFY LOWER COURTS THAT THERE IS NO REASON, SO FAR AS IT IS CONCERNED, WHY DENNIS SHOULD NOT START SERVING HIS ONE YEAR SENTENCE FOR CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS. A LOWER COURT JUDGE COULD STILL ISSUE A STAY OF JAIL PROCEEDINGS IF HE WISHED.

DENNIS WAS CONVICTED IN U.S. DISTRICT COURT HERE AFTER HE REFUSED TO APPEAR BEFORE THE HOUSE UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE.

THE SUPREME COURT YESTERDAY REFUSED TO RECONSIDER A MARCH 27 DECISION WHICH AFFIRMED THE CONVICTION OF DENNIS.

DENNIS THEN ASKED THAT ALL PROCEEDINGS BE STAYED SO THAT HE COULD KEEP OUT OF JAIL UNTIL THE U.S. CIRCUIT COURT IN NEW YORK ACTS FINALLY IN ANOTHER CASE IN WHICH HE IS INVOLVED.

IN THE NEW YORK CASE DENNIS AND 10 OTHER COMMUNIST PARTY LEADERS WERE CONVICTED OF CONSPIRING TO ADVOCATE OVERTHROW OF THE GOVERNMENT. HE AND MOST OF THE OTHERS GOT FIVE-YEAR SENTENCES AND $10,000 FINES. THEY HAVE APPEALED THE CONVICTIONS TO THE CIRCUIT COURT.

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NIGHT LEAD DRAFT

WASHINGTON, MAY 2-(AP)-IN A NEW PLEA FOR EXTENSION OF THE DRAFT ACT, GEN. OMAR N. BRADLEY SAID TODAY THAT RECENT WORLD EVENTS ADD UP TO "A VERY BAD SITUATION."

"THERE HAS BEEN NO LETUP IN THE AGGRESSIVE EXTENSION OF COMMUNISM TOWARD ITS GOAL OF WORLD DOMINATION," THE CHAIRMAN OF THE U.S. JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF TOLD THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE.

HE HASTENED TO ADD THAT HE HOPED NO ONE WOULD CONSIDER HIM GUILTY OF WAR MONGERING BECAUSE HE WAS JUST "SUMMING UP WHAT HAS BEEN SAID IN THE NEWSPAPERS."

HE REFERRED, AMONG OTHER THINGS, TO THE U.S. CHARGE THAT SOVIET FIGHTERS SHOT DOWN AN UNARMED AMERICAN PATROL PLANE OVER THE OPEN BALTIC, AND TO THE ONWARD MARCH OF COMMUNISM IN THE FAR EAST.

HE WAS THE FIRST WITNESS AS THE HOUSE COMMITTEE OPENED HEARINGS ON PROLONGING THE LIFE OF THE SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT, NOW DUE TO EXPIRE JUNE 24.

ALTHOUGH NO ONE HAS BEEN DRAFTED UNDER IT SINCE JANUARY, 1949, OFFICIALS WANT TO KEEP IT ON THE BOOKS BECAUSE THEY SAY IT WILL SAVE TIME IN CASE OF EMERGENCY.

THE COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN, REP. VINSON (D-GA) RECOMMENDED THAT THE GROUP APPROVE A TWO-YEAR EXTENSION, BUT WITH A NEW PROVISO FORBIDDING ANY ACTUAL INDUCTIONS UNLESS CONGRESS GIVES PERMISSION BY PASSING A RESOLUTION.

VINSON TOLD THE COMMITTEE THE WORLD SITUATION TODAY IS WORSE THAN IT HAD BEEN. BRADLEY ASSERTED IT "GIVES US LITTLE CAUSE FOR COMFORT AND LITTLE EXCUSE FOR DELAY."

HOWEVER, HE STRESSED THAT THERE ARE SOME ITEMS ON THE CREDIT SIDE OF THE LEDGER TOO. HE MENTIONED THE ATLANTIC DEFENSE ALLIANCE, AND THE MARSHALL PLAN UNDER WHICH HE SAID PROGRESS HAS BEEN MADE TOWARD MAKING EUROPE ECONOMICALLY STRONG.

REP.COLE (R-NY) OFFERED A SUBSTITUTE FOR THE VINSON DRAFT EXTENDER, CUTTING IT DOWN TO ONE YEAR.

THE COMMITTEE PUT OFF ACTION, WAITING FOR FURTHER INFORMATION IN A CLOSED-DOOR MEETING TOMORROW.

BRADLEY WILL BE BACK FOR THAT SESSION, ALONG WITH SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON, SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON AND SECRETARY OF THE ARMY PACE.

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WASHINGTON,MAY 2-(AP)-SENATOR CONNALLY (D-TEX) SAYS THE COMMUNISTS CAN OVERRUN AND TAKE OVER ALL OF KOREA AND FORMOSA WHENEVER THEY GET READY TO DO IT.

BUT THE CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE DOESN'T ATTACH TOO MUCH STRATEGIC IMPORTANCE TO KOREA IN THE U.S.MASTER DEFENSE STRATEGY IN ASIA.

IN AN INTERVIEW IN THE WEEKLY MAGAZINE, U.S.NEWS AND WORLD REPORT, CONNALLY WAS ASKED WHETHER HE THINKS THE SUGGESTION THAT THIS COUNTRY ABANDON SOUTH KOREA IS GOING TO BE SERIOUSLY CONSIDERED. THE MAGAZINE DID NOT SAY WHO MADE THE "SUGGESTION," BUT NO SUCH PROPOSAL HAS BEEN ADVANCED BY TOP FOREIGN POLICY MAKERS.

"I AM AFRAID IT IS GOING TO BE SERIOUSLY CONSIDERED BECAUSE I'M AFRAID IT'S GOING TO HAPPEN, WHETHER WE WANT IT OR NOT," CONNALLY REPLIED.

"I'M FOR KOREA. WE'RE TRYING TO HELP HER--WE'RE APPROPRIATING MONEY NOW TO HELP HER. BUT SOUTH KOREA IS CUT RIGHT ACROSS BY THIS LINE--NORTH OF IT ARE THE COMMUNISTS, WITH ACCESS TO THE MAINLAND--AND RUSSIA IS OVER THERE ON THE MAINLAND. SO THAT, WHENEVER SHE TAKES A NOTION SHE CAN JUST OVERRUN KOREA JUST LIKE SHE PROBABLY WILL OVERRUN FORMOSA WHEN SHE GETS READY TO DO IT. I HOPE NOT, OF COURSE," HE ADDED.

SOUTH KOREA IS AN INDEPENDENT COUNTRY SET UP UNDER SPONSORSHIP OF THE UNITED STATES. SHE IS RECEIVING MILITARY AND ECONOMIC AID FROM THIS COUNTRY. NORTHERN KOREA IS IN THE HANDS OF THE COMMUNISTS.

CONNALLY WAS ASKED WHETHER KOREA ISN'T AN ESSENTIAL PART OF U.S. DEFENSE STRATEGY.

"NO," HE REPLIED. "OF COURSE, ANY POSITION LIKE THAT IS OF SOME STRATEGIC IMPORTANCE. BUT I DON'T THINK IT IS VERY GREATLY IMPORTANT. IT HAS BEEN TESTIFIED BEFORE US (THE SENATE COMMITTEE) THAT JAPAN, OKINAWA AND THE PHILIPPINES MAKE THE CHAIN OF DEFENSE WHICH IS ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY. AND, OF COURSE, ANY ADDITIONAL TERRITORY ALONG IN THAT AREA WOULD BE THAT MUCH MORE, BUT IT'S NOT ABSOLUTELY ESSENTIAL."

IN RESPONSE TO ANOTHER QUESTION, CONNALLY SAID HE THINKS RUSSIA "WILL HAVE TREMENDOUS TROUBLE WITH CHINA."

HE SAID THERE ISN'T MUCH THE U.S.CAN DO THERE "EXCEPT TO LET THE RUSSIANS AND CHINESE CHEW ON EACH OTHER FOR A WHILE. AND WHEN THEY DO, IT ISN'T GOING TO BE EASY, BECAUSE THE RUSSIANS AREN'T GOING TO GET WHAT THEY HOPE FOR, NOR ARE THE CHINESE GOING TO GET WHAT THEY EXPECT OUT OF RUSSIA.

"YOU KNOW WHAT THE HISTORY OF CHINA HAS BEEN FOR 3,000 OR 4,000 YEARS--THEY DON'T SUCCUMB. THEY ACT LIKE THEY ARE SUCCUMBI

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CHICAGO, MAY 2-(AP)-TWENTY-SIX BRITISH WAR BRIDES AND 30 CHILDREN WILL BOARD A FLYING NURSERY THIS WEEKEND TO VISIT GRANDMAS AND GRANDPAS IN ENGLAND.

THE CHARTERED C-54 WILL BE FULLY EQUIPPED WITH CRIBS, COTS, AND DISPOSABLE DIAPERS WHEN IT TAKES OFF FRIDAY OR SATURDAY FOR LONDON.

EACH OF THE BRIDES--24 OF THEM MOTHERS--PLUNKED DOWN $500 TODAY AS HER SHARE OF THE 10 WEEK VISIT'S TRAVEL EXPENSES.

THE BRIDES ARE MEMBERS OF THE BRITANNIC BRIDES CLUB OF CHICAGO. NONE HAS BEEN BACK HOME SINCE COMING TO THE UNITED STATES FOUR OR FIVE YEARS AGO.

ALL 26 LIVE IN CHICAGO EXCEPT MRS. ALICE ORTON, NOW OF CHEYENNE, WYO. THE 30 CHILDREN INCLUDE NINE UNDER TWO YEARS OLD.

MRS. ANN GOLDMAN, 30, IS THE CLUB'S FOUNDER. SHE HAS THREE CHILDREN. HER HUSBAND, GEORGE, ONCE WAS WITH THE 8TH AIR FORCE. NOW HE IS A HARDWARE SALESMAN.

SHE EXPECTS TO VISIT HER MOTHER, MRS. ELSIE STURMAN, PORINGLAND, NEAR NORWICH. HER CHILDREN ARE REGINALD, 10, BARRY, 5, AND JULIA, 3.

EACH BRIDE IS ALLOWED 60 POUNDS OF BAGGAGE AND EACH CHILD IS ALLOWED 30 POUNDS. THE CHILDREN TRAVEL FREE UNDER THE PLAN.

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IRANIAN

BY EDWARD E.BOMAR

WASHINGTON,MAY 2-(AP)-THE ADMINISTRATION IS REPORTED TO BE MARKING TIME ON PLEAS FOR AMERICAN ECONOMIC AID FOR IRAN, UNEASY NEIGHBOR OF SOVIET RUSSIA.

AMBASSADOR HUSSEIN ALA DECLARED YESTERDAY AFTER TALKING WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN THAT HELP IS URGENTLY NEEDED. A POOR GRAIN CROP HAS BEEN FOLLOWED BY BUSINESS FAILURES, UNEMPLOYMENT AND A NEW OUT-BREAK OF COMMUNIST ACTIVITY, HE SAID.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAS HAD REPORTS THE IRANIANS WANT A U.S. GOVERNMENT LOAN RANGING FROM $100,000,000 TO $500,000,000 IN ADDITION TO THE MILITARY ASSISTANCE ALREADY IN PREPARATION.

RESPONSIBLE AUTHORITIES SAID CONCERN OVER THE RENEWED COMMUNIST THREAT IS SHARED HERE. OIL-RICH IRAN IS RECOGNIZED AS A VITAL LINE IN THE CHAIN OF ANTI-COMMUNIST NATIONS WHICH BLOCK SOVIET EXPANSION. BUT OFFICIALS ARE DUBIOUS THAT A SUBSTANTIAL LOAN IS THE ANSWER AT THE MOMENT.

NO FORMAL APPLICATION HAS BEEN RECEIVED BY THE EXPORT-IMPORT BANK, THE NORMAL CHANNEL FOR A U.S. GOVERNMENT LOAN, AND IRAN HAS NOT ASKED FOR THE DISPATCH OF AN AMERICAN SURVEY MISSION WHICH HAS BEEN UNDER CONSIDERATION HERE.

U.S. OFFICIALS HOPE THAT BETTER CROPS NOW BEING HARVESTED AND EFFECTIVE ACTION BY THE SHAH'S GOVERNMENT WILL ENABLE IRAN TO OVERCOME THE THREATENED CRISIS WITHIN A FEW WEEKS.

THE IRANIAN SITUATION IS DUE FOR A GOING OVER BY SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON, FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER SCHUMAN AND BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY BEVIN IN THEIR MEETING THIS MONTH AT LONDON.

MEANTIME THE WORLD BANK IS CONSIDERING AN IRANIAN LOAN APPLICATION AND HAS SENT A MISSION FOR AN ON-THE SPOT CHDCK. THE ADDITIONAL AMERICAN LOAN HAS BEEN SUGGESTED FOR TWO MAIN REASONS: (1) TO MEET A BUDGETARY DEFICIT THE IRANIAN GOVERNMENT ASCRIBES TO HEAVY MILITARY EXPENDITURES, AND (2) TO PRIME THE PUMP FOR THE LAUNCHING OF A SEVEN-YEAR $650,000,-000 DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM AIMED AT RAISING THE COUNTRY'S LIVING STANDARDS.

IRAN IS DUE TO SHARE WITH KOREA AND THE PHILIPPINES IN A $27,640,000 MILITARY ASSISTANCE FUND VOTED LAST YEAR BY CONGRESS. FIRST SHIPMENTS CURRENTLY ARE AWAITING THE SIGNING OF A FORMAL AGREE-MENT.

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FARMINGTON, ME., MAY 2-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES SHOULD RECOGNIZE THE COMMUNIST REGIME IN CHINA, PROF. RODERICK SCOTT OF FUKIEN CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY IN FOOCHOW SAID TONIGHT.

"TO ATTEMPT TO GIVE FURTHER AID TO THE NATIONALIST PARTY WOULD BE BOTH USELESS AND UNPOPULAR," HE SAID IN AN ADDRESS PREPARED FOR THE 12TH ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTIAN CONFERENCE OF MAINE.

"NOT TO RECOGNIZE THE NEW GOVERNMENT," HE ADDED, "MIGHT DRIVE CHINA INTO THE ARMS OF THE SOVIET UNION, AS THEIR ONLY FRIEND."

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NIGHT LEAD ADLER-DRAPER
BY GEORGE MILLER

(NY) HARTFORD, CONN., MAY 2-(AP)-A FELLOW ARTIST TESTIFIED TODAY HE HAD KNOWN DANCER PAUL DRAPER FOR 12 YEARS AND HAD "ALWAYS FOUND HIM LOYAL" TO HIS COUNTRY.

THE WITNESS WAS CHESTER HALE, A NEW YORK CITY DANCE DIRECTOR.

THE TESTIMONY CAME NEAR THE END OF THE DAY'S SESSION IN THE TRIAL OF A $200,000 LIBEL SUIT BROUGHT BY DRAPER AND HARMONICA PLAYER LARRY ADLER AGAINST MRS. HESTER MCCULLOUGH, OF GREENWICH, CONN., WHO HAD ACCUSED THEM OF BEING PRO-COMMUNIST.

IN A LONG SESSION ON THE WITNESS STAND, ADLER TESTIFIED THAT HE IS OPPOSED TO THE MUNDT-NIXON BILL FOR REGULATION OF COMMUNIST ORGANIZATIONS OR FRONTS.

ADLER SAID HE "WOULD NOT OUTLAW ANY PARTY IN THE UNITED STATES, INCLUDING THE FASCIST PARTY."

"I THINK THEY SHOULD BE ALLOWED TO ADVOCATE WHATEVER THEY LIKE," HE SAID. "THAT IS ONE OF THE FINEST PRINCIPLES OF THE AMERICAN TRADITION."

ADLER TESTIFIED HE "GOT SOME AWFULLY GOOD AMMUNITION" AGAINST THE MUNDT-NIXON BILL FROM NEW YORK'S GOV. THOMAS E.DEWEY, WHO HAS STRONGLY OPPOSED THE MEASURE.

FREDERICK H.WIGGIN, AN ATTORNEY FOR THE ENTERTAINERS, INTRODUCED A BOOKLET DESCRIBING AIMS OF THE NATIONAL COUNCIL OF AMERICAN-SOVIET FRIENDSHIP. PREVIOUSLY, A DEFENSE ATTORNEY HAD READ IN COURT A TELEGRAM TO THE COUNCIL, SIGNED BY ADLER AND OTHER ENTERTAINMENT FIGURES, URGING BETTER U.S.-RUSSIAN RELATIONS.

IN PUTTING THE BOOKLET IN EVIDENCE, WIGGING READ STATEMENTS HE SAID WERE MADE BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN, THE LATE PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT AND GEN. DWIGHT D.EISENHOWER, URGING U.S.-SOVIET AMITY.

WIGGIN SAID THE STATEMENTS WERE MADE AFTER THE HOUSE UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE IN MARCH, 1944, CITED THE AMERICAN-SOVIET FRIENDSHIP COUNCIL AS SUBVERSIVE.

EARLIER, DEFENSE ATTORNEY MCDONALD DEWITT SAID HE INTENDED TO OFFER DIRECT EVIDENCE OF COMMUNIST AFFILIATIONS OF SEVERAL ORGANIZATIONS OFFICIALLY LISTED AS SUBVERSIVE.

MRS. MCCULLOUGH HAS SAID SHE BASED HER COMMUNIST ACCUSATIONS AGAINST THE ENTERTAINERS ON THE FACT THAT THEY "OPENLY SUPPORTED" SEVERAL GROUPS LISTED BY THE ATTORNEY GENERAL AS "SUBVERSIVE" AND "COMMUNIST FRONTS."

THE JUDGE HAS TOLD THE JURY THAT THE FACT THAT THE ATTORNEY GENERAL HAD LISTED AN ORGANIZATION WAS NOT PROOF THAT IT WAS COMMUNIST-DOMINATED.

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COOS BAY,ORE.,MAY 2 (AP)-TEN JAPANESE TRADE OFFICIALS, THE FIRST ADMITTED TO THE UNITED STATES ON A PERMANENT BASIS SINCE THE WAR, BEGAN LOOKING OVER AMERICAN INDUSTRY TODAY.

THEY STEPPED OFF THE S.S.LENA LUCKENBACH HERE YESTERDAY, EN ROUTE TO OPEN AGENCIES IN LARGE AMERICAN CITIES, HOPING TO STIMULATE U.S.-JAPANESE TRADE.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCED RECENTLY THAT COUNTRIES IN THE FAR EASTERN COMMISSION HAD AGREED TO ALLOW THE JAPANESE TO SET UP PERMANENT TRADE OFFICES IN THIRZAUNTRY.

EASTERN COMMISSION HAD AGREED TO ALLOW THE JAPANESE TO SET UP PERMANENT TRADE OFFICES IN THIS COUNTRY.

FOUR OF THOSE ARRIVING HERE WILL BE STATIONED IN SAN FRANCISCO, FOUR IN NEW YORK CITY AND TWO IN LOS ANGELES.

THEY WERE HEADED BY HOKEI TERAOKA, WHO SAID JAPAN'S BIGGEST NEED NOW IS EXPORT MARKETS. HE SAID THE GROUP WOULD LOOK FOR POSSIBLE MARKETS HERE AND IN COQUILLE TODAY, THEN MOTOR TO SAN FRANCISCO.

ALL IN THE DELEGATION ARE CAREER MEMBERS OF THE JAPANESE STATE DEPARTMENT. TERAOKA SAID THEY HOPE TO BRING THEIR FAMILIES OVER LATER.

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FORT BRAGG, N.C., MAY 2-(AP)-A HIGH AIR FORCE GENERAL DECLARED TODAY THAT THE UNITED STATES SHOULD ORGANIZE A POWERFUL TASK FORCE CAPABLE OF TAKING OVER FAR-DISTANT AIRHEADS IN EMERGENCIES.

THE STATEMENT WAS MADE BY LT. GEN. LAURIS NORSTAD, COMMANDER OF EXERCISE SWARMER AND A FORMER DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF FOR THE U.S. AIR FORCE. THE GENERAL'S REMARKS CAME AT A NEWS CONFERENCE AT WHICH THE LESSONS LEARNED IN THE CURRENT WAR GAMES INVOLVING 60,000 MEN AND 675 PLANES WERE REVIEWED.

THE PURPOSE OF THE WAR GAMES IS TO DETERMINE WHETHER ENTIRE ARMIES CAN BE MOVED AND SUPPLIED ADEQUATELY BY THE AIR FORCE ALONE.

GEN. NORSTAD, POINTING OUT THAT THE ENTIRE CONCEPT OF THE EXERCISE WAS WITHOUT PRECEDENT, STRESSED THAT THE NATION'S COMBINED ARMED FORCES SHOULD HAVE A TASK FORCE CAPABLE OF MOUNTING AN OPERATION SIMILAR TO SWARMER UNDER EMERGENCY CONDITIONS. HE SAID HIS FINAL RECOMMENDATIONS WILL INCLUDE A STRONG PLEA THAT THE MAJOR ELEMENTS NECESSARY FOR AIRHEAD ASSAULT BE ORGANIZED ON A PERMANENT BASIS.

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STASSEN (500)

(ADVANCE) (PX) NEW YORK, MAY 2-(AP)-HAROLD E.STASSEN TONIGHT CALLED PRESIDENT TRUMAN "THE CLEVEREST POLITICIAN" AND "THE WORST PRESIDENT EVER TO OCCUPY THE WHITE HOUSE."

HE SAID MR.TRUMAN IS EMBARKING ON A POLITICAL TOUR OF THE WEST "TO TRY AND GET A PUPPET CONGRESS."

STASSEN, PRESIDENT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA AND FORMER GOVERNOR OF MINNESOTA, SAID MR.TRUMAN "IS THE CLEVEREST POLITICIAN EVER TO OCCUPY THE WHITE HOUSE" AND CALLED ON REPUBLICANS TO "MEET THE 1950 SITUATION BROUGHT ABOUT BY X X X HIS USE AND MISUSE OF THE GREAT POWER OF HIS OFFICE" BY:

(1) "FIGHTING BACK VIGOROUSLY AND HITTING HARD IN THE EXPOSURE OF THE CONDITIONS OF HIS ADMINISTRATION."

(2) "BRINGING FORWARD DEFINITE, SOUND, CONSTRUCTIVE MEASURES TO MEET THE PROBLEMS OF OUR COUNTRY AT HOME AND ABROAD."

(3) "ORGANIZING AND WORKING AND VOTING WITH A THOROUGHNESS AND A DRIVE SUCH AS WE HAVE NEVER SHOWN BEFORE."

STASSEN, UNSUCCESSFUL ASPIRANT FOR THE REPUBLICAN PARTY'S PRESIDENTIAL NOMINATION TWO YEARS AGO, PREPARED HIS ADDRESS FOR THE WOMEN'S AUXILIARY OF THE NEW YORK REPUBLICAN COUNTY COMMITTEE. THE ADDRESS WAS BROADCAST OVER THE ABC NETWORK. SPOKE BEFORE

STASSEN CALLED MR.TRUMAN'S FORTHCOMING WESTERN TRIP AN INDICATION THAT THE PRESIDENT "WILL TAKE AN ALL-OUT PERSONAL PART IN THE CONGRESSIONAL ELECTIONS."

"THIS," HE SAID, "SHOULD NOT BE TAKEN LIGHTLY."

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"PRESIDENT TRUMAN IS THE CLEVEREST POLITICIAN EVER TO OCCUPY THE WHITE HOUSE. AND HE IS ALSO THE WORST PRESIDENT EVER TO OCCUPY THE WHITE HOUSE." THE FORMER GOVERNOR SAID.

STASSEN CALLED MR. TRUMAN "A POST GRADUATE OF THE MOST EFFECTIVE POLITICAL SCHOOL IN AMERICA--THE PENDERGAST SCHOOL OF KANSAS CITY, MO.

"FROM THAT SCHOOL HE KNOWS THE METHODS OF ATTACKS ON OPPOSITION, OF CLAIMS FOR ALL IMPROVEMENT, OF DODGING BLAME FOR THINGS THAT GO WRONG, AND MARSHALLING VOTES THROUGH ORGANIZATION."

"THE TRAGEDY FOR AMERICA IS THAT THE SAME SCHOOL WHICH MADE TRUMAN SUCH A CLEVER POLITICIAN ALSO MADE HIM SUCH A BAD PRESIDENT," STASSEN SAID, ADDING:

"THIS IS TRUE BECAUSE IT IS A SCHOOL WHOSE GRADUATES ARE LACKING IN A SENSE OF IDEALISM AND WHO MINIMIZE THE IMPORTANCE OF HONESTY AND INTEGRITY."

STASSEN SAID THAT MR. TRUMAN IS "ANGRY AND PETULANT ABOUT CONGRESS' REFUSAL TO OBEY HIS ORDERS" AND AS A RESULT "IS NOW TAKING TO THE STUMP TO TRY TO GET A PUPPET CONGRESS.

"HE KNOWS HOW TO PULL THE POLITICAL STRINGS. BUT I BELIEVE THAT THE AMERICAN PEOPLE WANT MEN AND WOMEN WHO STAND ON THEIR OWN FEET IN CONGRESS, AND THEY WILL REFUSE TO SEND PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S PERSONAL PUPPETS TO CONGRESS."

STASSEN SAID THE PRESIDENT "WILL TRAVEL ACROSS THE NATION IN A SPECIAL TRAIN, WITH HIS TRIP PAID FOR OUT OF THE TAXES OF THE PEOPLE.

"HE WILL GO OUT TO THE GRAND COULEE DAM; THE PLANS FOR WHICH WERE PREPARED UNDER PRESIDENT HOOVER; THE CONSTRUCTION OF WHICH WAS CARRIED ON BY PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT; THE PAYMENT FOR WHICH WAS VOTED OVERWHELMINGLY BY BOTH REPUBLICANS AND DEMOCRATS; AND STANDING AT THE EDGE OF THAT DAM HE WILL STRIKE A POSE AND ACT AS IF HE BUILT IT WITH HIS OWN LITTLE MISSOURI HANDS.

"HE WILL ACT AS IF HE CAME TO THE STATE OF WASHINGTON FOR A CEREMONY TO START THE GENERATING POWER AT THE DAM, WHEREAS IN FACT, HE IS GOING THERE TO TRY TO GENERATE MORE POLITICAL POWER BEHIND HIS DEMOCRATIC SENATOR OF THAT STATE WHO IS IN TROUBLE BECAUSE OF PLAYING ON THE SANDS OF HOLLYWOOD INSTEAD OF WORKING AT HIS SEAT IN THE CAPITOL."

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THE MINNESOTAN SAID THAT OF HIS THREE SUGGESTED AIMS FOR THE REPUBLICANS, "THE MOST IMPORTANT (IS) THE BRINGING FORWARD OF CONSTRUCTIVE SOLUTIONS."

STASSEN SAID THE TRUMAN-EWING PROPOSAL "TO HAVE THE GOVERNMENT TAKE OVER THE HEALTH SYSTEM OF AMERICA, TO PUT ALL DOCTORS AND HOSPITALS UNDER THE THUMB OF A FIVE-MAN BOARD APPOINTED BY THE PRESIDENT X X X IN GENERAL COPIES THE BRITISH AND GERMAN SYSTEMS OF SOCIALIZING MEDICINE."

TO COMBAT MEDICAL HEALTH PROBLEMS IN THIS COUNTRY, STASSEN RECOMMENDED:

1. SETTING UP A FEDERAL HEALTH REINSURANCE CORPORATION (LIKE THE FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION) "TO UNDERWRITE THE VARIOUS BLUE CROSS AND OTHER LOCAL VOLUNTARY INSURANCE SYSTEMS DEVELOPED BY FARM COOPERATIVES, UNIONS AND LOCAL GROUPS."
2. EXPANDING INDUSTRIAL HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAMS UNDER WHICH EMPLOYERS AND EMPLOYES PAY PREMIUMS.
3. TEACH MORE DOCTORS, BUILD MORE HOSPITALS AND MAKE MEDICAL PRACTICE MORE ATTRACTIVE IN THE SOUTH.

(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY TUESDAY MAY 2)

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BY JOHN RANDOLPH

GLEN COVE, N.Y., MAY 2-(AP)-HOW MANY BEDS DOES A RUSSIAN FAMILY NEED TO STAY HAPPY?

THAT'S THE QUESTION KEEPING FOLKS AWAKE IN THIS PRETTY LITTLE LONG ISLAND RESIDENTIAL CENTER.

IT'S EVEN GOT THE STATE DEPARTMENT WHISTLING THE SLEEPY-TIME BLUES. THE WHOLE AFFAIR COULD TURN INTO A DIPLOMATIC NIGHTMARE AND SET THE UNITED NATIONS TOSSING AND TURNING.

THE QUESTION HINGES ON GLEN COVE'S STRICT RESIDENTIAL ZONING LAWS.

THE TOWN BEGAN TO OPEN ITS EYES THE OTHER DAY WHEN SOVIET U.N. DIPLOMAT LEONID A.MOROZOV RENTED THE OLD 47-ROOM J.P.MORGAN MANSION FOR THE SUMMER--AT $3,650 PER SEASON.

AND GLEN COVE'S SLUMBERING SUSPICIONS WERE DEFINITELY AROUSED WHEN IT WATCHED VAN AFTER VAN OF MOROZOV FURNITURE ARRIVE.

ONE GLEN COVE SCOUT, LAWYER JOHN FINN,JR., MANAGED TO MINGLE WITH THE MOVERS AND DO A LITTLE MENTAL ARITHMETIC.

HE COUNTED 71 FOLDING BEDS, 67 CANVAS CHAIRS AND EIGHT BIG CAFETERIA TABLES.

THAT'S 1.53 BEDS FOR EACH OF THE 47 ROOMS. EVEN J.P.MORGAN HIMSELF, CAPITALIST THAT HE WAS, NEVER BEDDED PEOPLE DOWN ON THAT SCALE.

TO GLEN COVE IT ALL ADDED UP TO ONE HORRID THOUGHT--A BUDDING RUSSIAN SUMMER RESORT IN THEIR SUBURBAN PARADISE. YET ALL THE HOUSE DEEDS ARE VERY CLEAR ON THIS POINT: ONE HOUSE, ONE FAMILY.

IT IS TRUE THAT GLEN COVE HASN'T FOUND OUT EXACTLY HOW BIG THE MOROZOV FAMILY IS. BUT STILL IT'S A LOT OF BEDS.

PRODDED BY FINN, MAYOR LUKE MERCADANTE PRODDED THE STATE DEPARTMENT TO FIND OUT IF DIPLOMATIC IMMUNITY EXTENDS TO BEDS AND ZONING LAWS.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT THOUGHT IT OVER. THEN IT SAID THAT WHILE THE RUSSIANS WOULD HAVE TO OBEY THE HEALTH AND SAFETY LAWS, THEY CAN BE SUED ONLY BY THEIR OWN CONSENT. AND THE VETO BEING WHAT IT IS... WELL, THE STATE DEPARTMENT SUGGESTED THAT GLEN COVE WRITE A LETTER TO WARREN AUSTIN, AMERICAN AMBASSADOR TO THE U.N., AND TELL HIM THEIR TROUBLES.

WHILE FINN AND THE MAYOR SAT DOWN TO DRAFT THE LETTER, ANOTHER PIECE OF NEWS REACHED THEM.

THEY HEARD THAT DEPUTY SOVIET FOREIGN MINISTER JOSEPH MALIK HAS RENTED THE $100,000 REYNOLDS ESTATE ABOUT A MILE FROM THE MORGAN HOME.

THE REYNOLDS HOUSE HAS 24 ROOMS.

NOW GLEN COVE IS WONDERING HOW MANY BEDS MALIK IS GOING TO NEED TO KEEP FRESH AND FIT.

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(100) (WX) NEW YORK, MAY 2-(AP)-FBI DIRECTOR J.EDGAR HOOVER SAID TONIGHT THE MAIN STRENGTH OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY LIES IN ITS FELLOW-TRAVELERS WHO HE SAID ARE "GNAWING AWAY LIKE TERMITES AT THE VERY FOUNDATIONS OF AMERICAN SOCIETY".

HOOVER ESTIMATED THERE ARE SOME HALF MILLION SYMPATHIZERS IN THIS COUNTRY "READY TO DO THE COMMUNIST BIDDING".

REPORTING THAT THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN THE UNITED NUMBERS ABOUT 55,000, THE FBI CHIEF DECLARED THEIR STRENGTH CAN'T BE MEASURED "IN JUST SO MANY FIGURES" BECAUSE OF THE WORK DONE BY THE FELLOW-TRAVELERS IN CARRYING OUT THE "WILL OF THE DIRECTING MASTER--THE RED 'HITLER' AT MOSCOW."

HOOVER SOUNDED THIS WARNING IN AN ADDRESS PREPARED FOR A MEETING OF THE MASONIC GRAND LODGE OF NEW YORK WHICH AWARDED HIM ITS MEDAL FOR DISTINGUISHED ACHIEVEMENT.

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NIGHT LEAD HISS

NEW YORK, MAY 2-(AP)-ALGER HISS, CONVICTED PERJURER AND ONETIME TOP STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL, TODAY LOST HIS RIGHT TO PRACTICE LAW IN NEW YORK STATE.

HE WAS DISBARRED BY THE APPELLATE DIVISION OF THE NEW YORK STATE SUPREME COURT. THE ACTION STEMMED FROM HISS' PERJURY CONVICTION.

A FEDERA COURT JURY LAST JANUARY FOUND HIM GUILTY OF SWEARING FALSELY THAT HE DID NOT FEED U.S. SECRETS TO WHITTAKER CHAMBERS, EX-COMMUNIST COURIER FOR A PREWAR RUSSIAN SPY RING.

IN DISBARRING HISS, THE APPELLATE COURT RULED THAT THE PERJURY CONVICTION CONSTITUTED A COMMISSION OF A FELONY, AND THAT HARVARD-EDUCATED HISS NO LONGER WAS QUALIFIED TO BE AN ATTORNEY.

HISS SAID HE HAD "NO COMMENT TO MAKE" ON THE ACTION.

HE NOW IS FREE ON BAIL, PENDING APPEAL OF THE CONVICTION. HE WAS SENTENCED TO FIVE YEARS IN PRISON.

THE STRIKING OF HISS' NAME FROM THE NEW YORK ROLL OF ATTORNEYS MARKED A NEW DEBACLE FOR THE 45-YEAR-OLD HISS, WHOSE RISING GOVERNMENT CAREER BEGAN IN THE EARLY 30'S.

HE BECAME A KEY EXPERT IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT. HE WAS A PERSONAL ADVISER TO PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT AT YALTA, AND A LEADING FIGURE AT MANY OF THE NATION'S MAJOR INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES.

THE DISBARMENT PROCEEDINGS WERE INSTITUTED BY THE ASSOCIATION OF THE BAR OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

THE COURT RULING DOES NOT BAR HISS FROM LEGAL PRACTICE IN OTHER STATES.

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LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 2-(AP)-THE INTERNATIONAL COURT OF JUSTICE WAS NOTIFIED FORMALLY TODAY THAT HUNGARY, ROMANIA AND BULGARIA HAVE IGNORED THE COURT'S RECENT ADVISORY OPINION ON PEACE TREATY VIOLATIONS.

THE NOTICE WAS SENT BY BYRON PRICE, ACTING SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS, TO PREPARE THE WAY FOR COURT ACTION ON OTHER LEGAL QUESTIONS SUBMITTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY LAST FALL.

THE WHOLE CONTROVERSY GREW OUT OF THE ARREST OF JOSEF CARDINAL MINDSZENTY IN HUNGARY AND OTHER RELIGIOUS LEADERS IN ROMANIA AND BULGARIA. THE WESTERN POWERS CONTENDED THESE ARRESTS WERE VIOLATIONS OF THE HUMAN RIGHTS PROVISIONS OF THE PEACE TREATIES.

THE THREE COMMUNIST COUNTRIES DENIED THIS AND REFUSED TO APPOINT REPRESENTATIVES ON THE THREE-NATION COMMISSIONS PROVIDED FOR IN THE TREATY TO CONSIDER DISPUTES OVER ALLEGED VIOLATIONS. THE ASSEMBLY THEN ASKED THE INTERNATIONAL COURT FOR AN ADVISROY OPINION ON FOUR QUESTIONS.

THE COURT RULED ON MARCH 30 THAT: (1) THE DIPLOMATIC EXCHANGES BETWEEN THE WESTERN POWERS AND THE THREE COMMUNIST COUNTRIES PROVED THE EXISTENCE OF A DISPUTE UNDER THE MEANING OF THE TREATIES AND (2) THE THREE COUNTRIES WERE OBLIGED TO APPOINT THEIR REPRESENTATIVES TO THE TREATY COMMISSIONS.

THE ASSEMBLY'S RESOLUTION PROVIDED THAT THE COURT WOULD TAKE UP THE THIRD AND FOURTH QUESTIONS ONLY IF HUNGARY, ROMANIA AND BULGARIA FAILED TO NAME THEIR COMMISSION REPRESENTATIVES WITHIN 30 DAYS AFTER THE COURT HANDED DOWN ITS OPINION ON THE FIRST TWO QUESTIONS.

THE THIRD AND FOURTH QUESTIONS ARE: WHETHER THE U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL IS OBLIGED TO APPOINT THE THIRD COMMISSION MEMBER, AS THE WESTERN POWERS CONTEND, AND WHETHER A COMMISSION MADE UP IN THIS WAY IS COMPETENT TO TAKE BINDING DECISIONS.

COURT OPINIONS ON THESE TWO QUESTIONS ARE EXPECTED IN LATE JUNE OR EARLY JULY.

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NEW YORK, MAY 2-(AP)-FIVE LAWYERS, SENTENCED TO JAIL FOR CONTEMPT OF COURT DURING THE COMMUNIST CONSPIRACY TRIAL LAST YEAR, HAVE WON A NEW DELAY IN SERVING THEIR TERMS.

THEY WERE TO HAVE BEGUN SERVING THEIR SENTENCES TODAY.

THE U.S. CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS GRANTED THE STAY YESTERDAY PENDING DECISION ON A MOTION MADE BY THE FIVE LAWYERS AND BY DEFENDANT EUGENE DENNIS WHO SERVED AS HIS OWN COUNSEL.

THE SIX MEN MOVED FOR A STAY OF THEIR CONTEMPT SENTENCES UNTIL 15 DAYS AFTER THE U.S. SUPREME COURT HAS RULED ON THE CONVICTIONS AND PRISON SENTENCES OF ELEVEN COMMUNIST LEADERS ON CONSPIRACY CHARGES.

DENNIS AND TEN CO-DEFENDANTS WERE CONVICTED IN U.S. DISTRICT COURT LAST FALL ON CHARGES OF CONSPIRACY TO ADVOCATE VIOLENT OVERTHROW OF THE GOVERNMENT. THEY WERE FINED $10,000 EACH IN ADDITION OF PRISON SENTENCES--FIVE YEARS FOR TEN OF THEM AND THREE YEARS FOR ONE.

PAUL L. ROSS, COUNSEL FOR THE SIX MEN SENTENCED FOR CONTEMPT, SAID HE WOULD ASK THE APPEALS COURT FOR A REHEARING TODAY ON ITS PREVIOUS DECISION UPHOLDING THE CONTEMPT SENTENCES. IF THE REHEARING IS NOT GRANTED, ROSS SAID, HE WILL APPEAL TO THE SUPREME COURT.

ROSS ARGUED THAT THE LAWYERS SHOULD REMAIN AT LIBERTY SO THEY COULD PREPARE THEIR CLIENTS' CASES BEFORE THE APPEALS COURT AND THE SUPREME COURT, AND ALSO THEIR OWN CASES. THE CONSPIRACY CASES OF THE ELEVEN COMMUNIST LEADERS ARE SCHEDULED FOR ARGUMENT IN THE APPEALS COURT ON JUNE 12.

THE FIVE LAWYERS INVOLVED ARE HARRY SACHER AND RICHARD GLADSTEIN, SENTENCED TO SIX MONTHS; A.J.ISSERMAN AND GEORGE W.CROCKETT, JR., FOUR MONTHS EACH; AND LOUIS F. MCCABE, 30 DAYS. DENNIS DREW SIX MONTHS.

GOVERNMENT ATTORNEYS OPPOSED DELAY IN THE CONTEMPT SENTENCES ON THE GROUND THE APPLICATION WAS PREMATURE AND DESIGNED TO CAUSE A "PROLONGED AND UNNECESSARY STAY."

IN ANOTHER COURT MOVE, THE ELEVEN COMMUNIST LEADERS FILED WITH THE APPEALS COURT A LENGTHY BRIEF IN SUPPORT OF THEIR MOVE TO HAVE THE CONSPIRACY CONVICTIONS REVERSED.

THE BRIEF ATTACKED THE CONSTITUTIONALITY OF THE SMITH ACT, UNDER WHICH THE ELEVEN MEN WERE TRIED. THE BRIEF ALSO CITED MANY OTHER ISSUES. A SUPPLEMENTAL BRIEF ATTACKED THE FEDERAL JURY SYSTEM HERE.

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LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 2-(AP)-FLEET ADM. CHESTER W.NIMITZ, DESIGNATED AS UNITED NATIONS PLEBISCITE ADMINISTRATOR FOR KASHMIR, WILL LEAVE U.N. HEADQUARTERS MAY 6 FOR HIS HOME IN SAN FRANCISCO AND WILL REMAIN THERE UNTIL HIS SERVICES ARE REQUIRED IN KASHMIR, THE U.N. ANNOUNCED TODAY.

NIMITZ HAS BEEN WAITING HERE SINCE LAST YEAR FOR AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN INDIA AND PAKISTAN TO PERMIT HIM TO HOLD A PLEBISCITE TO DETERMINE THE FATE OF KASHMIR. THIS AGREEMENT DID NOT COME DURING THE YEAR AND THE SECURITY COUNCIL RECENTLY APPROVED APPOINTMENT OF A MEDIATOR TO DEMILITARIZE KASHMIR AND PREPARE THE WAY FOR THE PLEBISCITE. THE MEDIATOR, SIR OWEN DIXON, OF AUSTRALIA, ARRIVED HERE LAST WEEK-END TO BEGIN HIS ASSIGNMENT. NIMITZ WILL GO TO KASHMIR WHEN THE PLANS ARE COMPLETE FOR THE PLEBISCITE, U.N. OFFICIALS SAID.

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NIGHT LEAD COURT

LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 2-(AP)-THE INTERNATIONAL COURT OF JUSTICE WAS ASKED TODAY TO TACKLE THE SECOND HALF OF A COMPLICATED LEGAL SQUABBLE GROWING OUT OF ALLEGED PEACE TREATY VIOLATIONS IN HUNGARY, BULGARIA AND ROMANIA. THE FIRST HALF OF THE PUZZLE WAS ANSWERED BY THE COURT MARCH 30.

THE CASE WAS SENT TO THE HAGUE COURT LAST FALL BY THE U.N. ASSEMBLY AFTER BITTER DEBATE OVER THE ARREST AND CONVICTION OF JOSEF CARDINAL MINDSZENTY IN HUNGARY AND OTHER RELIGIOUS LEADERS IN BULGARIA AND ROMANIA.

THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN, AS PARTIES TO THE TREATIES, CHARGED THE THREE SOVIET SATELLITE COUNTRIES HAD VIOLATED THE HUMAN RIGHTS GUARANTEES THEY AGREED TO. HUNGARY, ROMANIA AND BULGARIA DENIED ANY VIOLATIONS.

THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN THEN INVOKED THE SETTLEMENT PROVISIONS OF THE TREATIES, WHICH CALLED FOR THREE-NATION COMMISSIONS TO STUDY THE COMPLAINTS. THESE COMMISSIONS WOULD BE MADE UP OF A REPRESENTATIVE OF EACH PARTY TO THE DISPUTE--THAT IS, THE WESTERN POWERS ON ONE SIDE AND OFFENDING COUNTRY ON THE OTHER--AND A THIRD MEMBER APPOINTED BY THE OTHER TWO. IN CASE OF A DEADLOCK, THE U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL IS REQUIRED TO NAME THE THIRD MEMBER UPON THE REQUEST OF EITHER ONE OF THE OTHER MEMBERS.

HUNGARY, ROMANIA AND BULGARIA REFUSED TO APPOINT REPRESENTATIVES TO THE COMMISSION. THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY THEN SUBMITTED THE CASE TO THE COURT FOR AN ADVISORY OPINION ON FOUR RELATED QUESTIONS.

THE COURT'S MARCH 30 OPINION HELD (1) A DISPUTE DOES EXIST UNDER THE MEANING OF THE TREATIES AND (2) THAT HUNGARY, BULGARIA AND ROMANIA, AS PARTIES TO THE DISPUTE, ARE OBLIGED TO NAME REPRESENTATIVES TO THE TREATY COMMISSIONS.

THE ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION AND TREATY TERMS REQUIRED THE COURT TO WAIT 30 DAYS BEFORE TAKING UP THE THIRD AND FOURTH QUESTIONS, SINCE IT WOULD NOT BE NECESSARY TO ANSWER THEM IF THE THREE ACCUSED COUNTRIES AGREED TO APPOINT THEIR COMMISSION REPRESENTATIVES IN THAT 30-DAY PERIOD.

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ACTING SECRETARY-GENERAL ~~BYRON~~ PRICE NOTIFIED THE COURT TODAY THAT THE THREE COMMUNIST COUNTRIES HAD IGNORED THE COURT RULING. HE TOLD THE TRIBUNAL TO GO AHEAD WITH ITS OPINION ON THE OTHER QUESTIONS.

THESE ARE: (1) WHETHER THE SECRETARY-GENERAL IS OBLIGED UNDER THE TREATIES TO NAME A REPRESENTATIVE IF ONE OF THE TWO PARTIES TO THE DISPUTE FAILS TO APPOINT ITS MEMBER AND (2) WHETHER DECISIONS BY SUCH A TWO-MAN COMMISSION WOULD BE LEGALLY BINDING ON THE PARTY WHICH WAS NOT REPRESENTED. THERE IS NO WAY OF ENFORCING THE TREATY PROVISIONS.

AS IN ALL CASES BEFORE THE COURT, THERE WILL BE LONG BRIEFS AND SPEECHES. COURT OPINIONS ARE NOT EXPECTED UNTIL LATE JUNE OR EARLY JULY. IF THE COURT GIVES THE GO-AHEAD, THE COMMISSIONS WILL BE SET UP WITHOUT THE ACCUSED COUNTRIES AND WILL TAKE UP THE ALLEGED VIOLATIONS.

THE CASE IS IN THE AGENDA OF THE NEXT ASSEMBLY BEGINNING IN SEPTEMBER FOR REVIEW OF WHAT HAS BEEN DONE SINCE LAST YEAR.

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LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 2-(AP)-BRIG.GEN.CARLOS P.ROMULO, CHIEF PHILIPPINE DELEGATE AND PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY, SAID TODAY HE WILL LEAVE NEW YORK FRIDAY FOR MANILA AND THE NON-COMMUNIST CONFERENCE OF SOUTHEAST ASIAN NATIONS OPENING IN BAGUIO, THE PHILIPPINES, MAY 26.

GEN. AND MRS.ROMULO WILL BOARD AN AMERICAN AIR LINES PLANE FOR SAN FRANCISCO LEAVING LA GUARDIA FIELD AT 7 P.M. FRIDAY. HE WILL TAKE A PHILIPPINE AIR LINES PLANE (FLIGHT 103) LEAVING SAN FRANCISCO ON SATURDAY AT 9:30 A.M. AND WILL ARRIVE IN MANILA MAY 8 AT 2 P.M. HE WILL SPEND ONE MONTH IN THE PHILIPPINES AND RETURN TO WASHINGTON AND NEW YORK IN JUNE.

ROMULO MADE THIS STATEMENT ON THE COMING CONFERENCE:

"IT IS A NON-COMMUNIST CONFERENCE THAT WILL BE CONSULTATIVE AND WILL DISCUSS COMMON ECONOMIC, POLITICAL AND CULTURAL PROBLEMS. NO MILITARY PACTS ARE ENVISAGED, NO MILITARY COMMITMENTS, NO PACTS OF ANY SORT. IT IS A CONFERENCE TO FOSTER CLOSER RELATIONS BETWEEN THESE ASIAN COUNTRIES AND TO PRESERVE OUR FREEDOM. IT IS NOT ORGANIZED AGAINST ANYBODY."

ROMULO SAID ONLY PRESIDENT ELPIDIO QUIRINO, OF THE PHILIPPINES, COULD ANNOUNCE WHO HAD BEEN INVITED AND WHO HAD ACCEPTED. ROMULO SAID ONLY THAT THE SOUTHEAST ASIA CONFERENCE, OF WHATEVER NAME IT WILL DECIDE FOR ITSELF, "IS A GO."

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PRESIDENT QUIRINO CALLED THE THREE-DAY "ORGANIZATIONAL CONFERENCE" ON APRIL 17. ROMULO RECENTLY MADE A QUICK TRIP TO THE PHILIPPINES FOR CONSULTATION WITH PRESIDENT QUIRINO ON ARRANGEMENTS.

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LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 2-(AP)-UNITED NATIONS SOURCES SAID TONIGHT THAT SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE HAS DECIDED TO GO TO MOSCOW WITHIN A WEEK ON HIS SAVE-THE-U.N. CAMPAIGN TOUR IN EUROPE. HE IS EXPECTED TO TALK THERE WITH PRIME MINISTER STALIN.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF HIS DECISION IS EXPECTED TO BE MADE BY LIE AT A NEWS CONFERENCE CALLED FOR TOMORROW IN PARIS.

LIE TALKED WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN AT THE WHITE HOUSE JUST BEFORE HE SAILED FROM NEW YORK APRIL 22 WITH INTENTIONS OF TALKING WITH BRITISH AND FRENCH GOVERNMENT CHIEFS IN LONDON AND PARIS.

HE SAID AT THAT TIME HE WOULD DECIDE IN PARIS WHETHER HE THOUGHT A MOSCOW VISIT MIGHT BE APPROPRIATE NOW IN THE INTERESTS OF PEACE.

SINCE LIE'S DEPARTURE, FORMER PRESIDENT HOOVER HAS PROPOSED THAT THE U.N. SHOULD REORGANIZE IN A WAY THAT WOULD SHUT OUT ALL COMMUNIST COUNTRIES. THE RUSSIANS AND THEIR SATELLITES HAVE CONTINUED THEIR WALKOUT-STRIKE CAMPAIGN AGAINST KEEPING NATIONALIST CHINA DELEGATES HERE.

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LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 2-(AP)-RUSSIAN DELEGATE PAVEL M.CHERNYSHEV WALKED OUT OF THE UNITED NATIONS COMMITTEE OF STATISTICAL CLASSIFICATION TODAY AFTER FAILING TO OUST THE NATIONAL CHINA DELEGATE. THIS RAISED TO 22 THE NUMBER OF U.N. ORGANS HIT BY THE SOVIET WALKOUT-STRIKE AGAINST NATIONALIST CHINA.

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LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 2-(AP)-FLEET ADMIRAL CHESTER W. NIMITZ SAID TODAY THE STRENGTH OF THE UNITED NATIONS LIES IN THE FACT "THAT YOU CAN GET REPRESENTATIVES OF ALL THE MEMBERS HERE TO DISCUSS THEIR PROBLEMS."

COMMENTING ON FORMER PRESIDENT HOOVER'S RECENT SUGGESTION THAT THE U.N. BE REORGANIZED TO EXCLUDE COMMUNIST COUNTRIES, NIMITZ SAID THE ORGANIZATION WOULD NOT BE THE UNITED NATIONS ANY MORE IF THIS HAPPENED.

"IT WOULD BE SOMETHING ELSE AGAIN," SAID NIMITZ WHO IS NOW U.N. PLEBISCITE ADMINISTRATOR FOR THE STATE OF KASHMIR.

HE SPOKE BEFORE A GROUP OF VETERANS FROM VALLEY FORGE GENERAL HOSPITAL, PHOENIXVILLE, PA.

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NIGHT LEAD LIE (600)

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BY CARTER L.DAVIDSON

PARIS, MAY 3-(AP)-SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE ANNOUNCED TODAY HE IS GOING TO CARRY HIS "SAVE THE U.N." MISSION TO MOSCOW MAY 10 AND--HE HOPES--DIRECTLY TO PRIME MINISTER STALIN.

HE HOPES TO ACHIEVE A WORLD CONFERENCE--A MEETING OF THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL WITH HEADS OF STATES AND REPRESENTATIVES OF ALL U.N. MEMBERS--TO END THE COLD WAR AND HEAL A SPLIT HE SAID IS THREATENING TO LEAD "SOONER OR LATER TO A THIRD WORLD WAR."

"THE MOST CRITICAL SITUATION SINCE 1945 HAS DEVELOPED THIS YEAR NOT ONLY FOR THE UNITED NATIONS BUT FOR THE FUTURE OF THE WORLD ITSELF," THE U.N. OFFICIAL SAID IN A STATEMENT TO A NEWS CONFERENCE. "WE ARE AT THE CROSS ROADS.

"A NEW AND GREAT EFFORT MUST BE MADE, I BELIEVE, AND IT MUST BE BEGUN THIS YEAR TO BRING THE COLD WAR TO AN END."

THE SECRETARY GENERAL SAID HE WOULD FLY TO MOSCOW A WEEK HENCE, EXPECTING TO STAY SEVERAL DAYS AND HOPING TO SEE SOVIET LEADERS, INCLUDING STALIN--IF HE "IS IN MOSCOW AND IT CAN BE ARRANGED."

THE 53-YEAR-OLD NORWEWGIAN IS TAKING WITH HIM CONSTANTIN ZINCHENKO, A SOVIET CITIZEN AND ASSISTANT SECRETARY GENERAL FOR SECURITY COUNCIL AFFAIRS.

"THE FIRST STEP" IN ENDING THE COLD WAR, LIE DECLARED, "MUST BE TO RESTORE THE UNITED NATIONS AS A MEETING PLACE FOR THE NEGOTIATION AND CONCILIATION OF DIFFERENCES AND CONFLICTS AMONG THE GREAT POWERS."

RUSSIA HAS WALKED OUT OF 22 UNITED NATIONS MEETINGS SINCE JAN.10 BECAUSE CHINA WAS REPRESENTED BY NATIONALISTS INSTEAD OF COMMUNISTS.

FRENCH AND AMERICAN DIPLOMATS HERE REFUSED TO COMMENT TODAY ON LIE'S STATEMENTS, BUT ALL PARIS INFORMANTS AGREED WITH HIM THAT THE QUESTION OF CHINA'S REPRESENTATION IN THE U.N. THREATENS A PERMANENT SCHISM IN THE WORLD ORGANIZATION AND MUST BE SOLVED PROMPTLY.

BEFORE SAILING FOR EUROPE APRIL 22, LIE CONFERRED WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON IN WASHINGTON. SINCE THEN HE HAS INTERVIEWED BRITISH AND FRENCH LEADERS IN LONDON AND PARIS.

BUT HE SAID HE WAS TAKING NO MESSAGES OR PROPOSALS FROM PRESIDENT TRUMAN OR OTHER WESTERN LEADERS TO STALIN. HE SAID, HOWEVER, HIS SUGGESTION FOR A SECURITY COUNCIL MEETING WITH WORLD LEADERS HAD BEEN RECEIVED IN WASHINGTON "WITH ENTHUSIASM AND SYMPATHY."

WITHOUT MENTIONING FORMER PRESIDENT HOOVER DIRECTLY, HE STRUCK AT THE HOOVER PROPOSAL OF LAST WEEK THAT THE UNITED NATIONS BE REORGANIZED TO EXCLUDE RUSSIA AND OTHER COMMUNIST NATIONS.

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"NOW IT IS PROPOSED TO SPLIT THE WORLD PERMANENTLY INTO TWO CAMPS," HE SAID. "THAT ROAD WILL HARDEN EXISTING DIVISIONS IN THE WORLD; CREATE NEW ONES; PERPETUATE AND ACCELERATE THE ARMAMENTS RACE; MAKE ECONOMIC WARFARE A PERMANENT CONDITION; CONDEMN ALL THE POOR AND HUNGRY IN MANY PARTS OF THE WORLD TO REMAINING POOR AND HUNGRY; BRING THE PROPAGANDA WAR AND ITS ACCOMPANYING HYSTERIA TO NEW DEPTHS OF INTELLECTUAL AND MORAL DEGRADATION; AND DESTROY THE CHANCE FOR AGREEMENTS ON CONTROL OF ATOMIC ENERGY.

"THERE IS ONLY ONE POSSIBLE END TO THAT ROAD--SOONER OR LATER A THIRD WORLD WAR.

"THE OTHER ROAD IS THE UNITED NATIONS."

(IN WASHINGTON, WARREN AUSTIN, A REPUBLICAN AND U.S. REPRESENTATIVE TO THE UNITED NATIONS, ALSO TOOK SHARP ISSUE WITH HOOVER. IN A STATEMENT ISSUED AFTER HE HAD TALKED TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN, AUSTIN SAID HE WOULD "STRONGLY OPPOSE ANY EFFORT TO EXCLUDE THE SOVIET UNION FROM THE UNITED NATIONS."

(DECLARING HE HAD NO FEAR OF RUSSIA'S USE OF THE U.N. AS A SOUNDING BOARD FOR PROPAGANDA, AUSTIN SAID "WE MUST NEVER CLOSE THE DOOR TO THE NEGOTIATION OF OUTSTANDING DIFFERENCES. AND IN THAT REGARD THE UNITED NATIONS IS A HOUSE OF A THOUSAND DOORS.")

LIE SAID HE DID NOT BELIEVE ANY GOVERNMENT "WANTS WAR" BUT THE COLD WAR IS MAKING THE U.N. "MORE AND MORE UNWORKABLE."

HE HOPES TO DISCUSS IN MOSCOW THE "EMPTY CHAIRS" AT THE U.N., CHINA'S REPRESENTATION, THE RESTORATION OF HIGH LEVEL CONFERENCES BETWEEN THE BIG POWERS, AND "INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS" IN GENERAL, HE EXPLAINED.

"I DO NOT EXPECT ANY GREAT OR IMMEDIATE RESULTS," HE ADDED. "WHAT IS TO BE HOPED IS THAT ALL THESE EXCHANGES OF VIEWS MAY LEAD TO SOME RESULTS DURING THE NEXT TWO OR THREE MONTHS."

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FIRST LEAD LIE

BY CARTER L.DAVIDSON

PARIS, MAY 3-(AP)-UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE ANNOUNCED TODAY HE WILL FLY TO MOSCOW MAY 10 TO TRY TO PERSUADE RUSSIA TO AGREE TO A MEETING OF WORLD LEADERS AIMED AT ENDING THE COLD WAR AND AVERTING A GLOBAL CATASTROPHE. with the Security Council

IN AN OBVIOUS REFERENCE TO FORMER PRESIDENT HERBERT C.HOOVER'S PROPOSAL TO REORGANIZE THE U.N., WITHOUT RUSSIA AND HER SATELLITES, LIE DENOUNCED ANY ATTEMPT TO SPLIT THE WORLD PERMANENTLY INTO TWO CAMPS. ANNOUNCING HIS PLANS TO A NEWS CONFERENCE, HE SAID:

"WHEN THE UNITED NATIONS WAS ESTABLISHED IN SAN FRANCISCO, IT WAS CREATED AS AN ORGANIZATION FOR THE ENTIRE WORLD. NOW IT IS PROPOSED TO SPLIT THE WORLD PERMANENTLY INTO TWO CAMPS.

"THAT ROAD WILL HARDEN EXISTING DIVISIONS IN THE WORLD, CREATE NEW ONES, PERPETUATE AND ACCELERATE THE ARMAMENTS RACE, MAKE ECONOMIC WARFARE A PERMAMENT CONDITION, CONDEMN ALL THE POOR AND HUNGRY IN MANY PARTS OF THE WORLD TO REMAINING POOR AND HUNGRY, BRING THE PROPAGANDA WAR AND ITS ACCOMPANYING HYSTERIA TO NEW DEPTHS OF INTELLECTUAL AND MORAL DEGRADATION, AND DESTROY THE CHANCE FOR AGREEMENT ON CONTROL OF ATOMIC ENERGY.

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"THE OTHER ROAD IS THE UNITED NATIONS. THAT ROAD LEADS AWAY FROM A THIRD WORLD WAR INSTEAD OF TOWARDS IT."

LIE TOLD THE REPORTERS HE HOPES TO SEE PRIME MINISTER STALIN AND PLACE BEFORE HIM THE SECRETARY-GENERAL'S PLAN TO HAVE THE U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL MEET WITH "HEADS OF STATES AND WITH CABINET MEMBERS OF ALL NATIONS."

"THE MOST CRITICAL SITUATION SINCE 1945 HAS DEVELOPED THIS YEAR," HE SAID, "NOT ONLY FOR THE UNITED NATIONS BUT FOR THE FUTURE OF THE WORLD ITSELF. WE ARE AT THE CROSSROADS."

THE UNITED NATIONS STILL IS FUNCTIONING, HE SAID, "BUT THE FACT REMAINS THAT THERE ARE EMPTY CHAIRS AND IT REMAINS THAT THE DISPUTE OVER CHINA'S REPRESENTATION STILL IS TO BE SETTLED." RUSSIA HAS BEEN BOYCOTTING U.N. BODIES BECAUSE OF THE CONTINUED PRESENCE OF CHINESE NATIONALIST DELEGATES. LIE HAS DISCUSSED THIS WITH OTHER POWERS AND SAID HE HOPES TO TALK IT OVER WITH STALIN.

HE DENIED ANY SUGGESTION THAT HE WAS CARRYING ANY MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT TRUMAN TO PRIME MINISTER STALIN.

"I AM CARRYING NO MESSAGES AND NO PROPOSALS FROM ANY GOVERNMENT TO ANY OTHER," HE SAID.

LIE SAID HE FIRST DISCUSSED THE SECURITY COUNCIL MEETINGS WITH

BIG POWER LEADERS IN WASHINGTON LAST MONTH AND THE IDEA "WAS RECEIVED WITH ENTHUSIASM AND SYMPATHY." SUCH MEETINGS WOULD BE SESSIONS OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL HELD OUTSIDE U.N. HEADQUARTERS AT LAKE SUCCESS AND ATTENDED BY LEADING BIG POWER OFFICIALS AND MEMBER GOVERNMENT REPRESENTATIVES.

LIE SAID THERE WAS "NO SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCE WHICH HAS BEEN RESPONSIBLE FOR MY DECISION TO GO TO MOSCOW," BUT HE ADDED HIS DECISION HAD BEEN DELAYED BY TECHNICAL PROBLEMS INVOLVED IN HIS CONFERENCES WITH U.N. OFFICIALS.

LIE LEFT NEW YORK ON APRIL 22 ON A "SAVE-THE-U.N." MISSION. HE SAID THEN HE WOULD ANNOUNCE IN PARIS AFTER TALKS WITH GOVERNMENT LEADERS IN BRITAIN AND FRANCE WHETHER HE WOULD PROCEED TO MOSCOW. LIE CONFERRED LAST WEEK-END WITH OFFICIALS IN LONDON AND YESTERDAY HAD TALKS WITH FRENCH OFFICIALS HERE.

LIE'S TOUGHEST PROBLEM IS THE CRISIS FACED BY THE UNITED NATIONS OVER THE SOVIET BOYCOTT OF U.N. ORGANIZATIONS. SINCE LAST JAN. 10 THE RUSSIANS HAVE BEEN WALKING OUT OF VARIOUS U.N. MEETINGS IN PROTEST AGAINST CONTINUED REPRESENTATION OF THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS.

LIE TOLD NEWSMEN TODAY THAT MEETINGS OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL WITH WORLD LEADERS ARE NECESSARY BECAUSE "THE MOST CRITICAL SITUATION SINCE 1945 HAS DEVELOPED THIS YEAR, NOT ONLY FOR THE UNITED NATIONS BUT FOR THE FUTURE OF THE WORLD ITSELF."

LIE DECLARED THAT A GREAT AND NEW EFFORT MUST BE MADE THIS YEAR TO BRING THE COLD WAR TO AN END. HE ADDED:

"THE FIRST STEP CLEARLY MUST BE TO RESTORE THE UNITED NATIONS AS A MEETING PLACE FOR NEGOTIATIONS AND CONCILIATION OF DIFFERENCES AND CONFLICTS AMONG THE GREAT POWERS. TO DO WHAT I COULD TO HELP BRING THIS ABOUT HAS BEEN MY MAIN CONCERN FOR THE PAST THREE MONTHS."

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WITH PARIS (230)

BY EDDY GILMORE

MOSCOW, MAY 3-(AP)-FOREIGN DIPLOMATS HERE HEARD WITH MUCH INTEREST TODAY TRYGVE LIE'S ANNOUNCEMENT IN PARIS THAT HE WOULD FLY TO MOSCOW NEXT WEEK.

ALMOST EVERYONE AGREED THAT THERE CERTAINLY IS NO REASON WHY THE UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY GENERAL SHOULD NOT COME HERE ON THE BUSINESS OF HIS ORGANIZATION, BUT FEW DIPLOMATS WOULD WAGER MUCH ON HIS CHANCES OF ACCOMPLISHING A GREAT DEAL WHILE IN MOSCOW.

IT WAS POINTED OUT THAT THE RUSSIANS ARE NOT IN THE LEAST LIKELY TO CHANGE THEIR PRESENT POSITION AS LONG AS THE CHINESE NATIONALIST DELEGATES ARE SEATED IN U.N. BODIES. THE RUSSIANS WANT THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS TO TAKE THE NATIONALISTS' PLACES AND HAVE BOYCOTTED MEETINGS OF U.N. AGENCIES UNTIL SUCH A CHANGE COMES ABOUT.

IN CONNECTION WITH LIE'S SUGGESTION THAT IT WOULD BE A GOOD THING IF THE SECURITY COUNCIL MET IN THE CAPITALS OF THE GREAT POWERS, OBSERVERS SAID HE MIGHT MAKE PROGRESS ON THIS SUBJECT BUT THAT HE WOULD GET ALONG FASTER IF THE CHINESE QUESTION WAS SETTLED.

LIE'S STATEMENT THAT HE WOULD LIKE TO SEE PRIME MINISTER STALIN WAS NOTED HERE. IT WAS BELIEVED THE SECRETARY GENERAL WOULD BE RECEIVED BY SOVIET FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI Y. VISHINSKY AND PERHAPS BY DEPUTY PREMIER V.M. MOLOTOV IF HE ASKS. LIE KNOWS BOTH MEN.

WESTERN DIPLOMATS GENERALLY TOOK THE VIEW THAT LIE WOULD NOT BE ABLE TO ACCOMPLISH MUCH TOWARD SETTLING THE COLD WAR OR ANY OF THE GREAT ISSUES. SOME OF THEM MADE RESERVATIONS, HOWEVER, AND SPECULATED THERE WAS A CHANCE LIE MIGHT BE ABLE TO LAY THE GROUNDWORK FOR SOMETHING THAT MIGHT EVENTUALLY DEVELOP TOWARD A SETTLEMENT.

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(200) FOLO PARIS LIE

WASHINGTON,MAY 3-(AP)-A STATE DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY THAT WHILE THIS GOVERNMENT DOES NOT SPECIFICALLY SUPPORT TRYGVE LIE'S MISSION TO MOSCOW, IT ENCOURAGES ANY CONTACT WITH THE RUSSIANS AIMED AT PRESERVING PEACE.

MICHAEL MCDERMOTT, STATE DEPARTMENT PRESS OFFICER, SAID IN REPLY TO A REPORTER'S QUESTION THAT "THE UNITED STATES IS INTERESTED IN MR. LIE'S TRIP TO MOSCOW AND THE RESULTS IT MAY PRODUCE."

HE DECLINED FURTHER DIRECT COMMENT EXCEPT TO SAY THAT LIE, WHO IS SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS, IS MAKING THE TRIP ON HIS OWN INITIATIVE. LIE HAS ANNOUNCED HE WILL SEEK TO RESOLVE THE IMPASSE BETWEEN THE SOVIET AND THE WEST OVER CONTINUED PRESENCE IN THE U.N. OF NATIONALIST CHINESE DELEGATES.

MCDERMOTT ADDED:

"IN GENERAL, WE SUPPORT ANY CONTACT WITH THE RUSSIANS IN THE INTEREST OF PEACE."

HE SAID THAT IF LIE RETURNS WITH A SPECIFIC PROPOSAL, THE UNITED STATES WILL "CAREFULLY CONSIDER IT."

LIE SAID IN PARIS TODAY THAT HE WILL GO TO MOSCOW ON MAY 10 AND THAT HE HOPES TO TALK WITH PREMIER STALIN IN AN EFFORT TO ARRANGE A SPECIAL U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL MEETING TO END THE COLD WAR.

LIE CONFERRED WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON BEFORE HE LEFT FOR PARIS.

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LONDON, MAY 3-(AP)-THE MOSCOW RADIO ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT RUSSIA HAS DECIDED TO FLOAT A 20,000,000,000 RUBLE BOND ISSUE "FOR THE REHABILITATION AND DEVELOPMENT OF THE NATIONAL ECONOMY." AT THE CURRENT RATE OF EXCHANGE THIS WOULD BRING IN THE EQUIVALENT OF $5,000,000,000.

SUCH BOND ISSUES HAVE BEEN ISSUED BY THE RUSSIANS AT VARIOUS TIMES SINCE THE END OF THE WAR. MOSCOW USUALLY ANNOUNCES THEY ARE OVER-SUBSCRIBED WITHIN 36 HOURS.

THE NEW BOND ISSUE WILL BE REDEEMABLE IN 20 YEARS. AS IS CUSTOMARY THE BUYERS WILL QUALIFY FOR PRIZES IN A LOTTERY BASED ON THE NUMBERS ON THE BONDS. TOP PRIZE IN THE DRAWINGS, TO BE HELD YEARLY BEGINNING IN 1951, WILL BE 25,000 RUBLES ($6,250).

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PRECEDE LONDON DAY

MOSCOW, MAY 3-(AP)-A NEW 20,000,000,000 (B) RUBLE STATE LOAN FOR THE RECONSTRUCTION AND DEVELOPMENT OF RUSSIA WAS ANNOUNCED TODAY. (AT THE CURRENT RATE OF EXCHANGE THIS WOULD BRING IN THE EQUIVALENT OF $5,000,000,000).

MEETINGS WERE HELD IN FACTORIES AND ON FARMS ALL OVER THE NATION AT WHICH WORKERS AND FARMERS COULD SUBSCRIBE FOR THE STATE BONDS. THIS IS THE FIFTH STATE LOAN TO BE ANNOUNCED. THE BONDS ARE REDEEMABLE IN 20 YEARS.

BOND BUYERS QUALIFY FOR PRIZES IN A STATE LOTTERY.

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GRIMSBY, ENGLAND, MAY 3-(AP)-OWNERS OF A BRITISH TRAWLER SAID TODAY IT HAS BEEN BOARDED BY RUSSIANS IN THE VICINITY OF THE SCANDINAVIAN PENINSULA AND TAKEN TO MURMANSK.

THE TRAWLER IS THE ETRURIA, WHICH LEFT GRIMSBY APRIL 19 BOUND FOR THE WHITE SEA. IT IS OWNED BY THE STANDARD STEAM FISHING COMPANY.

A COMPANY SPOKESMAN SAID THE SEIZURE OCCURRED MONDAY. ANOTHER

TRAWLER PICKED UP A RADIO MESSAGE FROM THE ETRURIA SAYING SHE WAS BEING TAKEN OVER BY A RUSSIAN CREW. THE SECOND TRAWLER RELAYED THE WORD TO GRIMSBY.

THE GOVERNMENT MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES SAID IT HAD CONFIRMED THAT THE VESSEL WAS SEIZED.

SUCH "ARRESTS" OF FISHING BOATS BY THE RUSSIANS HAVE BEEN INCREASINGLY FREQUENT IN RECENT MONTHS WITH SCANDINAVIAN AND GERMAN VESSELS MAINLY CONCERNED. IT HAS BEEN ATTRIBUTED TO STRICT SECURITY MEASURES TO COVER UP DEFENSE WORKS ALONG THE SOVIET UNION'S ARCTIC AND BALTIC COASTLINES.

IN MOST CASES BOTH BOATS AND CREWS ULTIMATELY HAVE BEEN RELEASED.

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london, may 3-(ap)-the british navy 's west indies squadron will continue to base at bermuda, but repair facilities on the island will be closed down, the house of ~~lords~~ commons was told today.

w. j. edwards, civil lord of the admiralty said he told a bermuda delegation which had protested the dockyard closing that ~~the~~ britain had no alternative economically. in the future, he said, the squadron will be serviced in ~~bermuda~~ united kingdom dockyards.

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BY JOSEPH E.DYNAN

PARIS, MAY 3-(AP)-A HIGHLY PLACED FRENCH SOURCE SAID TODAY IT IS "ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY" FOR FRANCE TO GET A QUICK REPLY ON HER REQUEST FOR MILITARY AID IN INDOCHINA.

HE SAID HIS GOVERNMENT WILL INSIST UPON A DECISION BY THE NORTH ATLANTIC PACT FOREIGN MINISTERS IN THEIR MEETING IN LONDON NEXT WEEK.

"UNCERTAINTY IS THE WORST FACTOR IN ANY MILITARY SITUATION," HE DECLARED. OTHER EQUALLY WELL-INFORMED SOURCES GAVE THIS ASSESSMENT OF THE SITUATION:

FRANCE IS ALREADY MANNING A "SECOND FRONT," FIGHTING THE COMMUNIST-DOMINATED GUERRILLAS IN INDOCHINA. HER ARMY, THE ONLY SOLID FORCE ON CONTINENTAL WESTERN EUROPE, IS PINNED DOWN BY HO CHI MINH IN THE ORIENTAL JUNGLE THOUSANDS OF MILES FROM HOME.

THE FAR EASTERN SITUATION HAS GREATLY DETERIORATED WITH THE CAPTURE OF HAINAN ISLAND BY THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS. THIS PUTS MAO TAZE-TUNG'S FORCES WITHIN EASY REACH OF HO CHI MINH BY WATER.

COUNTLESS JUNKS AND SMALL BOATS NOW CAN MAKE CLANDESTINE RENDEZVOUS WITH THE GUERRILA REBELS ALONG VIETNAM'S INDENTED COASTLINE.

FRANCE'S RESOURCES ARE BEING STRAINED BY THE FULLSCALE MILITARY CAMPAIGN AGAINST HO CHI MINH WHICH IS NOW RUNNING IN ITS FIFTH YEAR.

THE FRENCH POSITION IS THIS: EITHER INDOCHINA IS IMPORTANT IN A STRATEGIC SENSE TO THE WESTERN WORLD OR IT IS NOT. IF IT IS, THEN THE WHOLE WESTERN WORLD SHOULD JOIN IN CARRYING THE LOAD FOR ITS DEFENSE. IF IT IS NOT--WHICH THE FRENCH DO NOT BELIEVE--THEN FRANCE EVENTUALLY WILL HAVE TO ABANDON INDOCHINA TO THE COMMUNISTS.

OFFICIALS WOULD NOT COMMENT ON THIS SITUATION PUBLICLY, BUT IT IS KNOWN THAT LEON PIGNON, FRENCH HIGH COMMISSIONER IN INDOCHINA, HAS BEEN CONFERRING THIS WEEK WITH DEFENSE MINISTER RENE PLEVEN ON ESTIMATES OF FRENCH MILITARY NEEDS FOR PRESENTATION TO THE LONDON CONFERENCE.

FRANCE SUBMITTED A DETAILED REQUEST FOR MILITARY MATERIAL TO THE U. S. EARLY THIS YEAR. AN AMERICAN PROMISE TO SEND $15,000,000 IN ARMS AND MEDICAL AND OTHER SUPPLIES--MOSTLY THE LATTER--WAS TERMED FAR TOO SMALL.

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PARIS, MAY 3-(AP)-THE FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY URGED THE GOVERNMENT TODAY TO TAKE THE INITIATIVE IN THE UNITED NATIONS TOWARD CALLING A WORLD CONFERENCE OF ATOMIC ENERGY EXPERTS. SUCH A CONFERENCE SHOULD "ESTABLISH INTERNATIONAL CONTROL OF THE PRODUCTION OF ATOMIC ENERGY," A RESOLUTION SAID.

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ROME, MAY 3-(AP)-THE LAST SURVIVOR OF THE VERSAILLES TREATY'S BIG FOUR, ITALY'S VITTORIO EMANUELE ORLANDO, WANTS HIS COUNTRY TO QUIT THE ATLANTIC PACT OVER THE TRIESTE QUESTION.

SPEAKING IN THE ITALIAN SENATE, FORMER PREMIER ORLANDO ACCUSED THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE OF ABANDONING HIS COUNTRY IN FAVOR OF YUGOSLAVIA OVER TRIESTE.

"IT IS THEREFORE IMPOSSIBLE IN THESE CONDITIONS TO HAVE A PACT OF

ALLIANCE WITH THESE THREE COUNTRIES WHO ARE NOT FRIENDS," THE 89-YEAR-OLD STATESMAN DECLARED.

THE PEACE TREATY WITH ITALY AT THE END OF WORLD WAR II TOOK TRIESTE FROM ITALY AND PROVIDED FOR ITS ESTABLISHMENT AS A FREE TERRITORY. ON MARCH 20, 1948, THE THREE WESTERN ALLIES SUGGESTED TRIESTE BE RETURNED TO ITALY, A MOVE WHICH RUSSIA OPPOSED.

LATER, AFTER YUGOSLAVIA AND THE MOSCOW-DIRECTED COMINFORM STARTED FEUDING, UNITED STATES OFFICIALS WERE REPORTED FAVORING AN ARRANGEMENT WHICH WOULD TAKE INTO ACCOUNT YUGOSLAV CLAIMS ON THE STRATEGIC ADRIATIC PORT TERRITORY.

IN RECENT WEEKS BOTH ITALY'S FOREIGN MINISTER COUNT CARLO SFORZA AND YUGOSLAVIA'S PREMIER MARSHAL TITO HAVE EXPRESSED WILLINGNESS TO OPEN DIRECT NEGOTIATIONS OVER TRIESTE.

BUT ANY SUCH NEGOTIATIONS, ORLANDO SAID YESTERDAY, WOULD BE DISADVANTAGEOUS TO ITALY BECAUSE OF WHAT HE TERMED TITO'S INTRANSIGENCY AND THE PRESENT ATTITUDE OF THE WESTERN POWERS.

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NIGHT LEAD ITALIAN (200)
BY PHILIP CLARKE

ROME, MAY 3-(AP)-PREMIER ALCIDE DE GASPERI APPEALED TODAY TO THE BIG THREE WESTERN POWERS FOR INTERVENTION AGAINST YUGOSLAVIA IN THE TRIESTE FREE TERRITORY DISPUTE. HE CHARGED THAT YUGOSLAVIA HAS VIOLATED TREATY TERMS BY HER ACTIONS IN THE ZONE SHE CONTROLS.

INTERVENTION FROM THE WEST IS A "LOGICAL AND NECESSARY CONSEQUENCE" OF THE OFFER BY THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE IN 1948 TO RETURN THE TRIESTE TERRITORY TO ITALY, THE PREMIER TOLD THE SENATE.

THE THREE WESTERN POWERS PROPOSED THE RETURN DURING THE HEATED 1948 ELECTION CAMPAIGN, IN WHICH THE COMMUNISTS WERE BIDDING FOR CONTROL OF THE GOVERNMENT. SOVIET RUSSIA, WHOSE ASSENT WAS NECESSARY, IGNORED THE WESTERN PROPOSAL. THE COMMUNISTS WERE DEFEATED.

DE GASPERI SAID THE THREE WESTERN POWERS HAD RECENTLY CONFIRMED THEIR LOYALTY TO THE IDEA. HE MADE NO REFERENCE TO RECENT PRESS REPORTS QUOTING AMERICAN OFFICIALS THAT THE UNITED STATES HAS MODIFIED ITS STAND IN FAVOR OF A DIRECT ITALIAN-YUGOSLAV SETTLEMENT, "TAKING YUGOSLAV AS WELL AS ITALIAN RIGHTS INTO CONSIDERATION."

HE ACKNOWLEDGED THAT THE PROPOSAL WAS CONTINGENT ON RUSSIA'S ACCEPTANCE AND THAT THERE WAS NO OBLIGATION FOR ITS IMMEDIATE FULFILLMENT. BUT HE SAID ALL SIGNATORIES OF THE ITALIAN PEACE TREATY, INDIVIDUALLY AND WITHIN THE UNITED NATIONS, HAVE THE RIGHT TO INSIST THAT TREATY TERMS NOT BE BROKEN.

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ROME, MAY 3-(AP)-COMMUNIST-LED UNIONS OF THE ITALIAN CONFEDERATION OF LABOR (CGIL) STAGED A HALF HOUR NATIONWIDE PROTEST STRIKE TODAY AGAINST THE KILLING OF TWO PEASANTS IN A MAY DAY EVE RIOT.

THE STRIKE ORDER EXEMPTED PUBLIC SERVICES AND RAILROADS. IT LIMITED STOPPAGE OF BUS AND TRAMCAR SERVICE TO FIVE MINUTES.

THE TWO PEASANTS WERE SHOT TO DEATH AT CELANO IN THE ABRUZZI MOUNTAINS LAST SUNDAY WHEN POLICE MOVED TO DISPERSE A DEMONSTRATION OF FARM WORKERS OVER DIVISION OF LAND UNDER THE GOVERNMENT'S REDISTRIBUTION PROGRAM.

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ROME, MAY 3-(AP)-ITALIAN FASCISM'S ONCE FAMED AFRICAN CONQUEROR, FORMER FIELD MARSHAL RUDOLFO GRAZIANI, TODAY FACED ANOTHER YEAR AND TWO MONTHS IN CUSTODY.

AN ITALIAN MILITARY TRIBUNAL YESTERDAY SENTENCED THE AILING 67-YEAR-OLD MILITARIST TO 19 YEARS IN PRISON FOR TREASON AND COLLABORATION WITH MUSSOLINI'S FINAL FASCIST REGIME IN NORTHERN ITALY.

THE COURT, CITING TIME ALREADY SERVED IN CUSTODY AND AMNESTIES FOR ACTS OF VALOR AND WOUNDS IN THE TWO WORLD WARS, REDUCED HIS REMAINING SERVITUDE TO 14 MONTHS.

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VATICAN CITY, MAY 3-(AP)-A VATICAN HOLY OFFICE DECREE TODAY ANNOUNCED THE EXCOMMUNICATION OF ROMANIAN PRIEST ANDREAS AGOTHA. HE WAS ACCUSED OF ABETTING A COMMUNIST-INSPIRED SPLIT WITH THE MTHER CHURCH IN HIS CO

HE WAS ACCUSED OF ABETTING A COMMUNIST-INSPIRED SPLIT WITH THE MOTHER CHURCH IN HIS COUNTRY.

THE DECREE, PUBLISHED IN THE VATICAN NEWSPAPER "L'OSSERVATORE ROMANO," WARNED THAT SIMILAR STEPS WOULD BE TAKEN AGAINST OTHER PRIESTS UNLESS THEY "DESIST IMMEDIATELY FROM FAVORING THE SCHISMATIC MOVEMENT."

THE DECREE CUTS A PRIEST OFF FROM THE CATHOLIC CHURCH AND DEPRIVES HIM OF ITS BENEFITS.

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NIGHT LEAD SWISS (180)

BERN, SWITZERLAND, MAY 3-(AP)-THE SWISS GOVERNMENT CALLED ON HOUSEWIVES AND INDUSTRIALISTS TODAY TO STOCK UP ON SUPPLIES. THE SAME APPEAL WAS MADE 11 YEARS AGO, JUST FOUR MONTHS BEFORE THE OUTBREAK OF WORLD WAR II.

ECONOMIC EXPERTS ESTIMATED THAT FOOD AND INDUSTRIAL RAW MATERIALS FOR AN EXTRA SIX MONTHS WERE ON HAND IN SWITZERLAND AS A RESULT OF THE FIRST APPEAL WHEN THE GERMANS INVADED POLAND.

BUILDING UP OF A BACKLOG IS AGAIN THE AIM.

"PREPARATIONS FOR THE MILITARY DEFENSE OF THE COUNTRY WOULD BE INCOMPLETE IF THE ECONOMIC DEFENSES WERE NOT SIMULTANEOUSLY PREPARED WITH ALL POSSIBLE MEANS," THE ECONOMIC DEPARTMENT EXPLAINED IN A COMMUNIQUE.

"HOUSEHOLD AND INDUSTRIAL STOCKS WOULD PLAY AN IMPORTANT PART IF UNFORESEEABLE EVENTS SHOULD CUT SHORT OUR SUPPLIES."

ECONOMIC MINISTER RODOLPHE RUBATTEL TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THE APPEAL WAS "A NORMAL PRECAUTION" AND DID NOT MEAN THAT A NEW WAR APPEARED MORE IMMINENT THAN BEFORE.

"IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO FORETELL THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE INTERNATIONAL SITUATION," RUBATTEL SAID. "BUT IT IS POSSIBLE, AND EVEN PROBABLE, THAT IN CASE OF WAR WE WOULD NO LONGER BE ABLE TO REPLENISH OUR SUPPLIES."

If a new war broke out, the sale of certain critical food items , such as sugar and rice, would be ~~xx~~ banned immediately to preven a run on the stores, he said. Housewives' stocks would tide over families while the rationing program was worked out. Developed.

A law passed in 1938 gave the swiss ~~gx~~ government wide powers of economic control in times of national emergency. Switzerland has the tradition of a free economic system as well as the tradition of neutrality.

The law formed the legal basis for the rationing of food and raw materials and for bulk purchases by the government in the war. still in effect, it authorizes private and industrial storage in peacetime of supplies that might be cut off by war.

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GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, MAY 3-(AP)-THE INTERNATIONAL RED CROSS COMMITTEE HAS APPEALED TO THE WORLD'S GOVERNMENTS TO OUTLAW ATOMIC WEAPONS AND NON-DIRECTED MISSILES.

UNLESS THEY DO, SAID THE ALL-SWISS RED CROSS COMMITTEE, THE MISSION OF THE MERCY ORGANIZATION IN WARTIME WILL DISAPPEAR.

"ATOMIC BOMBS AND NON-DIRECTED MISSILES, X X X WILL NOT SPARE HOSPITALS, PRISONER-OF-WAR CAMPS AND CIVILIANS," SAID THE RED CROSS APPEAL SENT TO PRACTICALLY ALL GOVERNMENTS OF THE WORLD'S NATIONS. "THEIR INEVITABLE CONSEQUENCE IS EXTERMINATION, PURE AND SIMPLE."

THE RED CROSS COMMITTEE, WHICH SUPERVISES APPLICATION OF THE GENEVA CONVENTIONS FOR THE PROTECTION OF SOLDIERS AND CIVILIANS IN WARTIME, CALLED ON ALL GOVERNMENTS WHICH SIGNED THE 1949 CONVENTIONS TO BAN THE NEW WEAPONS "AS A LOGICAL COMPLEMENT" TO THE EARLIER AGREEMENTS.

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BERN, SWITZERLAND, MAY 3-(AP)-THE SWISS GOVERNMENT CALLED ON THE NATION TO SAVE FOOD AND RAW MATERIALS AS A SAFEGUARD AGAINST "UNFORESEEABLE EVENTS."

THE ECONOMIC MINISTRY WHICH MADE THE APPEAL SAID "PREPARATIONS FOR MILITARY DEFENSE OF THE COUNTRY WOULD BE INCOMPLETE IF ECONOMIC DEFENSE WERE NOT SIMULTANEOUSLY PREPARED WITH ALL POSSIBLE MEANS."

RODOLPHE RUBATTEL, SWISS ECONOMIC AFFAIRS MINISTER TOLD REPORTERS THE APPEAL WAS NOT MEANT AS A WAR SCARE BUT WAS MERELY "NORMAL PRECAUTION" IN CASE TROUBLE DOES COME.

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STOCKHOLM, MAY 3-(AP)-A LIFEJACKET MARKED "USN" WAS FOUND IN THE BALTIC TODAY SOUTH OF THE ISLAND OF GOTLAND, A SWEDISH AIRFORCE SPOKESMAN SAID TONIGHT.

THE JACKET MAY BE FROM THE MISSING NAVY PRIVATEER PLANE WHICH DISAPPEARED OVER THE BALTIC APRIL 8 WITH A CREW OF 10. THE UNITED STATES HAS ACCUSEED THE RUSSIANS OF SHOOTING IT DOWN. THE SOVIETS SAY THEY SHOT AT A B-29 BOMBER.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID THE LIFEJACKET WAS EQUIPPED WITH TWO OXYGEN CONTAINERS AND THE POCKETS CONTAINED A FLASHLIGHT, SOME SIGNAL CARTRIDGES AND A COUPLE OF MIRRORS. THE JACKET WILL BE SENT TO THE U.S. AIRFORCE HEADQUARTERS AT WIESBADEN.

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NIGHT LEAD RAILWAYS (390)

BY RICHARD KASISCHKE

BERLIN, MAY 3-(AP)-A SOVIET-SPONSORED RAILWAY ORDER TONIGHT VIRTUALLY PARALYZED GERMAN FREIGHT LOADINGS IN WESTERN BERLIN.

THE ORDER WAS SENT FROM THE RUSSIAN-CONTROLLED EAST GERMAN RAILWAY HEADQUARTERS TO STATIONS IN THE WESTERN SECTORS.

IT SAID THAT HENCEFORTH ALL BERLIN RAIL FREIGHT CONSIGNED TO WEST GERMANY MUST BE LOADED AT STATIONS IN RUSSIAN-COCCUPIED EAST BERLIN. THERE THE CARGOES WOULD BE INSPECTED BEFORE SHIPMENT WAS ALLOWED THROUGH THE SOVIET ZONE. BERLIN FREIGHT MUST PASS THROUGH ABOUT 100 MILES OF THE SOVIET ZONE TO GET TO WEST GERMANY.

THE EAST BERLIN HEADQUARTERS ~~ABIT EHR~~ SAID THE ORDER WAS NECESSARY BECAUSE THE MAIN ZONAL CROSSING POINT AT MARIENBORN, ON BERLIN'S LIFELINE TO THE WEST, WAS JAMMED WITH TRAFFIC. BY LOADING AND INSPECTING CARGOES HERE UNDER RUSSIAN CONTROL, THE HEADQUARTERS SAID, OTHER ZONAL BORDER CROSSING POINTS COULD BE USED TO RELIEVE THIS STRAIN.

MANY WEST BERLIN SHIPPERS, HOWEVER, EXPRESSED BELIEF THIS WAS A NEW COMMUNIST ATTEMPT TO CLAMP TIGHTER RESTRICTIONS ON WEST BERLIN'S REVIVING TRADE WITH WEST GERMANY.

WEST BERLIN RAIL FREIGHT HAS BEEN LOADED IN WEST BERLIN YARDS. THE CARGOES WERE STAMPED WITH CERTIFICATES FROM THE WEST BERLIN CITY GOVERNMENT STATING THAT THEY ORIGINATED IN WEST BERLIN. THEN THEY FACED INSPECTION ONLY AT THE MARIENBORN CHECKPOINT AND THIS WAS NOT VERY DETAILED.

ABOUT 50,000 TONS OF SUCH FREIGHT HAS GONE MONTLY BY RAIL. A SOMEWHAT LARGER AMOUNT GOES BY TRUCK.

SOME WEST BERLIN BUSINESS MEN IMMEDIATELY SUSPENDED RAIL SHIPMENTS. THEY PROTESTED THE NEW RULES NOT ONLY WOULD COST THEM THE EXPENSE OF HAULING THEIR GOODS ACROSS TOWN, BUT MIGHT LEAD TO LOSS OF TIME ON DELIVERY OF ORDERS AND THE HAZARD OF HAVING THEIR SHIPMENTS CONFISCATED BY COMMUNIST INSPECTORS ON THE PRETEXT THAT THEY WERE "UNAUTH-

ORIZED."
EVEN AT MARIENBORN, NUMEROUS WEST BERLIN CARGOES HAVE BEEN DELAYED OR CONFISCATED, ESPECIALLY SCRAP METAL.
SHIPPERS POINTED OUT THAT IN EAST BERLIN STATIONS "EVERY CRATE COULD BE OPENED" AND CHALLENGED BY COMMUNIST INSPECTORS.
C.A.DIX, TRANSPORT CHIEF FOR THE U.S. HIGH COMMISSION'S BERLIN OFFICE, SAID HE DOUBTED THE COMMUNIST ASSERTION THAT THE MARIENBORN CHECKPOINT WAS OVERLOADED. HE SAID THERE HAD NOT BEEN A SUFFICIENT RISE IN TRAFFIC TO CAUSE A JAM.
DIX SAID THE FREIGHT ORDER WAS TRANSMITTED TO THE WEST GERMAN RAILWAY HEADQUARTERS IN THE U.S. ZONE WITH INSTRUCTIONS TO ATTEMPT NEGOTIATION WITH THE SOVIET-CONTROLLED HEADQUARTERS HERE.
IF THIS FAILS, HE SAID, THERE WILL BE A DIRECT APPROACH BY THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE TO THE RUSSIANS.
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BERLIN, MAY 3-(AP)-THE RUSSIAN-CONTROLLED GERMAN RAILWAYS TODAY ORDERED THAT ALL BERLIN FREIGHT ~~DESTINED~~ FOR WESTERN GERMANY MUST BE LOADED IN THE RUSSIAN SECTOR OF THE CITY.
SOME SHIPPERS SAID THE MOVE WAS DESIGNED TO ENFORCE STRICTER CONTROLS ON BERLIN'S TRADE WITH WEST GERMANY.
FORMERLY WESTERN-BOUND SHIPMENTS WERE LOADED IN WEST BERLIN FREIGHT YARDS. UNDER THE NEW REGULATIONS WEST BERLIN SHIPPERS WOULD HAVE TO TRANSPORT THEIR CARGOES ACROSS THE CITY WHILE THEIR OWN LOADING STATIONS REMAIN IDLE. IN THE RUSSIAN SECTOR, PRESUMABLY THEY WOULD HAVE TO SUTMIT THEIR SHIPMENTS TO IMMEDIATE INSPECTION.
THE SOVIET-CONTROLLED RAILWAY HEADQUARTERS SAID THE NEW ORDER WAS NECESSARY BECAUSE THE MARIENBORN CHECKPOINT AT THE EAST-WEST ZONE BORDER WAS OVERLOADED. IT SAID THAT BY LOADING WESTERN CARGOES IN EASTERN BERLIN THESE COULD BE ROUTED THROUGH OTHER ZONAL BORDER POINTS AND THUS RELIEVE THE STRAIN ON THE MARIENBORN-HELMSTEDT LINE, THE MAIN ROUTE TO THE WEST.
C.A. DIX, RAIL TRANSPORTATION CHIEF FOR THE UNITED STATES HIGH COMMISSION HERE, SAID HE IS INVESTIGATING THE NEW REGULATIONS. HE ADDED: "IT MAY BE TRUE, ALTHOUGH WE HAVE REASON TO DOUBT IT, THAT THE MARIENBORN CHECKPOINT IS CLOGGED. BUT THIS WE DO KNOW -- THE RUSSIANS WANT CLOSER INSPECTION OF WESTERN RAIL FREIGHT. BY ENFORCING THESE REGULATIONS THEY COULD CREATE HINDRANCES TO WESTERN TRADE."
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BERLIN, MAY 3-(AP)-TWO DANCE BAND LEADERS WERE REPORTED FIRED FROM THE SOVIET-CONTROLLED BERLIN RADIO STATION TODAY BECAUSE OF THEIR "DECADENT AND REACTIONARY MUSIC."
THE PURGE CAME AFTER WEEKS OF CRITICISM BY THE SOCIALIST UNITY (COMMUNIST) PARTY, WHICH IS ORGANIZING EAST GERMAN COMPOSERS IN A COLLECTIVE SOCIETY TO PRODUCE "PROGRESSIVE DEMOCRATIC TUNES."
INFORMANTS SAID COMMUNIST KURT JEAN FOREST HAD REPLACED HORST KUDRITZKI AND ERWIN LEHN AS CHIEF OF THE DANCE MUSIC SECTION OF THE STATION. FOREST REPORTEDLY PROMISED HE WOULD MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO POPULARIZE THE COMPOSITIONS OF THE SOCIALIST UNITY PARTY'S COLLECTIVE.
ONE OF THE NUMBERS HE WILL PROMOTE IS TITLED, "THE PEOPLE'S POLICEMAN," A FOXTROT.9

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NIGHT LEAD POLICE (330)
BERLIN, MAY 3-(AP)-A FORMER EAST GERMAN POLICEMAN TESTIFIED TODAY THE RUSSIANS ISSUED AT LEAST 40 GERMAN CANNON TO HIS BATTALION LAST WINTER.
WILHELM ROLOFF WAS CALLED BY THE PROSECUTION IN AN AMERICAN COURT AS A WITNESS AGAINST SIX OF HIS COMRADES WHO PLEADED INNOCENT TO CHARGES OF BELONGING TO AN ILLEGAL MILITARY ORGANIZATION---A REFERENCE TO THE EAST ZONE PEOPLE'S POLICE.
LT.HEINZ NOCHT IS TO BE CALLED AS A PROSECUTION WITNESS TOMORROW. ROLOFF AND NOCHT PLEADED GUILTY LAST WEEK TO WEARING ILLEGAL UNIFORMS AND CARRYING ARMS IN THE AMERICAN ZONE. THEY WERE SENTENCED TO A YEAR IN JAIL.
BY FOUR-POWER LAW UNIFORMS, MILITARY ORGANIZATIONS AND THE CARYING OF ARMS ARE ILLEGAL FOR GERMANS.
ROLOFF, NOCHT AND THE SIX DEFENDANTS WERE ARRESTED APRIL 13 WHEN THEY BLUNDERED INTO THE AMERICAN SECTOR IN ROLOFF'S TRUCK. IN PLEADING GUILTY, ROLOFF AND NOCHT TESTIFIED THAT THE EAST ZONE PEOPLE'S POLICE HAD BEEN CONVERTED INTO A MILITARY ORGANIZATION LAST FALL AND THAT 36,000 MEN ARE UNDERGOING MILITARY TRAINING.
FRITZ KAUL, A LEADING COMMUNIST LAWYER, APPEARED TO DEFEND THE SIX PRISONERS TODAY.
HE TORE INTO ROLOFF ON CROSS EXAMINATION AND ATTEMPTED TO DISCREDIT HIS TESTIMONY. BUT ROLOFF STOUTLY INSISTED HE HAD BEEN IN THE GERMAN ARMY AND "I KNOW INFANTRY TRAINING WHEN I SEE IT AGAIN."
HE SAID HE PERSONALLY HAULED THE CANNON FROM AN OLD NAZI ORDNANCE DUMP IN BRANDENBURG TO HIS BATTALION HEADQUARTERS WHERE 1,000 MEN ARE BEING TRAINED. HE SAID THE TRUCK WAS ONCE USED BY THE GERMAN ARMY TO HAUL HEAVY GUNS AND WAS ISSUED TO HIM BY THE RUSSIANS. HE ADDED THAT MACHINE PISTOLS AND ASSAULT RIFLES ALSO WERE ISSUED TO THE POLICE FROM OLD GERMAN ARMY STORES WHICH THE RUSSIANS, BY FOUR-POWER AGREEMENT, WERE PLEDGED TO DESTROY.
WEST GERMAN POLICE AT LUENEBURG QUOTED A REFUGEE POLICEMAN FROM THE EAST ZONE TODAY AS SAYING THE PEOPLE'S POLICE ARE TO BE USED TO HELP SEIZE WEST BERLIN IN A PROJECTED YOUTH MARCH MAY 26-28.
COMMUNIST YOUTH LEADERS HAVE BOASTED THAT BERLIN "WILL BE OURS" AFTER THE HUGE DEMONSTRATION, BUT LATELY HAVE BEEN SOFT-PEDALING THEIR INTENTIONS. LUENEBERG POLICE REFUSED TO GIVE THE NAME OF THE FORMER EAST ZONE POLICEMAN.
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BREMEN, GERMANY, MAY 3-(AP)-AN AMERICAN OFFICIAL SAID IN COURT TODAY THAT THE UNITED STATES COURT AND MILITARY INSTITUTIONS IN GERMANY WERE ESTABLISHING A "DANGEROUS AND FAR-REACHING PRECEDENT" IN THEIR EXERCISE OF AUTHORITY.
ROBERT DONIHI OF NASHVILLE, TENN., LEGAL ADVISER TO THE U.S. STATE COMMISSIONER FOR BREMEN, MADE THE ASSERTION IN DEFENDING HIMSELF ON A SPEEDING CHARGE.
IN A PRELIMINARY HEARING HE CONTENDED THAT AMERICAN MILITARY POLICE IN GERMANY HAD NO RIGHT TO ARREST AMERICAN CIVILIANS UNLESS THEY WERE "CAMP FOLLOWERS" OR ARMY EMPLOYES. SUCH CATEGORIES AS CONSULAR PERSONNEL, NEWSPAPER CORRESPONDENTS, BUSINESSMEN AND TOURISTS SHOULD BE EXEMPT FROM MILITARY ARREST, HE SAID.
SJ757PED

BERLIN, MAY 3-(AP)-SIX PATROLMEN OF THE COMMUNIST-RUN EAST ZONE "PEOPLE'S POLICE" DENIED CHARGES IN AN AMERICAN COURT TODAY THAT THEIR POLICE FORCE WAS REALLY AN ILLEGAL ARMY.

TWO OF THEIR COMRADES PLEADED GUILTY TO CARRYING ILLEGAL WEAPONS AND WERE SENTENCED TO SERVE A YEAR IN PRISON. THE EIGHT ARMED POLICEMEN WERE ARRESTED RECENTLY WHILE CROSSING THE U.S. SECTOR OF BERLIN.

SOVIET ZONE AUTHORITIES ASSIGNED THEIR BEST LEGAL TALENT TO DEFEND THE REMAINING SIX BEFORE U.S. DISTRICT JUDGE JOHN SABO OF GARY, IND. IN SENTENCING THE TWO POLICEMEN YESTERDAY JUDGE SABO SAID THE EAST ZONE POLICE FORCE WAS AN "UNLAWFUL MILITARY ORGANIZATION" BEING EQUIPPED WITH WAR WEAPONS IN VIOLATION OF FOUR-POWER AGREEMENTS.

ATTORNEY FRITZ KAUL, TOP LAWYER IN THE SOCIALIST UNITY (COMMUNIST) PARTY, CHALLENGED EACH OF THE CHARGES THAT THE SIX POLICEMEN WERE CARRYING MACHINE PISTOLS AND RIFLES IN VIOLATION OF DEMILITARIZATION AGREEMENTS AND THAT THEY WERE WEARING A MODIFIED MILITARY UNIFORM. THE TRIAL IS EXPECTED TO LAST A WEEK.

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STUTTGART, GERMANY, MAY 3-(AP)-AMERICAN AUTHORITIES INTERVENED AGAIN TODAY IN WEST GERMANY'S DENAZIFICATION TRIALS AND BLOCKED AN ALLEGED BRIBER'S FLIGHT FROM GERMANY.

CARL KAESS, WEALTHY GERMANY MANUFACTURER, WAS ABOUT TO BOARD A PLANE FOR ARGENTINA WITH A GERMAN PROSECUTOR'S PERMISSION WHEN U.S. OFFICIALS CANCELLED HIS EXIT PERMIT.

AT THE SAME TIME IT WAS DISCLOSED THAT U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J.MCCLOY IS WATCHING CLOSELY THE CURRENT TRIAL OF THREE DENAZIFICATION OFFICIALS FOR SIGNS OF A "WHITEWASH."

MCCLOY ALREADY HAS WARNED HIGH GERMAN OFFICIALS HE IS DISSATISFIED WITH THE WAY THEY HAVE INVESTIGATED CHARGES THAT SCORES OF WEALTHY NAZIS HAVE BOUGHT THEIR FREEDOM IN DENAZIFICATION COURTS.

THE THREE MEN ACCUSED OF ACCEPTING BRIBES IN DENAZIFICATION TRIALS WERE BROUGHT TO TRIAL IN A GERMAN COURT. BUT THE PROSECUTION CLOSED ITS CASE AGAINST THE MEN TODAY AFTER A DISPLAY OF EVIDENCE WHICH BROUGHT MUTTERS OF DISSATISFACTION FROM OFFICIAL AMERICAN OBSERVERS.

KAESS AND SEVERAL OTHER WEALTHY GERMAN INDUSTRIALISTS NAMED BY POLICE AS HAVING PAID LARGE FEES TO ONE OF THE DEFENDANTS WERE NOT CALLED AS WITNESSES. TRIAL PROSECUTOR HANS DESCZYK GAVE KAESS PERMISSION TO LEAVE THE COUNTRY, AMERICAN OFFICIALS SAID, EVEN THOUGH KAESS IS UNDER A CHARGE OF OFFERING A BRIBE. DESCZYK TOLD AMERICAN AUTHORITIES, THEY SAID, THAT HE DOUBTED KAESS WILL EVER BE BROUGHT TO TRIAL, SO HE APPROVED KAESS' "BUSINESS TRIP" TO ARGENTINA.

THE AMERICANS SAID KAESS HAD BETTER STAY IN GERMANY "IN CASE HE IS NEEDED IN CONNECTION WITH THE TRIAL."

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FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 3-(AP)-THE THREE CZECHOSLOVAK AIRLINERS COMMANDEERED BY ANTI-COMMUNISTS MARCH 24 AND FLOWN TO GERMANY WERE RETURNED TO CZECHOSLOVAKIA TODAY.

OF A TOTAL OF 86 PASSENGERS ABOARD THE PLANES WHEN THEY WERE SEIZED IN THE AIR BY THEIR CREWS, 26 CHOSE TO STAY IN WEST GERMANY RATHER THAN RETURN TO THEIR COMMUNIST HOMELAND. CZECHOSLOVAKIA HAD DEMANDED THE RETURN OF THE PLANES AND FUGITIVES.

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HEIDELBERG, GERMANY, MAY 3-(AP)-LIEUT.GEN.CLARENCE R.HUEBNER, ILL FOR SEVERAL MONTHS, WAS BACK ON THE JOB TODAY AS COMMANDER OF THE UNITED STATES ARMY IN EUROPE. DURING HIS ILLNESS AND CONVALESCENCE, MAJ.GEN.FRANK W.MILBURN SERVED AS ACTING COMMANDER.

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FREIBURG, GERMANY, MAY 3-(AP)-TWO GERMAN DOCTORS HAVE BEEN SENT TO PRISON FOR KILLING 3,000 BADEN ASYLUM INMATES WHOM THE NAZIS TERMED UNFIT TO LIVE.

THE DEFENDANTS, DR. JULIUS SCHRECK AND DR. LUDWIG BRAUER, CONTENDED THEY ACTED UNDER NAZI ORDERS TO ELIMINATE INCURABLES. SCHRECK WAS STENCED TO 12 YEARS AT HARD LABOR, BRAUER TO 11 YEARS.

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SAARBRUCKEN, THE SAAR, MAY 3-(AP)-WHILE WEST GERMAN NEIGHBORS DELAYED, THE SAAR PARLIAMENT VOTED UNANIMOUSLY YESTERDAY TO ACCEPT ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP IN THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE.

THE PARLIAMENT'S LONE COMMUNIST MEMBER, WHO OPPOSED ENTRY INTO THE COUNCIL, WAS NOT PRESENT FOR THE BALLOT.

THE SAAR, A FORMER GERMAN AREA WHICH NOW HAS LIMITED AUTONOMY AND WHOSE ECONOMY IS LINKED TO THAT OF FRANCE, WILL GET THREE SEATS IN THE CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE COUNCIL, EUROPE'S UNOFFICIAL PARLIAMENT.

ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP DOES NOT INCLUDE PARTICIPATION IN THE COUNCIL'S COMMITTEE OF FOREIGN MEMBERS, WHICH MUST APPROVE ALL ASSEMBLY RECOMMENDATIONS BEFORE THEY ARE SUBMITTED TO THE MEMBER GOVERNMENTS.

WEST GERMANY, WHICH CLAIMS THE SAAR AS PART OF GERMANY, SO FAR HAS NOT ACCEPTED THE OFFER OF LIMITED PARTICIPATION IN THE COUNCIL AND HAS HELD OUT FOR FULL MEMBERSHIP.

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PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, MAY 3-(AP)-THE OFFICIAL CZECHOSLOVAKIAN NEWS AGENCY SAID TODAY ROMAN CATHOLIC PRIESTS "FROM THE WHOLE OF SLOVAKIA" AT A MEETING IN TRENCIANSKE TEPLICE LAST WEEK PLEDGED FULL SUPPORT TO THE COMMUNIST-LED GOVERNMENT.

IN A RESOLUTION, THE AGENCY SAID, THE PRIESTS DECLARED THEY WOULD ASSIST THE GOVERNMENT'S PROGRAM BY THEIR LECTURES, SERMONS AND RELIGIOUS TEACHING.

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PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, MAY 3-(AP)-THE ALBANIAN OFFICIAL NEWS AGENCY SAID TODAY SIX YUGOSLAVS ARE BEING TRIED IN TIRANA ON CHARGES OF SPYING AND SABOTAGE "IN THE SERVICE OF THE TITO CLIQUE."

(YUGOSLAV AND GREEK REPORTS RECENTLY HAVE SAID THERE IS AN INCREASING RESISTANCE TO PREMIER ENVER HOXHA'S COMMUNIST REGIME IN ALBANIA. THE YUGOSLAV GOVERNMENT OF PREMIER MARSHAL TITO HAS OMPLAINED OF BORDER INCIDENTS).

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Belgrade, May 3-(ap)-premier marshal tito received a group of 21 schoolboys from the united states yesterday and told them he hopes "progress ive youth" will help strengthen relations between the two countries.

the youngsters are students of the landhaven school in camden, [illegible] they are on a tour of europe. they represented the first organized group visit to yougoslavia from the united states since the state department lifted its ban on american travel here. the group goes from here to par

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WARSAW, POLAND, MAY 3-(AP)-A ROMAN CATHOLIC NEWSPAPER PRINTED TODAY A DECLARATION SIGNED BY ALL POLISH BISHOPS THAT TWO ANNEXES TO AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE BISHOPS AND POLAND'S COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT STILL HAVE NOT BEEN PUBLISHED.

THE OFFICIAL POLISH PRESS AGENCY ISSUED APRIL 16 THE ANNOUNCEMENT THA THREE BISHOPS, ACTING AS THE REPRESENTATIVES OF ALL, HAD SIGNED AN ACCORD IN WHICH THE GOVERNMENT PROMISED RELIGIOUS FREEDOM IN RETURN FOR A PLEDGE BY THE BISHOPS TO FIGHT ENEMIES OF THE WARSAW REGIME.

THE KRAKOW CATHOLIC WEEKLY TYGODNIK POWSZECHNY CARRIED THE BISHOPS' STATEMENT ABOUT THE ANNEXES. THE STATEMENT SAID THERE WERE DIFFICULTIES IN REACHING THE AGREEMENT; THAT NOT ALL POINTS OF DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE STATE AND CHURCH WERE SETTLED; THAT MANY MATTERS ARE WITHIN THE PROVINCE OF THE VATICAN ONLY. THIS, IT IS UNDERSTOOD HERE, REFERS TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF DIOCESES IN FORMER EAST GERMAN TERRITORY PLACED UNDER POLISH ADMINISTRATION BY THE POTSDAM AGREEMENT.

THE STATEMENT SAID THE EPISCOPATE (THE BISHOPS) HAD SEEN THE NEED FOR A SETTLEMENT BY MUTUAL ARRANGEMENTS BETWEEN CHURCH AND LAY AUTHORITIES BECAUSE OF THE CHANGING CONDITIONS IN POLISH LIFE TODAY.

(DASH)

THIS DISPATCH CONTAINED NO INFORMATION ON THE NATURE OF THE ANNEXES, OR THEIR POSSIBLE EFFECT ON THE ACCORD AS A WHOLE.

THE VATICAN PRESS OFFICE DENIED APRIL 17 THAT THE ROMAN CATHOLIC HIERARCHY OF POLAND HAD SIGNED SUCH AN AGREEMENT, SAYING "THE CIRCUMSTANCES AND CONTENTS OF THE ACCORD IN QUESTION PRECLUDE ANY FOUNDATION TO THE NEWS."

VATICAN CITY SOURCES POINTED OUT THAT THE ACCORD WAS ANNOUNCED AFTER ADAM STEFAN CARDINAL SAPEIHI, THE LEADING PRELATE OF PREDOMINATELY CATHOLIC POLAND, HAD LEFT THE COUNTRY FOR ROME. CARDINAL SAPIEHA DECLINED COMMENT.

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NIGHT LEAD GORDON (360)

BY STANLEY RICH

HONG KONG, MAY 3-(AP)-THE GEN. W.H. GORDON DOCKED TONIGHT WITH 735 FOREIGNERS FROM SHANGHAI, MANY OF THEM CONVINCED THAT THE RUSSIANS ARE TAKING A STRONGER HAND IN RED CHINA'S AFFAIRS.

THE PASSENGERS INCLUDE 196 AMERICANS. AMONG THEM ARE THE LAST OF U.S. CONSULAR AND OTHER OFFICIAL PERSONNEL WHO WERE LEFT IN COMMUNIST CHINA.

ONE OF THE 377 STATELESS PERSONS ABOARD ASSERTED THE CHINESE MAINLAND WAS BECOMING A "SECOND RUSSIA." OTHERS SAID RUSSIAN POLICE ADVISERS SAT BESIDE CHINESE POLICE WHEN THEIR VISAS WERE STAMPED.

A U.S. BUSINESSMAN WHO DECLINED USE OF HIS NAME SAID THAT FOREIGN BUSINESS IS THROUGH IN SHANGHAI. HE WOULDN'T LET HIS NAME BE USED BECAUSE HE SAID HE HAD TO GO BACK.

THIS BUSINESSMAN DECLARED THE CHINESE COMMUNIST REGIME WAS BECOMING MORE LIKE RUSSIAN COMMUNISM EVERY DAY.

HE SAID THE FOREIGNER WAS BEING SQUEEZED DELIBERATELY THROUGH "CRUSHING" TAXATION AND BY COMMUNIST INSISTENCE THAT COMPANIES KEEP OPERATING TO MEET PAYROLLS EVEN THOUGH THEY ARE LOSING MONEY.

"THE REDS WON'T TAKE OVER FIRMS UNTIL THEY ARE SURE THEY'VE MILKED THEM DRY," HE SAID. "THEY WANT TO LET THE FIRMS CARRY ON AS LONG AS THERE STILL IS THE SLIGHTEST CHANCE TO GET THEIR HANDS ON MONTHLY REMITTANCES IN FOREIGN CURRENCIES WHICH MUST BE SENT TO SHANGHAI TO MEET EMPLOYEE PAYROLLS."

SOME PASSENGERS INSISTED THAT JET PLANES, PRESUMABLY FROM RUSSIA, HAD FLOWN OVER SHANGHAI THREE WEEKS AGO, BUT A BRITON DISAGREED. HE SAID HE WAS TEACHING NEAR A SHANGHAI AIR FIELD AT THE TIME THE JET RUMOR SPREAD AND SAW THE PLANES TAKE OFF. HE SAID THEY WERE OLD JAPANESE ZERO FIGHTERS.

THE AMERICAN PRESIDENT LINER CARRIED 945 PASSENGERS IN ALL. THE OTHERS WERE ABOARD WHEN THE GORDON PUT IN AT TAKU BAR OFF TIENTSIN AND PICKED UP THE 735 FROM SHANGHAI.

MANY OF THE 735 HAD BEEN TRYING FOR MONTHS TO LEAVE RED CHINA. TWO PREVIOUS ATTEMPTS TO BRING OUT 1,600 FOREIGNERS DIRECTLY FROM SHANGHAI FAILED BECAUSE OF COMMUNIST DELAYS OR OBJECTIONS TO ARRANGEMENTS. FINALLY THE GROUP WAS ALLOWED TO GO BY TRAIN TO TIENTSIN.

THE SHIP'S LIST SHOWED THESE NATIONALITIES IN ADDITION TO AMERICAN: RUSSIAN 26, STATELESS RUSSIAN 10; GERMAN 38, STATELESS GERMAN 16, PERUVIAN 2, DANISH 9, SWEDISH 10, PORTUGUESE 41, CHINESE 10, STATELESS CHINESE 1, FILIPINO 12, CANADIAN 5, STATELESS CANADIAN 1, POLISH 3, AUSTRIAN 9, SWISS 5, TURKEY 2, NORWEGIAN 6, INDIAN 16, BRITISH INDIAN 1, ITALIAN 8, SPANISH 3, FINNISH 1, MEXICAN 2, JAPANESE 3, GREEK 2. NETHERLANDS 1. IRAQ 1.

THE GORDON IS SCHEDULED TO SAIL TOMORROW FOR MANILA, YOKOHAMA, HONOLULU AND SAN FRANCISCO WITH MOST OF THE EVACUEES.

SOME, HOWEVER, ARE TRANSFERRING TO THE APL LINER PRESIDENT WILSON WHICH IS DUE TO SAIL AT MIDNIGHT TOMORROW FOR SAN FRANCISCO BY WAY OF KOBE.

STILL OTHERS ARE ARRANGING AIR PASSAGE HOME.

SEVERAL OF THE AMERICAN CONSULAR GROUP WILL REMAIN HERE AWAITING REASSIGNMENT.

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HONG KONG, MAY 3-(AP)-THE GEN.W.H.GORDON ARRIVED HERE TONIGHT WITH 154 AMERICANS AND 581 OTHER FOREIGNERS EVACUATED FROM RED CHINA.

THE AMERICAN PRESIDENT LINER LEFT TAKU BAR, THE PORT OF TIENTSIN, SATURDAY NIGHT.

MOST OF THE REFUGEES ARE FROM SHANGHAI.

CONSUL GENERAL WALTER MCCONAUGHY FROM SHANGHAI HEADS THE LIST OF AMERICAN CONSULAR PERSONNEL ABOARD. THE UNITED STATES HAS CLOSED ALL ITS INSTALLATIONS IN COMMUNIST CHINA.

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FIRST LEAD GORDON (A40)
BY STANLEY RICH
HONG KONG,MAY 3-(AP)-THE GEN.W.H.GORDON ARRIVED TONIGHT WITH 735 EVACUEES FROM RED CHINA, INCLUDING 196 AMERICANS. MANY HAD BEEN TRYING FOR MONTHS TO LEAVE THE COMMUNIST COUNTRY.
OTHER PASSENGERS INCLUDED 79 BRITISH, 21 FRENCH AND 377 STATELESS PERSONS. THE LATTER HAVE NO HOME COUNTRY.
THE AMERICAN PRESIDENT LINER LEFT TAKU BAR, PORT OF TIENTSIN, LAST SATURDAY. IT BROUGHT OUT THE LAST OF U.S. CONSULAR PERSONNEL FROM RED CHINA. WALTER MCCONAUGHY, FORMERLY CONSUL GENERAL AT SHANGHAI, HEADS THE GROUP.
COMMUNISTS BALKED AN EARLIER ATTEMPT SPONSORED BY THE U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT TO EVACUATE 1,600 FOREIGNERS ON THE GORDON. THIS TRIP WAS A PRIVATE VENTURE.
THE REDS PERMITTED FOREIGNERS, MAROONED FOR MONTHS IN SHANGHAI, TO GO BY TRAIN TO TIENTSIN. PREVIOUSLY THEY HAD RESTRICTED SUCH TRAVEL.
ONE OF THE STATELESS PERSONS SAID SHANGHAI IS BECOMING "A SECOND RUSSIA."
WHEN FOREIGNERS WENT TO SHANGHAI POLICE TO GET EXIT VISAS RESTAMPED, HE SAID, THEY FOUND RUSSIAN ADVISERS SITTING NEXT TO CHINESE OFFICIALS.
THE RUSSIANS ARE SLOWLY TAKING OVER SHANGHAI, HE SAID, BUT SELDOM ARE SEEN ON THE STREETS.
AN AMERICAN BUSINESS MAN SAID THE FOREIGNER IS THROUGH IN SHANGHAI. THE CHINESE COMMUNIST REGIME IS DELIBERATELY SQUEEZING HIM OUT, HE ASSERTED.
THE AMERICAN DECLINED TO PERMIT USE OF HIS NAME BECAUSE "I HAVE TO RETURN TO SHANGHAI IN ORDER TO PROTECT ANOTHER AMERICAN WHOM THE COMMUNISTS ARE HOLDING AS HOSTAGE. WE ARE TRYING TO CLOSE DOWN FOR GOOD BUT THE COMMUNISTS WOON'T LET US."
HE GAVE THIS STORY:
CHINESE REDS HAVE IMPOSED "CRUSHING" COMMODITY TAXES. THESE RUN AS HIGH AS 120 PER CENT ON CIGARETTES AND COSMETICS.
SHANGHAI AUTHORITIES DEMANDED THAT THE BRITISH-AMERICAN TOBACCO CO. PAY $1,300,000 (M) IN COMMODITY TAXES.
"THE REDS WON'T TAKE OVER FIRMS UNTIL THEY ARE SURE THEY'VE MILKED THEM DRY. THEY WANT TO LET THE FIRMS CARRY ON AS LONG AS THERE IS STILL THE SLIGHTEST CHANCE THEY CAN GET THEIR HANDS ON THE MONTHLY REMITTANCES IN FOREIGN CURRENCIES WHICH MUST BE SENT TO SHANGHAI TO MEET EMPLOYE PAYROLLS.

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"THE CHINESE EMPLOYES WON'T QUIT WITH SEVERANCE PAY, EITHER. THEY ARE TOO SMART. THEY KNOW THEY WON'T BE ABLE TO GET ANOTHER JOB. SO THEY HANG ON AND THE FIRMS MUST CONTINUE PAYING THEM. IF WE COMPLAIN AND SHOW THE COMMUNISTS THERE IS NO MONEY COMING IN, THEY GO THROUGH OUR BOOKS AND SAY, 'LOOK. YOU MADE PROFITS IN 1946, 1947 AND 1948. YOU PAY THE WORKERS OUT OF THEM.'"
PASSENGERS DISAGREED ON WHETHER JET PLANES HAVE APPEARED OVER SHANGHAI. A BRITON SAID THEY ACTUALLY WERE JAPANESE ZEROS.
"ON THE DAY THE JET RUMOR SPREAD THROUGH SHANGHAI I SAW THE PLANES TAKE OFF," HE SAID. THEY SOUNDED LIKE COFFEE GRINDERS. THEY ABSOLUTELY WERE NOT JETS."
OTHERS INSISTED THEY WERE.
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HONG KONG,MAY 3-(AP)-THIS BRITISH CROWN COLONY TODAY ANNOUNCED SWEEPING EMERGENCY REGULATIONS TO PREVENT SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITY, PROTECT THE PEACE AND OUTLAW GENERAL STRIKES.
GOV.SIR ALEXANDER GRANTHAM ORDERED THAT 16 REGULATIONS DRAFTED DURING THE RECENT TRAMWAY STRIKE "SHALL COME INTO OPERATION."
THE CHINESE COMMUNIST FLAG FLEW FROM THE STREETCAR UNION HEADQUARTERS DURING TT AM O DAY

QUARTERS DURING THAT 43 DAY STRIKE STARTING DEC.24.
GRANTHAM DID NOT SPECIFY HIS REASON FOR INVOKING THE REGULATIONS NOW.
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CHINESE
BY SPENCER MOOSA
TAIPEI,FORMOSA,MAY 3-(AP)-CHINESE NATIONALIST TROOPS ON CHUSHAN ARE SIGNING OATHS IN BLOOD TO FIGHT TO THE DEATH IN DEFENSE OF THE TINY BUT VITAL ISLAND, PRESS REPORTS SAID TODAY.
THE DISPATCHES SAID MEN OF ONE REGIMENT STOOD BEORE A CANDLE-LIGHTED TABLE BENEATH PICTURES OF CHIANG KAI-SHEK AND DR. SUN YAT-SEN, FOUNDER OF THE CHINESE REPUBLIC. THEY PUNCTURED THEIR INDEX FINGERS WITH NEEDLES AND SIGNED THE OATHS.
OTHER UNITS WERE REPORTED SIMILARLY INSPIRED.
(SUCH A DEFENSE WOULD BE A MARKED CONTRAST TO THAT ON THE SOUTH CHINA ISLAND OF HAINAN, WHICH THE NATIONALISTS FINALLY ANNOUNCED YESTERDAY THEY HAD ABANDONED. A RELATIVELY SMALL FORCE OF CHINESE REDS, AIDED BY GUERRILLAS, ROUTED AN ESTIMATED 125,000 NATIONALISTS WITHOUT MUCH FIGHTING.)
CHUSHAN, NATIONALIST BLOCKADE BASE IN HANGCHOW BAY SOUTH OF SHANGHAI, LIES ONLY NINE MILES FROM THE RED CHINA MAINLAND. THE REDS OCCUPY IE
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ISLANDS EVEN CLOSER.
THE NATIONALISTS SAID THE BRITISH STEAMER CLOVERLOCK IS HELD AT QUEMOY (CHINMEN) ISLAND. IT WAS ESCORTED THERE BY A NATIONALIST WARSHIP. THE CLOVERLOCK LAST WEEK RADIOED A DISTRESS CALL THAT A NATIONALIST WARSHIP WAS SHELLING IT NEAR AMOY, EAST CHINA PORT. THE NATIONALISTS ASSERTED THE CLOVERLOCK WAS TRYING TO RUN THEIR BLOCKADE WITH WAR SUPPLIES FOR THE CHINESE REDS.
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TAIPEI,FORMOSA,MAY 3-(AP)-NINETEEN AMERICAN NEWSMEN ARRIVED TONIGHT ON THIS LAST BIG OUTPOST OF NATIONALIST CHINA.
THEY FACE A BUSY SCHEDULE, INCLUDING INTERVIEWS WITH PRESIDENT CHIANG KAI-SHEK AND OTHER NATIONALIST LEADERS AND A VISIT TO NATIONALIST FORCES ON SOUTHWEST FORMOSA.
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JAPANESE BASES (320)
BY RUSSELL BRINES
TOKYO, MAY 3-(AP)-RUSSIA TODAY ASKED GENERAL MACARTHUR TO EXPLAIN MILITARY AND NEWS REPORTS THAT THE UNITED STATES IS REBUILDING KEY JAPANESE NAVAL AND AIR BASES.
IT CHARGED SUCH REBUILDING WOULD BE IN VIOLATION OF ALLIED OCCUPATION POLICY.
THE TOP GENERAL OF THE SOVIET MISSION IN TOKYO PRESENTED RUSSIA'S COMPLAINT IN A LETTER TO MACARTHUR.
THE RUSSIAN, LT.GEN.KUZMA DEREVYANKO, CITED SEVERAL PUBLISHED ACCOUNTS OF HOW THE U.S.PUT NEW SINEWS IN JAPAN'S OLD NAVAL BASES AND BUILT "A NUMBER OF AIRFIELDS FROM HOKKAIDO TO KYUSHU" WHICH "CAN ACCOMODATE THE COUNTRY'S LARGEST BOMBERS."
DEREVYANKO QUOTED RETIRED U.S.ADM.D.C.RAMSEY AS SAYING IN APRIL, 1948, WHEN HE WAS PACIFIC FLEET COMMANDER, THAT "THE NAVAL BASES AT SASEBO, KURE AND YOKOSUKA, TOGETHER WITH THE BASES ON THE ISLANDS OF OKINAWA AND GUAM, OFFER A FORMIDABLE COMBINATION OF FORWARD OPERATION BASES IN EVENT OF ANY FUTURE HOSTILITIES IN THE FAR EAST."
DEREVYANKO COMMENTED:
"THE RECONSTRUCTION OF THE FORMER JAPANESE NAVAL AND AIR BASES IS INCOMPATIBLE WITH THE OBLIGATIONS ASSUMED BY THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA TOGETHER WITH THE SOVIET UNION AND OTHER MEMBERS OF THE FAR EASTERN COMMISSION."
THE UNITED KINGDOM AND NATIONALIST CHINA ROUND OUT THE COMMISSION.
DEREVYANKO SAID THE "FUNDAMENTAL POLICY TOWARD JAPAN," SET IN JUNE 19, 1947, BY THE FEC, STRESSED "DEMILITARIZATION OF THE JAPANESE ARMED FORCES AND OUTLINED MEASURES OM BE TAKEN TO PREVENT A REVIVAL OF JAPANESE MILITARISM."

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THIS POLICY PROVIDED THAT THE ALLIED FORCES TAKE OVER "FIXED INSTALLATIONS," THE GENERAL SAID, AND DISPOSE OF THEM "IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DECISIONS OF THE ALLIED POWERS..."
MACARTHUR, AS SUPREME COMMANDER, WAS CHARGED WITH PROTECTION OF THE INTERESTS OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND THEIR NATIONALS. THE DOCUMENT GOES NO FARTHER ON THE MATTER OF AMERICAN USE OF JAPANESE BASES.
U.S.MILITARY AUTHORITIES SAID ORIGINALLY AIR AND NAVAL BASES WERE NECESSARY TO PROTECT AMERICAN AND BRITISH OCCUPATION FORCES. SINCE THEN THEY HAVE BEEN DECLARED ESSENTIAL FOR THE PROTECTION OF UNARMED JAPAN.
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TOKYO,MAY 3-(AP)-TWO JAPANESE UNIVERSITY STUDENTS WERE ARRESTED TODAY FOR SHOUTING DOWN AN AMERICAN ANTI-COMMUNIST SPEAKER.
JAPANESE PRESS REPORTS SAID WARRANTS HAVE BEEN ISSUED FOR THREE OTHERS.
HECKLING STUDENTS PREVENTED DR. W.C. EELLS OF CINCINNATI FROM SPEAKING YESTERDAY AT TOHOKU UNIVERSITY IN SENDAI.
SENDAI POLICE SAID THE TWO YOUTHS ARE MEMBERS OF THE SCHOOL'S COMMUNIST CELL. THEY WERE CHARGED WITH VIOLATING A CABINET ORDINANCE PROHIBITING ACTS CONTRARY TO OCCUPATION OBJECTIVES.
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NIGHT LEAD JAPANESE BASES
TOKYO,THURSDAY,MAY 4-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR TODAY DISMISSED AS "PROVOCATIVE IMPERTINENCE"A RUSSIAN DEMAND THAT HE EXPLAIN THE "RECONSTRUCTION" OF FORMER JAPANESE AIR AND NAVAL BASES.
THE ALLIED OCCUPATION COMMANDER REPLIED TERSELY TO A LETTER WRITTEN BY LT.GEN.KUZMA DEREVYANKO,WHO CHARGED AMERICAN MAINTENANCE OF THE BASES IS IN VIOLATION OF OCCUPATION POLICIES SET BY THE FAR EASTERN COMMISSION.
MACARTHUR SAID THE UNITED STATES ALONE CONTROLS OKINAWA AND CAN MAKE ANY MILITARY PREPARATION THERE IT DESIRES. HE TOLD THE SOVIET'S TOP GENERAL IN JAPAN:
"YOUR INQUIRY CONCERNING THIS MATTER IS THEREFORE A PRESUMPTION WITHOUT THE SLIGHTEST EXCUSE OF VALIDITY."

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IN JAPAN PROPER, MACARTHUR SAID, BASES FOR AMERICAN AND BRITISH OCCUPATION FORCES "ARE AND WILL CONTINUE TO BE SO LONG AS THE OCCUPATION LASTS MAINTAINED IN A CONDITION OF SUCH ADEQUACY AND PREPAREDNESS AS WILL INSURE THE FULLEST SECURITY, OPERATIONAL EFFICIENCY AND MOST COMPLETE READINESS FOR ANY EVENTUALITY."
THE ALLIED COMMANDER POINTED OUT THAT JAPAN PROPER IS "SUBJECT TO LIMITED INTERNATIONAL SUPERVISION."
HE SAID MILITARY DETAILS CONCERNING INSTALLATIONS IN JAPAN PROPER "ARE MATTERS WHICH CONCERN ONLY THEIR COMMANDERS."
THE DISPOSITION OF BASES, HE DECLARED, CAN BE DETERMINED ONLY BY A PEACE TREATY WITH JAPAN. HE ADDED:
"ALL OF THESE FACTS ARE SO WELL KNOWN TO YOU, WHO HAVE BEEN HERE FROM THE BEGINNING OF THE OCCUPATION, THAT I CANNOT ACCEPT THE INTEGRITY OF INTENT OF YOUR LETTER. IT CAN ONLY BE REGARDED AS A VEHICLE OF PROPAGANDA OR A PROVACATIVE IMPERTINENCE."
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SEOUL,KOREA,MAY 3-(AP)-PRESIDENT RHEE SAID TODAY "SENATOR CONNALLY MUST HAVE FORGOTTEN THAT THE UNITED STATES HAS COMMITTED HERSELF AND CANNOT PULL OUT OF THE KOREA SITUATION WITH HONOR."
CONNALLY, CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE, TOLD THE PUBLICATION U.S. NEWS AND WORLD REPORT "I'M AFRAID" THE UNITED STATES WILL ABANDON SOUTH KOREA. HE SAID RUSSIA CAN OVERRUN KOREA "WHENEVER SHE TAKES A NOTION."
RHEE SAID HE WAS SURE CONNALLY DID NOT INTEND TO INVITE THE RUSSIANS TO INVADE SOUTH KOREA.
AMERICANS "WILL REMEMBER THAT THE 38TH PARALLEL DIVIDING KOREA RESULTED FROM THE U.S. INVITATION TO THE RUSSIANS TO MOVE INTO NORTH KOREA TEMPORARILY," RHEE SAID. "IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE UNITED STATES TO SEE TO IT THAT THE COMMUNISTS UNDERSTAND THE WORD 'TEMPORARILY.'" HE ADDED:
"IT IS A VERY POOR POLICY TO LET A GANGSTER ROB YOUR NEXT DOOR NEIGHBOR. HE WILL TURN HIS WEAPONS ON YOU SOONER OR LATER. WE SAW JAPANESE GUNS TURN ON THE UNITED STATES AND RUSSIAN GUNS, TOO, WILL BE TURNED ON AMERICA."
RHEE SAID THE UNITED STATES COMMITTED ITSELF AT THE CAIRO CONFERENCE TO MAKE KORA AN INDEPENDENT NATION. HE STRESSED THAT MEANT "ALL OF KOREA."
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SEOUL,KOREA,MAY 3-(AP)-DR. W.S.A. POTT, FORMER PRESIDENT OF ELMIRA (N.Y.) COLLEGE, HAS JOINED THE U.S. INFORMATION SERVICE HERE.
HE PREVIOUSLY WAS ON THE FACULTIES AT ST.JOHN'S UNIVERSITY IN SHANGHAI AND THE UNIVERSITIES OF CALIFORNIA AND VIRGINIA.
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B96 (Q IN)
SINGAPORE, MAY 3-(AP)-THE INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT TODAY APPLIED TO THE SINGAPORE GOVERNMENT FOR EXTRADITION TO INDONESIA OF REBEL LEADER R.P.P. (TURK) WESTERLING.
DR. R. OETOYO, INDONESIAN REPRESENTATIVE HERE SAID WESTERLING WOULD FACE CRIMINAL CHARGES IN INDONESIA. HE WAS THE LEADER OF WEST JAVA REBEL FORCES THAT CAPTURED BANDOENG IN AN UPRISING IN JANUARY THAT SHOOK THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT.
THE SINGAPORE GOVERNMENT HAS BEEN HOLDING WESTERLING FOR NEARLY A MONTH AWAITING THE FORMAL EXTRADITION REQUEST. HE COMPLETED SERVING TWO JAIL SENTENCES FOR ILLEGAL ENTRY AND AN ASSAULT ON A INDONESIAN CELLMATE ON APRIL 7.
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B36 (Q) (200)
NIGHT LEAD INDONESIAN
JAKARTA, JAVA, U.S.I., MAY 3-(AP)-AMBOINESE REBELS WHO PROCLAIMED THE SOUTH MOLUCCAS INDEPENDENT A WEEK AGO ARE WILLING TO NEGOTIATE ONLY THROUGH THE UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION FOR INDONESIA, FEDERAL GOVERNMENT SOURCES SAID TODAY.
A FOUR-MAN U.S.I. MISSION SENT TO AMBOINA ABOARD THE CORVETTE HANG TUAH TO SETTLE THE REVOLT HAS FAILED AND IS NOW HEADED BACK TO JAKARTA, THESE INFORMANTS SAID. THE MISSION WAS LED BY HEALTH MINISTER J.LEIMENA, HIMSELF AN AMBOINESE.
THE U.N. COMMISSION IS STANDING BY TO OBSERVE THE OPERATION OF THE DUTCH-INDONESIAN AGREEMENTS UNDER WHICH INDONESIA WON INDEPENDENCE LAST DECEMBER, BUT HAS NEVER TAKEN A HAND IN SETTLING INTERNAL DISPUTES.
THE AMBOINESE REVOLT WAS THE FOURTH CHALLENGE TO THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT'S AUTHORITY IN FOUR MONTHS. THE THREE OTHERS WERE SUPPRESSED. GOVERNMENT AUTHORITIES TOOK THE VIEW FROM THE FIRST THAT THE AMBOINESE CASE WAS POLITICAL RATHER THAN MILITARY AND SHOULD BE SETTLED PEACEFULLY.
THEY HAVE NO TROOPS IN THE MOLUCCAS, ONETIME SPICE ISLANDS SCATTERED IN THE EQUATORIAL AREA EAST OF CELEBES. THE ISLAND OF AMBOINA, THE ECONOMIC CENTER AND SEAT OF THE REGIONAL GOVERNMENT, HAS A GARRISON OF DUTCH-OFFICERED INDONESIAN TROOPS AWAITING DEMOBILIZATION OR TRANSFER TO THE U.S.I. ARMY. MILITARY SOURCES HERE SAID THEY BACKED THE BREAK FROM THE U.S.I.
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B37 (Q)
SINGAPORE, MAY 3-(AP)-SINGAPORE'S CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION DEPARTMENT SAID TODAY COMMUNISTS ARE THREATENING CHINESE TEACHERS AND STUDENTS WHO PLAN TO TAKE PART IN NEXT WEEK'S GOVERNMENT-SPONSORED EDUCATION PROGRAM HERE.
THE CID TERMED THE ATTEMPTED INTIMIDATION OF TEACHERS "PART OF A RED PLOT CALLING FOR TWO WEEKS OF ASSASSINATION, ARSON AND SABOTAGE" IN SINGAPORE.
POLICE SAID THEY DISCOVERED THE PLOT WHEN THEY RAIDED THE HEADQUARTERS OF THE MALAYAN COMMUNIST PARTY LAST WEEK AND ARRESTED FOUR LEADERS.
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B94 (Q IN) (150)
JAKARTA, U.S.I. MAY 3-(AP)-AN OFFICIAL SOURCE SAID TODAY THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT'S MISSION TO END A REBELLION IN THE SOUTH MOLUCCAS ISLANDS HAS MET WITH FAILURE.
THE MISSION HAS BEEN TURNED BACK AFTER UNSUCCESSFUL ATTEMPTS TO NEGOTIATE A SETTLEMENT WITH LEADERS ON THE ISLAND OF AMBOINA WHO DECLARED THEIR INDEPENDENCE LAST WEEK, THIS SOURCE SAID.
THE MISSION WAS HEADED BY FEDERAL MINISTER OF HEALTH LEIMENA, AN AMBONESE, WHO SAILED FROM MAKASSAR AND IS NOW HEADED BACK FOR JAKARTA ABOARD THE U.S.I. CORVETTE HANG TUAH.
WHEN LOCAL GOVERNMENT AUTHORITIES IN AMBOINA ANNOUNCED THEY HAD SEVERED THEIR CONNECTIONS WITH THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT LAST WEEK, FEDERAL AUTHORITIES TOOK THE STAND THE MOVE WAS A POLITICAL ONE AND SHOULD BE SOLVED BY DISCUSSIONS RATHER THAN MILITARY ACTION.
IT WAS REPORTED THAT THE AMBONESE LEADERS ARE UNWILLING TO NEGOTIATE WITHOUT THE UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION FOR INDONESIA AS MEDIATORS. THE COMMISSION IS STANDING BY IN INDONESIA TO OBSERVE THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE DUTCH-INDONESIAN AGREEMENTS BUT HAS NEVER ATTEMPTED TO SETTLE INTERNAL DISPUTES BETWEEN SECTIONS OF THE FEDERATION.
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havana, cuba, may 3-(ap)-a havana court today dismissed charges against 15 cuban communists, accused of endangering the country's stability.

the court held that the evidence was insufficient to support the charged brought by anti-communist journalist salvador diaz.

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JERUSALEM, MAY 3-(AP)-FOREIGN MINISTER MOSHE SHARETT TOLD PARLIAMENT TONIGHT THAT ISRAEL WAS PREPARED TO ACCEPT PRESENT ARMISTIC LINES AS THE BASIS FOR A PERMANENT TERRITORIAL SETTLEMENT WITH HASHEMITE JORDAN.
HOWEVER, SINCE NO AGREEMENT HAS YET BEEN SIGNED JORDAN'S RECENT ANNEXATION OF ARAB PORTIONS OF PALESTINE WAS UNJUSTIFIED, HE ADDED.
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haifa, israel, may 3-(ap)-the israel american line freighter "jaffa" left casablanca ~~casblanca~~ today for philadelphia after she was refused entry by moroccan authorities, the company's haifa office announced.

the jaffa was slated to load a cargo for the u.s. in the port of casablanca, but her presence there caused unrest among the arabs there.

french efforts to permit the vessel to dock were unsuccessful, the company spokesman said.

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(500) AMS BUDGET
THIRD NIGHTSLEAD COMMUNISTS
BY ROGER D.GREENE
WASHINGTON, MAY 3-(AP)-A SHOUTING ROW BROKE OUT IN THE SENATE TONIGHT OVER SENATOR MCCARTHY'S CHARGES OF COMMUNISM IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT, AND OFF THE SENATE FLOOR SENATOR LODGE (R-MASS) DEMANDED CLOSED HEARINGS ON FURTHER TESTIMONY IN THE OWEN LATTIMORE CASE.
"I WOULD LIKE TO TAKE THIS SHOW OFF THE ROAD," LODGE SAID, ALLUDING TO THE AIRING OF BITTER CHARGES AND COUNTER CHARGES AT PUBLIC HEARINGS BEFORE A SENATE INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE.
"I DON'T SEE HOW WE CAN GET AT THE TRUTH IN THIS MATTER OTHERWISE."
LODGE AND OTHER REPUBLICANS HAVE CONTENDED THAT WITNESSES IN THE LATTIMORE CASE SHOULD BE QUIZZED BEHIND CLOSED DOORS TO PREVENT THE SMEARING OF INNOCENT PERSONS.
HOWEVER, THE MAJORITY OF THE INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE HAS RULED AGAINST TAKING ANY MORE TESTIMONY IN THE LATTIMORE AFFAIR BEHIND CLOSED DOORS.
LATTIMORE WOUND UP TWO DAYS OF TESTIMONY AND CROSS-EXAMINATION ON THE WITNESS STAND BEFORE THE COMMITTEE TODAY, AND WAS INSTRUCTED TO STAND BY FOR POSSIBLE FURTHER QUESTIONING.

ON THE SENATE FLOOR, VICE PRESIDENT BARKLEY ORDERED DEMOCRATIC LEADER LUCAS TO SIT DOWN AFTER THE REPUBLICAN FLOOR LEADER, SENATOR WHERRY, ANGRILY ACCUSED LUCAS OF CALLING MCCARTHY "A LIAR."
THE FURORE BROKE IN EARNEST. ONE SENATOR AFTER ANOTHER LEAPED INTO THE BATTLE OVER THE VALIDITY OF MCCARTHY'S CHARGES, AND AT ONE POINT SENATOR NEELY (D-W-VA) SHOUTED:
"IF MCCARTHY'S CHARGES ARE NOT TRUE, THEN THOSE RESPONSIBLE FOR MAKING THEM OUGHT TO BE SCOURGED FROM THE SOCIETY OF DECENT MEN AND WOMEN."
NEELY ACCUSED MCCARTHY OF "DODGING AND EVADING" A BARRAGE OF QUESTIONS FLUNG AT HIM BY SENATORS DEMANDING TO KNOW WHAT EVIDENCE HE HAD TO BACK UP HIS CHARGES.
THE WEST VIRGINIAN SAID THE INQUIRY COMMITTEE SHOULD "INSIST ON EVIDENCE." HE SAID IF IT WAS TRUE, AS MCCARTHY CLAIMED, THAT SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON KNEW OF ANY REDS IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT, THEN ACHESON SHOULD BE "SCOURGED FROM OFFICE."

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NEELY WENT ON TO SAY THAT ANY MAN IN HIGH OFFICE, WHETHER IN CONGRESS OR THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH, WHO FOR ONE MOMENT TOLERATED A COMMUNIST ON THE FEDERAL PAYROLL "OUGHT TO BE HANGED HIGHER THAN HAMAN" OR IMPRISONED FOR LIFE.
BUT HE SAID IT WAS TIME, TOO, FOR MCCARTHY TO PRODUCE EVIDENCE TO SUPPORT HIS CHARGES.
"THE UNITED STATES HAS BEEN MADE A LAUGHING-STOCK," HE SAID.
SENATOR JENNER (R-IND) BLASTED THE COMMITTEE FOR CALLING EX-COMMUNIST CHIEF EARL BROWDER TO TESTIFY IN THE LATTIMORE CASE, AND DECLARED IT WAS "LIKE SENDING 'BABY FACE' NELSON TO INVESTIGATE JOHN DILLINGER."
SENATOR WHERRY STAUNCHLY DEFENDED MCCARTHY AGAINST THE AVALANCHE OF CRITICISM FROM THE DEMOCRATIC SIDE OF THE AISLE, CHARGING THE DEMOCRATS WITH FIRING "DOUBLE-BARRELED QUESTIONS BY THE WHOLESALE TO SMEAR SENATOR MCCARTHY."
WHERRY RECALLED THAT PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAD DESCRIBED HIM ALONG WITH MCCARTHY AND SENATOR BRIDGES (R-NH) AS THE KREMLIN'S GREATEST ASSETS, AND "THAT STATEMENT WAS THE MOST EXCESSIVE AND IRRESPONSIBLE EVER MADE BY A PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES."
JUST BEFORE THE SENATE FINALLY QUIT FOR THE DAY, SHORTLY AFTER 7 P.M. (E.S.T.), MAJORITY LEADER LUCAS OF ILLINOIS CHARGED THAT MCCARTHY HAD "SMEARED" SECRETARY ACHESON AND PRESIDENT TRUMAN.
"NOBODY WANTS TO SMEAR MCCARTHY -- HE'S SMEARED HIMSELF ALL THE WAY THROUGH THIS THING," LUCAS ROARED. "I PREDICT NOW THAT MCCARTHY CAN'T PROVE AND WON'T BE ABLE TO PROVE A SINGLE ALLEGATION HE HAS MADE."
VICE PRESIDENT BARKLEY UPHELD GOP LEADER WHERRY'S PROTEST THAT LUCAS HAD VIOLATED SENATE RULES IN THE "LIE" INCIDENT AND ORDERED HIM TO SIT DOWN.

SENATE REGULATIONS FORBID ANY SENATOR FROM IMPUGNING THE HONOR OF A COLLEAGUE.

LUCAS TOOK HIS SEAT, BUT A FEW MINUTES LATER RETURNED TO THE ATTACK AND DENOUNCED MCCARTHY FOR "CASTING A SHADOW" ON THE LOYALTY OF STATE DEPARTMENT EMPLOYES WITH HIS CHARGES THAT THE DEPARTMENT IS A HOTBED OF COMMUNISM.

"THE TIME HAS COME TO CALL A SPADE A SPADE, FERRET OUT THE TRUTH AND LET THE COUNTRY KNOW WHAT IS BACK OF THE CHARGES AGAINST LOYAL STATE DEPARTMENT EMPLOYES," LUCAS TOLD THE SENATE.

"THE SENATE AND MCCARTHY MUST REMOVE THE SUSPICION OF DISLOYALTY RESTING UPON THESE STATE DEPARTMENT THOUSANDS."

LATER, MCCARTHY JOINED IN THE FRAY DURING A CROSS-FIRE OF BICKERING OVER WHETHER HE HAD CHARGED THERE WERE 57, OR 205 OR SOME OTHER NUMBER OF REDS IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

MCCARTHY HAS USED DIFFERENT FIGURES AT VARIOUS TIMES.

THE WISCONSIN LEGISLATOR TOLD THE SENATE THAT THE ONLY MONEY THE COMMITTEE HAS SPENT SO FAR IN THE LONG-DRAWN INQUIRY HAS BEEN SPENT "TO INVESTIGATE ME," AND HE DECLARED:

"LET'S BE DONE WITH THIS SILLY NUMBERS GAME.

"LET US TAKE THE EVIDENCE AND GET RID OF THOSE COMMUNISTS, WHETHER THERE ARE 57 OR 67 OR WHAT. THE IMPORTANT THING IS TO GET RID OF THOSE COMMUNISTS--TO GET AT THE ONES THE PRESIDENT KNOWS ABOUT."

THE "LIAR" INCIDENT FLARED UP SHORTLY AFTER A SENATE INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE WOUND UP ITS SECOND STRAIGHT DAY OF QUESTIONING OWEN LATTIMORE, ONETIME STATE DEPARTMENT ADVISER, WHOM MCCARTHY HAS ACCUSED OF BEING RUSSIA'S NO. 1 SPY IN THE UNITED STATES.

LATTIMORE, WHO HAS DENIED ALL OF MCCARTHY'S CHARGES AS "INSANE," WAS ORDERED TO BE READY IF AND WHEN THE COMMITTEE WANTS TO QUESTION HIM AGAIN.

THE LUCAS-WHERRY SPAT DEVELOPED ON THE SENATE FLOOR WHEN LUCAS QUOTED FROM A STATEMENT BY UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE JOHN PEURIFOY WHICH SAID THERE IS "NOT A SHRED OF TRUTH" IN ONE OF MCCARTHY'S CHARGES THAT LATTIMORE HAD A DESK IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

ALTHOUGH LUCAS WAS MERELY READING WHAT PEURIFOY HAD SAID, GOP FLOOR LEADER WHERRY JUMPED TO HIS FEET AND SHOUTED:

"HE IS CALLING SENATOR MCCARTHY A LIAR. HE IS OUT OF ORDER AND SHOULD TAKE HIS SEAT."

VICE PRESIDENT BARKLEY, PRESIDING, NODDED AND SAID:

"UNDER THE RULES, THE SENATOR (LUCAS) MUST TAKE HIS SEAT."

SENATOR WHERRY (D-WVA) ASKED UNANIMOUS CONSENT FOR LUCAS TO CONTINUE, BUT SENATOR JENNER (R-IND) BLOCKED THE REQUEST WITH AN OBJECTION.

BY VOICE VOTE, THE SENATE THEN APPROVED A MOTION BY SENATOR MYERS (D-PA) THAT LUCAS BE PERMITTED TO "PROCEED IN ORDER"--THAT IS, WITHOUT IMPUGNING ANY SENATOR'S HONOR. NEELY

AT THE SENATE COMMITTEE HEARING, SENATOR LODGE (R-MASS) URGED THE COMMITTEE TO FIND OUT HOW THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT RATES THE "CREDIBILITY" OF EX-COMMUNIST LEADER LOUIS F.BUDENZ AS A WITNESS.

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LODGE SAID THAT IS A "CARDINAL POINT" IN THE PROBE OF MCCARTHY'S CHARGES AGAINST LATTIMORE--CHARGES ON WHICH MCCARTHY HAS SAID HE WILL "STAND OR FALL" IN HIS INDICTMENT OF ALLEGED REDS IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

BUDENZ, WHO QUIT THE COMMUNIST PARTY FIVE YEARS AGO TO RE-ENTER THE CATHOLIC CHURCH, HAS TESTIFIED AS MCCARTHY'S STAR WITNESS THAT LATTIMORE WAS A MEMBER OF A "COMMUNIST CELL" AND HELPED BETRAY CHINA TO THE REDS.

LATTIMORE, IN TURN, DENOUNCED BUDENZ IN SUCH TERMS AS "PAID INFORMER AND UNSCRUPULOUS FINGER MAN...PATHOLOGICAL LIAR...TWISTED AND MALIGNANT PERSONALITY."

SENATOR LODGE QUESTIONED LATTIMORE ON HIS TESTIMONY THAT THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT DOES NOT VOUCH FOR THE CREDIBILITY OF BUDENZ, WHO HAS APPEARED AS A KEY FEDERAL WITNESS IN THE NEW YORK TRIAL OF 11 U.S. COMMUNIST LEADERS AND IN NUMEROUS OTHER CASES.

LODGE WANTED TO KNOW IF LATTIMORE HAD ANY SPECIFIC INFORMATION ON THAT POINT.

LATTIMORE'S ATTORNEY, PAUL PORTER, REPLIED IT WAS A "GENERALLY ACCEPTED LEGAL PRINCIPAL" THAT THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT DOES NOT UNDERWRITE THE VERACITY OF ITS WITNESSES.

HE SAID HE HAD BEEN RELIABLY INFORMED THAT THE DEPARTMENT HAD NEVER USED BUDENZ IN THE IDENTIFICATION OF SUSPECTED INDIVIDUALS--AS BUDENZ WAS USED IN THE LATTIMORE CASE--BUT ONLY ON TESTIMONY INVOLVING COMMUNIST IDEOLOGY AND "APPARATUS."

"THIS IS ONE OF THE THINGS THE COMMITTEE OUGHT TO DELVE INTO," LODGE SAID.

GENERALLY A COOL WITNESS, LATTIMORE DELIVERED AN ANGRY OUTBURST AGAINST SENATOR HICKENLOOPER, ACCUSING THE IOWA REPUBLICAN OF SETTING "A NEW LOW" IN AMERICAN POLITICS BY AN ATTEMPT "TO ATTACK ME THROUGH MY WIFE."

HICKENLOOPER PROMPTLY RETORTED THAT HIS QUESTIONS ABOUT MRS. LATTIMORE WERE "EXTREMELY PERTINENT" IN TRACING THE LATTIMORES' ATTITUDE TOWARD COMMUNISM.

THE IOWA SENATOR'S QUESTION CENTERED ON WHETHER MRS. LATTIMORE, A GRAY-HAIRED WOMAN WEARING HORN-RIMMED GLASSES, EVER LECTURED BEFORE AN ALLEGED COMMUNIST TRAINING SCHOOL IN CALIFORNIA.

LATTIMORE REPLIED THAT HIS WIFE RECALLS SHE SPOKE AT WHAT SHE WAS TOLD WAS A TRADE UNION SCHOOL -- AND HE EMPHASIZED THAT SHE HAD SPOKEN AT VARIOUS PLACES OT VARIOUS ORGANIZATIONS.

THE FLAREUP DEVELOPED DURING LATTIMORE'S SECOND STRAIGHT DAY ON THE WITNESS STAND BEFORE A SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE IN ITS INVESTIGATION OF CHARGES BY SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT IS A HOTBED OF COMMUNISM.

LATTIMORE HAS VEMEHENTLY DENIED MCCARTHY'S CHARGE THAT HE IS THE NO. 1 SOVIET SPY IN THE UNITED STATES, AND HAS SWORN UNDER OATH THAT HE WAS NEVER A COMMUNIST OR FELLOW TRAVELER.

UNDER CROSS-EXAMINATION, LATTIMORE ACKNOWLEDGED THAT "MAYBE" HE USED THE SOVIET DIPLOMATIC POUCH TO TRANSMIT DOCUMENTS ABROAD IN 1947. BUT HE HAD A READY EXPLANATION: THAT WAS THE ONLY WAY HE COULD GET THE MESSAGE TO ITS DESTINATION IN SOVIET-DOMINATED OUTER MONGOLIA.

LATTIMORE SAID HE WAS HOPING TO MAKE A TRIP TO OUTER MONGOLIA IN 1947 AND HAD WRITTEN A LETTER TO THE MONGOLIAN PREMIER. BUT SINCE THE UNITED STATES HAD NO DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH THAT FAR-OFF COUNTRY, HE SENT THE LETTER -- ONE COPY IN MONGOL, ONE IN ENGLISH -- TO THE SOVIET AMBASSADOR IN WASHINGTON AND ASKED THAT IT BE TRANSMITTED TO THE MONGOLIAN EMBASSY IN MOSCOW FOR RELAY TO THE PREMIER.

AS THE HEARING RECESSED FOR THE NOON HOUR, COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD) THREW COLD WATER ON ANY IDEA THAT THE LONG-DRAWN INQUIRY IS NEARING AN END.

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TYDINGS TOLD THE SENATE THAT SO MANY WITNESSES ARE WAITING TO TESTIFY THEY ARE "GROWING RESTIVE," AND HE SAID THE COMMITTEE IS ALSO PLANNING TO EXPLORE SOME NEW ANGLES IN THE INVESTIGATION.

TYDINGS ASKED AND RECEIVED SENATE PERMISSION FOR THE COMMITTEE TO MEET EVEN WHILE THE SENATE IS IN SESSION, EXPLAINING THAT SUCH A BACKLOG OF WORK HAS PILED UP THAT THE COMMITTEE MUST MEET MORE FREQUENTLY. COMMITTEES USUALLY BREAK OFF THEIR HEARINGS WHEN THE SENATE IS IN SESSION.

AT THE OUTSET OF TODAY'S MEETING, LATTIMORE RENEWED HIS ATTACK ON MCCARTHY BY CHARGING THAT "THE SHADOW OF MCCARTHYISM HANGS OVER THE WHOLE PROCEDURE OF OUR PUBLIC LIFE."

SENATOR HICKENLOOPER CAUTIONED THE WITNESS THAT "CALLING THIS PROCEDURE MCCARTHYISM IS NOT EXACTLY APPROPRIATE."

"THE SHADOW OF COMMUNISM IS ALSO A PRIME FACTOR," HICKENLOOPER SAID TARTLY.

MRS. LATTIMORE, WHO FREQUENTLY FLASHES A WARM, QUICK SMILE, APPEARED TENSE AS HER HUSBAND BURST OUT IN ANGER AT HICKENLOOPER'S INQUIRIES ABOUT HIS WIFE.

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(460) PMS BUDGET
RUSSIAN-SATELLITES
BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON,MAY 3-(AP)-RUMORS THAT THE SOVIETS ARE PLANNING A NEW PURGE OF POLAND'S ARMY AND THE POLISH COMMUNIST PARTY HAVE REACHED AMERICAN GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS HERE.

IF THE SHAKEUP COMES, ITTTTTTT

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AMERICAN GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS HERE.

IF THE SHAKEUP COMES, IT WILL BE THE LATEST IN A LONG SERIES AIMED AT TIGHTENING KREMLIN CONTROL OVER THE IRON CURTAIN COUNTRIES.

STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS, IN FACT, ARE CONVINCED THAT THE SOVIETS ALREADY HAVE SO ENTRENCHED THEIR POLITICAL AGENTS AND SECRET POLICE IN THOSE COUNTRIES THAT THERE IS NO POSSIBILITY OF AN OVERTHROW OF SOVIET POWER THERE IN THE PREDICTABLE FUTURE.

NEVERTHELESS THE PURGING PROCESS IS EXPECTED TO GO ON AS THE SOVIETS ROOT OUT THOSE OFFICIALS CONSIDERED UNRELIABLE, FRIENDLY TOWARD THE WEST OR POTENTIAL NATIONALISTS.

LITTLE SUPPORT IS TO BE FOUND AMONG STATE DEPARTMENT EXPERTS ON EASTERN EUROPE FOR ECA CHIEF PAUL HOFFMAN'S VIEW THAT THERE WILL BE A CRACKUP OF SOVIET CONTROL OVER EASTERN EUROPE DUE TO THE STRONG TENSIONS WHICH HAVE DEVELOPED THERE.

HOFFMAN TOLD A U.S. CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MEETING HERE YESTERDAY THAT THE CRACKUP WOULD COME SUDDENLY AND THAT HE EXPECTED IT WOULD OCCUR IN HIS LIFETIME. HOFFMAN IS 58 YEARS OLD.

PERSONS FAMILIAR WITH HIS VIEWS SAID HIS OPINION WAS BASED ON THE BELIEF THAT EASTERN EUROPEANS BITTERLY DISLIKE SOVIET COMMUNISM AND THAT AS WESTERN EUROPE REGAINS ITS POWER AND ECONOMIC HEALTH THE RUSSIANS WILL BE UNABLE TO HOLD THE LID ON THE FORCES WORKING AGAINST THEM.

STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS GENERALLY HOLD HOPES BASED ON THIS LINE OF REASONING. BUT THEY SEE LITTLE PROSPECT OF THEIR HOPES BEING REALIZED.

SOVIET CONTROL OF THE COUNTRIES CONSISTS PARTLY IN INSIDE DOMINATION OF THE GOVERNMENTS OF EASTERN EUROPE AND PARTLY IN THE PRESENCE OR NEARNESS OF SOVIET MILITARY POWER.

YUGOSLAVIA'S BREAK WITH MOSCOW TWO YEARS AGO WAS MADE POSSIBLE PARTICULARLY BY THE UNUSUAL FACT THAT MARSHAL TITO HAD CONTROL OF HIS OWN GOVERNMENT MACHINERY TO A VERY HIGH DEGREE AND WAS REGARDED BY HIS PEOPLE AS A YUGOSLAV LEADER AND NOT AS A PUPPET OF THE KREMLIN.

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TITOISM--THAT IS, THE RISE OF AN INDEPENDENT KIND OF COMMUNISM BEYOND KREMLIN CONTROL--HAS ADDED TO THE TENSION WORKING AGAINST RUSSIA IN OTHER EUROPEAN COUNTRIES, ACCORDING TO THE BEST INFORMATION AVAILABLE HERE. BUT IN THOSE COUNTRIES THE RUSSIANS HAVE TAKEN SWIFT MEASURES TO PREVENT THE DEVELOPMENT OF POLITICAL GROUPS WHICH MIGHT ENDANGER THEIR POSITION. THIS HAS BEEN PARTICULARLY TRUE IN POLAND AND CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

THE LATEST PURGE KNOWN ABOUT IN THE WEST CAME IN MARCH WHEN VLADIMIR CLEMENTIS LOST HIS POSITION OF FOREIGN MINISTER IN THE CZECH GOVERNMENT APPARENTLY BECAUSE MOSCOW SUSPECTED HE HAD WESTERN CONNECTIONS.

BEFORE THAT WLADISLAW GOMULKA, VICE MINISTER OF DEFENSE IN POLAND AND A MEMBER OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY, WAS BROKEN DOWN TO A MUCH LOWER POSITION DEVOID OF POWER.

IN POLAND, IN ADDITION, THE SOVIETS LATE LAST YEAR PUT ONE OF THEIR OWN ARMY OFFICERS, MARSHAL ROKOSSOVSKY, IN CONTROL OF THE POLISH MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT.

RUMORS OF A NEW COMMUNIST PARTY AND ARMY PURGE IN POLAND ARE LINKED TO ROKOSSOVSKY AND ARE SAID TO REFLECT A DESIRE ON HIS PART TO TIGHTEN UP SOVIET-COMMUNIST CONTROL OF THOSE TWO AGENCIES. WITHOUT MENTIONING NAMES, OFFICIALS HERE SAID THAT THE PERSONS THAT MIGHT BE INVOLVED IN THE PURGES WERE NOT GENERALLY KNOWN OUTSIDE OF POLAND.

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(160) LUCAS-MCCARTHY

WASHINGTON, MAY 3-(AP)-VICE PRESIDENT BARKLEY ORDERED DEMOCRATIC LEADER LUCAS (ILL) TO TAKE HIS SEAT IN THE SENATE TODAY AFTER SENATOR WHERRY (R-NEB) CHARGED LUCAS HAD CALLED SENATOR MC CARTHY (R-WIS) A LIAR AND VIOLATED SENATE RULES.

LUCAS WAS READING FROM A STATEMENT BY JOHN E.PEURIFOY, DEPUTY UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE, WHICH SAID THERE WAS "NOT A SHRED OF TRUTH" IN MCCARTHY'S STATEMENT THAT OWEN LATTIMORE HAD A DESK AT THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

WHERRY JUMPED UP AND SHOUTED:

"HE IS CALLING SENATOR MC CARTHY A LIAR. HE IS OUT OF ORDER AND SHOULD TAKE HIS SEAT."

BARKLEY, PRESIDING, AGREED WITH WHERRY THAT "UNDER THE RULES THE SENATOR MUST TAKE HIS SEAT." THE RULES FORBID A SENATOR'S IMPUGNING THE HONOR OF ANOTHER SENATOR.

SENATOR NEELY (D-WVA) ASKED UNANIMOUS CONSENT THAT LUCAS BE PERMITTED TO CONTINUE. SENATOR JENNER (R-IND) OBJECTED.

LUCAS TOOK HIS SEAT. SENATOR MYERS (D-PA) THEN MOVED THAT LUCAS BE ALLOWED TO "PROCEED IN ORDER." THE MOTION CARRIED BY VOICE VOTE. WHERRY AND OTHER REPUBLICANS, HAVING MADE THEIR POINT, DID NOT CONTEST THE MOTION.

LUCAS WENT ON AND READ THE REST OF PEURIFOY'S STATEMENT.

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AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD ACHESON (430)
BY EDWARD E.BOMAR

WASHINGTON, MAY 3-(AP)-SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON ASSAILED RUSSIA TODAY IN A NEW PUT-UP-OR-SHUT-UP DEMAND FOR ACTION ON A BIG FOUR TREATY WITH AUSTRIA.

ON THE AVOWED SUSPICION THAT THE SOVIETS PLAN A NEW STALLING MOVEMENT TOMORROW IN TREATY NEGOTIATIONS IN LONDON, ACHESON CHARGED THAT RUSSIA IS TURNING FROM "EXCUSE" TO "PRETEXT" TO PREVENT AN AGREEMENT.

THE SOVIET REPRESENTATIVE HAS CALLED FOR AN UNEXPECTED MEETING OF THE NEGOTIATORS TOMORROW, AND ACHESON HAS SUGGESTED THAT THE U.S., BRITAIN AND FRANCE WILL BE ON THE ALERT TO SEE IF THIS WILL SHOW WHETHER RUSSIA IS READY NOW TO JOIN THE WEST IN WITHDRAWING OCCUPATION TROOPS FROM AUSTRIA.

THIS LATEST MOVE "LEAVES THE ISSUE CLEARLY UP TO THE SOVIET UNION AS TO WHETHER IT PROPOSES TO GET ON WITH THE TREATY OR WHETHER THIS IS BUT ANOTHER MOVE TO DELAY THE CONCLUSION OF A TREATY," HE SAID.

THE SECRETARY VOICED THIS RENEWED CRITICISM OF MOSCOW ON THE AUSTRIAN ISSUE AT A FINAL NEWS CONFERENCE BEFORE HIS SCHEDULED DEPARTURE ON SATURDAY FROM EUROPE. THE 12-NATION NORTH ATLANTIC COUNCIL OPENS ITS SESSION MAY 15 IN LONDON AND ACHESON WILL BE HOLDING SEPARATE TALKS MEANTIME WITH BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY BEVIN AND FOREIGN MINISTER SCHUMAN OF FRANCE.

IN BROAD TERMS, HE SAID, THE COUNCIL WILL GO OVER WHAT HAS BEEN DONE DURING THE PAST YEAR TO STRENGTHEN THE DEFENSES OF THE WEST AND DISCUSS WHAT REMAINS TO BE DONE. HE FORECAST THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS WILL:

1. CONSIDER THE WORLD SITUATION AS IT HAS DEVELOPED SINCE THE LAST PREVIOUS MEETING IN NOVEMBER AT PARIS.
2. EXCHANGE VIEWS ON MATTERS WHICH THEY BELIEVE EITHER HAVE CHANGED OR REQUIRE SOME NEW DECISION.
3. DECIDE WHETHER THE POLICIES OF THE THREE POWERS CAN BE BROUGHT INTO LINE ON THESE MATTERS AND CONSIDER WHAT FURTHER STEPS NEED TO BE TAKEN IN THE GENERAL STRENGTHENING OF THE WEST.

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THE GENERAL EXPECTATION IS THAT THE FUTURE STATUS OF GERMANY WILL DOMINATE THE ISSUES TAKEN UP AT LONDON, BUT ACHESON DECLINED TO GO INTO FURTHER DETAILS. HE TOLD A QUESTIONER HE HAD NO PLANS TO GO TO GERMANY ON THIS TRIP AND HAD HEARD NO DISCUSSION OF THE IDEA OF INVITING KONRAD ADENAUER, THE WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR, TO JOIN THE CONSULTATIONS AT ANY STAGE.

ON OTHER MATTERS, ACHESON SAID HE BELIEVES SENATE REPUBLICAN LEADERS WITH WHOM HE HAS BEEN TALKING ARE IN GENERAL ACCORD WITH PLANS TO STRENGTHEN THE BI-PARTISAN FOREIGN POLICY. HE CAUTIOUSLY DECLINED TO GO ALONG WITH THE WARNING GIVEN CONGRESS YESTERDAY BY GENERAL OMAR N. BRADLEY THAT CONDITIONS HAVE WORSENED IN THE LAST FIVE MONTHS, BUT DID SAY THAT IN MANY PLACES CONDITIONS DID NOT LOOK ANY BETTER.

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WASHINGTON,MAY 3-(AP)-SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON SAID TODAY THE "BIG THREE" MEETING OF FOREIGN MINISTERS IN EUROPE NEXT WEEK WILL CONSIDER POSSIBLE MOVES TO BOLSTER THE WESTERN POWER LINEUP.

ACHESON IS LEAVING SATURDAY BY PLANE FOR THE CONFERENCE WITH FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER SCHUMAN AND FOREIGN MINISTER BEVIN OF BRITAIN.

HE TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE HE WILL SEE SCHUMAN IN PARIS MONDAY AND GO TO LONDON THE FOLLOWING DAY FOR TALKS WITH BEVIN. SCHUMAN WILL JOIN THEM THERE THURSDAY FOR THEIR FIRST MEETING SINCE LAST FALL.

ACHESON SAID THEY WILL TALK ABOUT WORLD DEVELOPMENTS SINCE THEY LAST MET. THEY WILL CONSIDER, HE ADDED WHAT FURTHER STEPS NEED TO BE TAKEN FOR THE STRENGTHENING OF THE WEST. THEY WILL EXCHANGE VIEWS, HE SAID, TO SEE WHAT DECISIONS HAVE TO BE MADE TO COORDINATE THE POLICIES OF THEIR COUNTRIES.

HE WAS ASKED WHETHER, WHILE IN LONDON, HE WILL TALK WITH OFFICIALS OF BELGIUM, THE NETHERLANDS AND OTHER OF THE SMALLER WESTERN EUROPEAN NATIONS. HE SAID THAT HE ASSUMES HE WILL SINCE HE HAS ALWAYS DONE THAT IN THE PAST WHEN OPPORTUNITY PERMITTED.

AS FOR SPECULATION THAT HE MIGHT GO TO WESTERN GERMANY OR MAKE SOME OTHER SIDE TRIPS IN EUROPE. ACHESON SAID THAT HE HAD NO PLANS TO VISIT EITHER WESTERN GERMANY OR ANY OTHER PLACES ASIDE FROM LONDON.

HE WILL ATTEND A MEETING OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC COUNCIL OPENING IN LONDON MAY 15. HE SAID THAT IF IT WINDS UP BY MAY 20 HE IS CONSIDERING THE POSSIBILITY OF COMING BACK TO THE UNITED STATES BY SHIP.

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(300) NIGHT LEAD FOREIGN AID

WASHINGTON,MAY 3-(AP)-SENATOR IVES, WHO IN THE PAST HAS BACKED THE ADMINISTRATION'S REQUESTS FOR MARSHALL PLAN FUNDS, CAME OUT TODAY FOR A $500,000,000 CUT IN THE EUROPEAN RECOVERY PROGRAM.

THE NEW YORK REPUBLICAN SAID SUCH A REDUCTION IS NEEDED TO HELP EASE THE TAXPAYER'S BURDEN AND TO SPUR THE WESTERN EUROPEAN NATIONS TO LOWER THEIR TRADE BARRIERS AND UNIFY THEIR ECONOMY.

IVES DECLARED THE MARSHALL PLAN HAS BEEN "WORTH ALL AND MORE THAN THE EFFORT AND SACRIFICE IT HAS COST TO DATE," BUT HE SAID THE TIME HAS COME TO REDUCE AMERICAN OUTLAYS.

HE SPOKE OUT AS THE SENATE NEARED THE WINDUP OF ITS PROLONGED DEBATE OVER THE $3,372,450,000 FOREIGN AID BILL WHICH THE HOUSE PASSED MARCH 31 AFTER CUTTING $250,000,000 OFF THE MARSHALL PLAN ALLOTMENT.

UNDER THE SENATE MEASURE THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION IS SLATED TO RECEIVE $3,100,000,000 FOR THE NEXT FISCAL YEAR STARTING JULY 1, BUT REPUBLICAN LEADERS ARE SEEKING TO TRIM FROM $500,000,000 TO $1,000,000,000 OFF THIS TOTAL.

SENATOR KEM (R-MO) MEANWHILE PROPOSED AN AMENDMENT WHICH WOULD BAR AMERICAN AID TO ANY COUNTRY WHICH IN THE FUTURE NATIONALIZES A BASIC INDUSTRY.

ALTHOUGH THE SENATE OVERWHELMINGLY REJECTED HIS PLEA FOR A SIMILAR BAN LAST YEAR, KEM DEMANDED THAT SUCH A RESTRICTION BE WRITTEN INTO THE PENDING LEGISLATION.

KEM DEVOTED A MAJOR PORTION OF A TWO-HOUR SPEECH TO AN ATTACK ON BRITAIN'S LABOR GOVERNMENT WHICH HE SAID MANAGED TO STAY IN POWER PARTLY THROUGH THE "MUNIFICENT GIFTS OF DOLLARS FROM THE AMERICAN TAXPAYERS."

ASSERTING THAT SOVIET LEADERS "HAVE MADE NO SECRET OF THE FACT THAT THEY HOPE TO FORCE THE UNITED STATES TO SPEND ITSELF INTO DESTRUCTION," KEM THEN ADDED:

"COULD IT BE THAT THE MARXIST LEADERS OF BRITAIN HAVE NO OBJECTION TO THIS--COULD THEY BE TRYING TO PUMP OUR TREASURY DRY?"

THE SENATE IS SCHEDULED TO START THE SHOWDOWN VOTE ON THE MULTI-BILLION DOLLAR FOREIGN AID BILL FRIDAY.

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WASHINGTON,MAY 3-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER LIAQUAT ALI KHAN ARRIVED TODAY ON A STATE VISIT AND RECEIVED A WARM PERSONAL WELCOME FROM PRESIDENT TRUMAN.

THE PAKISTAN PREMIER FLEW HERE FROM LONDON WITH HIS WIFE AND OFFICIAL PARTY IN THE PRESIDENT'S PERSONAL PLANE, THE INDEPENDENCE. THEY WILL BE IN THIS COUNTRY UNTIL MAY 26.

ALL THE FORMAL HONORS DUE A VISITING CHIEF OF STATE WERE PAID LIAQUAT ALI AT THE AIRPORT.

PRESIDENT TRUMAN MADE IT A PERSONAL AND FRIENDLY AFFAIR AS HE EX-

TENDED "A WARM AND HEART-FELT WELCOME ON BEHALF OF ALL THE AMERICAN PEOPLE."

THE PRESIDENT SAID HE HOPED THE PRIME MINISTER AND HIS WIFE WOULD FEEL AS MUCH AT HOME HERE "AS AMERICANS DO WHEN THEY VISIT YOUR GREAT COUNTRY."

LIAQUAT ALI, HEAD OF A NATION WHICH HAS BEEN IN EXISTENCE ONLY SINCE AUG. 14, 1947, ACCEPTED THE WELCOME IN WARM TONES, DECLARING HE BROUGHT HERE "THE MOST FRIENDLY GREETINGS OF 80,000,000 MEN AND WOMEN OF PAKISTAN."

THE WELCOME OF THE PAKISTAN PRIME MINISTER PARALLELED THAT EXTENDED LAST FALL TO PRIME MINISTER NEHRU OF THE REPUBLIC OF INDIA.

THE PAKISTAN PREMIER WILL ADDRESS A JOINT SESSION OF BOTH HOUSES OF CONGRESS AT NOON TOMORROW. SATURDAY THE PRIME MINISTER AND HIS PARTY ARE SCHEDULED TO GO TO NEW YORK FOR FIVE DAYS AND THEN VISIT CHICAGO, KANSAS CITY, SAN FRANCISCO, LOS ANGELES, HOUSTON, NEW ORLEANS, SCHNECTADY AND BOSTON.

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(250) NIGHT LEAD HAWAII STATEHOOD

BY HARRISON HUMPHRIES

AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE

WASHINGTON, MAY 3-(AP)-SPOKESMEN FOR HAWAII'S TWO MAJOR INDUSTRIES --SUGAR AND PINEAPPLES--ASKED A SENATE COMMITTEE TODAY TO APPROVE IMMEDIATE STATEHOOD FOR HAWAII.

THE INDUSTRY ENDORSEMENTS WERE PRESENTED TO THE INTERIOR COMMITTEE BY ERNEST W.GREENE, VICE PRESIDENT OF THE HAWAIIAN SUGAR PLANTERS ASSOCIATION, AND HENRY A.WHITE, PRESIDENT OF THE HAWAIIAN PINEAPPLE CO.

THE COMMITTEE IS HOLDING A HEARING ON THE HOUSE-PASSED BILL TO GRANT STATEHOOD TO THE ISLANDS.

URBAN E.WILD, PRESIDENT OF THE HONOLULU CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, SAID THAT "FOR MORE THAN 50 YEARS OF TUTELAGE AS A TERRITORY UNDER THE AMERICAN FLAG, THE PEOPLE OF HAWAII HAVE DEMONSTRATED BY THEIR LOYALTY AND THEIR ABILITY, THE RIGHT TO FULL PRIVILEGES OF AMERICAN CITIZENSHIP THROUGH STATEHOOD NOW."

DR. GREGG M.SINCLAIR, PRESIDENT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII, DISCUSSED THE TERRITORY'S SCHOOL SYSTEM, SAYING THAT EDUCATIONAL STANDARDS IN THE ISLANDS ARE EQUAL TO OR BETTER THAN THOSE IN THE STATES.

THE WAR RECORD OF JAPANESE-AMERICANS OF HAWAII WAS REVIEWED BY WILFRED TSUKIYAMA, PRESIDENT OF THE TERRITORIAL SENATE, AND SPARK M. MATSUNAGA, TWICE-WOUNDED COMBAT VETERAN NOW ATTENDING THE HARVARD LAW SCHOOL.

MATSUNAGA SAID THE DRIVING FORCE BEHIND THE 442ND ARMY REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM, OFTEN REFERRED TO AS THE MOST DECORATED UNIT IN THE WAR, WAS THE DESIRE OF THE JAPANESE-AMERICANS TO PROVE THEIR DEVOTION TO AMERICAN IDEALS AND THE AMERICAN FLAG. THIS UNIT WAS COMPOSED OF NISEI.

TSUKIYAMA, THE FIRST JAPANESE-AMERICAN PRESIDENT OF THE HAWAII SENATE, SAID HIS ELEVATION TO THAT POST LAST YEAR WAS PROPOSED BY A CAUCASIAN. HAWAIIANS, HE SAID, DO NOT FOLLOW RACIAL INSTINCT IN VOTING.

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NIGHT LEAD GOLD (370)

WASHINGTON, MAY 3-(AP)-THE WORLD MONETARY FUND'S BOARD OF DIRECTORS DECLARED TODAY THERE IS "NO ECONOMIC JUSTIFICATION" FOR RAISING THE PRICE OF GOLD ABOVE $35 AN OUNCE.

WITH THAT, THE BOARD REJECTED A SOUTH AFRICAN PROPOSAL THAT HALF OF ALL NEWLY MINED GOLD BE PERMITTED TO BE SOLD IN INTERNATIONAL MARKETS AT ANY HIGHER PRICE THAN COULD BE OBTAINED FOR IT.

THE $35 RATE, WHICH ALSO HAS BEEN THE OFFICIAL U.S. PRICE FOR MORE THAN 16 YEARS, HAS IN EFFECT FIXED A CEILING ON INTERNATIONAL SELLING AND BUYING PRICES FOR THE FUND'S 47 MEMBER COUNTRIES.

SOUTH AFRICA, AS THE WORLD'S BIGGEST PRODUCER OF GOLD, STOOD TO GAIN THE MOST PROFIT FROM PREMIUM PRICE SALES ABROAD IF THE FUND CHANGED ITS POSITION AND AUTHORIZED THEM.

THE UNITED STATES, ALTHOUGH RANKED THE THIRD BIGGEST GOLD PRODUCER --CANADA IS RATED SECOND--STRONGLY OPPOSED THE SOUTH AFRICAN PROPOSAL, PARTLY ON THE GROUND IT WOULD AMOUNT TO A SUBSIDY AND A FORM OF INVOLUNTARY U.S. AID TO FOREIGN GOLD PRODUCERS.

(RUSSIA, WHICH IS A TOP-RANKING GOLD PRODUCER ITSELF AND IS BELIEVED BY SOME U.S. OFFICIALS TO BE SECOND ONLY TO THE U.S. IN ACCUMULATED HOLDINGS OF GOLD, IS NOT A MEMBER OF THE FUND. ONE SOVIET SATELLITE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, IS IN THE FUND, AND ANOTHER, POLAND, RECENTLY QUIT IT).

THE FUND DIRECTORS CITED THESE CHIEF REASONS FOR REFUSING TO PERMIT GOLD SALES AT ANY PRICE OBTAINABLE:

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GOLD SALES AT ANY PRICE OBTAINABLE:

1. IT WOULD UNDERMINE THE RATES FIXED BY THE FUND FOR CHANGING ONE COUNTRY'S MONEY INTO ANOTHER'S BECAUSE THE RATES ARE LINKED TO THE RELATIVE "VALUE" OF EACH COUNTRY'S MONEY AS MEASURED IN GOLD.

2. GOVERNMENTS WHICH NEED GOLD FOR MONETARY RESERVES AND FOR SETTLEMENT OF THEIR INTERNATIONAL ACCOUNTS WOULD BE HURT BY AN UPSWING IN PRIVATE HOARDING.

3. THE RESULT WOULD BE TO "INCREASE THE DIFFICULTY OF RESTORING INTERNATIONAL BALANCE" AND ADD TO THE "SEVERITY" OF TRADE-HAMPERING EXCHANGE AND IMPORT RESTRICTIONS WHICH MANY COUNTRIES MAINTAIN TO PROTECT THEIR SUPPLIES OF GOLD AND U.S. DOLLARS.

THE FUND DOES NOT ATTEMPT TO CONTROL PRICES FOR GOLD TRANSACTIONS INSIDE THE BORDERS OF ITS MEMBER COUNTRIES, CONSIDERING THAT ITS AUTHORITY IS LIMITED TO INTERNATIONAL RELATIONSHIPS.

PRICES ACTUALLY PAID IN "FREE MARKET" TRANSACTIONS AT PARIS AND OTHER PLACES WHERE THERE IS NON-OFFICIAL GOLD DEALING HAVE DECLINED SHARPLY SINCE SOUTH AFRICA MADE ITS PROPOSAL AT THE FUND'S ANNUAL MEETING HERE LAST SEPTEMBER.

IN THE PARIS FREE MARKET, FOR EXAMPLE, GOLD PRICES RECENTLY SANK BELOW $42 IN A FAST DECLINE FROM LEVELS THAT HAD GONE ABOVE $50 IN EARLIER TIMES. THE DECLINE HAS SHARPLY CUT PROSPECTS FOR PROFITS IN PREMIUM PRICE GOLD DEALINGS.

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SPANISH LOAN

WASHINGTON,MAY 3-(AP)-A SPANISH COMPANY HAS APPLIED TO THE GOVERNMENT'S EXPORT-IMPORT BANK FOR AN AMERICAN LOAN TO BOOST SPAIN'S FERTILIZER PRODUCTION.

THIS MARKS THE FIRST OUTRIGHT BID FOR AMERICAN FINANCIAL HELP FOR SPAIN SINCE THE WAR ENDED. THE REQUEST MAY FORESHADOW A DIRECT APPROACH BY THE SPANISH GOVERNMENT FOR BIG AMERICAN CREDITS.

EXPORT-IMPORT BANK OFFICIALS SAID FRANCISCO BUSTELLO, A PRIVATE SPANISH BUSINESSMAN, SUBMITTED THE LOAN APPLICATION LAST FRIDAY.

THIS WAS ONE DAY AFTER SENATOR CONNALLY (D-TEX) TOLD THE SENATE THAT PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON HAD NOTIFIED HIM THEY HAD NO OBJECTION TO THE BANK'S CONSIDERING A SPANISH LOAN REQUEST.

STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS TOLD A REPORTER, HOWEVER, THAT THE APPLICATION ACTUALLY HAD BEEN SUBMITTED TWO WEEKS EARLIER AND THAT THE BANK HAS ALWAYS BEEN WILLING TO CONSIDER SPANISH APPLICATIONS.

THE BANK DECLINED TO DISCLOSE THE SIZE OF THE LOAN SOUGHT TO BUY AMERICAN MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT BUT ONE OFFICIAL SAID IT WAS LESS THAN $1,000,000.

SECRETARY ACHESON HAS SAID THAT THE UNITED STATES WILL JOIN A MOVE IN THE UNITED NATIONS TO END THE DIPLOMATIC BOYCOTT OF THE FRANCO GOVERNMENT.

INFORMED OFFICIALS SAID THAT 9£, !9'534 $7))3', REPUBLICAN ADVISER TO ACHESON, IS AMONG THOSE IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT WHO ARE WORKING ON

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INFORMED OFFICIALS SAID THAT JOHN FOSTER DULLES, REPUBLICAN ADVISER TO ACHESON, IS AMONG THOSE IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT WHO ARE WORKING ON PLANS FOR BETTER SPANISH-AMERICAN RELATIONS.

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WASHINGTON,MAY 3-(AP)-AN ARMY COURT MARTIAL TODAY FOUND COL.RALPH C.TILLEY, 54, GUILTY OF BIGAMY FOR MARRYING A YOUNG ITALIAN WOMAN AND OF HARBORING AN ALIEN--THE SAME WOMAN.

THE SIX-OFFICER COURT SENTENCED TILLEY TO SERVE TWO YEARS AT HARD LABOR AND DIRECTED THAT HE BE DISCHARGED FROM THE ARMY AND FORFEIT ALL PAY RIGHTS.

IT DELIBERATED 40 MINUTES ON THE CONVICTION AND 20 MINUTES MORE ON THE SENTENCE.

TILLEY, WHO HAS BEEN ATTACHED TO THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, WAS TAKEN INTO CUSTODY IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE VERDICT. DEFENSE ATTORNEYS BEGAN EFFORTS TO OBTAIN HIS RELEASE PENDING FINAL REVIEW OF THE VERDICT.

NEITHER COL.TILLEY'S AMERICAN WIFE NOR THE YOUNG ITALIAN WOMAN HE WAS ACCUSED OF MARRYING BIGAMOUSLY WAS PRESENT WHEN THE VERDICT WAS ANNOUNCED.

COL.TILLEY HAS BEEN LIVING WITH HIS FIRST WIFE, MRS.ELIZABETH TILLEY, AT NEARBY FALLS CHURCH,VA. JONILDE BRUNO, 27, WHO SAYS COL.TILLEY MARRIED HER IN ITALY WHILE HE WAS SERVING IN THAT COUNTRY, IS LIVING IN NEARBY MARYLAND WITH HER 18-MONTHS-OLD SON. SHE CLAIMS TILLEY IS THE FATHER OF THE CHILD.

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(280 BIPARTISAN POLICY

WASHINGTON,MAY 3-(AP)-AN INFORMAL AGREEMENT APPEARED NEAR TODAY FOR THE STATE DEPARTMENT TO KEEP REPUBLICANS ABREAST OF INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS THROUGH GOP MEMBERS OF FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEES.

SENATOR TAFT (R-OHIO), WHO HEADS HIS PARTY'S POLICY COMMITTEE, TOLD A REPORTER HE THINKS SUCH AN ARRANGEMENT PROBABLY WILL DEVELOP OUT OF A NEW ADMINISTRATION MOVE TO STRENGTHEN THE BIPARTISAN FOREIGN POLICY.

AS A PART OF THIS PLAN, SENATOR MILLIKIN OF COLORADO, WHO HEADS THE CONFERENCE OF ALL GOP SENATORS, WAS INVITED TO TALK THINGS OVER TODAY WITH SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON.

ACHESON TALKED YESTERDAY TO SENATOR WHERRY OF NEBRASKA, THE GOP FLOOR LEADER. HE SAW TAFT MONDAY AND TALKED LAST WEEK TO SENATOR WILEY (R-WIS).

WHERRY SAID ANY COMMENT ON HIS MEETING WITH THE CABINET MEMBER MUST COME FROM ACHESON. WHERRY HAS BEEN HIGHLY CRITICAL OF MANY OF THE ADMINISTRATION'S MOVES IN THE FOREIGN FIELD.

TAFT, WHO SOMETIMES GOES ALONG WITH THE ADMINISTRATION ON FOREIGN MATTERS AND SOMETIMES DOESN'T, SAID HE AND ACHESON AGREED INFORMALLY THAT THE WAY FOR THE STATE DEPARTMENT TO KEEP REPUBLICANS CURRENTLY INFORMED WAS THROUGH THE PARTY'S MEMBERS ON THE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE.

WILEY IS ONE OF THESE, ALONG WITH SENATORS VANDENBERG OF MICHIGAN, HICKENLOOPER OF IOWA, LODGE OF MASSACHUSETTS AND SMITH OF NEW JERSEY.

WHEN THE COMMITTEE MEMBERS GET INFORMATION FROM THE DEPARTMENT, TAFT SAID THEY CAN PASS IT ALONG TO OTHER REPUBLICANS. WHERRY, AMONG OTHERS, HAS SAID THAT IF THE DEPARTMENT WANTS SUPPORT FOR THE BIPARTISAN POLICY IT OUGHT TO GET THE OPINIONS OF A CROSS-SECTION OF GOP MEMBERS, AS WELL AS THOSE EXPECTED TO SUPPORT ITS PROPOSALS.

TAFT SAID HE AND ACHESON DISCUSSED NO SPECIFIC POLICIES AT THEIR BRIEF MEETING. HE SAID THE SECRETARY PROMISED HIM, AND ALL OTHER REPUBLICANS, FULL COOPERATION FROM THE DEPARTMENT IN GETTING INFORMATION THEY WANT.

"I LOOKED UPON IT AS A SORT OF FRIENDSHIP MOVEMENT ON THE PART OF ACHESON AND THE ADMINISTRATION," TAFT SAID.

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WASHINGTON, MAY 3-(AP)-WARREN AUSTIN SAID AFTER A CONFERENCE WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY, "I WOULD STRONGLY OPPOSE ANY EFFORT TO EXCLUDE THE SOVIET UNION FROM THE UNITED NATIONS."

AUSTIN, THE UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE TO THE UNITED NATIONS, THUS TOOK SHARP ISSUE WITH A PROPOSAL BY FORMER PRESIDENT HERBERT HOOVER THAT THE U.N. BE REORGANIZED TO EXCLUDE SOVIET RUSSIA AND HER SATELLITES.

AUSTIN DECLARED THAT NO ACTION BY THE UNITED STATES "SHOULD EVER ASSIST THE SOVIET UNION TO ESCAPE FROM THE PRINCIPLES FOR PEACEFUL COOPERATION" CONTAINED IN THE UNITED NATIONS CHARTER.

"I DO NOT FEAR THE FACT THAT THE RUSSIANS USE THE UNITED NATIONS AS A PROPAGANDA SOUNDING BOARD," HE ASSERTED. "I AM CONFIDENT OF THE JUDGMENT THAT THE PEOPLES OF THE WORLD WILL RENDER WHEN THEY LISTEN TO THE VOICES OF SOVIET PUPPETS IN THE SAME FORUM WITH THE SPOKESMEN OF THE FREE NATIONS."

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HE SAID FIRST-HAND CONTACT WITH SOVIET TACTICS "HELPS THE FREE NATIONS TO APPRECIATE THEIR COMMON STAKE IN A FREE WORLD" AND STIMULATES THEM "TO WORK TOGETHER DESPITE THEIR DIFFERENCES."
HE ADDED IN A STATEMENT TO WHITE HOUSE REPORTERS:
"WE MUST NEVER CLOSE THE DOOR TO THE NEGOTIATION OF OURSTANDING DIFFERENCES; AND IN THAT REGARD THE UNITED NATIONS IS A HOUSE OF A THOUSAND DOORS."
AUSTIN DID NOT SAY WHETHER HE HAD DISCUSSED HIS STATEMENT WITH MR. TRUMAN.
HE MADE IT CLEAR THAT HE HAD NO QUARREL WITH MR. HOOVER AND THAT HE DID NOT INTEND TO CRITICIZE WHAT MR. HOOVER HAD TO SAY.
AS A MATTER OF FACT, AUSTIN SAID HE THOUGHT MR. HOOVER'S SPEECH LAST WEEK IN NEW YORK DID THE UNITED NATIONS A GREAT SERVICE BY AWAKENING CURIOSITY AND INTEREST IN WHAT IT HAS BEEN DOING.
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PITTSBURGH,MAY 3-(AP)-LITHGOW OSBORNE, FORMER AMERICAN AMBASSADOR TO NORWAY, SAID TONIGHT "ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS MUST GET CLOSER TOGETHER" IF AMERICA IS TO SURVIVE THE COLD WAR.
SPEAKING TO A JOINT MEETING OF PITTSBURGH'S ATLANTIC UNION COMMITTEE AND THE PITTSBURGH FOREIGN POLICY ASSOCIATION, OSBORNE ADDED:
"SUCH A UNION WOULD EXERT A TREMENDOUS PULL ON THE OTHER DEMOCRACIES OF THE WORLD.
"WE ATLANTIC UNIONISTS BELIEVE THAT IT IS TIME FOR THE UNITED STATES AND OUR SISTER DEMOCRACIES TO AGREE TO MODIFY NATIONAL SOVERIGNITY IN LIMITED BUT STILL IMPORTANT RESPECTS.
"SUCH AN IDEA IS REPUGNANT TO MANY. VERY POSSIBLY A MAJORITY OF OUR FELLOW CITIZENS DO NOT YET AGREE WITH US. UNTIL THEY DO, ATLANTIC UNION HAS LITTLE PROSPECT OF SUCCESS."
AN ATLANTIC UNION RESOLUTION NOW BEFORE THE SENATE'S FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE ASKS THAT PRESIDENT TRUMAN INVITE DELEGATES FROM ATLANTIC PACT TREATY NATIONS TO A CONFERENCE TO DISCUSS FORMATION OF A UNION OF DEMOCRATIC NATIONS.
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(NY)-BOSTON, MAY 3-(AP)-PAUL G.HOFFMAN SAID TODAY "THE MARSHALL PLAN HAS NOT COST THE TAXPAYERS A NICKEL -- BUT ACTUALLY SAVED THEM MONEY."
THE ECA ADMINISTRATOR OF THE EUROPEAN RECOVERY PROGRAM TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE:
"WITHOUT THE MARSHALL PLAN WE MIGHT HAVE HAD A SPREAD OF COMMUNISM THROUGHOUT EUROPE WITH THE ACCOMPANYING SITUATION OF A CONGRESS VOTING FRANTICALLY BILLIONS OF DOLLARS FOR DEFENSE.
"THE COST OF SUCH A DEFENSE PROGRAM WOULD HAVE BEEN GREATER BY SIX OR SEVEN BILLION DOLLARS A YEAR THAN THE COST OF THE MARSHALL PLAN."
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NIGHT LEAD DRAPER-ADLER (300)
BY GEORGE MILLER
(NY)-HARTFORD, CONN., MAY 3-(AP)-AN OFFER BY DANCER PAUL DRAPER TO PERFORM AT A RECENT BENEFIT SHOW WAS TURNED DOWN BECAUSE THE SPONSORS FEARED HIS APPEARANCE WOULD CAUSE CRITICISM, IT WAS TESTIFIED TODAY.
ALAN CORELLI, NATIONAL EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OF THE THEATER AUTHORITY, INC., MADE THE STATEMENT AT THE TRIAL OF A $200,000 LIBEL SUIT BY DRAPER AND HARMONICA PLAYER LARRY ADLER AGAINST MRS.HESTER MCCULLOUGH.
THE ENTERTAINERS CONTEND THE GREENWICH, CONN., HOUSEWIFE, WHO ACCUSED THEM OF BEING PRO-COMMUNIST, HAS DAMAGED THEIR PROFESSIONAL CAREERS, AND PREVENTED THEM FROM OBTAINING BOOKINGS.
CORELLI, A WITNESS FOR THE PLAINTIFFS, SAID DRAPER OFFERED TO DANCE RECENTLY AT THE UNITED JEWISH APPEAL "NIGHT OF THE STARS" SHOW AT MADISON SQUARE GARDEN IN NEW YORK CITY.
"BUT THEY WOULDN'T TAKE HIM," CORELLI SAID.
ASKED WHY, A UJA OFFICIAL SAID IT WAS FEARED HIS APPEARANCE WOULD MAKE THE ORGANIZATION "SUBJECT TO CENSURE," CORELLI TESTIFIED. HE DID NOT IDENTIFY THE UJA OFFICIAL.
CORELLI DESCRIBED THE AUTHORITY HE HEADS AS A 16-YEAR-OLD CONTROL BOARD SET UP BY THE ENTERTAINMENT INDUSTRY TO REGULATE THE APPEARANCE OF ENTERTAINERS AT BENEFIT SHOWS.
HE SAID THE ORGANIZATION CONDUCTS INQUIRIES TO DETERMINE WHETHER GROUPS PLANNING BENEFITS ARE COMMUNIST OR COMMUNIST FRONTS.
THE WITNESS, A FORMER AMERICAN LEGION COMMANDER, DESCRIBED ADLER AND DRAPER AS "FINE ENTERTAINERS" AND "LOYAL CITIZENS."
"THEY BOTH HAD GONE OVERSEAS TO ENTERTAIN SOLDIERS," HE TOLD A FEDERAL COURT JURY.
CORELLI SAID HE "HAD NO RESPECT" FOR THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE, WHICH LISTED AS SUBVERSIVE SOME ORGANIZATIONS WHICH MRS.MCCULLOUGH ACCUSED ADLER AND DRAPER OF "OPENLY SUPPORTING."
"THE SAME COMMITTEE CALLED SHIRLEY TEMPLE A COMMUNIST," CORELLI SAID. "THE KID WAS ONLY 12 YEARS OLD AT THE TIME; SHE WAS A BABY; SHE WAS NO MORE COMMUNIST THAN I."
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SAN FRANCISCO,MAY 2-(AP)-COMMUNIST CHINA TODAY ANNOUNCED A DEAL TO BUY COAL FROM THE HUGE BRITISH-CHINESE KAILAN MINES OF NORTH CHINA.
A PEIPING BROADCAST HEARD HERE SAID AN AGREEMENT WAS SIGNED APRIL 21 UNDER WHICH THE STATE-OWNED COAL AND BUILDING MATERIALS CO. WILL HANDLE ALL KAILAN COAL SOLD IN CHINA.
THE KAILAN MINING ADMINISTRATION, RUN BY BRITISH AND CHINESE, WILL HANDLE ALL COAL EXPORTS. THE STATE-OWNED COMPANY ALREADY HAS CEASED EXPORTING KAILAN COAL, THE BROADCAST SAID.
SO FAR AS IS KNOWN, THE COMMUNISTS HAVE NOT DISTURBED THE JOINT KAILAN OWNERSHIP SETUP OF BRITISH AND PRIVATE CHINESE CAPITALISTS.
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SAN FRANCISCO, MAY 3-(AP)-THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS SAID TODAY AN "INTERNATIONAL AIR BRIGADE IS BEING ORGANIZED UNDER AMERICAN LEADERSHIP" TO FIGHT FOR THE HARD-PRESSED CHINESE NATIONALISTS.

A BROADCAST BY THE PEIPING RADIO, HEARD HERE BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS, CHARGED "COMPLICITY OF THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT IN THIS NEW PLOT." IT ADDED "THIS BRIGADE IS BEING FORMED IN CLOSE CONNECTION WITH OTHER IMPERIALIST COUNTRIES AS WELL AS AMERICA."

THE RED RADIO SAID AN ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING WAS HELD IN ST. LOUIS APRIL 29 UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF N. CASTLE, A FORMER U. S. AIR FORCE CAPTAIN.

IN ST. LOUIS, NIAL K. CASTLE SAID HE HEADS A GROUP FORMED AS A NUCLEUS OF A "FIRST INTERNATIONAL AIR BRIGADE." ITS ANNOUNCED PURPOSE IS TO FIGHT FOR THE NATIONALISTS. SO FAR, IT HAS ONLY OPENED AN OFFICE.

CASTLE SAID THE GROUP HAS THE PROMISE OF "UNLIMITED FINANCING" FROM OUTSIDE THE U. S. AND MAKES NO CLEAIM OF OFFICIAL U. S. BACKING. HE SAID HE IS WAITING FOR THE REACTION OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT TO UNOFFICIAL FEELERS ON ITS ATTITUDE TOWARD THE BRIGADE'S FORMATION.

ON FORMOSA, ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT SPENCER MOOSA SAID HE HAD CHECKED MANY RUMORS OF NATIONALIST AID FOR SUCH AN ORGANIZATION AND ALL INQUIRIES "DREW PROFESSIONS OF IGNORANCE ON THE SUBJECT." NATIONALIST SPOKESMEN HAVE SAID THEY NEED PLANES, NOT FOREIGN PILOTS. THEY HAVE INSISTED THEY HAVE PLENTY OF PILOTS TRAINED IN THE U. S. DURING THE WAR.

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MOOSA SAID, HOWEVER, RUMORS CIRCULATED THAT "SOME PRETTY PROMINENT CHINESE NATIONALISTS NOW LIVING ABROAD" ARE BEGINNING TO PUT SOME OF THEIR WEALTH BEHIND CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S CAUSE.

MOOSA ADDED THAT IF THIS MONEY WERE USED TO BUY LATE MODEL WARPLANES THE NATIONALISTS COULD USE VOLUNTEER FOREIGN PILOTS BECAUSE NATIONALIST AIRMEN ARE NOT FAMILIAR WITH NEW TYPES OF AIRCRAFT. THE NATIONALISTS ARE USING WORLD WAR II PLANES.

THE PEIPING RADIO SAID THE INTERNATIONAL BRIGADE WOULD BE MADE UP OF "AMERICAN, BRITISH AND CANADIAN DESPERADOS WITH WARTIME AMERICAN AIR FORCE FLIERS IN THE MAJORITY."

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LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 3-(AP)-ACTING SECRETARY-GENERAL BYRON PRICE AND FLEET ADM. CHESTER W. NIMITZ SAID TODAY THEY OPPOSED ANY MOVE TO REORGANIZE THE UNITED NATIONS AND EXCLUDE COMMUNIST COUNTRIES.

REFERRING INDIRECTLY TO THE PROPOSAL BY FORMER PRESIDENT HOOVER TO ORGANIZE THE U.N. AGAIN WITHOUT THE RUSSIANS, PRICE TOLD VISITING NEWSPAPER EXECUTIVES THAT SUCH A STEP WAS NOT THE ANSWER.

"THE ANSWER IS NOT TO RESTORE THE OLD BALANCE OF POWER," PRICE SAID DURING A SHORT TALK IN HIS OFFICE. "YOU WOULD HAVE THREE WORLDS IF THAT WOULD HAPPEN." HE WAS REFERRING TO THE WESTERN POWERS, THE OPPOSING SOVIET BLOC AND THE SMALL AND MIDDLE COUNTRIES WHICH WOULD BE IN THE MIDDLE.

NIMITZ, DESIGNATED AS PLEBISCITE ADMINISTRATOR FOR KASHMIR, TOLD THE EDITORS IT WOULD BE A "GREAT ERROR" TO TRY TO REORGANIZE THE U.N. AND LEAVE "OUT SOME COUNTRIES WE CAN'T GET ALONG WITH TODAY."

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B97 (220)

NEW YORK, MAY 3-(AP)-WILLIAM Z. FOSTER, NATIONAL CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY, SAYS THE JAIL PROCEEDINGS AGAINST EUGENE DENNIS, GENERAL SECRETARY OF THE PARTY "IS ONE MORE CLEAR WARNING OF THE WAR DANGER THAT IS BECOMING DAILY MORE ACUTE."

THE STATEMENT WAS MADE IN A MESSAGE READ AT A TESTIMONIAL MEETING FOR DENNIS LAST NIGHT.

SUPREME COURT JUSTICE SHERMAN MINTON YESTERDAY REFUSED TO HALT JAIL PROCEEDINGS AGAINST DENNIS, SENTENCED TO ONE YEAR FOR CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS. THE ACTION MEANT THAT THE U.S. SUPREME COURT WILL NOTIFY LOWER COURTS THERE IS NO REASON, SO FAR AS IT IS CONCERNED, WHY DENNIS SHOULD NOT START SERVING HIS TERM. A LOWER COURT, HOWEVER, COULD ISSUE A STAY.

DENNIS HAD ASKED THAT ALL PROCEEDINGS BE STAYED UNTIL THE U.S. CIRCUIT COURT HERE COULD ACT IN HIS CONVICTION WITH 10 OTHER COMMUNIST LEADERS ON CHARGES OF CONSPIRACY TO ADVOCATE THE OVERTHROW OF THE GOVERNMENT. IN THAT CASE HE WAS SENTENCED TO FIVE YEARS AND FINED $10,000.

FOSTER'S MESSAGE SAID THAT DENNIS' "OUTRAGEOUS CONVICTION ADDS ONE MORE TO THE LONG LIST OF LABOR FRAMEUPS THAT DISGRACED THE PAGES OF OUR NATIONAL HISTORY.

"BUT COMRADE DENNIS' CASE IS EVEN MORE SINISTER THAN THE MANY THAT HAVE PROCEDED IT. IT IS ONE MORE CLEAR WARNING OF THE WAR DANGER THAT IS BECOMING DAILY MORE ACUTE.

DENNIS ACTED AS HIS OWN ATTORNEY IN THE CONSPIRACY TRIAL AND WAS SENTENCED TO SIX MONTHS IN JAIL FOR CONTEMPT OF COURT IN THAT CASE. FOSTER WAS INDICTED WITH THE OTHER 11 LEADERS IN THE CONSPIRACY CASE BUT OBTAINED A SEVERANCE BECAUSE OF A HEART CONDITION.

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NEW YORK, MAY 3-(AP)-COMPTON PAKENHAM, TOKYO BUREAU CHIEF OF THE MAGAZINE NEWSWEEK, SAID TODAY JAPANESE WOMEN ARE BEING EXAMINED BY SCREENING COMMITTEES UPON THE WOMEN'S APPLICATION TO HAVE THEIR PREGNANCIES "INTERRUPTED."

HIS STORY PUBLISHED IN NEWSWEEK WAS AN ACCOUNT OF HIS VISIT TO AN EUGENIC PROTECTION INVESTIGATION COMMITTEE.

HE SAID HE ASKED SPECIFICALLY ABOUT TWO WOMEN VISITING THE COMMITTEE AND WAS TOLD BY A COMMITTEEMAN THAT EACH CASE WAS BEING INVESTIGATED.

ONE COMMITTEEMAN WAS QUOTED: "THEY'RE MOSTLY ECONOMIC REASONS. BUT ECONOMIC REASONS! EVERYBODY'S GOT ECONOMIC REASONS TODAY. NO ONE EVER HAD ECONOMIC REASONS ENOUGH TO KEEP FROM GETTING PREGNANT IN THE FIRST PLACE, EH?"

THE MAGAZINE SAID IN A PROLOGUE TO THE COVER STORY:

"ABORTION IS AS UGLY A WORD IN JAPAN AS ANYWHERE AND THE JAPANESE ARE WELL AWARE OF THE SOCIAL DYNAMITE INVOLVED IN SANCTIONING IT FOR 'ECONOMIC REASONS' AS PART OF THEIR BIRTH CONTROL PROGRAM."

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M. EST, TODAY, WEDNESDAY, MAY 3)

(ADVANCE)-NEW YORK, MAY 2-(AP)-CHESTER I.BARNARD, PRESIDENT OF THE ROCKEFELLER FOUNDATION, SAID IN HIS ANNUAL REPORT TODAY THAT THE "DEEPLY DISTURBED POLITICAL" CLIMATE OF THE WORLD HAS LIMITED THE INTERNATIONAL SCOPE OF THE FOUNDATION'S PROGRAM.

IN ADDITION, HE SAID, THE DEVELOPMENT OF AN AGE OF BILLION-DOLLAR FINANCING IN THE WEST HAS REDUCED OPERATIONS OF THE FOUNDATION TO A RELATIVELY SMALLER PROPORTION OF THE OVERALL NEED.

BARNARD SAIE "PROFOUND POLITICAL CHANGES" HAVE HALTED ~~VARIOUS~~ ALL FOUNDATION ACTIVITIES IN RED-DOMINATED COUNTRIES, INCLUDING POLAND, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, HUNGARY AND CHINA.

THE FOUNDATION, SET UP IN 1913 BY THE LATE JOHN D.ROCKEFELLER, OF THE STANDARD OIL EMPIRE, PROVIDES GRANTS TO INVIDIVUALS AND GROUPS TO ADVANCE SCIENCE, EDUCATION AND HUMAN WELFARE.

BARNARD SAID THAT BECAUSE OF PRESENT-DAY "HUGE FINANCIAL OPERATIONS," A WIDE GAP HAS GROWN UP BETWEEN WHAT PRIVATELY-ENDOWED PHILANTHROPIC ORGANIZATIONS CAN PROVIDE, AND THE "MAGNITUDE OF FUNDS" NEEDED FOR LARGE-SCALE RESEARCH AND EDUCATIONAL ENTERPRISES.

UNTIL RECENTLY, THE ROCKEFELLER FOUNDATION WAS A "PRINCIPAL SOURCE OF FUNDS" FOR ADVANCED FOREIGN STUDENT FELLOWSHIPS, BUT TODAY, BARNARD SAID, FOUNDATION APPOINTMENTS ARE HARDLY 2 PER CENT OF THE 15,070 SUCH AWARDS NOW OFFERED ANNUALLY.

GOVERNMENT AGENCIES PROVIDE 62.5 PER CENT OF THEM, HE DECLARED.

HIS REPORT SAID ROCKEFELLER FOUNDATION APPROPRIATIONS LAST YEAR AMOUNTED TO $10,276,525.

EXCEPT FOR THREE WAR YEARS, HE ADDED, THIS WAS THE FIRST TIME SINCE 1929 THAT GRANTS WERE "KEPT WITHIN INCOME". IN 1949, FOUNDATION INCOME WAS $10,984,000.

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(ADVANCE TO BE HELD FOR RELEASE EXPECTED ABOUT 9 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, WEDNESDAY, MAY 3)

(ADVANCE) NEW YORK, MAY 3-(AP)-SECRETARY OF LABOR MAURICE J. TOBIN SAID TONIGHT HAROLD E. STASSEN IS "FULL OF SOUND AND FURY" MASQUERADING AS LIBERALISM.

TOBIN WAS REPLYING TO A SPEECH LAST NIGHT IN WHICH STASSEN, PRESIDENT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA, CALLED PRESIDENT TRUMAN "THE WORST PRESIDENT EVER TO OCCUPY THE WHITE HOUSE."

"THE OBVIOUS ANSWER," TOBIN TOLD A DINNER OF THE NEW YORK COUNTY DEMOCRATIC ORGANIZATION, "IS THAT STASSEN IS WORKING SO HARD TRYING TO BE A POLITICIAN THAT THERE IS SOME QUESTION AS TO HIS BEING A COLLEGE PRESIDENT AT ALL."

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NEW YORK,MAY 3-(AP)-JOSEPH ~~C.GREW~~, FORMER U.S. AMBASSADOR TO JAPAN, SAID TODAY THAT CONDITIONS IN JAPAN "ARE WORKING IN FAVOR OF THE COMMUNIST CAUSE."

ON HIS ARRIVAL HERE BY SHIP FROM EUROPE, GREW SAID THAT JAPAN TODAY "STANDS AT THE CROSS ROADS" BETWEEN DEMOCRACY AND "THE DECEITFULLY EASY ROAD TO COMMUNISM AND TOTALITARIANISM."

GREW, ALSO FORMER UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE, SAID VARIOUS FACTORS IN JAPAN HAVE COMBINED TO "GIVE THE SUSCEPTIBLE JAPANESE YOUTH WHAT SEEMS TO HIM GOOD REASON TO TURN TO THE LEFT."

HE LISTED THESE FACTORS AS "THE INFLATION OF CURRENCY, THE SHORTAGE OF CONSUMER GOODS, THE LACK OF APPRECIABLE FOREIGN TRADE, THE HOUSING SHORTAGE, THE DESTRUCTION OF NATIONAL IDEALS AND THE DISORGANIZATION OF SOCIETY."

THERE STILL IS A CHANCE TO REVERSE THE TREND IN JAPAN, HE SAID, BECAUSE THE "AVERAGE JAPANESE STILL IS MALLEABLE." BUT HE SAID ANY PROGRESS WOULD COME LARGELY THROUGH VOLUNTARY AMERICAN EFFORTS RATHER THAN THROUGH "MILITARY OCCUPATION PRESSURE."

QUESTIONED ABOUT RECENT REVIVAL OF INTEREST IN AMERASIA CASE OF 1945, WHICH INVOLVED THE ALLEGED WARTIME STEALING OF U.S. SECRETS, GREW DECLINED TO MAKE ANY COMMENT, EXCEPT TO SAY:

"IT WAS I WHO GAVE THE ORDER FOR THE ARRESTS IN THAT CASE BECAUSE I WAS ACTING SECRETARY OF STATE AT THAT TIME."

HE SAID HE DID NOT WANT TO DISCUSS THE CASE UNTIL HE GETS BACK TO WASHINGTON, D.C.

GREW NOW IS NATIONAL CHAIRMAN OF A CAMPAIGN TO RAISE FUNDS FOR THE INTERNATIONAL CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY, IN JAPAN.

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(ADVANCE)..LAKE ~~SUCCESS~~, MAY 3-(AP)-DR.BROCK CHISHOLM, DIRECTOR-GENERAL OF THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION, (WHO), REPORTED TONIGHT THAT THE WHO HAD RENDERED AID TO 79 COUNTRIES AND TERRITORIES IN A STEPPED-UP CAMPAIGN AGAINST DISEASE IN 1949.

THIS AID WAS PRIMARILY IN THE FORM OF ADVISORY AND DEMONSTRATION PROJECTS, CHISHOLM SAID IN HIS ANNUAL REPORT.

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD COMMUNISTS (ROUNDUP)

BY ROGER D.GREENE

WASHINGTON,MAY 4-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY AGREED TO GIVE SENATE INVESTIGATORS THE COMPLETE STATE DEPARTMENT LOYALTY FILES--INCLUDING SOME FBI DATA--ON THE 81 CASES CITED BY SENATOR MCCARTHY IN HIS CHARGES OF COMMUNISM IN THE GOVERNMENT.

MR.TRUMAN'S REVERSAL OF HIS EARLIER REFUSAL TO OPEN THE FILES WAS ANNOUNCED BY CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD) OF A SENATE COMMITTEE WHICH HAS BEEN LOOKING INTO MCCARTHY'S ALLEGATIONS.

TYDINGS SAID MR.TRUMAN'S APPROVAL DOES NOT COVER [redacted] THE FBI FILES, WHICH THE PRESIDENT HAS ADAMANTLY REFUSED TO SURRENDER, BUT DECLARED:

(IN THE STATE DEPT. FILES)

"THERE WILL BE FBI MATERIAL [redacted] WHERE THERE HAS BEEN A FULL FIELD INVESTIGATION BY THE FBI."

MCCARTHY TOLD A REPORTER HE WILL "HAVE CONSIDERABLE TO SAY ABOUT THIS NEW MANEUVER" IN A CHICAGO SPEECH SATURDAY BEFORE A CONVENTION OF YOUNG REPUBLICANS. HE SAID HIS ADDRESS WILL BE BROADCAST NATIONALLY BY A RADIO NETWORK.

"IN THE MEANTIME," SAID MCCARTHY, "I'M GOING TO HOLD MY FIRE. THIS LATEST MANEUVER BY THE TYDINGS-MCMAHON COMMITTEE IS SOMETHING I WANT TO DISCUSS WITH THE AMERICAN PEOPLE SO THEY WILL GET THE FULL SIGNIFICANCE OF IT."

SENATOR MCMAHON (D-CONN) IS A MEMBER OF THE INQUIRY COMMITTEE.

TYDINGS' ANNOUNCEMENT CAPPED A DAY WHICH SAW MCCARTHY MAKE A NEW CHARGE--THAT STATE DEPARTMENT EMPLOYES HELPED A SPY RING FEED U.S. ATOMIC SECRETS TO RUSSIA IN 1945--AND A FORMER FEDERAL AGENT GAVE PARTIAL SUPPORT TO MCCARTHY'S STATEMENT.

MCCARTHY IN A LETTER TO TYDINGS SAID A FORMER WARTIME MEMBER OF THE SUPER-SECRET OFFICE OF STRATEGIC SERVICES WOULD TESTIFY THAT REPORTS WERE DISCOVERED IN THE OFFICE OF THE MAGAZINE AMERASIA SHOWING THAT INFORMATION ON THE ATOMIC BOMB HAD BEEN TRANSMITTED TO RUSSIA BEFORE THE FIRST ONE WAS DROPPED ON JAPAN.

TONIGHT THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE SAID IN A STATEMENT:

"WHEN THE FBI MADE THEIR INVESTIGATION AND THEIR SEARCH OF THE AMERASIA HEADQUARTERS THERE WAS NO INFORMATION CONTAINED IN ANY DOCUMENTS OR OTHERWISE RELATING TO THE A-BOMB."

AND IF THE OSS HAD GOTTEN ANY SUCH INFORMATION, IT WAS "NEVER MADE AVAILABLE TO THE FBI OR THE CRIMINAL DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE."

IN ANOTHER DEVELOPMENT, THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE HEARD TESTIMONY FROM TWO WITNESSES THAT WILLIAM W.REMINGTON, MUCH INVESTIGATED GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL, WAS A COMMUNIST IN THE '30S.

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REMINGTON DENIED IT.

TYDINGS DISCLOSED MR.TRUMAN'S CHANGE ON THE LOYALTY FILES QUESTION AT A LATE AFTERNOON NEWS CONFERENCE.

IN MARCH, MR.TRUMAN HAD BALKED AT TURNING OVER FILES TO THE TYDINGS COMMITTEE ON THE GROUND THAT IT WOULD HARM THE FBI'S OPERATIONS, WRECK THE FEDERAL LOYALTY PROGRAM AND "SMEAR" INNOCENT PERSONS.

TYDINGS SAID THE PRESIDENT HAS NOW CONSENTED TO LET THE COMMITTEE EXAMINE THE STATE DEPARTMENT LOYALTY RECORDS AFTER BEING ADVISED THAT THOSE FILES HAVE ALREADY BEEN SCRUTINIZED BY FOUR OTHER CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEES SEVERAL YEARS AGO.

THE MARYLAND SENATOR SAID HE SHOWED MR.TRUMAN THAT THE 81 PERSONS MCCARTHY HAS NAMED AS COMMUNISTS OR FELLOW TRAVELERS "WERE THE IDENTICAL PERSONS NAMED IN THE 81 CASES INVESTIGATED BY THE (OTHER FOUR) CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE."

HE SAID THAT ON THE BASIS OF THE EARLIER INVESTIGATIONS, "NO ADVERSE REPORT CONCERNING THESE EMPLOYES CAME TO THE FLOOR OF THE HOUSE OR THE FLOOR OF THE SENATE AND NONE WAS SENT TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT."

TYDINGS SAID WHEN MR.TRUMAN WAS INFORMED OF THESE FACTS, THE PRESIDENT AUTHORIZED HIM "TO NOTIFY MY COMMITTEE AND THE COUNTRY" THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S LOYALTY FILES WOULD BE AVAILABLE TO THE COMMITTEE.

IN A SENATE SPEECH ON FEB. 20, MCCARTHY SAID THAT HIS LIST OF 81 SUSPECTS INCLUDED AN UNIDENTIFIED "WHITE HOUSE SPEECH WRITER" AND WHAT HE CALLED "THE BIG THREE" OF ALLEGED U.S. SUBVERSIVES WORKING IN AND WITH THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

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ON MARCH 24, THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT DISCLOSED THAT MEMBERS OF THE TYDINGS COMMITTEE HAD BEEN ALLOWED TO INSPECT SUMMARIES--BUT NOT THE ACTUAL FILES--OF FBI REPORTS ON SOME OF THE CASES MENTIONED BY MCCARTHY.

FBI CHIEF J.EDGAR HOOVER SAID IT INCLUDED A COMPLETE ANALYSIS OF THE FBI FILE ON "ONE PRINCIPAL CASE."

HOWEVER, TYDINGS SAID TODAY HE DOES NOT BELIEVE THE FILES NOW TO BE RELEASED TO THE SENATORS COVER MCCARTHY'S "STAND OR FALL" TEST CASE OF OWEN LATTIMORE, THE JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY PROFESSOR WHOM MCCARTHY ACCUSES OF BEING THE ARCH SOVIET SPY IN THIS COUNTRY. LATTIMORE HAS DENIED IT AND CALLED MCCARTHY A LIAR.

"I DON'T THINK THERE IS A FILE ON MR.LATTIMORE BECAUSE HE HAS NEVER BEEN AN EMPLOYE OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT," TYDINGS SAID.

TYDINGS TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE HE "GOT THE GO-AHEAD" ON THE LOYALTY FILES FROM MR.TRUMAN YESTERDAY AFTER A SERIES OF EIGHT OR 10 PERSONAL CONFERENCES AND TELEPHONE CONVERSATIONS WITH THE PRESIDENT.

SENATOR WHERRY OF NEBRASKA, THE GOP FLOOR LEADER, SAID IN A STATEMENT THAT PRESIDENT TRUMAN WAS AFRAID TO FACE THE PEOPLE ON HIS FORTHCOMING WESTERN TOUR WITHOUT PERMITTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE TO GO INTO THE LOYALTY FILES.

"PUBLIC OPINION IS BEGINNING TO BLOW THE LID OFF THE SCANDALS OF THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION," WHERRY DECLARED. THE TRUTH WILL OUT AND EVEN THE PRESIDENT CANNOT KEEP IT CRUSHED TO EARTH."

WHERRY SAID THE PRESIDENT OUGHT TO DIRECT THE FBI TO OPEN ITS RECORDS TO EXAMINATION BY THE COMMITTEE.

THE NEBRASKA SENATOR COMPLAINED THAT A SENATE APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE OF WHICH HE IS A MEMBER HAD BEEN DENIED THE FILES OF STATE DEPARTMENT AND OTHER AGENCY EMPLOYES "ALLEGED IN POLICE RECORDS TO BE MORAL PERVERTS."

MCCARTHY'S NEWEST CHARGE THAT STATE DEPARTMENT AIDES HELPED FUNNEL A-BOMB SECRETS TO MOSCOW DREW SOME BACKING FROM FRANK BIELASKI, A WARTIME OSS OFFICER.

"THERE IS SOMETHING TO IT," THE FORMER G-MAN SAID.

BUT BIELASKI TOLD REPORTERS HE COULD NOT AGREE WITH MCCARTHY'S STATEMENT WITHOUT SOME QUALIFICATION.

MCCARTHY EARLIER HAD PREDICTED BIELASKI WOULD TESTIFY THAT STATE DEPARTMENT EMPLOYES TOOK PART IN "COLLECTING AND TRANSMITTING" ATOMIC SECRETS TO RUSSIA THROUGH THE MAGAZINE AMERASIA.

EMERGING FROM FOUR HOURS OF TESTIMONY BEFORE THE TYDINGS INQUIRY COMMITTEE, WHICH MET BEHIND CLOSED DOORS, BIELASKI COMMENTED FIRST THAT MCCARTHY'S STATEMENT WAS AN "ENLARGEMENT."

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THEN, IN CAREFULLY CHOSEN WORDS, HE CONTINUED:

"WITHOUT REGARD TO MCCARTHY OR THE EVIDENCE I'VE GIVEN THE COMMITTEE, OF MY OWN KNOWLEDGE THERE'S SOMETHING TO IT."

BIELASKI MENTIONED "TRANSMITTING" AS ONE WORD HE WOULD HAVE TO "QUALIFY."

THE WITNESS SAID, HOWEVER, THAT THE EVIDENCE IN THE CASE "CLOSELY SHOWS A WHOLESALE, WELL-ESTABLISHED THEFT OF GOVERNMENT SECRETS."

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"THE EVIDENCE IS SERIOUS, VERY SERIOUS," HE SAID.

BIELASKI MADE IT CLEAR HE HAD BEEN WARNED BY THE SENATE INQUIRY COMMITTEE AGAINST DISCLOSING ANY OF THE EVIDENCE HE PRESENTED.

HE SAID HE DIDN'T KNOW MCCARTHY AND HAD BEEN CALLED BEFORE THE COMMITTEE BY SUBPOENA. HE IS NOW PRESIDENT OF THE RESEARCH AND SECURITY CORP., NEW YORK, A FIRM SPECIALIZING IN INVESTIGATIONS AND PUBLIC RELATIONS.

DURING THE WAR, BIELASKI SERVED AS AN AGENT IN THE CLOAK-AND-DAGGER AGENCY KNOWN AS THE OFFICE OF STRATEGIC SERVICES (OSS).

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AS BIELASKI CONCLUDED HIS TESTIMONY FOR THE DAY, MCCARTHY ASKED THE SENATE COMMITTEE TO CALL GEN.WILLIAM J. (WILD BILL) DONOVAN, FORMER OSS CHIEF, AND ARCHBOLD VAN BEUREN, WHO ALSO SERVED IN THE OSS, TO TESTIFY.

MCCARTHY SAID A-BOMB DATA WAS PIPED TO MOSCOW AS EARLY AS SIX MONTHS BEFORE THE FIRST ATOMIC BOMB WAS DROPPED ON JAPAN.

HE SAID THE ALLEGED SPY RING WAS DIRECTED BY "THE PEOPLE WHO OPERATED AMERASIA"--THE NOW DEFUNCT MAGAZINE WHICH FIGURED IN A 1946 CONGRESSIONAL INVESTIGATION.

MOREOVER, HE SAID, OTHER WITNESSES WILL BE FORTHCOMING TO SHOW OWEN LATTIMORE'S "CLOSE CONNECTIONS WITH AMERASIA."

LATTIMORE, A ONETIME STATE DEPARTMENT ADVISER, HAS SWORN UNDER OATH THAT HE HAD NO CONNECTION WITH THE AMERASIA CASE AND HAS USED THE WORD "INSANE" TO DESCRIBE MCCARTHY'S CHARGE THAT HE IS THE NO. 1 SOVIET SPY IN THE UNITED STATES.

EVEN AS MCCARTHY MADE THESE DISCLOSURES TO A NEWS CONFERENCE, BIELASKI WAS TESTIFYING AT A CLOSED-DOOR SESSION OF A SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE WHICH HAS BEEN INVESTIGATING MCCARTHY'S CHARGES OF COMMUNISM IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD), INFORMED OF MCCARTHY'S STATEMENT, AT FIRST REFUSED TO COMMENT BUT LATER ISSUED A STATEMENT WHICH SAID:

"NO ONE EXCEPT COMMITTEE MEMBERS ARE IN A POSITION TO KNOW WHAT HAS BEEN TOLD IN CLOSED SESSION. THEREFORE ANY STATEMENT ABOUT WHAT WAS SAID, OR NOT SAID, IN A CLOSED SESSION MUST BE BASED ON SURMISE RATHER THAN ACCURACY.

"IT IS HURTING OUR INVESTIGATION TO HAVE SURMISES BROADCAST WHILE WE ARE RUNNING DOWN ALL LEADS IN ALL MATTERS."

MCCARTHY, WISCONSIN REPUBLICAN, HAD PROTESTED EARLIER AGAINST THE COMMITTEE'S DECISION TO HEAR BIELASKI BEHIND CLOSED DOORS INSTEAD OF AT AN OPEN, PUBLIC HEARING.

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THE WISCONSIN SENATOR GAVE NEWSMEN A COPY OF A LETTER TO TYDINGS IN WHICH MCCARTHY SAID HE FELT COMPELLED "TO GIVE THE SENATE AND THE AMERICAN PEOPLE A BRIEF RESUME OF THE HIGHLIGHTS OF WHAT TODAY'S TESTIMONY" BY BIELASKI WOULD BE.

"THE AMERICAN PEOPLE HAVE WAITED TOO LONG TO HEAR THE EVIDENCE IN THE AMERASIA CASE," MCCARTHY SAID IN THE LETTER.

HE SAID BIELASKI CONDUCTED THE FIRST NIGHT RAID ON AMERASIA MAGAZINE HEADQUARTERS IN JUNE, 1945--THREE MONTHS BEFORE THE FBI STEPPED INTO THE CASE--AND FOUND A VAST NUMBER OF "TOP SECRET" DOCUMENTS ALLEGEDLY STOLEN FROM THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

SIX PERSONS WERE ARRESTED IN THE AMERASIA CASE, BUT ONLY THREE WERE INDICTED BY A FEDERAL GRAND JURY. THE CHARGE WAS CONSPIRACY TO ILLEGALLY REMOVE GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS. THE GOVERNMENT LATER DROPPED THE CHARGE AGAINST ONE OF THE THREE INDICTED.

PHILIP JAFFE, EDITOR OF AMERASIA, PLEADED GUILTY AND WAS FINED $2,500. ANOTHER DEFENDANT, EMMANUEL SIGURD LARSEN, A STATE DEPARTMENT EMPLOYE, PLEADED NO DEFENSE AND WAS FINED $500.

IN HIS LETTER TO TYDINGS, MCCARTHY DECLARED THAT BIELASKI WOULD TESTIFY AS FOLLOWS:

"1. THAT REPORTS WERE DISCOVERED IN THE AMERASIA OFFICE WHICH SHOWED THAT SIX MONTHS BEFORE THE ATOMIC BOMB WAS DROPPED ON HIROSHIMA THE PEOPLE WHO OPERATED AMERASIA, WITH THE ASSISTANCE OF STATE DEPARTMENT PERSONNEL, WERE COLLECTING AND TRANSMITTING TO SOVIET RUSSIA THE SECRETS OF THE ATOMIC BOMB.

"2. THAT TOP SECRET STATE DEPARTMENT REPORTS WERE FOUND IN THE AMERASIA OFFICE.

"3. THAT AN EXTREMELY SECRET REPORT MARKED "FOR DELIVERY BY OFFICER-MESSENGER ONLY TO DIRECTOR OF NAVAL INTELLIGENCE" WAS FOUND IN THE AMERASIA OFFICE.

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"4. THAT REPORTS WERE FOUND IN THE AMERASIA OFFICE SHOWING THAT THE INTERLOCKING DIRECTORS OF AMERASIA AND THE INSTITUTE OF PACIFIC RELATIONS WERE UNDERMINING THE CHINESE NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT AND WERE COLLECTING MINUTE DETAILS OF THE ANTI-COMMUNIST ARMIES.

"5. THAT REPORTS WERE FOUND IN THE AMERASIA OFFICE WHICH DEALT WITH THE INTIMATE FAMILY RELATIONSHIPS OF THE FAMILY OF GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK.

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"6. THAT THE IMMENSITY OF THIS ESPIONAGE OPERATION WAS SO GREAT AND THE NUMBER OF STOLEN SECRET DOCUMENTS SO LARGE THAT MR.BIELASKI TOOK AWAY FIFTEEN COPIES WHICH WERE NEVER EVEN MISSED BY AMERASIA PERSONNEL BEFORE THE F.B.I. CAME BACK TO CONDUCT THE RAID THREE MONTHS LATER.

"7. THAT MR.BIELASKI HAD DIFFICULTY GAINING ENTRANCE TO THE AMERASIA OFFICE BECAUSE CREWS WERE WORKING ALL NIGHT IN ITS HUGE PHOTO LAB PHOTOGRAPHING SECRET GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS.

"8. THAT THE SCOPE OF THIS OPERATION WAS SUCH THAT WHEN THE F.B.I. AGENTS RAIDED THE OFFICE THREE MONTHS LATER, THE DOCUMENTS SEEN THERE BY MR.BIELASKI WERE NO LONGER THERE, THEY HAVING BEEN COPIED, REMOVED, AND REPLACED BY OTHERS.

A SENATOR IN A POSITION TO KNOW WHAT HAPPENED TOLD NEWSMEN THAT DURING ITS FORENOON SESSION, THE INQUIRY COMMITTEE DID NOT REACH ANY SUCH TESTIMONY AS MCCARTHY HAD PREDICTED WOULD BE FORTHCOMING.

HOWEVER, BIELASKI WAS RECALLED FOR ANOTHER SESSION THIS AFTERNOON. AS HE STARTED INTO THE HEARING ROOM, REPORTERS SHOWED BIELASKI A COPY OF MCCARTHY'S STATEMENT ABOUT THE TRANSMISSION OF ATOMIC SECRETS TO MOSCOW.

"I CAN'T STATE THAT," BIELASKI SAID. "THAT WORD 'TRANSMITTING'--THERE ARE SOME WORDS THERE WHICH I WOULD HAVE TO QUALIFY."

BEFORE HE COULD SAY ANYTHING MORE, COMMITTEE MEMBERS HUSTLED BIELASKI INTO THE ROOM AND CLOSED THE DOORS.

ANOTHER CLOSELY INFORMED SENATOR SAID BIELASKI TOLD THE COMMITTEE THAT 400 CONFIDENTIAL GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS--MANY OF THEM MARKED "TOP SECRET"--WERE FOUND IN AMERASIA'S OFFICES IN A RAID BY FEDERAL OPERATIVES.

SENATOR LODGE (R-MASS) WON THE RIGHT TO HAVE ROBERT MORRIS, REPUBLICAN-RECOMMENDED COMMITTEE COUNSEL, CROSS-EXAMINE BIELASKI AT THE AFTERNOON SESSION.

LODGE UNDERLINED HIS DEMAND WITH A THREAT TO WALK OUT ON THE INVESTIGATION UNLESS HIS REQUEST WAS GRANTED. CHAIRMAN TYDINGS HAD PREVIOUSLY REFUSED TO LET MORRIS QUESTION WITNESSES.

IN OTHER DEVELOPMENTS:

1. PRESIDENT TRUMAN TOOK ANOTHER CRACK AT SENATOR MCCARTHY AT HIS

NEWS CONFERENCE, WHEN ASKED TO COMMENT ON THE WISCONSIN SENATOR'S RECENT ATTACK ON FORMER SECRETARY OF STATE MARSHALL.
MCCARTHY HAD SAID THAT MARSHALL, WHILE A GREAT SOLDIER, WAS "UNFITTED" TO BE SECRETARY OF STATE.
MR.TRUMAN REPLIED CRISPLY THAT ANYTHING MCCARTHY SAYS IS NOT WORTH COMMENTING ON.
2. SENATE MAJORITY LEADER LUCAS (D-ILL) TOLD NEWSMEN "WE'VE JUST STARTED THE FIGHT" IN WHAT APPEARED TO BE A CONCERTED DEMOCRATIC ATTACK ON MCCARTHY'S ALLEGATIONS.
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A37WX (BJT)
(600) AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD REMINGTON
WASHINGTON, MAY 4-(AP)-A HOUSE COMMITTEE PRODUCED TESTIMONY FROM TWO WITNESSES TODAY THAT WILLIAM W. REMINGTON, MUCH INVESTIGATED GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL, WAS A COMMUNIST IN THE '30'S.
REMINGTON DENIED IT.
THE 32-YEAR-OLD COMMERCE DEPARTMENT ECONOMIST WAS CONFRONTED WITH THE TESTIMONY OF THE TWO MEN, ONE AN AVOWED FORMER COMMUNIST ORGANIZER, AT A HEARING OF THE HOUSE UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE.
REMINGTON WAS INFORMED THAT THEIR ACCUSATIONS, WHICH WERE READ TO HIM, HAD BEEN RECEIVED BY THE COMMITTEE AT A SECRET HEARING TWO WEEKS AGO.
WAS IT TRUE, AS THOSE WITNESSES SAID, THAT HE HAD BEEN A COMMUNIST IN 1936 AND 1937 WHEN HE WORKED AS A MESSENGER FOR THE TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY AT KNOXVILLE?
"NO, SIR," REMINGTON TOLD FRANK C. TAVENNER, JR., THE COMMITTEE COUNSEL.
ONCE AGAIN, HE TOLD THE COMMITTEE THAT HE IS NOT AND NEVER HAS BEEN A COMMUNIST.
WHEN HE MADE THAT STATEMENT AT THE OUTSET OF HIS TESTIMONY TODAY, HE EMPHASIZED HIS WORDS BY ADDING:
"AND WHEN I SAY 'NEVER', I MEAN NEVER, WHETHER AT THE AGE OF 3, 18 OR 32, WHICH I AM TODAY."
REMINGTON WAS ABOUT 18 WHEN HE WORKED AT THE MESSENGER JOB FOR TVA.
ON APRIL 20, TAVENNER TOLD HIM, THE COMMITTEE QUESTIONED A KENNETH MCCONNELL ABOUT THAT PERIOD IN REMINGTON'S LIFE. TAVENNER SAID MCCONNELL DESCRIBED HIMSELF AS A COMMUNIST ORGANIZER, BACK IN 1937, AND A MAN WHO KNEW REMINGTON.
READING PART OF THE TRANSCRIPT OF MCCONNELL'S TESTIMONY, TAVENNER BROUGHT OUT THAT MCCONNELL HAD BEEN ASKED IF HE KNEW REMINGTON TO BE A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY. TAVENNER SAID MCCONNELL REPLIED: "I DID."
TAVENNER QUOTED FROM TESTIMONY BY ANOTHER WITNESS, HOWARD ALLEN BRIDGMAN, WHO WAS IDENTIFIED AS A FELLOW-MESSENGER WHEN REMINGTON WORKED FOR TVA. THE GIST OF BRIDGMAN'S TESTIMONY WAS THAT HE ALSO KNEW REMINGTON AS A RED, HAD ATTENDED FIVE OR SIX COMMUNIST PARTY BRANCH MEETINGS IN HIS COMPANY, AND THAT REMINGTON TOOK AN ACTIVE PART IN THEM.
TAVENNER INQUIRED AGAIN IF REMINGTON HAD BEEN AFFILIATED WITH THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN ANY WAY, FROM SEPTEMBER, 1936 UNTIL JULY OR AUGUST OF 1937.
"I WAS NOT," REMINGTON REPLIED CALMLY.
AFTER TAVENNER FINISHED READING THE TESTIMONY BY MCCONNELL, HE OBSERVED THAT REMINGTON'S TESTIMONY APPEARED TO BE IN CONFLICT WITH IT. HE POINTED OUT THE SERIOUSNESS OF TESTIFYING UNDER OATH.
EARLIER IN THE DAY, REMINGTON HAS ADMITTED HAVING BECOME ACQUAINTED WITH SOME COMMUNISTS AT THE HOME OF HIS MOTHER-IN-LAW, WHOM HE DID NOT NAME. BUT HE SAID, AND REPEATED, THAT ANYBODY WHO SAYS HE IS OR HAS BEEN A COMMUNIST EITHER IS IGNORANT OF THE FACTS, OR IS "ENGAGED IN A DELIBERATE FALSEHOOD."

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COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN WOOD (D-GA) HAD ANNOUNCED IN ADVANCE THAT THE NEW REMINGTON INVESTIGATION WAS BASED ON EVIDENCE FROM "A HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE." HOURS PASSED BEFORE IT WAS PUBLICLY ANNOUNCED WHO THE PREVIOUS WITNESSES HAD BEEN.
REMINGTON WAS SUSPENDED TWO YEARS AGO FROM HIS $9,870 A YEAR JOB, BUT WAS REINSTATED AS AN ECONOMIST IN THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT ON ANOTHER ASSIGNMENT AFTER THE GOVERNMENT'S LOYALTY REVIEW BOARD HAD CLEARED HIM.
SECRETARY OF COMMERCE SAWYER SAID IN A STATEMENT TONIGHT THAT "IF NEW EVIDENCE OF THE CHARACTER INDICATED HAS BEEN DISCOVERED "HE WILL DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT LOYALTY BOARD TO RE-EXAMINE THE REMINGTON CASE.
HIS SUSPENSION GREW OUT OF TESTIMONY GIVEN TO A SENATE INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE BY ELIZABETH BENTLEY, WHO TESTIFIED SHE ONCE HAD BEEN A COURIER FOR A COMMUNIST SPY RING. SHE SAID REMINGTON HAD PASSED GOVERNMENT INFORMATION TO HER. REMINGTON SAID HE HAD, BUT THAT THE INFORMATION WAS NOT SECRET AND THAT HE THOUGHT MISS BENTLEY WAS A REPORTER AND WAS ENTITLED TO IT.
HE SUED WHEN SHE REPEATED HER CHARGES LATER ON A TELEVISION PROGRAM, NAMING HER, THE PROGRAM'S PRODUCERS AND THE SPONSORS AS DEFENDANTS. THE SUIT WAS SETTLED OUT OF COURT, REPORTEDLY FOR $10,000.
REMINGTON SAID HE HAD HOPED HIS LOYALTY WOULD NEVER BE CHALLENGED AGAIN AFTER THE LOYALTY REVIEW BOARD HAD CLEARED HIM AND THE LIBEL SUIT HAD BEEN SETTLED FOR "A SUBSTANTIAL SUM."
THE WITNESS TOLD THE COMMITTEE HE COULD NOT HELP BUT FEEL IT UNJUST TO CALL HIM AGAIN.
"THE RIGHT TO BE FREE FROM CONTINUED EMBARRASSMENT IS FUNDAMENTAL UNDER OUR LAWS," HE SAID. "IN MY CASE IT IS NOT MERELY DOUBLE JEOPARD; IT IS TRIPLE JEOPARDY."
HIS TESTIMONY, FOR THE MOST PART, WAS OLD AND FAMILIAR MATERIAL TO REPORTERS WHO COVERED HIS 1948 APPEARANCE BEFORE THE SENATE COMMITTEE.
ONCE AGAIN, HE SAID THAT THE MOTHER OF A GIRL HE MARRIED IN 1939 ENTERTAINED COMMUNISTS IN HER HOME, AND THAT HE MET SOME COMMUNISTS WHILE THEY WERE IN HIS MOTHER-IN-LAW'S HOUSE.
ONE OF THEM, HE SAID TODAY, WAS JOSEPH NORTH, EDITOR OF "NEW MASSES." THROUGH HIM, HE SAID, HE LATER MET JACOB GOLOS, WHO IN TURN INTRODUCED HIM TO ELIZABETH BENTLEY.
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A68 (190)
LONDON, MAY 4-(AP)-THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT TODAY WAS INVESTIGATING THE REPORTED SEIZURE BY RUSSIANS OF THE FISHING TRAWLER ETRURIA IN NORTHERN WATERS NEAR THE SCANDINAVIAN PENINSULA. A RUSSIAN EMBASSY SPOKESMAN HERE SAID HE HAD HEARD NOTHING ABOUT IT.
THE STANDARD STEAM FISHING COMPANY, OWNER OF THE 373-TON VESSEL, SAID YESTERDAY THE SHIP WAS BOARDED BY RUSSIANS IN THE WHITE SEA. THE OWNER SAID THE SHIP AND ITS CREW OF 24 WERE TAKEN TO MURMANSK, NORTH RUSSIAN PORT.
THE BRITISH ADMIRALTY SAID A BRITISH MINE SWEEPER ON FISHERY

PROTECTION DUTY IN NORTH NORWEGIAN WATERS IS STANDING BY IN CASE OF NEED.

THE ETRURIA WAS SAID TO HAVE BEEN PICKED UP ONCE BEFORE -- LAST DECEMBER -- BY A NORWEGIAN GUNBOAT FOR FISHING INSIDE NORWEGIAN WATERS. THE SKIPPER, JAMES CHAPMAN, WAS FINED 2,000 POUNDS ($5,600).

THE RUSSIANS CLAIM THEIR TERRITORIAL WATERS EXTEND 12 MILES OUT FROM THEIR SHORES. BUT BRITISH FISHING VESSELS ARE ABLE TO ENTER THE WHITE SEA OUTSIDE THIS LIMIT.

THE BRITISH MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES SAID YESTERDAY IT WAS CONVINCED THE RUSSIANS HAD SEIZED THE ETRURIA. SUCH "ARRESTS" OF FISHING BOATS HAVE BEEN ATTRIBUTED TO TIGHTENING SECURITY MEASURES BY THE RUSSIANS TO COVER UP DEFENSE WORKS ALONG THE SOVIET UNION'S ARCTIC AND BALTIC COASTLINES.

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LONDON, MAY 4-(AP)-THE BIG FOUR DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTERS FAILED AGAIN TODAY TO MAKE ANY PROGRESS TOWARD WRITING AN AUSTRIAN INDEPENDENCE TREATY. IT WAS THEIR 253RD MEETING SINCE THE WAR ON THE AUSTRIAN QUESTION.

THE RUSSIAN DEPUTY, GEORGI ZARUBIN, ANNOUNCED HE WAS READY TO TALK ABOUT ARTICLE NINE OF THE AUSTRIAN TREATY DRAFT, AND NOTHING ELSE. THAT ARTICLE, DEALING WITH DEMILITARIZATION AND DENAZIFICATION, ALREADY HAS BEEN AGREED UPON.

SAMUEL REBER, THE U.S.DEPUTY, ASKED ZARUBIN BLUNTLY IF RUSSIA WANTED TO CONCLUDE AN AUSTRIAN TREATY. HE GOT NO DIRECT REPLY.

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LONDON, MAY 4-(AP)-BRITAIN APPOINTED AN ENGLISHMAN TODAY TO SUCCEED ATOM SPY DR. KLAUS FUCHS IN ITS TOP ATOM RESEARCH POST.

DR. MAURICE H.L. PRYCE, 37, WHO STUDIED AT PRINCETON ON A FELLOWSHIP FROM 1935 TO 1937, WAS NAMED CHIEF OF THE THEORETICAL PHYSICS DIVISION AT HARWELL, THE MINISTRY OF SUPPLY'S ATOM CITY.

FUCHS, GERMAN-BORN BUT NATURALIZED, WAS SENTENCED TO 14 YEARS IN PRISON ON MARCH 1 FOR BETRAYING SECRETS TO RUSSIA.

DR. PRYCE, A PROFESSOR OF PHYSICS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD, HAS BEEN ACTING AS A CONSULTANT AT HARWELL.

FROM 1941 TO 1944, HE WAS ENGAGED ON RADAR RESEARCH FOR THE BRITISH NAVY AND IN 1944-45 ON ATOMIC ENERGY RESEARCH WITH THE NATIONAL RESEARCH COUNCIL OF CANADA AT MONTREAL.

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B86 (Q IN)

LONDON, MAY 4-(AP)-A JAPANESE CHRISTIAN LEADER SAID TODAY COMMUNISM IS GROWING BY LEAPS AND BOUNDS IN JAPAN.

BUT DR.T.KAGAWA TOLD THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH ASSEMBLY THAT CHRISTIANITY ALSO IS GAINING MANY NEW ADHERENTS IN THE COUNTRY.

HE SAID MORE THAN HALF THE TRADE UNIONS IN JAPAN WERE ON THE SIDE OF COMMUNISM BUT MOST OF THE LEADERS OF THE MODERATE TRADE UNIONS WERE CHRISTIANS.

HE TOLD THE ASSEMBLY:

"DON'T REGARD FORMOSA, JAPAN AND CHINA AS FAR DISTANT PLACES WHICH NEED FOREIGN MISSIONARIES. REGARD THEM AS YOUR NEAR NEIGHBORS AND IF YOU LOSE THE CHRISTIAN MOVEMENT THERE YOU WILL NEXT FEEL THE DIFFERENCE HERE."

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LONDON, MAY 4-(AP)-"THE IN-LAWS SPECIAL," CHARTERED PLANE WITH 33 RELATIVES OF GI WAR BRIDES ABOARD, TOOK OFF TONIGHT FOR NEW YORK, WITH EVERYBODY SHORT ON U.S. CASH.

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE "IN-LAWS" SAID THEY DO NOT HAVE A PENNY OF AMERICAN MONEY, NOT EVEN FOR A NICKEL PHONE CALL. THAT'S BECAUSE THE BRITISH TREASURY REFUSED TO LOOSEN CURRENCY CONTROLS FOR THE TRIP.

EVEN SO, THESE RELATIVES OF BRITISH GIRLS WHO MARRIED U.S. SOLDIERS APPEARED QUITE HAPPY. THE PARTY INCLUDES 29 MOTHERS, THREE FATHERS AND ONE BROTHER OF GI BRIDES.

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A74 (180)

PARIS, MAY 4-(AP)-CHIEFS OF UNITED NATIONS SPECIAL AGENCIES ISSUED A FORMAL DECLARATION TODAY SAYING WORLD PEACE DEPENDS UPON QUICK NEGOTIATION TO SETTLE MAJOR DIFFERENCES AMONG U.N. MEMBERS.

THE DECLARATION CAME AFTER TWO DAYS OF MEETINGS BETWEEN THE AGENCY CHIEFS AND TRYGVE LIE, THE U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL, WHO IS FLYING TO MOSCOW MAY 10 ON A PEACE MAKING MISSION.

THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT HAS BEEN BOYCOTTING U.N. MEETINGS IN PROTEST AGAINST THE CONTINUED PRESENCE OF CHINESE NATIONALIST DELEGATES.

THE DECLARATION SAID:

"THE UNITED NATIONS AND ITS SPECIALIZED AGENCIES BEGIN WITH THE PRINCIPLE THAT A DURABLE PEACE IS POSSIBLE TO REALIZE AND MAINTAIN ONLY THROUGH ORGANIZATION OF THE WORLD AND THAT UNIVERSAL PROBLEMS SUCH AS SICKNESS, HUNGER, IGNORANCE AND MISERY ARE NOT LIMITED BY ANY FRONTIER AND WILL NOT BE DEFEATED UNLESS ALL NATIONS UNITE IN A COMMON EFFORT."

THE STATEMENT CALLED FOR "REALIZATION OF THE PRINCIPLE OF UNIVERSALITY IN RAPID FASHION AND IMMEDIATE BEGINNINGS OF NEGOTIATION AND CONCILIATION" TO SETTLE OUTSTANDING DIFFERENCES.

THE AGENCY CHIEFS INCLUDE THE HEADS OF SUCH U.N. ORGANIZATIONS AS THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION, THE UNITED NATIONS EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL ORGANIZATION, THE INTERNATIONAL BANK AND FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ADMINISTRATION. THEY COMPRISE A COORDINATING COMMITTEE FOR ALL SUCH SPECIAL U.N. AGENCIES.

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NIGHT LEAD ARMS

ROTTERDAM, THE NETHERLANDS, MAY 4-(AP)-THE FIRST UNITED STATES ARMS SHIPMENT TO THE NETHERLANDS UNDER THE NORTH ATLANTIC PACT WAS UNLOADED TODAY.

POLICE BROKE UP A COMMUNIST DEMONSTRATION, MOSTLY BY MIDDLE-AGED WOMEN, BEFORE UNLOADING BEGAN ON THE GUARDED DOCKS. ONE MAN IN THE DEMONSTRATING GROUP RECEIVED A SABER CUT.

THE 450-TON CARGO INCLUDED ANTI-AIRCRAFT GUNS, AMMUNITION, SIGNAL EQUIPMENT AND SPARE PARTS.

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FIRST LEAD DUTCH ARMS (A56) (180)

ROTTERDAM, THE NETHERLANDS, MAY 4-(AP)-SABER-WIELDING POLICE TODAY DISPERSED PRO-COMMUNIST DEMONSTRATORS SEEKING TO IMPEDE THE UNLOADING OF HOLLAND'S FIRST ATLANTIC PACT ARMS FROM AMERICA.

POLICE SAID UNLOADING OF GENERAL CARGO FROM THE U.S. CREIGHTER EMPIRE STATE WAS PROCEEDING NORMALLY, WITH THE ARMS SLATED TO BE UNLOADED LATER IN THE DAY.

POLICE SAID TRANSFER OF THE ARMS FROM THE U.S. FREIGHTER EMPIRE STATE WAS PROCEEDING NORMALLY.

ONE MAN RECEIVED A SABER CUT IN THE CLASH WITH THE POLICE. MOST OF THE DEMONSTRATORS WERE WOMEN DISTRIBUTING "PEACE PARTISAN" PAMPHLETS PROTESTING THE SHIPMENT OF U.S. ARMS TO EUROPE.

A STRONG POLICE CORDON KEPT THE DEMONSTRATORS AWAY FROM THE EMPIRE STATE. A NUMBER OF THE DEMONSTRATORS WERE ARRESTED BUT POLICE REFUSED TO SAY HOW MANY.

TWO POLICEMEN WERE INJURED IN THE DOCK AREA WHEN THEIR JEEP CRASHED INTO A TRUCK.

FIRST REPORTS SAID A SECOND SHIPMENT OF ARMS HAD ARRIVED ABOARD THE AMERICAN FREIGHTER AIMEE LYKES BUT A PORT OFFICIAL LATER DENIED THIS SHIP WAS UNLOADING AMERICAN WEAPONS. SHIPPING CIRCLES INDICATED, HOWEVER, THAT A SECOND SHIPMENT WAS DUE TO BE UNLOADED, PROBABLY FROM THE FREIGHTER AMERICAN DEFENDER WHICH HAD BEEN DIVERTED FROM ROTTERDAM TO AMSTERDAM.

A POLICE GUARD PLACED AROUND THE AIMEE LYKES LATER WAS WITHDRAWN.

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PRECEDE LONDON

BY JAMES DEVLIN

FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 4-(AP)-RUSSIA ANNOUNCED TONIGHT THAT REPATRIATION OF GERMAN WAR PRISONERS HAS BEEN COMPLETED. THE NEWS CHILLED HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF GERMANS.

IT KILLED THE LAST HOPE OF FAMILY AFTER FAMILY THAT A MISSING FATHER, HUSBAND OR SON MIGHT RETURN FROM TH WAR. THE NEWS CAME TOO LATE, ALMOST MIDNIGHT, FOR MOST GERMANS TO LEARN OF IT IMMEDIATELY. THOSE WHO DID WERE AGHAST.

"IT IS FRIGHTENING, TERRIBLE," SAID ONE. DR.KURT SCHUMACHER, WEST GERMANY'S SOCIALIST LEADER, DECLARED: "THERE ARE HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF GERMAN PRISONERS STILL IN RUSSIA."

THE GERMANS GENERALLY HAD NO IDEA REPATRIATION WAS NEAR AT END. THEY THOUGHT HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF MEN WHO MADE HITLER'S ILL-FATED DRIVE TO THE EAST STILL WERE PRISONERS IN SOVIET TERRITORY.

ONLY RECENTLY THE FLOW OF RETURNING PRISONERS HAD BEEN INCREASED. NINE GERNALS AND ADMIRALS WERE AMONG ALMOST 1,000 WHO ARRIVED IN HOF, AN AMERICAN ZONE BORDER POINT, APRIL 26.

THE OFFICIAL SOVIET NEWS AGENCY TASS SAID TONIGHT, IN A DISPATCH BROADCAST BY THE MOSCOW RADIO, THAT THE LAST GROUP OF PRISONERS TOTALING 17,538 HAD BEEN RETURNED.

IT ADDED THAT SINCE GERMANY'S SURRENDER IN 1945 THE SOVIET UNION HAD REPATRIATED 1,939,163 PRISONERS, INCLUDING 58,103 DISCOVERED IN 1947-49 AMONG PRISONERS OF OTHER NATIONALITIES IN THE SOVIET UNION.

TWO MONTHS AGO THE RUSSIANS SAID THAT VIRTUALLY ALL GERMAN WAR PRISONERS EXCEPT WAR CRIMINALS HAD BEEN FREED. GERMAN AUTHORITIES ASSERTED, HOWEVER, THAT THE RUSSIANS STILL WERE HOLDING SOME 400,000. THE UNITED STATES AND FRANCE ACCUSED THE RUSSIANS APRIL 25 OF LYING TO HIDE THE FATE OF HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF GERMAN PRISONERS STILL UNACCOUNTED FOR.

THE WEST BERLIN CITY COUNCIL CHARGED LAST DEC.22 THAT THE SOVIET UNION STILL HELD MORE THAN 1,000,000 GERMAN PRISONERS OF WAR. A FEW DAYS LATER A BRITISH SPOKESMAN AT BONN SAID THE ONLY WAY THE WESTERN ALLIES COULD AID IN GETTING PRISONERS RETURNED WAS THROUGH MORAL PRESSURE.

ONE OF THE QUESTIONS LEFT UNANSWERED BY THE TASS ANNOUNCEMENT WAS THE FATE OF FIELD MARSHAL FRIEDRICH VON PAULUS, GERMAN COMMANDER CAPTURED BY THE RUSSIANS AT STALINGRAD.

VON PAULUS OFTEN HAS BEEN RUMORED AS THE LEADER OF A RUSSIAN-SPONSORED "FREE GERMAN ARMY" OF FORMER PRISONERS. HE HAS DENIED THIS IN POSTCARDS TO HIS FAMILY. HE HAD EXPRESSED HOPE HE WOULD BE HOME BY LAST CHRISTMAS, BUT HE DID NOT ARRIVE. SUBSEQUENTLY HIS WIFE DIED.

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A SPOKESMAN FOR WEST GERMAN PRESIDENT THEODOR HEUSS SAID HE WOULD NOT COMMENT IMMEDIATELY. CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER WAS NOT IMMEDIATELY AVAILABLE.

SCHUMACHER, CHIEFTAIN OF WEST GERMANY'S SECOND STRONGEST POLITICAL PARTY, TOLD A REPORTER:

"IT IS MONSTROUS NEWS. THIS MESSAGE IS SO UNBELIEVEABLE THAT ONE MUST DOUBT IT IS GENUINE."

IF THE TASS REPORT IS TRUE, HE SAID, IT CATUFVFLMEAN

MUST DOUBT IT IS GENUINE."

IF THE TASS REPORT IS TRUE, HE SAID, IT CAN ONLY MEAN THE PRISONERS NOW ARE AT THE MERCY OF RUSSIAN POWER. HE PREDICTED THE TASS ANNOUNCEMENT WOULD HAVE STRONG POLITICAL IMPLICATIONS IN GERMANY.

"THIS STORY, IF TRUE, WILL MAKE EVERY COMMUNIST AIM IN GERANH IMPOS

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"THIS STORY, IF TRUE, WILL MAKE EVERY COMMUNIST AIM IN GERMANY IMPOSSIBLE," SAID THE ONE-ARMED, ONE-LEGGED SOCIALIST WHO HIMSELF SPENT YEARS IN A NAZI CONCENTRATION CAMP. HE IMPLIED IT WOULD STIR STRONG REVERBERATIONS IN COMMUNIST-RULED EAST GERMANY AND BERLIN AS WELL AS IN WEST GERMANY.

SCHUMACHER SAID THE PROPOSED COMMUNIST YOUTH MARCH IN BERLIN MAY 28 WOULD BE NOTHING BUT "PROVOCATIVE FOOLISHNESS" IN THE FACE OF GERMAN FEELINGS OVER THE LOSS OF HOPE FOR LOVED ONES.

TONIGHT'S MOSCOW BROADCAST SAID THAT GERMAN PRISONERS STILL LEFT IN THE U.S.S.R. ARE 9,717 MEN CONDEMNED FOR SERIOUS WAR CRIMES, 3,815 WHOSE ALLEGED WAR CRIMES ARE STILL BEING INVESTIGATED, AND 14 DETAINED TEMPORARILY BECAUSE OF ILLNESS TO BE SENT HOME AFTER THEIR TREATMENT IS ENDED.

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NIGHT LEAD POLICE (180)

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BERLIN, MAY 4-(AP)-A DEFENSE LAWYER ASKED SAFE CONDUCT TODAY FOR SEVERAL EAST GERMANOFFICIALS TO CHALLENGE CHARGES BEFORE A UNITED STATES SECTOR COURT THAT EAST GERMANY IS BUILDING AN ILLEGAL ARMY THROUGH HER PEOPLE'S POLICE SETUP.

THE JUDGE, JOHN A. SABO OF GARY, IND., SAID HE COULD NOT GUARANTEE SAFE CONDUCT FOR ANYPERSON WHO "MIGHT BE ON A WANTED LIST." THE ATTORNEY, DR. FRITZ KAUL, SAID HE HAD NO IDEA WHAT NAMES MIGHT BE ON A WEST BERLIN WANTED LIST AND DECLINED TO NAME THE PERSONS HE WOULD SUBPOENA.

THE ISSUE WAS REFERRED TO THE U.S. LEGAL DIVISION FOR DECISION TOMORROW.

THE REQUEST CAME UP IN THE TRIAL OF SIX PEOPLE'S POLICEMEN ARRESTED FOR ENTERING THE AMERICAN SECTOR IN UNIFORM AND CARRYING MACHINEGUNS LAST MONTH. THEY DROVE INTO WEST BERLIN BY MISTAKE ON A TRIP FROM MAGDEBURG TO EAST BERLIN.

THE UNITED STATES CONTENDS THE RUSSIAN-OCCUPIED EAST ZONE IS VIOLATING FOUR-POWER AGREEMENTS REACHED IN 1945 TO DISARM GERMANS EXCEPT FOR LEGITIMATE POLICEMEN, WHO MAY CARRY SMALL PISTOLS, AND TO BAR MILITARY TRAINING.

TWO OTHER EAST GERMAN POLICEMEN, WHO PLEADED GUILTY AND WERE SENTENCED TO A YEAR IN JAIL, ARE PROSECUTION WITNESSES. THE TWO ARE LT. HEINZ NOCHT AND WILHELM ROLOFF. THEY TESTIFIED EAST GERMANY HAS BUILTUP A LAND SEA AND AIR FORCE OF 36,000 MENTHROUGH THE POLICE ORGANIZATION.

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B81 (Q IN) (220)

BERLIN, MAY 4-(AP)-A SOVIET ZONE POLICEMAN TOLD A U.S. COURT TODAY THE RUSSIANS RELEASED THOUSANDS OF GERMAN PRISONERS OF WAR LAST YEAR IN ORDER TO FEED THE RECRUITING OFFICES OF THE COMMUNIST "VOLKSPOLIZEI."

LIEUT.HEINZ NOCHT TESTIFIED AGAINST SIX OF HIS FORMER COMRADES IN A CASE BROUGHT BY AMERICAN AUTHORITIES IN AN EFFORT TO SHOW THAT THE EASTERN POLICE FORCE IS BEING TRAINED AS AN ARMY.

NOCHT WAS THE SENIOR OFFICER OF A BAND OF EIGHT YOUNG POLICEMEN WHO BLUNDERED INTO THE U.S. SECTOR OF BERLIN, ARMED WITH MACHINE PISTOLS AND AN ASSAULT RIFLE, AND WERE ARRESTED. HE PLEADED GUILTY AND WAS SENTENCED TO A YEAR FOR BEING A MEMBER OF A MILITARY FORCE.

THE WITNESS SAID HE WAS A PRISONER OF THE RUSSIANS FROM 1944 TO 1949 AND WAS RELEASED LAST SUMMER WITH MANY OTHERS AT FRANKFURT-ON-ODER, THE EASTERN BORDER OF GERMANY. AS SOON AS THE MEN ARRIVED FROM THE SOVIET CAMPS, NOCHT SAID, THE COMMUNIST POLITICAL COMMISSARS OFFERED THEM JOBS IN THE "VOLKSPOLIZEI."

"THEY TOLD US GERMANY WAS SHATTERED AND NEEDED A STRONG POLICE FORCE TO RESTORE ORDER AND QUIET," NOCHT TESTIFIED.

SERGEANT WILHELM ROLOFF, THE DRIVER OF THE TRUCK WHICH BROUGHT NOCHT AND THE SIX DEFENDANTS TO BERLIN, ALSO HAS PLEADED GUILTY AND WAS SENTENCED TO A YEAR'S IMPRISONMENT. RECALLED TO THE STAND THIS MORNING, ROLOFF SAID ONE OF HIS COMRADES WAS EXPELLED FROM THE POLICE RECENTLY FOR DISCLOSING TO "A GIRL FRIEND" THAT THEY HAD RECEIVED HEAVY CANNON FROM THE RUSSIANS.

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NIGHT LEAD TRAFFIC (200)

BERLIN, MAY 4-(AP)-BRITISH OFFICIALS SAID TONIGHT RUSSIAN ZONE RESTRICTIONS ON RAILWAY FREIGHT LOADINGS IN WEST BERLIN HAVE BEEN EASED AND MAY BE COMPLETELY LIFTED BY TOMORROW.

WEST BERLIN SHIPPERS BEGAN LOADING THEIR GOODS ON FREIGHT CARS IN WESTERN ALLIED SECTORS THIS AFTERNOON, AS WORD SPREAD THAT THE PROBLEM HAD BEEN THRESHED OUT IN EAST-WEST TALKS.

THE SOVIET-SPONSORED ORDER, WHICH WENT INTO FORCE YESTERDAY, REQUIRED THAT WEST BERLIN FREIGHT BE TRUCKED ACROSS TOWN TO THE SOVIET SECTOR FOR CUSTOMS INSPECTION BEFORE BEING PUT ABOARD TRAINS FOR WESTERN GERMANY, WHICH HAVE TO CROSS ABOUT 100 MILES OF SOVIET ZONE TERRITORY.

THE ORDER PARALYZED RAIL FREIGHT LOADINGS IN WEST BERLIN YARDS.

THE SOVIET-CONTROLLED EAST GERMAN RAILROAD SAID THE PRINCIPAL CROSSING POINT ON THE RUSSIAN ZONE FRONTIER AT MARIENBORN WAS TOO JAMMED FOR INSPECTIONS TO BE CARRIED OUT THERE.

BRITISH INVESTIGATORS, HOWEVER, REPORTED TONIGHT THAT THE APPARENT REASON FOR THE BAN WAS A RUSSIAN ZONE PURGE OF GERMAN INSPECTORS SUSPECTED OF TAKING BRIBES FROM SMUGGLERS.

THEY SAID A NEW STAFF PROBABLY WILL BE ON DUTY AT THE FRONTIER TOMORROW.

THE EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT WAS REPORTED TO HAVE RAISED OTHER BARRIERS TO TRADE WITH THE WEST BY SETTING UP A RING OF POLICE CONTROL POINTS AROUND BERLIN TO INSPECT ALL INCOMING GERMAN CARGOES FROM THE SOVIET ZONE.

ALLIED SOURCES SAID THE MOVE MAY HAVE BEEN AIMED AT CUTTING OFF A GROWING SMUGGLING TRADE.

THE SOVIET-LICENSED NEWS AGENCY ADN TONIGHT ACCUSED THE WESTERN ALLIES OF HELPING BLACK MARKETEERS SMUGGLE EAST GERMAN SCRAP METALS AND FOOD TO THE WEST ON MILITARY TRAINS.

A BRITISH TRANSPORT OFFICER DISMISSED THE DECLARATION AS "COMPLETE NONSENSE."

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A176 (170)
BERLIN, MAY 4-(AP)-EAST GERMANY'S COMMUNIST RULERS RAISED NEW BARRIERS TODAY AGAINST TRADE WITH ALLIED-OCCUPIED WEST BERLIN.
THEY ESTABLISHED A RING OF POLICE CONTROL POINTS CHARGED WITH INSPECTING ALL CARGOES AND EVEN PERSONAL LUGGAGE CARRIED INTO THE CITY FROM THE SURROUNDING SOVIET OCCUPATION ZONE.
ONLY GERMAN TRADE AND TRAVEL WAS AFFECTED. THE PURPOSE, THE EAST GERMAN AUTHORITIES SAID, WAS TO HALT "UNLICENSED TRADE" AND SMUGGLING OF COMMODITIES OUT OF THE SOVIET ZONE.
THESE RESTRICTIONS FOLLOWED A SOVIET-SPONSORED ORDER REQUIRING THAT ALL RAIL FREIGHT FROM WEST BERLIN CONSIGNED FOR WESTERN GERMANY HENCEFORTH MUST BE LOADED IN RUSSIAN-OCCUPIED EAST BERLIN. THIS ORDER HAS PARALYZED RAIL FREIGHT LOADINGS IN WEST BERLIN YARDS.
THERE WERE INDICATIONS FROM GERMAN SOURCES, HOWEVER, THAT THESE RAIL FREIGHT RESTRICTIONS MIGHT BE ONLY TEMPORARY AND THAT THEY MIGHT BE THE RESULT OF A COMMUNIST PURGE OF RAILROAD INSPECTION PERDVNNEL.
EAST GERMAN RAILWAY HEADQUARTERS TOLD THE WEST BERLIN GOVERNMENT IT HOPED TO STRAIGHTEN OUT THE MATTER IN A FEW DAYS.
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A21
MS BUDGET (380)
GERMAN PRESS
BY RICHARD OREGON
FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 4-(AP)-THE GROWING TENDENCY BY WEST GERMANY'S PRESS TO SOFT-PEDAL COLD WAR ISSUES IS BEING VIEWED BY POLITICAL OBSERVERS HERE AS A VICTORY FOR THE RUSSIAN PROPAGANDA MACHINE.
AN ANALYSIS OF THE GERMAN PRESS BY THE U.S. HIGH COMMISSION'S PRESS AND PUBLICATIONS BRANCH SHOWS A RECENT TREND TOWARD ADOPTING A NEUTRAL ATTITUDE ON MOST AMERICAN-SOVIET DISPUTES EXCEPT UNIFICATION OF GERMANY.
POLITICAL OBSERVERS IN WEST GERMANY BELIEVE THESE NEWSPAPERS ARE ACCEPTING THE LINE RUSSIA HAS LONG TRUMPETED: THAT THE EAST-WEST STRUGGLE IS NONE OF THEIR AFFAIR.
SOME SOLIDLY ANTI-COMMUNIST AND PRO-WEST NEWSPAPERS HAVE GONE SO FAR IN THEIR STRIVING FOR NEUTRALITY AS TO ATTACK BITTERLY THE POSSIBILITY OF GERMANY'S JOINING THE NORTH ATLANTIC DEFENSE PACT.
THE LATEST REVIEW OF PRESS TRENDS BY THE U.S. HIGH COMMISSION'S PRESS AND PUBLICATIONS BRANCH SAYS THE GERMAN PRESS IS FOLLOWING THE COLD WAR WITH "MIXED FEELINGS."
HOW MUCH THE NEWSPAPERS IN WESTERN GERMANY REFLECT PUBLIC OPINION IS NOT ACCURATELY KNOWN, SINCE MANY HAVE POLITICAL AXES TO GRIND.
THE REVIEW HAS THIS TO SAY ABOUT THE NOTICEABLE TREND:
"THE PRESS HAS ALWAYS WHOLE-HEARTEDLY WELCOMED THE FIRM ATTITUDE OF THE UNITED STATES, ESPECIALLY IN BERLIN. HOWEVER, NOTICEABLE RESERVE IN DEALING WITH THIS (COLD WAR) PROBLEM NOW IS BEING MANIFESTED, DUE TO THE SUBSTANTIALLY SHARPER TONE WITH WHICH THE UNITED STATES NOW SPEAKS TO THE SOVIETS AND THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF A STEPPING UP OF PROPAGANDA ACTIVITY X X X ."
THE REVIEW SAYS THE PRESS APPEARS TO HARBOR THE THOUGHT THAT IF GERMANY IS NOT ONE DAY TO BECOME THE ARENA OF IDEOLOGICAL STRUGGLE "IT BEHOOVES ALL GERMANS NOT TO LET THEMSELVES BE UNDULY IDRLUENCEDHBY ONE DB

"IT BEHOOVES ALL GERMANS NOT TO LET THEMSELVES BE UNDULY INFLUENCED BY ONE SIDE OR THE OTHER."
THE REVIEW CITES AS PRIME EXAMPLES THESE COMMENTS:
"WE ARE UTTERLY OPPOSED TO WEST GERMANY'S JOINING THE ATLANTIC PACT," SAID THE PROTESTANT NEWSPAPER CHRIST UND WELT. IT SAID JOINING SUCH A PACT WOULD CUT THE WEST GERMANS OFF FROM THEIR LAST CONTACT WITH THEIR EASTERN BROTHERS, WHO FORM ALMOST A THIRD OF GERMANY'S POPULATION.
THE SONNTAGSBLATT OF HAMBURG CRIED OUT SIMILARLY AGAINST WEST GERMANY'S JOINING THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE--THE WESTERN EUROPEAN ADVISORY PARLIAMENT AIMING AT A UNITED STATES OF EUROPE.
SONNTAGSBLATT SAID THAT A "WEST GERMANY IN A EUROPEAN COUNCIL WHICH IS PART OF THE ATLANTIC SYSTEM MUST LEAD TO RENEWED EFFORTS TO COMPLETELY BOLSHEVIZE EASTERN GERMANY."
THE WIESBADENER KURIER RECENTLY COMMENTED, "THE TIME WHEN AMERICA COULD HAVE IMPOSED HER WISHES ON A WAR-TIRED RUSSIA HAS GONE X X X. WHEN WILL THE WEST LEARN THAT THE COLD WAR CANNOT BE WON WITH A PROPAGANDA STRAW FIRE?"
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B2 (Q IN)
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BY DANIEL DE LUCE (310)
BERLIN, MAY 4-(AP)-EAST GERMANY'S COMMUNIST-LED GOVERNMENT IS GOING TO EXPAND TEACHING IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS THAT JESUS CHRIST NEVER EXISTED AND THE BIBLE IS A COLLECTION OF MYTHS AND SAGAS, AUTHORITATIVE SOURCES SAID TODAY.
STATE-OWNED PRINTING PRESSES ARE NOW RUNNING OFF A THIRD EDITION OF SOVIET PROF. A.V.MISHULIN'S ANTI-CHRISTIAN TEXTBOOK, "THE HISTORY OF ANTIQUITY." TEACHERS IN ALL GRADES WERE ISSUED 55,000 COPIES IN THE PAST YEAR FOR "GUIDANCE." ANOTHER 30,000 COPIES ARE TO BE READY FOR DISTRIBUTION IN TWO WEEKS.
CHURCH OFFICIALS SAID THEIR HOPES FOR SCHOOL REFORM ARE VIRTUALLY EXHAUSTED. THEY HAVE PROTESTED BY LETTER AND IN PERSON TO THE GOVERNMENT AGAINST PUBLIC ATHEISTIC INSTRUCTION OF 3,000,000 YOUNG EAST GERMANS.
CHANCELLOR OTTO GROTEWOHL CONFERRED WITH PROTESTANT AND ROMAN CATHOLIC REPRESENTATIVES APRIL 28.
THE COMMUNISTS HAVE SINCE RELAXED SOME OF THEIR PRESSURE ON PASTORS TO JOIN THE "NATIONAL FRONT," WHICH CAMPAIGNS FOR SOVIET POLICIES IN GERMANY. BUT, IN EDUCATION, COMMUNIST AIMS ARE BEING DEVELOPED INSTEAD OF CURTAILED.
MISHULIN'S BOOK IS ONE OF FOUR RUSSIAN-WRITTEN TEXTS WHICH ARE NOW THE SOLE BASIS OF HISTORY INSTRUCTION IN THE EAST GERMAN PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM. THEY BUILD UP TO A CLIMAX IN THE BOLSHEVIST REVOLUTION, WHICH IS DESCRIBED AS OPENING A NEW ERA OF HUMAN FREEDOM.
THE MISHULIN HISTORY ASSERTS WITHOUT QUALIFICATION:
"THROUGH SCIENCE, IT HAS BEEN PROVED THERE WAS NO CHRIST AT ALL. ENGELS SHOWED CHRISTIANITY ORGINALLY WAS A MOVEMENT OF THE OPPRESSED AND BEGAN AS A RELIGION OF SLAVES, THE POOR AND OF PEOPLES OPPRESSED AND SUBJUGATED BY ROME.
"THUS THERE WAS CREATED AMONG THE PEOPLE THE MYTH OF JESUS CHRIST, THE HUMAN GOD, WHO TAUGHT THAT MAN MUST ENDURE ALL SORROWS BECAUSE THE SORROWFUL AND OPPRESSED WOULD BE REWARDED AFTER THEIR DEATH. SINNERS WOULD BE DAMNED TO ETERNAL PAIN.

"THIS MYTH BUILT ITSELF UP UNDER THE STRONG INFLUENCE OF ORIENTAL MYTHS. IT WAS SPREAD BY WORD OF MOUTH AT FIRST AND ONLY LATER WAS IT WRITTEN DOWN. IN NO HISTORICAL WORK OF THIS PERIOD IS THERE A WORD ABOUT THE LIFE OF JESUS CHRIST."

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(120)
BERLIN, MAY 4-(AP)-THE EAST GERMAN COMMUNIST PARTY NEWSPAPER NEUES DEUTSCHLAND TODAY PUBLICLY CONFESSED TO AN "UNFORGIVABLE MISTAKE"-MISQUOTING JOSEPH STALIN.
AND WHAT A MIDQUOTE IT WAS.
YESTERDAY THE PAPER PRINTED STALIN'S "12 PRE-CONDITIONS FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF A (COMMUNIST) PARTY OF THE NEW TYPE."
ONE OF THESE POINTS, AS IT CAME OUT IN PRINT, STATED:
"IT IS NECESSARY FOR THE PARTY TO UNDERSTAND THAT ITS LEADERS MUST BE SELECTED FROM THE BEST ELEMENTS OF PROGRESSIVE FIGHTERS SO THAT IT WILL HAVE GENUINE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STRUGGLE OF THE REACTIONARY PROLETARIAT."
TODAY RED-FACED NEUES DEUTSCHLAND CARRIED A CORRECTION:
"NATURALLY," IT SAID," WE MEANT REVOLUTIONARY AND NOT REACTIONARY PROLETARIAT."
IT ADDED: "THE EDITORIAL BOARD WILL TAKE THE NECESSARY MEASURES."
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A106
BERLIN, MAY 4-(AP)-BERLIN'S ECONOMY IS SHOWING "DEFINITE AND ENCOURAGING IMPROVEMENT" IN RECOVERING FROM THE PARALYSIS OF THE SOVIET BLOCKADE, THE U.S.HIGH COMMISSION REPORTED TODAY.
IT SAID UNEMPLOYMENT IN ALLIED SECTORS HAD DECLINED TO 290,382 AT THE END OF APRIL FROM A HIGH OF 308,793 IN MIDFEBRUARY. INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION ROSE FOUR POINTS IN FEBRUARY TO 26 PER CENT OF THE 1936 LEVEL, AND LATER FIGURES ARE EXPECTED TO SHOW A FURTHER INCREASE.
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B05
BERLIN, MAY 4-(AP)-THE U.S.EMBASSY IN PRAGUE SAID TODAY THE CZECH GOVERNMENT HAS REFUSED PERMISSION TO HOLD CEREMONIES ON MONDAY COMMEMORATING THE AMERICAN ARMY'S ROLE IN THE LIBERATION OF CZECHO-SLOVAKIA.
THE EMBASSY WAS INFORMED A NATIONWIDE CELEBRATION OF THE COUNTRY'S LIBERATION BY THE SOVIET ARMY WAS PLANNED THAT DAY AND ANY CELEBRATION BY THE AMERICANS WAS CONSIDERED UNDESIREABLE.
THE EMBASSY HAD SOUGHT PERMISSION TO SEND TWO OFFICERS TO PILSEN AND CHEB IN WESTERN BOHEMIA TO LAY WREATHS ON MONUMENTS THERE TO AMERICAN TROOPS.
PS218PED

A15 (DT FW)
BONN, GERMANY, MAY 4-(AP)-THE ALLIED HIGH COMMISSION TODAY MADE MEMBERS OF THE OCCUPATION FORCES AND THEIR FAMILIES LIABLE TO THE DEATH PENALTY IF CONVICTED OF ENGAGING IN ESPIONAGE OR SABOTAGE IN GERMANY.
HERETOFORE THIS PENALTY HAD APPLIED ONLY TO GERMANS AND NON-GERMANS NOT MEMBERS OF THE OCCUPATION FORCES. NO REASON WAS GIVEN FOR EXTENDING THE PENALTY TO INCLUDE ALLIED NATIONALS.
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A103
(110)
ROME, MAY 4-(AP)-CZECHOSLOVAKIA APPEARED TODAY TO HAVE SEVERED HER REMAINING DIPLOMATIC TIES WITH THE VATICAN. THE PLAQUE ON THE DOOR OF THE CZECH LEGATION WAS QUIETLY REMOVED.
THE ROMAN CATHOLIC ACTION NEWSPAPER REPORTED THE CZECH LEGATION'S CHARGE D'AFFAIRES, ILJA RATH, IS ON HIS WAY BACK TO PRAGUE.
A SPOKESMAN FOR THE LEGATION DENIED RATH WAS GOING TO PRAGUE. HE SAID THE CHARGE D'AFFAIRES IS ON VACATION AND IS "SUPPOSED TO COME BACK," BUT "WORK HAS BEEN SUSPENDED TEMPORARILY BECAUSE OF INTERNATIONAL POLITICAL AFFAIRS."
VATICAN DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH CZECHOSLOVAKIA HAVE BEEN VIRTUALLY NON-EXISTENT SINCE MSGR. OTTAVIO DE LIVA, THE VATICAN REPRESENTATIVE IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA, WAS EXPELLED FROM PRAGUE LAST MARCH.
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B63
(Q)
ROME, MAY 4-(AP)-GIUSEPPE BARTOLOTTO, A YOUNG PADUA GAS WORKER WHO GOT A FREE TRIP TO THE UNITED STATES FOR BEING HONEST, CAME BACK WITH A WORD ABOUT COWBOYS FOR HIS ITALIAN FRIENDS.
"I SAW THE TRUE COWBOYS," HE SAID, "AND THEY ARE A LOT DIFFERENT FROM THOSE YOU SEE IN THE MOVIES. THEY DON'T WEAR PISTOLS ON THEIR HIPS."
BARTOLOTTO WENT TO AMERICA SPONSORED BY THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION AFTER HE FOUND A POCKETBOOK CONTAINING $35 BELONING TO AN OKLAHOMA COAL MINER IN A SHIPMENT OF MARSHAL PLAN COAL TO ITALY. HE TURNED THE POCKETBOOK AND MONEY OVER TO HIS SUPERIORS TO BE RETURNED TO THE OWNER.
HE RETURNED LAST NIGHT BY AIRLINER FROM NEW YORK.
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TRIESTE, MAY 4-(AP)-PREMIER MARSHAL TITO'S POLICE HAVE BEGUN A SUDDEN SLOWDOWN BLOCKADE BETWEEN THE YUGOSLAV AND ANGLO-AMERICAN ZONES OF THE TRIESTE FREE TERRITORY TUESDAY.
WITHOUT EXPLANATION YUGOSLAV GUARDS BEGAN A CAREFUL SCREENING OF EACH PERSON CROSSING THE FRONTIER. INFORMED SOURCES SAID THAT WHILE 600 PERSONS USUALLY CROSS THE FRONTIER FROM THE YUGOSLAV ZONE DAILY, ONLY 20 SUCCEEDED IN REACHING THE CITY OF TRIESTE YESTERDAY.
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A106
PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA,, MAY 4-(AP)-RUDE PRAVO, OFFICIAL NEWSPAPER OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK COMMUNIST PARTY, ATTACKED POPE PIUS XII TODAY FOR HIS RECENT AUDIENCE WITH REPRESENTATIVES OF THE UNITED STATES CHAMBER OF COMMERCE. THE POPE HAD WISHED THE AMERICANS WELL IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF THEIR BUSINESSES.
"THE HOLY YEAR IN ROME," THE ARTICLE SAID, "ENABLED THE U.S. AND OTHER MONOPOLISTS TO RECEIVE THE HONOR ALREADY RECEIVED BY GERMAN WAR CRIMINALS ANK THE MURDERER FRANCO (GENEKALISSIMO FRANCO OF SPWIN) -- THE GOLY YEAR BLESSINGS."
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30.24- 10847

NIGHT LEAD POLISH (150)
WARSAW, POLAND, MAY 4-(AP)-A TOP-LEVEL REORGANIZATION OF THE POLISH GOVERNMENT APPEARED TODAY TO BE UNDER WAY. DIPLOMATIC SOURCES SAID ORTHODOX COMMUNISTS WERE REPLACING FORMER SOCIALISTS AND MEMBERS OF OTHER PARTIES.

THEY CITED TODAY'S ANNOUNCED APPOINTMENT OF ALEKSANDER ZAWADZKI AS THIRD VICE PREMIER; ANTONI BIDA, FORMER DIRECTOR OF THE CENSORSHIP BUREAU, AS DIRECTOR OF THE OFFICE FOR RELIGIOUS AFFAIRS DIRECTLY RESPONSIBLE TO THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS, AND THE PROMOTION OF KAZIMIERZ MUJAL FROM CHIEF OF THE PRESIDENT'S CIVIL CHANCELLORY AND STATE COUNCIL CHANCELLORY TO MINISTER OF COMMUNAL AFFAIRS.

IT WAS BELIEVED THE NEW MINISTRY OF COMMUNAL AFFAIRS HAD BEEN CREATED TO GIVE EFFECT TO PARLIAMENT'S DECISION IN MARCH ABOLISHING PREVIOUS FORMS OF LOCAL ADMINISTRATION AND REPLACING THEM AT ALL LEVELS WITH "NATIONAL COUNCILS" PATTERNED UPON THE RUSSIAN MODEL.

THE PRESENT MINISTRY OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION IS ABOUT TO BE LIQUIDATED AND REPLACED BY MUJAL'S NEW MINISTRY, IT WAS SAID.

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(220)
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WARSAW, POLAND, MAY 4-(AP)-ALEKSANDER ZAWADZKI, FORMER CHAIRMAN OF THE TRADES UNION CENTRAL COMMITTEE AND A COMMUNIST POLITBURO MEMBER, HAS BEEN APPOINTED THIRD VICE PREMIER, THE POLISH PRESS AGENCY ANNOUNCED TODAY.

OBSERVERS SAID THEY BELIEVED THE APPOINTMENT WAS OCCASIONED BY CONTINUING ILL HEALTH OF SECOND VICE PREMIER HILARY MINC, CHAIRMAN OF THE STATE ECONOMIC PLANNING COMMISSION. ANTONI KORZYCKI IS FIRST VICE PREMIER.

THE AGENCY ALSO REPORTED THAT KAZIMIERZ MIJAL HAS BEEN APPOINTED MINISTER OF COMMUNAL ECONOMY. THE MINISTRY'S FUNCTION IS NOT STATED, BUT IT IS BELIEVED IT WOULD REPLACE THE PRESENT PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION MINISTRY.

(RUMORS OF AN IMPENDING PURGE IN POLAND'S COMMUNIST PARTY WERE REPORTED IN WASHINGTON YESTERDAY, IN ANOTHER SOVIET MOVE TO TIGHTEN CONTROLS ON IRON CURTAIN COUNTRIES. ABOUT A YEAR AGO MINC WAS REPORTED IN THE PARTY DOGHOUSE IN WARSAW FOR NOT SUPPORTING STEPPED-UP FARM COLLECTIVIZATION.)

ZAWADZKI, ONCE GOVERNOR FOR UPPER SILESIA, IS ONE OF THREE SECRETARIES OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY CENTRAL COMMITTEE AND IS A MEMBER OF THE ORGANIZATIONS BUREAU. THE TRADES UNION CENTRAL COMMITTEE WAS TO MEET IMMEDIATELY TO ELECT A NEW CHAIRMAN, THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID, BUT NO MENTION WAS MADE OF A SUCCESSOR TO MIJAL, WHO PREVIOUSLY HAD BEEN DIRECTOR OF THE PRESIDENT'S CIVIL CHANCELLERY AND THE CHANCELLERY OF THE COUNCIL OF STATE.

SOME SOURCES SAID WLADYSLAW WOLSKI MIGHT BE NAMED CHIEF OF THE OFFICE FOR RELIGIOUS AFFAIRS, WHICH WOULD BE DIRECTLY RESPONSIBLE TO THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS.

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BY EDDY GILMORE

Most western
Moscow, may 4--(AP)--[redacted] diplomats here believe that trygve lie's mission to moscow won't do much [redacted] toward settling the [redacted] east-west cold war.

But some of them speculated there was a chance the united nations secretary general might be able to lay the groundwork for something that COULD lead to an eventual settlement.

Lie [redacted] said in Paris yesterday that he will leave for Moscow on May 10. He will seek soviet agreement for a meeting of world leaders with the united nations security council.

He has had talks with President Truman in Washington and government leaders in Britain and France. [redacted]

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Lie told newsmen in Paris he will try to see Prime Minister Stalin. It was believed here [redacted] Lie will be received by soviet foreign minister Andrei Vishinsky and perhaps deputy premier V. M. Molotov if he asks.

LIE IS TRYING TO RESOLVE THE CRISIS IN THE UNITED NATIONS OVER CHINA. RUSSIA WANTS THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS [redacted] TO SUPPLANT THE NATIONALISTS IN THE U.N. AND HAS BOYCOTTED OR WALKED OUT OF

VARIOUS U.N. ORGANIZATIONS WHERE THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS ARE REPRESENTED. DIPLOMATIC SOURCES HERE TOOK THE VIEW THAT RUSSI WAS UNLIKELY TO AGREE TO ANY PROPOSALS FROM LIE AS LONG AS THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS ARE SEATED IN U.N. BODIES.

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LONDON, MAY 4(AP)- A FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY TRYGVE LIE'S TRIP TO MOSCOW PARALLELED "CERTAIN STEPS" TAKEN BY BRITAIN IN AN ATTEMPT TO END THE DEADLOCK OVER CHINA IN THE UNITED NATIONS.

BRITAIN HAS SOUNDED OUT MEMBERS OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL IN AN EFFORT TO GET A MAJORITY IN FAVOR OF SEATING THE COMMUNISTS IN PLACE OF THE NATIONALISTS.

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A135 (360)
UNDATED TRYGVE LIE
BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

MOSCOW DISPATCHES TODAY MADE IT APPEAR DOUBTFUL THAT PRIME MINISTER JOSEPH STALIN WOULD RECEIVE TRYGVE LIE PERSONALLY WHEN THE UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY GENERAL ARRIVES IN THE SOVIET UNION ON HIS MISSION TO SAVE WORLD PEACE.

A DISPATCH WHICH PASSED THROUGH SOVIET CENSORSHIP PUT IT THIS WAY: "LIE'S STATEMENT THAT HE WOULD LIKE TO SEE STALIN WHILE IN MOSCOW WAS NOTED HERE. IT IS BELIEVED LIE WOULD BE RECEIVED BY FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI VISHINSKY AND PERHAPS BY DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER V.M. MOLOTOV, IF HE ASKS."

IT WOULD BE NO SURPRISE IF STALIN COLD-SHOULDERED THE SECRETARY-GENERAL. STALIN UNDOUBTEDLY REMEMBERS AN OLD WOUND INFLICTED BY THE NORWEGIAN.

IN 1936, AT THE HEIGHT OF THE SOVIET PURGE TRIALS, THE ARCH ENEMY OF THE STALIN REGIME, LEON TROTZKY, FLED TO NORWAY, WHERE HE CONTINUED THE ATTACKS ON THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT HE HAD CARRIED ON IN TURKEY. THE SOVIETS WANTED HIM BACK -- AND BADLY -- TO PLACE ON TRIAL WITH THE OTHER VICTIMS OF THE PURGE.

LIE WAS MINISTER OF JUSTICE IN NORWAY AT THE TIME, AND IT WAS LIE'S OFFICE WHICH REFUSED TO SEND TROTZKY BACK TO RUSSIA. LIE, INSTEAD, GAVE TROTZKY PERMISSION TO LEAVE NORWAY, WHICH DID NOT WANT TO CONTINUE GIVING ASYLUM TO SUCH A CONTROVERSIAL FIGURE. TROTZKY WENT TO MEXICO FROM NORWAY, WON ASYLUM THERE AND CONTINUED HIS WRITTEN BROADSIDES AGAINST THE STALIN REGIME UNTIL AN ASSASSIN SILENCED HIM IN 1940.

LIE VISITED MOSCOW IN 1946, AND AT THAT TIME WAS RECEIVED BOTH BY STALIN AND MOLOTOV. HOWEVER, ON THAT TRIP HE WAS CONCERNED WITH CONFERENCES ON ORGANIZATIONAL PROBLEMS AND POLITICAL QUESTIONS IN CONNECTION WITH THE UNITED NATIONS, OF WHICH HE JUST RECENTLY HAD BECOME SECRETARY-GENERAL. HIS TOUR AT THAT TIME WAS MADE FOR THE PURPOSE OF MEETING PERSONALLY AS MANY WORLD LEADERS AS POSSIBLE.

DIPLOMATS IN MOSCOW EXPRESSED BELIEF THAT LIE'S MISSION WOULD NOT GET FAR TOWARD SETTLING THE COLD WAR. HOWEVER, THERE WAS SOME SPECULATION THAT HE MIGHT BE ABLE TO LAY THE GROUNDWORK FOR SOMETHING THAT MIGHT LEAD TO AN EVENTUAL MEETING OF MINDS.

LIE ANNOUNCED IN PARIS YESTERDAY HE WAS LEAVING FOR MOSCOW NEXT WEDNESDAY TO SEEK SOVIET AGREEMENT ON A MEETING OF WORLD LEADERS WITH THE U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL. HE SAID HE WANTED TO SEE STALIN. HE ALREADY HAS SEEN PRESIDENT TRUMAN IN WASHINGTON AND GOVERNMENT LEADERS IN BRITAIN AND FRANCE.

LIE IS TRYING TO RESOLVE THE U.N. CRISIS OVER CHINA. THE RUSSIANS ARE BOYCOTTING U.N. BODIES BECAUSE OF THE CONTINUED PRESENCE OF CHINESE NATIONALIST DELEGATES INSTEAD OF COMMUNISTS. DIPLOMATS IN MOSCOW AGREED THAT RUSSIA IS UNLIKELY TO ACCEPT ANY PROPOSALS FROM LIE AS LONG AS THE NATIONALISTS REMAIN IN THE U.N.

A FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMAN IN LONDON SAID LIE'S TRIP PARALLELED "CERTAIN STEPS" TAKEN BY BRITAIN IN AN ATTEMPT TO END THE CHINA DEAD-LOCK. BRITAIN, WHICH RECOGNIZED COMMUNIST CHINA, HAS SOUNDED OUT MEMBERS OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL IN AN EFFORT TO GET THE MAJORITY TO GAVOR SEATING THE COMMUNISTS IN THE U.N.

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ASMARA, ERITREA, MAY 4-(AP)-SIXTY NATIVE BANDITS FOUGHT AN HOUR-LONG GUN AND GRENADE BATTLE WITH 30 POLICEMEN SEVEN MILES NORTHEAST OF ASMARA TODAY. FIVE BANDITS WERE SLAIN AND EIGHT POLICEMEN INJURED.
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A124

NIGHT LEAD ARABS (180)

CAIRO, EGYPT, MAY 4-(AP)-EGYPTIAN OFFICIAL CIRCLES WERE REPORTED TONIGHT RESENTFUL OVER A PROPOSAL BY 51 U.S. CONGRESSMEN THAT BRITISH ARMS SHIPMENTS AND AMERICAN ECONOMIC AND TECHNICAL AID TO ARAB NATIONS BE CONDITIONED ON PRIOR PEACE WITH ISRAEL.

PREMIER MUSTAPHA NAHAS PASHA AND FOREIGN MINISTER MOHAMMED SALAN EDDIN BEY DECLINED COMMENT BEFORE STUDYING THE PROPOSAL.

HOWEVER, A HIGHLY RELIABLE SOURCE SAID THAT AS SOON AS COMPLETE INFORMATION HAS BEEN RECEIVED, THE EGYPTIAN GOVERNMENT WILL DRAFT A MEMORANDUM TO LONDON AND WASHINGTON PROTESTING BRITISH-AMERICAN

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"REPEATED MANEUVERS TOWARD FORCING THE ARABS TO SIGN PEACE WITH ISRAEL."
THE INFORMANT SAID EGYPT WILL CONSULT WITH SAUDI ARABIA IN AN EFFORT TO AGREE "ON PRACTICAL MEASURES TO BE TAKEN REGARDING THE U.S."
THIS SOURCE RECALLED THAT THE U.S. HAS LARGE OIL INTERESTS IN SAUDI ARABIA AND ADDED THAT SOME OF THESE OIL FIELD CONCESSIONS ARE DUE TO EXPIRE SOON.
THE AMERICAN CONGRESSIONAL PROPOSAL WAS MADE BY 30 DEMOCRATS AND 21 REPUBLICANS IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.
EARLIER TODAY ABDEL RAHMAN AZZAM PASHA, SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE ARAB LEAGUE, SAID THE ARABS ARE "NOT GOING TO BE INTIMIDATED BY U.S. CONGRESSMEN INTO A HUMILIATING AND UNJUST PEACE WITH ISRAEL.

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B104 (250) Q

CAIRO, EGYPT, MAY 4-(AP)-SECRETARY-GENERAL ABDEL RAHMAN AZZAM PASHA OF THE ARAB LEAGUE DENOUNCED TODAY A PROPOSAL OF 51 MEMBERS OF THE U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO MAKE AID TO ARAB NATIONS CONDITIONAL ON PEACE WITH ISRAEL.

ARABS ARE "NOT GOING TO BE INTIMIDATED BY U.S. CONGRESSMEN INTO A HUMILIATING AND UNJUST PEACE WITH ISRAEL," SAID THE SECRETARY OF THE SEVEN-NATION LEAGUE.

A GROUP OF 30 DEMOCRATS AND 21 REPUBLICANS HAVE ASKED U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON TO SEEK JOINT AMERICAN AND BRITISH ACTION TO BRING ABOUT A FINAL MIDDLE EAST PEACE. THIS, IT WAS SUGGESTED, WOULD BE DONE BY REFUSING BRITISH ARMS SHIPMENTS OR AMERICAN AID UNDER PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S POINT FOUR PROGRAM TO ARAB NATIONS WHICH HAD NOT MADE PEACE WITH THE ISRAELIS.

"IT IS NATURAL THAT ZIONISTS, ANXIOUS TO MAINTAIN THEIR MILITARY SUPERIORITY IN THE MIDDLE EAST, TRY TO USE THEIR INFLUENCE IN THE U.S. TOWARD BARRING ARABS FROM ARMS SUPPLIES," AZZAM PASHA SAID IN AN INTERVIEW. "BUT IT IS UNFORTUNATE THAT A LEADING NATION LIKE AMERICA SHOULD, UNDER JEWISH INFLUENCE, ACT AGAINST THE HIGH PRINCIPLES OF JUSTICE AND LIBERTY FOR WHICH IT FOUGHT TWO GREAT WARS.

"THE U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT AND BRITISH FOREIGN OFFICE ARE FULLY AWARE ARABS HAVE NO WARLIKE INTENTIONS AND THAT THEY NEED ARMS FOR SELF DEFENSE.

"THE ARABS WERE GREAT ADMIRERS OF AMERICA AND AMERICANS, BUT I DOUBT MANY ADMIRERS OF THE U.S. WILL BE LEFT FROM INDONESIA TO CASABLANCA IN THE FACE OF THE PRESENT AMERICAN POLICY BASED ON YIELDING TO ZIONISM AND FANATICISM AND TURNING PRESSURE ON ARABS."

SPEAKING OF THE SUGGESTED WITHHOLDING OF POINT FOUR AID, AZZAM PASHA ADDED:

"FOR MORE THAN 5,000 YEARS WE PRODUCED SEVERAL CIVILIZATIONS WHEN THE AMERICAN CONTINENT WAS NOT YET DISCOVERED. WE CAN LIVE WITHOUT AMERICAN CHARITY."

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B80 (Q IN)

NEW DELHI, INDIA, MAY 4-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER JAWAHARLAL NEHRU WILL LEAVE INDIA JUNE 2 ABOARD THE CRUISER DELHI FOR A WEEK'S VISIT IN INDONESIA AS GUEST OF PRESIDENT SOEKARNO, IT WAS ANNOUNCED TODAY.

NEHRU WILL BE RETURNING AN OFFICIAL STATE VISIT OF THE INDONESIAN PRESIDENT TO INDIA EARLY THIS YEAR. HE WILL BE ACCOMPANIED BY HIS DAUGHTER INDIRA. THE CRUISER IS SCHEDULED TO ARRIVE AT JAKARTA, INDONESIAN CAPITAL, ON JUNE 7.

THE PRIME MINISTER PLANS TO FLY HOME IN AN INDIAN GOVERNMENT PLANE, STOPPING OFF AT SINGAPORE AND RANGOON FOR BRIEF VISITS.

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B59 (Q)

(240)

NEW DELHI, INDIA, MAY 4-(AP)-INDIAN PRIME MINISTER JAWAHARLAL NEHRU TODAY URGED A CHANGE IN THE "POISONOUS ATMOSPHERE" BETWEEN INDIA AND PAKISTAN AND SAID THE TWO COUNTRIES SHOULD HAVE COMMON FOREIGN AND DEFENSE POLICIES.

NEHRU TOLD A JOINT MEETING OF INDIAN AND PAKISTANI NEWSPAPER EDITORS THAT THE TWO NEIGHBORS, BY FOLLOWING A COMMON POLICY, CAN PLAY A LARGE PART IN ASIAN AND WORLD AFFAIRS.

INDIA AND PAKISTAN, HE SAID, "IN A HUNDRED WAYS ARE SO CLOSELY CONNECTED THAT THIS IS THE NATURAL, INEVITABLE COURSE FOR THEM TO FOLLOW."

HE ADDED THAT THIS WAS NECESSARY "NOT MERELY FROM AN IDEALISTIC BUT A SHEER OPPORTUNISTIC POINT OF VIEW."

HE URGED THAT FEAR AND SUSPICION BE REMOVED FROM THE MINDS OF THE HINDU AND MOSLEM MINORITIES, WHOSE COMMUNAL CLASHES ALONG EACH COUNTRY'S BORDERS HAVE GROWN INTO THREATS OF WAR.

THIS RELIGIOUS CONFLICT, WHICH WAS FANNED INTO AN OPEN FLAME WHEN THE TWO COUNTRIES GAINED THEIR INDEPENDENCE FROM THE 300-YEAR BRITISH RULE, "ONLY TENDED TO DISABLE BOTH COUNTRIES FOR GENERATIONS TO PLAY THEIR JOINT PART IN ASIAN AND WORLD AFFAIRS," NEHRU SAID.

PAKISTAN MINISTER OF INTERIOR K. SHAHBUDDIN APPEALED FOR THE CREATION OF CONDITIONS WHERE THE MINORITIES COULD SPEND THEIR LIVES IN PEACE, SAFETY AND HONOR, AND IN EXERCISE OF THEIR RELIGIOUS, CULTURAL AND CIVIC RIGHTS.

A 28-MEMBER PAKISTAN PRESS DELEGATION ARRIVED HERE TUESDAY TO CONFER WITH INDIAN EDITORS TO DEVISE A COMMON CODE FOR CARRYING OUT THE TERMS OF THE AGREEMENT SIGNED APRIL 8 BY NEHRU AND PAKISTAN'S PREMIER LIAQUAT ALI KHAN. THE AGREEMENT AIMS AT ENDING THE RELIGIOUS STRIFE AND SETTLING OTHER DIFFERENCES EXISTING BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES.

MK814AED

B60 (Q)

(130)

RANGOON, BURMA, MAY 4-(AP)-KOREA WANTS TO IMPORT BURMA TEAKWOODS FOR CONSTRUCTION, THE CHAIRMAN OF A KOREAN TRADE MISSION SAID HERE TODAY.

HEADED BY DR. CHUNGSOO OH AND ACCOMPANIED BY AMERICAN ADVISER DR. MACKENZIE STEVENS, THE GROUP OF 15 KOREAN BUSINESSMEN ARRIVED LAST NIGHT FOR A ONE-DAY STOPOVER. THE MISSION WILL INVESTIGATE POSSIBILITIES OF TRADE EXCHANGES, ESPECIALLY BARTER SWAPS, THE

KOREAN CHAIRMAN SAID.
KOREA, CHUNGSOO OH SAID, WOULD LIKE TO EXCHANGE TEXTILES, SILK, RAYON, GINSENG, PORCELAIN, GLASSWARE AND MARINE PRODUCTS FOR BURMESE RUBBER, WOOD, EDIBLE OILS AND JUTE.
DURING A 30,000-MILE TOUR THE KOREAN GROUP WILL VISIT 15 COUNTRIES INCLUDING INDIA, AUSTRALIA, NEW ZEALAND AND COUNTRIES OF SOUTHEAST ASIA. THEY LEAVE FOR INDIA FRIDAY AND RETURN TO KOREA JULY 5.
MK816AED

BY STANLEY SWINTON

Tehran, Iran, May 4--(AP)--Russia's declared diplomatic boycott of the state funeral for the late Shah Reza Pahlevi here Sunday may openly swing Iran into the Western orbit in the cold war, diplomatic circles here said today.

The former ruler abdicated in 1941 in favor of his son, the present shah. He died in exile in Johannesburg, South Africa, in 1944. His remains are being returned to Tehran for burial with elaborate ceremonies.

The Soviet press disclosed in Moscow several days ago that Russia's representatives in Iran would not attend the funeral. Moscow Radio broadcasts heard here quoted attacks on the late shah by both Izvestia, the Soviet government's official newspaper, and Pravda, newspaper of the Russian Communist Party.

The Moscow papers called the late shah a "Hitlerite stooge." They also accused the present Iranian government of carrying on the "ultra reactionary" policies of the former ruler.

Hitherto Iran has remained formally neutral in the cold war. Western diplomats believe the U.S.S.R.'s attitude on the funeral ceremony may tip the scales in favor of the West.

Lt. Gen. James Van Fleet, head of the American military mission in Greece, is flying here as President Truman's personal representative at the funeral. Special delegations from the major nations outside the Soviet bloc are crowding Tehran hotels.

Reza Pahlevi rose from private in the army to become founder of Iran's present ruling house. His abdication was forced because of his alleged pro-Nazi views when Soviet and British troops occupied Iran. His remains

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w Western diplomats believe the Soviet boycott of the funeral will mean these things:

1. The U.S.S.R. will alienate the present shah, who largely determines Iran's position in the cold war. The shah idolizes his late father for turning ancient Persia into modern Iran by building roads, factories and up-to-date cities. The funeral boycott is a slap in the face of the present ruling house, the diplomats say.

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2. Russia's attitude may eventually cost Premier Ali Mansur his post. Mansur has been considered absolutely neutral, being equally friendly with the U.S. S.R. and the West. The shah reportedly appointed him against American wishes to demonstrate Iranian neutrality. While the shah may take no immediate action, some diplomats believe that as a result of the funeral boycott he may replace Mansur with a pro-Western premier. This would have the additional advantage of increasing the possibility for American economic aid for which depression-stricken Iran is crying.

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(250)
NIGHT LEAD CHINESE
BY SPENCER MOOSA
TAIPEI,FORMOSA, MAY 4-(AP)-THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS TOLD A PARTY OF VISITING AMERICAN NEWSMEN TODAY THAT RUSSIA AND THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS WERE MAKING JOINT PREPARATIONS FOR WORLD WAR.
THE 19 NEWSMEN WHO ARRIVED YESTERDAY FOR A CONDUCTED TOUR OF THIS NATIONALIST CENTER. HEARD THESE CHARGES AT A CONFERENCE GIVEN BY GEN. CHOU CHI-JOU, CHIEF OF THE JOINT GENERAL STAFF.
THEY ALSO RECEIVED REPORTS IN THE SAME VEIN FROM PREMIER CHEN CHENG AND GEN. FISHER HOU, DEFENSE MINISTRY INTELLIGENCE OFFICER.
THE NATIONALISTS MADE SUCH ASSERTIONS AS THESE:
THAT 100 COMMUNIST DIVISIONS WERE BEING "SOVIETIZED" IN ORGANIZATION AND EQUIPMENT; THAT RUSSIA HAD PROMISED THE REDS 600 WARPLANES AND SO FAR HAD SENT 277 TO THE SHANGHAI AREA; THAT A RUSSIAN SUBMARINE DIVISION WAS BASED AT TSINGTAO AND RUSSIAN SUBMARINES HAD BEEN SEEN NEAR SHANGHAI, FORMOSA AND HAINAN.
THAT THE RUSSIANS HAD GIVEN THE REDS 34 WARSHIPS, TOTALLING 37,000 TONS, WHICH THEY GOT AS JAPANESE WAR REPARATIONS; THAT 23,000 SOVIET MILITARY ADVISERS AND TECHNICIANS NOW WERE IN CHINA; THAT THE RUSSIANS HAVE BEEN TRAINING CHINESE AIRMEN IN SIBERIA, MANCHURIA AND NORTH KOREA EVER SINCE JAPAN'S SURRENDER AND THAT RUSSIANS WERE SUPERVISING AIRFIELD CONSTRUCTION THROUGHOUT CHINA.
THE CHIEF OF STAFF SAID THAT WITHOUT RUSSIAN HELP THE REDS COULD NOT INVADE FORMOSA, AND "WITHOUT FORMOSA THE WHOLE OF SOUTHEAST ASIA IS VIRTUALLY LOST TO THE REDS."
GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK RECEIVED THE CORRESPONDENTS BRIEFLY AND TOLD THEM TO GATHER INFORMATION WHEREVER THEY WISHED AND "REACH YOUR OWN CONCLUSIONS."
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A100FX
OCHINESE (470)
BY SPENCER MOOSA
TAIPEI,FORMOSA,MAY 4-(AP)-NATIONALIST CHINA'S TOP LEADERS TOLD VISITING AMERICAN NEWSMEN TODAY THAT RUSSIA AND RED CHINA ARE PREPARING FOR WORLD WAR.
THE RUSSIANS, THEY SAID, HAVE THROWN PLANES, WARSHIPS AND MEN INTO THE FIGHT TO KNOCK OUT THE NATIONALISTS, NOW STANDING ON A FEW FRINGE ISLANDS WITH THEIR BACKS TO THE SEA.
GEN.CHOU CHI-JOU, CHIEF OF THE JOINT GENERAL STAFF, SAID:
ONE HUNDRED CHINESE COMMUNIST DIVISIONS ARE BEING "SOVIETIZED" IN ORGANIZATION AND EQUIPMENT.
RUSSIA HAS PROMISED THE CHINESE REDS 600 PLANES. ALREADY 237 ARE IN THE SHANGHAI AREA. AT LEAST 20 HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED AS JETS.
SOVIET SUBMARINES ARE USING TSINGTAO AS A BASE IN ADDITION TO DAIREN AND PORT ARTHUR. RUSSIAN SUBS PROWL THE ENTIRE CHINA COAST, HAVE BEEN SPOTTED NEAR SHANGHAI, FORMOSA AND HAINAN.
RUSSIA GAVE THE CHINESE REDS 34 WARSHIPS TOTALING 37,000 TONS RECEIVED FROM JAPAN AS WAR REPARATIONS.
A TOTAL OF 23,000 SOVIET ADVISERS AND TECHNICIANS ARE IN RED CHINA. OF THESE, 12,000 ARE WITH THE ARMY, 8,000 WITH THE NAVY AND 3,000 WITH THE AIR FORCE.
PRESIDENT CHIANG KAI-SHEK TOLD THE 19 NEWSMEN WHO ARRIVED HERE YESTERDAY THEY HAD COME TO FORMOSA "AT THE CRITICAL MOMENT IN OUR HISTORY . . . IN WHICH WE ARE ENGAGED IN A LIFE AND DEATH STRUGGLE."
"SEE FOR YOURSELVES AND REACH YOUR OWN CONCLUSIONS," HE URGED.
PREMIER CHEN CHENG SAID:
"YOU'VE COME AT A TIME OF COLD WAR THROUGHOUT THE WORLD TO FORMOSA FROM WHICH A HOT WAR IS BEING FOUGHT . . . WE NOT ONLY ARE DETERMINED TO FIGHT TO THE VERY LAST BUT ARE ALSO CONFIDENT OF FINAL VICTORY."
THE REDS MUST ATTACK FORMOSA BEFORE JULY OR WAIT UNTIL NEXT SPRING BECAUSE OF ROUGH WEATHER, CHEN SAID. HE PLEADED FOR HELP--EQUIPMENT, MONEY, MORAL SUPPORT.

CHOU PREDICTED NATIONALIST CHINA'S "ANTI-COMMUNIST AND ANTI-SOVIET" WAR WOULD BE LONG AND WORLD-WIDE.

THE CHINESE REDS HAVE IMPRESSED MANY WITH THEIR RAPID EXPANSION THROUGHOUT ALL OF MAINLAND CHINA, HE SAID, "BUT THE FACTS SHOW THEY ARE ALREADY ON THE WAY TO TOTAL COLLAPSE.

"WE HAVE WITHDRAWN FROM THE MAINLAND BUT HAVE RECOVERED THE HEARTS OF THE PEOPLE."

THE CHIEF OF STAFF SAID GUERRILLAS CAUSED THE NATIONALIST DEFEATS. NOW, HE SAID, THE SAME SITUATION CONFRONTS THE CHINESE REDS. NATIONALIST GUERRILLA BANDS COUNT 1,500,000 MEN, HE SAID. THEY "GROW UP LIKE MUSHROOMS AFTER RAIN."

CHOU ARGUED THE COMMUNISTS COULD NOT INVADE FORMOSA, ABOUT 100 MILES OFF THE CHINA COAST, WITHOUT RUSSIAN HELP.

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"WITHOUT FORMOSA THE WHOLE OF SOUTHEAST ASIA IS VIRTUALLY LOST TO THE REDS," HE ASSERTED.

BUT THE REDS ARE PREPARED TO INVADE FORMOSA AND CHUSHAN, THE TINY BLOCKADE BASE SOUTHEAST OF SHANGHAI, CHOU WARNED. HE SAID:

FROM THE YANGTZE RIVER TO THE PORT OF SWATOW OPPOSITE FORMOSA THE REDS HAVE MOBILIZED 6,600 MOTORIZED CRAFT CAPABLE OF CARRYING 100,000 MEN.

GEN.FISHER HOU OF THE DEFENSE MINISTRY SAID THE CHINESE REDS HAVE 2,260,000 (M) REGULARS AND 3,420,000 (M) AUXILIARIES UNDER ARMS. RUSSIANS ARE SUPERVISING THE REBUILDING OF MANY AIRFIELDS ON MAINLAND CHINA, HE ADDED.

FINANCE MINISTER C.K.YEN SAID THE NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT PRESENTED WASHINGTON WITHOUT RESULT IN MARCH A $50,000,000 (M) AID PROGRAM. OF THIS, HE SAID, $30,000,000 (M) WAS SOUGHT TO STABILIZE CURRENCY.

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A63KX

NIGHT LEAD JAPANESE BASES (200)

TOKYO, MAY 4-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR TOLD THE RUSSIANS TODAY THAT THEIR COMPLAINT ABOUT AMERICAN MILITARY BASES IN JAPAN AND OKINAWA "CAN ONLY BE REGARDED AS A VEHICLE OF POPAGANDA OR A PROVOCATIVE IMPERTINENCE."

LT. GEN. KUZMA DEREVYANKO, SOVIET MEMBER OF THE FOUR-POWER ALLIED COUNCIL FOR JAPAN, MADE PUBLIC YESTERDAY A LETTER TO MACARTHUR, ASSERTING MAINTENANCE OF THE AMERICAN BASES VIOLATED OCCUPATION POLICY AND DEMANDING AN EXPLANATION OF "RECONSTRUCTION OF THE FORMER JAPANESE NAVAL AND AIR BASES."

IN A 250-WORD REPLY, THE OCCUPATION COMMANDER WROTE THAT THE UNITED STATES ALONE CONTROLLED OKINAWA AND COULD MAKE ANY MILITARY PREPARATIONS THERE THAT IT WISHED. THE RUSSIAN INQUIRY ON THAT POINT, HE WROTE, "IS THEREFORE A PRESUMPTION WITHOUT THE SLIGHTEST EXCUSE OF VALIDITY."

AS FOR JAPAN, HE SAID, BASES FOR BOTH AMERICAN AND BRITISH OCCUPATION FORCES "ARE---AND WILL CONTINUE TO BE SO LONG AS THE OCCUPATION LASTS---MAINTAINED IN A CONDITION OF SUCH ADEQUACY AND PREPAREDNESS AS WILL INSURE THE FULLEST SECURITY, OPERATIONAL EFFICIENCY, AND MOST COMPLETE READINESS FOR ANY EVENTUALITY."

FINAL DISPOSITION OF THE BASES "CAN BE DETERMINED ONLY BY A PEACE TREATY," MACARTHUR ADDED.

"ALL OF THESE FACTS ARE SO WELL KNOWN TO YOU, WHO HAVE BEEN HERE FROM THE BEGINNING OF THE OCCUPATION, THAT I CANNOT ACCEPT THE INTEGRITY OF YOUR LETTER," HE TOLD THE RUSSIAN.

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JAPANESE BASES (380)

BY RUSSELL BRINES

TOKYO, MAY 4-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR TODAY REBUKED AS "PROVACATIVE IMPERTINENCE" A RUSSIAN CLAIM THAT MAINTENANCE OF AMERICAN MILITARY BASES IN JAPAN VIOLATES ALLIED OCCUPATION POLICIES.

IN A SHARP 250 WORDS THE SUPREME COMMANDER DISMISSED YESTERDAY'S DEMAND BY LT.GEN.KUZMA DEREVYANKO FOR AN EXPLANATION OF THE "RECONSTRUCTION OF THE FORMER JAPANESE NAVAL AND AIR BASES" IN JAPAN AND OKINAWA.

MACARTHUR TOLD THE TOP RUSSIAN REPRESENTATIVE IN JAPAN THAT OKINAWA DOES NOT COME UNDER INTERNATIONAL CONTROL. HE CONTINUED:

"THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT IS ENTIRELY FREE TO TAKE SUCH MILITARY MEASURES THEREIN AS IT MAY DEEM ADVISABLE. YOUR INQUIRY CONCERNING THIS MATTER IS THEREFORE A PRESUMPTION WITHOUT THE SLIGHTEST EXCUSE OF VALIDITY."

MACARTHUR TOLD DEREVYANKO THAT "YOUR PROFESSED ANXIETY WITH REFERENCE TO JAPAN PROPER, WHICH IS SUBJECT TO LIMITED INTERNATIONAL SUPERVISION, IS QUITE GROUNDLESS."

THE ALLIED COMMANDER WENT ON TO SAY THE DEMILITARIZATION ORDERED BY THE FAR EASTERN COMMISSION HAS BEEN ACCOMPLISHED, AND HE ADDED:

"AS FOR BASES AND INSTALLATIONS FOR THE FORCES OF OCCUPATION, BOTH AMERICAN AND BRITISH, THEY ARE--AND WILL CONTINUE TO BE SO LONG AS OCCUPATION LASTS--MAINTAINED IN A CONDITION OF SUCH ADEQUACY AND PREPAREDNESS AS WILL INSURE THE FULLEST SECURITY, OPERATIONAL EFFICIENCY, AND MOST COMPLETE READINESS FOR ANY EVENTUALITY."

HE BLUNTLY INFORMED THE RUSSIAN THAT MILITARY DETAILS ABOUT JAPANESE BASES "ARE MATTERS WHICH CONCERN ONLY THEIR COMMANDERS."

MACARTHUR SAID THE FUTURE OF THESE BASES CAN BE DETERMINED ONLY BY A JAPANESE PEACE TREATY.

THE OCCUPATION CHIEF CONCLUDED:

"ALL OF THESE FACTS ARE SO WELL KNOWN TO YOU, WHO HAVE BEEN HERE FROM THE BEGINNING OF THE OCCUPATION, THAT I CANNOT ACCEPT THE INTEGRITY OF INTENT OF YOUR LETTER. IT CAN ONLY BE REGARDED AS A VEHICLE OF PROPAGANDA OR A PROVACATIVE IMPERTINENCE."

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DEREVYANKO'S LETTER WAS THE FIRST OFFICIAL SOVIET ATTACK ON AMERICAN AND BRITISH MAINTENANCE OF BASES IN JAPAN. HOWEVER COMMUNIST PROPAGANDISTS IN RUSSIA AND ASIA HAVE MADE THEM FREQUENT TARGETS OF ATTACK.

THE SOVIET LETTER WAS SEEN BY SOME HERE AS POSSIBLY HERALDING ACCELERATION OF THE RED PROPAGANDA ON AN ISSUE WHICH IS CUTTING DEEPER ACROSS THE JAPANESE CONSCIOUSNESS.

THE SHARPNESS OF MACARTHUR'S REPLY INDICATES HE WANTS TO SPIKE ANY SUCH COMMUNIST EFFORT.

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B66KX (Q)

APW

SEOUL,KOREA,MAY 4-(AP)-DR.ANUP SINGH OF INDIA BROADCAST A PLEA TO COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA LAST NIGHT TO KEEP THE PEACE DESPITE IDEOLOGICAL DIFFERENCES WITH SOUTH KOREA.

SINGH, MEMBER OF THE UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION TO KOREA, SAID THE U.N. WOULD CONTINUE TO STUDY THE SPLIT NATION'S PROBLEM. THE ISSUE, HE SAID, "MUST BE SETTLED BY BALLOTS, NOT BULLETS."

BUT HE DID NOT OFFER A SOLUTION AS WAS PROMISED IN AN EARLIER BROADCAST.

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B64KX (Q)
(150)
TOKYO, MAY 4-(AP)-JAPAN'S COMMUNIST STUDENTS HOWLED WRATHFULLY TODAY ABOUT THE "OUST COMMUNISTS" PROPOSAL OF AN AMERICAN EDUCATOR WHO ~~WENT RIGHT ON SUGGESTING THE REDS BE TOSSED OUT OF NIPPON'S SCHOOLS.~~

WENT RIGHT ON SUGGESTING THE REDS BE TOSSED OUT OF NIPPON'S SCHOOLS.
THE PRO-COMMUNIST NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STUDTNTS SELF-GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATIONS SAID IN A STATEMENT DR. W.E. EELLS SUGGESTIONS WERE CONTRARY TO THE POTSDAM DECLARATION AND PRINCIPLES OF THE FAR EASTERN COMMISSION.
EELLS, AN OCCUPATION OFFICIAL, WAS SHOUTED DOWN EARLIER THIS WEEK AT TOHOKU UNIVERSITY IN SENDAI. HE SPOKE TODAY WITHOUT INCIDENT AT YAMAGATA UNIVERSITY.
SIX HUNDRED TOHOKU STUDENTS FORCED THEIR WAY INTO A UNIVERSITY HALL, BARRED ALL BUT SYMPATHIZERS AND DEMANDED AN APOLOGY FROM SCHOOL OFFICIALS. THEY HAD BEEN DENIED USE OF THE HALL FOR A MASS RALLY.
THE FEDERATION URGED JAPAN'S EDUCATION MINISTRY TO HALT EELLS' TALKS. AT A HALF DOZEN SCHOOLS, HIS LECTURES HAVE EVOKED HANDBILLS, HECKLERS AND BOYCOTTS.
PRIME MINISTER SHIGERU YOSHIDA TODAY ORDERED A REPORT ON THE TOHOKU INCIDENT.
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B85 (Q IN) (120)
JAKARTA, U.S.I. MAY 4-(AP)-MATTHEW FOX, AMERICAN BUSINESS AND MOVIE EXECUTIVE WHO PUT A REPORTED $500,000 INTO INDONESIA'' FIGHT FOR INDEPENDENCE, IS GOING INTO BUSINESS IN A BIG WAY HERE, HIS AIDES SAID TODAY.
THE FOX OFFICE ANNOUNCED PLANS FOR AN "EXTENSIVE PROGRAM" OF INDUSTRIALIZATION, DEVELOPMENT AND TRADE.
THE ANNOUNCEMENT FOLLOWED YESTERDAY'S STATEMENT BY PRIME MINISTER MOHAMED HATTA WHICH SAID A CONTROVERSIAL TWO-YEAR OLD CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ORIGINAL INDONESIAN REPUBLIC AND FOX GRANTING HIM VIRTUAL MONOPOLY ON GOVERNMENT TRADE HAD BEEN ANNULLED WITH CONSENT OF BOTH PARTIES.
HATTA ALSO SAID THE AMERICAN FINANCIER WAS WELCOME TO GO INTO BUSINESS HERE ON A NON-EXCLUSIVE BASIS. HE TERMED THE PREVIOUS CONTRACT A VALUABLE ASSET IN THE INDEPENDENCE STRUGGLE.
FOX HIMSELF RECENTLY RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES WITH THE ANNOUNCED PURPOSE OF PUTTING HIS FIRM'S NEW INDONESIAN DEVELOPMENT PLAN INTO ACTION.
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(160)
SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA, MAY 4-(AP)-THE LABOR PARTY ENDORSED IN PRINCIPLE TODAY THE MOVE TO OUTLAW THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN AUSTRALIA, BUT ANNOUNCED IT WOULD PRESS FOR FOUR MAJOR AMENDMENTS.
THE ANTI-COMMUNIST BILL WAS INTRODUCED IN PARLIAMENT APRIL 27 BY AUSTRALIA'S LIBERAL PRIME MINISTER, ROBERT E. MENZIES, A POLITICAL OPPONENT OF THE LABOR PARTY. THIS BILL WOULD OUTLAW THE COMMUNIST PARTY, PREVENT IT FROM REARISING IN OTHER FORMS AND DIRECT A WEEDING OUT OF COMMUNISTS FROM KEY POSTS IN TRADE UNIONS.
THE LABOR PARTY DECIDED, AFTER TWO DAYS OF DISCUSSIONS, TO SEEK THESE AMENDMENTS: TO PLACE THE BURDEN OF PROOF OF COMMUNIST AFFILIATION UPON THE GOVERNMENT RATHER THAN UPON THE INDIVIDUAL; TO GUARANTEE AGAINST POLICE SEARCHES WITHOUT WARRANTS; TO EXTEND THE RIGHT OF APPEAL AS HIGH AS A STATE SUPREME COURT; TO GUARANTEE GOVERNMENT PAYMENT OF APPEAL COSTS OF THOSE PERSONS PROVED INNOCENT.
IN THE AUSTRALIAN COALFIELDS, A THREATENED ONE-DAY WORK STOPPAGE BY THE MINERS IN PROTEST AGAINST THE BILL WAS HALF-HEARTED. IN QUEENSLAND, 44 MINES CONTINUED WORK AND ONLY SIX WERE IDLE. THE 88 MINES IN NEW SOUTH WALES ALSO WERE WORKING, ALTHOUGH MANY MINERS' MEETINGS WERE BEING HELD AT THE PITS.
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A74WX (OPTIONAL)
(375)
OPTIONAL SECOND NIGHT LEAD TRUMAN ROUNDUP
BY D.HAROLD OLIVER
WASHINGTON, MAY4-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN STIRRED SOME BEWILDERMENT ON CAPITOL HILL TODAY WITH HIS NEWS CONFERENCE STATEMENT THAT THE OUTLOOK HAS IMPROVED IN THE COLD WAR WITH RUSSIA.
MR. TRUMAN SAID THE SITUATION IS NOT NEARLY AS BAD AS IT WAS IN THE FIRST HALF OF 1946.
LEGISLATORS COMMENTED THAT APPARENTLY MR. TRUMAN DID NOT SEE QUITE EYE TO EYE WITH HIS TWO HIGHEST MILITARY ADVISERS, SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON AND GEN. OMAR BRADLEY, OR WITH OTHER DEFENSE CHIEFS WHO HAVE MADE SOME EMPHATIC REMARKS RECENTLY ABOUT THE SOVIET THREAT.
THE PRESIDENT'S STATEMENT PARTICULARLY BAFFLED CONGRESSMEN WORKING IN A BIPARTISAN EFFORT TO STRENGTHEN THE NATION'S ARMED FORCES AGAINST A POSSIBLE EMERGENCY.
IT CAME SHORTLY AFTER A RATHER RELUCTANT HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE VOTED TO EXTEND THE DRAFT FOR TWO MORE YEARS.
THE COMMITTEE ACTED AFTER CLOSED-DOOR TESTIMONY YESTERDAY BY SECRETARY JOHNSON, OFFICIALS OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF. BRADLEY IS CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT CHIEFS.
COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN VINSON (D-GA) COMMENTED:
"I'M RELYING ON WHAT GENERAL BRADLEY AND THE OTHER MEMBERS OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF TOLD US."
BRADLEY SAID AT A PUBLIC SESSION TUESDAY THAT RECENT EVENTS ADD UP TO "A VERY BAD SITUATION." HE TOOK THE POSITION THAT THE SITUATION WAS WORSE THAN IT HAD BEEN SOME MONTHS AGO, ALTHOUGH HE EMPHASIZED THAT WAR IS FAR FROM INEVITABLE IF THE UNITED STATES STAYS STRONG.
"IF MR. TRUMAN HAD MADE HIS STATEMENT PRIOR TO THE COMMITTEE MEETING THIS MORNING, MORE THAN ONE MEMBER WOULD HAVE VOTED AGAINST THE DRAFT EXTENSION," SAID REP. COLE (R-NY).
"IT IS TOO BAD THAT THE PRESIDENT AND HIS SECRETARY OF DEFENSE CAN'T GET TOGETHER ON APPRAISING THE WORLD SITUATION."
JOHNSON NOTIFIED CONGRESS LAST WEEK THE SITUATION REQUIRED AN UPWARD REVISION IN DEFENSE SPENDING.
A DEMOCRATIC LEADER WHO ASKED THAT HIS NAME NOT BE USED SAID, "IT MIGHT BE WISE FOR MR.TRUMAN TO GET TOGETHER WITH HIS SECRETARY OF DEFENSE BEFORE HE MAKES A STATEMENT LIKE THAT."
"WHAT CAN I SAY?" WAS THE RESPONSE OF REP.MAHON (D-TEX). CHAIRMAN

OF THE HOUSE MILITARY APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE.

IN RESPONSE TO A REQUEST BY JOHNSON ABOUT TEN DAYS AGO, MAHON IS SCHEDULED TO OFFER AN AMENDMENT TO INCREASE THE PENDING 1951 DEFENSE BUDGET BY $350,000,000 (M).

VINSON, IN A STRONGLY WORDED SPEECH LAST MONTH, SAID THE AMOUNT RECOMMENDED BY MR.TRUMAN FOR MILITARY DEFENSE WAS INSUFFICIENT. UNDER IT, HE SAID, AMERICAN AIR POWER WOULD WITHER ON THE VINE.

MR.TRUMAN TOLD REPORTERS HE THINKS THE WORLD SITUATION IS IMPROVING HE MAY BE AN OPTIMIST, HE SAID, BUT ONE HAS TO BE AN OPTIMIST TO BE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

HE SPOKE OUT AT A NEWS CONFERENCE AGAINST A REORGANIZED UNITED NATIONS WITH RUSSIA EXCLUDED, AS SUGGESTED BY FORMER PRESIDENT HOOVER, AND SAID THE U.S. WILL CONTINUE TO SUPPORT THE UN AS LONG AS HE IS PRESIDENT. IN MOST INSTANCES THE UN IS WORKING WELL, HE ADDED.

AS IF TO POINT UP HIS GUARDED OPTIMISM, HE SAID THE NATION'S DEFENSE BUDGET FOR THE YEAR STARTING JULY 1, 1951 WOULD BE SMALLER THAN FOR NEXT FISCAL YEAR, NOW ESTIMATED AT $14,261,127,300.

HE SAID THE ADMINISTRATION'S RECENT PROPOSAL TO INCREASE THE DEFENSE APPROPRIATION BY $350,000,000 WAS NOT BASED ON ALARM BY ANY SENSE OF THE WORD, BUT WAS SIMPLY TO GIVE THIS COUNTRY AN ADEQUATE DEFENSE.

MR.TRUMAN'S OPTIMISM DID NOT QUITE SQUARE WITH RECENT STATEMENTS BY HIS DEFENSE CHIEFS. SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON, IN JUSTIFYING THE $350,000,000 INCREASE FOR PLANES, WARSHIP MODERNIZATION, AND ANTI-SUBMARINE DEVICES, SAID THE RUSSIAN ATOMIC BOMB EXPLOSION, THE FALL OF CHINA, AND OTHER SERIOUS INTERNATIONAL EVENTS HAD CAUSED A REVALUATION OF AMERICA'S DEFENSE PLANS.

AND GENERAL OMAR BRADLEY, IN A NEW PLEA THIS WEEK FOR EXTENSION OF THE DRAFT, SAID RECENT WORLD EVENTS ADD UP TO A VERY BAD SITUATION.

MR.TRUMAN'S REMARKS BEGAN WITH A REPLY TO A QUESTION ABOUT A STATEMENT BY SENATOR TYDINGS (D-MD) THAT THIS COUNTRY IS CLOSE TO A SHOOTING WAR WITH RUSSIA.

HE SAID THE SENATOR IS UNDULY ALARMED AND THEN EXPRESSED HIS BELIEF THAT THE SITUATION HAS IMPROVED OVER 1946.

WHILE DISAGREEING WITH FORMER PRESIDENT HOOVER ON A NEW UN WITHOUT RUSSIA, MR. TRUMAN SAID HE COMPLIMENTED HOOVER AT THE WHITE HOUSE YESTERDAY ON HIS COMPANION PROPOSAL THAT WORLD MORAL FORCES BE STRENGTHENED HE ADDED HE AND THE FORMER REPUBLICAN CHIEF EXECUTIVE ARE PERFECTLY FRIENDLY.

REPLYING TO THOSE WHO SAY THE U.S.CAN NO LONGER AFFORD THE MARSHALL PLAN BECAUSE OF MOUNTING DEFICITS, HE SAID THIS WAS THE SAME OLD ARGUMENT WHICH HAS BEEN MADE EVER SINCE THE ECONOMIC AID PLAN WAS STARTED.

IT'S MUCH CHEAPER THAN A SHOOTING WAR, HE CONTINUED. HE REPEATED THAT THE DEFICIT WAS CAUSED BY FAILURE OF CONGRESS TO LEVY SUFFICIENT TAXES TO SUPPORT GOVERNMENT NEEDS AND ITS COMMITMENTS ABROAD.

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HE SAID THERE IS NOTHING TO THE CLAIM THAT EVERY TIME THERE IS A STALIN SCARE THIS COUNTRY SPENDS ANOTHER BILLION FOR DEFENSE, AND REITERATED THE CURRENT BUDGET IS AS TIGHT AS IT CAN BE MADE.

FEARS THAT THE NORTHWEST AND ALASKA MAY BE WRITTEN OFF IN DEFENSE PLANS AS "EXPENDABLE", AS A REPORTER PUT IT, ARE UNNECESSARY AND UNFOUNDED, THE PRESIDENT SAID.

A REPORTER WANTED TO KNOW WHETHER WHITE HOUSE MAIL RECENTLY HAS SHOWN A GROWING CONCERN AMONG THE PEOPLE OVER COMMUNISM AND WHETHER COMMUNISM WILL BE A FACTOR IN THE COMING ELECTIONS. THE PRESIDENT REPLIED THE PEOPLE ARE ALWAYS UNEASY ABOUT AN ORGANIZATION THAT BELIEVES IN THE OVERTHROW OF THE UNITED STATES BY VIOLENCE.

HE DOES NOT BELIEVE, HE CONTINUED. THERE IS ANY UNUSUAL TREND IN THE DIRECTION MENTIONED BY THE QUESTIONER.

OTHER SUBJECTS COVERED IN TODAY'S CONFERENCE:

FLORIDA PRIMARY--MR.TRUMAN SAID HE DID NOT BELIEVE SENATOR PEPPER'S DEFEAT WAS A DEFEAT FOR THE FAIR DEAL OR THE ADMINISTRATION. HE SAID THERE WERE CERTAIN ISSUES IN THAT CAMPAIGN THAT HAD NO BEARING ON THE NATIONAL PICTURE.

OTHER POLITICS--A REPORT THAT JAMES ROOSEVELT, AN EISENHOWER SUPPORTER BEFORE THE 1948 DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL CONVENTION AND NOW A CANDIDATE FOR THE DEMOCRATIC GUBERNATORIAL NOMINATION IN CALIFORNIA, HAD MADE HIS PEACE WITH THE WHITE HOUSE BROUGHT THIS COMMENT:

MR.TRUMAN NEVER HAD ANY ILL FEELING TOWARD JIMMIE ROOSEVELT. IT WAS NOTED THAT ROOSEVELT SUPPORTED THE PRESIDENT AFTER HE WAS NOMINATED.

"HE SAYS YOU WANT TO SEE HIM GOVERNOR OF CALIFORNIA," SAID A REPORTER. MR.TRUMAN SKIMMED BY THAT ONE BY SAYING HE WANTS TO SEE A DEMOCRAT ELECTED GOVERNOR THERE.

THE PRESIDENT DENIED A STATEMENT YESTERDAY BY SENATOR TAYLOR (D-IDA) THAT TAYLOR HAD BEEN INVITED TO RIDE ON THE TRUMAN SPECIAL AS IT CROSSES IDAHO NEXT WEEK. HE SAID TAYLOR HAD NOT BEEN INVITED TO RIDE THE TRAIN, BUT HE WOULD BE GLAD TO RECEIVE THE SENATOR FOR A HANDSHAKE.

HE SAID HE IS TRYING TO REMAIN AS NEUTRAL AS HE CAN ON DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATES DURING THE PRIMARY SEASON. HE ADDED NO POLITICIANS HAVE BEEN INVITED TO RIDE HIS TRAIN, ESPECIALLY IN STATES WHERE THERE ARE PRIMARIES.

TAYLOR, 1948 VICE PRESIDENT CANDIDATE ON THE PROGRESSIVE TICKET, IS RUNNING FOR REELECTION THIS YEAR AS A DEMOCRAT. THE PRIMARY IN IDAHO IS AUG. 8. TAYLOR SAID YESTERDAY HE HAD BEEN INVITED TO RIDE THE TRUMAN TRAIN BY DEMOCRATIC OFFICIALS.

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COMMENTING ON A REPORT THAT GOP CHAIRMAN GUY GABRIELSON WILL TRY TO FORM A COALITION OF SOUTHERN DEMOCRATS AND REPUBLICANS IN VIRGINIA AND TENNESSEE, MR.TRUMAN SAID GABRIELSON WAS TOO OPTIMISTIC.

THE STATEMENT BY HAROLD E.STASSEN, PRESIDENT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA, THAT MR.TRUMAN IS THE "CLEVEREST POLITICIAN AND WORST PRESIDENT" IN THE NATION'S HISTORY, DREW A BIG SMILE FROM THE PRESIDENT. HE SAID THAT WAS QUITE A STATEMENT AND HE HAD NO COMMENT. BUT HE DID SAY A MAN HAS TO BE A POLITICIAN TO BECOME PRESIDENT.

MCCARTHY--ASKED TO COMMENT ON A STATEMENT BY SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) ATTACKING GEN. GEORGE C. MARSHALL'S FITNESS AS SECRETARY OF STATE, THE PRESIDENT SAID ANYTHING MCCARTHY SAYS IS NOT WORTH COMMENTING ON.

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FOREIGN POLICY

WASHINGTON,MAY 4-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN PAID TRIBUTE TO THE HOUSE FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE TODAY FOR ITS "ARDUOUS EFFORT" IN HANDLING FOREIGN POLICY LEGISLATION.

AND, HE TOOK ANOTHER STEP TO STRENGTHEN THE BI-PARTISAN FOREIGN POLICY BY INVITING CHAIRMAN KEE (D-WVA) OF THE HOUSE GROUP TO NAME EIGHT SUBCOMMITTEES TO BE READY FOR CONSULTATION ON EVERY PHASE OF THIS COUNTRY'S ACTIVITY ABROAD.

THE HOUSE HAS HAD FIVE SUBCOMMITTEES OPERATING SINCE 1945. KEE TOLD REPORTERS HE WOULD NAME THREE MORE. APPOINTING EIGHT GROUPS PARALLELLING THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S ORGANIZATIONAL SET-UP WOULD CONFORM WITH ACTION RECENTLY TAKEN BY THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE.

MR.TRUMAN CONFERRED WITH KEE AND SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON AT THE WHITE HOUSE. PRIOR TO THEIR VISIT HE HAD TALKED WITH REP.EATON (R-

NJ), RANKING MINORITY MEMBER OF THE FOREIGN AFFAIRS GROUP.
THE PRESIDENT SAID IN A STATEMENT AFTERWARD THAT HE CALLED IN KEE AND ACHESON TO CANVASS "IN A GENERAL WAY THE OVERALL SITUATION ON FOREIGN POLICY LEGISLATION."
EATON SAID HE TALKED MOSTLY WITH MR.TRUMAN ABOUT "PRIVATE BUSINESS," BUT THAT HE HAD PUT IN A GOOD WORD FOR CHAIRMAN KEE. HE SAID HE COMMENDED KEE FOR DOING A GOOD JOB.
MR.TRUMAN'S STATEMENT AFTER THE CONFERENCE SAID: (ABOUT 120):
"I ASKED JUDGE KEE AND SECRETARY ACHESON TO MEET WITH ME THIS MORNING IN ORDER THAT I MIGHT CANVASS IN A GENERAL WAY THE OVERALL SITUATION ON FOREIGN POLICY LEGISLATION AND AT THE SAME TIME EXPRESS TO CHAIRMAN KEE MY APPRECIATION FOR THE ARDUOUS EFFORT THAT HE AND THE HOUSE FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE HAVE BEEN PUTTING FORTH SINCE THE BEGINNING OF THE SESSION IN CONSIDERING THE MULTITUDE OF FOREIGN POLICY MEASURES THAT REQUIRE THE COMMITTEE'S ATTENTION.
"THE FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE HAS BEEN IN ALMOST CONTINUOUS SESSION SINCE THE FIRST OF THE YEAR AND PRESENT INDICATIONS ARE THAT THERE WILL BE NO RESPITE FROM THEIR TOIL FOR SEVERAL MORE WEEKS. I THOUGHT IT APPROPRIATE THAT I LET JUDGE KEE KNOW I AM BOTH COGNIZANT AND APPRECIATIVE OF THE BURDEN THAT HE AND HIS COMMITTEE ARE BEARING."
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(550) BIG THREE
BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER
WASHINGTON,MAY 4-(AP)-HIGH DIPLOMATIC OFFICIALS PREDICTED TONIGHT THAT THE WESTERN POWERS WILL SHORTLY AGREE IN LONDON TO EXPAND TH NORTH ATLANTIC PACT MACHINERY AS A MEANS OF TIGHTENING THE WESTERN COALITION IN THE COLD WAR.
THREE MAJOR DECISIONS CALLING FOR GREATER UNITY ARE EXPECTED OUT OF THE LONDON DIPLOMATIC MEETING WHICH SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON WILL ATTEND AND WHICH OPENS NEXT WEEK. ACHESON WILL LEAVE HERE SATURDAY, FLYING TO LONDON BY WAY OF PARIS.
CONSIDERABLE PRELIMINARY WORK ON THE ACTIONS TO BE TAKEN AT LONDON HAS ALREADY BEEN DONE BY THE WESTERN POWERS THROUGH DIPLOMATIC CHANNELS. THE DECISIONS OBVIOUSLY REMAIN TO BE DEBATED AND FINALLY SHAPED BY THE FOREIGN MINISTERS. BUT RESPONSIBLE AUTHORITIES HERE NOW EXPECT THEY WILL FOLLOW THESE LINES--WHICH ACHESON REPORTEDLY FAVORS AND MAY HIMSELF ADVOCATE IN MANY RESPECTS:
1. AN AGREEMENT BY THE 12 MEMBER NATIONS OF THE ATLANTIC COUNCIL TO CREATE A PERMANENT COMMISSION COMPOSED OF 12 TOP RANKING DIPLOMATS REPRESENTING THE 12 FOREIGN MINISTERS AND TO GIVE THE COMMISSION AN EXECUTIVE HEAD ON FULL TIME DUTY WITH A PERMANENT STAFF.
2. AN AGREEMENT BY ACHESON, BRITISH FOREIGN MINISTER BEVIN AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER SCHUMAN THAT THEY AND THEIR AMBASSADORS SHOULD MEET MORE FREQUENTLY TO COORDINATE THEIR POLICIES. THIS MEANS ESPECIALLY THAT THEY WOULD WORK MORE CLOSELY TOGETHER IN THE UNITED NATIONS, THE FAR EASTERN COMMISSION (WHICH CONTROLS JAPANESE OCCUPATION POLICY) AND OTHER INTERNATIONAL BODIES INVOLVING EAST-WEST CONFLICTS.
3. AN AGREEMENT BY THE BIG THREE TO SET UP A COMMITTEE TO STUDY THE WHOLE PROBLEM OF STILL CLOSER ORGANIZATION OF THE ATLANTIC NATIONS--THAT IS CANADA, THE UNITED STATES AND NON-COMMUNIST EUROPE--WITH EMPHASIS ON FITTING WESTERN GERMANY INTO THE LARGER GROUPING OF NON-COMMUNIST POWERS. IN THIS WORK THE UNITED STATES LOOKS FOR THE CLOSEST POSSIBLE CONSULTATION WITH CANADA AND WITH THE SMALLER EUROPEAN NATIONS. EVEN THOUGH THE BIG THREE HAVE FINAL RESPONSIBILITY FOR OCCUPATION POLICY IN WESTERN GERMANY.
THE GREATEST DEPARTURE FROM PRESENT PRACTICES AMONG THE WESTERN POWERS WOULD COME IN THE EXPECTED DECISION TO ESTABLISH A COMMISSION OF THE ATLANTIC COUNCIL AND TO SET UP A STAFF. NO SUCH MACHINERY EXISTS NOW.
THE UNITED STATES WOULD LIKE TO SEE THIS COMMISSION SO ORGANIZED AS TO MEET ONCE OR TWICE A MONTH. SINCE ITS MEMBERS WOULD BE IN EFFECT DEPUTIES OF THE FOREIGN MINISTERS WHO COMPOSE THE COUNCIL ITSELF, THERE HAS BEEN SOME SPECULATION THAT ACHESON MIGHT NAME AMBASSADOR-AT-LARGE PHILIP JESSUP, ONE OF HIS MOST INTIMATE ADVISERS, AS HIS REPRESENTATIVE.

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THE WORK OF THE COMMISSION AND STAFF, AS ENVISIONED HERE, WOULD BE TO COORDINATE THE ACTIVITIES OF OTHER COUNCIL AGENCIES ALREADY SET UP BUT WHICH MEET ONLY INFREQUENTLY--SUCH AS THE DEFENSE AND FINANCE COMMITTEES. MORE IMPORTANTLY IT WOULD TACKLE THE NEW FIELD OF REVIEWING AND SERVING AS A CLEARING HOUSE FOR POLITICAL STRATEGY OF THE ATLANTIC ALLIES IN THE COLD WAR.
IN ADDITION IT WOULD HAVE THE TASK OF PULLING TOGETHER RELATED MILITARY AND EVONOMIC ASPECTS OF WESTERN REARMAMENT. THIS IS A CRITICAL PROBLEM. MILITARY CHIEFS OF THE PACT POWERS BELIEVE THAT ALL 12 NATIONS MUST MAKE A FAR GREATER EFFORT THAN THEY NOW MAKE TO BUILD UP THEIR OVERALL ARMED STRENGTH.
AMERICAN OFFICIALS BELIEVE THAT THE WESTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES WILL HAVE TO CONTRIBUTE A RELATIVELY GREATER SHARE OF MILITARY POWER THAN THEY DO AT PRESENT. THIS IN TURN MEANS THAT, IF THEY AGREE, THEY WILL EITHER HAVE TO SPEND A HIGHER PERCENTAGE OF THEIR NATIONAL INCOMES ON ARMAMENTS OR RAISE THEIR NATIONAL INCOMES BY INCREASING PRODUCTION. THE PRESENT ANNUAL DEFENSE COST OF THE ATLANTIC POWERS IS ESTIMATED BY EXPERTS HERE AT ABOUT $20,000,000,000 OF WHICH THE UNITED STATES CARRIES 72 PER CENT.
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(350) AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD DRAFT
WASH NGTON,MAY 4-(AP)-A TWO-YEAR EXTENSION OF THE MILITARY DRAFT LAW WAS APPROVED UNANIMOUSLY BY THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE TODAY.
THE COMMITTEE VOTED 31 TO 0 FOR THE BILL WITHIN THE SAME HOUR THAT PRESIDENT TRUMAN TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE HE DOES NOT FEEL THAT THE COLD WAR IS IN DANGER OF TURNING INTO A SHOOTING WAR WITH RUSSIA.
IN CONTRAST, CHAIRMAN OMAR N.BRADLEY OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF HAD TOLD THE CONGRESSMEN TUESDAY THERE HAS BEEN NO LET-UP IN COMMUNISM'S DRIVE FOR WORLD DOMINATION. HIS STAND WAS SUPPORTED FULLY BY OTHER WITNESSES FROM THE DEFENSE AND STATE DEPARTMENTS.
THE COMMITTEE TIED ON SIGNIFICANT STRING ON THE EXTENDER.
BRADLEY TOLD THE LEGISLATORS THAT THE COLD WAR SITUATION HAS GROWN WORSE IN RECENT MONTHS. HE SAID SUCH EVENTS AS THE BALTIC PLANE INCIDENT "FRANKLY GIVE US LITTLE CAUSE FOR COMFORT."
BEFORE THERE COULD BE ANY ACTUAL INDUCTIONS OF MEN, OR BEFORE THE PRESIDENT COULD MOBILIZE INDUSTRY AND SEIZE FACTORIES FOR DEFENSE, BOTH HOUSES OF CONGRESS WOULD HAVE TO AGREE ON THE EXISTENCE OF A NATIONAL EMERGENCY JUSTIFYING SUCH STEPS.
COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN VINSON (D-GA) SAID HE WOULD CALL UP THE BILL

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FOR HOUSE ACTION "JUST AS SOON AS THEY GIVE US ROOM."

THE PRESENT SELECTIVE SERVICE LAW IS DUE TO EXPIRE JUNE 24.

IT WAS ENACTED IN 1948, BUT NO MEN HAVE BEEN DRAFTED SINCE JANUARY, 1949, MORE THAN 15 MONTHS AGO.

UNDER THE NEW BILL, EVERY MALE AMERICAN BETWEEN THE AGES OF 18 AND 27 WOULD BE REQUIRED TO REGISTER--UNLESS HE ALREADY HAS DONE SO--AND UNDERGO A PHYSICAL EXAMINATION TO DETERMINE HIS FITNESS FOR MILITARY SERVICE.

UPON CONGRESSIONAL DETERMINATION OF AN EMERGENCY, THE PRESIDENT COULD ORDER ALL MILITARY RESERVE PERSONNEL TO ACTIVE DUTY FOR 21 MONTHS.

THE BILL WOULD PERMIT INDUCTEES UNDER 19 TO DECLINE ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY, UPON THEIR OWN REQUEST OR THAT OF THEIR PARENTS.

IT WOULD ELIMINATE PRESENT PROVISIONS FOR VOLUNTARY PEACETIME ENLISTMENTS BY 18-YEAR-OLDS FOR ONE YEAR AND BY OLDER MEN FOR 21 MONTHS.

THE MILITARY WANTS THE DRAFT SYSTEM KEPT INTACT FOR ITS STAND-BY VALUE. VOLUNTARY ENLISTMENTS ARE KEEPING THE RANKS FILLED AT PRESENT, BT DEFENSE MEN SAY MONTHS WOULD BE SAVED IN A TIME OF EMERGENCY IF THE SELECTIVE SERVICE MACHINERY WAS IN EXISTENCE AND READY TO FUNCTION.

MR.TRUMAN'S REMARKS ON THE STATUS OF THE COLD WAR WERE BROUGHT ON BY A REPORTER WHO TOLD HIM SENATOR TYDINGS (D-MD) HAD SAID THAT A SHOOTING WAR WITH RUSSIA COULD BREAK OUT AT ANY TIME.

THE PRESIDENT SAID HE THOUGHT TYDINGS WAS UNDULY ALARMED IF HE SAID THAT; PERSONALLY, HE THOUGHT THE SITUATION WAS IMPROVING.

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(400) NIGHT LEAD FOREIGN AID

WASHINGTON,MAY 4-(AP)-A REPUBLICAN DRIVE TO SLASH UP TO $1,000,000,000 OFF THIS COUNTRY'S FOREIGN AID OUTLAYS WAS AIMED DIRECTLY TODAY AT KNOCKING OUT A $45,000,000 REQUEST FOR PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S "POINT FOUR" PROGRAM.

SENATOR WHERRY (R-NEB), IN URGING A BILLION DOLLAR CUT IN THE NEXT MARSHALL PLAN INSTALLMENT, EXPRESSED PARTICULAR OPPOSITION TO THE ADMINISTRATION PLAN TO ASSIST UNDERDEVELOPED NATIONS OF THE WORLD.

"IT'S THE SAME OLD GIVE-AWAY PROGRAM WE HAVE BEEN 'NEW-DEALING' IN FOR THE PAST TEN YEARS," HE SAID.

DURING THAT PERIOD, WHERRY ADDED, "OUR WORLD-MINDED GOVERNMENT DO-GOODERS" HAVE SPENT $58,000,000,000 ON VARIOUS FOREIGN AID PROGRAMS--WHICH HE SAID "DOES NOT INCLUDE A DIME FOR THE SHOOTING WAR."

WHILE ACKNOWLEDGING THAT THE EUROPEAN RECOVERY PROGRAM HAS DONE "SOME GOOD," WHERRY DECLARED "THE RESULTS OBTAINED HAVE BEEN VERY EXPENSIVE."

BUT SENATOR LEHMAN (D-LIB-NY) ASSERTED THAT THE GOP ATTEMPT TO REDUCE THE MARSHALL PLAN NEXT YEAR WOULD "INVITE THE NECESSITY FOR SPENDING ASTRONOMICALLY GREATER AMOUNTS AT A LATER AND MORE PERILOUS TIME."

LEHMAN SAID THE $3,100,000,000 ASKED BY THE ADMINISTRATION FOR EUROPEAN AID NEXT YEAR IS JUST AS MUCH "FOR THE DEFENSE OF OUR WAY OF LIFE" AS THE MONEY SPENT FOR PLANES, TANKS AND OTHER MILITARY EQUIPMENT.

SENATOR FLANDERS (R-VT) MEANWHILE URGED HIS GOP COLLEAGUES TO VOTE FOR THE FULL AMOUNT OF THE GLOBAL FOREIGN AID BILL WHICH TOTALS $3,372,450,000.

THE VERMONTER SAID THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION HAD ESTABLISHED A "FINE RECORD OF ACCOMPLISHMENT" IN AIDING THE RECOVERY OF WESTERN EUROPE AND IN CHECKING THE SPREAD OF COMMUNISM.

FLANDER'S PLEA WAS ECHOED BY SENATOR BENTON (D-CONN) WHO SAID "THE MARSHALL PLAN HAS PLACED US ON THE OFFENSIVE IN THE STRUGGLE NOW AT FLOOD TIDE IN WESTERN EUROPE."

"IN IT WE HAVE NOT ONLY A GREAT HUMANITARIAN PROJECT," BENTON ADDED, "BUT WE HAVE AT THE SAME TIME A WEAPON IN THE COLD WAR WHICH IS POTENTIALLY MORE IMPORTANT THAN OUR JET PLANES AND OUR BATTLESHIPS."

BENTON SAID THAT RATHER THAN ELIMINATE THE "POINT FOUR" PROGRAM AS WHERRY SUGGESTED, THIS COUNTRY SHOULD WORK OUT A SIMILAR PLAN OF TECHNIRAL ASSISTANCE TO HELP WESTERN EUROPE CARRY ON AFTER THE MARSHALL PLAN ENDS IN 1952.

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TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE TO HELP WESTERN EUROPE CARRY ON AFTER THE MARSHALL PLAN ENDS IN 1952.

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CONTENDING THAT THERE IS MORE TO THE ECONOMIC RECONSTRUCTION OF THE FREE WORLD THAN "SIMPLY FILLING UP THE PIPELINES WITH AMERICAN GOODS" AND FURNISHING INDUSTRIAL TOOLS, BENTON ADDED:

"THE TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM RECOGNIZES THAT IT IS THE PEOPLE WE ARE AFTER--THE PEOPLE WHO CONSUME THE GOODS AND WHO MAN THE TOOLS. IF THE PEOPLE LACK THE KNOWLEDGE, OUR PIPELINES WILL RUN EMPTY AND OUR TOOLS WILL FAIL."

TOMORROW THE SENATE IS SCHEDULED TO START THE SHOWDOWN VOTE ON THE MULTI-BILLION DOLLAR FOREIGN AID BILL.

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(320) (ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 A.M.,EASTERN STANDARD TIME,TODAY, THURSDAY,MAY 4)

(ADVANCE)-WASHINGTON,MAY 4-(AP)-THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION (ECA) REPORTED TODAY THAT MARSHALL PLAN SPENDING APPROVALS HAVE PASSED THE $9,000,000,000 MARK.

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THE RECOVERY AGENCY SAID THE EXACT FIGURE OF FOREIGN AID GRANTS NOW TOTALS $9,006,074,000 (B) SINCE THE MULTI-BILLION DOLLAR PROGRAM WAS STARTED TWO YEARS AGO.

TO PUT THE FIGURE OVER THE NINE BILLION DOLLAR LEVEL, ECA ALLOTTED FRANCE $21,724,000 (M). OF THE TOTAL, $20,559,000 (M) WAS EARMARKED FOR THE PURCHASE OF AMERICAN COTTON WITH THE BALANCE APPROVED TO BUY INDUSTRIAL COMMODITIES FROM U.S. SUPPLIERS.

IN ALL, ECA TODAY APPROVED THE PURCHASE OF $40,176,000 (M) WORTH OF AGRICULTURAL AND INDUSTRIAL SUPPLIES DESTINED FOR USE IN THE EUROPEAN RECOVERY PROGRAM. IN ADDITION TO THE SPENDING APPROVALS FOR FRANCE, THE RECOVERY AGENCY APPROVED THE FOLLOWING:

GREAT BRITAIN, $15,185,000 TO BUY $7,000,000 WORTH OF ALUMINUM FROM CANADA WITH THE BALANCE TO BE USED TO BUY PETROLEUM FROM LATIN AMERICA AND THE MIDDLE EAST; DENMARK, $3,075,000 FOR COPPER AND TOBACCO FROM THE U.S.; AND TRIESTE, $192,000 FOR MISCELLANEOUS INDUSTRIAL AND AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS FROM THIS COUNTRY.

IN ADDITION TO MARSHALL PLAN FUNDS, ECA ALSO ANNOUNCED THAT AN ADDITIONAL $1,460,000 IN AID WAS BEING ALLOTTED FOR WESTERN GERMANY TO BUY AMERICAN COTTON. THIS MONEY WILL COME FROM A FUND WHICH PREVIOUSLY WAS ADMINISTERED BY THE DEFENSE AND STATE DEPARTMENTS.

NON-COMMUNIST CHINA ALSO RECEIVED A TOTAL OF $2,456,000 IN ADDITIONAL AID. THE FUNDS ARE EARMARKED TO BUY FERTILIZERS AND ANIMAL TALLOW AND FATS AND OILS FROM THE U.S.

IN ANNOUNCING THAT TOTAL COMMITMENTS HAD PASSED $9,000,000,000 (B),

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ECA GAVE THE FOLLOWING TOTALS FOR MARSHALL PLAN ALLOCATIONS:
GREAT BRITAIN, $2,476,736,000 (B); FRANCE, $1,925,445,000 (B); ITALY, $1,002,493,000 (B); WESTERN GERMANY, $865,494,000 (M); THE NETHERLANDS, $816,835,000 (M); BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG, $476,141,000 (M); AUSTRIA, $414,858,000 (M); GREECE, $310,607,000 (M); DENMARK, $193,336,000 (M); NORWAY, $184,091,000 (M); IRELAND, $120,540,000 (M); SWEDEN, $85,954,000 (M); TURKEY, $82,552,000 (M); TRIESTE, $25,298,000 (M); PORTUGAL, $14,143,000 (M); AND ICELAND, $11,551,000 (M).
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(130) NIGHT LEAD LIAQUAT ALI
WASHINGTON,MAY 4-(AP)-PAKISTAN'S PRIME MINISTER LIAQUAT ALI KHAN SAID TODAY HE IS INTERESTED IN GETTING WHATEVER MODERN WEAPONS THE UNITED STATES CAN SPARE.
THE VISITING OFFICIAL TOLD REPORTERS THAT HIS COUNTRY IS IN A STRATEGIC POSITION IN ASIA, AND HAS "THE FINEST HUMAN MATERIAL THAT YOU FIND ANYWHERE."
THE PRIME MINISTER OBSERVED THAT PAKISTAN'S ARMS SINCE THE PARTITION WITH INDIA TWO YEARS AGO HAVE BEEN BOUGHT AT A "HEAVY DRAIN ON OUR RESOURCES."
COMMUNISM IS OF LITTLE IMPORTANCE IN THE NEW NATION, HE SAID, BECAUSE THE COUNTRY IS HEAVILY MOSLEM AND "OTHER WAYS OF LIFE ARE NOT LIKELY TO FIND VERY FERTILE GROUND."
LIAQUAT ALI AND HIS WIFE WERE HONORED IN THE SENATE AND HOUSE WHERE THE OFFICIAL ADDRESSED THE LEGISLATORS. MEMBERS APPLAUDED VIGOROUSLY HIS STATEMENTS THAT PAKISTAN HAS PLEDGED TO ITS CITIZENS FREEDOM AND EQUAL JUSTICE.
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O(300) (ADVANCE FOR USE AT 11 A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY THURSDAY MAY 4)
(ADVANCE)-WASHINGTON,MAY 4-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER LIAQUAT ALI KAHN OF PAKISTAN TOLD CONGRESS TODAY THAT HIS NEW NATION WAS FOUNDED ON DEMOCRACY AND WILL REMAIN TRUE TO ITS PRINCIPLES.
THE LEADER OF THE WORLD'S LARGEST MOSLEM STATE, STARTING AN OFFICIAL TOUR OF THE U.S., SAID THAT "NO THREAT OR PERSUASION, NO MATERIAL PERIL OR IDEOLOGICAL ALLUREMENT CAN DEFLECT US FROM THE PATH WE HAVE CHOSEN."
HE VOICED A PLEA AT THE SAME TIME THAT LEADERS OF WORLD OPINION USE THEIR WISDOM AND POWER "TO DISPEL AND NOT TO ENHANCE THE FEARS OF AN APPREHENSIVE WORLD."
THE PRIME MINISTER, WHO WAS PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S OVERNIGHT GUEST FOLLOWING HIS ARRIVAL YESTERDAY, PREPARED IDENTICAL ADDRESSES FOR SEPARATE SESSIONS OF THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE. HE TOUCHED ONLY LIGHTLY ON WORLD AFFAIRS, AVOIDING DIRECT REFERENCE TO THE EAST-WEST SPLIT, AND DEVOTED MOST OF HIS ADDRESS TO PAKISTAN'S FOUNDING AND ITS HOPES AND PURPOSES.
"IN OUR SHORT LIFE AS A FREE NATION, WE HAVE LEARNT NOT A LITTLE ABOUT THE WORLD AND THE TIMES WE LIVE IN AND ABOUT OURSELVES," HE SAID. "WE HAVE LEARNT THAT FREEDOM, WHETHER OF THE INDIVIDUAL OR OF COUNTRIES, IS NOT EVERYWHERE AND AT ALL TIMES SAFE AND THAT THE INTEGRITY OF OUR OWN HOMELAND WHICH IS DEARER TO US THAN OUR LIVES WILL DEMAND OF US UNCEASING VIGILANCE.
"OUR PEOPLE ARE DEEPLY DISTRESSED AT THE THOUGHT THAT WORLD-WIDE DESTRUCTION MIGHT OVERTAKE NOT ONLY THE FULLER LIFE TO WHICH THEY ASPIRE BUT THE ENTIRE HUMAN CIVILIZATION WITH ALL ITS MAGNIFICENT ACHIEVEMENTS AND ILLIMITABLE OPPORTUNITIES FOR GOOD. FOR YOUTHFUL COUNTRIES LIKE OURS, WHICH ARE EXPERIENCING BUT THE FIRST PULSATIONS OF A FREE EXISTENCE, THIS PROSPECT IS PROFOUNDLY DISTURBING AND NOT WITHOUT A TOUCH OF IRONY.
"WE SINCERELY HOPE THAT THE LEADERS OF WORLD OPINION WILL PURSUE THE PATH OF UNDERSTANDING AND WILL USE THEIR WISDOM AND POWER TO DISPEL AND NOT TO ENHANCE THE FEARS OF AN APPREHENSIVE WORLD. THOUGH FREEDOM HAS HAD MANY BIRTHS, GREED, AGGRESSION AND INTOLERANCE CONTINUE, ALAS, TO REAR THEIR UGLY HEADS."
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WASHINGTON, MAY 4-(AP)-SENATOR FLANDERS (R-VT) TODAY URGED "A SHOWDOWN" WITH RUSSIA OVER THE SHOOTING DOWN OF AN AMERICAN PLANE, BY A TEST IN THE UNITED NATIONS.
CALLING FOR AN IMMEDIATE AND VIGOROUS PROTEST TO THE U.N., FLANDERS TOLD THE SENATE IT MIGHT CAUSE THE RUSSIANS TO QUIT THE WORLD ORGANIZATION FOR GOOD.
AFTER RECITING THE CONFLICTING RUSSIAN AND U.S. VERSIONS OF THE BALTIC AIRPLANE INCIDENT OF APRIL 8, FLANDERS TOLD THE SENATE THIS "HAS GIVEN THE AMERICAN PEOPLE SERIOUS CONCERN."
HE SAID THE SAME TYPE OF INCIDENTS AND DIPLOMATIC PROTESTS PRECEDED WORLD WARS 1 AND 11 AND ADDED THAT THE LATEST INCIDENT "REPRESENTS A STEPPING UP OF THE TENSION IN THE COLD WAR, AND LIKE THE WHOLE HISTORY OF THE COLD WAR, THE INITIATIVE IS IN THE HANDS OF THE RUSSIANS."
"THEY DETERMINE WHERE THE BLOW SHALL FALL," HE SAID. "THEY TAKE THE OFFENSIVE; THEY INITIATE THE INCIDENTS; WE TOIL ALONG IN THE REAR AND PICK UP THE PIECES."
FLANDERS SAID THE UNITED STATES "SHOULD AND MUST TAKE THE INITIATIVE IN BRINGING THIS LATEST ATTACK INTO A CLEAR-CUT AND DECISIVE ISSUE."
HE QUOTED THE U.N. CHARTER TO SHOW THAT A PROTEST COULD BE MADE EITHER TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL OR THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.
RUSSIA MAY WALK OUT OR TRY TO VETO THE PROTEST, FLANDERS SAID, "BUT WE SHOULD HAVE A PUBLIC EXAMINATION BEFORE A WORLD FORUM OF CRITICAL INCIDENTS WHICH IF UNEXAMINED POINT TOWARD THE DESTRUCTION OF THE PEACE OF THE WORLD."
"IT IS A TEST OF THE UNITED NATIONS WHICH MUST BE MADE," HE DECLARED, ADDING THAT "THE TIME HAS COME FOR A SHOWDOWN."
"IF WE ARE DETERMINED ENOUGH IN OUR ATTACK," FLANDERS SAID, IT MIGHT CAUSE RUSSIA TO "WALK OUT ALTOGETHER."
THIS WOULD BE PREFERABLE, HE SAID, TO THE RECENT PROPOSAL OF FORMER PRESIDENT HOOVER THAT THE UNITED NATIONS BE ABANDONED AND A NEW WORLD ORGANIZATION, LIMITED TO FREE PEOPLES, SET UP.
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EAST-WEST TRADE

BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON,MAY 4-(AP)-SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON IS BEING URGED BY THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT TO BRING STRONG PRESSURE ON WESTERN EUROPEAN LEADERS TO TIGHTEN THEIR CONTROLS ON TRADE WITH EASTERN EUROPE.

HE WILL SEE THESE LEADERS AT LONDON NEXT WEEK.

COMMERCE OFFICIALS ARE REPORTED TO BE CONCERNED AT WHAT THEY CONSIDER DISCRIMINATIONS AGAINST AMERICAN BUSINESS ARISING OUT OF DIFFERENCES IN THE CONTROLS SYSTEMS OPERATED BY THE WESTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES AND THE UNITED STATES.

EAST-WEST TRADE POLICIES ARE EXPECTED TO BE AMONG THE SUBJECTS DISCUSSED BY ACHESON WITH BRITISH FOREIGN MINISTER BEVIN, FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER SCHUMAN AND OTHER FOREIGN MINISTERS WHOM HE WILL MEET IN LONDON.

A MEMORANDUM FROM COMMERCE TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT, IT WAS REPORTED TODAY, ADVOCATES THAT ACHESON TAKE A STRONG LINE WITH THE OTHER CONFEREES, RAISING A QUESTION OF WHETHER THE UNITED STATES WILL CONTINUE ECONOMIC AID TO THOSE COUNTRIES WHICH PERSIST IN EXPORTING TO EASTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES TYPES OF GOODS WHICH THE UNITED STATES EITHER EMBARGOES OR SHARPLY CONTROLS.

ACHESON IS UNDERSTOOD TO DISAGREE SHARPLY WITH THIS RECOMMENDATION ON SEVERAL GROUNDS: (1) THAT DRASTIC MEASURES WOULD HARM THE MAIN OBJECTIVE OF AMERICAN POLICY WHICH IS WESTERN EUROPEAN RECOVERY; (2) THAT EAST-WEST TRADE IS NECESSARY TO WESTERN EUROPEAN RECOVERY, (3) THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT IS CONSTANTLY OBTAINING GREATER COOPERATION FROM THE EUROPEAN GOVERNMENTS ON TRADE CONTROLS AND HEAVY PRESSURES ARE UNNECESSARY.

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FOR CONTROLS PURPOSES, TWO CHIEF TYPES OF GOODS ARE INVOLVED IN TRADE BETWEEN SOVIET BLOC COUNTRIES AND THE WEST. THEY ARE EMBARGOED GOODS LIKE GUNS AND HEAVY MACHINE TOOLS WHICH WOULD RAISE THE COMMUNIST BLOC WAR POTENTIAL; AND CONTROLLED GOODS SUCH AS AUTOMOBILES AND TRACTORS WHICH MIGHT HAVE MILITARY USES IN LARGE VOLUME.

OFFICIALS SAID TODAY THAT THERE IS NO DISAGREEMENT AMONG THE WESTERN NATIONS OVER BLOCKING SHIPMENTS OF MILITARY GOODS TO THE COMMUNIST COUNTRIES. THE DISAGREEMENT ARISES IN CONNECTION WITH THE SECOND CATEGORY.

SOME EUROPEAN COUNTRIES EITHER DO NOT LIST FOR CONTROLS THE GOODS WHICH ARE ON THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT LIST--OR ELSE THEY LIST THEM BUT GRANT LICENSES LIBERALLY. SOME COUNTRIES THEREFORE IN EFFECT GIVE THEIR EXPORTERS AN ADVANTAGE WHICH AMERICAN EXPORTERS DO NOT POSSESS IN SHIPPING EASTERN EUROPE MACHINERY, VEHICLES AND MANUFACTURED GOODS GENERALLY.

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THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION IS FORBIDDEN BY LAW FROM FINANCING PRODUCTION OF EUROPEAN GOODS WHICH GO INTO MARKETS FROM WHICH SIMILAR TYPES OF AMERICAN GOODS ARE EMBARGOED. OFFICIALS SAID THIS PROVISION IS CAREFULLY ENFORCED.

AT THE SAME TIME, IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S VIEW, THE COUNTRIES OF WESTERN EUROPE HAVE GREAT NEED FOR THE GRAIN, POTASH, COAL AND OTHER RAW MATERIALS THEY GET FROM THE EAST. THIS IS REGARDED BY STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS AS AN OVERRIDING CONSIDERATION IN FAVOR OF FLEXIBLE AS OPPOSED TO RIGID TRADE CONTROL SYSTEMS IN THE WEST.

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B9WX (SECG)

(170) (ADVANCE FOR USE AT 9 A.M.,EASTERN STANDARD TIME,TODAY, THURSDAY MAY 4)

(ADVANCE)-WASHINGTON,MAY 4-(AP)-FIFTY-ONE HOUSE MEMBERS ASKED SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON TODAY TO OBTAIN BRITAIN'S PROMISE THAT ALL ARMS SHIPMENTS TO THE MIDDLE EAST WILL BE HALTED UNTIL A PEACE TREATY IS SIGNED BY THE ARAB STATES AND ISRAEL.

THEY ADDED IN A LETTER TO ACHESON THAT THE UNITED STATES AND GREAT BRITAIN SHOULD JOIN IN EFFORTS TO BRING ABOUT SUCH A TREATY.

THE LAWMAKERS--30 DEMOCRATS AND 21 REPUBLICANS--PROPOSED THAT THE SECRETARY SEEK THOSE TWO OBJECTIVES IN HIS TALKS WITH BRITISH OFFICIALS LATER THIS MONTH.

THEY ASKED ACHESON TO SEEK INFORMATION ON WHAT ARMS SHIPMENTS THE BRITISH HAVE MADE TO ARAB STATES, HOW MUCH HAS BEEN PAID FOR THE MATERIALS, AND WHETHER UNITED STATES FUNDS FINANCED THEIR ORIGINAL PURCHASE.

"WE BELIEVE," THEY SAID, "THAT IT WOULD BE MOST HELPFUL IF THE UNITED STATES DECLARED ITS POLICY TO BE OPPOSED TO A NEAR EAST ARMS RACE OR A RENEWAL OF ARAB-ISRAELI HOSTILITIES, AND THAT TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE UNDER POINT FOUR PROJECTS COULD ONLY BE MADE AVAILABLE TO ARAB STATES WHICH WERE AT PEACE."

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(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 9 A.M.,EASTERN STANDARD TIME,TODAY, THURSDAY,MAY 4)

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CHINA

WASHINGTON,MAY 4-(AP)-THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID TODAY THAT THE CHINESE NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT HAS SUBMITTED A REQUEST FOR A $50,000,000 LOAN TO BE USED LARGELY FOR CURRENCY STABILIZATION IN FORMOSA.

THE REQUEST WAS MADE THROUGH ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION REPRESENTATIVES IN FORMOSA, REPORTERS WERE TOLD. LIKE OTHER RECENT NATIONALIST REQUESTS, IT HAS BEEN TAKEN "UNDER CONSIDERATION."

PUBLISHED REPORTS DECLARED THAT THE NATIONALISTS SAID THAT OF THE $50,000,000 ASKED, $30,000,000 WOULD BE USED FOR CURRENCY STABILIZATION.

ONLY ECONOMIC AID IS BEING SUPPLIED THE NATIONALISTS. PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS RULED OUT FURTHER DIRECT MILITARY ASSISTANCE OR ADVICE TO NATIONALISTS.

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INDIANAPOLIS,MAY 4-(AP)-THE AMERICAN LEGION'S EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE CALLED TODAY FOR AMERICAN AID TO HELP NATIONALIST CHINA HOLD THE ISLAND OF FORMOSA.

A RESOLUTION, ADOPTED UNANIMOUSLY, DECLARED: "WE BELIEVE IT IS IMPERATIVE THAT THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE APPRAISE THE DEFENDABILITY OF FORMOSA AT ONCE, WITH THE THOUGHT THAT FORMOSA BE PRESERVED WITH OUR HELP AS A BASTION OF FREEDOM AND A BASE FOR MILITARY OPERATIONS

AGAINST COMMUNIST AGGRESSORS ON THE MAINLAND OF ASIA."
THE RESOLUTION ALSO URGED AMERICAN AID TOWARD A FAR EASTERN ALLIANCE UNDER THE UNITED NATIONS AND STATED OPPOSITION AGAINST RECOGNIZING THE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT OF CHINA.
THE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMISSION REPORT, ON WHICH THE RESOLUTION WAS BASED, NAMED RUSSIA AS "OUR REAL ENEMY."
IN ANSWER TO A QUESTION, WILLIAM VERITY, MIDDLETOWN, OHIO, CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMISSION, SAID CHINESE NATIONALISTS "FEEL THEY CAN HOLD OUT A LONG TIME IF THEY RECEIVE AMERICAN HELP."
UNEXPECTEDLY, THE ONLY OPPOSITION TO THE LEGION'S STATEMENT OF FOREIGN POLICY CAME ON A PROPOSAL TO ENDORSE THE HAVANA TREATY FOR A U.N. INTERNATIONAL TRADE ORGANIZATION. PROTESTS OF "DYNAMITE" CAME FROM THE COMMITTEEMEN. NATIONAL COMMANDER GEORGE N. CRAIG HIMSELF QUESTIONED WHETHER THE ITO MIGHT NOT OPEN THE WAY FOR IMPORTS OF "COMMUNIST PRODUCED GOODS" FROM RUSSIAN SATELLITES. THE COMMITTEE STRUCK OUT THE PARAGRAPH.
OTHER PARAGRAPHS OPPOSED ANY WORLD FEDERATION, URGED CONTINUED AMERICAN AID AND ARMS FOR WESTERN EUROPE, ADVOCATED AN ASSOCIATION OF "FREEDOM-LOVING DEMOCRACIES," REITERATED ITS DEMAND FOR U.N. REORGANIZATION TO ELIMINATE THE VETO AND PERMIT AN INTERNATIONAL POLICE FORCE. IT ALSO URGED GOVERNMENT "CO-OPERATION WITH PRIVATE ENTERPRISE" TO DEVELOP BACKWARD AREAS OF THE WORLD -- POINT FOUR IN PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S PROGRAM.
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B39 (210)
NEW YORK, MAY 4-(AP)-BRIG. GEN. CARLOS P. ROMULO, PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY, SAID TODAY THE ONE WORLD IDEA "HOLDS THE POWERS OF ULTIMATELY ELIMINATING INEQUALITIES AND INSURING THE HAPPINESS OF MAN."
THE ONE WORLD AWARD COMMITTEE ANNOUNCED YESTERDAY THE CHOICE OF ROMULO FOR ITS INTERNATIONAL STATESMANSHIP AWARDS WHICH WILL BE PRESENTED JUNE 6.
ROMULO, CHIEF PHILIPPINE DELEGATE TO THE U.N., WILL LEAVE TOMORROW FOR A MONTH'S STAY IN THE PHILIPPINES AND FOR THE SOUTHEAST ASIA CONFERENCE THERE. JACQUES F. FERRAND, EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OF THE COMMITTEE, RELEASED THIS MESSAGE SENT TO HIM TODAY BY ROMULO:
"IT IS ALWAYS GOOD TO AIM AT ONE WORLD; INDEED IT IS THE ONLY RIGHT THING TO DO IN THESE DAYS OF ACRIMONIOUS CLASHES OF NATIONAL INTERESTS AND IDEOLOGIES. NO MATTER HOW WE LOOK AT IT, THIS PLANET IS ONE AND THE PEOPLE THAT INHABIT IT ARE ONE. HUMAN DESTINY IS INDIVISIBLE; NO SEGMENT OF THE RACE CAN LIVE HAPPILY AT THE EXPENSE OF THE HAPPINESS OF ANOTHER SEGMENT.
"THIS IS WHY THE UNITED NATIONS IS DOING EVERYTHING POSSIBLE TO EQUALIZE CONDITIONS ON THIS EARTH, ECONOMICALLY AT LEAST, THEREBY REDUCING THE POSSIBILITIES OF CONFLICT. BY ATTAINING A MORE ABUNDANT LIFE FOR THE PEOPLE OF ALL COUNTRIES, WE ARE GETTING NEARER ONENESS IN CONTENTMENT AND PEACE. THUS THE ONE WORLD IDEA HOLDS THE POWER OF ULTIMATELY ELIMINATING INEQUALITIES AND INSURING THE HAPPINESS OF MAN."
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ST.LOUIS, MAY 4-(AP)-THE PRESIDENT AND PUBLISHER OF THE NEW YORK TIMES SAID TONIGHT THE UNITED STATES SHOULD HAVE HAD A MARSHALL PLAN FOR WESTERN EUROPE WHEN ITS TROOPS INVADED NORMANDY IN 1944.
ARTHUR HAYS SULZBERGER DECLARED IN AN INTERVIEW THAT "WHEN THE SHOOTING STOPPED WE STOPPED TOO QUICKLY." HE ADDED THAT HE IS NOT CERTAIN THAT THE PRESENT STATE OF AFFAIRS SHOULD BE CALLED A COLD WAR.
SULZBERGER WARNED AGAINST HYSTERIA IN DEALING WITH SOVIET RUSSIA, SAYING THIS COUNTRY SHOULD GO ABOUT THE JOB OF PRESERVING DEMOCRACY CALMLY AND COOLY.
THE PUBLISHER AND MRS. SULZBERGER ARRIVED IN ST.LOUIS EN ROUTE TO COLUMBIA, MO., WHERE HE WILL RECEIVE THE ANNUAL MISSOURI HONOR AWARD FOR "DISTINGUISHED SERVICE TO JOURNALISM." THE AWARD IS MADE BY THE UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI SCHOOL OF JOURNALISM.
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NEW YORK, MAY 4-(AP)-THE HEAD OF THE ROCKEFELLER FOUNDATION SAYS "PROFOUND POLITICAL CHANGES" HAVE HALTED ALL FOUNDATION ACTIVITIES IN RUSSIAN-DOMINATED COUNTRIES, INCLUDING CHINA.
CHESTER I. BARNARD, FOUNDATION PRESIDENT, MADE THE STATEMENT IN HIS ANNUAL REPORT YESTERDAY.
IN ADDITION TO THE "DEEPLY DISTURBED POLITICAL" SITUATION, HE SAID, AN AGE OF BILLION-DOLLAR FINANCING IN THE WEST HAS REDUCED FOUNDATION OPERATIONS TO A RELATIVELY SMALLER PROPORTION OF THE OVER-ALL NEED.
HE SAID THE CHANGED POLITICAL ASPECT IN CHINA FORCED THE FOUNDATION'S FAR EASTERN INTERNATIONAL HEALTH DIVISION TO WITHDRAW FROM RED-OCCUPIED SHANGHAI TO MACAO, AND THEN TO BANGALORE, INDIA. ALL PERSONNEL WERE REMOVED FROM CHINA, HE SAID.
A MALARIA PROJECT UNDERWAY ON THE ISLAND OF FORMOSA HAS BEEN TRANSFERRED TO THE NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT THERE, BARNARD SAID.
BECAUSE OF PRESENT-DAY "HUGE FINANCIAL OPERATIONS," HE SAID, A WIDE GAP HAS GROWN UP BETWEEN WHAT PRIVATELY-ENDOWED PHILANTHROPIC ORGANIZATIONS CAN PROVIDE AND THE "MAGNITUDE OF FUNDS" AVAILABLE FROM OTHER SOURCES FOR LARGE-SCALE RESEARCH AND EDUCATIONAL ENTERPRISES.
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NEW YORK, MAY 4-(AP)-THE NAVY HYDROGRAPHIC OFFICE SAID TODAY THE EGYPTIAN GOVERNMENT HAS REISSUED A WARNING THAT EGYPTIAN PORTS ARE STILL CLOSED FROM SUNSET TO SUNRISE AND ANY FOREIGN VESSELS ENTERING DURING THAT PERIOD WILL BE FIRED UPON.
SHIPPING INTERESTS WERE NOTIFIED OF THE WARNING IN THE NAVY'S HYDROGRAPHIC BULLETIN.
A SPOKESMAN FOR THE NEW YORK OFFICE SAID THE EGYPTIAN GOVERNMENT FIRST ISSUEDHSUCH A WARNING ON MAY 19, 1948, WHEN WAR BETWEEN THE ARABS AND JEWS WAS RAGING IN PALESTINE. HE SAID HE DID NOT KNOW WHY THE NEW WARNING WAS ISSUED.
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B94 (Q)
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NEW YORK, MAY 4-(AP)-EDWARD M.CORSON, 28, OF CHICAGO, WHO HAS ACTED AS A CONSULTANT TO THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION, COMPLAINED TODAY THAT A STATE DEPARTMENT AGENT HAD LIFTED HIS PASSPORT.

CORSON, A RESEARCH PHYSICIST, SAID HIS PASSPORT WAS PICKED UP IN HIS HOTEL STATLER ROOM EARLY TODAY BY A SPECIAL AGENT OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT. CORSON SAID HE HAD INTENDED TO SAIL FOR FRANCE IN A FEW DAYS TO LECTURE AT THE FRENCH ACADEMY OF SCIENCE.

IN WASHINGTON THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID IT HAD LIFTED CORSON'S PASSPORT ON THE GROUNDS THAT THE PROPOSED TRIP WOULD BE "NOT IN THE NATIONAL INTEREST."

CORSON SAID HE WAS QUESTIONED BY THE FBI LAST WEEK, AND "NOT FOR THE FIRST TIME."

HE SAID HIS PUBLICLY ANNOUNCED FAITH IN DR. KLAUS FUCHS, GERMAN-BORN NATURALIZED BRITISH SUBJECT CONVICTED IN LONDON OF TURNING OVER ATOMIC ENERGY SECRETS TO THE RUSSIANS, SEEMED TO HAVE AROUSED STATE DEPARTMENT SUSPICION ON HIM.

IN A LETTER TO THE MAGAZINE, PHYSICS TODAY, MARCH ISSUE, CORSON SAYS FUCHS "WAS NOT A DEAR FRIEND X X X BUT HE WAS A FELLOW SCIENTIST. X X X IN THE WORST CASE, I THOUGHT, HE MIGHT BE GUILTY OF SOME NAIVETE OR INDISCRETION, BUT NO TREASON--THIS WAS UNTHINKABLE."

CORSON SAID HE MET FUCHS WHEN THE LATTER VISITED THIS COUNTRY.

IN HIS LETTER TO THE MAGAZINE, CORSON QUOTES A TELEGRAM HE SENT TO FUCHS AT BOW STREET JAIL, LONDON, OFFERING HIS SERVICES.

HIS LETTER GIVES FUCHS' REPLY: "THANK YOU, THERE IS NOTHING YOU CAN DO. THE EVIDENCE WILL CHANGE YOUR MIND."

THE APRIL ISSUE OF THE MAGAZINE SAYS CORSON FORMERLY WAS WITH ILLINOIS TECH'S ARMOUR RESEARCH FOUNDATION AND RECENTLY A FULBRIGHT EXCHANGE PROFESSOR AT THE UNIVERSITY OF EDINBURGH, SCOTLAND.

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FIRST LEAD RADAR NET

WASHINGTON, MAY 4-(AP)-THE AIR FORCE SAID TODAY IT PLANS FOUR SECRET INSTALLATIONS IN WISCONSIN, MINNESOTA AND IOWA. THE DISCLOSURE CAME AMID REPORTS THAT A RADAR DEFENSE NETWORK IS BEING SET UP IN THAT AREA.

WHILE REFUSING TO CONFIRM THOSE REPORTS, THE AIR FORCE SAID THAT SECRET INSTALLATIONS WILL BE BUILT AT MASON CITY, IA., EAST FARMINGTON AND ELKHORN, WISC., AND AT AN UNSPECIFIED POINT IN MINNESOTA, NORTHEAST OF DULUTH.

THE EAST FARMINGTON INSTALLATION IS EXPECTED TO COST ABOUT V $1,000,000, OFFICERS SAID. THE EXACT COST OF THE OTHERS IS NOT AVAILABLE, THEY ADDED.

SENATOR GURNEY (R-SD) AND REP. GROSS (R-IOWA) PREVIOUSLY HAD TOLD REPORTERS ABOUT PLANS FOR THE PROJECTS.

GURNEY SAID THE THREE INSTALLATIONS IN WISCONSIN AND MINNESOTA WOULD BE BUILT WITH FUNDS NOW ON HAND. GROSS SAID THE IOWA PROJECT, WHICH HE PLACED NEAR WAVERLY, WOULD BE PUT UP WITH MONEY FROM NEXT YEAR'S AIR FORCE APPROPRIATION.

GROSS SAID THE IOWA INSTALLATION WOULD EMPLOY ABOUT 200 AND COST ABOUT $1.000.000.

BOTH SAID THEY COULD SUPPLY NO FURTHER INFORMATION BECAUSE THE AIR FORCE HAD ONLY AUTHORIZED THEM TO SAY THE PROJECTS ARE TO BE BUILT AND THAT THEY ARE "CLASSIFIED," OR SECRET.

THE DES MOINES REGISTER HAD REPORTED PLANS FOR THE RADAR NETWORK IN A WASHINGTON DISPATCH. IT SAID THE STATION IN MINNESOTA WOULD BE NEAR DULUTH.

THE REGISTER SAID THE NORTH CENTRAL STATES "FIGURE PROMINENTLY IN THE RADAR SCREEN PLANS BECAUSE THEY LIE ON THE GREAT CIRCLE ROUTE FROM RUSSIA ACROSS THE NORTH POLE INTO THE HEART OF INDUSTRIAL AMERICA."

SENATOR THYE (R-MINN) TOLD A REPORTER THE INSTALLATION IN MINNESOTA WOULD COST ABOUT $500,000 AND EMPLOY ABOUT 100. HE SAID BIDS FOR CONSTRUCTION WOULD BE OPENED THE LATTER PART OF JUNE.

THE ARMY ANNOUNCED THAT A $827,290 CONTRACT HAS BEEN AWARDED J. P. CULLEN AND SON OF JANESVILLE, WIS., FOR CONSTRUCTION OF BARRACKS AND MISCELLANEOUS BUILDINGS IN THE VICINITY OF ELKHORN, WIS.

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(260) AIR FORCE-RADIO

WASHINGTON,MAY 4-(AP)-KELLY FIELD AT SAN ANTONIO IS TO BECOME THE NERVE CENTER OF AMERICAN EFFORTS TO LISTEN IN ON RADIO ORDERS TO THE AIR FLEETS OF ANY "POTENTIAL ENEMY."

REP.KILDAY (D-TEX) REVEALED THIS LATE YESTERDAY IN ANNOUNCING THAT THE TEXAS FIELD HAS BEEN PICKED AS HEADQUARTERS OF THE AIR FORCE'S HUSH-HUSH SECURITY SERVICE. KILDAY SAID THE AIR FORCE AUTHORIZED HIS ANNOUNCEMENT.

THE JOB OF FEEDING THE PICKED-UP FOREIGN MESSAGES INTO KELLY FIELD WILL BE HANDLED BY THREE STILL SECRET INTERCEPTOR STATIONS. THEIR LOCATIONS HAVE NOT BEEN DISCLOSED.

THE SECURITY SERVICE WAS ESTABLISHED IN 1948, BUT REMAINED ON THE CLASSIFIED LIST OF SECRET PROJECTS UNTIL THE AIR FORCE WENT TO CONGRESS THIS YEAR TO ASK FOR MONEY TO GET IT GOING. AIR FORCE GENERALS TESTIFIED AT SECRET SESSIONS, BUT THEY DID NOT PUT THE SECRET STAMP ON JUSTIFICATION DATA SUBSEQUENTLY RELEASED.

THIS FACT BOOK STATED FLATLY THAT THE JOB OF THE SECURITY SERVICE IS TO INTERCEPT AND INTERPRET RADIO SIGNALS OF A POTENTIAL ENEMY "TO DETERMINE HIS AIR ORDER OF BATTLE."

IN CIVILIAN LANGUAGE THIS MEANS THAT THE SERVICE IS TO FIND OUT WHERE ENEMY AIR UNITS ARE LOCATED, HOW MUCH OF WHAT KIND OF PLANES AND EQUIPMENT THEY ARE USING AND, TO THE EXTENT POSSIBLE, HOW GOOD ARE ITS AIRMEN AND GROUND CREWS.

THE HEADQUARTERS AT KELLY FIELD IS TO COST $5,802,900 (M). MOST OF THIS MONEY IS TO ERECT AN ADMINISTRATION AND OPERATIONS BUILDING AND A WAREHOUSE. THE AIR FORCE SPECIFICATIONS ALSO PROVIDE FOR AN INCINERATOR CAPABLE OF BURNING 12 TONS OF CLASSIFIED MATERIAL WITHIN 24 HOURS.

THE ELABORATE PROTECTION PLANNED FOR THE SERVICE INCLUDES A FENCE OF THE CHAIN-LINK TYPE TOPPED WITH THREE STRANDS OF BARBED WIRE. THE COST OF THE FENCE ALONE IS ESTIMATED AT $75,350.

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WASHINGTON,MAY 4-(AP)-THE FRENCH AIRCRAFT CARRIER DIXMUDE DOCKED IN NORFOLK,VA. TODAY WITH APPROXIMATELY 150 FRENCH ARMY, NAVY AND AIR FORCE PERSONNEL WHO WILL TRAIN IN THE U.S. CENTERS TO USE MILITARY EQUIPMENT THAT WILL BE SENT TO FRANCE.

THE CARRIER WILL RETURN TO FRANCE IN ABOUT TWO WEEKS WITH A SECOND LOAD OF AMERICAN NAVY FIGHTER AND BOMBER PLANES. THE SHIP LEFT NORFOLK MARCH 18 ON HER FIRST FERRY TRIP WITH 48 PLANES.

RANKING FRENCH OFFICER ARRIVING TODAY IS BRIG.GEN.RENE LEON PIERRE DU PERRON, COMMANDER OF THE ANTI-AIRCRAFT SCHOOL AT NIMES,FRANCE. HE WILL ATTEND A TWO-WEEK INSTRUCTION COURSE AT THE ANTI-AIRCRAFT AND GUIDED MISSILE CENTER AT FT.BLISS,TEXAS.

AMONG THE FRENCH ARRIVALS WERE 95 PILOTS, NAVIGATORS AND TECHNICIANS. THE FRENCH PILOTS AND NAVIGATORS WILL TRAIN AT RANDOLPH FIELD, SAN ANTONIO AND AT ELLINGTON FIELD, HOUSTON,TEX. TECHNICAL STUDENTS WILL STUDY AT VARIOUS STATIONS OPERATED BY THE AIR TRAINING COMMAND.

ABOUT 40 FRENCH SAILORS WILL START TRAINING IMMEDIATELY AT THE PHILADELPHIA NAVAL YARD. THEY WILL BE FOLLOWED BY 200 ADDITIONAL SEAMEN TO BE SENT HERE TO TAKE DELIVERY OF A DESTROYER ESCORT NOW BEING OVERHAULED FOR THE FRENCH NAVY.

THE DIXMUDE ALSO BROUGHT FIVE FRENCH NAVAL AVIATORS WHO WILL JOIN THEIR COUNTRYMEN NOW TRAINING AT THE PENSACOLA,FLA., NAVAL AIR STATION.

EIGHT FRENCH ARMY MEN WILL GO TO THE INFANTRY SCHOOL AT FT.BENNING, THE ARMORED SCHOOL AT FT.KNOX,KY. AND THE ORDNANCE SCHOOL AT THE ABERDEEN (MD.) PROVING GROUND.

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BALTIMORE, MAY 4-(AP)-REMAINS OF THE JAPANESE IMPERIAL FLEET ARE PASSING THROUGH BALTIMORE THIS WEEK--IN SIX-TON CHUNKS.

THE ITALIAN FREIGHTER ERMINIA MAZZELLA ARRIVED WITH 9,000 TONS--200 RAILROAD CARLOADS -- OF SCRAP STEEL FROM JAPANESE PORTS.

IN IT ARE FIVE-FOOT LENGTHS OF 16-INCH NAVAL GUNS, HUNKS OF ARMOR PLATE 18-INCHES THICK, AND ALL KINDS OF WARSHIP FITTINGS. IT WILL GO BY RAIL TO PITTSBURGH FOR MELTING DOWN.

DOCK WORKERS WATCHED THE UNLOADING A LITTLE WISTFULLY. BACK BEFORE PEARL HARBOR, A STEADY STREAM OF JAPANESE SHIPS PUT IN HERE TO LOAD SCRAP. SOME OF IT HAS NOW MADE THE ROUND TRIP.

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WASHINGTON,MAY 4-(AP)-A TOTAL OF 202 PERSONS HAS BEEN RELEASED FROM GOVERNMENT SERVICE ON LOYALTY GROUNDS DURING THE PAST THREE YEARS, THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION LOYALTY REVIEW BOARD SAID TODAY.

APPROXIMATELY 2,000,000 PERSONS ARE EMPLOYED BY THE GOVERNMENT.

A TOTAL OF 7,709 CASES HAS BEEN FINALLY PASSED UPON BY LOYALTY BOARDS. OF THOSE 7,258 RESULTED IN THE INDIVIDUALS GETTING CLEARANCE.

SOME 451 PERSONS WERE RULED INELIGIBLE FOR GOVERNMENT SERVICE. OF THOSE THE 202 WERE DISMISSED, 143 WERE RESTORED TO SERVICE AFTER APPEALS AND THE BALANCE OF THE CASES ARE STILL PENDING.

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NEW YORK, MAY 4-(AP)-JOSEPH E. JOHNSON, FORMER STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICER AND ADVISER TO UNITED NATIONS DELEGATIONS, WAS ANNOUNCED TODAY AS PRESIDENT-ELECT OF THE CARNEGIE ENDOWMENT FOR INTERNATIONAL PEACE.

JOHNSON, NOW A PROFESSOR OF HISTORY AT WILLIAMS COLLEGE, WILL SUCCEED DR. JAMES T. SHOTWELL ON JULY 1. SHOTWELL BECOMES PRESIDENT EMERITUS.

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WELLESLEY,MASS.,MAY 4-(AP)-FORMER TRUST-BUSTER THURMAN ARNOLD SAYS THE FBI AND MEMBERS OF THE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE INFILTRATE COMMUNIST CELLS.

SPEAKING BEFORE A WELLESLEY COLLEGE AUDIENCE LAST NIGHT, ARNOLD SAID: "THESE DAYS EVERY COMMUNIST CELL IS COMPRISED OF 50 PERCEMT COMMUNISTS, 25 PERCENT MEMBERS OF THE FBI AND 25 PERCENT MEMBERS OF THE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE."

WITHOUT ELABORATING, ARNOLD SAID "THE PROFESSIONAL INFORMANT HAS BECOME THE MOULDER OF OUR FOREIGN POLICY."

THE EX-CHIEF OF THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT'S ANTI-TRUST DIVISION IS NOW A MEMBER OF THE LAW FIRM DEFENDING OWEN LATTIMORE AGAINST COMMUNIST CHARGES.

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GRAND JURY (210)

SAN FRANCISCO, MAY 4-(AP)-THE QUESTION OF WHETHER COMMUNISTS ENGAGED IN ATOMIC ESPIONAGE AT THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA DURING THE WAR IS UNDER SCRUTINY OF THE U.S.DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE.

A FEDERAL GRAND JURY, CONVENED ON THE ORDER OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, HEARD FROM EIGHT WITNESSES YESTERDAY IN A BRIEF AND SECRET SESSION.

U.S.ATTORNEY FRANK J.HENNESSY SAID THE INVESTIGATION INVOLVED "A SINGLE PERSON." HE WOULD NOT COMMENT OTHERWISE, EXCEPT TO ADD:

"WE ARE ACTING ON DIRECT INSTRUCTION FROM WASHINGTON IN CONNECTION WITH AN EASTERN INVESTIGATION."

ONE OF THE WITNESSES SAID HE HAD BEEN ASKED "AT LEAST 20 QUESTIONS" ABOUT PERSONNEL AT THE UNIVERSITY -- WHICH IS AT BERKELEY, ACROSS SAN FRANCISCO BAY. HE SAID HE WAS ASKED IF HE KNEW DR.JOSEPH WOODROW EINBERG, FORMER LECTURING PHYSICIST AT THE UNIVERSITY.

DR.WEINBERG, NOW A PROFESSOR AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA, WAS ACCUSED BY THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE LAST SEPTEMBER OF HAVING DISCLOSED ATOMIC SECRETS TO A COMMUNIST AGENT. AT THAT TIME, HE WAS DESIGNATED MERELY AS "SCIENTIST X." LATER, THE COMMITTEE IDENTIFIED HIM. DR.WEINBERG FLATLY DENIED THE CHARGES.

AMONG THE EIGHT CALLED BEFORE THE GRAND JURY WAS DR.IRVING DAVID FOX, YOUNG PHYSICIST ASSISTANT WHO WAS DISMISSED FROM THE UNIVERSITY SEVERAL MONTHS AGO. FOX AND WEINBERG FORMERLY WORKED TOGETHER IN THE RADIATION LABORATORY.

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THIRD NIGHT LEAD FOREIGN AID

BY MORGAN REYNOLDS

WASHINGTON, MAY 5-(AP)-A $3,122,450,000 FOREIGN AID BILL WAS PASSED BY THE SENATE TONIGHT.

BEFORE APPROVING THAT TOTAL FOR GLOBAL AID, ECONOMY ADVOCATES SUCCEEDED IN CUTTING $250,000,000 OUT OF THE $3,100,000,000 THE ADMINISTRATION HAD ASKED FOR AID TO EUROPE ALONE.

PROGRAMS TO HELP OTHER AREAS BROUGHT THE TOTAL OVER THE $3,000,000,-000 FIGURE AGAIN.

WITH THE $250,000,000 CUT IN THE AID FOR EUROPE, THE SENATE FIGURE FOR THAT PHASE OF THE PROGRAM COINCIDES WITH THE AMOUNT VOTED FOR IT BY THE HOUSE, $2,850,000,000.

THE VOTE TO APPROVE THE BIG MEASURE WAS 60 TO 8.

FINAL PASSAGE CLIMAXED THREE WEEKS OF SPORADIC BUT HEATED DEBATE ON THE GLOBAL AID MEASURE, WHICH THE HOUSE PASSED MARCH 31.

BESIDES PROVIDING FOR CONTINUING THE MARSHALL PLAN OF ECONOMIC AID DESIGNED TO BOLSTER EUROPE AGAINST COMMUNISM, THE BILL CALLS FOR ASSIS-TANCE TO KOREA AND OTHER AREAS.

ONLY TWO DEMOCRATS OPPOSED THE BILL. SENATOR JOHNSTON (SC) VOTED AGAINST IT, AND SENATOR BYRD (VA) WAS PAIRED AGAINST IT.

REPUBLICAN SENATORS DWORSHAK (IDAHO), JENNER (IND), KEM (MO), MALONE (NEV), WHERRY (NEB), WILLIAMS (DEL), AND YOUNG (ND) ALSO VOTED AGAINST THE BILL. TWO OTHER REPUBLICANS, SENATORS CAPEHART (IND) AND LANGER (ND), WERE PAIRED AGAINST IT.

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ALTHOUGH ADMINISTRATION LEADERS LOST IN THEIR EFFORT TO WIN APPROVAL OF THE FULL $3,100,000,000 REQUESTED FOR THE EUROPEAN RECOVERY PROGRAM, THEY SCORED A VICTORY BY GAINING CLEARANCE FOR PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S "POINT FOUR" PLAN TO AID BACKWARD AREAS OF THE WORLD.

BY A 37 TO 36 TALLY THE SENATE ADOPTED A $45,000,000 AUTHORIZATION TO START THE "POINT FOUR" PROGRAM AFTER REJECTING 41 TO 33 A REPUBLICAN MOVE TO TURN THE MATTER OVER TO A BIPARTISAN COMMISSION FOR FURTHER STUDY.

CHAIRMAN MCKELLAR (D-TENN) OF THE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE SERVED NOTICE, HOWEVER, HE OPPOSES THE TECHNICAL AID PROPOSAL AND SAID HE WILL SEEK TO BLOCK THE $45,000,000 OUTLAY WHEN THE ACTUAL MONEY BILL COMES UP LATER.

THE PRESENT BILL IS AN "AUTHORIZATION" MEASURE WHICH PUTS CONGRESS ON RECORD AS FAVORING THE AID, BUT APPROPRIATES NO ACTUAL MONEY.

THE HOUSE PREVIOUS HAD APPROVED THE "POINT FOUR" PLAN BUT TRIMMED THE AMOUNT TO $25,000,000.

AS PASSED BY THE SENATE AND HOUSE THE BIG FOREIGN AID MEASURE AUTHORIZES $2,850,000,000 FOR THE EUROPEAN RECOVERY PROGRAM; $100,000,-000 FOR KOREA; $100,000,000 FOR ECONOMIC AID TO THE CHINA AREA; $27,-450,000 FOR ARAB REFUGEES IN PALESTINE AND THE "POINT FOUR" PLAN.

THE LEGISLATION NOW GOES TO A SENATE-HOUSE CONFERENCE GROUP TO WORK OUT DIFFERENCES IN THE TWO BILLS.

THE BIGGEST SENATE FIGHT CAME OVER THE REPUBLICAN DRIVE TO WHACK UP TO $1,000,000,000 OFF THE MARSHALL PLAN PROGRAM FOR THE NEXT FISCAL YEAR STARTING JULY 1.

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THE ADMINISTRATION FORCES BEAT BACK THE BILLION DOLLAR REDUCTION PROPOSAL OF SENATOR KEM (R-MO) BY A TIDY MARGIN, 62 TO 17. BUT ON THE NEXT MOVE TO CUT IT $500,000,000 THEY JUST SQUEEZED THROUGH ON A 40 TO 40 TIE VOTE.

IT WAS A COALITION OF SOUTHERN DEMOCRATS AND REPUBLICANS WHICH FINALLY PUT ACROSS THE $250,000,000 REDUCTION ON A 47 TO 33 ROLL CALL VOTE.

JOINING THE 33 REPUBLICANS IN FAVOR OF THIS SLASH PROPOSED BY SENATOR BRIDGES (R-NH) WERE 14 DEMOCRATS--12 OF THEM FROM THE SOUTH.

THIS REDUCTION BROUGHT THE MARSHALL PLAN BILL TO THE SAME TOTAL AS VOTED BY THE HOUSE--$2,850,000,000. THE ACTUAL MONEY TO BE USED IN THE NEXT FISCAL YEAR STARTING JULY 1 MUST BE PROVIDED BY SEPARATE LEGISLATION.

THE VOTING CAME AFTER WARNINGS FROM DEMOCRATIC LEADERS THAT A DEEP CUT IN THE MARSHALL PLAN FUNDS MIGHT FORCE THIS COUNTRY TO INCREASE ITS DEFENSE OUTLAYS VASTLY.

JUST BEFORE THE VOTING GOT UNDERWAY MAJORITY LEADER LUCAS OF ILLINOIS DECLARED THAT AN "ISOLATIONIST" POLICY WOULD TURN AMERICA INTO A "GARRISON STATE" AND DOUBLE THE PRESENT DEFENSE SPENDING TOTAL OF $13,000,000,000.

CHAIRMAN CONNALLY (D-TEX) OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE MADE A PLEA AGAINST ANY CUTS IN THE FOREIGN AID MEASURE.

"THIS IS NOT A CHARITY BILL," HE SAID. "IT'S A BILL FOR THE SAFETY AND SECURITY OF THE UNITED STATES. WE WANT TO HAVE A BULWARK IN WEST-ERN EUROPE AGAINST A HORDE OF COMMUNISTS."

IN A LAST MINUTE EFFORT TO HEAD OFF THE ECONOMY FORCES, CONNALLY MADE PUBLIC A LETTER FROM MARSHALL PLAN DIRECTOR PAUL HOFFMAN EXPRESSING CONCERN OVER THE PROPOSED CUTS. HOFFMAN WENT ON TO SAY THAT THE REDUC-TIONS NOT ONLY WOULD AFFECT THE EUROPEAN AID PROGRAM SEVERELY BUT ALSO PLACE IN JEOPARDY THE $10,000,000,000 ALREADY INVESTED IN THE STOP-COMMUNISM PLAN.

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THEN ON THE FIRST TEST MOVE THE ADMINISTRATION HANDILY DEFEATED A MOVE BY SENATOR KEM (R-MO) TO SLASH $1,000,000,000 OFF THE ECA BILL.

SENATOR TAFT (R-OHIO) THEN OFFERED AN AMENDMENT TO TRIM IT BY $500,000,000.

HIS PROPOSAL WON IMMEDIATE SUPPORT FROM THE SOUTHERN DEMOCRATS, LED BY SENATOR BYRD (D-VA) WHO ASSERTED "WE MUST KNOCK OUT THE WASTE AND EXTRAVAGANCE IN THESE GIVE-AWAY PROGRAMS ABROAD."

"WE CAN'T BUY THE FRIENDSHIP OF THESE NATIONS," BYRD SAID. "THUS FAR WE'VE BOUGHT--BUT NOT PAID FOR--A MESS OF SOCIALISM IN BRITAIN."

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THE SENATE ALSO DEFEATED, 52 TO 24, AN ATTEMPT BY SENATOR KEM TO BAR AID TO ANY NATION WHICH SENT TO RUSSIA OR ITS SATELLITES ANY MATERIALS THAT COULD BE USED "TO MAINTAIN OR EXPAND DIRECTLY" THEIR MILITARY FORCES.

BEATEN 46 TO 31 WAS AN AMENDMENT BY SENATORS YOUNG (R-ND) AND ELMER THOMAS (D-OKLA) THAT WOULD HAVE REQUIRED ECA TO BUY FARM AND FOOD PRODUCTS IN THE UNITED STATES IF THEY WERE CLASSED AS SURPLUS OR SELLING BELOW GOVERNMENT PRICE SUPPORT LEVELS.

THE SENATE THEN DEFEATED 52 TO 21 AN AMENDMENT BY SENATOR WHERRY (R-NEB) TO PREVENT ECA NATIONS FROM DISCRIMINATING AGAINST AMERICAN PRODUCTS, CITIZENS AND CORPORATIONS IN EXPORTS AND IMPORTS.

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FOREIGN AID-TAYLOR

WASHINGTON, MAY 5-(AP)-SENATOR TAYLOR (D-IDAHO) BECAME A CONVERT TO THE ADMINISTRATION'S EUROPEAN RECOVERY PROGRAM TODAY. HE HAS OPPOSED IT IN THE PAST.

TAYLOR, WHO WAS VICE PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE ON HENRY WALLACE'S PROGRESSIVE PARTY TICKET IN 1948, SPOKE FOR THE BIG FOREIGN AID BILL IN SENATE DEBATE.

HE SAID HE WAS FOR THE BILL BECAUSE HE IS CONVINCED THIS COUNTRY MUST "TRY TO PREVENT THE SPREAD OF COMMUNISM."

AS TO HIS PAST VOTES, TAYLOR SAID HE ALWAYS HAD FAVORED EUROPEAN AID, BUT HAD THOUGHT IT SHOULD OPERATE THROUGH THE UNITED NATIONS.

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LONDON, MAY 5-(AP)-BRITISH AIR SECRETARY ARTHUR HENDERSON ANNOUNCED TODAY U.S. AIR FORCE BOMBERS STATIONED IN ENGLAND WILL MOVE INLAND SOON FROM THEIR PRESENT EAST ANGLIA BASES.

THERE WERE SOME REPORTS THAT BRITISH FIELDS WERE BEING MADE BIG ENOUGH TO HANDLE THE B-36, THE LARGEST AND LONGEST-RANGE U.S. ATOM BOMBER, BUT U.S. AIR FORCE SOURCES HERE DECLINED TO COMMENT ON THAT.

THE AIR SECRETARY SAID THAT TO ACCOMODATE B-29S AND B-50S HERE, "CERTAIN AIRFIELDS" IN THE MIDLANDS WOULD BE "EXTENDED AND IMPROVED" FOR THE OPERATION OF MODERN BOMBERS. HE TOLD THE HOUSE OF COMMONS MOST OF THIS WORK WILL BE DONE BY U.S. AIR FORCE ENGINEER TROOPS.

WHEN THE MIDLAND FIELDS ARE READY FOR THE U.S. MOVE, THE ROYAL AIR FORCE WILL TAKE OVER IN THE THREE EAST ANGLIA FIELDS TO BASE ABOUT 70 B-29S BEING RECEIVED FROM THE UNITED STATES. THE FIRST FOUR OF THESE ARRIVED LAST MONTH.

THE U.S. AIR FORCE NOW HAS THREE GROUPS -- 90 PLANES -- BASED AT LAKENHEATH, SCULTHORPE AND MARHAM, ALL OLD-ESTABLISHED RAF STATIONS.

MOST OF THE WARTIME U.S. EIGHTH AIR FORCE BOMBER GROUPS WERE STATIONED IN THE EAST ANGLIA AREA, WHICH LIES MAINLY NORTHEAST OF LONDON AND CONSISTS OF NORFOLK, SUFFOLK AND LINCOLN COUNTIES.

HENDERSON ALSO TOLD THE HOUSE THE U.S. AIR FORCE WOULD STAY IN ENGLAND INDEFINITELY.

"AMERICAN SQUADRONS WILL CONTINUE TO USE AIRFIELDS IN THIS COUNTRY FOR TRAINING PURPOSES SO LONG AS BOTH GOVERNMENTS CONSIDER THIS DESIRABLE IN THE INTERESTS OF COMMON DEFENSE AND UNTIL COLLECTIVE SECURITY HAS BEEN SECURED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CHARTER OF THE UNITED NATIONS," HE SAID.

LED BY THE COMMUNISTS, SOME BRITONS HAVE BEEN ATTACKING THE CONTINUED PRESENCE OF U.S. AIR FORCE UNITS HERE.

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LONDON, MAY 5-(AP)-BRITISH COMMONWEALTH REPRESENTATIVES RESUMED TODAY THEIR STUDY OF POLICIES WITH REGARD TO A JAPANESE PEACE TREATY.

A COMMONWEALTH RELATIONS OFFICE SAID NO DECISIONS HAVE BEEN REACHED THUS FAR INTHE TALKS TO HAMMER OUT A COMMON POLICY. THE MEETINGS, WHICH BEGAN MONDAY, ARE EXPECTED TO CONTINUE TWO MORE WEEKS. UP TO NOW, THE SPOKESMAN SAID, THEY HAVE BEEN DEVOTED TO EXCHANGES OF VIEWS.

THE COMMONWEALTH REPRESENTATIVES ARE EXPECTED TO AGREE THAT ALL NATIONS WHICH TOOK PART IN THE WAR AGAINST JAPAN SHOULD BE SEATED AT THE PEACE CONFERENCE WHEN AND IF IT IS HELD. RUSSIA HAS OBJECTED TO THIS, INSISTING THAT THE TREATY SHOULD BE DRAWN UP BY THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE UNITED STATES, RUSSIA, CHINA, BRITAIN AND FRANCE.

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LONDON, SATURDAY, MAY 6-(AP)-THE OFFICIAL RUSSIAN NEWS AGENCY TASS DISTRIBUTED A COMMUNIQUE FROM HO CHI MINH'S ARMY IN INDOCHINA TODAY WHICH CLAIMED NEARLY 5,000 FRENCH SOLDIERS HAVE BEEN KILLED OR WOUNDED SINCE JAN.1.

IT ALSO SAID 850 HAVE BEEN TAKEN PRISONER AND 2,300 RIFLES, 545 AUTOMATIC WEAPONS, AND 23 MORTARS CAPTURED.

THE FRENCH SPONSOR THE REGIME OF BAO DAI IN INDOCHINA AND ARE FIGHTING THE TROOPS OF MOSCOW-EDUCATED HO.

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BY LOUIS NEVIN

MADRID, MAY 5-(AP)-SPAIN IS LEANING MORE AND MORE ON GERMAN KNOW-HOW TO COMPLETE HER INDUSTRIAL RECOVERY AND STRENGTHEN HER NATIONAL DEFENSE.

ALTHOUGH THE GOVERNMENT IS MAINTAINING A STRICT SILENCE, COMPLETELY RELIABLE SOURCES SAY NEARLY 50 GERMAN INDUSTRIAL SPECIALISTS AND THEIR FAMILIES HAVE ARRIVED FROM THE WESTERN ZONES OF GERMANY TO ADVISE IN STRENGTHENING AND IMPROVING SPANISH INDUSTRY.

ALL BRANCHES OF INDUSTRY ARE REPRESENTED, THE SOURCES SAID, BUT THE MAJORITY ARE HYDROELECTRIC ENGINEERS, SHOWING SPAIN'S PREOCCUPATION WITH THE POWER SHORTAGE.

MOST OF THE VISITING EXPERTS COME FROM MUNICH AND HAMBURG, THE FIRST IN THE AMERICAN ZONE, THE SECOND IN THE BRITISH. THE SOURCES SAID THE BEST KNOWN AMONG THE GERMANS WAS GUNPOWDER EXPERT PROFESSOR LEUNICH. MORE ABOUT HIM IS UNKNOWN HERE.

ALL THE MEN ARE UNDER CONTRACT TO THE NATIONAL INDUSTRIAL INSTITUTE AND THEIR SALARIES RANGE FROM EIGHT TO NINE THOUSAND PESETAS A MONTH. (ABOUT $750 TO $900).

THEY HAVE ALL ARRIVED WITHIN THE PAST MONTH WITH PERMISSION OF ALLIED OCCUPATION AUTHORITIES IN GERMANY. MORE ARE EXPECTED.

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PARIS, MAY 5-(AP)-THE FRENCH NATIONAL ASSEMBLY VOTED EARLY TODAY TO REJECT IMPLICATIONS THAT FORMER PREMIER HENRI QUEUILLE AND FORMER DEFENSE MINISTER PAUL RAMADIER WERE LAX IN THEIR DUTIES IN THE REVERS AFFAIR.

THE ASSEMBLY DEBATED THE MATTER FOR 18 HOURS AND THEN PASSED A MOTION BY A 338 TO 204 VOTE THAT THE TWO "ACTED IN GOOD FAITH AND FOR THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE NATION." THE MOTION DID NOT, HOWEVER, INDICATE APPROVAL OF THEIR ACTIONS IN THE AFFAIR, A POLITICAL HOT POTATO IN FRANCE. THE COMMUNISTS INSISTED THE TWO MINISTERS HAD BEEN LAX.

THE CASE CONCERNS FORMER CHIEF OF STAFF GEN.GEORGES REVERS AND GEN.CHARLES MAST, RETIRED FORMER GOVERNOR-GENERAL OF TUNISIA. IT WAS BROUGHT INTO THE OPEN WHEN A SECRET REPORT ON THE MILITARY AND POLITICAL SITUATION IN INDOCHINA FELL INTO THE HANDS OF COMMUNIST LEADER HO CHI MINH, WHO HEADS THE GUERRILLA REBELLION AGAINST THE FRENCH IN INDOCHINA.

INVESTIGATIONS SHOWED THAT GEN.REVERS HAD BEEN IN CONTACT WITH A MAN NAMED ROGER PEYRE, DESCRIBED BY PREMIER GEORGES BIDAULT AS A "DOUBLE OR EVEN A TRIPLE AGENT," AND THAT SECRET EFFORTS HAD BEEN MADE TO MAKE MAST COMMANDER IN INDOCHINA. PEYRE HAS SINCE FLED TO BRAZIL.

QUEUILLE WAS PREMIER AND RAMADIER DEFENSE MINISTER AT THE TIME. QUEUILLE SAID NEGOTIATIONS ON THE ATLANTIC PACT WERE OPENING AT THE TIME AND IT SEEMED INADVISABLE TO TAKE DISCIPLINARY ACTION THEN FOR FEAR OF STIRRING A MAJOR SCANDAL.

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CANNES, FRANCE, MAY 5-(AP)-AN ESTIMATED 150 STEEL WORKERS TODAY FOUGHT A PITCHED BATTLE WITH POLICE, TRYING TO SMASH FRENCH ARMY GUIDED MISSILE EQUIPMENT ON RAILROAD FLAT CARS AT NEARBY LA BOCCA.

THE DEMONSTRATORS WERE LED BY TWO COMMUNIST MEMBERS OF THE CANNES CITY COUNCIL. THEY THREW STONES AND STEEL BALLS AT THE POLICE BUT WERE TURNED BACK BY TEAR GAS GRENADES.

FIVE POLICEMEN WERE INJURED. SEVEN OF THE DEMONSTRATORS WERE ARRESTED.

THE TRAIN LEFT THE STATION ONLY A FEW MINUTES BEHIND SCHEDULE 'ITH NONE OF THE EQUIPMENT DAMAGED.

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PARIS, MAY 5-(AP)-A FIRING SQUAD EXECUTED FOUR FRENCH TRAITORS TODAY. ONE OF THEM, JAUNTILY WEARING A ROSE IN HIS LAPEL, ASKED THE RIFLEMEN NOT TO SHOOT HIM IN THE HEAD BECAUSE HE WAS BEQUEATHING HIS EYES TO A PARIS HOSPITAL.

HE WAS MAURICE BAY AND THE FIRING SQUAD OBEYED HIS REQUEST. A FRENCH PHYSICIAN REMOVED THE EYES AND SAID THEY WOULD BE USED IN AN OPERATION ON A BLIND MAN NOW IN THE HOSPITAL.

THE OTHERS EXECUTED WERE HENRI NICOLAS, MAURICE SION AND RENE LEFEVRE, ALL CONDEMNED FOR BEING MEMBERS OF AN INFAMOUS "FRENCH GESTAPO" WHICH ARRESTED AND TORTURED FRENCHMEN FOR THE GERMANS DURING THE NAZI OCCUPATION OF PARIS.

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the hague, the netherlands, May 5-(ap)-United nations secretary-general trygve lie, en route to moscow on a save-the-u.n. mission, conferred with justices of the international court here today.

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Lie told a news conference later his conference was "purely on administrative business" in connection with the devaluation of dutch currency.

Lie announced yesterday he would fly to moscow from geneva may 10 and try to see prime minister stalin, "arrangements for our flight are being made now and I probably will know more when I get to geneva tomorrow," he said.

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GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, MAY 5-(AP)-THE INTERNATIONAL LABOR OFFICE DECLARED TODAY THE WORLD'S UNEMPLOYMENT PROBLEM "IS FAR FROM BEING SOLVED" AND REQUIRES STRONG NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL ACTION.

THE OFFICE, AN AGENCY OF THE UNITED NATIONS, RELEASED A DETAILED SURVEY OF WORLD LABOR CONDITIONS PREPARED FOR THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE LABOR ORGANIZATION HERE NEXT MONTH.

THE SURVEY SAID THE GOAL IS WORLDWIDE FULL EMPLOYMENT. IT MADE THESE RECOMMENDATIONS:

STABILIZATION AND CONTINUOUS EXPANSION OF WORLD TRADE.

INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENTS TO STABILIZE PRICES OF ALL MAJOR COMMODITIES.

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UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE SCHEMES IN EVERY NATION.

TO FURTHER CUT THE NUMBER OF JOBLESS, THE SURVEY RECOMMENDED TO MEMBER NATIONS THAT THEY EXTEND CREDIT FACILITIES, LOWER INTEREST RATES AND OFFER SPECIAL TAX REDUCTIONS AS INCENTIVES TO WORKERS. IT ALSO URGED GOVERNMENT PROMOTION OF INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT OF NEW INDUSTRIES AND NEW PRODUCTS.

"IT WOULD BE DESIRABLE," THE SURVEY SAID, "TO HAVE PREPARED A CAREFULLY PLANNED RESERVE OF PUBLIC WORKS PROJECTS TO BE UNDERTAKEN BOTH BY CENTRAL AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS, SO THAT THEY CAN BE CARRIED IMMEDIATELY INTO OPERATION WHEN THE OCCASION ARISES."

THE REPORT SAID CAUSES OF UNEMPLOYMENT DIFFER IN MANY COUNTRIES. IN THE UNITED STATES UNEMPLOYMENT LAST YEAR WAS CAUSED MAINLY BY AN "INVENTORY DEPRESSION." SUCH DEPRESSIONS ARISE, THE SURVEY CONTINUED, BECAUSE BUSINESS MEN BUILD UP EXCESSIVELY LARGE STOCKS SO THAT DURING THE PERIOD OF LIQUIDATION, PRODUCTION IS LIKELY TO BE CUT, AND WORKERS MAY BE TEMPORARILY UNEMPLOYED.

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NIGHT LEAD GERMAN

BY GEORGE BOULTWOOD

BONN, GERMANY, MAY 5-(AP)-ANTI-COMMUNIST FEELING SURGED ACROSS WEST GERMANY TODAY AS THE STUNNED POPULACE REALIZED THE FULL IMPORT OF RUSSIA'S ANNOUNCEMENT THAT ALL GERMAN WAR PRISONERS HAVE BEEN RETURNED.

CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER BITTERLY CHARGED THAT 1,500,000 GERMANS--INCLUDING "TENS OF THOUSANDS OF DEPORTED CIVILIANS"--ARE STILL MISSING IN THE SOVIET UNION. HE DEMANDED, IN THE NAME OF HUMANITY, THAT THE KREMLIN ACCOUNT FOR THEIR FATE. THE CHANCELLOR MADE A SPECIAL APPEARANCE BEFORE THE WEST GERMAN PARLIAMENT.

U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J. MCCLOY DECLARED AT HIS FRANKFURT HEADQUARTERS THAT RUSSIA HAS FAILED TO ACCOUNT FOR "MANY HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF GERMAN PRISONERS OF WAR."

"I THINK THE WORLD SHOULD KNOW WHAT HAPPENED TO THEM AND TO THE MANY THOUSANDS OF GERMAN CIVILIANS WHO ALSO DISAPPEARED INTO THE SOVIET UNION," MCCLOY SAID.

U.S. OFFICIALS IN FRANKFURT SAID MCCLOY AND U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON WILL DISCUSS THE GERMAN WAR PRISONER SITUATION WHEN THEY MEET IN PARIS SUNDAY.

STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS IN WASHINGTON LABELLED RUSSIA'S ANNOUNCEMENT, MADE LAST NIGHT THROUGH THE TASS NEWS AGENCY, "FANTASTIC AND ABSURD." THEY ESTIMATED THE SOVIETS ARE STILL HOLDING "AT LEAST" 200,000 GERMAN TROOPS IN FORCED LABOR AND PRISONER OF WAR CAMPS.

TASS SAID THE LAST GROUP OF WAR PRISONERS--17,538 OF THEM--HAD BEEN RETURNED TO GERMANY. ADENAUER USED SOVIET FIGURES TO SUPPORT HIS DECLARATION THAT 1,500,000 ARE MISSING.

THE CHANCELLOR SAID THAT IN 1945 TASS REPORTED 3,500,000 GERMANS HELD IN RUSSIA. LAST NIGHT'S ANNOUNCEMENT SAID 1,939,063 HAD BEEN REPATRIATED. HE SAID THAT STILL LEAVES MORE THAN 1,500,000 UNACCOUNTED FOR.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT PLUNGED HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF GERMAN HOMES INTO MOURNING UNPARALLELED SINCE THE LAST DAYS OF THE WAR. IT ALSO BROUGHT FORECASTS FROM WEST GERMAN LEADERS THAT THE RUSSIANS HAD SPELLED THE END OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN GERMANY.

SOCIALIST LEADER KURT SCHUMACHER PREDICTED A MOVE TO BAN THE COMMUNIS PARTY. HE TOLD REPORTERS THE WEST GERMAN PARLIAMENT PROBABLY WILL TAKE UP THE QUESTION NEXT WEEK. HIS CRY WAS PICKED UP BY ADENAUER'S OWN CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATS AND BY THE LIBERAL DEMOCRATS, THE SECOND RANKING PARTY.

FRANZ BLUECHER, RIGHT WING VICE CHANCELLOR, DECLARED "THOSE FEW GERMANS WHO SO FAR HAVE BEEN DECEIVED BY COMMUNISM SURELY NOW AT LONG LAST SEE THE TRUTH."

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TIGHT CENSORSHIP VEILED REACTION IN THE SOVIET ZONE, BUT THERE COULD BE LITTLE DOUBT THAT BITTERNESS AND GRIEF PREVAILED THERE AS WELL. THE RUSSIAN ANNOUNCEMENT KILLED HOPES IN BOTH THE EAST AND WEST FOR THE RETURN OF HUSBANDS AND SONS WHO HAD BEEN AWAITED FOR FIVE YEARS.

WEST GERMAN POLICE BROKE UP A NEWS CONFERENCE BEING GIVEN HERE BY THE COMMUNISTS. A TRUCKLOAD OF OFFICERS ROARED UP TO A SMALL HOTEL AS TWO RUSSIAN ZONE MAYORS AND OFFICIALS OF THE RED-SPONSORED FREE GERMAN YOUTH TRIED TO HOLD A PARLEY WITH THE PRESS. THE POLICE SAID THEY WERE ACTING UNDER A SECTION OF THE REPUBLIC'S LAW THAT BANS MEETINGS OR ORGANIZATIONS AIMING AT OVERTHROW OF THE CONSTITUTION.

FRANKFURT POLICE POSTED A GUARD OUTSIDE COMMUNIST HEADQUARTERS TO PREVENT POSSIBLE VENGEANCE.

WHEN A COMMUNIST DEPUTY GOT UP IN PARLIAMENT TO ANSWER ANDENAUER'S COMMENT ON THE RUSSIAN STATEMENT, ALMOST ALL THE LAWMAKERS WALKED OUT.

THE COMMUNIST SPEAKER, HEINZ RENNER, TOLD HIS REMAINING AUDIENCE, CONSISTING MAINLY OF NEWSPAPERMEN AND THREE COMMUNIST DEPUTIES, THAT IT COULD BE PROVED 1,500,000 GERMAN SOLDIERS DIED IN RUSSIA IF THE WESTERN ALLIES WOULD PERMIT PUBLICATION OF RECORDS THEY HOLD.

THE WESTERN ALLIES HAVE DENIED COMMUNIST ALLEGATIONS THAT THEY ARE HUSHING UP GERMAN ARMY CASUALTY FIGURES.

THE RUSSIAN ANNOUNCEMENT, APPARENTLY INTENDED TO CONVINCE GERMANS OF SOVIET GOOD WILL IN REPATRIATING PRISONERS, MAY HAVE KNOCKED THE PROPS OUT FROM UNDER ANY KREMLIN HOPES OF UNITING BERLIN UNDER THE RED BANNER IN THE SCHEDULED COMMUNIST YOUTH MARCH IN BERLIN ON MAY 28. THEY HOPED TO HAVE SOME 500,000 IN THE PARADE.

THE WEST BERLIN PRESS DENOUNCED THE SOVIET STATEMENT. DER TAG, ASSOCIATED WITH ADENAUER'S PARTY, DECLARED "HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF GERMAN FAMILIES HAVE BEEN BURIED BY A TWO-MINUTE MOSCOW RADIO REPORT."

"WHERE ARE THE OTHERS?" DEMANDED THE BERLINER ANZEIGER.

"WE WILL NEVER FORGET THIS--NOR WILL THE WORLD EVER FORGET," THE WEST BERLIN TELEGRAF DECLARED.

THE FRANKFURT, ABENDPOST HEADLINED THE ANNOUNCEMENT AS "THE MOST TERRIBLE NEWS SINCE THE END OF THE WAR."

THE EAST GERMAN SOVIET-CONTROLLED PRESS APPEARED AT A LOSS HOW TO HANDLE THE EXPLOSIVE ANNOUNCEMENT.

FOR MORE THAN NINE HOURS AFTER THE NEWS WENT OUT, THE EASTERN PRESS REMAINED SILENT. THEN THE SOVIET-CONTROLLED NEWS AGENCY ADN CARRIED THE ANNOUNCEMENT. NO EDITORIAL COMMENT WAS MADE.

IN MUNICH 1,200 FORMER GERMAN SOLDIERS TONIGHT PROTESTED RUSSIAN CLAIMS THAT PRISON CAMPS HAVE BEEN EMPTIED. THEY ADOPTED A RESOLUTION ADDRESSED TO THE WEST GERMAN FEDERAL GOVERNMENT WHICH SAID IN PART:

"WE WILL NOT FORGET WHAT HAPPENED IN GERMAN CONCENTRATION CAMPS DURING THE WAR, BUT THIS CANNOT FORCE US TO KEEP SILENT ABOUT NEW CRIMES AGAINST HUMANITY."

THE RESOLUTION ESTIMATED THERE ARE AT LEAST 200,000 TO 300,000 GERMAN PRISONERS STILL IN RUSSIA UNLESS THEY HAVE DIED AT THE HANDS OF THE RUSSIANS.

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BRUNSWICK, GERMANY, MAY 5-(AP)-CIRCUS OWNER GUSTAV BRAUMBACH SAID TODAY HE HAD SNEAKED HIS CIRCUS--ELEPHANTS, BEARS, HORSES AND WAGONS--INTO WESTERN GERMANY PAST SOVIET ZONE BORDER GUARDS.

AND AS FOR WILD TIGERS--THERE'S NOT A SINGLE ONE LEFT IN THE SOVIET ZONE, BRAUMBACH SAID. HE SMUGGLED THEM ALL OUT.

BRAUMBACH SAID HE GOT OUT OF EAST GERMANY BECAUSE OFFICIALS HAD BRANDED HIS CIRCUS A "MONOPOLY CAPITALIST" OUTFIT WHICH OUGHT TO BE NATIONALIZED.

HE WOULDN'T SAY HOW HE GOT THE ELEPHANTS AND OTHER ANIMALS PAST THE EAGLE EYES OF THE CUSTOMS.

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SAARBRUECKEN, THE SAAR, MAY 5-(AP)-FRITZ NICKOLAY, TOP COMMUNIST IN THIS INDUSTRIAL VALLEY, WAS ARRESTED TODAY. POLICE NABBED HIM AFTER HE LEAPED OUT OF HIS APARTMENT WINDOW AND TRIED TO ESCAPE IN A NEARBY FOREST.

HE WAS CHARGED WTH "ATTEMPTING TO INCITE VIOLENCE." THE ACCUSATION STEMMED FROM DISTURBANCES THAT ACCOMPANIED DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNIST PAMPHELTS ON MAY DAY. SIX OTHER COMMUNISTS ALSO WERE ARRESTED.

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A100 (190)

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PRECEDE FRANKFURT

BY GEORGE BOULTWOOD

BONN, GERMANY, MAY 5-(AP)-CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER CHARGED TODAY THAT 1,500,000 GERMANS ARE STILL MISSING IN THE SOVIET UNION. HE DEMANDED, IN THE NAME OF HUMANITY, THAT THE KREMLIN ACCOUNT FOR THEIR FATE.

ADENAUER MADE A SPECIAL APPEARANCE BEFORE THE WEST GERMAN PARLIAMENT AFTER HE LEARNED OF LAST NIGHT'S SOVIET ANNOUNCEMENT THAT REPATRIATION OF GERMAN WAR PRISONERS HAD BEEN COMPLETED.

THE SOVIET STATEMENT DASHED THE HOPES OF FAMILIES OF HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF MISSING SOLDIERS. IT CAME AS A GREAT SHOCK TO THE WEST GERMAN CAPITAL. MANY POLITICIANS VIEWED IT AS A SEVERE BLOW TO THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN THE WEST. WHEN A COMMUNIST DEPUTY GOT UP TO ANSWER ADENAUER VIRTUALLY THE ENTIRE BODY OF LAWMAKERS WITH THE EXCEPTION OF THREE COMMUNIST DEPUTIES PRESENT AND THREE OTHERS WALKED OUT.

TASS, THE OFFICIAL SOVIET NEWS AGENCY, SAID THE LAST GROUP OF WAR PRISONERS--17,538 OF THEM--HAD BEEN RETURNED TO GERMANY.

BUT ADENAUER TOLD PARLIAMENT THAT GERMAN FIGURES SHOW ABOUT 1,500,000 GERMANS ARE STILL LEFT INSIDE RUSSIA. HE ADDED:

"THESE TERRIBLE FIGURES MUST BE CLEARED UP. THIS IS AN APPEAL TO THE HUMANITY OF ALL PEOPLES."

ADENAUER USED SOVIET FIGURES TO SUPPORT HIS CLAIM. HE SAID THAT IN 1945 TASS REPORTED 3,500,000 GERMANS HELD IN RUSSIA. LAST NIGHT'S ANNOUNCEMENT SAID 1,939,063 WAR PRISONERS HAD BEEN REPATRIATED. THE CHANCELLOR SAID THAT STILL LEAVES MORE THAN 1,500,000 UNACCOUNTED FOR.

ADENAUER EXPLAINED THAT NO EXACT GERMAN FIGURES ARE AVAILABLE. HE SAID GERMAN ARMY RECORDS ARE HELD BY THE RUSSIANS, WHO HAVE FAILED TO KEEP REPEATED PROMISES TO PUBLISH THEM. IN ADDITION TO THE UNKNOWN FATE OF SOLDIER PRISONERS NOTHING HAS BEEN LEARNED OF WHAT HAPPENED TO "TENS OF THOUSANDS" OF GERMAN CIVILIANS DEPORTED TO RUSSIA, HE ADDED.

PRIOR TO THE WALKOUT, THE BUNDESTAG (LOWER HOUSE) APPROVED A MOTION URGING THE WESTERN ALLIED HIGH COMMISSION TO ASK THE SOVIET UNION FOR INFORMATION ABOUT THE MISSING GERMANS. THE ONLY VOTES CAST IN OPPOSITION WERE THE THREE COMMUNIST DEPUTIES. THE OTHER 12 COMMUNISTS IN THE PARLIAMENT WERE NOT PRESENT.

AFTER THE MOTION WAS PASSED, HEINZ RENNER, THE COMMUNIST FACTION LEADER, GOT UP TO SPEAK. HE SHOUTED AFTER THE DEPARTING DEPUTIES "ARE YOU AFRIAID TO HEAR WHAT I HAVE TO SAY?"

BEFORE HIS REMAINING AUDIENCE--THE PRESIDENT OF THE BUNDESTAG, SEVERAL CLERKS, NEWSPAPERMEN AND HIS TWO FELLOW COMMUNISTS--RENNER ACCUSED ADENAUER OF USING AN IMPROPER TONE TOWARD THE SOVIET UNION.

RENNER SAID THAT IT COULD BE PROVED THAT 1,500,000 GERMAN SOLDIERS DIED IN RUSSIA IF THE WESTERN ALLIES WOULD PERMIT PUBLICATION OF RECORDS THEY HOLD. THE WESTERN ALLIES HAVE DENIED COMMUNIST ALLEGATIONS THEY ARE HUSHING UP GERMAN ARMY CASUALTY FIGURES.

RENNER ACCUSED THE PARLIAMENT OF WORKING UP A HATE CAMPAIGN AGAINS RUSSIA. THE PRESIDENT RULED HIM OUT OF ORDER AND ORDERED THE SESSION ADJOURNED BECAUSE AN INSUFFICIENT NUMBER OF MEMBERS WERE PRESENT.

A RECENT SURVEY BY THE WEST GERMAN REFUGEE MINISTRY INDICATED ABOUT 190,000 CIVILIANS AND 1,148,000 MILITARY PRISONERS ARE STILL MISSING IN RUSSIA. THIS SURVEY, BASED ON REPORTS BY RELATIVES, APPLIED ONLY TO PRISONERS WITH RELATIVES IN WEST GERMANY OR WEST BERLIN. AND DID NOT INCLUDE THOSE FROM THE RUSSIAN ZONE.

TWO MONTHS AGO, WHEN THE RUSSIANS SAID VIRTUALLY ALL CAPTURED GERMAN SOLDIERS EXCEPT WAR CRIMINALS HAD BEEN FREED, WEST GERMAN AUTHORITIES CLAIMED THE SOVIETS STILL HELD ABOUT 400,000. THE UNITED STATES AND FRANCE ON APRIL 25 ACCUSED THE RUSSIANS OF TRYING TO HIDE THE FATE OF HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF GERMAN PRISONERS STILL NOT ACCOUNTED FOR.

THE WEST BERLIN CITY COUNCIL CHARGED LAST DEC. 22 THAT RUSSIA STILL HELD MORE THAN 1,000,000 GERMAN PRISONERS OF WAR.

OFFICIALS OF THE WEST GERMAN GOVERNMENT MADE NO IMMEDIATE COMMENT ON THE RUSSIAN ANNOUNCEMENT BUT KURT SCHUMACHER, LEADER OF THE OPPOSITION SOCIALIST PARTY, ASSERTED THERE WERE "HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF GERMAN PRISONERS STILL IN RUSSIA."

THE TASS REPORT, SAID SCHUMACHER, "IS MONSTROUS NEWS."

"THIS MESSAGE IS SO UNBELIEVABLE THAT ONE MUST DOUBT IT IS GENUINE," THE SOCIALIST CHIEFTAIN DECLARED, ADDING THT IT WOULD HAVE A STRONG EFFECT ON GERMAN POLITICS BY STRENGTHENING OPPOSITION TO RUSSIA AND COMMUNISM.

"THIS STORY, IF TRUE, WILL MAKE EVERY COMMUNIST AIM IN GERMANY IMPOSSIBLE," SCHUMACHER ADDED.

GERMAN FEELINGS AROUSED BY THE NEWS, HE CONTINUED, WOULD MAKE THE PROPOSED MAY 28 MARCH OF COMMUNIST YOUTH IN BERLIN "PROVOCATIVE FOOLISHNESS."

TASS SAID THAT SINCE GERMANY'S SURRENDER IN 1945 THE SOVIET UNION HAD REPATRIATED 1,939,163 PRISONERS.

STILL LEFT IN THE SOVIET UNION, TASS SAID, ARE 9,717 MEN COMDEMNED FOR SERIOUS WAR CRIMES, 3,815 STILL UNDER INVESTIGATION FOR ALLEGED WAR CRIMES AND 14 HELD TEMPORARILY UNTIL TREATMENT FOR ILLNESSES IS COMPLETED.

THE WEST BERLIN PRESS BITTERLY DENOUNCED THE RUSSIAN ANNOUNCEMENT. "DER TAG," CLOSELY ASSOCIATED WITH WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER'S CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATIC PARTY, SAID THE SOVIET UNION "WITH AN UNPARALLELLED CYNICISM X X X NOW SEEKS TO SEAL THE FATE OF HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF GERMAN PRISONERS OF WAR."

"ALL THE WORLD KNOWS THAT THERE STILL ARE AN UNKNOWN BUT CONSIDERABLE NUMBER OF GERMAN PRISONERS IN SOVIET CAMPS AND THAT IN THE PAST FIVE YEARS TENS OF THOUSANDS HAVE DIED WITHOUT THEIR RELATIVES IN GERMANY BEING INFORMED," THE PAPER DECLARED.

"WHERE ARE THE OTHERS?" DEMANDED THE BERLINER ANZEIGER.

"WE WILL NEVER FORGET THIS--NOR WILL THE WORLD EVER FORGET," THE WEST BERLIN BELEGRAF DECLARED.

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FOLO BONN PRISONERS (200)

LONDON, MAY 5-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER STALIN HAS RECEIVED A LETTER EMBROIDERED ON SILK SIGNED BY 66,434 EX-JAPANESE PRISONERS OF WAR PLEDGING FRIENDSHIP WITH RUSSIA, THE MOSCOW RADIO SAID TONIGHT.

IT SAID THE 26 YARD LONG PIECE OF SILK BORE 14,000 CHARACTERS AND WAS DECORATED WITH A WOOD CARVING OF A GROUP OF STANDARD BEARERS.

THE BROADCAST SAID THE LETTER ON SILK WAS AMONG SEVERAL SENT TO STALIN BY FORMER PRISONERS.

THE TEXT SAID IN PART:

"IT WAS IN THE SOVIET UNION THAT WE FOR THE FIRST TIME BECAME

SPIRITUALLY FREE AND CAME TO KNOW THE TRUTH. X X X
"WE KNOW THAT THE FUNDAMENTAL INTERESTS OF THE JAPANESE PEOPLE COINCIDE WITH THE INTERESTS OF THE PEOPLES OF THE SOVIET UNION. X X X
"WE VOW THAT NEITHER THE AMERICAN IMPERIALISTS NOR THE JAPANESE MILITARISTS WILL EVER SUCCEED IN TURNING US AGAIN INTO THEIR SUBMISSIVE SOLDIERS EXECUTING THEIR CRIMINAL SCHEMES. X X X".
TASS, OFFICIAL RUSSIAN NEWS AGENCY, ANNOUNCED LAST APRIL 24 THAT ALL JAPANESE PRISONERS HAD BEEN REPATRIATED EXCEPT 2,000 SERVING SENTENCES AS WAR CRIMINALS.
FIVE DAYS LATER KYODO, JAPANESE NEWS AGENCY, QUOTED GEN. DOUGLAS MACARTHUR AS HAVING REPEATED PREVIOUS ASSERTIONS THAT MORE THAN 300,000 JAPANESE PRISONERS IN RUSSIA WERE STILL MISSING. MEMBERS OF THE JAPANESE REPATRIATION COUNCIL SAID MACARTHUR HAD TOLD THEM THAT THE UNITED STATES, AUSTRALIA AND OTHER NEUTRAL GOVERNMENTS HAD URGED THE U.S.S.R. TO INVESTIGATE.
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GERMAN PRISONERS (150)
WASHINGTON,MAY 5-(AP)-STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS TODAY LABELED AS "FANTASTIC AND ABSURD" RUSSIA'S CLAIM THAT IT HAS REPATRIATED ALL GERMAN WAR PRISONERS.
THEY ESTIMATED THAT THE RUSSIANS ARE HOLDING "AT LEAST" 200,000 GERMAN TROOPS IN FORCED LABOR AND PRISONER OF WAR CAMPS.
OFFICIALS HANDLING THE PROBLEM SAID THEY ARE AWAITING A REPORT FROM JOHN J.MCCLOY, AMERICAN HIGH COMMISSIONER IN GERMANY BEFORE DECIDING WHAT FURTHER MOVES THE UNITED STATES CAN TAKE.
THESE TWO NEW STEPS ARE POSSIBLE, THEY INDICATED:
1. A STATEMENT ON THE SITUATION IN LONDON NEXT WEEK AFTER SECRETARY ACHESON MEETS WITH BRITISH FOREIGN MINISTER BEVIN AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER SCHUMAN.
2. A THREE-POWER NOTE TO RUSSIA DEMANDING A FULLER ACCOUNTING OF THE MISSING PRISONERS.
SOME OFFICIALS SPECULATED THAT RUSSIA MAY BE HOLDING AND TRAINING THE GERMAN PRISONERS TO SERVE IN AN EAST GERMAN ARMY WHICH WOULD RETURN TO GERMANY UNDER SOVIET LEADERSHIP IN THE FUTURE.
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A125
NIGHT LEAD TRAFFIC (240)
BERLIN, MAY 5-(AP)-A SERIOUS CONELICT BETWEEN THE WESTERN ALLIES AND EAST GERMAN COMMUNIST LEADERS LOOMED TONIGHT OVER MILITARY FREIGHT SHIPMENTS OUT OF BERLIN.
SOURCES IN THE EAST GERMAN MINISTRY OF DOMESTIC TRADE DISCLOSED IT HAD ASKED RUSSIAN PERMISSION TO INSPECT WEST-BOUND ALLIED MILITARY FREIGHT TRAINS, ALL OF WHICH CROSS SOVIET ZONE TERRITORY.
THE MINISTRY TOLD THE SOVIET CONTROL COMMISSION THAT THOUSANDS OF TONS OF EAST GERMAN SCRAP METALS AND FOOD ARE BEING SMUGGLED ON THE TRAINS WITH ALLIED CONNIVANCE.
THIS CHARGE--DENOUNCED BY BRITISH AND AMERICAN OFFICIALS AS A LIE--WAS FIRST MADE PUBLIC LAST NIGHT BY THE SOVIET-LICENSED NEWS AGENCY ADN, WITHOUT ATTRIBUTION.
UNDER FOUR-POWER AGREEMENT, ALLIED FREIGHT SHIPMENTS ARE EXEMPT FROM EVEN RUSSIAN INSPECTION. EARLIER THIS YEAR, SOVIET GUARDS BROKE THE SEALS ON 16 BRITISH FREIGHT CARS, AND BRITAIN COMPLAINED STRONGLY.
A NEW SLOWDOWN IN TRUCK TRAFFIC BETWEEN BERLIN AND WEST GERMANY DEVELOPED TODAY AT HELMSTEDT, THE ZONAL FRONTIER POINT 100 MILES WEST OF THIS CITY. THE COMMUNIST POLICE DETAIL, REPORTED PURGED THIS WEEK OF OFFICERS ACCUSED OF TAKING BRIBES FROM SMUGGLERS, REDUCED TRUCK CLEARANCES TO SEVEN AN HOUR, COMPARED TO THE USUAL AVERAGE OF 10.
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(240)
BERLIN, MAY 5-(AP)-EAST GERMAN COMMUNIST POLICE TURNED BACK 28 BERLIN-BOUND TRUCKS AT THE SOVIET ZONE FRONTIER TODAY AND ENFORCED A DRASTIC SLOWDOWN ON HIGHWAY TRAFFIC.
AT 10 A.M., A BACKLOG OF 120 WEST GERMAN TRUCKS WAS WAITING FOR CLEARANCE AT THE HELMSTEDT AUTOBAHN CHECKPOINT.
ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THE SOVIET FRONTIER BARRIER, 170 TRUCKS FROM BERLIN WERE QUEUED UP.
WEST GERMAN CUSTOMS OFFICIALS SAID 28 TRUCKS HAD BEEN REFUSED ENTRY INTO THE RUSSIAN ZONE SINCE MIDNIGHT ON "MERE TECHNICALITIES," SUCH AS TYPING ERRORS IN THEIR SHIPPING DOCUMENTS.
THE COMMUNIST POLICE DETAIL AT THE BORDER WAS REPORTED PURGED THIS WEEK OF OFFICERS ACCUSED OF TAKING BRIBES FROM ALLEGED WEST GERMAN AND BERLIN SMUGGLERS. WEST GERMAN OFFICIALS SAID THE TRAFFIC SNARL PROBABLY WAS A DIRECT RESULT OF THE COMMUNIST POLICE PURGE AND MIGHT BE STRAIGHTENED OUT AS SOON AS THE NEW STAFF BECAME MORE EXPERIENCED.
IN BERLIN, THE SOVIET-CONTROLLED EAST GERMANY RAILWAY SENT FREIGHT CARS INTO THE ALLIED SECTORS TODAY FOR LOADING, ABANDONING ITS DEMAND THAT ALL FREIGHT FIRST BE DELIVERED TO THE RUSSIAN SECTOR FOR INSPECTION.
WESTERN CITY OFFICIALS SAID THE RESTRICTION APPARENTLY HAD BEEN ORDERED BECAUSE A PURGE OF COMMUNIST INSPECTORS ON TE ZONAL FRONTIER WAS IN PROGRESS.

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ALL COMMUNIST-CONTROLLED NEWSPAPERS PUBLISHED TODAY A CHARGE BY THE SOVIET-LICENSED NEWS AGENCY THAT THE WESTERN POWERS ARE ASSISTING SMUGGLERS TO SEND OUT EAST GERMAN SCRAP METAL AND FOOD ON MILITARY FREIGHT TRAINS.
BRITISH AND AMERICAN REPRESENTATIVES DESCRIBED THE ACCUSATION AS COMPLETELY FALSE.
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B60 (Q)
(150)
BERLIN, MAY 5-(AP)-A LIEUTENANT IN THE EAST GERMAN COMMUNIST POLICE TESTIFIED TODAY THAT HE HAD SEEN RUSSIAN SOLDIERS DELIVER ARMORED CARS DIRECTLY TO GERMAN POLICE UNITS.
HE SAID THE VEHICLES WERE "THE SAME TYPE AS I SAW DURING THE WAR AS A GERMAN SOLDIER. THEY MOUNTED CANNON."
THE WITNESS WAS LT.HEINZ NOCHT, WHO IS GIVING EVIDENCE IN AN AMERICAN COURT AGAINST SIX OF HIS COLLEAGUES IN THE RUSSIAN ZONE'S "PEOPLE'S POLICE" ACCUSED OF ENTERING THE U.S. SECTOR OF BERLIN WEARING UNIFORMS AND CARRYING SUBMACHINE GUNS.
NOCHT AND ANOTHER COLLEAGUE, SGT.WILHELM ROLOFF, PLEADED GUILTY LAST WEEK. THEY HAVE TESTIFIED THAT THE POLICE FORCE IS ACTUALLY AN ARMY WHICH WAS CREATED BY THE RUSSIANS AND THE GERMAN COMMUNISTS IN VIOLATION OF FOUR-POWER AGREEMENTS FOR GERMANY'S DEMILITARIZATION.
NOCHT SAID HE WAS WITH A PEOPLE'S POLICE ALERT UNIT AT BOURG, NEAR MAGDEBURG, LAST MONTH AND THERE SAW THREE RUSSIAN SOLDIERS DELIVER THREE ARMORED CARS TO THE GERMAN FORCE.
THESE VEHICLES WERE DESCRIBED AS EQUIPPED WITH CANNON AND USED FOR THE TRANSPORT OF INFANTRYMEN.
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NIGHT LEAD POLICE (250)
BY THOMAS A. REEDY
BERLIN, MAY 5-(AP)-FOUR YOUNG EAST GERMANS WHO DESERTED FROM THE COMMUNIST "PEOPLE'S POLICE" TESTIFIED TODAY THE SOVIET ZONE IS BEING REARMED UNDER RUSSIAN DIRECTION.
THEIR TESTIMONY WAS INTRODUCED BY DISTRICT ATTORNEY IRVIN ROBBINS OF CHICAGO AGAINST SIX EAST GERMAN POLICEMEN CHARGED WITH WEARING MILITARY UNIFORMS AND CARRYING MACHINEGUNS.
THE SIX WERE ARRESTED IN THE U.S. SECTOR OF BERLIN THREE WEEKS AGO AND THE PROSECUTION HAS SINCE DEVELOPED THE CASE INTO AN INDICTMENT OF THE ENTIRE SOVIET ZONE POLICE SETUP AS A VIOLATION OF A FOUR-POWER PLEDGE TO DISARM GERMANS.
THE DESERTERS CAME TO THE STAND AS SURPRISE WITNESSES. DEFENSE COUNSEL FRITZ KAUL, LEADING ATTORNEY IN THE SOCIALIST UNITY (COMMUNIST PARTY OF THE RUSSIAN ZONE, REFUSED TO CROSS-EXAMINE THEM.
EACH OF THE WITNESSES, RANGING IN AGE FROM 17 TO 21, DESCRIBED TRAINING IN THE USE OF MACHINEGUNS, HOWITZERS AND ROBOT TANK DESTROYERS OPERATED BY RADIO.
THE YOUTHS SAID THEY DESERTED BECAUSE THEY DID NOT WANT TO BE SOLDIERS. ONE OF THEM, SGT. HEINZ JONAS, SAID HE WAS GIVEN THE CHOICE OF "EITHER WORKING IN THE MINES AT AUE OR JOINING THE POLICE." HE ADDED THAT HE TOOK THE CHOICE OF BEING A POLICEMAN AND THEN DESERTED THE FIRST CHANCE HE GOT.
THE SOVIET WISMUTH A.G. OPERATES URANIUM MINES AT AUE, IN THE ERZ MOUNTAINS OF THURINGIA.
KAUL ASKED THE COURT TO SUBPOENA "MANTEUFFEL AND GUDERIAN" FROM THE U.S. ZONE OF GERMANY. HE DID NOT FURTHER IDENTIFY THE WITNESSES, BUT A COL. GEN. FRITZ VON MANTEUFFEL AND COL. GEN. HEINZ GUDERIAN WERE STAFF OFFICERS OF THE GERMAN ARMY UNDER HITLER.
KAUL INDICATED HE WAS TRYING TO SUPPORT THE COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA THAT WEST GERMANY IS BEING REARMED UNDER FORMER NAZI OFFICERS.
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WIESBADEN, GERMANY, MAY 5-(AP)-THE U.S. AIR FORCE TODAY JOINED THE ARMY IN OFFERING TO TRAIN ATLANTIC PACT OFFICERS AND MEN IN THE USE OF AMERICAN MILITARY EQUIPMENT.
THE AIR FORCE TRAINING WILL BE PRIMARILY IN THE "OPERATION, MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR OF AMERICAN AIR FORCE EQUIPMENT WHICH IS BEING TURNED OVER TO THOSE COUNTRIES," THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID.
THE TRAINING, EXPECTED TO BEGIN LATE IN MAY OR EARLY JUNE, WILL BE GIVEN IN GERMANY TO "OFFICERS AND AIRMEN FROM THE AIR FORCES OF BELGIUM, DENMARK, LUXEMBOURG, FRANCE, ITALY, THE NETHERLANDS AND NORWAY."
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A133
ROME, MAY 5-(AP)-A CHRISTIAN DEMOCRAT SENATOR ACCUSED THE COMMUNISTS OF TRYING TO INTRODUCE DIVORCE INTO ITALY TODAY.
SEN. RAFFAELE ELIA CHARGED THAT COMMUNIST SENATORS ARE ATTEMPTING TO HALT ACTION ON A GOVERNMENT BILL WHICH WOULD PREVENT "EASY" ITALIAN RECOGNITION OF FOREIGN ANNULMENTS.
A COMMUNIST MOTION TO SUSPEND DEBATE WAS DEFEATED 199 TO 94 WITH TWO ABSTENTIONS.
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ROME, MAY 5-(AP)-THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT OUTLAWED TODAY THE COMMUNIST PRACTICE OF PLASTERING WALLS WITH SCRAWLED SIGNS AND PLACARDS.
ROME HAS BEEN PLASTERED FOR MONTHS WITH SIGNS CALLING PRESIDENT TRUMAN A WARMONGER, CALLING FOR THE OVERTHROW OF PREMIER ALCIDE DE GASPERI'S GOVERNMENT AND URGING "DEATH TO (INTERIOR MINISTER MARIO) SCALBA," HEAD OF THE ITALIAN POLICE.
SCELBA ORDERED POLICE TODAY TO ENFORCE THE PROHIBITION OF SUCH SIGNS.
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A151
PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, MAY 5-(AP)-A SOVIET GOVERNMENTAL DELEGATION HEADED BY MARSHAL NIKOLAI A. BULGANIN ARRIVED HERE BY PLANE TODAY FOR THE ANNIVERSARY OF THE CELEBRATION OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA'S LIBERATION FROM THE NAZIS.
THE RUSSIANS INCLUDE M. A. UASLOV, SECRETARY OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE SOVIET COMMUNIST PARTY; DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER VALERIAN ALEXANDROVICH, ZORIN; AND LT. GEN. A. RODIMCEV,TASS SAID.
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PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, MAY 5-(AP)-THE OFFICIAL NEWS AGENCY SAID TODAY THAT GUSTAVE HUSAK HAD BEEN RELIEVED FROM HIS POST AS CHAIRMAN OF THE GOVERNING BOARD FOR SLOVAKIA.
THE AGENCY SAID HUSAK'S REMOVAL HAD BEEN REQUESTED BY THE (COMMUNIST) ACTION COMMITTEE OF THE SLOVAK NATIONAL FRONT.
KAREL BACILEK, FORMER COMMISSIONER OF TRANSPORT, WAS NAMED AS HIS SUCCESSOR. TWO WEEKS AGO HUSAK HAD BEEN RELIEVED OF HIS POST AS CHAIRMAN OF THE SLOVAK STATE OFFICE FOR CHURCH AFFAIRS.
(LAST MONTH THE VIENNA NEWSPAPER DIE PRESSE SAID HUSAK HAD BEEN OUSTED FROM HIS CHURCH POST FOR PROTESTING AN ORDER CLOSING DOWN ROMAN CATHOLIC MONASTERIES IN BRATISLAVA AND A NUMBER OF OTHER SLOVAKIAN TOWNS.)
THE GOVERNMENT ALSO RECALLED COMMUNIST DEPUTY LADISLAV NOVOMESKY AS COMMISSIONER OF EDUCATION AND SCHOOLING. HE WAS REPLACED BY ERNEST SYKORA, ANOTHER COMMUNIST DEPUTY. NO REASON WAS GIVEN FOR THE CHANGE.
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A103
COPENHAGEN, DENMARK, MAY 5-(AP)-DANISH POLICE SWINGING CLUBS BROKE UP A COMMUNIST DEMONSTRATION TODAY AGAINST THE PRESENCE IN THE HARBOR OF THE BRITISH WARSHIP H.M.S. NEPAL.
THE NEPAL BROUGHT ADMIRAL OF THE FLEET LORD FRASER, FIRST SEA LORD, TO COPENHAGEN.
POLICE ARRESTED ABOUT 20 OF THBZPPOXIMATELY

THE NEPAL BROUGHT ADMIRAL OF THE FLEET LORD FRASER, FIRST SEA LORD, TO COPENHAGEN.
POLICE ARRESTED ABOUT 20 OF THE APPROXIMATELY 100 MEMBERS OF THE DANISH COMMUNIST YOUTH ORGANIZATION WHO HAD STAGED THE DEMONSTRATION
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A101 (180)
STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN, MAY 5-(AP)-THE NEWSPAPER AFTONBLADET REPORTED TODAY THAT BITS OF BURNT WRECKAGE FROM AN AIRPLANE HAS BEEN PICKED UP IN THE BALTIC SEA OFF THE LITHUANIAN COAST.

THE NEWSPAPER SAID A SWEDISH FISHERMAN FOUND THE WRECKAGE SOME 25 MILES WEST NORTHWEST OF KLAIPEDA (MEMEL), ON THE COAST OF SOVIET-OCCUPIED LITHUANIA. IT WAS IN THIS AREA THAT A U.S. NAVY PRIVATEER PATROL PLANE WITH 10 MEN ABOARD WAS BELIEVED TO HAVE DISAPPEARED ON APRIL 8.

THE U.S. GOVERNMENT HAS ACCUSED THE RUSSIANS OF SHOOTING DOWN THE NAVY PLANE. THE SOVIET UNION ASSERTED THAT A U.S. PLANE, MAKING A RECONNAISSANCE FLIGHT OVER SOVIET-OCCUPIED LATVIA, WAS DRIVEN OFF BY FIRE FROM RUSSIAN FIGHTERS.

THE AFTONBLADET REPORT SAID THE FIND CONSISTED OF TWO WOODEN STICKS, CONNECTED WITH LIGHT METAL, TO WHICH WAS ATTACHED A METAL BAND. THE WRECKAGE WAS VARNISHED BRIGHT GREEN BUT HAD BEEN DAMAGED BY FIRE.

THE WRECKAGE WAS BEING SENT TO THE AMERICAN EMBASSY IN STOCKHOLM, THE REPORT ADDED.

A SEA AND AIR SEARCH FOR THE MISSING PLANE WAS ABANDONED AFTER NEARLY TWO WEEKS OF INTENSIVE ACTIVITY. LATER A FISHERMAN FOUND PARTS OF A PLANE UNDERCARRIAGE WHICH A SPOKESMAN FOR THE EMBASSY AT STOCKHOLM SAID CAME FROM A PRIVATEER TYPE OF PLANE.

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MOSCOW, MAY 5-(AP)-TWO OFFICIALS OF THE RUSSIAN SOVIET FEDERAL SOCIALIST REPUBLIC HAVE BEEN RELIEVED OF THEIR JOBS, IT WAS ANNOUNCED HERE TODAY.

AN OFFICIAL STATEMENT SAID DEPUTY MINISTER OF HEALTH V. K. MODESTOV OF THE RUSSIAN REPUBLIC WAS FIRED BY THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS FOR FAILURE TO HANDLE THE JOB.

N. A PETRICENKO WAS RELIEVED OF HIS POST AS CHIEF OF THE PHARMACY ADMINISTRATION IN THE RUSSIAN REPUBLIC. HE WAS REPLACED BY V. A. KASATKIN. THE RUSSIAN REPUBLIC IS THE LARGEST OF THE SOVIET STATES AND INCLUDES THE CAPITAL CITY OF MOSCOW.

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A04
FOLO WASHINGTON (110)
MOSCOW, MAY 5-(AP)-WHEN WESTERN DIPLOMATS SAW THE TEXT OF THE NOTE HANDED TO THE FOREIGN MINISTRY TODAY BY U.S. AMBASSADOR ALLAN G. KIRK, THEY COMMENTED THAT IT WAS "VERY STIFF."

IT HAD BEEN KNOWN HERE IN DIPLOMATIC CIRCLES THAT AN AMERICAN ANSWER TO THE LAST SOVIET NOTE ON THE BALTIC PLANE INCIDENT WAS UNDER CONSIDERATION. HOWEVER, SOME WESTERN DIPLOMATS HAD CONCLUDED THAT IN VIEW OF THE LENGTH OF TIME ELAPSED SINCE THE LAST SOVIET PRONOUNCEMENT THAT THERE WOULD NOT BE ANY FURTHER EXCHANGE.

THE FACT THAT THERE HAS BEEN A U.S. ANSWER AND THAT IT HAS BEEN SO STRONGLY PHRASED SUGGESTED THAT THERE QUITE POSSIBLY WILL BE ANOTHER SOVIET STATEMENT ON THE INCIDENT.

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CAIRO, MAY 5-(AP)-THE OFFICIAL JOURNAL TODAY PUBLISHED A DECREE SIGNED APRIL 28 BY KING FAROUK PARTIALLY LIFTING MARTIAL LAW IMPOSED AT THE OUTBREAK OF THE PALESTINE WAR IN 1948.

CENSORSHIP OF MAIL AND CABLES WILL BE RETAINED AS WILL FULL MARTIAL LAW IN SECTIONS OF EGYPT ADJACENT TO PALESTINE. THE GOVERNMENT WILL STILL HAVE AUTHORITY TO SEARCH SHIPS.

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A81 (350)
NIGHT LEAD NEHRU
BY STEVEN V.DAVID

NEW DELHI, INDIA, MAY 5-(AP)-JAWAHARLAL NEHRU BEGAN A NEW TERM TODAY AS PRIME MINISTER OF INDIA. NAMED WITH HIM WERE 13 MINISTERS--INCLUDING TWO NEW ONES--TO FORM THE FIRST CABINET UNDER THE REPUBLICAN CONSTITUTION WHICH BECAME EFFECTIVE LAST JANUARY.

THE RESIGNATION OF THE OLD CABINET AND APPOINTMENT OF A NEW ONE WAS A FORMALITY REQUIRED BY THE CONSTITUTION. NEHRU AND HIS OLD CABINET RESIGNED THIS MORNING.

THE RESHUFFLE HAD BEEN EXPECTED SINCE INDUSTRIES MINISTER S.P. MOOKERJEE AND COMERCE MINISTER K.C.NEOGY RESIGNED LAST MONTH IN PROTEST AGAINST THE RECENT INDIA-PAKISTAN AGREEMENT TO COOPERATE IN HANDLING MINORITY ISSUES.

MOOKERJEE AND NEOGY OPPOSED INDIA'S POLICY TOWARD NEIGHBORING PAKISTAN AS APPEASEMENT. BOTH ARE FROM BENGAL, WHERE FIGHTING BETWEEN HINDUS AND MOSLEMS HAS BEEN THE SHARPEST.

THEN THE OLD GOVERNMENT RESIGNED TO MAKE WAY FOR THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS--THE CONSTITUTIONAL TITLE FOR THE CABINET--PRESIDENT RAJENDRA PRASAD ASKED NEHRU'S ADVICE IN NAMING THE NEW MEMBERS.

THE TWO REPLACEMENTS DECIDED ON ARE H.K.MAHTAB, PREMIER OF ORISSA PROVINCE; AND K.M.MUNCHI, FORMER INDIAN AGENT-GENERAL IN HYDERABAD. THEIR ASSIGNMENTS HAVE NOT BEEN ANNOUNCED, HOWEVER, AND THEY WILL NOT NECESSARILY FILL THE POSTS OF THE TWO WHO RESIGNED.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID FINANCE MINISTER JOHN MATTHAI WILL LEAVE THE CABINET AT THE END OF THE MONTH AT HIS OWN REQUEST. IT SAID FOOD MINISTER JAIRAMDAS DAULATRAM, REPORTED SLATED FOR A GOVERNORSHIP, WILL CONTINUE IN OFFICE UNTIL "ALTERNATIVE ARRANGEMENTS ARE MADE."

FIVE MINISTERS OF STATES--NOT FULL CABINET POSTS--ALSO WERE APPOINTED. THE LIST INCLUDED ONE NEW NAME--CHARU CHANDRAS BISWAS, VICE CHANCELLOR OF CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY. IT WAS REPORTED HE WILL BECOME MINISTER OF MINORITIES UNDER THE INDIA-PAKISTAN AGREEMENT TO HANDLE MINORITY ISSUES.

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INCUMBENTS RETURNED TO THEIR CABINET POSTS INCLUDE:

MINISTER OF INFORMATION, SARDAR VALLABHAI PATEL; EDUCATION, MAULANA ABDUL KALAM AZAD; DEFENSE, SARDAR BALDEV SINGH; LABOR, JAGJIWAN SHRI RAM; COMMUNICATIONS, RAFI AHMAD KIDWAI; LAW, B.R.AMBEDKAR; WORKS, SHRI N.V.GADGIL; TRANSPORT, N.C.AYYANGARI HEALTH, RAJKUMARI AMRIT KAUR.

THE 60-YEAR-OLD NEHRU BECAME FIRST PRIME MINISTER OF THE DOMINION OF INDIA AUG.15, 1947. HE WAS CONSIDERED THE "POLITICAL HEIR" OF MOHANAS K.GANDHI, THE LATE HINDU SPIRITUAL LEADER, BY GANDHI HIMSELF.

HE HAD SERVED AS PRESIDENT OF THE ALL-INDIA NATIONAL CONGRESS PARTY AND DEVELOPED AN IMMENSE PERSONAL FOLLOWING.

THE NEW CONSTITUTION TOOK TWO YEARS TO DRAFT. IT COMBINES FEATURES FROM THOSE OF BRITAIN, THE UNITED STATES, CANADA, AUSTRALIA AND [illegible]

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A75
(130)
NEW DELHI,INDIA,MAY 5-(AP)-JAWAHARLAL NEHRU WAS REAPPOINTED INDIA'S PRIME MINISTER TODAY IN A CABINET CHANGE REQUIRED BY THE COUNTRY'S NEW CONSTITUTION.

NEHRU AND HIS OLD CABINET RESIGNED EARLIER TODAY. A COMMUNIQUE SAID A NEW CABINET WOULD BE ANNOUNCED LATER TODAY. IT IS EXPECTED TO INCLUDE SEVERAL NEW MINISTERS.

RESIGNATION OF THE FORMER CABINET AND APPOINTMENT OF THE NEW GOVERNMENT BY PRESIDENT RAJENDRA PRASAD WAS A FORMALITY REQUIRED BY INDIA'S NEW CONSTITUTION WHICH BECAME EFFECTIVE LAST JANUARY.

REORGANIZATION OF THE CABINET HAD BEEN EXPECTED SINCE INDUSTRIES MINISTER S.P.MOOKERJEE AND COMMERCE MINISTER K.C.NEOGY RESIGNED LAST MONTH IN PROTEST AGAINST THE INDIA-PAKISTAN AGREEMENT TO HANDLE MINORITY ISSUES. NEHRU HAD TAKEN OVER THEIR MINISTRIES AFTER THE RESIGNATIONS.

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A57
(200)
TEHRAN, IRAN, MAY 5-(AP)-DIPLOMATIC CIRCLES HERE SAY THAT THE THREATENED SOVIET SNUB OF THE LATE SHAH'S STATE FUNERAL MAY MAKE IRAN AN OUT-AND-OUT COLD WAR ALLY OF THE WEST.

THOUGH ADVISED BY A 7?-MAN U.S. MILITARY MISSION AND USING AMERICAN SURPLUS WAR EQUIPMENT, IRAN AND HER PREMIER ALI MANSUR HAVE REMAINED OFFICIALLY NEUTRAL IN THE CONFLICT BETWEEN NEIGHBORING RUSSIA AND THE WEST.

BUT LOCAL CIRCLES SAY THE PRESENT SHAH MOHAMMED REZA PAHLAVI, WHO LARGELY DETERMINES IRANIAN POLICY, MAY BE ALIENATED BY RECENT SOVIET ANNOUNCEMENTS THAT RUSSIAN DIPLOMATS WOULD NOT ATTEND THE STATE FUNERAL PLANNED NEXT WEEK FOR THE SHAH'S FATHER, THE LATE SHAH REZA PAHLEVI.

ANNOUNCEMENTS IN THE SOVIET PRESS OF THE RUSSIAN BOYCOTT WERE ACCOMPANIED BY ATTACKS ON THE LATE SHAH, WHO DIED IN EXILE IN 1944 AFTER BEING DEPOSED IN 1941 BECAUSE OF PRO-NAZI ACTIVITIES.

SOME DIPLOMATS HERE BELIEVE THE RUSSIAN ACTION MAY CAUSE THE PRESENT SHAH EVENTUALLY TO REPLACE PREMIER MANSUR WITH A PRO-WESTERN GOVERNMENT HEAD. HE WAS APPOINTED OVER U.S. OPPOSITION TO DEMONSTRATE HIS COUNTRY'S OFFICIAL NEUTRALITY IN THE EAST-WEST CONFLICT.

SPECIAL DELEGATIONS FROM ALL MAJOR NATIONS OUTSIDE THE SOVIET BLOC ALREADY ARE CROWDING TEHRAN HOTELS FOR THE FUNERAL. LT.GEN.JAMES A. VAN FLEET, HEAD OF THE AMERICAN MILITARY MISSION IN GREECE, WILL REPRESENT PRESIDENT TRUMAN.

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B39 (Q)
RANGOON,BURMA,MAY 5-(AP)-REBEL KARENS HAVE KIDNAPPED A 45-YEAR OLD BUDDHIST PRIEST, STIRRING UP A NEW FEUD BETWEEN GOVERNMENT SUPPORTERS AND INSURGENTS IN THE IRRAWADDY DELTA RICE-GROWING DISTRICTS OF BASSEIN AND MYAUNGMYA.

THE PRIEST, THU DAW, WAS TAKEN PRISONER WHILE ON A RELIGIOUS MISSION MONDAY. HE IS BEING HELD AT NGAPUDAW, A BORDER POINT BETWEEN BASSEIN AND MYAUNGMYA. HEAVY FIGHTING WAS REPORTED IN THE AREA.

BECAUSE OF THE TENSE RELIGIOUS FEELING OVER THE PRIEST'S CAPTURE CHRISTIAN KARENS WERE REPORTED FLEEING THE NEIGHBORHOOD TO AVOID ENTANGLEMENT.

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B46 (Q)
RANGOON, BURMA, MAY 5-(AP)-HLA MAUNG, BURMA'S FINANCE SECRETARY, WILL VISIT WASHINGTON SOON "ON OFFICIAL CONFIDENTIAL BUSINESS" FOR HIS GOVERNMENT, IT WAS LEARNED TODAY.

HLA MAUNG LEFT HERE FOR LONDON MAY 1, AND IT WAS LEARNED THAT HE WILL GO TO WASHINGTON FOR A WEEK'S VISIT. NEWSPAPERS HERE ARE DISPLAYING STORIES THAT BURMA WANTS ECONOMIC AID FROM THE UNITED STATES.

THE NEWSPAPERS SAID THAT WHEN ROVING AMBASSADOR PHILIP JESSUP VISITED RANGOON RECENTLY, PREMIER THAKIN NU TOLD HIM BURMA NEEDED $50,000,000 FOR REHABILITATION. GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS WOULD NOT COMMENT.

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HONG KONG, MAY 5-(AP)-PRESS REPORTS SAID TODAY CHINESE COMMUNISTS ARE MOVING TO INVADE THE WANSHAN (LADRONE) ISLANDS OFF SOUTH CHINA.

THE INDEPENDENT SING TAO JIH PAO SAID THE CHINESE COMMUNIST WARSHIP FENGSHAN AND THREE LANDING CRAFT CAMOUFLAGED WITH LEAVES SLIPPED OUT OF CANTON HARBOR WEDNESDAY NIGHT. THE SHIPS CARRIED VETERANS OF THE HAINAN FIGHT, SING TAO SAID.

THE INDEPENDENT WAH KIU YAT PO REPORTED RED TROOPS WERE MASSING TO HIT THE SMALL ISLANDS LYING OFF THE MOUTH OF THE PEARL RIVER BETWEEN HONG KONG AND PORTUGUESE MACAO. THIS NEWSPAPER SAID THE NATIONALISTS HAVE IMPOSED MARTIAL LAW AND PRESSED FISHERMEN AND COOLIES INTO DIGGING TRENCHES.

THE WANSHANS ARE A WEAK SOUTHERNMOST HINGE OF THE NATIONALIST SEA BLOCKADE. NATIONALIST WARSHIPS OCCASIONALLY ESCORT ARRESTED FREIGHTERS THERE. A BRITISH FRIGATE FORCED THE RELEASE OF SUCH A VESSEL EARLIER THIS WEEK.

FROM THE WANSHANS, NATIONALISTS REPORTEDLY SUPPLY GUERRILLAS IN THE DELTA COUNTRY AT THE MOUTH OF THE PEARL. THE SING TAO SAID GUERRILLAS KILLED 70 RED TROOPS IN A DELTA SKIRMISH LAST FRIDAY.

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A8KX (BJT)
AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD CHINESE (430)
BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI,FORMOSA,MAY 5 (AP)-CHINESE NATIONALIST SPOKESMEN URGENTLY APPEALED FOR NEW AMERICAN AID TODAY, CONTENDING THEIR ISLAND OF FORMOSA WAS ASIA'S BEST BET TO STEM THE COMMUNIST TIDE.

THEY ADDRESSED THEIR PLEAS TO A PARTY OF 21 AMERICAN PRESS, RADIO AND MAGAZINE CORRESPONDENTS BROUGHT TO FORMOSA UNDER NATIONALIST AUSPICES FOR A SPECIAL TOUR.

DECLARING THAT $10,000,000 A MONTH FROM THE UNITED STATES WOULD MEET NATIONALIST MILITARY AND ECONOMIC NEEDS, K.C.WU, GOVERNOR OF FORMOSA, EXCLAIMED, "YOU'RE FIGHTING COMMUNISM--IT'S NO USE HIDING THE TRUTH."

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THE $10,000,000, HE DECLARED, WOULD BE ONLY ABOUT 3 PER CENT OF WHAT THE U.S. IS SPENDING TO OPPOSE COMMUNISM IN EUROPE.

SPEAKING AT A DINNER AT WHICH HE WAS HOST, THE PRINCETON-EDUCATED WU DECLARED THE FRENCH-SUPPORTED BAO DAI REGIME IN INDOCHINA WAS "HOPELESS" AS A BULWARK AGAINST THE REDS.

"INDOCHINA WILL BE FINISHED IN A YEAR," HE PREDICTED.

IN CONTRAST, HE ASSERTED, "PEOPLE ON THE MAINLAND LOOK TO FORMOSA AS A BEACON OF HOPE, AND AS LONG AS WE REMAIN HERE THEY WILL FIGHT AGAINST THE REDS."

WU ESTIMATED NATIONALIST MILITARY STRENGTH AT 600,000 MEN, CALLING THIS THE GREATEST POTENTIAL IN THE FAR EAST.

IF FORMOSA FALLS, HE SAID, COMMUNISM WILL HAVE DRIVEN A WEDGE BETWEEN AMERICAN POSITIONS IN JAPAN AND THE PHILIPPINES AND THE RESISTANCE MOVEMENTS ON THE MAINLAND WILL BE THREATENED.

THE ACTING HEAD OF THE NATIONALIST PARLIAMENT ALSO APPEALED TO THE CORRESPONDENTS FOR AMERICAN MORAL AND MATERIAL AID "BEFORE IT IS TOO LATE."

LIU CHIEN-CHUN DESCRIBED THIS ISLAND AS "THE MOST IMPORTANT BASE IN THE FAR EAST FOR A DRIVE AGAINST BOTH THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS

AND SOVIET RUSSIA."
HE DECLARED, "RUSSIAN COMMUNISTS AND CHINESE COMMUNISTS ARE ONE AND INSEPARABLE. THEY WILL NOT SEPARATE AND CANNOT BE SEPARATED... MAO TZE-TUNG HAS NO INTENTION OF BECOMING A SECOND TITO....
"SHOULD WE GO DOWN, IT WILL BE A TRAGEDY NOT OF CHINA'S ALONE, BUT ALSO OF DEMOCRACY THE WORLD OVER."
DURING THE DAY THE VISITORS ALSO CALLED ON MME.CHIANG KAI-SHEK AND GOT A REVIEW OF CURRENT MARSHALL PLAN AID.
DR.RAYMOND T.MOYER, HEAD OF THE U.S.ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION IN FORMOSA, TOLD THEM THAT AGENCY NOW WAS SPENDING ABOUT $2,200,000 A MONTH ON THE ISLAND IN AN EFFORT TO SUSTAIN ITS ECONOMY.

A9KX
(A DISPATCH FROM HONG KONG MEANWHILE INDICATED THAT THE COMMUNISTS MIGHT BE PREPARING TO ATTACK ANOTHER SMALL HOLDING OF THE NATIONALISTS.
(THE INDEPENDENT PAPERS SING TAO JIH PAO AND WAH KIU YAT PO SAID THE REDS WERE MASSING TO ASSAULT THE WANSHAN ISLANDS, IN THE PEARL RIVER ESTUARY ABOUT 50 MILES FROM CANTON. THESE ISLANDS, ALSO CALLED THE LADRONES, ARE A WEAK LINK IN THE NATIONALIST BLOCKADE OF THE RED COAST. THEY LIE BETWEEN THE BRITISH COLONY OF HONG KONG AND THE PORTUGUESE COLONY OF MACAO.)
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CHINESE (290)
BY SPENCER MOOSA
TAIPEI, FORMOSA, MAY 5-(AP)-NATIONALIST CHINA'S LEGISLATIVE YUAN (PARLIAMENT) APPEALED TO THE UNITED STATES TODAY FOR MORAL AND MATERIAL AID AGAINST COMMUNISTS "BEFORE IT IS TOO LATE."
LIU CHIEN-CHUN, ACTING HEAD OF THE YUAN, TOLD VISITING AMERICAN NEWSMEN:
"SHOULD WE GO DOWN IT WILL BE A TRAGEDY NOT OF CHINA'S ALONE BUT ALSO OF DEMOCRACY THE WORLD OVER."
"RUSSIAN COMMUNISTS AND CHINESE COMMUNISTS ARE ONE AND INSEPARABLE," LIU SAID. "MAO TZE-TUNG (CHINESE RED LEADER) HAS NO INTENTION OF BECOMING A SECOND TITO."
LIU CALLED FORMOSA, LAST SIZABLE NATIONALIST TERRITORY, "THE MOST IMPORTANT BASE IN THE FAR EAST FOR A DRIVE AGAINST BOTH CHINESE COMMUNISTS AND SOVIET RUSSIA."
ADMINISTRATORS EXPLAINED THE MARSHALL PLAN AID FOR FORMOSA TO U.S. NEWSMEN.
DR. RAYMOND T. MOYER SAID THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION IS SPENDING ABOUT $2,200,000 (M) MONTHLY TO SUSTAIN THE ECONOMY. IN ALL, ECA HAS SPENT ABOUT $25,000,000 (M) IN FORMOSA, HE SAID.
DR. SHEN TSUNG-HAN OF THE JOINT COMMISSION ON RURAL REHABILITATION, AN ECA SUBSIDIARY, SAID THE NATIONALISTS ARE MORE EFFICIENT THAN ON THE MAINLAND BECAUSE FORMOSA IS SMALL. HE ADDED: "SOME GOVERNMENT LEADERS HAVE SEEN THEIR FAULTS IN NEGLECTING THE WELFARE OF THE PEOPLE."
ON THE MILITARY SIDE, NATIONALIST TROOPS ON TINY, INVASION-MENACED CHUSHAN SUGGESTED THEIR LEADERS SHOULD "TALK LESS AND DO MORE." THEY ALSO STRESSED THAT HIGH OFFICERS SHOULD NOT ESCAPE IF CRITICAL FIGHTING DEVELOPS.
(THIS APPEARED TO BE A SLAP AT NATIONALIST GENERALS WHO FLED HAINAN ISLAND DURING THE ROUT LAST MONTH.)
CHUSHAN DISPATCHES QUOTED GEN. SHIH CHUEH, DEFENSE COMMANDER OF THE BLOCKADE BASE 100 MILES SOUTHEAST OF SHANGHAI, AS REPLYING:
"I WILL SHOOT ANY OFFICER WHO TRIES TO RUN AWAY. IF I TRY TO ESCAPE YOU CAN KILL ME ON THE SPOT."
JL459APD

A72KX
(290)
NIGHT LEAD KOREAN
BY O. H. P. KING
SEOUL, KOREA, MAY 5-(AP)-PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE, PLEADING AT A NEW CONFERENCE FOR AMERICAN WARPLANES FOR HIS SOUTH KOREAN REPUBLIC, DECLARED TODAY THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNIST REGIME HAS AN AIR FORCE OF 195 PLANES.
(IN WASHINGTON THE SOUTH KOREAN CHARGE D'AFFAIRES, KIM SAE SUN, URGED AT THE STATE DEPARTMENT THAT THE UNITED STATES SHIP WARPLANES TO HIS COUNTRY "AS SOON AS POSSIBLE." KIM SAID, "THE TIME FACTOR IS VERY IMPORTANT."
(HE SAID THAT IF THE STATE DEPARTMENT APPROVED, HE BELIEVED THE PLANES COULD BE BOUGHT WITH PART OF THE $11,000,000 CONGRESS RECENTLY APPROPRIATED FOR SOUTH KOREAN MILITARY AID.)
RHEE AND HIS ACTING PREMIER AND DEFENSE MINISTER SIHN SUNG-MO, ALONG WITH AIR FORCE AND ARMY CHIEFS OF STAFF, DISPLAYED A DETAILED CHART OF NORTH KOREAN AIR POWER. THEY SAID VIRTUALLY ALL THE PLANES WERE OF RUSSIAN ORIGIN.
THEY ACKNOWLEDGED THAT MOST OF THEIR INFORMATION CAME FROM LT. LEE KUN-SOON, A NORTH KOREAN PILOT WHO DESERTED TO THE SOUTH LAST WEEK WITH A NEW RUSSIAN-MADE STORMOVIK FIGHTER.
THEY SAID THE NORTH KOREANS HAD 70 OF THESE, 55 YAK-90 FIGHTERS, SEVERAL OTHER YAK MODELS INCLUDING 22 TRAINERS, AND A COUPLE OF SMALL OLD AMERICAN TRAINERS.
THE SOUTH KOREAN AIR FORCE HAS ABOUT 20 LIGHT RECONNAISSANCE PLANES AND 10 TRAINERS.
PRESIDENT RHEE SAID HE FELT SOMEWHAT REASSURED BY U. S. SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON'S WEDNESDAY STATEMENT REITERATING A BELIEF IN SOUTH KOREA'S IMPORTANCE AMONG THE DEMOCRACIES.
"IF WE COULD HAVE PLANES WE WOULD FEEL SAFER," HE SAID.
"MAY AND JUNE MAY BE A CRUCIAL PERIOD IN THE LIFE OF OUR NATION. WE LACK ADEQUATE DEFENSE."
THE PRESIDENT ADDED, HOWEVER, THAT HIS PEOPLE WERE READY TO FIGHT EVEN WITHOUT AID "UNTIL WIPED OFF THE FACE OF THE EARTH."
(THE CHINESE COMMUNIST RADIO REPORTED THAT ON MAY 1 NORTH KOREAN GUERRILLAS BROKE INTO THE SOUTH KOREAN TOWN OF TYUNTYON "AND ENAGED IN STREET FIGHTING WITH ENEMY TROOPS."
(THE REPORT, ATTRIBUTED TO THE NORTH KOREAN NEWS AGENCY, WAS CONFIRMED ELSEWHERE. OUTCOME OF THE FIGHTING WAS NOT MENTION
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SEOUL,MAY 5-(AP)-COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA HAS AN AIR FORCE OF 195 PLANES, POSSIBLY ALL RUSSIAN BUILT, PRESIDENT ~~SYNGMAN~~ RHEE OF THE SOUTH KOREAN REPUBLIC SAID TODAY. SYNGMAN
THE PRESIDENT RENEWED HIS PLEA FOR MORE AMERICAN MILITARY AID AT A NEWS CONFERENCE, SAYING "IF WE COULD HAVE PLANES WE WOULD FEEL SAFER."
"MAY AND JUNE MAY BE A CRUCIAL PERIOD IN THE LIFE OF OUR NATION," HE SAID WITHOUT ELABORATION. "WE LACK ADEQUATE DEFENSE."
RHEE SAID HE FELT SOMEWHAT REASSURED BY SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON'S STATEMENT EARLIER THIS WEEK REITERATING HIS BELIEF IN SOUTH KOREA'S IMPORTANCE AMONG THE DEMOCRACIES.
PRESENT AT THE NEWS CONFERENCE WERE ACTING PRIME MINISTER SIHN SUNG MO, WHO ALSO IS DEFENSE MINISTER, AND THE AIR FORCE AND ARMY CHIEFS OF STAFF.
THE OFFICIALS DISPLAYED A CHART ON WHICH WERE DESCRIBED SEVEN TYPES OF AIRPLANES SUPPOSEDLY IN THE NORTH KOREAN AIR FORCE. THEY SAID THE NORTH AHD THREE FIGHTER GROUPS AND ONE PURSUIT GROUP ON ACTIVE DUTY.
SOUTH KOREA'S AIR FORCE CONSISTS OF ABOUT 20 LIGHT RECONNAISSANCE

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PLANES AND 10 ADVANCED TRAINERS.
EARLIER RHEE REVIEWED 10,000 MEMBERS OF THE KOREAN HOME GUARD, OR YOUTH DEFENSE CORPS, IN FRONT OF THE CAPITOL. RHEE TOLD NEWSMEN THE HOME GUARD WAS CREATED AT THE MEMBERS OWN EXPENSE.
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A124FX
TOKYO,MAY 5-(AP)-A PLANE SQUADRON COMMANDER SAID TODAY THE JAPANESE ATTACK ON THE UNITED STATES GUNBOAT PANAY ON THE YANGTZE RIVER IN DECEMBER, 1937, WAS "A TERRIBLE MISTAKE."
FORMER NAVY CMDR.MASATAKE OKUMIYA SAID FOUR JAPANESE NAVY AIR SQUADRONS THOUGHT THEY WERE BOMBING CHINESE TRANSPORTS. THE SHIPS ACTUALLY WERE THE PANAY, THE BRITISH GUNBOAT LADYBIRD, A STANDARD OIL TANKER AND ONE OTHER VESSEL.
THE ATTACK AROUSED AMERICAN PUBLIC OPINION.
OKUMIYA SAID:
THE JAPANESE NAVY PILOTS RECEIVED ORDERS ON DEC. 12, 1937, TO ATTACK SIX CHINESE TROOP TRANSPORTS BETWEEN NANKING AND WUHU. THE ATTACK FAILED. AFTER REFUELING AT CHANGCHOW, THE PLANES RETURNED. THEY SPOTTED FOUR VESSELS.
OKUMIYA SAID HE DROPPED HIS BOMBS BEFORE HE SAW THE UNION JACK FLYING ON THE LADYBIRD.
"I PRAYED MY BOMBS WOULD MISS THE SHIP. I SIGNALED MY SQUADRON TO HOLD THEIR FIRE. BUT IT WAS TOO LATE.
"IT WAS A BLACK MOMENT FOR US BECAUSE WE HAD STANDING ORDERS TO AVOID ANY FOREIGN SHIPS ON THE YANGTZE."
OKUMIYA SAID THE FOUR SQUADRON COMMANDERS WERE CALLED NEXT DAY TO THE FLAGSHIP IZUMO AND WERE HANDED WRITTEN REPRIMANDS FROM THE NAVY MINISTRY. SO WERE THEIR COMMANDING OFFICERS INCLUDING TWO ADMIRALS.
OF THE FOUR SQUADRON LEADERS, OKUMIYA SAID, ONE WAS KILLED THREE MONTHS LATER IN CHINA; ANOTHER, WHO TOOK PART IN THE PEARL HARBOR ATTACK, WAS KILLED IN THE 1942 BATTLE OF SANTA CRUZ, AND THE THIRD WAS ABOARD THE PLANE CARRYING ADM.MINEICHI KOGA, COMMANDER IN CHIEF OF JAPAN'S COMBINED FLEET, SHOT DOWN IN 1944 BETWEEN TRUK AND THE PHILIPPINES.
OKUMIYA CONCLUDED:
"I HOPE I HAVE DONE MY DUTY TO MY COLLEAGUES, NOW DEAD, IF THIS STORY HELPS TO END ANY MISUNDERSTANDING REGARDING THE ATTACK ON THE WARSHIPS THAT FATEFUL DAY IN 1937."
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A137KX
MANILA,SATURDAY, MAY 6-(AP)-THE LINER GENERAL W. H. GORDON ARRIVED TODAY WITH 600 OF THE 735 FOREIGNERS BROUGHT OUT OF RED CHINA EARLIER THIS WEEK STILL ABOARD.
THE LINER FIRST CALLED AT HONG KONG AFTER PICKING UP THE FOREIGNERS FROM SHANGHAI AT TAKU BAR, OFF TIENTSIN. THE SHIP SAILS AT MIDNIGHT FOR YOKOHAMA.
AMONG THOSE LANDING HERE WERE FOUR U. S. CONSULAR EMPLOYES AND THEIR FAMILIES. THE EMPLOYES WILL BEGIN A TOUR OF DUTY IN THE PHILIPPINES. THE GORDON BROUGHT OUT THE LAST U. S. OFFICIAL PERSONNEL FROM RED CHINA.
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A207WX
(400) AMS BUDGET
-NIGHT LEAD COMMUNISTS
BY ROGER D.GREENE
WASHINGTON,MAY 5-(AP)-REPUBLICAN SENATOR MCCARTHY TODAY PRIMED A DOUBLE-BARRELED NEW ATTACK IN HIS CAMPAIGN AGAINST ALLEGED COMMUNISM IN THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION--AND DEMOCRATS GOT SET TO FIRE BACK.
ADMINISTRATION LIEUTENANTS TOLD NEWSMEN ON CAPITOL HILL THEY ARE READY TO UNCORK "SOMETHING NEW" IN THE WAY OF A COUNTER BARRAGE AGAINST MCCARTHY IN THE SENATE ON MONDAY.
BUT MEANWHILE MCCARTHY WILL GET IN TWO FRESH BLASTS OVER THE WEEKEND--IN SPEECHES AT CHICAGO TOMORROW NIGHT AND AT JANESVILLE,WISC., ON SUNDAY--IN THE FIGHT WHICH HAS DEVELOPED INTO A MAJOR ISSUE IN THE 1950 CONGRESSIONAL ELECTIONS.
PRESIDENT TRUMAN, STARTING OFF SUNDAY ON A WESTERN WHISTLE-STOP TOUR, IS EXPECTED TO HIT BACK VIGOROUSLY AT MCCARTHY'S CHARGES IN A SERIES OF PLATFORM APPEARANCES NEXT WEEK.
NEW YORK'S GOV.THOMAS E.DEWEY, THE 1948 GOP PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEE, JOINED THE REPUBLICAN CHORUS OF CRITICISM ON THE REDS-IN-GOVERNMENT ISSUE LAST NIGHT IN A SPEECH ACCUSING THE DEMOCRATS OF TOLERATING SPIES, TRAITORS AND SEX OFFENDERS IN FEDERAL POSTS.
DEWEY SAID ONE BIG DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE TWO PARTIES IS THAT THE REPUBLICANS "REALLY BELIEVE SPIES AND TRAITORS BELONG IN JAIL."
MCCARTHY'S AIDES SAID HIS WEEKEND SPEECHES WILL BEAR DOWN HARD ON A PROTEST THAT MR.TRUMAN'S DECISION TO TURN OVER SOME GOVERNMENT LOYALTY FILES TO SENATE INVESTIGATORS IS "NOT ENOUGH."
THEY SAID MCCARTHY HAS CONTENDED ALL ALONG THAT THE PROOF OF HIS ACCUSATIONS LIES IN THE TAMPER-PROOF FBI FILES AS WELL AS IN STATE DEPARTMENT RECORDS WHICH HE HAS SAID MIGHT BE "RIFLED."
CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD) OF THE SENATE INQUIRY COMMITTEE SAID YESTERDAY MR.TRUMAN'S DECISION DOES NOT APPLY TO THE FBI'S SO-CALLED "RAW" FILES, ALTHOUGH HE SAID THERE WOULD BE "SOME FBI MATERIAL" IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT LOYALTY RECORDS NOW OPENED TO THE COMMITTEE.
MCCARTHY'S SPEECHES ARE EXPECTED TO DEMAND THAT THE FBI FILES BE MADE AVAILABLE, TOO.
IN THIS CONNECTION, CHAIRMAN TYDINGS REFERRED NEWSMEN TO MCCARTHY'S FEB.20 SPEECH IN THE SENATE IN WHICH HE CITED 81 CASES OF ALLEGED COMMUNISTS OR FELLOW TRAVELERS IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT.
IN THAT SPEECH, MCCARTHY SAID HIS DATA ON THE 81 CASES CAME "FROM THE STATE DEPARTMENT FILES...IT IS ALL FROM THEIR FILES."
BUT AT ANOTHER POINT, REFERRING TO FBI RECORDS, THE WISCONSIN SENATOR ALSO DECLARED:
"THE ONLY WAY WE CAN USE THOSE FILES IS WITH COMPLETE COOPERATION AND UNDERSTANDING. SO, FOR EXAMPLE, WHEN THE FBI HAS CLEARED THE STAFF OF THE COMMITTEE, THEY CAN WORK WITH THE COMMITTEE AND GIVE THE COMMITTEE THE BENEFIT OF ITS (FBI) INVESTIGATION."
PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS REPEATEDLY REFUSED TO EXPOSE THE FBI "RAW" FILES ON THE GROUND THAT IT WOULD HURT THE FBI'S OPERATIONS, UNDERMINE THE FEDERAL LOYALTY PROGRAM AND SMEAR INNOCENT PERSONS MENTIONED IN THE RECORDS.

WITH THE TYDINGS COMMITTEE IN RECESS UNTIL NEXT WEEK, COMMITTEE INVESTIGATORS WENT TO WORK DIGGING BACK INTO THE "AMERASIA CASE" OF 1945.

THE EPISODE CAME TO LIGHT WHEN AGENTS OF THE WARTIME CLOAK-AND-DAGGER AGENCY KNOWN AS THE OFFICE OF STRATEGIC SERVICES (OSS) RAIDED THE HEADQUARTERS OF THE MAGAZINE "AMERASIA" IN MARCH, 1945, AND FBI AGENTS SWOOPED DOWN AGAIN THREE MONTHS LATER. SIX PERSONS WERE ARRESTED ON CHARGES OF CONSPIRING TO REMOVE SECRET GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS.

TWO OF THE SIX WERE STATE DEPARTMENT EMPLOYES. ONE, EMANNUEL S.LARSEN, PAID A $500 FINE. THE OTHER, JOHN S.SERVICE, WAS CLEARED BY A FEDERAL GRAND JURY.

THE MAGAZINE'S EDITOR, PHILIP JAFFE, WAS FINED $2,500. IN THE OTHER THREE CASES, TWO WERE CLEARED BY THE GRAND JURY AND THE CHARGES AGAINST ONE WERE DROPPED BY THE GOVERNMENT.

SENATOR MCCARTHY HAS CONTENDED THAT "THE KEY" TO HIS MAIN CHARGES LIES IN THE AMERASIA CASE, AND YESTERDAY, NEARLY TWO MONTHS AFTER THE SENATE INVESTIGATION STARTED, THE TYDINGS COMMITTEE BEGAN HEARINGS ON THAT CASE.

TODAY IT WAS LEARNED THAT EX-COMMUNIST LEADER LOUIS BUDENZ HAD SUGGESTED THE COMMITTEE MIGHT DEVELOP A TIE BETWEEN THE AMERASIA AFFAIR AND THE COMMUNIST PARTY BY QUESTIONING ROBERT WILLIAM WEINER, FORMER COMMUNIST TREASURER.

BUDENZ WROTE THE COMMITTEE SAYING HE HAS "DIRECT KNOWLEDGE" THAT WEINER WAS "INVOLVED AT LEAST IN SUPERVISING THE FINANCIAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE DEFENSE IN THAT CASE."

COMMITTEE INVESTIGATORS WERE REPORTED SEEKING DATA ON MCCARTHY'S CHARGE YESTERDAY THAT STATE DEPARTMENT EMPLOYES HELPED FUNNEL U.S. ATOMIC SECRETS TO MOSCOW THROUGH AMERASIA AT LEAST SIX MONTHS BEFORE THE FIRST ATOMIC BOMB FELL ON JAPAN IN 1945.

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(220) WASHINGTON,MAY 5-(AP)-EX-COMMUNIST LEADER EARL BROWDER ASSERTED TONIGHT THAT SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) IS "JUST A HIRED MAN OF THE BIG INTERESTS WHO DETERMINE U.S. POLICIES."

HE DID NOT IDENTIFY THOSE INTERESTS EXCEPT TO SAY THEY ARE THE "BIG INDUSTRIALISTS" WHO ARE "ATTEMPTING TO REWRITE THE HISTORY OF WORLD WAR II" BECAUSE THEY BELIEVE THE UNITED STATES FOUGHT ON THE "WRONG SIDE."

BROWDER SAID THESE "BIG INTERESTS" ARE NOW SEEKING TO "CREATE A NEW ALIGNMENT"--AGAINST WHOM HE DID NOT SAY.

THERE WAS NO IMMEDIATE COMMENT FROM MCCARTHY.

THE FORMER HEAD OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN THE UNITED STATES MADE THOSE STATEMENTS IN A RADIO INTERVIEW ON MUTUAL'S "MEET THE PRESS" PROGRAM DURING WHICH HE REFUSED DIRECT ANSWERS TO MANY OF THE QUESTIONS PUT TO HIM.

BROWDER VOLUNTEERED THE REMARK ABOUT MCCARTHY AFTER PRESSING HIS INTERVIEWERS REPEATEDLY TO ASK HIM WHAT WAS THE "BACKGROUND" OF THE SENATOR'S CHARGES THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT IS COMMUNIST-INFESTED.

BROWDER SAID HE DID NOT MEAN TO IMPLY THAT MCCARTHY WAS "RECEIVING PAY FROM ANYWHERE BUT THE TREASURY," THEN HE WENT ON DECLARE THAT THE SENATOR WAS FOLLOWING THE "POLITICAL LINE" LAID DOWN BY THE UN-NAMED "BIG INTERESTS."

THE OUSTED COMMUNIST PARTY CHIEFTAIN PREVIOUSLY HAD TURNED ASIDE ALL QUESTIONS CONCERNING THE SENATE INVESTIGATION OF MCCARTHY'S CHARGES.

HE ALSO REFUSED TO BE DRAWN OUT AS TO WHICH SIDE HE WOULD SUPPORT IN EVENT OF A WAR BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND THE SOVIET UNION.

ON THAT POINT BROWDER SAID HE WOULD OPPOSE "ANY AGGRESSOR, INCLUDING RUSSIA AND AMERICA."

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A214WX (REMINGTON)

(350) NIGHT LEAD REMINGTON

WASHINGTON, MAY 5-(AP)-WILLIAM W.REMINGTON, UNDER INVESTIGATION AGAIN, SAID TODAY HE DID NOT KNOW ABOUT THE ATOMIC BOMB PROJECT WHEN HE WAS WORKING IN THE STRATEGIC MATERIALS BRANCH OF THE WAR PRODUCTION BOARD.

REMINGTON, 32-YEAR-OLD COMMERCE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL WHO HAS DENIED ACCUSATIONS OF COMMUNISM LEVELLED AGAINST HIM BY THREE CONGRESSIONAL WITNESSES, TOLD INVESTIGATORS HE HAD HEARD ABOUT THE MANHATTAN PROJECT BUT DIDN'T KNOW IT WAS DEVELOPING AN A-BOMB.

REMINGTON SAID HE SURMISED FROM THE MATERIALS ON ITS PRIORITY LIST THAT IT HAD SOMETHING TO DO WITH HIGH OCTANE GASOLINE, "AND ASSUMED IT WAS AN INSTALLATION IN NEW YORK."

THE WITNESS WAS WITH WPB BETWEEN FEBRUARY, 1942, AND MARCH, 1944, WHEN HE ENTERED THE NAVY, AND ONLY HEARD OF THE MANHATTAN PROJECT EARLY IN 1944, HE TESTIFIED.

HE APPEARED BEFORE THE HOUSE UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE, WHOSE INVESTIGATORS QUESTIONED HIM AT GREAT LENGTH ABOUT HIS WORK AT WPB WITHOUT INDICATING WHAT WAS BACK OF IT ALL.

REMINGTON TESTIFIED THAT MOST OF HIS WORK WITH WPB WAS ON THE STAFF OF THE PLANNING COMMITTEE WHICH HAD THE JOB OF SEEING THAT NEEDED MATERIALS WENT TO WAR PRODUCTION AND ESSENTIAL NEEDS.

REMINGTON WAS FIRST PICTURED AS A COMMUNIST BY ELIZABETH BENTLEY, AVOWED EX-SPY RING COURIER, WHEN SHE TESTIFIED IN 1948. SUBSEQUENTLY SHE REPEATED ACCUSATIONS AGAINST HIM IN A RADIO PROGRAM AND REMINGTON SUED AND COLLECTED A SETTLEMENT.

YESTERDAY, THE COMMITTEE READ THE TESTIMONY OF TWO MEN WHO SAID THEY KNEW REMINGTON AS A COMMUNIST WHEN HE WAS 18 AND A MESSENGER FOR THE TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY IN KNOXVILLE.

REPLYING, REMINGTON TOLD THE INQUIRY:

"I AM NOT NOW, NOR HAVE I EVER BEEN A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY. AND WHEN I SAY, 'NEVER,' I MEAN NEVER, WHETHER AT THE AGE OF 3, 18 OR 32 WHICH I AM TODAY."

IT WAS DURING HIS EMPLOYMENT WITH WPB THAT REMINGTON GAVE MISS BENTLEY INFORMATION WHICH SHE SAID WAS SECRET. HE SAID HE THOUGHT SHE WAS A NEWS REPORTER AND THAT HE GAVE HER NOTHING THAT WAS NOT AVAILABLE TO ANY REPORTER.

AFTER YESTERDAY'S TESTIMONY AGAINST REMINGTON, SECRETARY OF COMMERCE SAWYER SAID: "IF NEW EVIDENCE OF THE CHARACTER INDICATED HAS BEEN DISCOVERED I WILL DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT LOYALTY BOARD TO RE-EXAMINE THE CASE."

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THE BOARD CLEARED REMINGTON AFTER THE BENTLEY CHARGES TWO YEARS AGO.

THE TESTIMONY AGAINST REMINGTON DISCLOSED YESTERDAY WAS THAT OF KENNETH MCCONNELL, WHO ALSO USED THE NAMES OF MALCOMBRE AND MALCOLM, AND HOWARD ALLEN BRIDGMAN. THE TWO, WHO SAID THEY WERE ONCE COMMUNISTS, APPEARED BEFORE THE COMMITTEE BEHIND CLOSED DOORS WITHIN THE LAST TWO WEEKS.

TODAY REMINGTON'S ATTORNEY, JOSEPH L.RAUH, JR., GOT COMMITTEE APPROVAL TO READ PRIVATELY THE FULL TESTIMONY, ARGUING HE SHOULD HAVE IT TO REFUTE WHAT HE SAID MAY BE "FALSE OR FAULTY RECOLLECTION" OF THE WITNESSES. HE SAID A GLANCE SHOWED IT HAD "GAPS AND HOLES."

CHAIRMAN WOOD (D-GA) SAID AFTER THE COMMITTEE FINISHED QUESTIONING REMINGTON THAT OTHER WITNESSES, POSSIBLY MISS BENTLEY, MAY BE HEARD, BUT NO DATE WAS SET TO RESUME.

REP.HARRISON (D-VA) PRESSED REMINGTON FOR HIS THEORY WHY THE THREE SHOULD "BEAR FALSE WITNESS AGAINST YOU UNDER OATH."

REMINGTON REPLIED THAT HE KNOWS OF NO REASON FOR ANY PERSONAL ANIMOSITY ON THE PART OF THE TWO MEN. HE SAID MISS BENTLEY IS A HEADLINE HUNTER.

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"WHY SHOULD ALL THREE OF THESE PERSONS SINGLE YOU OUT?" HARRISON PRESSED.

SLOWLY, AND POLITELY AS ALWAYS, REMINGTON SAID MISS BENTLEY HADN'T SELECTED HIM PARTICULARLY BUT HAD TESTIFIED ABOUT A LARGE NUMBER OF PERSONS. HE SAID HE DIDN'T KNOW WHETHER BRIDGMAN OR MCCONNELL SELECTED HIM, EITHER, SINCE THEY MENTIONED OTHERS.

BUT HE ADDED:

"I BELIEVE THEY MIGHT HAVE INCLUDED ME ON THESE GROUNDS: I WAS ACTIVE, VERY ACTIVE, IN THE AFL UNION IN KNOXVILLE. I APPARENTLY WAS ASSOCIATED IN THOSE ACTIVITIES WITH A SECRET COMMUNIST, HOWARD BRIDGMAN. IF THERE WERE OTHER SECRET COMMUNISTS AMONG MY CLOSE FRIENDS, I DID NOT KNOW IT. BRIDGMAN SAID THERE WERE.

"I WAS TALKING ABOUT THE SAME PROBLEMS, USING THE SAME LANGUAGE. I THINK BRIDGMAN, KNOWING THERE WERE SECRET COMMUNISTS IN THE GROUP, MIGHT HAVE ASSUMED I WAS, TOO. CERTAINLY I WAS ACTIVE IN THOSE LABOR UNION ACTIVITIES I THOUGHT WERE ABOVE BOARD."

HE WENT ON TO SAY THAT SINCE THOSE DAYS--WHEN HE WAS A TEEN-AGED YOUTH NOT YET THROUGH COLLEGE, HIS VIEWS HAVE CHANGED AND THE RECORDS SHOW IT. HE SAID HE NO LONGER BELIEVES IN GOVERNMENT INITIATIVE ON THE SCALE HE DID 13 YEARS AGO AND HASN'T BEEN ACTIVE IN UNION AFFAIRS SINCE.

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(300) COMMUNISTS-ATOMIC ROUNDUP

WASHINGTON, MAY 5-(AP)-THERE WERE SIGNS TODAY THAT THE FBI MAY SOON BE ABLE TO DELVE DEEPER INTO THE SENSATIONAL FUCHS ATOMIC SPY CASE.

THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT, IT WAS REPORTED, HAS NOW AGREED TO GIVE AMERICAN FBI AGENTS LIMITED ACCESS TO QUESTION DR.KLAUS FUCHS, THE BRITISH SCIENTIST WHO WAS CONVICTED OF BETRAYING ATOMIC DATA TO RUSSIA.

OFFICIALS HERE SAID THE BRITISH AGREEMENT--CAPPING MONTHS OF UNEXPLAINED DELAY--MAY PRODUCE LEADS ON OTHER SOVIET SPIES IN THIS COUNTRY.

THE FBI, HOWEVER, WAS UNDERSTOOD TO WANT UNRESTRICTED ACCESS TO FUCHS AND THE BRITISH LIMITATION MAY BE REGARDED AS UNSATISFACTORY.

DR.FUCHS, NOW SERVING A 14-YEAR SENTENCE IN ENGLAND FOR VIOLATING THE BRITISH OFFICIAL SECRETS ACT, WORKED ON ATOMIC SECRETS IN THE UNITED STATES DURING AND AFTER WORLD WAR II.

INFORMANTS WHO ASKED THEIR NAMES WITHHELD TOLD NEWSMEN THAT "AS OF NOW" THE BRITISH AND AMERICANS WORKING ON THE FUCHS CASE ARE COOPERATING.

MEANTIME THE ATOM BOMB CAME IN FOR RENEWED ATTENTION IN INVESTIGATIONS UNRELATED TO THE FBI PROBE. THESE WERE THE DEVELOPMENTS:

1. WILLIAM REMINGTON, 32-YEAR-OLD COMMERCE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL, TWICE A TARGET OF CONGRESSIONAL INVESTIGATIONS, TOLD THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES TODAY THAT HE DID NOT KNOW ABOUT THE A-BOMB PROJECT WHEN HE WAS WORKING IN THE WAR PRODUCTION BOARD.

REMINGTON SAID HE HAD HEARD ABOUT THE ARMY'S MANHATTAN PROJECT--THE CODE NAME FOR THE SECRET WARTIME PROJECT--BUT DIDN'T KNOW IT WAS DEVELOPING AN A-BOMB.

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INVESTIGATORS DID NOT INDICATE WHY THEIR QUESTIONING OF REMINGTON TOOK THIS LINE.

TWO WITNESSES TESTIFIED YESTERDAY THEY KNEW REMINGTON AS A COMMUNIST. HE SWORE HE WAS NEVER A RED.

MCCARTHY--SENATE INVESTIGATORS WERE REPORTED SEEKING DATA ON SENATOR MCCARTHY'S CHARGE THAT STATE DEPARTMENT EMPLOYES HELPED FEED ATOMIC SECRETS TO RUSSIA EARLY IN 1945 IN THE "AMERASIA CASE".

THE WISCONSIN REPUBLICAN HIMSELF WAS PRIMING A DOUBLE-BARRELED NEW ATTACK IN HIS CAMPAIGN AGAINST ALLEGED COMMUNISM IN THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION--AND DEMOCRATS WERE READY TO FIRE BACK.

ADMINISTRATION LIEUTENANTS XXX PICKING UP IN 2ND PGH NIGHT LEAD COMMUNISTS, (A207WX BJT, BY GREENE).

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(550) AMS BUDGET

NIGHT LEAD ACHESON-ARMS

BY JOHN M. HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON, MAY 5-(AP)-THE DEFENSE AND STATE DEPARTMENTS HAVE DECIDED THAT THE WESTERN POWERS HAVE AT MOST ABOUT FOUR YEARS TO BUILD UP THEIR COMBINED MILITARY STRENGTH FOR DEFENSE AGAINST RUSSIA.

THIS CONCLUSION, IT WAS LEARNED TODAY, IS BASED ON A CAREFUL STUDY OF ALL AVAILABLE INFORMATION ABOUT RUSSIAN ARMAMENT PRODUCTION, INCLUDING ATOMIC WEAPONS. THE STUDY INDICATES TO TOP OFFICIALS THAT RUSSIA WILL REACH A DANGEROUSLY WELL-ARMED STATE, WITH A MARGIN OF POWER OVER THAT OF THE UNITED STATES ALONE, BY 1954.

SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON IS EXPECTED TO EMPHASIZE THIS POINT IN HIS DISCUSSION WITH WESTERN FOREIGN MINISTERS AT LONDON DURING THE NEXT TWO WEEKS. HIS AIM IS TO GET ALL THE WESTERN NATIONS TO ENTER FULLY INTO THE JOINT DEFENSE PROGRAM ALREADY LAID OUT BY MILITARY LEADERS OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY NATIONS.

HE IS PREPARED TO INSIST THAT THE UNITED STATES ALONE CANNOT POSSIBLY DO THE JOB. HE BELIEVES THAT ONLY THE COMBINED EFFORTS OF NORTH AMERICA AND WESTERN EUROPE CAN KEEP PACE WITH THE GROWTH OF SOVIET MILITARY STRENGTH NOW THAT RUSSIA IS MANUFACTURING ATOMIC WEAPONS.

IN ADDITION SOME OFFICIALS CONTEND THAT GERMAN FACTORIES SHOULD BE EMPLOYED TO TURN OUT NON-COMBAT TYPES OF EQUIPMENT NEEDED BY THE WESTERN ARMIES, SUCH AS TRANSPORT VEHICLES.

BECAUSE THERE IS A SENSE OF EVENTUAL IF NOT IMMEDIATE CRISIS IN THIS ARGUMENT, SOME ADMINISTRATION OFFICIALS PRIVATELY EXPRESSED CONCERN TODAY THAT PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S DECLARED OPTIMISM ABOUT THE WORLD SITUATION MAY TEND TO WEAKEN ACHESON'S POSITION AT LONDON.

MR. TRUMAN TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE YESTERDAY HE IS NOT ALARMED ABOUT THE STATE OF THE WORLD. HE SAID IT IS BETTER NOW THAN IT WAS IN 1946 AND THAT THIS COUNTRY'S DEFENSE BUDGET WILL BE SMALLER. HIS FORECAST OF A REDUCED OUTLAY FOR DEFENSE TOOK MILITARY LEADERS BY SURPRISE. THEY WERE UNDERSTOOD TO BE CONSIDERING ASKING AN INCREASE OF ABOUT $1,000,000,000 IN THE NEXT DEFENSE BUDGET.

INFORMANTS FAMILAR WITH STATE AND DEFENSE DEPARTMENT THINKING SAID MR. TRUMAN IS CORRECT IN HIS COMPARISON WITH THE SITUATION IN 1946. THE FEARS WHICH THEN EXISTED OF A COMMUNIST EXPANSION INTO WESTERN EUROPE AND POSSIBLY INTO THE MIDDLE EAST HAVE BEEN REPLACED BY CONFIDENCE IN WESTERN STRENGTH AND SOLIDARITY, AS OF NOW.

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NEVERTHELESS THE PRESIDENT'S OWN ADVISORS ARE DEEPLY CONCERNED FOR THAT FUTURE DAY WHEN RUSSIA WILL HAVE ACCUMULATED ENOUGH ATOMIC BOMBS TO FEEL THAT THE COMBINATION OF THESE WEAPONS WITH ITS HUGE LAND ARMIES CREATES AN UNFAVORABLE POWER BALANCE FOR THE WEST.

THERE IS RELATIVELY LITTLE BELIEF AMONG THESE OFFICIALS THAT RUSSIA THEN WILL START A WAR. THE FEAR IS RATHER THAT THE KREMLIN MAY BE WILLING TO EMBARK ON BOLDER ADVENTURES OR MAY MAKE A MISCALCULATION THAT COULD EASILY LEAD TO WAR.

ACHESON WILL LEAVE FOR THE LONDON DIPLOMATIC CONFERENCES EARLY TOMORROW AFTERNOON. HE WILL FLY FIRST TO PARIS TO CONFER WITH FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER SCHUMAN, THEN GO ON TO LONDON TO SEE BRITISH FOREIGN MINISTER BEVIN. BEVIN AND HE WILL BE JOINED BY SCHUMAN LAST LATE

NEXT WEEK FOR THREE POWER TALKS.
THE FOLLOWING WEEK THE THREE WILL SIT IN ON THE SESSIONS THE NORTH ATLANTIC COUNCIL ALONG WITH THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE NINE OTHER ATLANTIC TREATY NATIONS.
THE COUNCIL WILL ACT ON A PLAN PRESENTED BY THE DEFENSE CHIEFS OF THE WESTERN NATIONS FOR BUILDING UP THE TOTAL MILITARY STRENGTH OF THE ALLIANCE. THE PLAN WAS WORKED OUT IN A RECENT MEETING OF THE DEFENSE COMMITTEE AT THE HAGUE.
WHILE COST FIGURES HAVE NOT BEEN DISCLOSED, THE PLAN IS KNOWN TO CALL FOR HEAVILY INCREASED ARMS PRODUCTION IN ALL THE WESTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES. SOME OF THOSE COUNTRIES ARE UNDERSTOOD TO BE RELUCTANT TO PUT THIS NEW BURDEN ON THEIR ECONOMIES.
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(600) PMS BUDGET
ACHESON-GERMAN
BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER
WASHINGTON,MAY 5-(AP)-SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON WILL SEEK BRITISH AND FRENCH AGREEMENT IN LONDON NEXT WEEK FOR GRADUALLY REDUCING AND EVENTUALLY ENDING ALLIED OCCUPATION CONTROLS OVER WESTERN GERMANY.
THE END OF THE OCCUPATION--BUT NOT ACTUAL WITHDRAWAL OF BRITISH, FRENCH AND AMERICAN TROOPS--IN ABOUT 18 MONTHS IS REPORTED TO BE THE AMERICAN OBJECTIVE.
WELL INFORMED OFFICIALS SAID TODAY THAT WHILE TROOPS WOULD NOT BE PULLED OUT UNDER THE AMERICAN PROPOSAL THEY WOULD BE KEPT IN GERMANY ON A NEW BASIS, AS WESTERN DEFENSE FORCES HOLDING A FRONT LINE IN THE COLD WAR RATHER THAN AS OCCUPATION ARMIES.
ACHESON AND HIS TOP POLICY ADVISERS HAVE EXPLORED THE GERMAN PROBLEM INTENSIVELY FOR SEVERAL WEEKS IN PREPARATION FOR HIS MEETING WITH BRITISH FOREIGN MINISTER BEVIN AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER SCHUMAN AND FOR A SESSION OF THE 12 NATIONS OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC COUNCIL IN LONDON.
THE BIG THREE TALKS WILL BE HELD NEXT WEEK AND THE COUNCIL MEETING THE WEEK FOLLOWING. ACHESON LEAVES FOR LONDON BY WAY OF PARIS TOMORROW.
IN THEIR POLICY CONSIDERATIONS HERE, ACHESON AND HIS ADVISERS ARE REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN DEEPLY INFLUENCED BY AN ESTIMATE ATTRIBUTED TO THE U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER IN GERMANY, JOHN J.MCCLOY. MCCLOY IS SAID TO HAVE ADVISED THE STATE DEPARTMENT THAT THE WESTERN POWERS HAVE ONLY ABOUT 18 MONTHS TO TWO YEARS TO SETTLE THE FUTURE OF GERMANY INSOFAR AS THEY CONTROL IT.
HIS VIEWS ARE DESCRIBED AS BEING BASED PARTLY ON THE IDEA THAT RUSSIA IS CONSTANTLY GROWING STRONGER AND THEREFORE MORE ABLE TO MAKE SERIOUS TROUBLE FOR THE WEST IN THE STRUGGLE FOR CONTROL OF ALL GERMANY. PARTLY TOO, HE IS SAID TO FEEL THAT ANY OCCUPATION CONTINUED FOR TOO LONG LOSES ITS EFFECTIVENESS AND BEGINS TO CREATE STRONG RESENTMENT IN THE SUBJECT POPULATION.
OFFICIALS SAID THAT MCCLOY'S VIEWS ARE ROUGHLY IN ACCORD WITH THOSE OF GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR, THE ALLIED OCCUPATION CHIEF IN JAPAN, WHO HAS TAKEN THE LINE THAT ANY OCCUPATION BEGINS TO LOSE ITS EFFECTIVENESS AFTER ABOUT FIVE YEARS.
ACTUALLY, IN RESPECT TO GERMANY THE ALLIES HAVE BEEN MOVING IN THE DIRECTION OF ENDING THE OCCUPATION AND THAT WAS THE EFFECT OF SETTING UP LAST YEAR A GOVERNMENT OVER WESTERN GERMANY. AT THE SAME TIME THEY HAVE HAD NO SCHEDULE WORKED OUT TO ACCOMPLISH THE FINAL STEPS AND NO GENERAL AGREEMENT AS TO WHEN OR HOW THESE STEPS SHOULD BE UNDERTAKEN.

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THE PROBLEM IS A PARTICULARLY DIFFICULT ONE FOR FRANCE WITH ITS DEEP ROOTED FEARS OF A REVIVAL OF GERMAN MILITARISM. SOME OF ACHESON'S ADVISERS ARE HOPEFUL THE FRENCH WILL AGREE WITH TWO ARGUMENTS: FIRST, THAT THERE IS AN URGENT NECESSITY FOR TIGHTENING THE COOPERATION OF THE WESTERN WORLD INCLUDING GERMANY IN THE FACE OF GROWING RUSSIAN POWER; AND SECOND, THAT THE OCCUPATION HAS TO BE BROUGHT TO AN END SOONER OR LATER IN ANY CASE.
THE GREATEST ARGUMENT, HOWEVER, WHICH MAY BE PERSUASIVE IN THE CASE OF THE FRENCH, IS THAT THE RESTORATION OF WESTERN GERMANY AS AN INDEPENDENT STATE WILL BE OFFSET BY THE CLOSE TIES WHICH THE UNITED STATES HAS ALREADY UNDERTAKEN WITH FRANCE AND OTHER WESTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES AND ALSO THE CONTINUED PRESENCE OF AMERICAN TROOPS IN WESTERN EUROPE.
AN END TO OCCUPATION CONTROLS WOULD MEAN EVENTUALLY COMPLETE POWER FOR THE GERMAN GOVERNMENT TO RUN ITS OWN FOREIGN POLICY AS WELL AS ITS DOMESTIC POLICY AND TO PARTICIPATE IN ALL KINDS OF INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS, PROBABLY IN TIME EVEN THE ATLANTIC PACT.
THE ONE PHASE OF GERMANY'S LIFE OVER WHICH AUTHORITIES HERE SAY STRICT AND LONG TERM CONTROLS WOULD HAVE TO BE LAID DOWN IS THE MILITARY PHASE. WESTERN GERMANS NOW ARE DENIED ANY KIND OF MILITARY FORCE. THE FEELING OF AMERICAN OFFICIALS IS THAT IF THEY EVER ARE PERMITTED TO TAKE PART IN WESTERN MILITARY ORGANIZATION IT WILL HAVE TO BE NOT WITH A NATIONAL ARMY BUT WITH COMPONENTS CONTRIBUTED TO AN INTERNATIONAL FORCE OF SOME KIND.
SOME AMERICAN OFFICIALS BELIEVE WESTERN GERMANY SHOULD CONTRIBUTE TO THE DEFENSE OF THE WEST AGAINST COMMUNISM BY BEGINNING TO PRODUCE SUPPLIES OTHER THAN ARMS WHICH ARE ESSENTIAL IN MODERN ARMIES--SUCH THINGS AS TRANSPORT VEHICLES AND GASOLINE TANKS.
THE MOST THAT MAY BE ACCOMPLISHED ON WHAT IS REGARDED AS THE HIGHLY COMPLICATED GERMAN PROBLEM AT LONDON IS AN AGREEMENT TO SET UP A COMMITTEE TO STUDY SPECIFIC FUTURE STEPS AND ALSO AN AGREEMENT ON THE GENERAL POLICY LINES ALONG WHICH THE COMMITTEE SHOULD WORK.
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(400) AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD RUSSIAN
BY EDWARD E.BOMAR
WASHINGTON, MAY 5-(AP)-THE BALTIC PLANE DISPUTE WITH RUSSIA REACHED A STALEMATE TODAY WITH RENEWED AMERICAN CHARGES THAT THE SOVIETS ARE SOLELY RESPONSIBLE FOR THE LOSS OF THE NAVY PRIVATEER AND ITS CREW OF 10 MEN.
A NEW NOTE TO MOSCOW ACCUSED RUSSIA OF FLOUTING ITS INTERNATIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES IN DEALING WITH THE DANGEROUS EPISODE. IT IMPLIED STRONGLY AT THE SAME TIME THAT THIS GOVERNMENT DOES NOT INTEND TO PRESS THE DISPUTE FURTHER NOW BY MEANS OF MORE COMPLAINTS TO THE KREMLIN.
THE WAY WAS LEFT OPEN FOR A POSSIBLE FUTURE APPEAL TO THE UNITED NATIONS OR ACTION THROUGH SOME OTHER CHANNEL. THERE HAS BEEN NO HINT FROM RESPONSIBLE OFFICIALS, HOWEVER, WHETHER THE ADMINISTRATION PLANS NEW STEPS OR WILL ADD THE BALTIC INCIDENT TO THE LONG LIST OF UNRESOLVED EAST-WEST QUARRELS.
"IT IS CLEARLY IMPOSSIBLE TO RESOLVE THIS ISSUE SO LONG AS THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT REFUSES TO BASE ITS POSITION UPON THE FACTS IN THE CASE," MOSCOW WAS TOLD.

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"THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT MUST, HOWEVER, BEAR THE RESPONSIBILITY BOTH FOR THE ACTION OF ITS AIR FORCE AND FOR THE MANNER WITH WHICH IT HAS DEALT WITH THIS INCIDENT. THE GOVERNMENT OF THE U.S. MUST WARN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS OF THE SERIOUSNESS WITH WHICH IT REGARDS THE ATTITUDE OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE U.S.S.R. IN MATTERS OF SUCH GRAVE CONSEQUENCE."

THE FOURTH COMMUNICATION IN THE EXCHANGE WAS DELIVERED IN MOSCOW BY AMBASSADOR ALLAN G.KIRK AND MADE PUBLIC BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT. REPLYING TO THE RUSSIAN NOTE OF APRIL 18, WHICH WAS IN RESPONSE TO THE ORIGINAL AMERICAN PROTEST OVER THE PLANE, THE STATE DEPARTMENT:

1. DECLARED AGAIN THAT THE ONLY AMERICAN MILITARY PLANE IN THE BALTIC AREA AT THE TIME WAS THE NAVY PRIVATEER PATROL CRAFT AND NOT AN ARMY B-29 BOMBER AS MOSCOW CONTENDED.
2. REITERATED THAT THE NAVY PLANE WAS UNARMED AND WAS NEVER OVER SOVIET OCCUPIED TERRITORY.
3. CHARGED MOSCOW FAILED TO CARRY OUT A CAREFUL INVESTIGATION AND INSISTED ON AN "ERRONOUS ACCOUNT."
4. REJECTED AS WHOLLY WITHOUT FOUNDATION THE SOVIET COUNTER-PROTEST AGAINST "THE GROSS VIOLATION BY AN AMERICAN MILITARY AIRCRAFT OF THE SOVIET FRONTIER."

THE U.S. NOTE SAID THE SOVIET "DISREGARD FOR LAW, CUSTOM AND THE OPINION OF MANKIND CONSTITUTES A FURTHER OBSTACLE TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF HARMONOUS RELATIONS AMONG NATIONS."

MOSCOW HAS CONTENDED THAT THE AMERICAN PLANE WAS INTERCEPTED BY SOVIET FIGHTERS OVER LATVIA, BALTIC STATE WHICH RUSSIA HAS ABSORBED. THE RUSSIANS ALLEGED THE AMERICANS FIRED FIRST.

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RUSSIAN TEXT

WASHINGTON,MAY 5-(AP)-HERE IS THE TEXT OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S NOTE TO RUSSIA TODAY ON THE BALTIC PLANE INCIDENT:(ABOUT 600)

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THE AMBASSADOR OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA PRESENTS HIS COMPLIMENTS TO THE MINISTER FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF THE UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS AND WITH REFERENCE TO THE MINISTRY'S NOTE OF APRIL 21 REGARDING THE LOST AMERICAN AIRPLANE, HAS THE HONOR TO COMMUNICATE THE FOLLOWING:

THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA NOTES THAT THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS CONTINUES TO REFER TO AN AMERICAN AIRPLANE OF THE B-29 TYPE, WHICH ALLEGEDLY PENETRATED SOVIET TERRITORY ON APRIL 8, DESPITE THE FACT THAT IT HAS BEEN MADE CLEAR THAT THE ONLY AMERICAN MILITARY AIRPLANE IN THE BALTIC AREA ON APRIL 8 WAS A UNITED STATES NAVY AIRPLANE OF THE PRIVATEER TYPE.

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THE ONLY AMERICAN MILITARY AIRPLANE IN THE BALTIC AREA ON APRIL 8 WAS A UNITED STATES NAVY AIRPLANE OF THE PRIVATEER TYPE.

THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT REITERATES THAT THIS UNITED STATES NAVY AIRPLANE WAS UNARMED AND WAS AT NO TIME OVER SOVIET OR SOVIET-OCCUPIED TERRITORY OR TERRITORIAL WATERS. IT IS THUS APPARENT THAT THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT'S ACCOUNT OF THIS INCIDENT IS NOT FACTUAL.

THE REPLY OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS TO THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT'S COMMUNICATION OF APRIL 18 MAKES IT OBVIOUS THAT THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS CONTINUES TO BASE ITS POSITION ON THE ERRONEOUS ACCOUNT WHICH IT PUT FORWARD SHORTLY AFTER THE INCIDENT OCCURED AND THAT IT HAS FAILED TO CARRY OUT THE CAREFUL INVESTIGATION SUGGESTED BY THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES WHICH WOULD ENABLE IT TO CORRECT THESE RRORS.

THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT CATEGORICALLY DENIES THAT THE AMERICAN AIRPLANE VIOLATED SOVIET OR SOVIET-OCCUPIED TERRITORY AND REJECTS AS WHOLLY WITHOUT FOUNDATION THE PROTEST CONTAINED IN THE LAST PARAGRAPH OF THE NOTE OF THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF APRIL 21.

IN THESE CIRCUMSTANCES THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES HAS NO ALTERNATIVE BUT TO CONCLUDE THAT THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNION OF THE SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS HAS NOT ONLY FAILED TO MEET BUT HAS NO INTENTION OF MEETING THE OBLIGATIONS WHICH INTERNATIONAL LAW AND PRACTICE IMPOSE ON MEMBERS OF THE FAMILY OF NATIONS.

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IT IS CLEAR THAT THIS DISREGARD FOR LAW, CUSTOM, AND THE OPINION OF MANKIND CONSTITUTES A FURTHER OBSTACLE TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF HARMONIOUS RELATIONS AMONG NATIONS AND CANNOT BE RECONCILED WITH THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT'S CONTINUED PROTESTATIONS OF ITS DEVOTION TO THE CAUSE OF PEACE.

IT IS CLEARLY IMPOSSIBLE TO RESOLVE THIS ISSUE SO LONG AS THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT REFUSES TO BASE ITS POSITION UPON THE FACTS OF THE CASE. THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT MUST, HOWEVER, BEAR THE RESPONSIBILITY BOTH FOR THE ACTION OF ITS AIRFORCE AND FOR THE MANNER WITH WHICH IT HAS DEALT WITH THIS INCIDENT.

THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES MUST WARN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS OF THE SERIOUSNESS WITH WHICH IT REGARDS THE ATTITUDE OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS IN MATTERS OF SUCH GRAVE CONSEQUENCE."

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MILWAUKEE, MAY 5-(AP)-GEORGE F. KENNAN, STATE DEPARTMENT COUNSELOR, TODAY EXPRESSED DOUBT THAT THE "POSITION OF THE UNITED STATES IN RELATION TO RUSSIA HAS WORSENED IN THE LAST THREE OR FOUR YEARS."

KENNAN MADE THE STATEMENT IN AN INTERVIEW. HE CAME HERE TO SPEAK BEFORE THE INSTITUTE ON UNITED STATES FOREIGN POLICY.

"I DON'T THINK THAT THE POSITION OF THE UNITED STATES IN RELATION TO RUSSIA HAS WORSENED IN THE LAST THREE OR FOUR YEARS," SAID KENNAN. "I DON'T THINK WE ARE ANY WORSE OFF ANYWHERE EXCEPT IN CHINA. THERE ARE, OF COURSE, SERIOUS REPERCUSSIONS FROM THE COMMUNIST VICTORIES THERE, BUT THE WHOLE STORY HAS NOT BEEN TOLD.

"A GREAT DEAL REMAINS TO BE DISCOVERED ABOUT THE PRESENT AND FUTURE POLICIES OF THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS, AND A GREAT DEAL REMAINS TO BE LEARNED ABOUT THE ATTITUDES OF THE CHINESE PEOPLE. EVERYTHING WILL DEPEND ON THE MANNER IN WHICH THE CHINESE GOVERNMENT CONDUCTS ITSELF."

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A212WX
TRUMAN-DEFENSE (270)
WASHINGTON,MAY 5-(AP)-REP.COLE (R-NY) TOLD THE HOUSE TODAY PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S OPTIMISTIC STATEMENT ABOUT PEACE PROSPECTS WAS "UNTIMELY, ILL-ADVISED AND DEPLORABLE."

COLE SAID IT CAME AT A TIME WHEN DEFENSE LEADERS, TROUBLED BY WORLD CONDITIONS, WERE ASKING MORE MONEY FOR DEFENSE AND AN EXTENSION OF THE DRAFT LAW.

HE SAID HE HOPES THE PRESIDENT ON HIS CROSS-COUNTRY TOUR NEXT WEEK TAKES THE PEOPLE "INTO HIS CONFIDENCE, A PRIVILEGE HE HAS DENIED THE CONGRESS, AND EXPLAINS THE BASIS FOR HIS OPTIMISM."

ANOTHER REPUBLICAN, REP.ANDERSON OF CALIFORNIA, RAISED THE QUESTION WHETHER MR.TRUMAN IS GETTING THE SAME INFORMATION FROM MILITARY LEADERS THAT CONGRESS IS.

AND REP.VORYS (R-O), MEMBER OF THE HOUSE FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE, COMMENTED THAT IF "MR.TRUMAN IS RIGHT, THEN THE STATE DEPARTMENT IS WRONT."

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THEY WERE REFERRING TO MR.TRUMAN'S NEWS CONFERENCE STATEMENT YESTERDAY THAT HE IS NOT ALARMED BY THE COLD WAR SITUATION, THINKS PEACE PROSPECTS ARE BETTER THAN FOUR YEARS AGO, AND EXPECTS A LOWER DEFENSE BUDGET NEXT YEAR.

COLE, A MEMBER OF THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE, SAID THAT AT THE VERY MOMENT MR.TRUMAN SPOKE THE COMMITTEE WAS CONSIDERING EXTENSION OF THE DRAFT LAW AT THE REQUEST OF MILITARY LEADERS.

HE SAID THE COMMITTEE LISTENED TO A WEEK OF TESTIMONY FROM DEFENSE CHIEFS "IN A POSITION TO GIVE ACCURATE INFORMATION AND WISE COUNSEL" AND WAS SO IMPRESSED THAT IT VOTED A TWO-YEAR DRAFT EXTENSION.

COLE SAID THE EASY COURSE FOR CONGRESS TO FOLLOW WOULD BE TO REJECT THE ADVICE OF THE MILITARY PEOPLE AND TAKE THE PRESIDENT AT HIS WORD, REFUSING BOTH TO GRANT ADDITIONAL FUNDS FOR DEFENSE AND TO EXTEND THE DRAFT.

"HOWEVER, FEARLESS, SOBER, UNPOLITICAL JUDGMENT WILL NOT LET US DO THAT," COLE SAID.

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APW (120)
ANNAPOLIS, MD., MAY 5--(AP)--PRIME MINISTER LIAQUAT ALI KHAN OF PAKISTAN CAME TO THE U.S.NAVAL ACADEMY TODAY FOR A VISIT.

THERE WERE NO CEREMONIES AT THE GATE AS THE PRIME THE PARTY ARRIVED FROM WASHINGTON AT 11:30 A.M. (EST). THEY WENT IMMEDIATELY TO THE QUARTERS OF VICE ADMIRAL HARRY W.HILL, SUPERINTENDENT OF THE ACADEMY, FOR A LUNCHEON.

THOSE ALONG WITH THE PRIME MINISTER INCLUDED M.A.H.ISPAHANI, AMBASSADOR FROM PAKISTAN TO THE UNITED STATES, AND M.IKRAMULLAH, FOREIGN SECRETARY. THEY WERE ESCORTED BY RAYMOND D.MUIR OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

THE AFTERNOON SCHEDULE INCLUDED A DRESS PARADE OF THE MIDSHIPMAN BRIGADE ON WORDEN FIELD, AFTER A 19-GUN SALUTE AND THE RAISING OF THE PAKISTAN FLAG ON THE PARADE GROUND FLAGPOLE IN HONOR OF THE PRIME MINISTER.

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A122WX
(110) WASHINGTON,MAY 5-(AP)-PRESIDENT AND MRS.TRUMAN TONIGHT ATTENDED AN ELABORATE RECEPTION AT THE HOTEL MAYFLOWER IN HONOR OF PRIME MINISTER LIAQUAT ALI [redacted] OF PAKISTAN AND HIS WIFE. KHAN

SOME 1600 (CQ) GUESTS WERE INVITED TO THE AFFAIR.

THE RECEPTION WAS GIVEN BY AMBASSADOR OF PAKISTAN, M.A.H.ISPAHANI AND MRS.ISPAHANI.

EARLIER, THE PRIME MINISTER, IN A BRIEF TALK BEFORE THE OVERSEAS WRITERS CLUB, SAID THAT THE PEACE OF THE WORLD DEPENDS ON THE PEACE AND STABILITY OF ASIA.

HE DECLARED THAT IT WAS "VITAL" THAT THE UNITED STATES AND OTHER POWERS THAT HAVE AMPLE RESOURCES SHOULD SHARE THEM WITH ASIATIC HAVE-NOT COUNTRIES.

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KX FOR APW--NY FOR CANPRESS
FREDERICK,MD.,MAY 5-(AP)-THE BEGUM LIAQUAT ALI KHAN, FIRST LADY OF PAKISTAN, SAID TODAY PROBLEMS OF INDEPENDENCE HAVE DRAWN THE WOMEN OF HER HOMELAND OUT OF THEIR SECLUSION.

SEVEN MILLION PERSONS FLED TO PAKISTAN FROM INDIA AS A RESULT OF THE BRITISH WITHDRAWAL AND BLOODY RELIGIOUS RIOTS THAT FOLLOWED, SHE SAID.

"WOMEN WHO HAD NEVER BEFORE SET FOOT OUTISDE THEIR HOMES ORGANIZED AND TOOK UP THE BURDENS OF NURSING AND CARING FOR THESE REFUGEES."

THE SMALL, GRACEFUL WIFE OF PRIME MINISTER LIQUAT ALI KHAN TOLD A HOOD COLLEGE AUDIENCE THAT EDUCATION AND SANITATION ARE THE GREATEST NEEDS OF THE FAR EASTERN NATION.

HER ADDRESS HERE WAS THE FIRST SINCE HER RECENT ARRIVAL IN THE UNITED STATES WITH HER HUSBAND.

THE BEGUM'S VISIT TO FREDERICK WAS ARRANGED BY DR.OLIVE REDDICK, HEAD OF THE ECONOMICS AND SOCIOLOGY DEPARTMENT. IN THE LATE 1920'S DR.REDDICK TAUGHT AT LUCHNOW UNIVERSITY IN INDIA. ONE OF HER STUDENTS WAS THE BEGUM, THE ONLY WOMAN IN THE CLASS.

THE RECEPTION PARY ALSO INCLUDED DR.ANDREW G.TRUXAL, PRESIDENT OF THE COLLEGE, AND HIS WIFE; NANDINI SEN, HOOD STUDENT AND DAUGHTER OF THE PAKISTAN AMBASSADOR TO THE U.S., BINOY RAUFAN SEN; SHIN-HYUNG KIM, STUDENT FROM KOREA, AND VIVIAN STEVENS OF ONTARIO, CANADA, ONE OF THE STOPS ON THE TOUR PLANNED BY THE PAKISTAN PRIME MINISTER AND HIS WIFE.

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B116WX (Q) (KOREAN)
(130) KOREA
WASHINGTON,MAY 5-(AP)-A KOREAN DIPLOMAT CALLED AT THE STATE DEPARTMENT TODAY TO URGE THAT THE UNITED STATES SHIP WAR PLANES TO HIS COUNTRY "AS SOON AS POSSIBLE."

SAE SUN KIM, KOREAN CHARGES D'AFFAIRES, MADE THE REQUEST TO ASSISTANT SECRETARY DEAN RUSK.

KIM TOLD REPORTERS THAT SOUTH KOREA WANTS BOTH FIGHTERS AND TRAINING PLANES.

"THE TIME FACTOR IS VERY IMPORTANT," HE SAID.

KIM ESTIMATED THE RUSSIAN-CONTROLLED NORTH KOREAN GOVERNMENT HAS FROM 180 TO 200 WAR PLANES "WHEREAS WE HAVEN'T TOO MANY--A FEW DOZEN."

KIM SAID THAT IF THE STATE DEPARTMENT APPROVED HE THOUGHT THE PLANES COULD BE BOUGHT WITH PART OF THE $11,000,000 CONGRESS RECENTLY APPROPRIATED FOR MILITARY AID TO HIS COUNTRY.

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A205WX (TAYLOR, DECORATION, BJT)
WASHINGTON,MAY 5-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY SIGNED A BILL AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF FOREIGN DECORATIONS BY AMERICANS FOR PARTICIPATION IN THE BERLIN AIRLIFT.
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B70CX (CONANT FM AYE) Q
(330) NIGHT LEAD EDUCATION
CHICAGO, MAY 5-(AP)-PRESIDENT JAMES B. CONANT OF HARVARD UNIVERSITY SAID TONIGHT THAT COUNTRIES OF THE WEST, BECAUSE THEY ARE FREE, WILL "WIN OUT" IN ANY STRUGGLE WITH RUSSIA.
"IN THE LONG RUN A COMPETITION BETWEEN THE FREE COUNTRIES OF THE WORLD AND THOSE WHICH LIE WITHIN THE ORBIT OF THE DICTATORSHIP OF THE PROLETARIAT MUST RESULT IN A VICTORY FOR FREEDOM," HE DECLARED.
DR. CONANT SPOKE AT A DINNER MEETING OF THE 33RD ANNUAL MEETING OF THE AMERICAN COUNCIL ON EDUCATION.
HE DECLARED THERE IS A "PARTY DOCTRINE" ON BIOLOGY IN RUSSIA AND EVEN ONE IN PHILOLOGY (STUDY OF LITERATURE).
"THERE IS THE BEGINNING OF A PARTY DOCTRINE IN ATOMIC PHYSICS," HE SAID. "INCREDIBLE THINGS ARE BEING SAID AND WRITTEN BY THE LEADERS OF SOVIET SCIENCE."
"IN RUSSIA THERE ARE NO CENTERS OF INITIATIVE, NO LOCAL AUTONOMY OF INDEPENDENT GROUPS; CLASHES BETWEEN RIVAL CAMPS OF THINKERS ARE SOON ORDERED TO CEASE AND THE ISSUES SETTLED BY APPEAL TO A SINGLE PHILOSOPHY AS INTERPRETED BY THE HIGH PRIESTS IN THE KREMLIN.
"OF COURSE, TECHNOLOGY, THE APPLICATION OF SCIENTIFIC KNOWLEDGE TO SPECIFIC PROBLEMS, CAN PROCEED UNDER THESE CONDITIONS. IT IS SO PROCEEDING AT A RATE FASTER THAN SOME OF US HAD THOUGHT POSSIBLE, NO DOUBT OF THAT. FOR IN THE SHORT RUN, IN TERMS OF EFFICIENCY, THE SOVIET SYSTEM MAY SEEM TO HAVE A CERTAIN ADVANTAGE OVER US.
"BUT FOR THE LONGER RUN I CANNOT SEE HOW AN ESSENTIALLY STATIC AUTHORITARIAN PHILOSOPHY CAN COMPETE WITH A DYNAMIC PHILOSOPHY IN AN AGE WHEN SCIENCE IS OF SUCH VAST IMPORTANCE FOR PEACE AND WAR."
DR. CONANT ALSO DECLARED: "I BELIEVE WITH INTELLIGENCE, PATIENCE AND GOOD LUCK WE CAN GET THROUGH THE BALANCE OF THIS CENTURY WITHOUT ANOTHER GLOBAL WAR; AND IF WE CAN, I HAVE EVERY CONFIDENCE THAT THE FREE PEOPLES OF THE WORLD WILL WIN THE IDEOLOGICAL STRUGGLE OF OUR TIMES."
DR. CONANT AND PRESIDENT GEORGE D. STODDARD OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS PRAISED THE LEADERSHIP IN AMERICAN EDUCATION OF DR. GEORGE F. ZOOK, WHO IS RETIRING AS PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL AFTER 16 YEARS SERVICE.
ANOTHER EDUCATOR, CHARLES E. ODEGAARD, EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OF THE COUNCIL OF LEARNED SOCIETIES, SAID DEFENSES OF THE MIND ARE AS NECESSARY TO FIGHTING THE COLD WAR AS MILITARY BASTIONS.
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B14WX (SEGO) (HOOKUP)
(200) CHINA
WASHINGTON,MAY 5-(AP)-THIRTY-FIVE SENATORS HAVE ASKED PRESIDENT TRUMAN TO OPPOSE RECOGNITION OF COMMUNIST CHINA BY EITHER THE UNITED NATIONS OR THE UNITED STATES.
THE GROUP--31 OF THEM REPUBLICANS--SENT A LETTER TO MR.TRUMAN YESTERDAY ASKING FOR A PUBLIC DECLARATION ON THE SUBJECT.
THEY ASKED THE PRESIDENT TO "ACTIVELY OPPOSE" RUSSIA'S EFFORTS TO SEAT A RED CHINA DELEGATE IN THE U.N.--AND TO STATE THAT THIS GOVERNMENT HAS NO PRESENT INTENTION OF RECOGNIZING THE CHINESE COMMUNIST REGIME.
"WE FIRMLY BELIEVE," THE LETTER SAID, "THAT A PROMPT CLARIFICATION OF OUR POSITION IN THIS MATTER IS IN THE NATIONAL INTEREST."
SENATOR KNOWLAND (R-CALIF) TOLD REPORTERS AN ADMINISTRATION STATEMENT IS URGENTLY NEEDED BEFORE U.N. SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE LEAVES NEXT WEEK FOR MOSCOW AND POSSIBLE TALKS WITH PREMIER STALIN.
CHAIRMAN CONNALLY (D-TEX) OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE, SAYING HE KNEW OF NO ADMINISTRATION PLAN TO EXTEND DIPLOMATIC RECOGNITION TO COMMUNIST CHINA, DECLARED THAT THE APPEAL WAS NOT NECESSARY.
THE FOUR DEMOCRATS WHO SIGNED THE LETTER WERE SENATORS MCCARRAN OF NEVADA, O'CONOR OF MARYLAND, BYRD OF VIRGINIA AND EASTLAND OF MISSISSIPPI.
KNOWLAND SAID HE BELIEVES A MAJORITY OF THE SENATE IS IN SYMPATHY WITH THE POLISY PROPOSED IN THE LETTER ALTHOUGH HE DID NOT HAVE TIME TO ASK ALL 96 SENATORS TO SIGN IT.
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B32WX (Q)
(290)
BY MORRIS CLEAVENGER
AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE
WASHINGTON, MAY 5-AP)-REP. D'EWART (R-MONT) TODAY DEMANDED AN "ALL-OUT" STOCKPILING PROGRAM FOR STRATEGIC AND CRITICAL MINERALS AS A GUARANTEE FOR THE SAFETY OF THE UNITED STATES.
PRESENT STOCKPILING PLANS ARE TOTALLY INADEQUATE, D'EWART TOLD THE HOUSE, HE ADDED:
"IN THE LIGHT OF PRESENT WORLD CONDITIONS AND THE EVIDENCE, IT BECOMES IMPERATIVE THAT THE CONGRESS IMMEDIATELY INITIATE AN ALL-OUT PROGRAM THAT WILL PROVIDE THE PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES WITH THE STRATEGIC AND CRITICAL RAW MATERIALS FROM OR WITH WHICH ALL MILITARY, INDUSTRIAL AND ESSENTIAL CIVILIAN SUPPLIES, MATERIALS AND EQUIPMENT REQUIRED TO WIN A FUTURE WAR AND MAINTAIN OUR BASIC ECONOMY MUST BE MET."
THE GOVERNMENT MUST DO THIS, D'EWART CONTINUED, OR "GAMBLE THE FUTURE OF THE UNITED STATES AGAINST THE REMOTE CHANCE THAT UNITED STATES MERCHANT SHIPS MAY BE SUCCESSFUL IN RUNNING THE GAUNTLET OF 250 TO 1,000 OR MORE ENEMY SUBMARINES AND RETURN WITH LARGE QUANTITIES OF STRATEGIC MATERIALS X X X"
D'EWART SAID AN ADEQUATE FIVE-TO-TEN YEAR STOCKPILING PROGRAM

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WOULD REQUIRE:

1. THAT THE MUNITIONS BOARD AND GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION ABANDON THEIR "OFF AGAIN, ON AGAIN" POLICY OF PURCHASING CRITICAL MATERIALS.

2. THAT AN INDEPENDENT AGENCY MUST BE ESTABLISHED AND MUST CARRY OUT AN "INTENSIVE ALL-OUT" GOVERNMENT-FINANCED PROGRAM DESIGNED TO HAVE PRIVATE ENTERPRISE DEVELOP THE NATIONS RESOURCES AND EXPAND OPERATIONS TO OBTAIN THE MAXIMUM DOMESTIC PRODUCTION OF CRITICAL MINERALS.

THE MONTANAN SAID THAT PURCHASING MISSIONS WITH TECHNICAL STAFFS SHOULD BE SENT ABROAD TO DEVELOP SOURCES OF CRITICAL MINERALS AND BUY QUANTITIES TO THE EXTENT THEY ARE NOT AVAILABLE FROM THE UNDEVELOPED MINERAL RESOURCES OF THIS COUNTRY.

NOTING THAT THE PRESENT STOCKPILING OBJECTIVE FOR STRATEGIC AND CRITICAL MATERIALS, INCLUDING 71 ITEMS, IS ONLY $3,773,000,000, D'EWART SAID THE AMOUNT OF COPPER ALONE USED IN THE LAST WAR WOULD COST $5,000,000,000 AT TODAY'S PRICES.

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MINNEAPOLIS,MAY 5-(AP)-A "CONGRESS OF FREE NEWSPAPERMEN" WAS PROPOSED HERE TONIGHT TO OFFSET RUSSIA'S PROPAGANDA ARMY IN THE WORLD BATTLE FOR THE MINDS OF MEN.

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"THE GREAT NEWSPAPERS, THE RADIO NETWORKS AND STATIONS, ADVERTISING AGENCIES AND ALL ENTERPRISES JOINED IN THE COMMUNICATIONS INDUSTRY MIGHT VERY PROPERLY MOBILIZE THEIR ENORMOUS RESOURCES FOR THIS CRUSADE," SAID J.R.WIGGINS.

"THE SURPRISING THING IS THAT THIS ENDEAVOR HAS BEEN DELAYED SO LONG."

WIGGINS, MANAGING EDITOR OF THE WASHINGTON POST, SAID SUCH A DRIVE WOULD DEMONSTRATE, BY THE SUPERIORITY OF ITS TECHNIQUE AND VIGOR OF ITS EFFORT THE SUPERIORITY OF FREE MEN VOLUNTARILY ENGAGED IN A GREAT CAUSE.

WIGGINS TALKED BEFORE THE ANNUAL SHORT COURSE FOR EDITORS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA.

THE CAPITAL EDITOR CALLED THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT'S $34,000,000 (M) PROPAGANDA CAMPAIGN "A PUNY EFFORT" COMPARED TO THE $27,000,000,000 (B) BUDGETED FOR THE MILITARY AND ECONOMIC PHASES OF THE COLD WAR. HE POINTED OUT THAT THE GENERAL MOTORS CORP. ALONE SPENT $49,000,000 (M) FOR ADVERTISING IN 1949.

"WE ARE NOT PEDDLING A UNIVERSAL PANACEA," SAID WIGGINS. "NOR ARE WE TRYING TO SUBJECT ANY PEOPLES TO OUR DOMINATION. WE SEEK FOR OURSELVES ONLY THAT WHICH WE WOULD CONFER ON OTHERS--THE RIGHT TO GOVERN THEMSELVES, THE RIGHT TO INDIVIDUAL FREEDOM AND THE RIGHT TO WORK OUT OUR NATIONAL DESTINY IN PEACE. X X X

"IT WOULD LIBEL FREEDOM TO SUGGEST THAT WE CANNOT GAIN FOR THIS IDEAL THE SUPPORT OF ALL MANKIND IF WE PUT TO THE TASK THE SCIENCE, SKILL AND RESOURCES THAT ARE AT OUR DISPOSAL."

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B41DT (Q)

HOYT (250)

DETROIT, MAY 5-(AP)-PALMER HOYT, PUBLISHER OF THE DENVER POST, DECLARED HERE TODAY THAT "THE WORLD CANNOT CONTINUE TO EXIST HALF INFORMED AND HALF UNINFORMED," BUT ADDED THERE IS NOTHING WRONG THAT "REPEATED DOSES OF OBJECTIVE AMERICAN-STYLE NEWS WILL NOT CURE.

IN A SPEECH BEFORE DETROIT'S ADCRAFT CLUB, THE DENVER PUBLISHER SAID HE BELIEVES IN "SELLING" THE WORLD IN GENERAL ON DEMOCRACY THROUGH BROADCASTS "AT ALL BORDERS OF THE TRUTH -- GOOD OR BAD, JUST AS WE DO IN OUR NEWSPAPERS EVERY DAY."

IF THIS IS DONE, HE SAID, PEOPLE OF COMMUNIST-DOMINATED COUNTRIES CAN EVALUATE GOVERNMENTS AND THEIR ADVANTAGES FOR THEMSELVES.

HOYT SUGGESTED THIS NATIONAL PROGRAM, "IF WE ARE TO BE SAVED:" 1. ADEQUATE MILITARY DEFENSE TO HOLD THE ARMS FRONT; 2. ADEQUATE USE OF OUR DOLLARS TO HOLD THE ECONOMIC FRONT; AND 3. ADEQUATE USE OF OUR WORDS TO HOLD THE PROPAGANDA FRONT AND GIVE TRUTH, WHICH IS MIGHTY, A CHANCE TO PREVAIL."

"HOW SILLY CAN YOU GET?" HE ASKED THE ADVERTISING AND SALES ASSOCIATION. THEN ADDED:

"TODAY WE ARE SPENDING ROUGHLY $25,000,000,000 (B) ON OUR DEFENSE ESTABLISHMENT, INCLUDING ECA AND ALL MILITARY MATTERS, YET WE ONLY APPROPRIATE $25,000,000 (M) FOR THE VOICE OF AMERICA, AND DON'T EVEN BECAUSE OF STATE DEPARTMENT FEAR OF CO

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APPROPRIATE $25,000,000 (M) FOR THE VOICE OF AMERICA, AND DON'T EVEN SPEND THAT BECAUSE OF STATE DEPARTMENT FEAR OF CONGRESS AND SOME NEWSPAPERS WHO ARE IN TURN AFRAID OF PROPAGANDA."

"TODAY," HE CONTINUED, THE BIGGEST ISSUE IN ANY OF OUR LIVES IS WORLD PEACE. X X X I WOULD LIKE TO SEE EVERY MAN, WOMAN AND CHILD IN THIS COUNTRY PROPOSE A PLAN FOR PEACE.

"TODAY WE HEAR MUCH TALK ABOUT HIGH TAXES, AND I CAN SAY AS A BUSINESSMAN THAT I DON'T RELISH PAYING TAXES ANY MORE THAN ANYONE ELSE; AND YET, IT IS FOOLISH TO CUT TAXES AS WE ARE ABOUT TO DO WITH EXCISE TAXES IF IT MEANS EVADING OUR RESPONSIBILITIES BOTH AT HOME AND ABROAD. IT MIGHT BE SIGNING OUR DEATH WARRANTS."

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NIGHT LEAD SOCCER PLAYERS (220)

NEW YORK, MAY 5-(AP)-A SCORE OF YOUTHFUL DEMONSTRATORS PELTED 16 VISITING GERMAN SOCCER PLAYERS WITH APPLES AND TOMATOES TODAY AS THE ATHLETES WERE BEING GREETED OFFICIALLY AT CITY HALL.

THE SHOWER OF PRODUCE SPLATTERED THE PLAYERS AS THEY POSED FOR PICTURES ON THE STEPS OF CITY HALL WITH COUNCIL PRESIDENT VINCENT R. IMPELLITTERI.

THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT DENOUNCED THE ATTACK AS COMMUNISTIC AND AN "ETERNAL DISGRACE TO OUR CITY."

THREE OF THE JEERING DEMONSTRATORS, WHO CARRIED SIGNS PROTESTING WHAT WAS TERMED THE "NAZI INVASION OF NEW YORK," WERE ARRESTED ON DISORDERLY CONDUCT CHARGES. A SPOKESMAN FOR THE GROUP, MADE UP OF BOYS AND GIRLS, IDENTIFIED HIS COMPANIONS AND HIMSELF AS MEMBERS OF BETAR, A ZIONIST YOUTH ORGANIZATION.

HEINZ SPUNDFLASCHE, CAPTAIN OF THE SOCCER TEAM, SAID THE DEMONSTRATION WAS A "TREMENDOUS SURPRISE" BUT TOLD REPORTERS HE DIDN'T TAKE IT SERIOUSLY. WHAT IMPRESSED HIM, SPUNDFLASCHE SAID, WAS BEING RECEIVED AT CITY HALL.

"THAT WOULD NOT HAPPEN IN GERMANY," HE SAID.

ANOTHER MEMBER OF THE DELEGATION, PAUL HAUENSCHILD OF HAMBURG, SAID OF THE YOUTHS WHO DEMONSTRATED:

"YOU JUST HAD TO LOOK AT THEM. THEY ARE NOT AMERICANS. THEY ARE JUST A FEW FANATICS. WE HAVE THE SAME THING IN GERMANY."

THE DEMONSTRATORS CUT LOOSE WITH THE BARRAGE JUST AFTER IMPELLITTERI HAD TOLD THE VISITORS THAT NEW YORK WOULD "BEND EVERY EFFORT TO MAKE YOUR STAY IN THE CITY PLEASANT."

THE SOCCER PLAYERS, WHO REPRESENT THE HAMBURG SPORTS VEREIN (ASSOCIATION), ARRIVED HERE YESTERDAY FOR A SIX-GAME TOUR OF AMERICAN CITIES. THEY BROUGHT GREETINGS FROM HAMBURG'S MAYOR MAX BRAUER TO MAYOR WILLIAM O'DWYER OF NEW YORK CITY. O'DWYER WAS NOT IN HIS OFFICE AT THE TIME OF THE ATTACK.

IMPELLITTERI SAID HE WAS "SHOCKED BY THE DISGRACEFUL DEMONSTRATION. LATER, AT A CIVIC ASSOCIATION LUNCHEON, HE DECLARED THE ATTACK WAS ENGINEERED BY A "HANDFUL" OF COMMUNISTS.

THE THREE ARRESTED YOUTHS WERE HELD IN $100 BAIL FOR A HEARING MAY 11.

THEY WERE BOOKED AS PHINEAS STOLPHER, 18, AND MARVIN KREINER, 21, BOTH OF BROOKLYN, AND JOSEPH ADLER, 18, MANHATTAN.

ADLER TOLD MAGISTRATE VINCENT J. KOWALSKI HE WAS BORN IN GERMANY AND REMEMBERS THE NAZI YOUTH ORGANIZATION THERE.

"WE HAVE TO HAVE SOME MEANS OF EXPRESSING OURSELVES," HE SAID.

"NOT THAT WAY," THE MAGISTRATE COMMENTED.

MITCHELL SALEM FISHER, ATTORNEY FOR THE ARRESTED YOUTHS, TOLD KOWALSKI THAT "WE MIGHT REALIZE WHAT IS IN THE MINDS OF THESE YOUTHS, IN VIEW OF WHAT HAS HAPPENED TO THEIR RELATIVES AND PEOPLE IN GERMANY."

"OTHERS MAY HAVE FORGOTTEN BUT THESE BOYS APPARENTLY HAVEN'T FORGOTTEN," HE SAID.

THE VISITING GERMAN TEAM WAS GIVEN A GOODWILL DINNER TONIGHT AT NORTH BERGEN, N.J., BY THE GERMAN-AMERICAN SOCCER LEAGUE, ONE OF THE LARGEST IN THE COUNTRY. THERE WAS NO DISTURBANCE OF ANY KIND AT THE DINNER.

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UPHOLSTERERS (180)

PHILADELPHIA, MAY 5-(AP)-AMERICAN LABOR AS A PART OF THE UNITED STATES' TOTAL DIPLOMACY HAS SERVED TO KEEP THE COLD WAR FROM BEING LOST. PHILIP M.KAISER, UNDERSECRETARY OF LABOR IN CHARGE OF INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS, SAID TODAY.

HE SPOKE AT THE 26TH BIENNIAL CONVENTION OF THE UPHOLSTERERS INTERNATIONAL UNION (AFL).

"AMERICAN UNIONS HAVE GIVEN MORAL, SPIRITUAL AND FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TO EUROPEAN WORKERS AND UNIONS," SAID KAISER. "THEY HAVE ALSO HAD REPRESENTATIVES IN EUROPE, ASIA AND LATIN AMERICA TO ACT AS LISTENING POSTS FOR LABOR IN OUR OWN COUNTRY AND TO ORGANIZE ON-THE-SPOT AID FOR FOREIGN WORKERS.

"THESE MEN HAVE HELPED MOBILIZE NON-COMMUNISTS INTO ANTI-COMMUNISTS AND ANTI-COMMUNISTS INTO MEN AND WOMEN READY TO FIGHT FOR THEIR LIBERTY."

KAISER SAID THE MARSHAL PLAN HAS GIVEN "THE FORCES OF FREEDOM A BETTER THAN EVEN CHANCE TO WIN THE WAR AGAINST THOSE TWIN ENEMIES--POVERTY AND AGGRESSIVE COMMUNISM.

"OUR GOVERNMENT HAS COME TO RECOGNIZE THE IMPORTANCE OF LABOR IN FOREIGN AFFAIRS ALL OVER THE WORLD. OUR GOVERNMENT KNOWS THAT FREE TRADE UNIONISTS CAN BECOME OUR BEST AMBASSADORS TO MANY COUNTRIES AND TO MANY PEOPLES. OUR GOVERNMENT BELIEVES THAT LABOR SHOULD FIGURE LARGELY IN FORMULATING THIS COUNTRY'S OVER-ALL FOREIGN POLICY."

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NIGHT LEAD LEGION (180)

INDIANAPOLIS,MAY 5-(AP)-THE AMERICAN LEGION IS WILLING TO CONTINUE THE PEACETIME DRAFT UNTIL IT CAN GET THE MORE SWEEPING TRAINING PROGRAM THAT IT REALLY WANTS.

A RESOLUTION OPPOSING AN EXTENDED PEACETIME DRAFT WAS CAUGHT TODAY BETWEEN CONGRESSIONAL ACTION AND AN URGENT APPEAL FROM MAJ.GEN. LEWIS B. HERSHEY, SELECTIVE SERVICE DIRECTOR.

THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE VOTED UNANIMOUSLY YESTERDAY TO EXTEND SELECTIVE SERVICE TWO MORE YEARS.

TODAY GEN. HERSHEY TOLD THE LEGION'S NATIONAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE:

"WE HAVE BEEN CAUGHT WITHOUT ANY MANPOWER TO DRAW UPON. WE'VE ALLOWED OURSELVES TO GET MIRED DOWN IN WORDS. THERE HAS BEEN LOTS OF TALK ABOUT TRAINING, TALK ABOUT SERVICE AND TALK ABOUT PEACE, BUT NO ACTION. WE MUST ACT NOW."

THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE THEN REWROTE THE RESOLUTION TO ENDORSE THE DRAFT EXTENSION, BUT ONLY AS A STOP-GAP MEASURE.

IT WENT ON TO URGE IMMEDIATE ENACTMENT OF A UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING PROGRAM, WHICH THE LEGION HAS LONG ADVOCATED AS AN "ADEQUATE, PERMANENT SOLUTION."

THE CONCESSION ON SELECTIVE SERVICE, THE RESOLUTION STATED, WAS MADE IN VIEW OF "MOUNTING TENSION" IN WORLD AFFAIRS. THE PEACETIME DRAFT HAD BEEN ACCEPTED BY THE LEGION IN 1948 MERELY AS A TEMPORARY EXPEDIENT.

ANOTHER SECURITY RESOLUTION ADOPTED CALLED FOR STRONGER DEFENSES ON AMERICA'S SEACOASTS, INSTEAD OF MOVING MILITARY PRODUCTION PLANTS INLAND.

THE COMMITTEE ALSO DEMANDED GREATER SPEED IN SETTING UP CIVIL DEFENSES AND ASKED CONGRESS TO VOTE MORE MONEY FOR ARMORIES.

ONE RESOLUTION DEPLORED "A NEW CONCEPT OF DEPENDENCE ON FRIENDLY NATIONS FOR A MERCHANT MARINE, SEEMINGLY BEING ESPOUSED BY OUR PRESIDENT AND STATE DEPARTMENT." AMERICAN COMMERCE, IT SAID, SHOULD NOT DEPEND ON "THE WHIMS OF OTHER NATIONS."

AN OVERHAULING OF MILITARY DEFENSE PLANS WAS URGED, TOO. THE COMMITTEE SAID IT IS "OBVIOUSLY IMPOSSIBLE" FOR THE AIR NATIONAL GUARD TO FULFIL THE OBLIGATION OF INSTANTANEOUS DEFENSE OF THE NATION.

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(ADVANCE)-WASHINGTON,MAY 5-(AP)-SECRETARY OF THE NAVY MATTHEWS TONIGHT APPROVED THE RECOMMENDATION OF A NAVAL COURT OF INQUIRY THAT NO FURTHER DISCIPLINARY ACTION BE TAKEN AGAINST CEDRIC R.WORTH, ADMIT-

TED AUTHOR OF THE ANNONYMOUS MEMORANDUM THAT LED TO A CONGRESSIONAL INVESTIGATION OF THE B-36 BOMBER LAST YEAR.

MATTHEWS ALSO UPHELD THE COURT'S OPINION THAT COMMANDER THOMAS D. DAVIES OF SEATTLE,WASH., WHO WAS NAMED AN INTERESTED PARTY DURING ITS INQUIRY, COMMITTED NO OFFENSE AND INCURRED NO "SERIOUS" BLAME.

THE SECRETARY LIKEWISE SUPPORTED THE COURT'S DECISION THAT OTHER WITNESSES WHO APPEARED BEFORE IT, INCLUDING CAPT.JOHN G.CROMMELIN, HAD "COMMITTED NO OFFENSE AND INCURRED NO BLAME."

THE COURT OF INQUIRY, HEADED BY ADM.THOMAS C.KINKAID, INVESTIGATED TO DETERMINE WHETHER ANY OTHER NAVY PERSONNEL WAS INVOLVED IN PREPARING AND CIRCULATING THE MEMORANDUM THAT BROUGHT ON THE B-36 INQUIRY. THE MEMORANDUM HINTED AT DEMOCRATIC PARTY FUND-RAISING DEALS INVOLVING FLOYD ODLUM, WHOSE ATLAS CORPORATION CONTROLS THE COMPANY BUILDING B-36S, AND ALSO INVOLVING DEFENSESECRETARY LOUIS JOHNSON. IT CHARGED THAT THE BIG AIR FORCE BOMBER IS OBSOLETE.

WORTH WAS AN $8,500-A-YEAR SPECIAL ASSISTANT TO DAN KIMBALL, UNDER-SECRETARY OF THE NAVY, WHEN HE ACKNOWLEDGED TO A HOUSE COMMITTEE THAT HE HAD WRITTEN THE MEMORANDUM.

WORTH, A FORMER HOLLYWOOD SCENARIO WRITER WHO BECAME A NAVY COMMANDER DURING THE WAR, RECANTED THE CHARGES IN THE MEMO DURING HIS TESTIMONY. HE WAS SUSPENDED AS SPECIAL ASSISTANT TO KIMBALL AND THEN RESIGNED. HOWEVER, WORTH STILL RETAINS HIS COMMISSION AS A COMMANDER IN THE NAVAL RESERVE.

THE COURT OF INQUIRY BLAMED WORTH SERIOUSLY FOR "VIOLATING THE TRUST" OF HIS POSITION AS KIMBALL'S ASSISTANT.

HOWEVER, IT RECOMMENDED THAT NO FURTHER DISCIPLINARY ACTION BE TAKEN AGAINST WORTH FOR TWO REASONS:

1. THE FACT THAT HIS CONNECTION WITH THE NAVY IN HIS CAPACITY AS SPECIAL ASSISTANT TO THE UNDERSECRETARY "HAS BEEN SEVERED AS THE RESULT OF HIS CONDUCT."

2. "THE FURTHER FACT THAT THE SUBSTANCE OF THE CLASSIFIED MATERIAL APPEARING IN HIS LETTER HAD PREVIOUSLY BEEN PUBLISHED IN THE PRESS AND PERIODICALS."

WORTH TESTIFIED NO ONE ELSE HAD REALLY COLLABORATED IN PREPARING THE ANONYMOUS DOCUMENT. HE SAID HE HAD OBTAINED INFORMATION FROM VARIOUS PEOPLE BUT THEY DID NOT KNOW HOW HE INTENDED TO USE IT.

ONE OF THOSE WITH WHOM WORTH SAID HE HAD TALKED WAS COMMANDER DAVIES, WHO, THE COURT OF INQUIRY FOUND, HAD COMMITTED NO OFFENSE AND INCURRED NO SERIOUS BLAME.

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OTHER WITNESSES BEFORE THE COURT, EACH OF WHOM THE COURT SAID HAD INCURRED NO BLAME, INCLUDED:

COMMANDER W.E.SWEENEY, NOW STATIONED AT NORFOLK,VA.; CAPT. LEROY C.SIMPLER, OF WASHINGTON,D.C., WHO IS NOW ON SEAT DUTY; LIEUT.SAMUEL P.INGRAM, OF PARKFAIRFAX,VA., NOW ON INACTIVE DUTY; AND CAPT.CROMMELIN, OF MONTGOMERY,ALA., NOW ON AN INDEFINITE FURLOUGH FOR CONTINUING TO CRITICIZE PENTAGON POLICIES AFTER THE NAVY HAD ORDERED HIM TO DESIST.

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PLANES

BY MAX BOYD

WASHINGTON,MAY 5-(AP)-THE AIR FORCE IS EQUIPPING LATE MODEL JET FIGHTERS WITH NEW AUTOMATIC DEVICES WHICH WILL TRACK ENEMY BOMBERS THROUGH NIGHT SKIES OR BAD WEATHER, SHOOT THEM DOWN, THEN BRING THE PILOT HOME FOR A LANDING.

OFFICIALS SAID THIS WHOLE FAMILY OF ROBOTS IS BEING INSTALLED IN ITS NEW INTERCEPTORS TO MEET PROBLEMS POSED BY THE DEVELOPMENT OF HIGH-SPEED BOMBERS AND ATOMIC WEAPONS.

THE GROWING SPEED OF THE BOMBERS GIVES DEFENDING FIGHTERS LESS TIME TO CLIMB TO MEET THEM, AND THE ENORMOUS DESTRUCTIVE POWER OF THE A-BOMB MAKES IT MORE IMPORTANT THAN EVER TO DESTROY THE BOMBERS BEFORE THEY REACH THE TARGET.

RADAR TO HELP FIGHTER PILOTS FIND ATTACKING PLANES AT NIGHT WAS INCORPORATED IN PISTON-ENGINE INTERCEPTORS USED DURING WORLD WAR II. BUT THE AIR FORCE SAYS THESE PLANES DO NOT HAVE THE PERFORMANCE NEEDED TODAY, WHILE FASTER TURBO-JET FIGHTERS DO NOT YET POSSESS THE RADAR ESSENTIAL TO ALL-WEATHER OPERATIONS.

INTO THE NEW MODELS, IT SAYS, ARE GOING PROVISIONS FOR AUTOMATIC FLIGHT, AUTOMATIC TRACKING OF THE ENEMY, AUTOMATIC FIRING, AND AUTOMATIC APPROACH TO A LANDING AFTER THE BATTLE.

AFTER TAKING OFF THE PILOT WILL BE GUARDED BY A GROUND RADAR NETWORK TO THE AREA WHERE HIS PLANE'S RADAR CAN PICK UP THE ENEMY. THERE THE AUTOMATIC DEVICES WILL TAKE OVER, PUTTING THE INTERCEPTOR ON THE CORRECT COURSE TO CLOSE WITH THE BOMBER AND FIRING ITS WEAPONS AT THE RIGHT MOMENT.

IN CASE THE ROBOTS FAIL, OR THINGS HAPPEN THAT THEY AREN'T PREPARED TO MEET, THE PILOT WILL LEND A HAND. HE WILL HAVE PLENTY OF WORK TO DO ALSO IN THE LAST STAGE OF THE LANDING APPROACH.

IN ADDITION TO ROBOTS, INCREASED ARMAMENT IS GOING INTO THE NEW MODELS TO INCREASE THEIR CHANCES OF DESTROYING BOMBERS ONCE CONTACT IS MADE.

ONLY ONE TYPE OF "INTERIM" JET INTERCEPTOR, DEVELOPED FROM AN OLDER JET FIGHTER, IS NOW IN SERVICE IN AIR FORCE UNITS. IT IS THE F94, A MODIFICATION OF THE LOCKHEED F80 SHOOTING STAR. THE AIR FORCE ORDERED 110 OF THESE PLANES IN 1949, AND $120,000,000 IS BEING SPENT FOR MORE OF THEM THIS YEAR.

THE F94 IS EQUIPPED WITH RADAR AND HAS AN AFTER-BURNER DESIGNED TO GIVE IT BURSTS OF EXTRA POWER FOR QUICK CLIMBING. THE AFTER-BURNER CONSISTS OF A DEVICE TO INTRODUCE FUEL INTO THE EXHAUST PIPE AND IGNITE IT THERE, THUS DEVELOPING GREATER THRUST.

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ANOTHER "INTERIM" INTERCEPTOR DEVELOPED FROM AN OLDER JET FIGHTER, THE NORTH AMERICAN F-86 SABRE, IS BEING BUILT WITH RADAR AND AN AFTER-BURNER.

DURING THE YEAR ENDING THIS JUNE 30 THE AIR FORCE IS SPENDING $130,900,000 ON THIS PLANE--CALLED THE F-95--AN OUTLAY EXCEEDED ONLY BY ITS EXPENDITURES FOR B-36 INTERCONTINENTAL BOMBERS AND FOR 600-MILE-AN-HOUR B-47 JET BOMBERS.

NO F-95S ARE YET IN OPERATIONAL UNITS.

THE AIR FORCE HAS ONLY ONE JET FIGHTER THAT WAS DESIGNED FROM THE GROUND UP TO BE AN INTERCEPTOR: THE REPUBLIC XF91. THE EXPERIMENTAL MODEL IS UNDERGOING FLIGHT TESTS AND NO PRODUCTION ORDERS HAVE YET BEEN PLACED.

PRESUMABLY, THE XF91 INCORPORATES ALL THE ROBOTS THAT THE AIR FORCE SAYS IS GOING INTO NEW MODELS. AN ADDITIONAL FEATURE IS FOUR ROCKET ENGINES BUILT INTO THE TAIL. THESE ROCKET ENGINES ARE DESIGNED TO PERMIT THE INTERCEPTOR TO CLIMB SWIFTLY AND--IF ANY ROCKET FUEL IS LEFT AFTER THAT--TO ATTAIN SUPER-JET SPEEDS WHEN NEEDED.

A NAVY JET FIGHTER DESIGNED FROM THE GROUND UP AS AN ALL-WEATHER INTERCEPTOR HAS ALREADY PASSED ITS TESTS. IT IS THE TWO-PLACE DOUGLAS SKYKNIGHT, WHICH HAS CARRIED ITS HEAVY LOAD OF ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT PAST 40,000 FEET.

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WASHINGTON,MAY 5-(AP)-JET FIGHTERS ABLE TO ESCORT BOMBERS MORE THAN 1,000 MILES ARE EXPECTED TO JOIN U.S. SUPERFORTRESSES IN BRITAIN AS SOON AS BASES THERE ARE IMPROVED AND EXTENDED.

COMBINED BASES FOR THE FIGHTERS AND SUPERFORTRESSES ARE CONTEMPLATED SO THAT JETS CAN PLAY A DUAL ROLE. THEY WILL BE AVAILABLE IF NEEDED NOT ONLY FOR ESCORT MISSIONS BUT ALSO TO DEFEND THE BOMBERS AGAINST ATTACK BY AIR WHILE ON THE GROUND.

THE DECISION TO IMPROVE AND EXTEND BASES IN THE BRITISH MIDLANDS WAS ANNOUNCED TODAY BY ARTHUR HENDERSON, THE BRITISH AIR SECRETARY. HE SAID THAT U.S. AIR FORCE ENGINEERS WILL DO MUCH OF THE WORK. BASES IN EAST ANGLIA, NOW USED BY U.S. B-29 AND B-50 SUPERFORTRESSES, WILL BE TURNED OVER TO THE RAF FOR THE 70 B-29S IT IS GETTING FROM THIS COUNTRY UNDER MUTUAL DEFENSE PROGRAM.

THERE IS NO INDICATION THAT THE AIR FORCE INTENDS TO SEND ITS LONGER RANGED B-36 BOMBERS TO USE THE MIDLANDS FIELDS. THE B-36 IS DESIGNED FOR INTERCONTINENTAL OPERATIONS.

THE FACT THAT THE AIR FORCE NOW HAS JET FIGHTERS WHICH COULD ESCORT BOMBERS MORE THAN 1,000 MILES FROM BASES IN BRITAIN OR ELSEWHERE WAS DISCLOSED BY THE AIR FORCE LAST MONTH.

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B58WX (Q)

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WASHINGTON, MAY 5-(AP)-THE AIR FORCE REITERATED TONIGHT THAT THE EXPERIMENTAL B-52 JET BOMBER BEING BUILT BY BOEING AT SEATTLE STILL OCCUPIES ITS POSITION AS THE PLANNED SUCCESSOR TO THE LONG RANGE PISTON-ENGINED B-36 BOMBER.

IN RESPONSE TO A REPORTER'S INQUIRY, A SPOKESMAN FOR THE AIR FORCE SAID THERE HAS BEEN NO DECISION TO CANCEL THE ORDER FOR THE EXPERIMENTAL B-52.

THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT'S WEAPONS EVALUATION GROUP HAS BEEN REPORTED RECENTLY TO HAVE APPROVED THE B-36, WHICH WAS CRITICIZED BY NAVY OFFICIALS DURING A CONGRESSIONAL INVESTIGATION LAST FALL.

A REPORT BY THE WEAPONS EVALUATION GROUP ON THE B-36 HAS NEVER BEEN MADE PUBLIC. HOWEVER, IT HAS BEEN SURMISED THAT THE GROUP DID ENDORSE THE B-36 BECAUSE THE AIR FORCE RECENTLY ANNOUNCED A LARGE ADDITIONAL ORDER FOR THAT TYPE OF PLANE.

DURING THE CURRENT FISCAL YEAR THE AIR FORCE IS SPENDING SLIGHTLY MORE MONEY ON ITS MEDIUM RANGED 600-MILE-AN-HOUR JET BOMBER, THE B-47, THAN ON THE SLOWER BUT MUCH LONGER RANGED B-36. THE B-47 IS EXPECTED TO CONTINUE AT THE TOP OF THE BUYING LIST DURING THE YEAR STARTING JULY 1.

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NEW YORK,MAY 5-(AP)-IRKED BY THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT'S TIGHT LIMIT ON THE CASH THEY COULD BRING WITH THEM, A GROUP OF RELATIVES OF BRITISH GIRLS WHO MARRIED AMERICAN AND CANADIAN SERVICE MEN ARRIVED BY PLANE TODAY FOR A 10-WEEKS VISIT.

A TYPICAL REACTION CAME FROM MRS.FLORENCE FRY OF WELLAND,KENT, ENGLAND. SHE CAME TO VISIT HER DAUGHTER, MRS.FLORENCE HARLOW OF (2460 EAST ROSEDALE ST.) FORT WORTH,TEX., WHOSE HUSBAND, JACK, HAS A GENERAL STORE THERE.

"ALTHOUGH I UNDERSTAND MY DAUGHTER AND HER HUSBAND ARE PRETTY WELL OFF, I THINK THE LACK OF MONEY IS DREADFUL," SHE SAID. "I'LL EVEN HAVE TO ASK THEM FOR POSTAGE STAMPS."

THE VISITORS CRITICIZED THE GOVERNMENT FOR LIMITING THEM TO FIVE POUNDS STERLING, ABOUT $14, FOR EXPENSES ABOVE THE COST OF THEIR ROUND TRIP TICKETS.

SEVERAL SAID THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT MIGHT HAVE MADE AN EXCEPTION SO THAT THEY WOULD NOT BE BURDENS TO THEIR CHILDREN WHILE HERE.

ALBERT KILGOUR OF LONDON, WHO ORGANIZED THE TRIP, THREW HIS HANDS UP WHEN HE WAS ASKED ABOUT THE MONEY PROBLEM.

"WWE CAN'T DO ANYTHING ABOUT THE MONEY," KILGOUR SAID. "IT'S THAT BRITISH GOVERNMENT OF OURS."

KILGOUR IS CHAIRMAN OF THE TRANSATLANTIC BRIDES, PARENTS, AND FRIENDS ASSOCIATION OF ENGLAND. HE SAID IT HAS 3,000 MEMBERS.

HE ARRIVED WITH HIS WIFE, GWENDOLYN, TO VISIT THEIR DAUGHTER, JEAN, NOW MRS. IRVIN GRAY OF (237 OLD BATTLEGROUND RD., DUNDALK) BALTIMORE.

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WASHINGTON,MAY 5-(AP)-DAVID E.LILIENTHAL, FORMER CHAIRMAN OF THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION, HAD A LENGTHY CONFERENCE WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY.

HE TOLD REPORTERS THE PRESIDENT HAD ASKED HIM TO STOP IN FROM TIME TO TIME TO TALK ESPECIALLY ABOUT PEACETIME APPLICATION OF ATOMIC ENERGY.

LILIENTHAL SAID HE IS STILL WORKING ON THIS PHASE AS A PRIVATE INDIVIDUAL. HE SAID HE EXPECTS SOON TO MAKE A FOUR MONTHS BUSINESS TRIP TO FRANCE, THE LOWLANDS, BRITAIN, AFRICA, CEYLON AND INDIA.

HE WOULD NOT SAY FOR WHOM HE WOULD MAKE THE TRIP, BUT SAID IT WAS A PRIVATE MATTER.

ASKED ABOUT REPORTS THAT DR.HERMAN N.BUNDESEN, PRESIDENT OF THE CHICAGO BOARD OF HEALTH, WAS UNDER CONSIDERATION FOR AEC CHAIRMAN, LILIENTHAL SAID HE KNEW DR.BUNDESEN VERY WELL BUT DID NOT KNOW ABOU THE AEC REPORT.

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B7WX (SECG)
(430) WAR CLAIMS
BY ROWLAND EVANS
WASHINGTON,MAY 5-(AP)-CONGRESS GOT AN OFFICIAL COMPLAINT TODAY THAT IT IS SHOWING A "GROWING TENDENCY TO IGNORE AND WRITE OFF CLAIMS ARISING OUT OF WORLD WAR II AND TO TREAT THEIR SETTLEMENT AS A MATTER OF POLITICAL EXPEDIENCY."

THE COMPLAINT CAME IN A REPORT FROM THE WAR CLAIMS COMMISSION, AN AGENCY CREATED BY CONGRESS TO DEAL WITH DAMAGE CLAIMS AGAINST THE UNITED STATES AS A RESULT OF THE WAR.

THE COMMISSION DIDN'T PIN ITS OBJECTION DIRECTLY ON CONGRESS. BUT THE CLAIMS IT REFERRED TO CAN BE HANDLED ONLY BY THE NATIONAL LEGISLATURE.

THE COMMISSION REPORT--SUBMITTED FIRST TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND FORWARDED TO CAPITOL HILL TODAY--DEALS WITH THE "SECTION 8" CLAIMS OF THE WAR CLAIMS ACT.

SECTION 8 DIRECTED THE COMMISSION TO "INQUIRE INTO" AND REPORT TO CONGRESS ON ALL WAR INJURY AND PROPERTY CLAIMS FOR WHICH THE ACT DOES NOT PROVIDE PAYMENTS.

UNDER THE ACT ONLY FORMER PRISONERS OF WAR, CERTAIN CIVILIAN INTERNEES AND A FEW OTHER SMALL GROUPS ARE ENTITLED TO BENEFITS. "SECTION 8" COVERS ALL OTHER CLAIMS, WHICH CONGRESS IS NOT OBLIGATED TO SETTLE.

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IN SENDING THE REPORT TO CONGRESS, THE PRESIDENT SAID IT "SHOULD BE CONSIDERED AS REPRESENTING ONLY THE VIEWS OF THE COMMISSION AND NOT MY OWN VIEWS."

"THE COMMISSION HAS NOT HAD TIME TO MAKE THE KIND OF STUDY INTENDED," THE PRESIDENT SAID, ADDING THAT THE PROBLEM NEEDS "SEVERAL MORE MONTHS OF INTENSIVE STUDY."

APPOINTED LAST FALL, THE AGENCY HAS HAD ONLY A FEW MONTHS TO GATHER MATERIAL FOR ITS REPORT. CHAIRMAN DANIEL F.CLEARY WAS REBUFFED WHEN HE ASKED CONGRESS IN JANUARY FOR A YEAR'S EXTENSION.

THE COMMISSION REPORTED RECEIVING 6,466 PERSONAL INJURY AND DEATH CLAIMS SO FAR, BUT POINTED OUT THIS BY NO MEANS REPRESENTS THE FULL NUMBER OF POTENTIAL CLAIMS IN THE COUNTRY. IT SAID IT ALSO HAS RECEIVED 4,721 PROPERTY CLAIMS, AND THAT "A SUBSTANTIAL NUMBER" OF THEM ARE MERITORIOUS.

CLAIMANTS RANGE FROM LARGE CORPORATIONS TO A SOUTH PACIFIC ISLAND CHIEFTAIN WHO WANTS REIMBURSEMENT FOR THE USE OF HIS LAND DURING THE WAR.

THE REPORT SAYS THIS COUNTRY HAS NEVER ESTABLISHED A SATISFACTORY WAY TO HANDLE POST-WAR CLAIMS OF THIS KIND. IT POINTED OUT THAT THE MIXED CLAIMS COMMISSION OF WORLD WAR I DIDN'T WIND UP ITS AFFAIRS UNTIL SHORTLY BEFORE THE START OF WORLD WAR II.

THE WAR CLAIMS ACT PROVIDES THAT ALL CLAIMS MUST BE PAID WITH PROCEEDS OF ENEMY ASSETS SEIZED BY THE OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY.

THE REPORT SAID THE OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY WILL ALMOST CERTAINLY BE ABLE TO PROVIDE MONEY FOR THE POW'S AND CIVILIAN INTERNEES ALREADY ENTITLED TO PAYMENTS, BUT THAT THE ENEMY ASSETS PROBABLY WOULD NOT GO MUCH FARTHER.

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NIGHT LEAD INJUNCTION
NORFOLK, VA., MAY 5-(AP)-AN ORDER RESTRAINING THE U.S. AIR FORCE FROM DISCHARGING DISHONORABLY TWO FORMER COUNTER INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS WAS DISSOLVED TODAY IN U.S.DISTRICT COURT.

JUDGE ALBERT V.BRYAN ALSO DENIED AN INJUNCTION SOUGHT BY COUNSEL FOR THE OFFICERS, MAJ.PHILIP STOCK OF CLEVELAND, OHIO AND CAPT.DRAYTON K.FINNEY OF NILES, OHIO.

STOCK AND FINNEY WERE CONVICTED BY COURT MARTIAL IN TOKYO IN LATE 1948 ON CHARGES OF ABUSING A JAPANESE OFFICER. THEY WERE SENTENCED TO SEVERAL YEARS OF HARD LABOR BUT WERE CONFINED ONLY UNTIL MAY 1949.

H.GUY HARD, OF CLEVELAND, DEFENSE ATTORNEY, TOLD JUDGE BRYAN TODAY HE ARGUED THE CASE BEFORE THE AIR FORCE REVIEW BOARD MAY 5 LAST YEAR. THE BOARD, HE SAID, WITHHELD ITS DECISION UNTIL APRIL 26 OF THIS YEAR AND THEN ADVISED GUY HIS CLIENTS WOULD BE DISMISSED FROM THE AIR FORCE APRIL 27.

HARDY FLEW TO WASHINGTON, THEN TO DANVILLE, THEN TO CLARKSVILLE, AND HITCH-HIKED TO BOYDTON WHERE HE OBTAINED A 10-DAY RESTRAINING ORDER FROM FEDERAL JUDGE STERLING HUTCHESON.

NOTICES OF THE PETITION FOR AN INJUNCTION RESTRAINING THE AIR FORCE FROM DISCHARGING THE TWO OFFICERS WERE SENT TO THE AIR FORCE AND TO ITS SECRETARY, T.K.FINLETTER.

UNITED STATES ATTORNEY GEORGE HUMRICKHOUSE ARGUED TODAY THAT THE LEGAL PAPERS WEE OT PROPER

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THE LEGAL PAPERS WERE NOT PROPERLY SERVED AND ASKED THE INJUNCTION SUIT BE DISMISSED.

JUDGE BRYAN, IN GRANTING THE GOVERNMENT'S MOTION TO DISMISS, SAID THE ACTION WAS BROUGHT AGAINST AN EXECUTIVE BRANCH OF THE GOVERNMENT WITHOUT ITS CONSENT AND AGAINST ITS AGENT WHO APARENTLY WAS ACTING WITHIN THE SCOPE OF HIS OFFICE.

HE SAID HE WOULD NOT SUGGEST A COURSE OF ACTION FOR THE PLAINTIFFS BUT HE NOTED THEY HAVE NOT EXHAUSTED THEIR MEANS OF LEGAL REDRESS. THEY COULD ENTER CIVIL SUIT AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT FOR THEIR LOST PAY AND FOR THE BENEFITS THEY HAVE BEEN DENIED IF THEY FEEL THEY HAVEMBEEUNJUSTLY TREATED, BRYAN SAID.

FINNEY FLEW SOME 25 COMBAT MISSIONS OVER JAPAN. STOCK HAS BEEN CREDITED WITH MANY COMBAT MISSIONS OVER GERMANY. HE WAS A PRISONER OF WAR FOR 14 MONTHS DURING WORLD WAR 11. BOTH HAVE BEEN DECORATED FOR THEIR SERVICES.

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NEW YORK,MAY 5-(AP)-U.N. ASSEMBLY PRESIDENT CARLOS P.ROMULO CALLED TODAY FOR FULL SUPPORT FOR THE UNITED NATIONS AS THE MAIN LINK LEFT WITH HUNDREDS OF MILLIONS OF PEOPLE BEHIND THE IRON CURTAIN.

THIS WAS ROMULO'S DETAILED ANSWER TO SUGGESTIONS BY FORMER PRESIDENT HERBERT HOOVER LAST WEEK TO REORGANIZE THE UNITED NATIONS AND EXCLUDE THE RUSSIANS. ROMULO'S REMARKS WERE MADE IN A SPEECH AT THE ANNUAL LUNCHEON OF THE FIFTH AVENUE ASSOCIATION.

ROMULO, WHO REJECTED HOOVER'S SUGGESTIONS IN A STATEMENT A WEEK AGO, SAID THAT HOOVER'S IDEAS TO CUT OUT THE RUSSIANS TEND TO AGGRAVATE THE COLD WAR. HE SAID THE ROAD TO PEACE LIES IN CONCILIATION AND ACCOMMODATION, NOT IN FURTHER DIVISION AND GREATER STRIFE.

THE ASSEMBLY PRESIDENT, CHIEF DELEGATE OF THE PHILIPPINES TO THE U.N., SAID THAT THE U.N. IS THE BEST AND IN SOME CASES THE ONLY FRIEND AND PROTECTOR OF MANY SMALL COUNTRIES AND COUNTLESS LITTLE PEOPLE.

HE SAID THE MOUNTING PRESSURES OF THE COLD WAR ARE REDUCING CONTACT WITH THE PEOPLE BEHIND THE IRON CURTAIN. HE SAID THE MAIN LINK WITH THEM IS THE U.N. AND THAT ITS POWER AND EFFECT ON THEM MUST NOT BE UNDERESTIMATED.

THE ASSEMBLY PRESIDENT, WHO OFTEN HAS APPEALED TO THE GREAT POWERS TO SETTLE THEIR DIFFERENCES AMONG THEMSELVES, SAID THERE IS NOTHING WRONG WITH THE MACHINERY OF THE U.N. THE FAILURE TO ESTABLISH A LASTING AND JUST PEACE IS DUE TO THE LACK OF GOOD WILL AMONG THE GREAT POWERS. HE ADDED.

ROMULO LEFT BY PLANE TONIGHT FOR THE PHILIPPINES. HE WILL GO TO WASHINGTON, D.C., WHERE HIS WIFE, VIRGINIA, WILL JOIN HIM, AND THEN TO SAN FRANCISCO. HE PLANS TO ATTEND THE SOUTHEAST ASIA CONFERENCE IN MANILA STARTING MAY 26 AND TO RETURN TO THE UNITED STATES IN JUNR.

SOME PERSONS IN THE AUDIENCE OF APPROXIMATELY 900 PERSONS APPLAUDED WHEN ROMULO REFERRED TO HOOVER'S PROPOSALS. THEN THE CROWD LISTENED CLOSELY TO ROMULO'S 42-MINUTE SPEECH AND GAVE HIM A STAND-UP OVATION AT THE END.

IN REFERENCE TO THE COMING CONFERENCE OF SOUTHEAST ASIAN COUNTRIES, HE SAID IT HAD BEEN CALLED BY PRESIDENT ELPIDIO QUIRINO OF THE PHILIPPINES. HE CALLED QUIRINO "THE STAUNCHEST FRIEND OF DEMOCRACY IN THE FAR EAST."

SEATED ON THE DAIS WERE: VICENTE MADRIGAL, A MEMBER OF THE SENATE OF THE PHILIPPINES, EMILIO ABELLO, PHILIPPINE MINISTER IN THE EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON, AND JOSE P.MELENCIO, PHILIPPINE CONSUL GENERAL IN NEW YORK.

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(ADVANCE)-WASHINGTON,MAY 5-(AP)-MARINE CORPS RESERVE OFFICERS WERE TOLD TODAY THAT RECENT CARIBBEAN MANEUVERS SHOW COMBINED AIR-AMPHIBIOUS MANEUVERS WILL BE NEEDED MORE THAN EVER IN A FUTURE WAR.

COL.MELVIN J.MAAS, PRESIDENT OF THE MARINE CORPS RESERVE OFFICERS ASSOCIATION, TOLD THE GROUP'S CONVENTION IN A PREPARED STATEMENT THAT IN FUTURE OPERATIONS "WE WILL HAVE TO BE CAPABLE OF INFINITELY MORE TECHNIQUES, WITH FAR MORE CAPABLE EQUIPMENT AND NEW AND RADICAL TACTICS." MAAS WAS AN OFFICIAL OBSERVER AT THE RECENT "OPERATION PORTREX" IN THE PUERTO RICAN AREA.

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New York, May 5-(ap)-Former Communist leader ruth fischer

says that "today, dim but visible [redacted] the shape of another great terror"

on the soviet russian horizon.

Mrs. Fischer, sister of [redacted] the german

communist Gerhardt Eisler, writes in the current issue of Life

magazine that a new super-purge among the [redacted] russians can be detected

in recent events in the soviet union.

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"It is to be seen in the timely death of Zhdanov (andrei zhdanov, one-time cominform chief) in mid-1948, the unexplained disappearance of nikolai voznesensky, another politburo member; the repeated postponement for the last 11 years of the 19th russian party congress, and in the recent reintroduction in moscow of the death penalty," her article stated.

Mrs. fischer's [redacted] the defection of premier marshal tito impact upon world communism. The defecti

from the stalinist communism she describes as a tremendous blow to moscow with deep significance for the future of the western world.

"we have all had brief glimpses of the truth," the article says. "for through all these murky postwar days, the west has witnessed a strange series of events within the soviet world. the headlines have been proclaimed: communist tito becomes a fierce rebel against moscow; greek guerrilla leader general markos (markos vafiades), after years of stubborn fighting for russia against the west, has disappeared; bloody purges churn bulgaria and hungary, and great red leaders traicho kostov and laszlo rajk (of bulgaria and hungary rexpectively) are killed as american spies.

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"and in the kremlin itself there have been the mysterious deaths -- or disappearances -- of andrei zhdanov, georgi dimitrov, nikolai voznesensky -- giants of communism who seemed above assault or betrayal."

Mrs. Fischer charges that the death of Bulgarian Premier dimitrov was hastened deliberately by moscow to chill his dream of forming a slav federation in eastern eur ope with tito. Soviet doctors brought ailing dimitrov to moscow in april, 1949, against his will, she says,

cuting the "old gpu (secret police) saying that any fool can commit an assassination, but it takes a real artist to arrange a good natural death. (VENERABLE D) for the veteran dimitrov, the politburo trotted out its experts."

Mrs. Fischer, a leading communist in the 1920's, broke with moscow in the thirties and today is a violently anti-stalinist. Her brother, Gerhardt, who fled the united states last year, is information officer of communist east germany.

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WASHINGTON, MAY 6-(AP)-SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON SET OUT FOR EUROPE TODAY WITH A GRIM WARNING THAT THE NON-COMMUNIST WORLD FACES "INCREASINGLY CRUCIAL TESTS IN THE YEARS IMMEDIATELY AHEAD."

HE SAID THAT BECAUSE OF THE THREAT OF INTERNATIONAL COMMUNISM, THE FREE NATIONS OF THE WORLD MUST SPEED UP THE MOBILIZATION OF THEIR "MORAL AND MATERIAL STRENGTH" AND MUST DO SO "WITH UTMOST VIGOR."

THAT, HE EMPHASIZED IN A FORMAL STATEMENT, WILL BE HIS OWN MAJOR PURPOSE IN TALKING WITH BRITISH FOREIGN MINISTER BEVIN AND FRENCH MINISTER SCHUMAN IN PARIS AND LONDON NEXT WEEK, AND IN MEETING WITH THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY COUNCIL THE WEEK FOLLOWING.

WHAT HE HOPES FOR AND TRUSTS TO GET OUT OF THE DIPLOMATIC CONFERENCES, HE SAID, IS "A NEW SENSE OF COMMUNITY IN THE NORTH ATLANTIC AREA."

HE DECLARED THAT HE WAS ENCOURAGED IN HIS APPROACH TO THE MEETINGS BY THE BI-PARTISAN COOPERATION HE HAS RECEIVED FROM REPUBLICAN AND DEMOCRATIC LEADERS OF CONGRESS ALIKE.

EMPHASIZING THE IMPORTANCE ATTACHED TO ACHESON'S TRIP, PRESIDENT TRUMAN ARRANGED TO SEE HIM OFF AT THE AIRPORT AT 1 P.M.., E.S.T.

WISHING ACHESON "BON VOYAGE AND GOOD LUCK", MR.TRUMAN TOLD HIS CHIEF DIPLOMATIC OFFICIAL:

"I KNOW VERY WELL YOU ARE GOING TO HAVE SUCCESSFUL MEETINGS IN EUROPE WHICH WILL MAKE A CONTRIBUTION TO THE PEACE OF THE WORLD."

DIPLOMATIC REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS ALSO WERE ON HAND TO GIVE ACHESON A SEND-OFF.

WELL IN ADVANCE OF THE TAKE-OFF, THE STATE DEPARTMENT DISTRIBUTED COPIES OF ACHESON'S FORMAL STATEMENT THEREBY PUTTING IT IN THE CLASS OF A CAREFULLY CONSIDERED DECLARATION INSTEAD OF A CASUAL COMMENT.

BEHIND ACHESON'S GENERAL WORDS ON THE URGENCY OF ACTION BY THE WESTERN NATIONS LAY TWO CONCRETE FACTS:

FIRST, AN ESTIMATE BY STATE AND DEFENSE EXPERTS THAT RUSSIA WILL BE DANGEROUSLY ARMED BY 1954 AND THE WEST CAN ONLY KEEP FACE BY THROWING ALL ITS RESOURCES INTO A COMMON EFFORT;

SECOND, THAT THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE HAVE ONLY ABOUT 18 MONTHS TO WORK OUT THE END OF THE OCCUPATION OF GERMANY. THIS IS AN ESTIMATE MADE BY U.S.HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J.MCCLOY.

ACHESON SAID OF HIS MEETINGS WITH SCHUMAN AND BEVIN THAT THEY WILL SEEK TO DEVELOP "CONCERTED ACTION" ON A WORLD-WIDE FRONT. OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC COUNCIL SESSION, HE SAID, THAT IT TOO WILL BE AIMED AT "MORE EFFECTIVE CONCERTED ACTION" BUT ONLY IN CONNECTION WITH THE PROBLEMS OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC NATIONS.

IN PREPARING FOR THE MEETING, HE ADDED, HE HAD RECEIVED "INVALUABLE ASSISTANCE" FROM HIS REPUBLICAN ADVISERS, JOHN FOSTER DULLES AND JOHN SHERMAN COOPER. HE SUMMED UP HIS ATTITUDE TOWARD THE SITUATION WITH WHICH THE LONDON CONFEREES MUST DEAL IN THESE WORDS:

"FREE MEN AND FREE NATIONS EVERYWHERE WILL FACE INCREASINGLY CRUCIAL TESTS IN THE YEARS IMMEDIATELY AHEAD. WHAT WE SEEK AT LONDON IS TO ACCELERATE MOBILIZATION OF THE MORAL AND MATERIAL STRENGTH OF THE FREE WORLD. THE FREE WORLD CONTAINS VAST UNTAPPED MORAL AND MATERIAL RESOURCES. WE MUST DEVELOP THOSE RESERVES TO THE BEST OF OUR ABILITY. WE SHOULD BE DOING SO EVEN IF INTERNATIONAL COMMUNISM DID NOT EXIST. AS THINGS ARE WE MUST DO SO WITH UTMOST VIGOR."

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 1 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY SATURDAY MAY 6)
(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, MAY 6-(AP)-FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF A STATEMENT BY SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON AS HE LEFT FOR EUROPE.
(ABOUT 350)

THE FORTHCOMING MEETING OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY COUNCIL WILL BE THE FIRST IN WHICH THE 12 FOREIGN MINISTERS WILL ENGAGE IN FULL SUBSTANTIVE DISCUSSION OF THE POLITICAL, ECONOMIC AND MILITARY PROBLEMS INVOLVED IN ATTAINING THE OBJECTIVES OF THE TREATY. ITS PRIMARY OBJECTIVE IS TO STRENGTHEN PEACE BY STRENGTHENING THE COMMON FREE HERITAGE OF THE PARTIES AND THEIR ABILITIES TO DEFEND IT.

I AM ALSO TAKING THE OPPORTUNITY TO MEET WITH M. SCHUMAN AND MR. BEVIN, AS I HAVE DONE SEVERAL TIMES IN THE PAST YEAR, ON MAJOR PROBLEMS OF COMMON INTEREST. EACH OF OUR COUNTRIES HAS ITS OWN RESPONSIBILITIES AND INTERESTS. WHEN WE MEET WE SEEK TO DEVELOP CONCERTED ACTION IN PURSUIT OF OUR OVERRIDING COMMON INTERESTS.

THE PRINCIPAL DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE TWO MEETINGS WILL BE THAT THE COUNCIL WILL DEAL WITH PROBLEMS OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC AREA AND THE MEETINGS WITH M. SCHUMAN AND MR. BEVIN WILL DEAL WITH PROBLEMS OF COMMON CONCERN OF ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD. IN EACH CASE I HOPE THAT THE MEETINGS WILL FACILITATE MORE EFFECTIVE CONCERTED ACTION.

PREPARATIONS FOR THESE MEETINGS HAS BEEN ON A STRICTLY BI-PARTISAN BASIS. I AM MUCH ENCOURAGED BY THE TALKS I HAVE HAD WITH BOTH REPUBLICAN AND DEMOCRATIC MEMBERS OF THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND BY THE CONSTRUCTIVE SUGGESTIONS I HAVE HAD FROM THEM. MR. DULLES AND MR. COOPER HAVE GIVEN INVALUABLE ASSISTANCE IN PREPARING FOR THE TALKS AND MR. COOPER WILL ASSIST ME IN THEM.

FREE MEN AND FREE NATIONS EVERYWHERE WILL FACE INCREASINGLY CRUCIAL TESTS IN THE YEARS IMMEDIATELY AHEAD. WHAT WE SEEK AT LONDON IS TO ACCELERATE MOBILIZATION OF THE MORAL AND MATERIAL STRENGTH OF THE FREE WORLD. THE FREE WORLD CONTAINS VAST UNTAPPED MORAL AND MATERIAL RESOURCES. WE MUST DEVELOP THOSE RESERVES TO THE BEST OF OUR ABILITY. WE SHOULD BE DOING SO EVEN IF INTERNATIONAL COMMUNISM DID NOT EXIST. AS THINGS ARE WE MUST DO SO WITH UTMOST VIGOR.

THESE MEETINGS WILL BE IMPORTANT IN THEMSELVES, BUT I BELIEVE THEY WILL BE EVEN MORE IMPORTANT IN LAYING THE BASIS FOR CONTINUING CONCERTED ACTION IN THE FUTURE. WE MUST HAVE FIRM FAITH IN OURSELVES AND IN THE VALUES FOR WHICH OUR COUNTRY AND OTHER FREE COUNTRIES STAND.

I TRUST THAT FROM THESE MEETINGS WILL COME A NEW SENSE OF COMMUNITY IN THE NORTH ATLANTIC AREA.

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FIRST LEAD ACHESON (300)
BY PRESTON GROVER
PARIS, MAY 6-(AP)-A THREE-WALL DEFENSE AGAINST COMMUNIST ENCROACHMENTS IS TO BE STIFFENED BY WESTERN FOREIGN MINISTERS IN A SERIES OF MEETINGS BEGINNING HERE TOMORROW.
U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON IS FLYING FROM WASHINGTON TO ATTEND THE MEETINGS, WHICH WILL BE SHIFTED LATER IN THE WEEK TO LONDON.
A WELL INFORMED SOURCE TONIGHT OUTLINED THE PROGRAM THIS WAY:
1--AID WILL BE SHAPED FOR FRANCE IN THE INDOCHINA WAR.
2--THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY GROUP WILL ACT FOR THE FIRST TIME ON REPORTS OF ITS DEFENSE AND OTHER SUB-COMMITTEES.
3--THE WESTERN POWERS WILL REVIEW WHAT NEW STEPS CAN BE TAKEN TO KEEP GERMANY HEADED WEST, INSTEAD OF VEERING EAST.
THE INFORMANT SUGGESTED, HOWEVER, DRAMATIC DECISIONS SHOULD NOT BE EXPECTED FROM THE CONFERENCES, SAYING:
"KEEP IN MIND THAT MEETINGS OF THE WESTERN FOREIGN MINISTERS HAVE BEEN HELD ABOUT EVERY THREE OR FOUR MONTHS FOR SOME TIME. THEY MEET WHEN THERE IS ENOUGH TO JUSTIFY A MEETING."
AT THE SAME TIME HE SAID THE WESTERN POWERS RECOGNIZE THAT RUSSIA HAS HARDENED HER ATTITUDE ON ALL FRONTS AND COUNTER-HARDENING IS EXPECTABLE.
ONE CONCRETE THING SEEMED LIKELY TO EMERGE, THE FORMATION OF A STRONG BODY WITHIN THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY GROUP ABLE TO MEET MORE OFTEN THAN THE MINISTERS AND TO ACT FOR THEM IN BUILDING THE TREATY FORCE INTO A REAL DEFENSE AGAINST RUSSIA.
REPORTERS LEARNED THAT A MORE ACTIVE BODY, INCLUDING BIG NAMES FROM THE 12 TREATY NATIONS, IS WANTED. DEFENSE MUST BE COORDINATED WITH ECONOMICS AND ECONOMICS WITH ARMS PRODUCTION. REPORTS ON ALL THREE OF THESE MAJOR SUBJECTS HAVE BEEN LAID BEFORE THE ATLANTIC TREATY MINISTERS TO BE TAKEN UP AT THEIR LONDON MEETING.
THE FRENCH SEEK QUICK HELP FROM THE UNITED STATES IN THEIR WAR AGAINST THE COMMUNIST-LED GUERRILLAS IN INDOCHINA. ABOUT $15,000,000 HAS BEEN TICKETED FROM THE $75,000,000 WHICH PRESIDENT TRUMAN WAS AUTHORIZED TO SPEND IN MEETING THE COMMUNIST THREAT IN THE FAR EAST. MUCH OF THE BALANCE HAS BEEN SPENT OR ALLOCATED TO OTHER JOBS.
FRENCH COMMUNISTS CALLED TODAY FOR A "PEACE DEMONSTRATION" DURING ACHESON'S TWO-DAY VISIT TO THIS CITY.
FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN IS EXPECTED TO TELL ACHESON THAT FRANCE NEEDS PROMPT AND PLENTIFUL SUPPLIES OF GUNS TO WIN THE FOUR-YEAR OLD WAR AGAINST THE GUERRILLAS OF HO CHI MINH.
IF THE AID IS NOT SENT QUICKLY, FRENCH DIPLOMATS SAY, THERE IS DANGER THAT RUSSIAN-SUPPORTED SOUTHEAST ASIAN COMMUNIST FIGHTERS MAY SWEEP THROUGH ALL OF INDOCHINA AND IMPERIL BOTH THAILAND (SIAM) AND BURMA.
ACHESON IS TO CONFER IN PARIS ALSO WITH HIS TOP ADVISORS ON GERMANY. BUT THE ACHESON-SCHUMAN TALKS ARE EXPECTED TO STICK CLOSE TO THE WORSENING SITUATION IN SOUTHEAST ASIA.
THE UNITED STATES ALREADY HAS PROMISED SOME MILITARY AID TO INDOCHINA, BUT FRANCE SAYS IT IS BOTH TOO LITTLE AND TOO SLOW.
FRANCE HAS SOME 120,000 TROOPS, FROM HER REGULAR ARMY, COLONIAL DIVISIONS AND THE FAMED FOREIGN LEGION, FIGHTING THE GUERRILLAS IN THE JUNGLES AND RICE PADDIES. THE WAR COST IS ESTIMATED AT $500,000,000 A YEAR.
HO HAS RECENTLY BEEN GETTING HELP FROM RED CHINA ACROSS HIS NORTHERN BORDER, THE FRENCH SAY. RUSSIA AND OTHER COMMUNIST NATIONS HAVE RECOGNIZED HO'S JUNGLE REGIME AS THE GOVERNMENT OF VIETNAM, ONE OF THE THREE STATES OF INDOCHINA. FRANCE HAS INSTALLED FORMER EMPEROR BAO DAI AS CHIEF OF STATE AND PROMISED VIETNAM EVENTUAL INDEPENDENCE AS A MEMBER OF THE FRENCH UNION.
FRANCE MAY PROMISE TO SPEED UP THIS INDEPENDENCE FOR VIETNAM AND THE SISTER STATES OF LAOS AND CAMBODIA IN RETURN FOR SWIFTER MILITARY HELP.
COMMUNIST VICTORIES IN CHINA, FOLLOWED BY THE RECOGNITION OF HO BY SOVIET ORBIT, CHANGED THE WAR IN INDOCHINA FROM A COLONIAL SECURITY MEASURE TO A "WAR AGAINST COMMUNIST WORLD DOMINATION," A FOREIGN OFFICE INFORMANT SAID.
FRANCE ALSO WILL INSIST TO ACHESON THAT ALL MILITARY AID GIVEN FOR THE FIGHT BE CHANNELED THROUGH FRENCH HANDS RATHER THAN INDO-CHINESE.
"THIS IS NECESSARY" THE INFORMANT SAID, "BECAUSE IT IS STRATEGIC. IT WOULD BE A LOSS OF THE EQUIPMENT AND OF POSSIBLY THE FIGHT FOR THE AID TO GO DIRECTLY TO NATIVE TROOPS, UNTRAINED AND UNOFFICERED."

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(ADVANCE FOR PMS OF SATURDAY, MAY 6)
FOREIGN MINISTERS (560)
BY SYDNEY MIRKIN
(ADVANCE) LONDON, MAY 6-(AP)-THE BIG THREE TRY NEXT WEEK TO SKETCH A MASTER DESIGN AGAINST COMMUNIST AGGRESSION.
THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE WILL MEET IN LONDON. THE IDEAL OUTCOME, IT IS FELT HERE, WOULD BE A "WESTERN" FOREIGN POLICY TO REPLACE THOSE OF THE INDIVIDUAL NATIONS---BUT THAT DEGREE OF UNANIMITY IS NOT ALTOGETHER LIKELY.
PRELIMINARY TALKS IN LONDON IN THE PAST TWO WEEKS HAVE MADE IT PLAIN, HOWEVER, THAT THE THREE COUNTRIES FEEL THEY MUST MOVE CLOSER TOGETHER IF THEY ARE TO WIN THE COLD WAR.
A WESTERN SOURCE EXPRESSED THE VIEW THAT NO SPECTACULAR PROJECTS WOULD COME OUT OF THE MEETING OF DEAN ACHESON, ERNEST BEVIN AND ROBERT SCHUMAN. BUT POLICIES SET BY THE WESTERN ALLIES AS RECENTLY AS A YEAR AGO ARE OUTDATED. A NEW POLICY MUST BE SET IN MOTION.
THE WEST HAS WON VICTORIES IN GREECE AND IN THE GENERAL STRENGTHENING OF WESTERN EUROPE IN THE TWO AND ONE HALF YEARS SINCE THE MARSHALL PLAN WAS INAUGURATED.
BUT THE LOSS OF CHINA TO THE COMMUNISTS HAS AT LEAST COUNTER-BALANCED THOSE VICTORIES.
AND WESTERN OBSERVERS AGREE THAT RUSSIA IS DISPLAYING MORE CONFIDENCE IN DEALING WITH THE WEST THAN COULD BE OBSERVED A YEAR AGO.
THIS IN TURN HAS LED TO A FEELING EXPRESSED BY ACHESON IN RECENT SPEECHES AND ECHOED BY BRITISH DIPLOMATIC INFORMANTS-- THAT IT IS USELESS TO EVEN ATTEMPT NEGOTIATION OF THE COLD WAR UNTIL RUSSIA CAN BE SHOWN FURTHER AGGRESSION IS IMPOSSIBLE.
IN PREVIOUS BIG THREE SESSIONS, POLICIES WERE CHOSEN WITH ONE EAR COCKED FOR A RUSSIAN KNOCK AT THE DOOR AND THE VIEW THAT NO COURSE SHOULD BE CHOSEN WHICH MIGHT IRRITATE THE RUSSIANS.
THIS TIME A COURSE MAY BE SET TO LET THE RUSSIANS KNOW FIRMLY THAT THE WEST IS DETERMINED TO PROTECT ITS FREEDOM.
OPPONENTS OF THIS DEVELOPING POLICY DESCRIBE IT AS DIVIDING THE WORLD INTO TWO ARMED CAMPS AND SAY IT WILL MAKE A SHOOTING WAR INEVITABLE INSTEAD OF PREVENTING IT.
U.N. SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE MAY HAVE HAD THIS IN MIND WHEN HE SAID "A PERMANENT SPLIT OF THE WORLD INTO TWO CAMPS" COULD LEAD ONLY TO A THIRD WORLD WAR.
ACHESON IS SCHEDULED TO MEET WITH SCHUMAN IN PARIS MONDAY, AND COME TO LONDON TUESDAY FOR TALKS WITH BEVIN BEFORE THE THREE GET TOGETHER.
AMBASSADOR AT LARGE PHILIP C. JESSUP, WHO HAS BEEN THE TOP AMERICAN IN THE PRELIMINARY TALKS, WILL MEET ACHESON IN PARIS.

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BEVIN, WHO RECENTLY UNDERWENT AN OPERATION, LEFT THE HOSPITAL ONLY LAST THURSDAY BUT HE HAS BEEN KEPT INFORMED ABOUT THE INTERIM PROGRESS.

THE BROAD RANGE OF LIKELY DISCUSSIONS IS INDICATED BY THE LIST OF AMERICAN EXPERTS ARRIVING HERE.

ON ONE DAY THEY INCLUDED THE DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE FOR NEAR EASTERN, SOUTH ASIAN AND AFRICAN AFFAIRS, AND SPECIALISTS IN GERMAN ECONOMIC, WEST EUROPEAN, FAR EASTERN, BRITISH COMMONWEALTH AND UNITED NATIONS AFFAIRS.

AN INFORMED WESTERN SOURCE SAID IT WAS UNLIKELY GERMANY WOULD OBTAIN ANY NEW CONCESSIONS FROM THE CONFERENCE; THE OCCUPATION STATUTE UNDER WHICH THE POWERS OF THE WEST GERMAN FEDERAL REPUBLIC ARE OUTLINED WILL NOT BE REVISED BEFORE SEPTEMBER, WHEN IT IS DUE FOR REVIEW.

GREAT CONCERN IS SHOWN IN SOUTHEAST ASIA-- INDOCHINA, MALAYA AND BURMA-- AND THE PHILIPPINES AND INDONESIA.

THE COLLAPSE OF THE NATIONALISTS IN CHINA HAS GIVEN NEW EMPETUS TO COMMUNISTS THROUGHOUT THAT AREA. IT HAS GIVEN THEM A CHANCE TO EXPLOIT DISCONTENT AND DISORDER.

THE FRENCH WILL ASK FOR AMERICAN AID IN INDOCHINA. THEY LIKELY WILL GET IT IN SOME FORM, WESTERN SOURCES SAY.

THESE SOURCES DISCOUNTED THE IDEA THAT THE WEST MIGHT SIGN A SEPARATE PEACE WITH AUSTRIA, POINTING OUT THAT SUCH A MOVE WOULD TAKE WESTERN OCCUPATION FORCES OUT OF THE COUNTRY, WHILE LEAVING THE RUSSIANS THERE.

THE BIG THREE CONFERENCE WILL BE FOLLOWED BY A SESSION OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC COUNCIL, MADE UP OF THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS.

HERE, BOTH BRITAIN AND THE UNITED STATES WILL SEEK MORE FREQUENT MEETINGS ON A POLITICAL LEVEL AND POSSIBLY ASK FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF A PERMANENT OFFICE OR SECRETARIAT TO HANDLE PROBLEMS BETWEEN MEETINGS.

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WITH WASHINGTON (550)

BY WES GALLAGHER

FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 6-(AP)-BOTH BRITISH AND AMERICAN DELEGATIONS TO THE LONDON FOREIGN MINISTER'S MEETING WILL PRESENT PROPOSALS FOR RELAXING CONTROLS OVER GERMAN INTERNAL AFFAIRS, AUTHORITATIVE SOURCES SAID TODAY.

THERE IS A GROWING REALIZATION AMONG OCCUPATION OFFICIALS HERE THAT THE WESTERN ALLIES CAN EXERCISE VERY LITTLE CONTROL OVER THE BONN GOVERNMENT THEY CREATED, WITHOUT DESTROYING IT.

A CONSIDERABLE FACTION OF BOTH BRITISH AND AMERICAN DELEGATIONS BELIEVE THE WEST SHOULD GIVE UP THE CONTROLS IT CANNOT EXERCISE BEFORE IT IS FORCED TO DO SO UNDER UNFAVORABLE CONDITIONS.

THE FRENCH ARE EXPECTED TO BE THE MOST RELUCTANT TO MAKE ANY CHANGES IN THE POWERS OF THE OCCUPATION STATUTE. THERE ALSO ARE MINOR DISAGREEMENTS ON METHODS BETWEEN THE BRITISH AND AMERICANS, BUT NOT IN PRINCIPLE.

ALL THREE POWERS AGREE, HOWEVER, TO KEEP A TIGHT CONTROL ON MILITARY AND OTHER SECURITY MATTERS.

THE SITUATION IS SIMPLY THIS:

THE WEST CREATED THE BONN GOVERNMENT AS A BULWARK AGAINST RUSSIA AND TO START THE GERMANS BACK INTO THE FAMILY OF EUROPEAN NATIONS.

IF THEY DESTROY THIS GOVERNMENT, CONDITIONS IN GERMANY WILL FALL BACK TO THE CHAOTIC POSTWAR DAYS AND PERHAPS WORSE. THIS CANNOT BE ALLOWED TO HAPPEN WITHOUT A DISASTER FOR THE WEST IN THE COLD WAR.

MEANWHILE, THE GREATEST POLITICAL DANGER TO THE BONN GOVERNMENT IS TO BECOME LABELED AS AN OCCUPATION PUPPET REGIME.

THEREFORE, BONN POLITICIANS STRONGLY RESENT AND PROTEST ANY INTERFERENCE IN THEIR GOVERNING OF WEST GERMANY.

FOR POLITICAL SURVIVAL THEY MUST FIGHT ANY ALLIED VETO OF GERMAN LAW. THEY KNOW IN A SHOWDOWN THAT THE WEST CANNOT AFFORD TO BREAK THE BONN GOVERNMENT OVER AN INTERNAL GERMAN ISSUE.

THIS BECAME APPARENT WHEN THE WEST VETOED A GERMAN TAX BILL AND SERVICE BILL. THE UPROAR FROM POLITICIANS AND THE GERMAN PRESS CREATED AN IMMEDIATE CRISIS. A FACE-SAVING COMPROMISE WAS FOUND ON THE TAX BILL AND ONE IS BEING FOUND ON THE CIVIL SERVICE BILL.

THE BRITISH AND AMERICANS FEEL THAT THE MORE CONTROLS EXERCISED OVER THE BONN GOVERNMENT THE MORE CHANCES OF CREATING A CRISIS WHICH WOULD BRING ITS DOWNFALL.

INFLUENTIAL OCCUPATION OFFICIALS THEREFORE FAVOR A LESSENING OF CONTROLS AND A TIGHTER GRIP ON THOSE REMAINING--LARGELY THOSE OF SECURITY.

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THIS TREND WOULD REDUCE THE OCCUPATION TO AN AMBASSADOR STATUS, DIPLOMATICALLY, PLUS A TIGHT MILITARY SECURITY BOARD CONTROL.

THERE ARE SOME DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE BRITISH AND AMERICANS ON THE METHODS OF LESSENING THESE CONTROLS. GENERALLY THE BRITISH WANT TO KEEP MORE RESTRICTIONS ON INDUSTRY THAN THE UNITED STATES DOES.

THE UNITED STATES WANTS TO KEEP TIGHTER CONTROL ON THE DEMOCRATIZATION PROGRAM, WHICH INCLUDES DENAZIFICATION. THESE DIFFERENCES, HOWEVER, ARE NOT EXPECTED TO BE SERIOUS STUMBLING BLOCKS.

THE UNITED STATES FEELS LESSENING RESTRICTIONS ON GERMAN INDUSTRY WOULD LESSEN THE BURDEN OF THE AMERICAN TAXPAYER. THE BRITISH, COMPETING AGAINST MANY GERMAN PRODUCTS, ARE LESS ENTHUSIASTIC ABOUT GIVING GERMANY A FREE ECONOMIC HAND.

THE AMERICANS ARE DISSATISFIED WITH DENAZIFICATION TRIALS AND ARE OUTSPOKEN IN THEIR CRITICISM. THE BRITISH FEEL THAT THE TIME IS PAST WHERE THE WEST CAN INTERFERE EFFECTIVELY IN THIS FIELD SINCE IT IS ALL IN GERMAN HANDS AND ANY ALLIED ORDER CAN BE NULLIFIED BY GERMAN EXECUTION, WITH A LOSS OF PRESTIGE TO THE OCCUPATION POWERS.

BOTH UNITED STATES AND BRITISH OFFICIALS IN THE OCCUPATION PRIVATELY SAY GERMANY SHOULD BE GIVEN MORE CONTROL OVER ITS FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND A FULL-FLEDGED PARTNERSHIP IN WESTERN EUROPE.

THE FRENCH, ON THE OTHER SIDE, FEEL GERMANY MUST PROVE HERSELF BEFORE

A FULL-FLEDGED PARTNERSHIP IN WESTERN EUROPE.
THE FRENCH, ON THE OTHER SIDE, FEEL GERMANY MUST PROVE HERSELF BEFORE BECOMING A FULL EUROPEAN PARTNER AND TIGHT CONTROLS SHOULD BE KEPT OVER HER IN ALL FIELDS.
IT IS CONSIDERED UNLIKELY ANY CONCRETE DECISIONS WILL BE REACHED AT LONDON ON THESE SUBJECTS BUT THEY WILL COME UNDER DISCUSSION WITH COMMITTEES BEING SET UP TO MAKE DEFINITE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR A LATER CONFERENCE.
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A90 (260)
ROME, MAY 6-(AP)-ITALIAN FOREIGN MINISTER CARLO SFORZA PERSONALLY WILL PUT THE TRIESTE PROBLEM BEFORE THE BIG THREE AT THE FORTHCOMING LONDON CONFERENCE OF WESTERN FOREIGN MINISTERS, IT WAS RELIABLY REPORTED TODAY.
ITALY DEMANDS THE EVENTUAL RETURN OF THE ENTIRE TRIESTE TERRITORY NOW SPLIT INTO ANGLO-AMERICAN AND YUGOSLAV OCCUPATION ZONES. RECENT ELECTIONS IN THE YUGOSLAV ZONE BROUGHT CHARGES IN THE ITALIAN PRESS THAT THE BELGRADE GOVERNMENT WAS PREPARING FOR THE EVENTUAL ANNEXATION OF ITS ZONE.
THE ITALIAN CASE TO BE PRESENTED THE BRITISH, FRENCH AND AMERICAN FOREIGN SECRETARIES WAS CONSIDERED AT LENGTH DURING PREMIER ALCIDE DE GASPERI'S CABINET MEETING YESTERDAY.
NO OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT ON THE CABINET TALKS WAS MADE. HOWEVER, IL POPOLO, ORGAN OF DE GASPERI'S MAJORITY CHRISTIAN DEMOCRAT PARTY, SAID "IT WAS CERTAIN SFORZA WOULD TAKE ADVANTAGE OF HIS TRIP TO LONDON TO INTEREST" THE BIG THREE MINISTERS IN THE PROBLEM.
THE NEWSPAPER DENIED PUBLISHED REPORTS THE DE GASPERI GOVERNMENT WAS PREPARING A "GREEN BOOK" ON THE TRIESTE QUESTION. INSTEAD, SAID IL POPOLO, A DOCUMENTATION OF "ARBITRARY ACTS" AGAINST ITALIANS IN THE YUGOSLAV ZONE ELECTIONS RECENTLY HAS BEEN COMPILED FOR TRANSMISSION TO INTERESTED GOVERNMENTS. OTHER REPORTS HAD SAID THIS DOCUMENTATION WOULD BE THE BASIS OF NOTES TO BRITAIN, FRANCE, THE UNITED STATES AND RUSSIA.
THE WESTERN ALLIES IN 1948 PROPOSED THAT TRIESTE, WHICH IS SCHEDULED TO BE MADE INTO A FREE TERRITORY, BE HANDED OVER TO ITALY. RUSSIA VETOED THE IDEA.
DESPITE CONTINUED ITALIAN AND YUGOSLAV DEMANDS FOR POSSESSION OF THE TERRITORY, BOTH DE GASPERI AND MARSHAL TITO HAVE RECENTLY DECLARED THAT THE WAY WAS OPEN FOR DIRECT NEGOTIATIONS FOR A FINAL SETTLEMENT.
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(380) ATOMIC SPIES

BY JACK BELL Q12 WX
WASHINGTON, MAY 6-(AP)-THREE SENATORS ASSAILED GREAT BRITAIN TODAY FOR WITHHOLDING FULL COOPERATION FROM THE UNITED STATES IN THE KLAUS FUCHS ATOMIC SPYING CASE.
SENATOR EDWIN C.JOHNSON (D-COLO), A MEMBER OF THE SENATE-HOUSE ATOMIC COMMITTEE, TOLD A REPORTER HE IS SHOCKED AT REPORTS THAT BRITAIN HAS AGREED TO GIVE THE FBI ONLY LIMITED OPPORTUNITY TO QUESTION FUCHS, CONVICTED OF PASSING ATOMIC SECRETS ALONG TO SOVIET AGENTS.
SENATORS BRIDGES (R-NH) AND FERGUSON (R-MICH) SAID INFORMATION THE FBI MIGHT GET FROM FUCHS MAY BE VITAL TO DEFENSE PLANS UNDER THE NORTH ATLANTIC PACT AND OUGHT NOT TO BE DENIED THIS COUNTRY.
THERE HAS BEEN NO OFFICIAL STATEMENT BUT RELIABLE REPORTS ARE THAT THE BRITISH INSIST ON FIXING CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH FBI AGENTS CAN TALK TO FUCHS--AN ARRANGEMENT THE FBI IS SAID TO REGARD AS INADEQUATE IF IT IS TO GET AT THE BOTTOM OF THE ATOMIC SPYING SYSTEM.
A SENATOR WHO ASKED THAT HIS NAME NOT BE USED PUBLICLY SAID EVEN THESE UNSATISFACTORY ARRANGEMENTS WERE NOT AGREED TO BY THE BRITISH EXCEPT UNDER PRESSURE EXERTED BY HIGH AMERICAN OFFICIALS.
JOHNSON SAID HE THINKS THIS AMOUNTS TO "VERY SHABBY TREATMENT OF THE SECURITY PROBLEM" BY THE BRITISH, ADDING:
"THEY OUGHT TO GIVE US FULL AND COMPLETE COOPERATION SO THAT THE WHOLE CASE CAN BE FULLY EXPLORED AND SO THAT ANY AIDES OR ASSISTANTS OF FUCHS IN THIS COUNTRY CAN BE UNEARTHED."
FERGUSON NOTED IN A SEPARATE INTERVIEW THAT THE INFORMATION FUCHS ADMITTED GIVING THE RUSSIANS CAME FROM THIS COUNTRY, WHERE THE BRITISH SCIENTIST WORKED IN THE ATOMIC PROJECT DURING THE WAR.
OBSERVING THAT THE UNITED STATES IS WORKING NOW WITH BRITAIN ON JOINT DEFENSE PLANS FOR THE NORTH ATLANTIC COMMUNITY, FERGUSON SAID THAT HE REGARDS INFORMATION FUCHS MAY BE ABLE TO GIVE ON HIS ASSOCIATES AS "VITAL TO THE WEAKNESSES IN OUR DEFENSE PLANS."
IF THE BRITISH REFUSE TO COOPERATE FULLY IN THIS CASE, FERGUSON SAID, THE ISSUE IS LIKELY TO BE BROACHED WHEN CONGRESS IS ASKED TO CONSIDER A SECOND YEAR'S APPROPRIATION FOR FOREIGN ARMS AID.
BRIDGES, A MEMBER OF THE SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE ALONG WITH FERGUSON, TOLD A REPORTER THAT THE DEVELOPMENT MAY WARRANT RECALLING FBI DIRECTOR J.EDGAR HOOVER FOR TESTIMONY ON THE SITUATION. HOOVER FIRST REVEALED TO AN APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE HOW HIS AGENTS BROKE THE FUCHS CASE.
BRIDGES SAID HE CAN'T GUESS WHETHER ANY FURTHER ARRESTS ARE IN SIGHT IN THE ATOMIC SPYING INVESTIGATION. BUT HE SAID IT STANDS TO REASON THAT IF THE FBI COULD LEARN FROM FUCHS THE IDENTITIES OF PERSONS TO WHOM HE PASSED ALONG INFORMATION, SOME OTHERS WOULD WIND UP IN JAIL.
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WITH WASHINGTON-FUCHS (260)
LONDON, MAY 6-(AP)-A SCOTLAND YARD AGENT WILL STAND BY WHEN FBI AGENTS QUESTION ATOM SPY DR.KLAUS FUCHS ABOUT RUSSIAN ESPIONAGE IN AMERICA.
RESPONSIBLE SOURCES SAID TODAY BRITAIN IMPOSED THIS CONDITION IN GRANTING AN AMERICAN REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO INTERVIEW FUCHS IN PRISON.
BRITAIN WAS REPORTED RELUCTANT AT FIRST TO GRANT THE REQUEST BUT LATER ACCEDED, WITH CONDITIONS, BECAUSE OF THE "EXCEPTIONAL CIRCUMSTANCES" OF THE CASE. INFORMANTS DECLINED TO DISCUSS ANY OF THE OTHER CONDITIONS.
FUCHS WAS SENTENCED LAST MARCH TO 14 YEARS IN PRISON FOR DISCLOSING BRITISH-AMERICAN ATOMIC SECRETS TO THE RUSSIANS. HE CONTACTED SOVIET AGENTS HERE AND IN NEW YORK CITY AND BOSTON WHILE EMPLOYED AS A PHYSICIST BY THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT.
THE HOME OFFICE HAS REFUSED TO DISCLOSE HIS PLACE OF DETENTION.
RESPONSIBLE SOURCES SAID THEY PRESUMED SPECIAL FBI AGENTS WOULD BE SENT OVER FROM WASHINGTON. THERE WAS NO INDICATION AS TO WHEN.
MISS IRENE WARD, CONSERVATIVE LEGISLATOR FOR TYNEMOUTH, SERVED NOTICE TODAY SHE WILL ASK PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS ON THURSDAY:
"WHETHER HE CAN GIVE AN ASSURANCE THAT STEPS HAVE BEEN TAKEN TO

INSURE THAT THE SPY OPERATIONS OF THE FOUR NAMES, OTHER THAN DR.FUCHS, SENT BY THE CANADIAN AUTHORITIES, HAVE CEASED?

"WHY ACTION WAS NOT TAKEN TO REMOVE DR.FUCHS FROM HIS POSITION IN ATOMIC RESEARCH FOLLOWING THE NOTIFICATION OF HIS NAME AS A SPY BY THE CANADIAN AUTHORITIES?"

LESTER PEARSON, CANADA'S MINISTER FOR EXTERNAL AFFAIRS, TOLD A CANADIAN HOUSE OF COMMONS COMMITTEE MAY 1 THAT THE NAME OF DR. FUCHS WAS ONE OF FIVE GIVEN TO BRITAIN IN 1946 AS A RESULT OF CANADA'S ATOMIC SPY CASE.

MJ1008AED

A89 (330)

MOSCOW, MAY 6-(AP)-THE ~~SOVIET GOVERNMENT~~ Communist Party NEWSPAPER PRAVDA CHARGED WESTERN ALLIED COMMANDERS IN BERLIN TODAY WITH PLUNDERING THE DIVIDED CITY AND USING SEALED MILITARY TRAINS FOR WIDE-SCALE SMUGGLING.

(THE PRAVDA CHARGE APPEARED TO BE PART OF A NEW COORDINATED ANTI-WESTERN CAMPAIGN. IT COINCIDED WITH SIMILAR CHARGES YESTERDAY BY THE SOVIET-LICENSED EAST GERMAN NEWS AGENCY ADN, WHICH REPORTED THE COMMUNIST-LED EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT HAD ASKED SOVIET AUTHORITIES FOR PERMISSION TO INSPECT ~~ALLIED~~ Western MILITARY TRAINS PASSING THROUGH THE RUSSIAN ZONE.)

AN ARTICLE FROM PRAVDA'S BERLIN CORRESPONDENT CHARGED AMERICAN AUTHORITIES ARE ENCOURAGING THE PLUNDERING OF SCRAP METALS AND DAILY SHIPPING THEM TO THE WEST.

THE NEWSPAPER SAID THE PLUNDERING HAD BEEN GOING ON AT AN EVER-INCREASING TEMPO--UNDER THE DIRECTION OF THE WESTERN POWERS--SINCE AN AGREEMENT BY THE FOUR ALLIED POWERS LAST YEAR TO LIFT TRANSPORT RESTRICTIONS.

THE CORRESPONDENT REPORTED THAT ABUSES AND VIOLATIONS OF THE INTERZONAL TRADE RULES BY THE WESTERN POWERS HAD "AROUSED THE JUST INDIGNATION OF THE GERMAN DEMOCRATIC PUBLIC X X X."

THE AMERICAN SIDE OF THE BERLIN ZONAL BOUNDARIES, SAID THE ARTICLE, ARE LINED WITH PURCHASE POINTS FOR SCRAP NON-FERROUS METALS. THE REPORT CHARGED THAT VALUABLE ELECTRIC CABLES, STATUARY AND PIPING HAD BEEN DESTROYED FOR SCRAP.

(UNDER THE FOUR-POWER AGREEMENT, ALLIED FREIGHT SHIPMENTS ARE EXEMPT FROM EVEN RUSSIAN INSPECTION. BRITISH AND AMERICAN OFFICIALS SAY THE SMUGGLING CHARGES ARE FALSE.

(THE RUSSIANS IN RECENT MONTHS HAVE HELD UP WEST-BOUND TRAINS, ONE A BRITISH MILITARY SHIPMENT, FOR VARYING PERIODS. THE SOVIETS ALSO HAVE CHARGED PREVIOUSLY THE WESTERN ALLIES WERE SPONSORING LARGE-SCALE SCRAP METAL SMUGGLING FROM EASTERN GERMANY, WHICH IS SHORT OF NON-FERROUS METALS.

(AMERICAN AUTHORITIES IN TURN HAVE ACCUSED THE RUSSIANS WITH FOSTERING SMUGGLING AND BLACK MARKET GANGS IN EAST GERMANY WITH THE AIM OF WRECKING THE ECONOMY OF WEST BERLIN AND WEST GERMANY.

(COMMUNIST SPOKESMEN IN BERLIN SAID YESTERDAY THE SOVIET CONTROL COMMISSION IS EXPECTED TO GRANT EAST GERMANS AUTHORITY TO INSPECT THE MILITARY TRAINS PASSING THROUGH THE RUSSIAN ZONE. ALLIED OFFICIALS SAID THEY WOULD NOT RECOGNIZE SUCH AUTHORITY.)

RW823AED

A15

NIGHT LEAD GERMAN (400)

BY RICHARD KASISCHKE

BERLIN, MAY 6-(AP)-BERLIN BUZZED WITH REPORTS TONIGHT THAT THE RUSSIANS ARE PREPARING SOME DRAMATIC NEW STEP IN THEIR GERMAN POLICY.

THESE REPORTS, NONE CONFIRMED, HINTED THE KREMLIN MIGHT BE AIMING TO BEAT THE WESTERN POWERS TO THE PUNCH ON SOME SUCH ACTION AS EASING OCCUPATIONAL CONTROLS, A MOVE WHICH WOULD BE POPULAR WITH THE GERMANS.

OTHER SPECULATION WAS THAT MOSCOW MIGHT MOVE TO TIE SOVIET-CONTROLLED EAST GERMANY INTO ITS RING OF COMINFORM SATELLITES IN ANTICIPATION OF WEST GERMANY'S GOING INTO THE WESTERN EUROPEAN COUNCIL; REDUCE OCCUPATION FORCES OR WRITE A SEPARATE PEACE TREATY FOR EAST GERMANY.

THE OUTRAGED GERMAN REACTION TO THE RUSSIAN ANNOUNCEMENT THIS WEEK THAT THE REPATRIATION OF GERMAN PRISONERS OF WAR IS ENDED SUGGESTED THE KREMLIN HAS A PROPAGANDA PROBLEM ON ITS HANDS. HOPE FOR THE RETURN OF MISSING HUSBANDS, BROTHERS AND SONS WAS KILLED IN THOUSANDS OF GERMAN FAMILIES.

THE WEST BERLIN PRESS SAID THE THREE TOP MEN IN EAST GERMANY'S COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT HAD BEEN SUMMONED TO MOSCOW TO RECEIVE "IMPORTANT NEW DECISIONS" ON GERMAN POLICY FROM THE POLITBURO, THE RULING ORGAN OF RUSSIA'S COMMUNIST PARTY.

THE USUALLY RELIABLE WEST BERLIN NEWSPAPER DER KURIER SAID CHANCELLOR OTTO GROTEWOHL AND HIS DEPUTY, COMMUNIST STRONGMAN WALTER ULBRICHT, WERE FLOWN SECRETLY TO MOSCOW WEDNESDAY AND THERE JOINED EAST GERMAN PRESIDENT WILHELM PIECK, ALREADY IN RUSSIA ON WHAT WAS CALLED A "CONVALESCENT LEAVE."

SUCH A MEETING WOULD PROVIDE AN OPPORTUNITY TO CONSIDER FROM THE EASTERN VIEWPOINT THE GERMAN PROBLEMS THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE ARE TO DISCUSS IN LONDON NEXT WEEK.

PRESS SPOKESMEN FOR THE EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENTT REFUSED TO CONFIRM THE REPORTED MISSIONS TO MOSCOW.

HOWEVER, THEY DID TELL REPORTERS TO COME OUT MONDAY TO EAST GERMANY'S CELEBRATION OF THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF "LIBERATION BY THE SOVIET ARMY" TO SEE THE GOVERNMENT CHIEFS, THIS LED TO SPECULATION THAT GROTEWOHL AND COMPANY MIGHT HAVE SOMETHING TO ANNOUNCE THEN.

IF THE KREMLIN HAD SOMETHING UP ITS SLEEVE, MONDAY WOULD BE A GOOD DAY TO SPRING IT, IN THE VIEW OF INFORMED WESTERN OBSERVERS.

THE EAST GERMAN COMMUNISTS HAVE BEEN PROMOTING "LIBERATION DAY" --VE DAY TO THE WESTERN WORLD--IN A BIG WAY. IT HAS BEEN DECLARED AN OFFICIAL HOLIDAY IN EAST GERMANY AND EAST BERLIN.

THE PRONOUNCED PURPOSES OF THE CELEBRATION ARE TO "THANK THE SOVIET ARMY FOR LIBERATION" RALLY BEHIND THE COMMUNIST-CONTROLLED NATIONAL FRONT AND INTENSIFY THE FIGHT AGAINST THE WESTERN "IMPERIALIST WARMONGERS."

SLOGANS ADOPTED FOR THE CELEBRATION INCLUDE ONE HAILING STALIN AS "THE BEST FRIEND OF THE GERMAN PEOPLE."

DY509PES

A93

BERLIN, MAY 6-(AP)-ROCKED BY THE OUTRAGED GERMAN REACTION TO RUSSIA'S CLAIM THAT ALL GERMAN PRISONERS OF WAR HAVE BEEN REPATRIATED THE COMMUNISTS LAUNCHED A FURIOUS COUNTEROFFENSIVE TODAY.

THE RUSSIAN-CONTROLLED PRESS AND RADIO DENNOUNCED AS "POISONOUS LIES" GERMAN AND ALLIED CHARGES THAT HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF GERMANS STILL WERE BEING HELD IN THE SOVIET UNION.

THE COMMUNISTS REITERATED OLD CHARGES THAT THE UNITED STATES

WAS WITHHOLDING CAPTURED RECORDS OF GERMAN ARMY WAR DEAD IN ORDER TO GIVE THE IMPRESSION THOUSANDS OF GERMANS STILL WERE ALIVE IN RUSSIA.

THESE CHARGES HAVE BEEN DENIED BY THE WESTERN POWERS AS "COMMUNIST CALUMNIES."

MT839AED

A19

(110)

VIENNA, AUSTRAIA, MAY 6-(AP)-THERE IS GROWING CONCERN IN THIS COUNTRY OVER 5,000 AUSTRIAN PRISONERS-OF-WAR THE GOVERNMENT SAYS ARE STILL BEING HELD IN RUSSIA.

SOURCES AT THE INTERIOR MINISTRY REPORT THAT NO MAIL HAS BEEN RECEIVED FROM ANY OF THEM SINCE LAST OCTOBER. PRIOR TO THAT TIME RELATIVES HERE HAD RECEIVED LETTERS AT REGULAR INTERVALS.

THE RUSSIANS SAID THIS WEEK THAT ALL GERMAN PRISONERS HAD BEEN REPATRIATED.

THE RUSSIAN CLAIM THAT GERMAN REPATRIATION HAD BEEN COMPLETED HAS CAUSED MUCH ANXIETY HERE. EARLY IN 1948 THE RUSSIANS PROMISED THE AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT THAT ALL AUSTRIAN PRISONERS WOULD BE RETURNED BEFORE THE END OF THAT YEAR. A SIMILAR PROMISE WAS MADE IN 1949. THE LAST GROUP OF REPATRIATES, WHO RETURNED IN NOVEMBER, TOTALED 315, INCLUDING 118 WOMEN.

DY528PED

A74

LONDON, MAY 6-(AP)-FORMER JAPANESE PRISONERS OF WAR HAVE SENT SOVIET PRIME MINISTER JOSEPH STALIN PLEDGES OF ETERNAL FRIENDSHIP TO RUSSIA--ALL EMBROIDERED ON A HUGE PIECE OF SILK ACCORDING TO MOSCOW RADIO.

THE BROADCAST SAID A 26-YARD-LONG BANNER CARRIED THE SIGNATURES OF 66,434 EX-PRISONERS, A LETTER OF 14,000 JAPANESE CHARACTERS AND A WOODCUT PRINT OF A GROUP OF STANDARD BEARERS.

MAINTAINING THAT IT WAS WHILE THEY WERE INTERNED IN RUSSIA THAT THEY FIRST "BECAME SPIRITUALLY FREE AND CAME TO KNOW THE TRUTH" THE PRISONERS, ACCORDING TO THE BROADCAST, WROTE:

"WE VOW THAT NEITHER THE AMERICAN IMPERIALISTS NOR THE JAPANESE MILITARISTS WILL EVER SUCCEED IN TURNING US AGAIN INTO THEIR SUBMISSIVE SOLDIERS, EXECUTING THEIR CRIMINAL SCHEMES."

JB727AED

A124

BADEN BADEN,GERMANY,MAY 6-(AP)-A DAUGHTER OF FORMER FIELD MARSHAL FRIEDERICH VON PAULUS, GERMAN COMMANDER AT STALINGRAD, REPORTED TODAY THAT COMMUNICATIONS FROM HER FATHER SAID HE STILL WAS A PRISONER OF THE RUSSIANS AS RECENTLY AS APRIL 17.

THE SOVIET NEWS AGENCY, TASS, SAID YESTERDAY ALL GERMAN WAR PRISONERS HAVE BEEN RETURNED EXCEPT for 9,717 men condemned for serious WAR CRIMES, 3,815 STILL UNDER INVESTIGATION FOR ALLEGED WAR CRIMES AND 14 HELD TEMPORARILY FOR TREATMENT OF ILLNESSES. THE SOVIET UNION NEVER HAS INDICATED THAT VON PAULUS WAS IN ANY OF THESE CLASSIFICATIONS.

THE FIELD MARSHAL'S DAUGHTER, FRAU OLGA VON KATSCHENENBACH, SAID SHE RECEIVED A POST CARD FROM HIM THREE DAYS AGO WHICH SAID HE WAS "STILL" IN PRISON CAMP NO. 7027, NEAR MOSCOW. THE CARD WAS DATED APRIL 17.

IT SAID HE WAS "SITTING HERE DAY BY DAY AND WEEK BY WEEK, WAITING TO BE SENT HOME."

AT VIERSEN, VON PAULUS' SON, ERNST, SAID HE HAD RECEIVED A CARD FROM HIS FATHER EIGHT DAYS AGO EXPRESSING THE HOPE HE WOULD SOON BE RELEASED FROM RUSSIAN CAPTIVITY.

MJ1021AED

A92

(150)

BERLIN, MAY 6-(AP)-THE WEST BERLIN NEWSPAPER KURIER SAID TODAY THE TOP MEN OF SOVIET EAST GERMANY'S COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT HAVE BEEN FLOWN TO MOSCOW TO RECEIVE "IMPORTANT NEW DECISIONS" FROM THE KREMLIN.

THESE ACTIONS, THE PAPER SAID, MIGHT BE AIMED AT ANTICIPATING WESTERN ALLIED DIPLOMATIC MOVES WHICH MIGHT COME OUT OF THE MEETING NEXT WEEK OF THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE U.S., BRITAIN AND FRANCE IN LONDON TO DISCUSS THE GERMANY PROBLEM, INCLUDING REDUCTION OF OCCUPATION CONTROLS.

SOME SOURCES HERE ALSO SPECULATED THAT SOME SPECIAL MOSCOW PRONOUNCEMENT MIGHT EVEN BE DELIVERED AS EARLY AS MONDAY, WHICH THE COMMUNISTS IN EAST GERMANY ARE CELEBRATING AS THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF GERMANY'S "LIBERATION BY THE SOVIET ARMY."

THE KURIER SAID EAST GERMAN PRIME MINISTER OTTO GROTEWOHL AND DEPUTY PREMIER WALTER ULBRICHT WERE SECRETLY FLOWN FROM BERLIN BY SPECIAL PLANE. EAST GERMAN PRESIDENT WILHELM PIECK ALREADY IS IN RUSSIA ON A HOLIDAY AND HE ALSO HAS BEEN SUMMONED TO MOSCOW, THE PAPER ADDED.

MT835AED

A79

ROME, MAY 6-(AP)-TWO FLASHING OBJECTS HIGH OVER ROME'S CENTRAL PIAZZA COLONNA BROUGHT CRIES OF "FLYING SAUCERS" FROM GATHERING CROWDS AND TIED UP TRAFFIC TODAY.

HUNDREDS OF PERSONS ON THEIR WAY TO WORK STOPPED TO WATCH THEM.

THE TWO OBJECTS OVER PALAZZO CHIGI--THE FOREIGN MINISTRY--APPEARED TO BE A MILE OR MORE HIGH AND, AT THAT DISTANCE, STOVE-LID SIZE.

THEY MOVED SLOWLY BUT APPEARED TO BE REVOLVING ON AN AXIS AND FLASHING AT REGULAR INTERVALS, LIKE A REVOLVING MIRROR IN THE SUN OR A MINIATURE AIR BEACON.

JB747AED

A81

(290)

NUERNBERG, GERMANY, MAY 6-(AP)-AUTHORITIES TOLD TODAY HOW A PRETTY GERMAN GIRL ATTEMPTED TO OBTAIN AMERICAN MILITARY SECRETS TO SELL TO THE RUSSIANS.

THE GIRL, WANDA WOLLNER, 22, WAS SENTENCED THIS WEEK TO 18 MONTHS IN JAIL BY AN AMERICAN DISTRICT COURT AT ANSBACH ON AN ESPIONAGE CHARGE.

SHE WAS TRAPPED BY AN AMERICAN AIR FORCE SERGEANT FROM WHOM SHE TRIED TO OBTAIN A MAP OF THE U.S. ARMY TRAINING GROUND AT GRAFENWOEHR.

AMERICAN MILITARY OFFICIALS SAID THEY WERE CONVINCED THE GIRL WAS NOT EMPLOYED BY THE RUSSIANS BUT HOPED TO "MAKE A FEW HUNDRED DEUTSCHE-MARKS FOR HERSELF" BY SELLING SECRETS TO THEM.

THEY SAID THE GIRL APPROACHED THE AIR FORCE SERGEANT AND OFFERED HIM 400 DEUTSCHEMARKS (ABOUT $100) IF HE WOULD GIVE HER A MAP OF THE TRAINING GROUND.

THE SERGEANT MADE HER BELIEVE HE WOULD COMPLY, BUT TIPPED OFF AUTHORITIES. SHE WAS TRAPPED AS HE GAVE HER TWO FORGED MAPS.

OFFICIALS SAID SHE FIRST CLAIMED THAT SHE WAS WORKING FOR A RUSSIAN CAPTAIN. LATER SHE ADMITTED THAT THE IDEA WAS HER OWN AND THAT SHE INTENDED TO TAKE THE MAPS TO THE SOVIET ZONE IN HOPES OF INTERESTING THE RUSSIANS IN THEM.

THEY SAID SHE DID NOT HAVE THE PROMISED 400 DEUTSCHEMARKS FOR THE MAPS WHEN SHE WAS ARRESTED, WHICH ADDED TO THE CONCLUSION SHE WAS WORKING WITHOUT RUSSIAN AID. THE AIR FORCE IDENTIFIED THE MAN WHO BROKE UP HER ESPIONAGE PLAN AS SGT. REID A. PREBBLE OF LYNCHBURG, VA.

JB755AED

B82 (Q)

BERLIN, MAY 6-(AP)-A PURGE IN BULGARIA'S COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT RESULTED IN THE FIRING OF ONE HIGH OFFICIAL IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND SEVERE REPRIMANDS FOR TWO OTHERS, THE SOVIET-CONTROLLED GERMAN NEWS AGENCY ADN REPORTED TODAY.

THE DISPATCH INDICATED THE GOVERNMENT HAD ENCOUNTERED RESISTANCE FROM THE PEASANTS IN ITS PROGRAM OF COLLECTIVIZING AGRICULTURE AND WAS ADOPTING A CHANGE OF TACTICS WHICH SACRIFICED THE OFFICIALS RESPONSIBLE.

ADN SAID THE BULGARIAN MINISTERIAL COUNCIL HAD FIRED THE DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURE PRODUCTION COOPERATIVES (COLLECTIVES), AN OFFICIAL NAMED MINKOV. REPRIMANDS WERE DEALT TO MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE CHERNOKOLEV AND HIS DEPUTY, VELKOV.

THEY WERE ACCUSED OF "USING FORCE" TO MAKE PEASANTS JOIN THE COLLECTIVES. DECREES WHICH THEY HAD ISSUED WERE ABOLISHED.

BULGARIA'S ECONOMY IS MORE THAN 80 PER CENT AGRICULTURAL. ITS PEASANTS HAVE LONG BEEN KNOWN FOR THEIR INDEPENDENT SPIRIT.

JB1259PED

A100

FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 6-(AP)-FORTY-FOUR MEMBERS OF THE DETROIT CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ARRIVED HERE TODAY FOR CONFERENCES WITH GERMAN BUSINESSMEN. THEY CAME BY AIR FROM ZURICH, SWITZERLAND.

MT9AED

A120

FRANKFURT,GERMANY,MAY 6-(AP)-THE WEST GERMAN PRESS PRINTED WITHOUT COMMENT TODAY THE NEWS THAT A HAMBURG SOCCER TEAM HAD BEEN PELTED WITH TOMATOES IN NEW YORK YESTERDAY.

SAMPLE HEADLINES WERE: "HSV (HAMBURGER SVORTVEREIN) RECEIVED WITH TOMATOES" IN THE RHEINISCHE ECHO OF COLOGNE, AND "DEMONSTRATION AGAINST HSV" IN DIE WELT, PRINTED IN ESSEN. MOST PAPERS PRINTED THE STORY ON THE INSIDE PAGES AND SOME OMITTED IT ENTIRELY.

THE U.S. HIGH COMMISSION'S GERMAN LANGUAGE NEWSPAPER, DIE NEUE ZEITUNG, WAS ONE OF THE FEW TO PRINT IT ON PAGE ONE.

THE SOVIET-CONTROLLED DER MORGEN IN BERLIN LABELED THE STORY "UNSPORTSMANLIKE RECEPTION OF HSV IN NEW YORK--PELTED WITH ROTTEN TOMATOES--ZIONIST DEMONSTRATORS."

MJ1013AED

A12

MADRID, SPAIN, MAY 6-(AP)-SPAIN AND LEBANON SIGNED A GOOD NEIGHBOR PACT TODAY WITH A PROVISION TO ARBITRATE ANY DISPUTES WHICH MIGHT ARISE BETWEEN THE TWO NATIONS.

G451PED

A11

PALMA, MALLORCA, MAY 6-(AP)-THE CRUISER NEWPORT NEWS AND THREE DESTROYERS OF THE UNITED STATES MEDITERRANEAN FLEET ARRIVED HERE FROM NICE TODAY. IT WAS THE FIRST AMERICAN NAVAL VISIT TO THIS SPANISH ISLAND IN 27 YEARS.

G451PED

A54

LONDON, MAY 6-(AP)-AN ALBANIAN MILITARY COURT TODAY SENTENCED TWO MEN TO DEATH AND FOUR TO PRISON ON CHARGES OF SPYING FOR YUGOSLAVIA.

TIRANA RADIO DESCRIBED THE DEFENDANTS AS "DIVERSION AGENTS, SPIES AND SABOTEURS IN THE SERVICE OF THE FASCIST, TROYSKYITE CLIQUE OF BELGRADE CRIMINALS AND SPIES."

SENTENCED TO DEATH BY SHOOTING WERE NIK RUDAI AND PRENK DODA. OTHERS WERE TODO KOROVESHI, 15 YEARS IN PRISON; AZIZ TSARA, 12 YEARS; MUHARREM YASENDJIU, 10 YEARS, AND ARIF DUKA, THREE YEARS.

THE TIRANA BROADCAST, MONITORED IN LONDON, GAVE NO DETAILS OF THE ALLEGED OFFENSES.

DY701PES

A119

GENEVA,MAY 6-(AP)-NATIONALIST CHINA WITHDREW FROM THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION TODAY ON THE EVE OF THE ORGANIZATION'S THIRD ANNUAL ASSEMBLY.

NATIONALIST FOREIGN MINISTER GEORGE K.C.YEH INFORMED WHO DIRECTOR GENERAL DR.BROCK CHISHOLM OF THE CHINESE WITHDRAWAL BY TELEGRAM, WITHOUT GIVING ANY REASON FOR THE ACTION.

THE TELEGRAM SAID CHINA WOULD "CONTINUE TO ADHERE TO THE PURPOSES AND PRINCIPLES OF THE ORGANIZATION AND TO COOPERATE TO THE FULLEST POSSIBLE EXTENT WITH THE ORGANIZATION AS A WHOLE AND WITH MEMBERS OF THE ORGANIZATION IN THE FIELD OF HEALTH."

MJ1010AED

A210

GENEVA, MAY 6-(AP)-UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE ARRIVED HERE FROM AMSTERDAM TODAY. HE WILL SPEND FOUR DAYS IN GENEVA BEFORE FLYING TO MOSCOW FOR CONSULTATIONS WITH THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT.

M339PED

A211
FOLO GENEVA LIE
FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 6-(AP)-A WEST GERMAN NEWSPAPER PROPOSED TODAY THAT TRYGVE LIE, SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS, ASK PRIME MINISTER STALIN WHAT HAS BECOME OF GERMANY'S MISSING WAR PRISONERS.
LIE IS SCHEDULED TO CONFER WITH RUSSIAN LEADERS IN MOSCOW NEXT WEEK. THE SOVIET UNION ANNOUNCED YESTERDAY THAT ALL GERMAN WAR PRISONERS SAVE A FEW THOUSAND WAR CRIMINALS, SUSPECTS AND SICK HAVE BEEN REPATRIATED. THE NEWS SHOCKED HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF GERMAN FAMILIES STILL WAITING FOR SOME TO COME HOME.
THE PAPER, THE INDEPENDENT NON-COMMUNIST DARMSTAEDTER ECHO, SAID LIE WOULD BE PERFORMING A REAL SERVICE "IF HE WOULD SUBMIT THE QUESTION OF THE MISSING GERMANS TO THE WISE LEADER AND FATHER OF FREEDOM AND PEACE IN MOSCOW."
M440PED

A16
CANNES, FRANCE, MAY 6-(AP)-POLICE BROKE UP AN ATTEMPT BY COMMUNIST-LED STEEL WORKERS YESTERDAY TO WRECK A RAIL FREIGHT LOAD OF FRENCH ARMY GUIDED MISSILE EQUIPMENT AT NEARBY LA BOCCA.
THE DEMONSTRATORS--150 WORKERS LED BY TWO COMMUNIST MEMBERS OF THE CANNES CITY COUNCIL--ATTACKED THE POLICE WITH STONES AND STEEL BALLS BEFORE THEY WERE DRIVEN OFF BY TEAR GAS GRENADES.
FIVE POLICE WERE INJURED IN THE PITCHED BATTLE. SEVEN DEMONSTRATORS WERE ARRESTED.
THE EQUIPMENT WAS NOT DAMAGED. THE TRAIN ON WHICH IT WAS LOADED LEFT THE STATION ONLY A FEW MINUTES BEHIND SCHEDULE.
MD324AED

A104
(180)
HELSINKI, FINLAND, MAY 6-(AP)-A RAILWAY STRIKE WAS CALLED OFF TONIGHT, AND THE THREAT OF A GENERAL STRIKE FOR FINLAND APPEARED EASED.
SOME 20,000 RAILWAY EMPLOYES CALLED OFF A STRIKE WHICH HAD BEEN SET FOR MIDNIGHT. AT THE SAME TIME, AN ARBITER WAS AGREED UPON FOR THE DISPUTE BETWEEN EMPLOYERS AND THE TRADE UNION CONGRESS OVER A TUC DEMAND FOR A GENERAL WAGE INCREASE.
THE RAILROADER'S DECISION CAME SOON AFTER THE GOVERNMENT HAD CANCELLED A CONSCRIPTION ORDER AFFECTING ABOUT 2,000 OF 4,500 STRIKING ENGINEERS. THE ORDER WAS ISSUED WEDNESDAY TO INSURE MOVEMENT OF NECESSARY GOODS DURING THE STRIKE.
THE GOVERNMENT'S ACTION OF DRAFTING THE STRIKERS INTO THE ARMY FAILED WHEN THE CONSCRIPTS REFUSED TO MAN THEIR ENGINES. THE ENGINEERS HAD GONE ON STRIKE TUESDAX TO ENFORCE A DEMAND FOR HIGHER PENSIONS.
DIRECT NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN EMPLOYERS AND TUC WERE BROKEN OFF TODAY BUT WERE RESUMED AFTER A FEW HOURS. TUC HAS SAID IT WILL CALL A GENERAL STRIKE MONDAY UNLESS ITS WAGE INCREASE DEMANDS ARE MET.
BOTH EMPLOYERS AND EMPLOYES AGREED ON SPEAKER K.A. FAGERHOLM, OF THE RIKSDAG (PARLIAMENT) AS ARBITER. HE ANNOUNCED TONIGHT HE HAD ALREADY MADE "CERTAIN SOUNDINGS" AND THAT DISCUSSIONS WILL BE RESUMED TOMORROW.
GOVERNMENT SOURCES BELIEVE THAT FAGERHOLM'S INTERVENTION WILL AT LEAST POSTPONE THE STRIKE AND POSSIBLY MAY LEAD TO AN AGREEMENT.
DY949PES

A180WX

A180 (160)
PARIS, MAY 6-(AP)-THE CORNEAS OF AN EXECUTED FRENCH TRAITOR WERE TRANSPLANTED TODAY TO THE EYES OF A SIGHTLESS PARISIAN.
OFFICIALS AT THE HOSPITAL SAID THEY WOULD NOT KNOW FOR TWO WEEKS WHETHER THE OPERATION WAS A SUCCESS. THEY REFUSED TO GIVE THE NAME OF THE PATIENT OR TO DISCLOSE DETAILS OF THE OPERATION.
MAURICE BEY (CORRECT), CONDEMNED FOR BEING A MEMBER OF A FRENCH GESTAPO ORGANIZATION DURING THE WAR, GAVE HIS EYES TO SCIENCE YESTERDAY AT DAWN, A FEW MINUTES BEFORE HE FACED A FIRING SQUAD.
PHYSICIANS REMOVED THE CORNEAS FROM BEY'S EYES IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE EXECUTION, AND PLACED THEM IN AN EYE BANK AT THE HOSPITAL TO AWAIT THE OPERATION ON A SIGHTLESS PATIENT.
THE DOCTOR WHO SUPERVISED BOTH THE REMOVAL OF BEY'S EYES AND THE TRANSPLANTATION SURGERY TODAY DESCRIBED THE OPERATION AS "VERY DELICATE." HE SAID, HOWEVER, IT HAD BEEN SUCCESSFULLY ACCOMPLISHED IN ABOUT 40 PER CENT OF THE CASES ATTEMPTED.
BEY ASKED THE FIRING SQUAD YESTERDAY TO SHOOT HIM IN THE HEART RATHER THAN THE HEAD SO HIS EYES WOULD NOT BE DAMAGED.
RP150PED

A53
HAVANA, CUBA, MAY 6-(AP)-THE FOREIGN OFFICE DISCLAIMED TODAY ANY SPONSORSHIP OR SUPPORT OF THE INTERAMERICAN CONFERENCE FOR DEMOCRACY AND FREEDOM SCHEDULED FOR HAVANA MAY 12-14.
SEVERAL LATIN AMERICAN GOVERNMENTS WERE REPORTED TO HAVE EXPRESSED DISPLEASURE OVER USE OF THE CUBAN CAPITOL FOR THE CONFERENCE AND ASKED WHETHER CUBA'S GOVERNMENT WAS A SPONSOR.
A NUMBER OF POLITICAL EXILES FROM LATIN AMERICAN COUNTRIES ARE LISTED AS SPONSORS.
DY7PES

A33KX
NIGHT LEAD CHINESE (390)
TAIPEI, FORMOSA, MAY 6-(AP)-CHUSHAN ISLAND, NATIONALIST BASE BELIEVED NEXT ON THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS' INVASION LIST, WAS POUNDED ALL DAY FRIDAY BY RED ARTILLERY, OFFICIAL NATIONALIST DISPATCHES REPORTED TODAY.
THE BOMBARDMENT FROM COMMUNIST-HELD KINTANG ISLAND, THREE MILES TO THE WEST, FINALLY WAS SILENCED AT 10 P.M. BY COMBINED NATIONALIST LAND, SEA AND AIR ACTION, IT WAS ANNOUNCED.
NO DETAILS WERE GIVEN, BUT THE NATIONALISTS SAID THE RED BOMBARDMENT WAS BLIND AND MOST SHELLS FELL INTO THE SEA.
DISPATCHES ALSO REPORTED MASSING OF RED JUNKS AT KINTANG AND ON THE MAINLAND 15 MILES WEST OF CHUSHAN.
ONE HUNDRED MILES SOUTHEAST OF SHANGHAI, CHUSHAN IS THE BASE FROM WHICH THE NATIONALISTS BLOCKADE THE MAINLAND AND IS CONSIDERED HERE AS THE LAST STUMBLING BLOCK TO A RED INVASION OF FORMOSA, 350 MILES FARTHER SOUTHEAST.
IN A SPEECH RELEASED TODAY BUT GIVEN FRIDAY, GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK SAID, "MILITARY PREPARATIONS FOR THE DEFENSE OF FORMOSA ARE ALL COMPLETE," BUT ADDED THAT SOME EQUIPMENT STILL WAS NEEDED AND "MUCH IS TO BE DESIRED IN THE POLITICAL, ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL MOBILIZATION."

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CHIANG'S REMARKS WERE MADE AT A MEETING TO COMMEMORATE THE FOUNDING OF THE REVOLUTIONARY GOVERNMENT IN CANTON IN 1921.

HE REITERATED HIS VIEW THAT THE PRESENT WAR WAS AGAINST "RUSSIAN IMPERIALISM" AND "IS NOT A PROBLEM OF CHINA ALONE BUT A QUESTION FOR THE ENTIRE WORLD."

CHIANG SAID THAT LAST DECEMBER HE HAD OVERRULED THE ADVICE OF HIS MILITARY MEN TO ABANDON HAINAN ISLAND BECAUSE HE FELT ITS DEFENSE WAS IMPORTANT TO ALL SOUTHEAST ASIA.

HE SAID AN "INFORMAL WARNING" HAD BEEN GIVEN TO THE COUNTRIES CONCERNED, BUT THEY HAD NOT RESPONDED, AND THE COMMUNIST INVASION IN APRIL FORCED THE NATIONALISTS TO WITHDRAW.

CHIANG DID NOT EXPLAIN WHAT HE MEANT BY AN "INFORMAL WARNING," BUT IT IS COMMONLY BELIEVED HERE THAT HE HAD HOPED LAST DECEMBER TO GET FOREIGN AID IN A MATTER OF WEEKS WHEN OTHER COUNTRIES REALIZED THE IMPORTANCE OF HAINAN.

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A SCORE OF AMERICAN NEWSMEN, NOW VISITING FORMOSA UNDER NATIONALIST AUSPICES, HEARD DENUNCIATIONS OF RUSSIA TODAY BY GEN. SUN LI-JEN, NATIONALIST GROUND COMMANDER, AND ADM. KWEI YUNG-CHING, NAVY CHIEF.

KWEI PREDICTED THE REDS "WILL USE HAINAN AS A SPRINGBOARD FOR A SOUTHEAST ASIA ADVANCE."

THE VISITORS SAW RIGOROUS TRAINING BEING GIVEN TO OBVIOUSLY PHYSICALLY-FIT TROOPS, BUT ONLY THE FUTURE CAN ANSWER WHETHER THEY WILL ACQUIT THEMSELVES AS WELL IS BATTLE AS IN EXERCISES.

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WITH CHINESE BJT(600)

BY STANLEY RICH

TAIPEI, FORMOSA, MAY 6-(AP)-CHINESE COMMUNIST ARTILLERY POUNDED THE NATIONALISTS' NAVAL AND AIR BASE OF CHUSHAN, KEY DEFENSE OUTPOST FOR FORMOSA, ALL DAY YESTERDAY, DISPATCHES REPORTED TODAY.

IT WAS 10 P.M. BEFORE JOINT ACTION BY NATIONALIST LAND, AIR AND NAVAL FORCES SILENCED THE RED GUNS, OFFICIAL REPORTS SAID. THE BOMBARDMENT CAME FROM KINGTANG ISLAND AND WAS DIRECTED AT TINGHAI, CHUSHAN CAPITAL, THREE MILES AWAY.

CHUSHAN IS THE MAIN ISLAND OF AN ARCHIPELAGO OF THE SAME NAME THAT JUTS INTO THE EAST CHINA SEA ABOUT 100 MILES SOUTHEAST OF SHANGHAI. THE COMMUNISTS HOLD SEVERAL ISLANDS IN THE GROUP BUT THE NATIONALISTS HAVE CLUNG TO CHUSAN, MAIN BASE FOR THEIR BLOCKADE OF THE BIG RED PORT.

THE NATIONALISTS SAY CHUSHAN IS NEXT ON THE RED INVASION TIMETABLE. THE DISPATCHES REPORTED COMMUNIST INVASION CRAFT WERE CONTINUING TO MASS IN KINGTANG HARBOR AND AT CHINHAI, MAINLAND PORT 15 MILES WEST OF TINGHAI.

THE NATIONALISTS SAID RED ARTILLERYMEN TOOK ADVANTAGE OF THE WEATHER YESTERDAY, OPENING UP WHEN NATIONALIST PLANES WERE GROUNDED.

WEATHER IS AN IMPORTANT FACTOR AT THIS STAGE OF THE CIVIL WAR.

IF THE NATIONALISTS CAN KEEP THE REDS FROM FORMOSA UNTIL THE END OF JUNE THEY EXPECT THE WEATHER TO TAKE CARE OF THIS BASTION'S DEFENSE UNTIL NEXT YEAR. LAST MONTH HEAVY FOG KEPT NATIONALIST PLANES ON HAINAN FOR THREE STRAIGHT DAYS AND GAVE THE REDS AN OPPORTUNITY TO MASS JUNKS FOR THEIR SUCCESSFUL INVASION OF THE BIG ISLAND OFF SOUTH CHINA.

GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK GAVE HIS EXPLANATION FOR HAINAN'S ABANDONMENT IN A SPEECH OBSERVING TODDAY'S 29TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE FOUNDING OF THE NATIONALIST REVOLUTIONARY GOVERNMENT IN CANTON.

THE NATIONALISTS, HE SAID, HAD DONE THEIR BEST TO DEFEND THE ISLAND NOT ONLY AS A BASE FOR FUTURE NATIONALIST COUNTERATTACKS ON THE RED MAINLAND "BUT ALSO FOR THE PROTECTION OF COUNTRIES IN SOUTHEAST ASIA FROM THE COMMUNIST TIDE."

HE BLAMED DEFEAT ON TWO FACTORS: (1) THE SAPPING OF HIS REGIME BY 12 CONTINUOUS YEARS OF WAR AGAINST THE JAPANESE AND THE CHINESE REDS; (2) SOUTHEAST ASIA'S OWN FAILURE TO REALIZE THEIR STAKE IN THE NATIONALISTS' BATTLE AGAINST COMMUNISM WHICH HE DESCRIBED AS "NOT A PROBLEM OF CHINA ALONE BUT A QUESTION FOR THE ENTIRE WORLD."

CHIANG SAID HIS MILITARY OFFICIALS ADVISED HIM LAST DECEMBER THE NATIONALISTS WERE "NOT STRONG ENOUGH" TO DEFEND HAINAN AND THE WIDE COURSE WOULD BE TO CONCENTRATE ON FORMOSA'S DEFENSE. HE ADDED:

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"BUT I TOLD THEM THE POSITION OF HAINAN WAS IMPORTANT NOT ONLY TO CHINA BUT ALSO TO THE WHOLE OF SOUTHEAST ASIA.

"ALTHOUGH COUNTRIES IN SOUTHEAST ASIA MIGHT NOT HAVE A CLEAR UNDERSTANDING OF THE SITUATION, WE MUST WARN THEM AND GIVE THEM TO UNDERSTAND THAT WE WOULD DEFEND HAINAN AND WOULD NOT ABANDON THE ISLAND UNLESS IT WAS ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY.

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"BUT UNFORTUNATELY IN THE PAST THREE MONTHS NO RESPONSE TO OUR INFORMAL WARNING HAD COME FROM THE COUNTRIES CONCERNED IN SOUTHEAST ASIA.

"THE COMMUNISTS LAUNCHED A LARGE-SCALE ATTACK ON HAINAN LAST MONTH. WE HAD DONE OUR BEST IN DEFENDING THE ISLAND AND IN PROTECTING OUR NEIGHBORING COUNTRIES. WE WERE COMPELLED TO WITHDRAW FROM THE ISLAND.

CHIANG DID NOT EXPLAIN THE "INFORMAL WARNING." IT IS COMMONLY BELIEVED--AND OPENLY DISCUSSED--HERE THAT CHIANG SCRAPPED THE ORIGINAL PLAN TO ABANDON HAINAN LAST DECEMBER ON THIS GROUNDS:

ADVISORS PERSUADED HIM THAT FOREIGN AID WOULD BE FORTHCOMING IN A MATTER OF WEEKS WHEN OTHER COUNTRIES REALIZED THE FULL IMPORTANCE OF HAINAN IN THE OVERALL PICTURE AGAINST COMMUNISM IN ASIA.

CHIANG ASSERTED "ALL THE TROOPS HAVE BEEN SAFELY EVACUATED FROM HAINAN" AND HAVE ARRIVED TO BOLSTER FORMOSA'S DEFENSES.

(NATIONALIST FORCES ON HAINAN AT THE TIME OF THE RED INVASION WERE ESTIMATED AT 125,000 MEN. IT APPEARS OPEN TO QUESTION WHETHER THAT MANY MEN COULD HAVE BEEN EVACUATED IN THE TIME AND SHIPPING AVAILABLE TO THE NATIONALISTS.)

CHIANG'S SPEECH INCLUDED A PLEA FOR MORE EQUIPMENT FOR FORMOSA'S DEFENSE AND HIS OFT-REPEATED CHARGES THAT THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS ARE "UNDER THE DIRECTION OF RUSSIAN IMPERIALISM."

TWENTY-ONE AMERICAN NEWSMEN TOURING FORMOSA UNDER NATIONALIST AUSPICES LEFT TAIPEI TODAY FOR A TWO-DAY VISIT TO INSTALLATIONS IN THE SOUTHERN PART OF THE ISLAND.

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BY SPENCER MOOSA a 987x

1x (~~ADVANCE~~)...TAIPEI, FORMOSA, MAY 6-(AP)-A "BLOOD TRANSFUSION" IN THE FORM OF PLANES, SPARE PARTS, AMMUNITION AND OTHER WAR EQUIPMENT MIGHT SAVE THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS, BUT IT MUST COME QUICKLY.

BECAUSE OF RUSSIAN AID TO THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS, TIME IS PRESSING AND THE ISSUE OF NATIONALIST SURVIVAL IS VERY MUCH IN DOUBT.

THIS REPRESENTS THE BEST POSSIBLE CONSENSUS OF FOREIGN AND CHINESE SOURCES IN THIS ISLAND CAPITAL OF THE NATIONALISTS.

THE NATIONALIST SITUATION IS DARK, AND THE ONLY OPTIMISTIC OUTLOOK--AND NOT MUCH OF ONE AT THAT--IS THAT IN CHINA EVENTS DO NOT ALWAYS FOLLOW LOGICAL COURSES.

AT PRESENT IT LOOKS AS IF THE REDS WILL ATTACK AND CONQUER THE OUTPOST ISLAND OF CHUSHAN, THEN INVADE FORMOSA, THROWING IN AN IMPRESSIVE ARMADA OF MOTORIZED CRAFT AND THEIR NEW AIR FORCE.

TWO THINGS COULD PREVENT THIS: 1. A SUCCESSFUL NATIONALIST RESISTANCE ON CHUSHAN, AND 2. A CONSEQUENT UPSET IN THE RED TIMETABLE THAT WOULD GIVE GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S NATIONALISTS A BREATHING SPELL UNTIL NEXT SPRING.

THE NATIONALISTS SAY THEY CAN HOLD OUT IF GIVEN AID, THAT THEY CAN FIGHT THEIR OWN BATTLES BUT NEED THE SINEWS OF WAR. DESPITE ALL PREVIOUS SETBACKS, THEY CONSIDER THEMSELVES THE BEST BET AGAINST COMMUNISM EAST OF SUEZ.

WITH RECENT LOSS OF HAINAN ISLAND, THE NATIONALIST HOLDINGS HAVE BEEN REDUCED TO NO MORE THAN 14,500 SQUARE MILES. BESIDES FORMOSA, THE ONLY BASTIONS OF ANY CONSEQUENCE ARE CHUSHAN, 100 MILES SOUTHEAST OF SHANGHAI; AND QUEMOY (CHINMEN), JUST OFF AMOY.

QUEMOY COULD BE LOST WITH LITTLE MORE THAN A JOLT TO MORALE, BUT IF CHUSHAN FALLS, FORMOSA'S CHANCES OF SURVIVAL WILL ALMOST FLICKER OUT.

APART FROM THESE THREE ISLANDS, THE NATIONALISTS HOLD A NUMBER OF OTHER TINY ONES. THE GREATEST IS THE 50-SQUARE-MILE BARREN, WINDSWEPT PESCADORES, BETWEEN FORMOSA AND THE MAINLAND. THEY AND THE OTHERS WOULD MEAN NOTHING WITHOUT FORMOSA.

OTHER SMALL NATIONALIST ISLANDS INCLUDE TUNGSHAN, BETWEEN AMOY AND SWATOW, USEFUL AS A COMMANDO BASE; THE PRATAS REEFS, BETWEEN FORMOSA AND HAINAN; AND THE PARACELS, SOUTHEAST OF HAINAN.

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ALL THE MAINLAND IS LOST IN THE SENSE THAT, ALTHOUGH NATIONALIST GUERRILLAS OCCUPY MANY AREAS, NO MAINLAND TERRITORY IS UNDER CONTROL OF REGULARS OR UNDER TAIPEI'S JURISDICTION.

TIBET, OVER WHICH THE NATIONALISTS CLAIM A SUZERAINTY THEY NEVER WERE ABLE TO EXERCISE EFFECTIVELY, IS THE ONLY MAINLAND REGION STILL FACING THE POSSIBILITY OF COMMUNIST INVASION.

THE NATIONALISTS OFFICIALLY SAY THEY HAVE ABOUT 1,500,000 GUERRILLAS ON THE MAINLAND. INDEPENDENT ANALYSTS THINK THAT FIGURE MAY BE EXAGGERATED, BUT NOT EXTRAVAGANTLY SO. THEY ALSO MAKE THE POINT THAT NATIONALIST GUERRILLAS ARE NOT THE ONLY MAINLANDERS IN ARMS AGAINST THE REDS. MANY ARE SIMPLY BANDITS, AND SOME ARE BOTH ANTI-RED AND ANTI-NATIONALIST.

WHATEVER THEIR PRECISE NATURE, THE GUERRILLAS ARE IMPORTANT AS OPPONENTS OF COMMUNISM. THEY CONCEIVABLY COULD BE WELDED INTO A POWERFUL FACTOR IN THE STRUGGLE.

IF FORMOSA IS LOST, HOWEVER, IT IS CONSIDERED DOUBTFUL IF THE MAINLAND FORCES OPPOSING THE REDS EVER COULD BECOME STRONG ENOUGH TO STAGE AN OVERTHROW.

SOME GUERRILLA AREAS MAINTAIN REGULAR RADIO CONTACT WITH TAIPEI AND ACCEPT ORDERS. SOME GUERRILLA CHIEFTAINS VISIT CHUSHAN TO MAKE REPORTS AND SEEK INSTRUCTIONS.

IT IS KNOWN, THOUGH NEVER PUBLICIZED, THAT BEFORE LOSING HAINAN THE NATIONALISTS AIR-DROPPED SUPPLIES TO SOME GUERRILLAS IN SOUTH CHINA.

EVERY NOW AND THEN SOMEONE FROM FAR IN THE INTERIOR COMES TO FORMOSA TO PLEDGE LOYALTY TO CHIANG. ONE LAST MONTH REPRESENTED HIMSELF AS AN EMISSARY OF PRINCE TEH OF MONGOLIA, AND SAID THOUSANDS OF MONGOLIANS WERE FIGHTING THE REDS.

LAST WEDNESDAY AN ARRIVAL IDENTIFIED HIMSELF AS KYA LOH TUN CHU, ELDER BROTHER OF THE DALAI LAMA OF TIBET. THE TOLD NEWSMEN THAT HE AND HIS WIFE AND SON ESCAPED FROM SHANGHAI VIA MANILA IN DISGUISE. HE SAID HE CAME TO TELL CHIANG OF CONDITIONS IN TIBET, BUT WOULD NOT ENLARGE ON THIS.

HOPEFUL OF THESE PORTENTS FROM THE MAINLAND, THE NATIONALISTS SAY THAT IF THEY CAN HOLD OFF A RED ATTACK ON FORMOSA UNTIL THE END OF JUNE, WEATHER WILL STAVE IT OFF UNTIL NEXT YEAR. MEANWHILE THEY PLEAD FOR BOTH MORAL SUPPORT AND ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE IN WHAT THEY CALL THE "ANTI-COMMUNIST, ANTI-SOVIET WAR."

(~~END ADVANCE FOR PMS OF SATURDAY, MAY 6~~ (MOVED MAY 5)

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MOSCOW, MAY 6-(AP)-AN INFORMED SOURCE SAID TODAY SOVIET-INDONESIAN TALKS INDICATED THE EARLY ESTABLISHMENT OF DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES.

THE INDONESIAN DELEGATION, HEADED BY DR.LAMBERTUS NICODEMUS PALAR, WHICH HAS BEEN DISCUSSING RELATIONS WITH RUSSIA, PLANS TO LEAVE EARLY NEXT WEEK, RETURNING TO JAKARTA VIA THE HAGUE, THE NETHERLANDS.

PALAR CONFERRED WITH SOVIET FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI Y.VISHINSKY YESTERDAY FOR THE SECOND TIME SINCE HE ARRIVED HERE APRIL 30. THE DISCUSSION WAS DESCRIBED AS "CORDIAL" AND ONE IN WHICH PROGRESS WAS MADE.

THE MISSION CAME TO MOSCOW PRINCIPALLY TO DISCUSS THE ESTABLISHMENT OF RELATIONS, BOTH NATIONS HAVING ALREADY AGREED TO EXCHANGE DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS.

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CAPETOWN, SOUTH AFRICA, MAY 6-(AP)-SOUTH AFRICA'S GOVERNMENT HAS ASKED PARLIAMENT FOR POWER TO OUTLAW COMMUNISM AND TO QUESTION, FINE OR DEPORT SUSPECTED SUBVERSIVES.

A BILL INTRODUCED YESTERDAY BY JUSTICE MINISTER C.R. SWART WOULD PERMIT DRASTIC RESTRICTIONS ON THE ACTIVITIES OF SUSPECTED VIOLATORS.

PRACTICES WHICH WOULD BE BANNED BY THE BILL RANGED FROM PROFESSION OF COMMUNISM TO PROPAGATION OF FOREIGN IDEOLOGIES. "UNDESIRABLE" ALIENS COULD BE DEPORTED WITHOUT A TRIAL.

UNDER THE PROPOSED LEGISLATION THE JUSTICE MINISTRY WOULD COMPILE A LIST OF SUSPECTED PERSONS. THESE WOULD BE SUBJECT TO MINISTRY ORDERS.

OUTLAWED NEWSPAPER OR ORGANIZATIONS WOULD HAVE THREE MONTHS TO BRING COURT ACTION AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT'S DECREES.

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NIGHT LEAD AFRICAN (380)

BY ARTHUR GAVSHON

CAPETOWN, SOUTH AFRICA, MAY 6-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER DANIEL F.MALAN SUGGESTED TODAY THE FORMATION OF AN ALL-AFRICAN POLITICAL AND DEFENSE CHARTER AS A BULWARK AGAINST COMMUNISM.

THE LEADER OF SOUTH AFRICA'S NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT SAID HIS COUNTRY IS WILLING AND ANXIOUS TO PLACE ITS POLITICAL, ECONOMIC AND STRATEGIC EXPERIENCE AT THE DISPOSA OFNE GHBOR STA

AND STRATEGIC EXQERIENCE AT THE DISPOSAL OF NEIGHBOR STATES WITH THE AIM OF "PRESERVING WESTERN EUROPEAN CIVILIZATION IN AFRICA."

"NATIONS WHICH HAVE INTERESTS IN AFRICA SHOULD CONSULT EACH OTHER," HE SAID AND THE AFRICAN ALLIANCE SHOULD HAVE A BASIS SIMILAR TO THAT OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC AND INTER-AMERICAN PACTS.

EUROPEAN COUNTRIES WITH INTERESTS IN AFRICA INCLUDE BRITAIN, FRANCE, BELGIUM, PORTUGAL AND SPAIN. ALL BUT SPAIN ARE SIGNERS OF THE ATLANTIC PACT.

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THE BESPECTACLED, 76-YEAR-OLD FORMER PROTESTANT MINISTER MADE HIS PROPOSAL IN REPLY TO QUESTIONS SUBMITTED BY AN ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT. HIS GOVERNMENT INTRODUCED IN PARLIAMENT YESTERDAY A BILL TO OUTLAW THE SMALL COMMUNIST MOVEMENT IN SOUTH AFRICA.

MALAN WAS ASKED WHETHER THE SOUTH AFRICAN UNION WOULD GIVE BRITAIN OR THE UNITED STATES BASES IN AN EMERGENCY. HE AVOIDED A DIRECT ANSWER, SAYING THE UNION'S POLICY AT ALL TIMES IS TO FEND FOR ITSELF.

HOWEVER HE ADDED THE GOVERNMENT WAS CONSCIOUS OF SOUTH AFRICA'S STRATEGIC POSITION BETWEEN THE EAST AND WEST AND RECOGNIZED THAT THE SEA ROUTE AROUND THE CAPE OF GOOD HOPE WOULD ASSUME VITAL SIGNIFICANCE IN AN ANTI-COMMUNIST WAR, ESPECIALLY IF THE SUEZ CANAL WAS DESTROYED.

IN THAT SITUATION, WESTERN NATIONS WOULD NEED "OUR COOPERATION JUST AS MUCH AS WE WOULD NEED THEIRS," HE SAID. "I AM SURE THAT, BETWEEN US, WE COULD FIND MANY POINTS OF AGREEMENT."

MALAN SAID THE GOVERNMENT HAS NO TERRITORIAL AMBITIONS BEYOND ITS PLAN FOR INCORPORATING THE ONE-TIME LEAGUE OF NATIONS MANDATE OF SOUTHWEST AFRICA AND ITS HOPE OF GETTING BACK THE BRITISH-RUN BECHUANALAND, SWAZILAND AND BASUTOLAND PROTECTORATES.

"THE UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA HAS NO TERRITORIAL DEMANDS WHATSOEVER, NOR ANY IMPERIALIST AMBITIONS," HE SAID.

SIR GODFREY HUGGINS, PRIME MINISTER OF ADJOINING SOUTHERN RHODESIA, HAS PUBLICLY EXPRESSED THE FEARS OF SOME OF HIS COUNTRYMEN THAT NATIONALIST ELEMENTS IN SOUTH AFRICA HAVE EXPANSIONIST DESIGNS.

MALAN DISCLOSED A CONFLICT IN THE POLICIES OF SOUTH AFRICA AND OTHER NATIONS OVER THE ARMING OF NATIVE TROOPS.

HE SAID SOUTH AFRICA WAS AGAINST IT AT ALL TIMES. BRITAIN, ON THE OTHER HAND, IS FOR IT. SO ARE FRANCE, BELGIUM AND PORTUGAL. IN MOST AFRICAN COLONIES, BRITAIN HAS TRAINED NATIVE TROOP FORMATIONS.

MALAN ASCRIBED SOME OF THE UPRISINGS WHICH HAVE OCCURRED IN AFRICA SINCE THE WAR--NOTABLY IN NIGERIA AND THE GOLD COAST IN THE WEST AND UGANDA AND KENYA IN THE EAST--DIRECTLY TO THE MILITARIZATION OF NATIVES.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 1:30 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY,
SATURDAY, MAY 6)
NIGHT LEAD INDIAN
(ADVANCE)..NEW DELHI, INDIA, MAY 6-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER JAWAHARLAL NEHRU CONTINUES TO BE HIS OWN FOREIGN MINISTER IN THE RESHUFFLED CABINET SWORN IN TODAY BEFORE PRESIDENT RAJENDRA PRASAD.
A COMMUNIQUE SAID ALL THE RETURNING MINISTERS WILL HOLD THE SAME OFFICES THEY HAD BEFORE THE RESIGNATION OF THE CABINET FRIDAY. THE RESIGNATION OF THE OLD CABINET AND APPOINTMENT OF THE NEW ONE WERE A FORMALITY REQUIRED BY THE CONSTITUTION WHICH WENT INTO EFFECT IN JANUARY.
THE COMMUNIQUE SAID NEHRU ALSO WILL CONTINUE FOR THE PRESENT TO HOLD THE PORTFOLIOS OF THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY AND MINISTRY OF COMMERCE. S.P.MOOKERJEE AND K.C.NEOGY RESIGNED FROM THE POSITIONS LAST MONTH AS A PROTEST AGAINST THE AGREEMENT WITH PAKISTAN TO COOPERATE IN HANDLING MOSLEM-HINDU DISPUTES. BOTH MEN ARE FROM BENGAL, WHERE THE DISPUTES HAVE BEEN BLOODIEST.
THE JOBS OF TWO NEW MEMBERS OF THE CABINET, H.K.MAHTAB, PREMIER OF ORISSA PROVINCE, AND C.M.MUNCHI, FORMER AGENT-GENERAL IN HYDERABAD, WILL BE ANNOUNCED LATER.
C.C.BISWAS, VICE CHANCELLOR OF CALUCTTA UNIVERSITY, WILL BE MINISTER OF MINORITIES TO HANDLE ADMINISTRATION OF THE AGREEMENT WITH PAKISTAN.
(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 1:30 P.M., E.S.T., TODAY SATURDY MAY 6)
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(WEST OUT)
MANILA,MAY 6-(AP)-STALIN UNIVERSITY, TRAINING SCHOOL IN NUEVA ECIJA PROVINCE FOR HUKBALAHAP GUERRILLAS, HAS BEEN WIPED OUT BY THE PHILIPPINE ARMY, THE NATIONAL DEFENSE DEPARTMENT REPORTED TODAY.
THE ARMY CAPTURED ABOUT 200 HUKS WHO FLED WHEN MOST OF THE BUILDINGS WERE SET AFIRE BY ARTILLERY BEFORE TROOPS CLOSED IN, THE DEPARTMENT SAID.
IT CLAIMED AN UNSPECIFIED NUMBER OF HUKS WERE KILLED.
STALIN UNIVERSITY, SO NAMED OFFICIALLY BY THE COMMUNIST-LED HUKS, HAD ABOUT 20 BARRACKS AND MEDICAL AND EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES, THE DEPARTMENT SAID. IT WAS REBUILT AFTER THE PHILIPPINE CONSTABULARY BEING DESTROYED BY THEY
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TOKYO,SUNDAY,MAY 7-(AP)-OLIVER EDMUND CLUBB, FORMER CONSUL GENERAL AT PEIPING, AND HIS WIFE ARE SCHEDULED TO SAIL FOR THE UNITED STATES THURSDAY ON THE LINER PRESIDENT WILSON.

THE CLUBBS AND 11 OTHER CONSULAR PERSONNEL FROM NORTH CHINA ARRIVED AT YOKOHAMA APRIL 22 ON THE BRITISH SHIP HENYANG. THEY SAILED FROM TIENTSIN. CLUBB DECLINED TO COMMENT ON HIS EXPERIENCES IN COMMUNIST CHINA.
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(WEST OUT)
TOKYO, MAY 6-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER SHIGERU YOSHIDA TODAY NAMED A STRONG ANTI-COMMUNIST, TEIYU AMANO, TO BE EDUCATION MINISTER.
OBSERVERS BELIEVE YOSHIDA PUT AMANO IN OFFICE BECAUSE OF THE RECENT SHOUTING DOWN OF DR.WALTER EELLS OF GENERAL MACARTHUR'S EDUCATION SECTION BY COMMUNIST STUDENTS AT SENDAI, NORTHERN JAPAN.
THE EDUCATION MINISTRY HAS BEEN VACANT FOR TWO WEEKS.
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(ADVANCE FOR PMS OF SATURDAY, MAY 6)

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BY STAN SWINTON
(ADVANCE)..TEHRAN, IRAN, MAY 6-(AP)-A 77-MAN U.S. MISSION IS TEACHING THE LESSONS OF MODERN WAR TO WHAT ONCE WAS THE MIGHTIEST ARMY ON EARTH.
FIVE CENTURIES BEFORE CHRIST, THE PERSIAN LEGIONS OF DARIUS I RULED FROM INDIA TO THE DANUBE -- A DOMAIN EVEN MIGHTY ROME NEVER EQUALLED.
DARIUS' SON, XERXES, SENT 900,000 MEN IN A SINGLE CAMPAIGN AGAINST GREECE. DEFEATED, THE PERSIAN ARMY WENT INTO A LONG DECLINE.
TODAY IRAN -- THE MODERN PERSIA -- SITS ON A HOT SPOT IN THE COLD WAR. ON HER NORTHERN BORDER IS THE SOVIET UNION, OPENLY COVETOUS OF IRAN'S RICH OIL FIELDS.
FOR DEFENSE IRAN HAS AN ARMY OF 150,000. STRATEGISTS CONCEDE IT COULD NOT LONG DELAY THE RED ARMY IN FRONTAL BATTLE. BUT FIELD MARSHAL ALI RAZMARA, SHREWD AND CAPABLE CHIEF OF STAFF, BELIEVES IRAN COULD MAKE A LONG FIGHT FROM STRONG POINTS IN NATURAL DEFENSE POSITIONS WITH COOPERATION BETWEEN ARMY AND IRAN'S 3,000,000 TOUGH NOMADIC AND SEMI-NOMADIC TRIBESMEN.
HE ENVISAGES A CAMPAIGN SUCH AS TITO SUCCESSFULLY FOUGHT AGAINST GERMANY.
TO LEARN THE LESSONS OF WORLD WAR II, IRAN IN 1947 INVITED A U.S. MILITARY MISSION HERE TO FURNISH ADVICE.
MAJ.GEN.VERNON EVANS, ONE-TIME COMMANDER OF THE INDIA-BURMA THEATRE, HEADS THE MISSION TODAY.
SALTED THROUGH THE IRANIAN ARMY TRAINING PROGRAMS ARE AMERICAN OFFICERS AND ENLISTED MEN. THEIR PRIMARY JOB IS TO TEACH IRANIAN INSTRUCTORS WHO THEN PASS ON THE KNOWLEDGE AND KNOW-HOW TO THEIR FELLOW COUNTRYMEN.
THE YANKS REPRESENT ALMOST EVERY SERVICE BRANCH: INFANTRY, ARMORED FORCE, SIGNAL CORPS, ORDNANCE AND THE REST. TWENTY AIR FORCE EXPERTS ARE TEACHING IRANIANS HOW TO MAINTAIN AND HANDLE P-47 THUNDERBOLTS, C-47 TRANSPORTS AND OTHER PLANES IRAN BOUGHT WITH DOLLARS FROM AMERICAN SURPLUS.
OUT ON THE CRAGGY MOUNTAINS AND LONELY STEPPES, 12 U.S. NON-COMS WORK WITH IRANIAN DIVISIONS IN THE FIELD, ONE OR TWO TO EACH DIVISION. MOTOR EXPERTS, THEY HELP IRANIAN SOLDIERS BECOME ACCUSTOMED TO THE JEEPS AND TRUCKS WHICH HAVE REPLACED HORSE-DRAWN VEHICLES.

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NEAR TEHRAN OTHER OFFICERS AND MEN TEACH OR ASSIST IN ENGINEERING SCHOOLS, SHOW IRANIANS HOW TO HANDLE U.S.-MADE MUNITIONS AND EVEN SERVE AT THE IRANIAN MILITARY ACADEMY AND STAFF COLLEGE.
AN ARMORED DETACHMENT UNDER CAPT.CHARLES E.TEMPLE OF LEWISTOWN, PA., HAS HELPED THE IRANIANS SET UP A MODEL ARMORED FORCE SCHOOL.
UNDER THE AGREEMENT, AMERICANS ADVISE ON ALL PROBLEMS EXCEPT "TACTICAL OR STRATEGIC PLANS OR OPERATIONS AGAINST A FOREIGN ENEMY." THAT IS PROHIBITED SPECIFICALLY.
MOSCOW DOESN'T LIKE THE YANKS' PRESENCE. THE SOVIET RADIO CONSTANTLY ATTACKS AMERICAN EFFORTS TO HELP IRAN'S ARMY HELP ITSELF.
MOST IRANIAN ENLISTED MEN ARE CONSCRIPTS NOT LONG OFF THE LAND AND UNUSED TO MACHINERY. DESPITE IRANIAN ARMY CLASSES, MANY ARE ILLITERATE.
BOTH THE AMERICANS AND THE IRANIAN OFFICERS FIND IT IS A LONG, SLOW JOB PASSING ON KNOW-HOW. IT'S TOUGHEST FOR THE YANKS, WHO MUST WORK THROUGH INTERPRETERS. BUT DESPITE SOME INDIVIDUAL GRUMBLES, MORALE IS SURPRISINGLY HIGH.
BOTH PERSIANS AND AMERICANS ARE PLEASED WITH THE SUCCESS OF THE ADVISORY PROGRAM.
AND THE MOUNTING IRRITATION IN RADIO MOSCOW'S VOICE TESTIFIES TO THE PROGRESS MADE.
MEMBERS OF THE MISSION INCLUDE:

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ARIZONA: PHOENIX -- M-SGT. ROBERT W. ROGERS.
CALIFORNIA: OAKLAND -- SGT. JOHN F. RYAN; CPL. SAMUEL G. MORRISON, PASADENA--S-SGT. GERALD R. MOORE; BERKELEY--SGT. JOSEPH W. MAGARIO.
FLORIDA: CORAL GABLES--LT.COL.WILLIAM A.GLASS, JR.; PENSACOLA--CAPT. RALPH M.WYSE.; STARK--S-SGT. JAMES G.GRIFFIS.
GEORGIA: MACON--SGT. WILLIAM O. HILL.
IDAHO: TWIN FALLS -- M-SGT. HENRY REISING.
ILLINOIS: CHICAGO--MAJ.EMANUEL F.TALLACKSON; SGT.RICHARD KOLMES; SGT. LAWRENCE N. OLSON (3544 ARMITAGE AVEML; CHARLESTON--S-SGT. JAMES T.CLARK; SALEM-SGT.GEORGE R.JAMES; SPRINGFIELD-LT.COL.WILLIAM J. MCCONNEL; TISKILWA--LT.COL.EDMUND R.O'BRIEN.
INDIANA: PERU--M-SGT. ELMER JOHNSTON; ELKHART--SGT.CARYLYLE ROSE; HOBART--LT.COL.GEORGE G.DEWEY.

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IOWA: ROCKFORD--SGT.MAX E.MORPHEW.
KANSAS: MANHATTAN--MAJ.CHESTER H.JOHNSTON; JUNCTION CITY--M-SGT. DWAIN LIVINGSTON.
LOUISIANA: NEW ORLEANS--COL.CLINTON U.TRUE; SGT.STANLEY C. RICHARD; FRANKLIN--SGT.WILLARD B.FORD.
MASSACHUSETTS: BOSTON--LT.COL.PHILIP M.RASMUSSEN.
MINNESOTA: ST.PAUL--M-SGT.CARL G.DISCHER; LITTLE FALLS--T-SGT. BRONISLAUS POSCH.
MISSOURI: KANSAS CITY--LT.COL.MAX V.KIRKBRIDGE; ST.LOUIS--S-SGT.

CHARLES KILO; DONIPHAN--SGT.GARNETT W.COOK; HOLCOMB--CPL.JOHN L. BLAINE.
MISSISSIPPI: OSYKA--S-SGT.WILLIE GIBBS.
NEW HAMPSHIRE: PORTSMOUTH--M-SGT.ELMER H.BYRON.
NEW JERSEY: OAKLAND--SGT.ARTHUR L.HOWELL (183 LAKEVIEW TERRACE); BELVEDERE--SGT.LOUIS CASTNER, JR.
NEW MEXICO: GALLUP--LT.COL.HERBERT E.DES GEORGES; SILVER CITY--M-SGT.ROBERT N.AMY.
NEW YORK: NEW YORK CITY--MAJ.JOHN S.WILSON; SGT.EUGENE P. MCDONOUGH; ROCHESTER--SGT.TUBIN C.ERRICO (SCOTTSVILLE ROAD). NIAGARA--SGT.RICHARD H.CURL.
NORTH CAROLINA: ENFIELD--SGT.WILLIAM A.POPE; STATESVILLE--SGT. PAUL L.BLACKWOOD; GOLDSBORO--SGT.WALTER E.CAPPS.
NORTH DAKOTA: HAGAN--T-SGT.WILLIAM F.REICH.
OHIO: PLYMOUTH--COL.JOHN P.KAYLOR; ALLEN--SGT.JAMES F.FRANK; CANTON--S-SGT.THOMAS R.STRONG; NEW BOSTON--SGT.JAMES E.MARTIN.
OREGON: ADAMS--MAJ.ALFRED D.BELSMA; OREGON CITY--CAPT.GROVER C.RIGGS; PORTLAND--SGT.ROBERT D.MUNSON.

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OKLAHOMA: LAWTON--SGT.CLIFTON W.BERGER; SGT.ALFRED L. BRAZIEL; SGT.ED E.LEDFORD; WILBURTON--LT.COL.FRANCIS S.CANE; HITCHCOCK--M-SGT.VERNON L.MAY.
PENNSYLVANIA: LEWISTOWN--CAPT.CHARLES E.TEMPLE; WESTFIELD--SGT.JAMES F.HALL.
SOUTH DAKOTA: HOT SPRINGS--SGT.ARNO J.HICKOK.
TENNESSEE: NASHVILLE--MAJ.WILLIAM F.LOVELL.
TEXAS: AUSTIN--LT.COL.BENJAMIN B.KING; SAN ANTONIO--MAJ.VICTOR E.LUHORN; PLAINVIEW--S-SGT.ALBERT R.JONES.
VIRGINIA: ALEXANDRIA-MAJ.LEONARD H.RAINES.
WASHINGTON: SPOKANE--M-SGT. LUCIUS W.WEEKS.
WISCONSIN: JANESVILLE--COL.FRANCIS H.BOOS.
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA: WASHINGTON--MAJ.GEN.VERNON EVANS; LT.COL. RICHARD PARK, JR.; LT.COL.ROYER K.LEWIS; LT.COL.CLIFFORD L.MILLER, II; T-SGT. GEORGE ROLLO; CAPT.OLIVER H.MEYERS.
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(WX)(~~ADVANCE~~) CHICAGO,MAY 6-(AP)-SENATOR MCCARTHY TONIGHT ACCUSED THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION OF "DECEIT AND DISHONESTY" IN MAKING AVAILABLE SOME GOVERNMENT LOYALTY FILES TO SENATE COMMUNIST INVESTIGATORS.
IT'S A "PHONEY OFFER OF PHONEY FILES," THE WISCONSIN REPUBLICAN DECLARED.
MCCARTHY ALSO CHARGED THAT "OPERATION WHITEWASH" IS BEING CONDUCTED BY THE DEMOCRATIC-CONTROLLED SENATE COMMITTEE WHICH IS LOOKING INTO HISCONTENTIONS THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT IS RIDDLED WITH COMMUNISTS AND RED SYMPATHIZERS.

IN A NATIONWIDE RADIO BROADCAST (ABC NETWORK), MC CARTHY AGAIN BITTERLY ASSAILED SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON.
"THE DAYS OF DILETTANTE DIPLOMACY ARE RUNNING OUT ON MR.ACHESON AND HIS FANCY COMRADES OF THE KREMLIN," MC CARTHY SAID IN A SPEECH ~~PREPARED FOR DELIVERY~~ BEFORE A CONVENTION OF THE MIDWEST COUNCIL OF YOUNG REPUBLICANS.

ACHESON. SAID MC CARTHY. REFUSED TO TURN HIS BACK ON ALGER HISS BUT IS "TURNING HIS BACK UPON TWO OF OUR YOUNG MEN IN UNIFORM--TWO YOUNG MEN WHO ARE BEING HELD BY THE COMMUNISTS--THE SAME COMMUNISTS WHOM THE TRAITOR, HISS, WAS SERVING."
HISS, FORMER STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL, RECENTLY WAS CONVICTED ON A CHARGE THAT HE LIED WHEN HE SAID HE NEVER HANDED OVER SECRET GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS TO A COURIER FOR RUSSIA.
THE SERVICEMEN TO WHOM MCCARTHY REFERRED ARE NAVY CHIEF ELECTRICIAN WILLIAM C. SMITH, OF LONG BEACH, CALIF., AND MARINE MASTER SERGEANT ELMER C. BENDER, CINCINNATI, WHO DISAPPEARED OCT. 19, 1948 WHILE ON A TRAINING FLIGHT FROM THE NORTH CHINA PORT CITY OF TSINGTAO. THEY ARE REPORTED HELD AS PRISONERS BY THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS.
MCCARTHY SAID ACHESON HAD "SENT SOME NOTES" DEMANDING THEIR RELEASE, AND WAS "EMPLOYING SOME TOTAL DIPLOMACY," BUT NOTHING MORE.

MC CARTHY, A FORMER MARINE, SAID HE FAVORS "DOING ANYTHING, INCLUDING FORCEFUL MEANS, TO GO IN AND GET" THE TWO ~~MARINES.~~ captives.
HE MADE THE REMARK IN REPLY TO A REPORTER'S QUESTION WHETHER HE FAVORS AN EXPEDITIONARY FORCE TO RESCUE THE TWO MEN. HE ADDED QUICKLY:
"HOWEVER, IT WOULDN'T TAKE FORCE. IF WE SAY WE MEAN BUSINESS THEY WOULD GIVE THEM UP. THEY WON'T GO TO WAR OVER TWO MEN."
STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS HAD NO IMMEDIATE COMMENT.
AS FOR THE LOYALTY INVESTIGATION, PRESIDENT TRUMAN TWO DAYS AGO REVERSED HIS EARLIER REFUSAL TO RELEASE GOVERNMENT LOYALTY FILES TO SENATE INVESTIGATORS AND DECIDED TO LET THE INQUIRY COMMITTEE EXAMINE STATE DEPARTMENT FILES ON THE 81 CASES MCCARTHY CITED IN A SENATE SPEECH LAST FEB. 20.
THE APPROVAL DOES NOT APPLY TO FBI FILES--WHICH MC CARTHY HAS CONTENDED ALL ALONG ARE REQUIRED TO PROVE HIS CHARGES. HOWEVER, SENATOR TYDINGS (D-MD), THE COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN, SAID THERE WOULD BE FBI MATERIAL IN SOME OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT RECORDS.
THE PRESIDENT AGREED TO RELEASE THE STATE DEPARTMENT DATA WHEN HE WAS INFORMED BY TYDINGS THAT THE MATERIAL HAD BEEN SCRUTINIZED BY FOUR OTHER CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEES 2 1/2 YEARS AGO.
MC CARTHY ASSERTED THAT MR.TRUMAN HAD ABANDONED "HIS HIGH PRINCIPLES" ABOUT KEEPING THE FILES INVIOLATE, IN ORDER TO "MAKE HIS CROSS-COUNTRY JUNKET LESS EMBARRASSING." HE WAS ALLUDING TO THE TRIP MR.TRUMAN STARTS TOMORROW.

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MC CARTHY CALLED THE STATE DEPARTMENT RECORDS COMPLETELY INADEQUATE AND SAID THAT IF A REAL JOB OF INVESTIGATION IS TO BE DONE, "ALL OF THE FILES MUST BE BROKEN OPEN." HE ADDED:
"WE MUST HAVE THE FILES OF THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION, THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY, ARMY INTELLIGENCE, NAVY INTELLIGENCE AND THE SECRET SERVICE."
IN TERMING THE STATE DEPARTMENT RECORDS "PHONEY," MC CARTHY DECLARED THAT ONE OF THE CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEES WHICH PREVIOUSLY EXAMINED THE DEPARTMENT RECORDS REPORTED THAT PAPERS WERE MISSING FROM THEM AND THAT "THERE WAS AN OVERALL LAXNESS IN THE ENTIRE STATE DEPARTMENT IN THE HANDLING OF DOCUMENTS." THEN THE SENATOR SAID:
"THIS IS WHAT I HAD IN MIND WHEN I WARNED THE (SENATE) COMMITTEE TIME AFTER TIME THAT THIS JOB COULD NOT BE DONE ONLY WITH THE SKINNY RIBS OF THE FILES X X X."
"HOW MUCH OF THIS NONSENSE DOES THE ADMINISTRATION THINK THE AMERICAN PEOPLE WILL BUY?
"HOW MUCH DECEIT AND DISHONESTY MUST WE BE SUBJECTED TO BEFORE WE CAN GET SOME HONEST ACTION? THIS IS A SERIOUS BUSINESS. IT IS

NOT THE TIME OR THE SITUATION FOR POLITICIANS TO PLAY A FRAUDULENT POLITICAL GAME.

"THERE ARE COMMUNISTS ON OUR FEDERAL PAYROLL. THE AMERICAN PEOPLE HAVE A RIGHT TO DEMAND THAT THEY BE ROUTED OUT."

A SINGLE COMMUNIST-MINDED INDIVIDUAL STRATEGICALLY PLACED IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT "IS MUCH MORE DANGEROUS THAN AN A-BOMB," MC CARTHY DECLARED, AND ADDED:

"AN A-BOMB WILL KILL THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE, BUT A COMMUNIST-MINDED STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICER IN A KEY POSITION WHOSE DISLOYALTY IS HIDDEN BY PRESIDENTIAL FIAT CAN ENSLAVE THIS NATION."

MC CARTHY EARLIER TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE AFTER HIS ARRIVAL THAT HE BELIEVES SEVERAL DEMOCRATIC SENATORS WOULD CONDUCT THE SENATE INVESTIGATION IN A MORE "FAIRMINDED" WAY THEN SENATOR TYDINGS IS DOING.

HE NAMED SENATORS KERR OF OKLAHOMA, HOEY OF NORTH CAROLINA, BYRD OF ~~MARYLAND~~ Virginia, GEORGE OF GEORGIA, AND ANDERSON OF NEW MEXICO AS DEMOCRATS WHOM HE WOULD PREFER.

"I DON'T REMOTELY CLAIM THAT ONLY THE REPUBLICANS CAN CLEAR OUT THE STATE DEPARTMENT," MC CARTHY SAID.

"I HOPE THE PRESIDENT ULTIMATELY WILL DECIDE IT IS LESS HARMFUL TO DO A HOUSECLEANING JOB THAN TO RESIST.

"I HOPE HE WILL DECIDE THE BEST POLITICS IS NOT POLITICS."

MC CARTHY ACCUSED TYDINGS AND THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION OF OBSTRUCTIONS AND DELAYS IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT INVESTIGATION.

"AS A RESULT," HE SAID, "IT IS A DIFFICULT TOOTH PULLING JOB. IT IS NOT ONLY UNFAIR TO THE NATION, IT IS UNFAIR TO THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY."

HE SAID HE WOULD LIKE TO GO ON TO OTHER DEPARTMENTS AFTER "CLEANING OUT" THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

HE WELCOMES MATERIAL AND EVIDENCE FROM ALL SOURCES, INCLUDING "CHINESE NATIONALIST SOURCES," HE REPLIED TO A NEWSMAN WHO ASKED.

"I DON'T CARE WHERE THE MATERIAL COMES FROM," MC CARTHY ADDED.

ASKED WHETHER ACHESON IS "KNOWINGLY AIDING AND ABETTING COMMUNISTS," MC CARTHY SAID:

"THE FACT THAT HE'S DOING IT IS ALL THAT IS IMPORTANT; WHETHER KNOWINGLY IS UNIMPORTANT."

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(WX)..(ADVANCE)..HONESDALE, PA., MAY 6-(AP)-SENATOR MYERS (D-PA) DECLARED TONIGHT THAT SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) HAS FAILED TO PRODUCE A "SINGLE SHRED OF DIRECT EVIDENCE" TO BACK UP HIS CHARGES OF COMMUNISM IN THE GOVERNMENT.

MYERS, DEPUTY DEMOCRATIC LEADER OF THE SENATE, SAID THE CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE INVESTIGATING MC CARTHY'S ACCUSATIONS "HAS MERELY BEEN CONFRONTED WITH EVASIVE REPLIES WHEN IT SOUGHT TO PIN DOWN SPECIFIC ALLEGATIONS."

MYERS DID NOT MENTION MC CARTHY BY NAME, BUT IT WAS CLEAR HE WAS TALKING ABOUT THE WISCONSIN REPUBLICAN. MYERS' REMARKS WERE IN A SPEECH ~~PREPARED FOR DELIVERY~~ TO THE WAYNE COUNTY DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE.

MC CARTHY HAS CHARGED THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT IS HARBORING MANY COMMUNISTS AND FELLOW TRAVELERS.

"WE CAN'T AFFORD TO LOSE OUR FAITH IN THE INTEGRITY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE AT THIS CRITICAL POINT IN WORLD AFFAIRS," SAID MYERS.

HE SAID THE FEDERAL LOYALTY PROGRAM SET UP BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN "HAS WORKED HAND-IN-GLOVE WITH THE FBI IN EXAMINING THE LOYALTY OF EVERY PERSON WORKING IN OUR GOVERNMENT TODAY." HE ADDED:

"THERE HAVE, OF COURSE, BEEN A FEW HUNDRED PEOPLE OUT OF THE 2,000,000 OR SO IN THE ENTIRE GOVERNMENT WOULD COULD NOT FURNISH CONCLUSIVE PROOF OF THEIR LOYALTY, AND THEY ARE NO LONGER CARRIED ON GOVERNMENT PAYROLLS.

"ON THE OTHER HAND, THE OTHERS HAVE BEEN GIVEN A CLEAN BILL OF HEALTH AFTER THOROUGH INVESTIGATION."

AS FOR MC CARTHY'S ACCUSATIONS, MYERS DECLARED:

"THE COMMITTEE HAS PRESSED THOSE WHO OFFERED THE CHARGES TO BRING FORTH EVIDENCE IN SUPPORT OF WHAT THEY ALLEGED. AND TO DATE, THOSE WHO MADE THE CHARGES IN THE FIRST PLACE HAVE FAILED TO PUT INTO THE RECORD ONE SINGLE SHRED OF DIRECT EVIDENCE TO SUPPORT THE CONTENTION THAT THERE WERE 205, OR 81, OR 57 KNOWN, CARD-CARRYING COMMUNISTS IN THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE."

MC CARTHY HAS USED THOSE THREE FIGURES IN DIFFERING WAYS IN PRESSING HIS CHARGES AGAINST THE DEPARTMENT.

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD COMMUNISTS (ROUNDUP)

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, MAY 6-(AP)-SENATOR MCCARTHY TONIGHT ACCUSED THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION OF "DECEIT AND DISHONESTY" IN DEALING WITH HIS CHARGES OF COMMUNISTS IN GOVERNMENT. MCCARTHY WAS ACCUSED IN TURN OF FAILING TO OFFER "ANY EVIDENCE WHATSOEVER" ABOUT WHOLESALE DISLOYALTY.

MCCARTHY, SPEAKING AT CHICAGO, ASSAILED PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S ACTION IN MAKING AVAILABLE TO THE INVESTIGATORS FILES ON 81 CASES CITED BY THE WISCONSIN REPUBLICAN. HE SAID THESE FILES WERE INADEQUATE AND "PHONY."

BUT SENATOR MYERS OF PENNSYLVANIA, DEPUTY DEMOCRATIC LEADER IN THE SENATE, SAID IN A SPEECH AT HONESDALE, PA., THAT MCCARTHY HAD FAILED, TO COME THROUGH WITH ANYTHING BUT "NEW CHARGES" WHEN INVESTIGATORS TRIED TO PIN DOWN HIS ALLEGATIONS ABOUT STATE DEPARTMENT EMPLOYES.

MYERS, WHO DID NOT MENTION MCCARTHY BY NAME, DECLARED THAT THE GOVERNMENT'S EMPLOYES "HAVE BEEN GIVEN A CLEAN BILL OF HEALTH AFTER THOROUGH INVESTIGATION" DURING THE GOVERNMENT'S FOUR-YEAR LOYALTY PROGRAM WHICH WORKS "HAND IN GLOVE" WITH THE FBI.

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"WE CAN'T AFFORD," MYERS SAID, "TO LOSE OUR FAITH IN THE INTEGRITY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE AT THIS CRITICAL POINT IN WORLD AFFAIRS."

AS FOR THE LOYALTY FILES RELEASED TO THE INVESTIGATORS, THE PENNSYLVANIA DEMOCRAT SAID THAT THE COMMITTEE IS STUDYING THEM SINCE IT HAS "NO EVIDENCE FROM THOSE WHO HAVE BROUGHT THE CHARGES."

MCCARTHY ASSERTED THAT TO DO A REAL JOB OF INVESTIGATING, "ALL OF THE FILES MUST BE BROKEN OPEN," AND HE MENTIONED THE FILES OF THE FBI, CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY, ARMY INTELLIGENCE, NAVY INTELLIGENCE AND THE SECRET SERVICE.

HE DEMANDED "HONEST ACTION" AND DECLARED AGAIN: "THERE ARE COMMUNISTS ON OUR FEDERAL PAYROLL."

HE BITTERLY ATTACKED SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON AGAIN, SAYING "THE DAYS OF DILETTANTE DIPLOMACY ARE RUNNING OUT ON MR.ACHESON AND HIS FANCY COMRADES OF THE KREMLIN."

MCCARTHY NOTED THAT ACHESON HAD REFUSED TO TURN HIS BACK ON ALGER HISS, WHO WAS CONVICTED OF PERJURING HIMSELF IN DENYING HE GAVE PAPERS TO A RUSSIAN SPY. BUT MCCARTHY SAID THAT THE SECRETARY "IS TURNING HIS BACK" ON TWO AMERICAN SERVICEMEN WHO ARE PRISONERS OF THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS.

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AMERICAN DIPLOMACY HAS FAILED TO SECURE RELEASE OF THE TWO WHO DISAPPEARED ~~SEVERAL WEEKS AGO.~~ while on a training flight near Tampa.

THE LOYALTY FILES REFERRED TO BY THE SPEAKERS WERE RELEASED TO THE INQUIRY AFTER MR.TRUMAN WAS ADVISED THEY WERE EXAMINED BY PREVIOUS CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEES WHO HAD STUDIED THE CASES INVOLVED. THE PRESIDENT HAS STEADFASTLY REFUSED TO RELEASE FBI FILES DEMANDED BY MCCARTHY ON THE THEORY THAT DISCLOSURE OF THEM WOULD DAMAGE THE AGENCY.

AS THE DEBATE CONTINUED AND PROMISED TO ECHO IN THE COMING CONGRESSIONAL ELECTION CAMPAIGN, INVESTIGATORS OF ALLEGED COMMUNISM WERE BUSY AT THE CAPITOL.

~~WASHINGTON, MAY 6-(AP)-~~CONTEMPT CITATIONS FOR EARL BROWDER AND FREDERICK VANDERBILT FIELD WERE LAID BEFORE SENATE COMMUNIST INVESTIGATORS TODAY WITH A RECOMMENDATION THAT THEY TAKE ACTION AGAINST THE PAIR.

THE GROUP WILL CONSIDER MONDAY WHETHER TO VOTE TO CITE THE TWO MEN WHO DEFIED A SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE BY REFUSING TO ANSWER A NUMBER OF QUESTIONS.

EDWARD P. MORGAN, ATTORNEY FOR THE FIVE-MAN PANEL STUDYING SENATOR MCCARTHY'S CHARGES OF COMMUNISM IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT, PROPOSED THAT THE WHOLE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE ACT AGAINST THE TWO WITNESSES. FULL SENATE APPROVAL ALSO WOULD BE REQUIRED TO SEND THE CASES TO THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY FOR COURT ACTION.

BROWDER, FORMER HEAD OF THE AMERICAN COMMUNIST PARTY, TURNED ASIDE A VOLLEY OF QUESTIONS ABOUT INDIVIDUALS, PROTESTING THAT IT WAS A "FISHING EXPEDITION."

FIELD, MILLIONAIRE DESCENDANT OF COMMODORE CORNELIUS VANDERBILT, CLAIMED CONSTITUTIONAL PROTECTION FOR REFUSING TO SAY WHETHER HE EVER WAS A COMMUNIST, AND WITHHOLDING OTHER ANSWERS.

MEANWHILE, ON THE HOUSE SIDE, THE ATTORNEY FOR WILLIAM W.REMINGTON TURNED HIS FIRE ON CHAIRMAN WOODS (D-GA) OF THE UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE.

THE LAWYER, JOSEPH L.RAUH, CHARGED THAT WOOD HAS PRE-JUDGED THE NEW LOYALTY INVESTIGATION OF REMINGTON, YOUNG COMMERCE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL WHO HAS DENIED TESTIMONY THAT HE WAS A COMMUNIST.

AS RAUH MET REPORTERS IN A NEWS CONFERENCE, THE COMMITTEE WAS HEARING FROM ELIZABETH T.BENTLEY, AVOWED EX-COURIER FOR RUSSIAN SPIES, WHO FIRST LEVELED THE COMMUNISM CHARGE AT REMINGTON. SHE APPEARED TODAY BEHIND CLOSED DOORS.

MISS BENTLEY, UNTIL RECENTLY A TEACHER AT A CATHOLIC GIRLS' SCHOOL IN CHICAGO, FIRST ACCUSED REMINGTON TWO YEARS AGO OF BEING A COMMUNIST AND SUPPLYING HER SECRET INFORMATION WHEN HE WAS WITH THE WAR PRODUCTION BOARD. HE DENIED IT.

~~REMINGTON, WHO WAS SUSPENDED FROM HIS COMMERCE DEPARTMENT POST AFTER THE BENTLEY TESTIMONY IN 1948, AND THEN REINSTATED WITH BACK BAY WHEN THE TOP LOYALTY REVIEW BOARD CLEARED HIM,~~

REMINGTON, WHO WAS SUSPENDED FROM HIS COMMERCE DEPARTMENT POST AFTER THE BENTLEY TESTIMONY IN 1948, AND THEN REINSTATED WITH BACK PAY WHEN THE TOP LOYALTY REVIEW BOARD CLEARED HIM, DENIED AGAIN THAT HE HAS EVER BEEN A COMMUNIST WHEN HE TESTIFIED BEFORE THE COMMITTEE THIS WEEK.

THIS TIME HE ANSWERED THE CHARGES OF KENNETH MCCONNELL AND HOWARD ALLEN BRIDGMAN WHO TESTIFIED THAT HE WAS A COMMUNIST AT 18 WHEN HE WAS A MESSENGER FOR THE TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY IN KNOXVILLE.

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RAUH TOLD REPORTERS THAT THE NEW HEARING HAD PRODUCED ONLY "A COMPLETE REHASH OF THE BENTLEY CASE." HE SAID THE STORIES OF THE TWO MEN, WHO SAID THEY ARE FORMER COMMUNISTS, IS FULL OF HOLES.

MORGAN, THE SENATE GROUP'S ATTORNEY, SAID THAT FIELD'S LAWYER HAD WRITTEN HIM A LONG LETTER IN DEFENSE OF FIELD, BUT MORGAN SAID HE DOESN'T BELIEVE THAT THE LEGAL PRECEDENTS LISTED IN THE LETTER "WILL STAND UP IN THIS CASE."

AT YONKERS, N.Y., BROWDER WAS ASKED ABOUT THE MOVE TO CITE HIM AND EXPRESSED BELIEF HE WILL BE EXONERATED IN HIS STAND. HE SAID OFFICIAL WASHINGTON "SEEMS TO BE GOING AROUND IN A KIND OF ALICE-IN-WONDERLAND EXISTENCE."

FIELD SAID AT NEW HARTFORD, CONN., HE COULD NOT COMMENT UNTIL HE SAW HIS LAWYER AND FINDS OUT "WHAT WE'RE GOING TO DO ABOUT IT."

MORGAN DRAFTED THE CITATION AT DIRECTION OF CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD) OF THE SUBCOMMITTEE WHO SAID "THERE HAS BEEN AN AFFRONT TO THE DIGNITY OF THE SENATE AND THE GOVERNMENT."

PENALTY FOR CONVICTION OF CONTEMPT RANGES UP TO A YEAR IN JAIL AND A $1,000 FINE ON EACH COUNT.

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KEUTL NIGHT LEAD REMINGTON

WASHINGTON, MAY 6-(AP)-WILLIAM W.REMINGTON DISPUTED POINT-BY-POINT TODAY TESTIMONY OF TWO ADMITTED FORMER COMMUNISTS WHO SAID THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT ECONOMIST WAS A PARTY MEMBER IN 1936-37.

REMINGTON'S ATTORNEY, JOSEPH L. RAUH, JR., DID MOST OF THE TALKING AT A HURRIEDLY CALLED NEWS CONFERENCE. REMINGTON NODDED ASSENT TO WHAT RAUH SAID.

IN ADDITION TO POINTING TO WHAT HE CALLED "MANY DISCREPANCIES" IN THE TESTIMONY OF KENNETH MCCONNELL AND HOWARD ALLEN BRIDGMAN, RAUH ACCUSED CHAIRMAN WOOD (D-GA) OF THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE OF:

1. PREJUDGING THE REMINGTON CASE.
2. TRYING TO TRAP HIM INTO SILENCE ON WHAT MCCONNELL AND BRIDGMAN TOLD THE COMMITTEE IN EXECUTIVE SESSION. (ONLY PART OF THEIR TESTIMONY HAS BEEN MADE PUBLIC).

WHILE THE NEWS CONFERENCE WAS GOING ON IN A DOWNTOWN HOTEL, THE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE WAS HEARING ELIZABETH BENTLEY BEHIND CLOSED DOORS IN CONNECTION WITH ITS CURRENT INVESTIGATION INTO

REMINGTON'S LOYALTY.
MISS BENTLEY, ADMITTED FORMER COURIER FOR A RUSSIAN SPY RING, TOLD SENATE INVESTIGATORS IN 1948 THAT REMINGTON GAVE HER WAR PRODUCTION SECRETS WHICH WENT TO MOSCOW.
REMINGTON WAS SUSPENDED ON THE BASIS OF HER TESTIMONY. HE WENT BACK TO WORK IN THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT AFTER THE GOVERNMENT'S LOYALTY REVIEW BOARD CLEARED HIM.
WOOD GAVE REPORTERS NO INFORMATION AS TO THE NATURE OF MISS BENTLEY'S TESTIMONY TODAY. HE MERELY ACKNOWLEDGED THAT SHE APPEARED IN CONNECTION WITH THE REMINGTON CASE.
REMINGTON, 32, HAS REPEATEDLY DENIED (1) THAT HE GAVE MISS BENTLEY ANY SECRET INFORMATION AND (2) THAT HE EVER WAS A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY.
RAUH SAID WOOD PREJUDGED THE CASE WHEN HE WROTE SETH RICHARDSON, CHAIRMAN OF THE LOYALTY REVIEW BOARD, SUGGESTING THE BOARD REOPEN THE REMINGTON CASE. WOOD DID THIS "BEFORE HE EVER HEARD OUR SIDE," RAUH ADDED.
RAUH YESTERDAY ASKED--AND WAS GRANTED--PERMISSION TO READ THE FULL TESTIMONY OF MCCONNELL AND BRIDGMAN. HE READ FOR ABOUT 15 MINUTES, THEN ASKED PERMISSION TO RETURN AND EXAMINE IT FURTHER TODAY. WHEN HE WENT TO THE COMMITTEE ROOM TODAY, HE WAS HANDED A LETTER SIGNED BY WOOD. IT SAID IN PART:
"YOU ARE ALLOWED TO EXAMINE THE TESTIMONY X X X WITH THE EXPRESS UNDERSTANDING THAT THE CONTENTS THEREOF WILL NOT BE RELEASED BY YOU TO ANY OTHER PERSON WITHOUT AUTHORITY FROM THIS COMMITTEE."
RAUH REJECTED THIS CONDITION.
"IF I HAD READ THE TRANSCRIPT TODAY, WE WOULD HAVE FALLEN INTO THE BIGGEST TRAP ANYONE EVER FELL INTO," RAUH COMMENTED. "I WOULD HAVE BEEN REQUIRED TO KEEP FROM THE PRESS AND EVERYONE ELSE WHAT I HAD OBTAINED FROM A CURSORY EXAMINATION YESTERDAY."
ANYWAY, RAUH COMMENTED, "I HAVE ALREADY SEEN ENOUGH TO PROVE THAT THE CHARGES ARE UNFOUNDED."

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SEATTLE,MAY 6-(AP)-SMITH TROY, STATE ATTORNEY GENERAL, DECLARED YESTERDAY THAT GEORGE HEWITT LIED WHEN HE ACCUSED PROFESSOR MELVIN RADER OF ATTENDING A SECRET COMMUNIST SCHOOL IN NEW YORK IN 1938.
HEWITT, A NEGRO WITNESS, MADE THE STATEMENT ABOUT RADER, UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON TEACHER, DURING THE 1948 HEARINGS OF THE STATE'S LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ON UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES.
TROY'S STATEMENT CAME IN A LETTER TO KING COUNTY (SEATTLE) PROSECUTO CHARLES O.CARROLL.
WHEREABOUTS OF RADER AT THE TIME OF THE PURPORTED COMMUNIST SCHOOL MEETING WAS ESTABLISHED TO THE SATISFACTION OF UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT RAYMOND B.ALLEN IN OCTOBER, WHEN HE EXONERATED RADER OF ANY COMMUNIST CONNECTIONS.
RADER INSISTED HE AND HIS WIFE WERE AT CANYON CREEK LODGE NORTH OF HERE DURING THE TIME HEWITT SAID HE WAS IN NEW YORK.
FORMER REP.ALBERT F.CANWELL OF SPOKANE, WHO HEADED THE COMMITTEE, RECENTLY TURNED OVER TO CARROLL SOME SHEETS FROM THE LODGE'S REGISTER.
TROY WROTE OF THIS:
"INVESTIGATORS FROM THIS OFFICE WERE ABLE TO ESTABLISH THAT THE NAMES OF MELVIN RADER AND VIRGINIA RADER, HIS WIFE, WERE ON ONE OF THE PAGES TAKEN BY COMMITTEE INVESTIGATORS AND THAT THE DATE OF THE REGISTRATION WAS KNOWN TO BE IN 1938."
TROY DECLARED THE COMMITTEE WAS IN ERROR IN REPORTING TO THE 1949 LEGISLATURE AND IN REPORTING TO A NEW YORK COURT, DURING EFFORTS TO EXTRADITE HEWITT FOR PERJURY. THAT THE RADERS HAD NOT BEEN TO TO CANYON CREEK PRIOR TO 1940.
"THIS WAS AN OBVIOUS DISTORTION, WHETHER BY MISTAKE, INADVERTENCE OR OTHERWISE," TROY WROTE.
AT SPOKANE LAST NIGHT CANWELL DECLINED COMMENT.

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~~(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 5P.M. EASTERN STANDING TIME SATURDAY, MAY 6--NOTE DATE)~~
~~(ADVANCE)~~--NEW YORK, MAY 6-(AP)-THE DEPUTY AMERICAN DELEGATE TO THE UNITED NATIONS SAID TONIGHT THE BEST CURE FOR RUSSIAN WALKOUTS FROM U.N. ORGANIZATIONS IS "TO GO RIGHT ON DOING WHAT WE SHOULD BE DOING ANYWAY."
THE DELEGATE IS AMBASSADOR ERNEST A. GROSS, NO. 2 MAN UNDER CHIEF DELEGATE WARREN R. AUSTIN.
GROSS' VIEWS WERE PUBLISHED IN AN ARTICLE FOR THE NEW YORK TIMES SUNDAY MAGAZINE WHICH WAS MADE AVAILABLE BY THE UNITED STATES MISSION.
THE U.S. DELEGATE DIFFERED WITH FORMER PRESIDENT HERBERT HOOVER ON THE POINT OF REORGANIZING THE U.N. AND EXCLUDING COMMUNISTIC COUNTRIES, WHICH HOOVER SUGGESTED LAST WEEK.
GROSS SAID THIS WOULD BE A SERIOUS MISTAKE. UNLESS THE RUSSIANS THEMSELVES PROLONG THEIR ABSENCE AND COMPEL THE OTHER MEMBERS TO TRANSFORM THE U.N. INTO AN ORGANIZATION OF THE NON-SOVIET WORLD, GROSS SAID, IT WOULD BE NEITHER PRACTICAL NOR IN AMERICAN INTEREST TO SEEK THEIR EXCLUSION.
HE URGED AMERICANS NOT TO BE DISTRACTED FROM THE OBJECTIVE OF CREATING A WORLD-WIDE ORGANIZATION IN WHICH NATIONS MAY WORK FOR PEACE.
"MY ARGUMENT," HE CONTINUED, "IS THAT WE HAVE A JOB TO DO IN THE UNITED NATIONS. AND THE BEST WAY FOR US TO REACT WHEN THE SOVIET DELEGATES SULK IS TO GO RIGHT ON DOING WHAT WE SHOULD BE DOING ANYWAY. THIS IS NOT ONLY THE BEST WAY TO ACHIEVE OUR MAJOR OBJECTIVES BUT IT IS ALSO, I BELIEVE, THE BEST CURE FOR WALKOUTS. THE MORE EFFECTIVELY WE SUPPORT THE CONSTRUCTIVE WORK OF THE UNITED NATIONS THE MORE QUICKLY WILL THE SOVIET UNION CALL OFF THE NONSENSE AND PERMIT THEIR DELEGATES TO ATTEND UNITED NATIONS MEETINGS, AND THE SOONER THEY WILL BEGIN TO PARTICIPATE IN THE VITAL ECONOMIC, HEALTH AND SOCIAL ACTIVITIES OF THE UNITED NATIONS."
THE RUSSIANS HAVE BOYCOTTED MORE THAN A SCORE OF U.N. ORGANIZATIONS BECAUSE OF THE PRESENCE OF CHINESE NATIONALIST DELEGATES. THE RUSSIANS WANT COMMUNIST CHINESE DELEGATES ADMITTED BUT SO FAR HAVE LOST EVERY ATTEMPT TO GET RED CHINA INTO THE U.N.
~~(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 5P.M. EST SATURDAY, MAY 6--MOVED MAY 5)~~
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NEW YORK, MAY 6-(AP)-THE PRIME MINISTER OF PAKISTAN, LIAQUAT ALI KHAN, AND HIS WIFE, BEGUM LIAQUAT ALI, ARRIVED IN NEW YORK TODAY BY TRAIN FROM WASHINGTON.
THE PRIME MINISTER IS IN THE COUNTRY ON A STATE VISIT AND WILL TOUR MAJOR AMERICAN CITIES.
LIAQUAT ALI TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE HE WOULD "LIKE TO BUY ARMS HERE IF THEY MEET MY REQUIREMENTS."
HIS COUNTRY NEEDS SPECIFIC EQUIPMENT SUCH AS SPARE PARTS FOR SHERMAN TANKS, THE PRIME MINISTER SAID. HE DECLINED TO STATE WHAT OTHER EQUIPMENT PAKISTAN NEEDED.

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THE PREMIER SAID HE EXPECTS TO ACCEPT AN INVITATION TO VISIT MOSCOW BUT NO DATE HAS BEEN FIXED.

HE SAID THERE WERE "NOT MANY" COMMUNISTS IN PAKISTAN.

THE MOSLEM LEADER SAID HIS COUNTRY "WANTS TO BE ON THE FRIENDLIEST TERMS" WITH NEIGHBORING AFGHANISTAN BUT THAT "WE HAVE NOT BEEN ABLE TO FIND OUT WHAT AFGHANISTAN WANTS."

"IF ANYBODY WANTS A PART OF MY COUNTRY, THAT IS A PROPOSITION I CANNOT AGREE WITH," HE SAID.

PAKISTAN IS RICH IN NATURAL RESOURCES BUT LACKS INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT, HE SAID. HIS COUNTRY IS PREPARED TO GUARANTEE FOREIGN INVESTORS THE PRIVILEGE OF TAKING DIVIDENDS FROM THE COUNTRY IN DOLLARS, HE ADDED.

AS AN EXAMPLE OF HIS COUNTRY'S NEED FOR INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT, THE PRIME MINISTER SAID PAKISTAN PRODUCES 75 PER CENT OF THE WORLD'S JUTE BUT DOES NOT HAVE A SINGLE JUTE MILL.

HE SAID HE WAS HOPEFUL OF ESTABLISHING "VERY FRIENDLY" RELATIONS BETWEEN PAKISTAN AND INDIA.

"WE WILL MAKE AN EFFORT TO SETTLE ALL OUR DISPUTES," HE SAID.

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NEW YORK, MAY 6-(AP)-A PHYSICIST WHOSE PASSPORT WAS LIFTED BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT ON THE EVE OF A TRIP TO FRANCE SAID TONIGHT THE ACTION WAS BASED ON "ALLEGATIONS OF A PERSONAL NATURE."

PROF. EDWARD M. CORSON, AN EXCHANGE PROFESSOR AT THE UNIVERSITY OF EDINBURGH, SCOTLAND, AND CONSULTANT ON THE ATOMIC ENERGY PROGRAM, SAID HE HAD LEARNED THE STATE DEPARTMENT ACTION DID NOT INVOLVE "ANY ISSUE OF LOYALTY."

HE TERMED IT "UNFORTUNATE" THAT THE FBI AND STATE DEPARTMENT HAD ACTED ON "COMPLETELY UNSUBSTANTIATED ALLEGATIONS" AND ASKED THAT HIS PASSPORT BE REINSTATED.

PROFESSOR CORSON, IN ANNOUNCING THE LIFTING OF HIS PASSPORT LAST THURSDAY, SAID HE HAD BEEN QUESTIONED A NUMBER OF TIMES BY THE FBI BECAUSE HE HAD EXPRESSED FAITH IN DR. KLAUS FUCHS, BRITISH PHYSICIST CONVICTED OF SPYING FOR THE RUSSIANS.

HE SAID HE HAD SUPPORTED FUCHS AS A "FELLOW SCIENTIST" BUT HAD DROPPED THE MATTER AFTER FUCHS HAD WIRED HIM: "THERE IS NOTHING YOU CAN DO. THE EVIDENCE WILL CHANGE YOUR MIND."

AFTER CORSON'S ANNOUNCEMENT, THE STATE DEPARTMENT VERIFIED THAT HIS PASSPORT HAD BEEN LIFTED AND SAID THE GROUNDS WERE THAT HIS PROPOSED TRIP TO FRANCE TO LECTURE AT THE FRENCH ACADEMY OF SCIENCE WAS "NOT IN THE NATIONAL INTEREST."

CORSON SAID TONIGHT IN A STATEMENT:

"I HAVE BEEN ADVISED THAT THE RECENT STATE DEPARTMENT ACTION IN SEIZING MY PASSPORT DEVOLVES NOT ON ANY ISSUE OF LOYALTY OR INTEGRITY BUT RATHER ON VAGUE ALLEGATIONS OF A PERSONAL NATURE.

"THESE ALLEGATIONS HAVE BEEN BROUGHT BY THE OVERWROUGHT PARENTS OF MY SOON-TO-BE EX-WIFE AND ARE OF SUCH A CHARACTER AS TO BE UNWORTHY OF REPLY.

"IT IS MOST UNFORTUNATE THAT A PURELY FAMILY MATTER HAS BEEN TAKEN AT ALL SERIOUSLY BY THE FBI AND THE STATE DEPARTMENT; THE MORE SO BECAUSE NO EFFORT WAS MADE BY THESE AGENCIES TO CONFIRM OR DENY THE ALLEGATIONS.

"COMPLETELY UNSUBSTANTIATED ALLEGATIONS ARE PERHAPS THE MOST INSIDIOUS FORM OF ATTACK WHICH CAN BE LEVELLED AGAINST ANY INDIVIDUAL, AND I AM FORCED TO REQUEST THE AUTHORITIES IN WASHINGTON TO EITHER VERIFY THEM OR IN GOOD FAITH ACCEPT THE SITUATION AS A REGRETTABLE SMALL ERROR AND REINSTATE MY PASSPORT.

"IF IT IS THEN FOR SOUND REASONS STILL DEEMED DESIRABLE IN THE PUBLIC INTEREST THAT MY EUROPEAN TRIP BE CANCELLED, I SHALL OF COURSE ABIDE BY THE DEPARTMENT'S DECISION."

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(ADVANCE FOR AMS OF SUNDAY MAY 7)

PEACE OFFENSIVES (1,450)

EDITOR'S NOTE: RUSSIA HAS A MIGHTY MILITARY MACHINE--AND A PROPAGANDA MACHINE TO MATCH. STALIN EQUIPS HIS REGIME TO FIGHT, OR TO WAGE A "PEACE OFFENSIVE" THAT MAY IN ITS OWN WAY BE AS EFFECTIVE AS BOMBS. THE LATEST PEACE OFFENSIVE SEEMS NOW TO BE FADING, AND THE WORLD CAN WONDER IF IT WILL END AS OTHERS DID--IN EXPLOSIVE EVENTS. HERE WILLIAM L. RYAN OF THE AP FOREIGN STAFF TRACES THE COURSE OF RUSSIAN ACTIONS, BRINGING THE POSTWAR YEARS INTO A FOCUSED VIEW.

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ASSOCIATED PRESS STAFF WRITER

(ADVANCE)...THREE TIMES SINCE THE END OF WORLD WAR II A SOVIET PEACE OFFENSIVE HAS EXPLODED INTO NEW AND VIOLENT THREATS TO THE WORLD'S PEACE. TODAY A FOURTH PEACE OFFENSIVE APPEARS TO BE ON THE WANE.

THE EBB AND FLOW PATTERN OF COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA IS THROWN INTO BOLD RELIEF BY A STUDY OF THE RECORD. THIS IS HOW THE PATTERN EMERGES:

WITH THE FADING OF THE FIRST OFFENSIVE CAME THE HUNGARIAN COUP D'ETAT, IN WHICH THE COMMUNISTS SEIZED CONTROL OF THAT NATION.

AT THE END OF THE SECOND, AND BRIEFEST, CAME THE COMMUNIST COUP IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

WITH THE GRADUAL DIMOUT OF THE THIRD CAME THE BERLIN BLOCKADE.

AFTER THE FOURTH---?

MOSCOW'S CURRENT CAT-AND-MOUSE GAME WITH THE WESTERN WORLD'S FRAYED NERVES COULD WIND UP AT WHITSUNTIDE, THE MAY 28 WEEKEND, IN BERLIN. WESTERN OFFICIALS SAY DISCIPLINED LEGIONS OF YOUNG COMMUNISTS MAY ATTEMPT AN INVASION OF BERLIN'S WESTERN SECTORS AT THAT TIME.

THE APPARENTLY WANING FOURTH PEACE OFFENSIVE IS PROVIDING SOME ADVANCE HINTS OF THINGS TO COME: THE RIGIDLY DISCIPLINED MARCHING OF COMMUNISTS IN THE MAY DAY DEMONSTRATIONS IN BERLIN; THE BRIEF RETIGHTENING OF THIS WEEK OF RESTRICTIONS ON GERMAN RAILWAYS LEADING TO BERLIN; THE RISING PITCH OF MOSCOW ACCUSATIONS AGAINST THE WEST; THE STEPPED-UP RUSSIAN DIPLOMATIC ACTIVITY.

EACH OFFENSIVE SEEMS TO HAVE STARTED AT A TIME WHEN WAR FEARS WERE AT A PEAK IN THE WEST. EACH SEEMS TO HAVE SUCCEEDED IN SOME DEGREE IN ALLAYING THOSE FEARS, OR AT LEAST IN LULLING THE WEST INTO A MEASURE OF HOPEFULNESS.

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THE AIM OF SUCH PROPAGANDA DRIVES MAY BE TO SPREAD THE BELIEF THAT THE PEACE IS SECURE. WHILE THE PEACE OFFENSIVE IS ON, THE RUSSIAN PRESS USUALLY SPEAKS HOPEFULLY OF AN APPROACHING WORD DEPRESSION IN CAPITALIST COUNTRIES, OF RISING UNEMPLOYMENT. IT IS AS IF THE RUSSIANS HOPE TO ENGINEER SUCH A CRISIS THROUGH A PROCESS OF WEARING DOWN WESTERN PEOPLE IN CONFUSION BY A DAZZLING SERIES OF BELLIGERENT JABS AND STRATEGIC RETREATS.

THE OFFENSIVES ARE NOT NECESSARILY PART OF A LONG-RANGE, WELL-THOUGHT-OUT PLAN ON THE PART OF THE RUSSIANS. THE IMPRESSION, ON THE CONTRARY, IS THAT THE RUSSIANS CHOOSE THEIR TIME AS THE OPPORTUNITY PRESENTS ITSELF OR AS CONDITIONS SEEM TO REQUIRE. THUS, AT THE BEGINNING OF 1949, WHEN THE BERLIN BLOCKADE BEGAN TO LOOK LIKE A FAILURE, STALIN SEIZED THE OPPORTUNITY TO ANSWER QUESTIONS TELEGRAPHED BY AN AMERICAN CORRESPONDENT AND TO LAUNCH WHAT CAN BE CALLED, FOR PURPOSES OF THIS STUDY, PEACE OFFENSIVE NO. 4.

THE TERM "PEACE OFFENSIVE" ITSELF IS A SHADOWY ONE, DIFFICULT TO DEFINE. AT THE PRESENT STAGE OF THE WORLD, PEACE IN SOVIET EYES ACTUALLY CAN BE A FORM OF WARFARE. AT CERTAIN TIMES THE U.S.S.R. FINDS IT NEEDS AN ATMOSPHERE OF CALM TO ADVANCE PARTICULAR AIMS. MOSCOW HAS DEMONSTRATED MANY TIMES THAT IT WOULD GO AS FAR AS IT COULD

SHORT OF A SHOOTING WAR TO ACHIEVE ITS AMBITIONS, AND THEN RETREAT AND PLAY POSSUM. AT CERTAIN TIMES, ALSO, A PEACE OFFENSIVE MAY BE A LOT OF SOVIET NOISE, NEEDED TO COVER UP SOME THRUST IN A NEW DIRECTION.

WHILE THESE DRIVES ARE ON, THE SULLEN OBBLIGATO OF ANTI-WESTERN PROPAGANDA IS CONTINUED, BUT THE MAJOR EMPHASIS IS LAID ON THE THEME THAT RUSSIA, ABOVE ALL NATIONS, WANTS WORLD PEACE.

THE FIRST OFFENSIVE.

RUSSIAN THREATS AGAINST IRAN AND THE REVOLT IN IRANIAN AZERBAIJAN WHEN IT WAS OCCUPIED BY SOVIET TROOPS BROUGHT THE SOVIET UNION TO THE BAR OF WORLD OPINION IN THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL. THE FIRST PEACE OFFENSIVE MAY BE SAID TO HAVE STARTED SHORTLY AFTERWARD, BEGINNING WITH THE MAY DAY CELEBRATION OF 1946.

THE RUSSIAN PRESS BEGAN SPEAKING OF FRIENDLY COOPERATION WITH OTHER COUNTRIES. STALIN BROADCAST A PLEDGE OF PEACE. RUSSIA WITHDREW HER TROOPS FROM AZERBAIJAN, AND IN PARIS MADE SOME CONCESSIONS AT THE PEACE TREATY CONFERENCE. MOSCOW RADIO CALLED FOR GENUINE INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION, AND THERE WAS EVEN TALK AMONG WORLD DIPLOMATS OF AN HONEST DISARMAMENT PROGRAM.

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ON SEPT. 23, STALIN SAID "THE DANGER OF WAR DOES NOT EXIST." THERE WERE A NUMBER OF INSTANCES OF RUSSIAN COOPERATION, AND, AT THE DAWN OF 1947 RUSSIA WAS URGING A "SPIRIT OF AMITY." WESTERN OBSERVERS WERE NOTING A SOFTENING MOSCOW POLICY. THE SOVIET PRESS HAILED THE PROSPECTS OF A BIG-POWER ACCORD.

THE FIRST PEACE OFFENSIVE BEGAN TO COME APART AT THE SEAMS WITH THE MOSCOW CONFERENCE OF FOREIGN MINISTERS IN THE SPRING OF 1947. IT ENDED ABRUPTLY IN MAY WHEN COMMUNISTS STAGED THE HUNGARIAN COUP. THE WEST PROTESTED TO MOSCOW WITHOUT AVAIL. THE MARSHALL PLAN WAS BORN AND THE EAST-WEST RIFT WIDENED. RUSSIA REJECTED A U.S. PLAN FOR A JAPANESE PEACE PARLEY; BRITISH-RUSSIAN TRADE TALKS TOOK A TURN FOR THE WORSE; RUSSIA VETOED A UNITED NATIONS BALKANS PEACE PLAN. THE COMMUNISTS SNUFFED OUT THEIR OPPOSITION IN BULGARIA. CRISES IN GREECE AND KOREA WERE GROWING. MOSCOW'S LITERARY GAZETTE COMPARED PRESIDENT TRUMAN TO HITLER. BRAZIL AND CHILE BROKE DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH THE U.S.S.R.

THE COMINFORM WAS LAUNCHED IN POLAND AND WAS PLEDGED TO RUIN THE MARSHALL PLAN. IN NOVEMBER, 1947, V. M. MOLOTOV DECLARED THE ATOM SECRET NO LONGER EXISTED.

THE SECOND OFFENSIVE.

SUDDENLY THE SOVIET PRESS BEGAN TO CHANGE ITS TUNE. IZVESTIA, THE GOVERNMENT NEWSPAPER, SAID COOPERATION BETWEEN COMMUNISM AND CAPITALISM WAS WHOLLY POSSIBLE. DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER A. Y. VISHINSKY MADE A "PEACE" SPEECH. THE BIG FOUR WAS PREPARING FOR A LONDON MEETING ON THE GERMAN QUESTION (IT WAS TO ACCOMPLISH LITTLE). IN THE UNITED STATES SOVIET AMBASSADOR PANYUSHKIN EXPRESSED INTEREST IN REVIVED U.S.-RUSSIAN TRADE AS A STEP TO BETTER RELATIONS. RUSSIA RESUMED TALKS ON SETTLING HER LEND-LEASE BILL.

THEN, IN FEBRUARY, 1948, THE COMMUNISTS STRUCK IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AND EAST-WEST TENSIONS ROSE TO NEW HEIGHTS. COMMUNISTS FOMENTED DISORDERS IN ITALY AND FRANCE.

THE THIRD OFFENSIVE.

BY MAY A PERIOD OF CALM WAS NOTED. THE MOSCOW PRESS ONCE AGAIN BEGAN ITS NO-WAR TALK. MAY DAY OF 1948 WAS MARKED BY ANTI-WAR SLOGANS. RUSSIA ANNOUNCED MAY 11 SHE WAS WILLING TO CONFER WITH THE U.S. TO END THEIR DIFFERENCES. THE MOSCOW PRESS HAILED THIS AND HOPES WERE RAISED IN TIRED EUROPE. THE SOVIET PRESS EVEN PRAISED THE RULES OF THE U.S. AND BRITAIN IN THE WAR ON FASCISM. SPECULATION IN THE WEST CENTERED ON THE POSSIBILITY OF A COLD WAR TRUCE. THE RUSSIAN PRESS SAID IT WANTED TO SEE PEACE CONSOLIDATED WITH FRIENDSHIP ALL AROUND AND ADDED THERE WERE NO DISAGREEMENTS THAT COULD NOT BE SOLVED AT THE COUNCIL TABLE. STALIN OFFERED MAY 17 TO NEGOTIATE FOR PEACE ON THE BASIS OF A LETTER SENT HIM BY HENRY A. WALLACE. SECRETARY OF STATE MARSHALL CHALLENGED STALIN TO PROVE THE SINCERITY OF SOVIET OFFERS, BUT IT WAS NOT UNTIL MAY 27 THAT THE U.S. OFFICIALLY LABELLED RUSSIA'S PEACE OFFENSIVE AS "CYNICAL PROPAGANDA." MARSHALL CITED 37 VIOLATIONS OF INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENTS BY THE RUSSIANS.

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SUDDENLY THE THIRD PEACE OFFENSIVE WAS OVER. USING THE INSTITUTION OF WESTERN GERMAN CURRENCY REFORMS AS AN EXECUSE, THE RUSSIANS CLAMPED ON THE BLOCKADE OF BERLIN AND THE AIRLIFT WAS BORN. RUSSIA WITHDREW FROM FOUR-POWER RULE IN GERMANY. STALIN CALLED THE WESTERN POWERS INSTIGATORS OF A NEW WAR. THE COMINFORM STARTED A NEW PROPAGANDA WAR BY OUSTING MARSHAL TITO OF YUGOSLAVIA. TENSION CONTINUED THROUGHOUT THE REST OF 1948, REACHING A PEAK WHEN COMMUNISTS SEIZED THE BERLIN CITY HALL.

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THE FOURTH OFFENSIVE.

AT THE BEGINNING OF 1949 THE MOSCOW PRESS ONCE AGAIN SOFTENED ITS TONE. COMMUNIST LEADERS IN OTHER COUNTRIES TALKED OF THE POSSIBILITY OF EAST-WEST AGREEMENT.

JAN. 30, 1949, STALIN, IN ANSWER TO AN AMERICAN CORRESPONDENT'S TELEGRAPHED QUERIES, OFFERED TO MEET PRESIDENT TRUMAN IN RUSSIA FOR PEACE TALKS. THE PRESIDENT SAID IF STALIN WANTED TO TALK HE COULD DO SO IN WASHINGTON. STALIN REPEATED HIS OFFER, SAYING MAYBE THEY COULD MEET IN POLAND OR CZECHOSLOVAKIA. THE COMMUNIST COUNTRIES RAISED A BIG PROPAGANDA FUSS ABOUT IT. IN THE SPRING, COMMUNIST LEADERS AROUND THE WORLD EXECUTED THEIR ROUND OF PLEDGES THAT COMMUNISTS WOULD NEVER FIGHT AGAINST "LIBERATING" SOVIET ARMIES.

IN MARCH, 1949, MOSCOW STARTLED THE WORLD WITH A SHAKEUP IN THE SOVIET CABINT, RELIEVING MOLOTOV AS FOREIGN MINISTER BUT KEEPING HIM AS DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER, AND SHIFTING SEVERAL OTHER TOP-DRAWER MINISTERS.

IT APPEARED THEN THAT THE EMPHASIS OF THE WORLD COMMUNIST DRIVE WAS TO BE PLACED ON THE FAR EAST. THE CHINA CIVIL WAR WAS RAGING TO A CLIMAX IN COMMUNIST VICTORY. FOR THE TIME BEING OTHER PHASES OF THE COLD WAR WERE SECONDARY.

IT WAS AT THIS MOMENT THAT THE MOSCOW RADIO ANNOUNCED RUSSIA WANTED PEACE AND "UNSWERVINGLY CONDUCTED A POLICY OF COOPERATION AMONG ALL DEMOCRATIC COUNTRIES REGARDLESS OF SOCIAL SYSTEM."

IN THE SAME SPRING OF 1949, COMMUNIST-SPONSORED PEACE CONGRESSES WERE HELD IN NEW YORK AND PARIS. RUSSIA MADE SOME MINOR CONCESSIONS TO THE WEST. THE MOSCOW RADIO ANNOUNCED THAT SOVIET-AMERICAN COLLABORATION WAS "POSSIBLE AND DESIRABLE."

A FOUR-POWER CONFERENCE IN MAY LIFTED THE BERLIN BLOCKADE. THERE WAS A DEFINITE NOTE OF RUSSIAN CONCILIATION. THINGS SIMMERED DOWN AND THE SUMMER WAS RELATIVELY PEACEFUL.

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ON SEPT. 23, AT THE SAME TIME PRESIDENT TRUMAN ANNOUNCED THE RUSSIAN ATOMIC EXPLOSION, VISHINSKY CALLED FOR A BIG FIVE PEACE PACT. MOSCOW PAPERS REVIVED THE POSSIBILITY OF A TRUMAN-STALIN MEETING. THE RUSSIAN REVOLUTION ANNIVERSARY WAS PLASTERED WITH PEACE SLOGANS AND POLITBURO MEMBERS' SPEECHES SAID RUSSIA WANTED NO WAR. THE COMINFORM JOURNAL SAID COMMUNISM AND CAPITALISM COULD CO-EXIST PEACEFULLY, AND THE SOVIET PRESS REVIVED OLD STALIN STATEMENTS ABOUT THE SAME HING.

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THE SAME THING.

AS RECENTLY AS MARCH 9, THIS YEAR, GEORGI MALENKOV OF THE POLITBURO SAID RUSSIA WAS READY TO TAKE PART IN HONEST EFFORTS TO AVERT WAR. THREE OTHER POLITBURO MEMBERS, ALSO IN PRE-ELECTION SPEECHES, ECHOED THIS. THE RUSSIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH, UNDER STATE CONTROL, APPEALED FOR A WORLD ANTI-WAR DRIVE.

THE U.S. CHALLENGED RUSSIA TO PROVE IT BY ACCEPTING AN AMERICAN-PROPOSED PLATFORM FOR PEACE.

THE BEGINNING OF THE END OF THE FOURTH PEACE OFFENSIVE CAME WITH THE LOSS OF AN AMERICAN PLANE IN THE BALTIC SEA AND THE U.S. ACCUSATION THAT RUSSIAN CRAFT SHOT IT DOWN. BY MAY DAY, THE SOVIET TALK WAS BELLIGERENT ONCE AGAIN, AND THE QUESTION REMAINS: WHAT NEXT?

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BY PRESTON GROVER

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PARIS, MAY 7-(AP)-DEAN ACHESON, U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE, FLEW INTO PARIS TODAY EVIDENTLY DETERMINED TO GET MORE HELP FROM OTHER WESTERN POWERS IN THE COLD WAR.

TEN MINUTES AHEAD OF HIM AT ORLY FIELD, AMERICAN HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J.MCCLOY FLEW IN FROM GERMANY.

CLOSE BEHIND, PHILIP JESSUP, ROVING U.S. AMBASSADOR, AND GEORGE PERKINS, UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE FOR EUROPEAN AFFAIRS, ARRIVED BY TRAIN FROM LONDON, WHERE THEY HAVE BEEN DOING SPADEWORK.

THE BRITISH-FRENCH-AMERICAN FOREIGN MINISTERS CONFERENCE WILL OPEN THERE LATER IN THE WEEK AND CONTINUE UNTIL MAY 17 OR LATER. A MEETING OF ATLANTIC PACT FOREIGN MINISTERS WILL BEGIN MAY 15 AND LAST AT LEAST THREE DAYS.

THE SECRETARY OF STATE WAS MET HERE BY U.S. AMBASSADOR DAVID K. BRUCE AND W.AVERELL HARRIMAN, MARSHALL PLAN AMBASSADOR.

ACHESON SAID HE WAS DELIGHTED TO BE BACK IN FRANCE "FOR THE FIRST TIME IN 1950", BUT DECLINED TO MAKE ANY COMMENT ON POLITICAL AFFAIRS UNTIL HE HAD SEEN FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN.

THE TWO ARRANGED A SHORT PRELIMINARY DISCUSSION THIS AFTERNOON BUT WILL NOT GET DOWN TO REAL BUSINESS UNTIL TOMORROW.

THOUGH THE SECRETARY HIMSELF SAID NOTHING, THE AMERICAN POSITION WAS MADE CLEAR BY QUALIFIED SOURCES. THE U.S. WANTS MEMBERS OF THE ATLANTIC PACT AND ANY OTHERS INTERESTED IN STEMMING SOVIET EXPANSION TO TIGHTEN UP THEIR SADDLES AND RIDE OFF TO THE COLD WARS WITH A LITTLE MORE RESOLUTION.

THE UNITED STATES INTENDS TO HELP THE FRENCH IN THE BATTLE TO SAVE INDOCHINA FROM THE COMMUNISTS, BUT THERE ARE LIMITS TO AMERICAN AID.

THE U.S. PLANS TO INTENSIFY ITS OWN EFFORTS IN THE COLD WAR -- BUT WILL ASK, AND EXPECTS TO GET, LESS COMPLAISANCE AND MORE STIFFENING OF PURPOSE FROM THE OTHER NATIONS.

IN THE BACKGROUND IS AN ESTIMATE BY U.S. STATE AND DEFENSE DEPARTMENTS THAT BY 1954 RUSSIA WILL BE ARMED TO THE POINT WHERE SHE MIGHT OVERPOWER THE UNITED STATES WITHOUT HELP. THE IMPLICATION IS THAT AMERICAN PARTNERS HAVE FOUR YEARS TO BUILD UP THEIR DEFENSE ESTABLISHMENTS. BY CONTRAST THE MAIN EUROPEAN POWERS IN THE ATLANTIC PACT RECENTLY LET IT BE KNOWN THAT THEY DO NOT HAVE THE FINANCES, WITHOUT FURTHER AMERICAN AID, TO BUILD UP THE ARMAMENTS, BASES AND STRATEGIC COMMUNICATIONS ENVISAGED IN THE MASTER DEFENSE PLAN OF THE 12-NATION CHIEFS OF STAFF.

THE MOST ACUTE PROBLEM TO BE DISCUSSED WITH THE FRENCH IS MONEY AND GUNS -- THE SINEWS OF WAR -- TO STAMP OUT HO CHI MINH'S GUERRILLAS IN INDOCHINA BEFORE THEY GET AID FROM CHINESE COMMUNISTS AND BREAK THROUGH THE DAM IN SOUTHEAST ASIA.

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BUT THE OVERRIDING PROBLEM, FOR FRANCE AS WELL AS ALL HER FRIENDS, IS HOW TO SNUGGLE GERMANY WARMLY INTO THE WESTERN FAMILY WITHOUT CODDLING HER. THEY WANT TO BLOCK THE RUSSIAN PLAN TO TURN GERMANY INTO AN EASTERN SATELLITE, AND AT THE SAME TIME AVOID GIVING HER SO MUCH INDEPENDENCE SHE CAN PLAY ONE SIDE AGAINST THE OTHER.

IN THE BACKGROUND HERE, TOO, IS AN ESTIMATE BY MCCLOY THAT THE POWER OF THE OCCUPATION AUTHORITIES TO DETERMINE THE FUTURE OF WESTERN GERMANY WILL PASS IN ABOUT 18 MONTHS.

THOUGH MCCLOY SAID TODAY IT WAS HIS IMPRESSION THE CONFERENCE IS NOT THE PLACE "WHERE ADDITIONAL CONCESSIONS TO GERMANY WILL BE DECIDED," IT IS LIKELY THE VIEWS OF ALL WILL BE POOLED FOR THE FUTURE GUIDANCE OF THE OCCUPATION POWERS.

MOSCOW NEWSPAPERS REPORTED LARGE-SCALE PROTEST MOVEMENTS IN PARIS AGAINST ACHESON'S VISIT. FRENCH COMMUNISTS HAD CALLED FOR "PEACE DEMONSTRATIONS" DURING THE SECRETARY OF STATE'S VISIT, BUT THERE WAS NO SIGN OF COMMUNIST ACTIVITY AT THE AIRFIELD.

THE LONDON CONFERENCE WILL COINCIDE WITH A VISIT TO MOSCOW BY TRYGVE LIE, SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS, WHO IS CONCERNED BY THE "EMPTY CHAIRS" OF RUSSIA AND HER SATELLITES AT THE U.N. BECAUSE OF NATIONALIST CHINA'S CONTINUED REPRESENTATION. LIE SAYS THE FIRST STEP TO ENDING THE COLD WAR MUST BE THE SOLUTION OF CHINA'S REPRESENTATION.

ALSO AT THE WEEKEND, EAST GERMANY'S COMMUNIST CHIEFS WERE REPORTED IN MOSCOW FOR A HURRIEDLY SUMMONED CONFERENCE -- PERHAPS TO MAP COUNTER STRATEGY.

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LONDON, MAY 7-(AP)-MOUNTED POLICE AND RIOT SQUADS CLASHED WITH CROWDS MAKING A BELATED MAY DAY DEMONSTRATION IN TRAFALGAR SQUARE TODAY.

THE AUTHORITIES ARRESTED 69 PERSONS, INCLUDING TWO WOMEN.

THE DEMONSTRATION EXTENDED TO OXFORD STREET, ABOUT A MILE AWAY, WHERE MOUNTED OFFICERS RODE INTO CROWDS WHICH WERE THROWING TRAFFIC INTO CONFUSION.

SOME DEMONSTRATORS CARRIED BANNERS WITH SLOGANS OF A COMMUNIST FLAVOR. ONE PLACARD READ:

"WE WANT PEACE, STOP THE AMERICAN WARMONGERS."

THERE WERE SEVERAL HAND-TO-HAND CLASHES BETWEEN FOOT POLICE AND DEMONSTRATORS.

MANY BANNERS WERE TORN FROM THE HANDS OF MARCHERS, THEIR WOODEN STANDARDS BROKEN.

THE DEMONSTRATORS HAD BEEN CALLED TOGETHER BY THE LONDON TRADES COUNCIL DESPITE A YEAR-OLD HOME OFFICE BAN ON POLITICAL DEMONSTRATIONS.

SCORES OF MOUNTED POLICE AND NEARLY 1,000 BOBBIES ON FOOT ARRESTED MORE THAN 40 PERSONS IN STRUGGLES AROUND TRAFALGAR SQUARE, SITE OF NELSON'S MONUMENT, AND THE CENOTAPH, MEMORIAL TO BRITAIN'S WAR DEAD IN WHITEHALL.

SOME OF THE DEMONSTRATORS SANG "THE RED FLAG," JEERED POLICE AND CARRIED BANNERS URGING "STOP THE WAR IN MALAYA."

SIR OSWALD MOSLEY ALSO HELD PRO-FASCIST RALLIES AT SUBURBAN DALSTON AND BETHNAL GREEN, WHERE HIS SUPPORTERS GREETED HIM WITH UP-RAISED RIGHT HANDS. POLICE ALSO DISPERSED THESE CROWDS, THOUGH MOSLEY SPOKE FOR 50 MINUTES AT DALSTON.

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PARIS, MAY 7-(AP)-PRESIDENT VINCENT AURIOL TODAY APPEALED TO GERMANY FOR A GENUINE RECONCILIATION WITH FRANCE.

THE PRESIDENT, IN A SPEECH AT REIMS MARKING THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF GERMANY'S SURRENDER, SAID FRANCE IS WILLING TO FORGIVE AND FORGET IF THE GERMANS WILL DEFINITELY RENOUNCE MILITARY AGGRESSION.

HE SAID HE HOPES THE GERMANS NOW WILL LEARN THE "PRINCIPLES AND ADVANTAGES OF DEMOCRACY, OF ORGANIZED LIBERTY, OF COOPERATION WITH OTHER PEOPLES FOR RECONSTRUCTION." HE REMINDED THEM THAT FRENCHMEN HAD DEEPLY SUFFERED FROM GESTAPO CRIMES AND NAZI TORTURERS DURING THE WAR BUT ADDED:

"WE ARE READY, FOR TOMORROW'S PEACE AND FOR COMMON PROSPERITY, TO KEEP SILENT ABOUT OUR SUFFERINGS AND OUR RESENTMENTS BUT ON THE CONDITION THAT THE GERMAN PEOPLE DO NOT FORGET THEM; AND THAT UNDER THE NECESSITY OF INTERNATIONAL CONTROL THEY DO NOT REBUILD, NEITHER IN THE EAST NOR IN THE WEST, NEITHER AN ARMY NOR ARMAMENTS."

AURIOL EMPHASIZED THAT THE FRENCH "DEMAND NO HUMILIATION NOR ANY ABANDONMENT OF LEGITIMATE NATIONAL HONOR" ON THE PARTY OF GERMANY "BUT MERELY A FRANK RENUNCIATION OF THE SPIRIT OF REVENGE AND DOMINATION AND SOME TANGIBLE PROOFS OF HER DESIRE TO TAKE HER PLACE AMONG THE FREE AND PACIFIC PEOPLES OF THE WORLD."

AT THE SAME TIME, PREMIER GEORGES BIDAULT, SPEAKING AT ROSANDAEL, NEAR DUNKERQUE SAID FRENCHMEN MUST JOIN IN ORGANIZING A COMMUNITY OF FREE PEOPLES TO SAFEGUARD THEIR MUTUAL SECURITY.

HE WARNED THAT THE WEST MUST REMAIN STRONG TO FACE UP TO THREATS FROM THE SOVIET SPHERE. HE SAID:

"THERE IS ON OUR CONTINENT AND BEYOND A BLOC WHICH IS NOT CONSTITUTED IN LIBERTY AND WHICH IS MAINTAINED ONLY THROUGH TRAGEDY. IT IS NOT BY PEACEFUL MEANS THAT IT HAS GROWN.

"IT IS OUR RIGHT AND OUR ELEMENTARY DUTY TO ORGANIZE WITH LIBERTY A COMMUNITY OF FREE PEOPLES. WE SHOULD BE ABLE TO DO THIS WITHOUT BEING ACCUSED OF WANTING WAR

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A COMMUNITY OF FREE PEOPLES. WE SHOULD BE ABLE TO DO THIS WITHOUT BEING ACCUSED OF WANTING WAR SIMPLY BECAUSE WE INTEND TO ASSURE OUR SECURITY."

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CHERBOURG, FRANCE, MAY 7-(AP)-THE AMERICAN FREIGHTER "AMERICAN CLIPPER" ARRIVED TONIGHT WITH A SHIPMENT OF ARMS FROM THE UNITED STATES.

THE DOCK AREA WAS HEAVILY GUARDED TO PREVENT SABOTAGE. THERE WERE NO INCIDENTS.

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ROME, MAY 7-(AP)-THE FOREIGN MINISTRY ISSUED A DENIAL TONIGHT OF PUBLISHED REPORTS THAT ITALY AND YUGOSLAVIA WERE CONDUCTING SECRET NEGOTIATIONS NEAR VENICE TO SOLVE COMMON PROBLEMS.

IT SAID THE ONLY TALKS HELD WERE THOSE IN ROME BETWEEN FOREIGN MINISTER COUNT CARLO SFORZA AND YUGOSLAV MINISTER MLADEN IVEKOVIC. THOSE CONFERENCES CONCERNED TRIESTE, THE FOREIGN MINISTRY SAID, AND NO DECISION WERE REACHED.

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STOCKHOLM, MAY 7-(AP)-DEFENSE MINISTER ALAN VOUGT SAYS SWEDEN HAS DEVELOPED A NEW 4.8 INCH BOFORS ANTI-AIRCRAFT GUN CAPABLE OF FIRING 70 TO 75 ROUNDS A MINUTE TO AN ALTITUDE OF MORE THAN 40,000 FEET.

HE SAID THE MAXIMUM RANGE OF THE NEW WEAPON, ON THE FLAT, EXCEEDED 60,000 FEET.

IN A SPEECH AT GAEVLE LAST NIGHT HE ADDED THAT THE SWEDES ALSO HAVE DEVELOPED A RADAR, OR PROXIMITY, FUSE TO EXPLODE SHELLS AUTOMATICALLY AS THEY NEAR THEIR TARGET.

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A90 (110)

GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, MAY 7-(AP)-UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE, EN ROUTE TO MOSCOW ON A "SAVE-THE-U.N." MISSION, WILL ADDRESS A U.N. GROUP TOMORROW WHICH HAS AS ITS BIGGEST PROBLEM WHAT TO DO ABOUT RUSSIA.

THE GROUP IS THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION (WHO) WHICH THE SOVIET UNION AND ALL HER SATELLITES EXCEPT POLAND AND HUNGARY HAVE BOYCOTTED.

MOREOVER THEY HAVE REFUSED TO PAY THEIR ASSESSMENTS WHICH NOW AMOUNT TO MORE THAN $1,000,000.

THE ORTHODOX COMMUNIST REGIMES CLAIM WHO HAS FAILED TO FULFILL ITS TASKS.

WHO'S THIRD ANNUAL ASSEMBLY MUST DECIDE WHETHER TO RECOGNIZE THE SOVIET WITHDRAWAL--WHICH VIOLATES THE GROUP'S CHARTER--AND ALSO TRY TO FIGURE OUT SOME WAY OF COLLECTING THE BACK DUES.

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BERLIN, MAY 7-(AP)-ERNST REUTER, WEST BERLIN'S MAYOR, ADVOCATED TODAY THAT ANTI-COMMUNISTS TAKE THE OFFENSIVE IN THIS COLD WAR CAPITAL. HE DECLARED: "ATTACK IS THE BEST DEFENSE AGAINST TERROR."

WRITING IN THE SOCIALIST PAPER, BERLINER STADTBLATT, REUTER SARCASTICALLY DISMISSED THE PROPOSED MARCH OF 500,000 COMMUNIST YOUTH THIS MONTH AS "LAUGHABLE." HE REFERRED TO THE COMMUNIST YOUTH AS "ROTZNASEN" (SNOT NOSES).

THE MAYOR SAID THE GIGANTIC OUTPOURING OF ANTI-COMMUNISTS ON MAY DAY IN WEST BERLIN PROVED THAT "NO INVASION FROM THE EAST WOULD CAPTURE THE CITY."

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A72 (130)

BONN, GERMANY, MAY 7-(AP)-THE RIGHT WING CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATIC PARTY HAS PROPOSED A PLAN TO EXCLUDE COMMUNISTS FROM THE WEST GERMAN PARLIAMENT BY CONDUCTING FUTURE GENERAL ELECTIONS BY DIRECT VOTE.

DR.RUDOLF VOGEL, ONE OF THE PARTY LEADERS, SAID TODAY A MOTION TO THIS EFFECT HAS BEEN SUBMITTED BY HIS PARTY FOR CONSIDERATION BY PARLIAMENT.

VOGEL SAID THE 15 COMMUNISTS IN THE 402 MEMBER PARLIAMENT WOULD NOT HAVE OBTAINED THEIR SEATS IF THE LAST ELECTION HAD BEEN CONDUCTED BY DIRECT REPRESENTATION ON THE BRITISH AND AMERICAN PATTERN.

THE PRESENT GERMAN PARLIAMENT WAS ELECTED BY A SYSTEM OF MIXED DIRECT VOTES AND PROPORTIONAL REPRESENTATION.

THE FUTURE METHOD OF VOTING WAS LEFT OPEN TO BE DECIDED BY PARLIAMENT. BEFORE ANOTHER ELECTION CAN BE HELD AN ELECTORAL LAW MUST BE PASSED. THE CHRISTIAN DEMOCRAT MOTION ASKS THAT THIS LAW SHOULD PROVIDE FOR DIRECT VOTE.

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BONN, GERMANY, MAY 7-(AP)-A STATEMENT ISSUED ON BEHALF OF U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J.MCCLOY TODAY SAID HE DOES NOT CONSIDER ANY INVESTIGATION OF AMERICAN POLICY IN GERMANY WARRANTED AT PRESENT.

A BI-PARTISAN INVESTIGATION OF THE DENAZIFICATION AND DEMILITARIZATION PROGRAMS IN WESTERN GERMANY WAS PROPOSED RECENTLY BY GROUPS IN THE U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND SENATE.

THE STATEMENT, ISSUED BY MCCLOY'S DEPUTY, MAJ.GEN.GEORGE P.HAYS, SAID "THE HIGH COMMISSIONER FEELS THAT THE SITUATION IN GERMANY HAS BEEN ACCURATELY DESCRIBED IN THE HIGH COMMISSIONER'S REPORTS."

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SENATOR GILLETTE (D-IOWA), WHO HEADS A GROUP OF SENATORS INTERESTED IN HAVING A NON-PARTISAN COMMISSION STUDY THE GERMAN SITUATION, SAID IN WASHINGTON THAT MC CLOY "HAD TAKEN AN UNFORTUNATE POSITION."

"I DON'T THINK ANYONE SHOULD ARROGATE TO THEMSELVES THE FINAL JUDGMENT," GILLETTE ADDED.

"I CAN'T SEE HOW ANY OBJECTION CAN BE MADE TO A FAIR AND IMPARTIAL STUDY."

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BONN, GERMANY, MAY 7-(AP)-GERMAN INFORMANTS SAID TODAY CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER WILL RECOMMEND TUESDAY THAT WEST GERMANY ACCEPT AN INVITATION TO JOIN THE EUROPEAN ASSEMBLY AS AN ASSOCIATE MEMBER.

THEY SAID THE WEST GERMAN CABINET WAS SURE TO APPROVE. THE NEXT STEP WOULD BE APPROVAL BY THE BUNDESTAG, THE LOWER HOUSE OF PARLIAMENT, WHICH IS BY NO MEANS ASSURED.

WEST GERMANY GOT ITS INVITATION MARCH 30. THE SAAR WAS INVITED AT THE SAME TIME, AND HAS ACCEPTED. MUCH OF THE OPPOSITION IN GERMANY TO ACCEPTING THE BID IS BASED ON GERMAN CLAIMS THAT THE SAAR RIGHTLY IS GERMAN.

THE ASSEMBLY IS PART OF AN ORGANIZATION WORKING FOR EVENTUAL UNITY OF THE EUROPEAN CONTINENT.

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PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, MAY 7-(AP)-CZECHOSLOVAKS BY THE HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS STOOD IN DRENCHING RAIN TODAY TO WATCH A VAST MILITARY PARADE IN HONOR OF LIBERATION BY THE SOVIET ARMY FIVE YEARS AGO.

(THE U.S. EMBASSY IN PRAGUE TOLD BERLIN REPORTERS THURSDAY THE CZECH GOVERNMENT HAD REFUSED PERMISSION TO HOLD CEREMONIES TOMORROW COMMEMORATING THE AMERICAN ARMY'S PART IN THE LIBERATION OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA.)

IT WAS THE SECOND GREAT PARADE OF THE WEEK IN PRAGUE AND TODAY'S ESTIMATED CROWD OF 500,000 EXCEEDED THAT OF THE MAY DAY DEMONSTRATION, IN WHICH 300,000 TOOK PART. SEVENTY SPECIAL TRAINS ARRIVED FROM THE COUNTRY AND PROVISIONS WERE MADE FOR VISITORS TO SLEEP IN MOVIE HOUSES WHEN HOTELS OVERFLOWED.

THE PARADERS, STARTING AT 6 A.M., AND INCLUDING SOLDIERS, WORKERS' MILITIA, MEMBERS OF THE SECURITY POLICE, SPORTS ORGANIZATIONS, SHOCK WORKERS AND YOUTH UNITS, MARCHED IN PRAGUE'S MAIN SQUARE.

BARKERS WITH MEGAPHONES CALLED OUT SLOGANS ABOUT THE FIVE-YEAR PLAN, THE SOVIET UNION AND THE ARMY. THEY WERE ECHOED BY THE MARCHERS.

AT A PRE-PARADE MEETING OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY, PREMIER ANTONIN ZAPOTOCKY PAID TRIBUTE TO THE SOVIET DELEGATES--MARSHAL N.A. BULGANIN, A RUSSIAN DEPUTY PREMIER; THE SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY, M.A.SUSLOV; THE DEPUTY MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, V.Z.ZORIN; AND GE,. A.I.RODIMCEV.

BULGANIN URGED NO WEAKENING OF THE TIES BETWEEN THE SOVIET UNION AND THE PEOPLE'S DEMOCRACIES.

"THE LEAST DOUBT OF THE NECESSITY OF THIS FRIENDSHIP," HE SAID, "LEADS INEVITABLY TO DESERTION FROM THE PRINCIPLES OF PROLETARIAN INTERNATIONALISM AND TO AN INFILTRATION OF THE LACKEYS OF CAPITALISM INTO THE LEADERSHIP OF THE STATE.

"THE WORKING PEOPLE OF THE PEOPLE'S DEMOCRACIES MUST TAKE A LESSON FROM THE CASE OF YUGOSLAVIA AND MUST NOT LET ANYTHING DISTURB OUR UNITY."

AFTER THE PARADE THOUSANDS GATHERED IN FLOODLIT ST. WENCELAS SQUARE FOR SINGING AND DANCING.

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VIENNA, AUSTRIA, MAY 7-(AP)-EARLY RESULTS OF LOCAL ELECTIONS IN SOVIET-OCCUPIED LOWER AUSTRIA TODAY GAVE THE RIGHTWING PEOPLE'S PARTY AN OVERWHELMING LEAD. THE BALLOTING WAS THE FIRST SINCE 1929.

OUT OF A TOTAL OF APPROXIMATELY 500 COMMUNITIES IN THE PROVINCE, THE PEOPLE'S PARTY THUS FAR HAS A MAJORITY IN 441. THE SOCIALISTS LED IN 46 COMMUNITIES. NO COMMUNIST MAYOR HAD BEEN ELECTED UP TO LATE TONIGHT.

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THE COMMUNIST PARTY NEVER HAS DEVELOPED MUCH VOTING STRENGTH IN POST-WAR AUSTRIA.

IN NATIONAL ELECTIONS IN NOVEMBER, 1945 AND OCTOBER, 1949 THE PEOPLE'S VARTY EMERGED AS THE LARGEST POLITICAL ORGANIZATION IN THE COUNTRY ALTHOUGH BOTH TIMES IT FELL SHORT OF WINNING 50 PER CENT OF THE VOTES CAST. COMMUNIST STRENGTH WAS APPROXIMATELY FIVE PER CENT OF THE TOTAL VOTE.

ALTHOUGH AUSTRIA STILL IS OCCUPIED, THE AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT HAS A CONSIDERABLE DEGREE OF AUTONOMY UNDER TERMS OF AN AGREEMENT SIGNED BY THE FOUR OCCUPYING POWERS AND PUT INTO EFFECT ON JUNE 28, 1946.

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AMS BUDGET (475)

MACARTHUR

BY RUSSELL BRINES

TOKYO, MAY 7-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR BELIEVES THAT PRESENT AMERICAN AND OTHER WESTERN BASES IN THE PACIFIC AREA CAN PREVENT ANY AGGRESSOR AMPHIBIOUS THRUST FROM ASIA.

HOWEVER, HE THINKS PREOCCUPATION OF WESTERN LEADERS WITH EUROPE HAS HELPED CREATE A DANGEROUS SITUATION IN ASIA WHICH, IN TERMS OF WEALTH AND POPULATION, IS AT LEAST AS IMPORTANT AS EUROPE.

THE SUPREME COMMANDER OF THE JAPANESE OCCUPATION STRESSED THESE POINTS--AS HE HAS DONE BEFORE--IN TALKING TO A GROUP OF VISITING AUSTRALIAN NEWSMEN APRIL 29, AUTHORITATIVE SOURCES DISCLOSED TODAY.

MACARTHUR'S COMMENTS WERE MADE WITH THE UNDERSTANDING THAT HE WOULD NOT BE QUOTED DIRECTLY AND THAT THE MATERIAL WOULD BE USED

ONLY AFTER THE AUSTRALIANS RETURNED HOME. THE PARTY WAS DUE TO REACH DARWIN, AUSTRALIA, THIS AFTERNOON, BUT SOME STORIES BASED ON HIS TALK APPARENTLY HAVE BEEN PUBLISHED.

MACARTHUR SAID THAT PRESENT BASES ARE SO SITUATED AS TO MAKE IT ALMOST IMPOSSIBLE FOR AN AGGRESSOR TO ASSEMBLE THE FORCE REQUIRED FOR THE TYPE OF AMPHIBIOUS ATTACK WHICH MARKED WORLD WAR II.

HE HELD THAT POSSIBLE STAGING AND JUMP-OFF AREAS, FROM SIBERIA TO SOUTH CHINA, ARE WELL WITHIN RANGE OF ALLIED AIRCRAFT, PRINCIPALLY AMERICAN.

IN ORDER TO LAUNCH AN ATTACK, AN AGGRESSOR WOULD FIRST HAVE TO WIN CONTROL OF THE AIR AND SEA. TO PREVENT THIS, THE AMERICAN AND OTHER BASES MUST BE MAINTAINED ADEQUATELY, HE COMMENTED.

ONLY THREE DAYS AGO, AFTER HIS CONFERENCE WITH THE AUSTRALIAN CORRESPONDENTS, MACARTHUR PUBLICLY REBUKED AS "PROVOCATIVE IMPERTINENCE" A RUSSIAN CHARGE THAT MAINTENANCE OF AMERICAN BASES IN JAPAN AND OKINAWA VIOLATES OCCUPATION POLICIES.

HE TOLD THE RUSSIANS OKINAWA WAS THE UNITED STATES' OWN AFFAIR AND THAT BOTH AMERICAN AND BRITISH OCCUPATION BASES IN JAPAN WOULD CONTINUE, AS LONG AS THE OCCUPATION LASTED, TO BE "MAINTAINED IN A CONDITION OF SUCH ADEQUACY AND PREPAREDNESS AS WILL INSURE THE FULLEST SECURITY, OPERATIONAL EFFICIENCY AND MOST COMPLETE READINESS FOR ANY EVENTUALITY."

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OTHER POINTS THAT THE GENERAL REITERATED IN HIS TALK WITH THE AUSTRALIANS INCLUDED:

1. THERE IS NO INTENTION TO REBUILD JAPAN MILITARILTY OR USE HER AS AN ALLY;

2. JAPAN IS COMPLETELY OUTCLASSED IN MODERN TECHNICAL WARFARE AND EVEN IF PERMITTED TO REARM SHE COULD NOT BECOME MORE THAN A SECOND-CLASS MILITARY POWER INSIDE TWO GENERATIONS;

3. THE JAPANESE HAVE NOT LOST THEIR WARLIKE TRAITS BUT RECOGNIZE THE IMPOSSIBILITY OF BECOMING A MILITARY POWER AGAIN;

4. JAPAN HAS FULFILLED ALL REQUIREMENTS OF A PEACE TREATY AND IS ENTITLED TO ONE;

5. LACK OF TRUST BETWEEN THE WESTERN POWERS AND RUSSIA HAS CONFRONTED JAPAN WITH A NUMBER OF PROBLEMS WHICH CAN BE COMPLETELY SOLVED ONLY IF THE TWO GREAT INTERNATIONAL FORCES REACH A MEETING OF MINDS.

ONCE MACARTHUR MAINTAINED THAT AMERICAN AIRPOWER FROM OKINAWA WOULD BE SUFFICIENT TO PROTECT JAPAN.

IN THE PAST 18 MONTHS, HOWEVER, BASES IN JAPAN ITSELF HAVE ASSUMED INCREASED IMPORTANCE STRATEGICALLY. AMERICAN OFFICERS SAY THESE BASES ARE ESSENTIAL NOW FOR FUTURE PROTECTION OF BOTH JAPAN AND THE UNITED STATES.

TO BOTH THE RUSSIAN INQUIRY AND THE AUSTRALIANS, MACARTHUR SAID POST-OCCUPATION FUTURE OF BASES IN JAPAN COULD BE DETERMINED ONLY BY A PEACE TREATY.

THIS QUESTION IS BECOMING SHARPER, AS A MOVEMENT AMONG JAPANESE TO INSIST ON REMOVAL OF ALL FOREIGN BASES AFTER A TREATY SEEMS TO BE GAINING SOME INFLUENCE.

THIS MOVEMENT WAS STARTED BY THE COMMUNISTS BUT THE THEME HAS BEEN TAKEN OVER BY OTHER POLITICCAL FOES OF THE YOSHIDA GOVERNMENT. THEY MAY STRESS IT IN THE JUNE 4 ELECTION FOR JAPAN'S HOUSE OF COUNCILLORS.

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APW (330)

BY RUSSELL BRINES

TOKYO, MAY 7-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR SAYS PRESENT ALLIED BASES COULD PREVENT ANY AGGRESSIVE AMPHIBIOUS THRUST FROM ASIA SUCH AS THE JAPANESE MADE IN WORLD WAR II.

HE STRESSED THAT POINT, AS HE HAS MANY TIMES BEFORE, IN TALKING TO A GROUP OF AUSTRALIAN NEWSMEN APRIL 29, AUTHORITATIVE SOURCES SAID TODAY.

POSSIBLE STAGING AND DEPARTURE AREAS FROM SIBERIA TO SOUTH CHINA ARE WELL WITHIN RANGE OF ALLIED BASES, PRINCIPALLY AMERICAN, HE POINTED OUT. FROM A STRATEGIC VIEWPOINT, HE ADDED, AN AGGRESSOR WOULD FIRST HAVE TO WIN CONTROL OF THE AIR AND THE SEA BEFORE LAUNCHING SUCH AN ATTACK.

MACARTHUR TOLD THE NEWSMEN THAT THESE AMERICAN AND OTHER WESTERN BASES MUST BE ADEQUATELY MAINTAINED TO PREVENT AN ATTACK.

THE ALLIED COMMANDER'S REMARKS WERE MADE WITH THE UNDERSTANDING HE WOULD NOT BE QUOTED DIRECTLY AND THE MATERIAL WOULD BE USED AFTER THE AUSTRALIANS RETURNED HOME. THE PARTY WAS DUE TO REACH DARWIN, AUSTRALIA, THIS AFTERNOON BUT SOME STORIES BASED ON THE MEETING APPARENTLY ALREADY HAD BEEN PUBLISHED.

MACARTHUR MADE SEVERAL OTHER MAJOR POINTS:

1. THE ALLIES DO NOT INTEND TO BUILD UP JAPAN MILITARILY OR TO USE HER AS A WAR-TIME ALLY.

2. JAPAN IS COMPLETELY OUTCLASSED IN MODERN TECHNICAL WARFARE. IN HER PRESENT DEMILITARIZED POSITION, SHE COULD NOT BECOME MORE THAN A SECONDARY MILITARY POWER IN TWO GENERATIONS EVEN IF PERMITTED BY THE ALLIES TO REBUILD HER ARMED FORCES. THE JAPANESE HAVE NOT LOST THEIR WAR-LIKE TRAITS, BUT THEY RECOGNIZE THE IMPOSSIBILITY OF BECOMING A MILITARY POWER AGAIN.

3. THE PREOCCUPATION OF WESTERN LEADERS WITH EUROPE HAS HELPED CREATE A DANGEROUS SITUATION IN ASIA, WHICH IN WEALTH AND POPULATION IS EQUALLY OR MORE IMPORTANT.

4. JAPAN HAS FULFILLED ALL THE REQUIREMENTS FOR A PEACE TREATY AND IS ENTITLED TO HAVE ONE. OTHER NATIONS SHOULD RESUME TRADE RELATIONS WITH JAPAN AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE.

5. THE LACK OF TRUST BETWEEN THE WEST AND RUSSIA HAS CONFRONTED JAPAN WITH A NUMBER OF PROBLEMS WHICH CAN BE SOLVED COMPLETELY ONLY WHEN THE TWO GREAT INTERNATIONAL FORCES REACH A COMMON MEETING OF MINDS.

THE GENERAL ALSO TOLD THE AUSTRALIANS, WHO ARE PARTICULARLY CONCERNED ABOUT SUCH A POSSIBILITY, THAT THERE ARE NO PLANS TO PERMIT EXTENSIVE JAPANESE EMIGRATION AS A MEANS OF SOLVING THIS COUNTRY'S POPULATION PROBLEMS.

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TOKYO, MONDAY, MAY 8-(AP)-SEVERAL THOUSAND FOREIGNERS WILL BEGIN PAYING ALL THEIR LIVING EXPENSES IN JAPANESE YEN ON JULY 1, OCCUPATION HEADQUARTERS SAID TODAY.

THIS WILL END THE SPECIAL SCRIPT USED BY FOREIGNERS NOT ATTACHED TO THE OCCUPATION FORCES.

THE MOVE WILL COMPLETE A SERIES OF STEPS TO RETURN NOMINAL CONTROL OF ALL FOREIGN EXCHANGE TRANSACTIONS TO JAPAN.

HOWEVER, GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS WILL SUPERVISE THE ALLOTMENT OF FOREIGN EXCHANGE TO PREVENT DRAINAGE OF AMERICAN TAX DOLLARS NOW BEING SPENT IN JAPAN.

BUSINESS ACTIVITIES INVOLVING FOREIGN EXCHANGE, NOW OPERATING UNDER OCCUPATION LICENSE, WILL COME UNDER JAPANESE GOVERNMENT CONTROL. THIS INCLUDES BANKS, INSURANCE COMPANIES, AIR AND SHIPPING LINES, WHOLESALERS AND RETAILERS OF IMPORTED GOODS. NEWS AGENCIES ARE EXCEPTED.

OCCUTATION PERSONNEL WILL CONTINUE TO USE SCRIPT.

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TOKYO, MONDAY, MAY 8-(AP)-THE AMERICAN HALF OF A U.S.-BRITISH COTTON MISSION ARRIVED TODAY. IT WILL STUDY JAPAN'S GROWING COTTON EXPORT BUSINESS.

THE AMERICANS ARE: ROBERT C. JACKSON, VICE PRESIDENT, AMERICAN COTTON MANUFACTURERS INSTITUTE; GORDON RULE, ATTORNEY FOR THE TEXTILE INDUSTRY COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN TRADE; MARION W. HEISS; SHANNON M. GAMBLE; AND DON HOLT.

THE BRITISH DELEGATION, SIX MEMBERS AND THREE ADVISERS, ARRIVED SATURDAY.

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CHINESE WAR (300)
BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI, FORMOSA, MAY 7-(AP)-CHINESE NATIONALIST SOURCES IN WHICH THE UTMOST FAITH CAN BE PLACED REPORTED TONIGHT THAT MORE THAN 60,000 TROOPS FROM COMMUNIST-CONQUERED HAINAN HAD SAFELY REACHED FORMOSA.

(THIS IS ABOUT HALF THE TOTAL FORCE WHICH IMPARTIAL ESTIMATES GAVE THE NATIONALISTS ON HAINAN. IT IS A MUCH LARGER NUMBER THAN THE NATIONALISTS WERE BELIEVED CAPABLE OF EVACUATING.)

THE LATEST ARRIVALS DEBARKED FROM CROWDED SHIPS AT KAOHSIUNG, SOUTHERN FORMOSA NAVAL BASE, IN ORDERLY FASHION. THEY CARRIED FULL EQUIPMENT, AND THE SHIPS' HOLDS WERE CRAMMED WITH WAR MATERIALS.

THE EXTENT OF THE OPERATION SUGGESTED THAT THE WITHDRAWAL PLAN WAS PUT INTO EXECUTION AS SOON AS IT BECAME EVIDENT THAT THE RED INVASION OF APRIL 17 COULD NOT BE REPULSED.

THE NATIONALIST AIR FORCE REPORTED ITS PLANES SATURDAY SANK TEN JUNKS AND DESTROYED MORE THAN 30 INSTALLATIONS IN COMMUNIST-HELD PORTIONS OF THE CHUSHAN ISLANDS.

CHUSHAN, LARGEST OF THE GROUP 100 MILES SOUTHEAST OF SHANGHAI, IS GENERALLY REGARDED AS THE NEXT TARGET FOR RED INVASION. THE REDS HOLD SOME SMALLER ISLANDS AS LITTLE AS THREE MILES AWAY.

(A DISPATCH FROM HONG KONG QUOTED THE COMMUNIST NEWS AGENCY AS SAYING TEAMS FROM THE RED THIRD FIELD ARMY HAD GONE TO HAINAN "TO LEARN LESSONS OF AMPHIBIOUS WARFARE FROM THEIR COMRADES OF THE FOURTH FIELD ARMY." THE COMMUNIST AGENCY SAID THE THIRD FIELD ARMY WAS NOW "UNDER INTENSIVE TRAINING" FOR FORTHCOMING ATTACKS ON CHUSHAN, QUEMOY ISLAND AND FORMOSA ITSELF.)

THE NATIONALISTS DISCLOSED THEY HAD RECENTLY DONE SOME ISLAND RAIDING THEMSELVES. THE OFFICIAL CENTRAL NEWS AGENCY SAID A GUERRILLA GROUP FROM KAINGSU PROVINCE ON THE MAINLAND LANDED ON TSUNGMING ISLAND, 30 MILES NORTH OF SHANGHAI, APRIL 23. IT SAID THE RAIDERS WITHDREW "AFTER HAVING SUCCESSFULLY PERFORMED THEIR DUTIES.

THE CENTRAL NEWS AGENCY ALSO SAID THE NATIONALISTS PLANNED TO DROP TEN PLANELOADS OF FOOD ONTO THE MAINLAND MONDAY AFTERNOON. IT IS INTENDED FOR FAMINE SUFFERERS UNDER COMMUNIST RULE. LOCATIONS OF THE INTENDED DROPS WERE NOT DISCLOSED.

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TAIPEI, FORMOSA, MAY 7-(AP)-THE CHINESE NATIONALIST AIR FORCE REPORTED TODAY IT HAD INFLICTED HEAVY LOSSES ON COMMUNIST DEFENSE WORKS AND JUNK CONCENTRATIONS IN THE CHUSAN ISLAND GROUP IN SATURDAY RAIDS.

A COMMUNIQUE SAID BOMBER FORMATIONS STRUCK BOATS AND JUNKS MASSED ON THE SOUTH COAST OF CACHI ISLAND AND HAMMERED AWAY AT RED DEFENSES ALONG THE ISLAND'S EAST COAST. JUNK CONCENTRATIONS AT KINTANG HARBOR ALSO WERE REPORTED ATTACKED.

(THE NATIONALISTS STILL HOLD CHUSAN, MAIN ISLAND OF THE GROUP. HOWEVER, MANY SMALLER SURROUNDING ISLANDS ARE IN RED HANDS.)

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TAIPEI, MAY 7-(AP)-MADAME CHIANG KAI-SHEK TOLD TAIPEI'S WOMEN LEADERS YESTERDAY SHE WAS "EVEN WILLING TO BE A COOLIE SOLDIER" FOR THE SAKE OF HER COUNTRY.

SPEAKING AT A TEA PARTY IN HONOR OF FORMOSA'S WOMEN LEGISLATORS, MADAME CHIANG URGED ALL OF NATIONALIST CHINA'S WOMEN TO JOIN HER IN THE CHINESE WOMEN'S ANTI-COMMUNIST AND ANTI-SOVIET LEAGUE. THE LEAGUE MAKES CLOTHING FOR TROOPS AND TEACHES ILLITERATE SOLDIERS TO READ AND WRITE.

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HONG KONG, MAY 7-(AP)-THREE CHINESE COMMUNIST ORGANIZATIONS HAVE PROTESTED TO THE AUSTRALIAN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AGAINST PRIME MINISTER ROBERT MENZIES' PROPOSAL THAT AUSTRALIA OUTLAW THE COMMUNIST PARTY.

"PASSAGE OF THIS BILL WILL BRING THE DENUNCIATION OF THE WHOLE OF THE DEMOCRATIC WORLD ON THE AUSTRALIAN GOVERNMENT AND PARLIAMENT," DECLARED THE PROTEST TELEGRAPHED YESTERDAY FROM PEIPING.

THE COMMUNIST NEW CHINA NEWS AGENCY SAID THE PROTEST WAS SENT TO A.G. CAMERON, SPEAKER OF AUSTRALIA'S LOWER CHAMBER, BY THE ALL CHINA FEDERATION OF LABOR, THE ALL CHINA FEDERATION OF YOUTH AND THE ALL CHINA DEMOCRATIC WOMEN'S FEDERATION.

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HONG KONG, MONDAY, MAY 8-(AP)-THE HONG KONG STANDARD SAID TODAY ONLY 150 OF SHANGHAI'S 500 BANKS ARE OPEN FOR BUSINESS--AND HALF WANT TO CLOSE.

RIGID CHINESE COMMUNIST CONTROL, HEAVY TAXES AND VICTORY BOND QUOTAS HAVE FORCED THE BANKS TO SHUT THEIR DOORS, THE NEWSPAPER SAID.
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HONG KONG, MAY 7-(AP)-THE CHINESE COMMUNIST NEWS AGENCY REPORTED TODAY THAT THREE COMMUNIST ORGANIZATIONS HAD SENT DIRECT TELEGRAMS OF PROTEST TO THE SPEAKER OF THE AUSTRALIAN PARLIAMENT'S LOWER HOUSE AGAINST THE PROPOSED LAW TO OUTLAW THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN AUSTRALIA.
"PASSAGE OF THIS BILL WILL BRING THE DENUNCIATION OF THE WHOLE OF THE DEMOCRATIC WORLD ON THE AUSTRALIAN GOVERNMENT AND PARLIAMENT," SAID THE MESSAGES IN THE NAME OF THE ALL-CHINA FEDERATION OF LABOR, THE FEDERATION OF DEMOCRATIC YOUTH AND THE DEMOCRATIC WOMEN'S FEDERATION."
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BY JACK MACBETH
CORREGIDOR, PHILIPPINES, MAY 7-(AP)-EIGHT YEARS AGO TODAY, AMERICA'S STOCK IN THE PACIFIC WAR HIT ROCK BOTTOM. THIS WAS THE ROCK.
ON MAY 7, 1942, JAPANESE INVADERS SECURED CORREGIDOR, TINY ISLAND IN THE MOUTH OF MANILA BAY. WEARY DEFENDERS--AMERICANS AND FILIPINOS--TRUDGED OUT OF TUNNELS. AMERICA'S HOPES SANK.
ONCE CONSIDERED ALMOST IMPREGNABLE, THE MASSIVE FORTRESS HAD FALLEN TO OVERWHELMING FORCES--AT THE COST OF MUCH AMERICAN AND FILIPINO BLOOD.
MORE BLOOD WAS SHED IN WINNING BACK THE ROCK. THE AMERICAN FLAG AGAIN FLEW OVER CORREGIDOR ON MARCH 2, 1945. THE STORY WAS DIFFERENT THEN; THE JAPANESE WERE ON THE RUN ALL OVER THE PACIFIC, CRUMBLING BEFORE A TIDE OF AMERICAN MANPOWER.
CORREGIDOR WORE A NEW FLAG--BUT THAT WAS ALL. THE RAVAGES OF TWO BOMBARDMENTS STOOD OUT--THE SHELL-POCKETED TERRAIN, THE BROKEN GUN MOUNTS, THE DESOLATION.
IT'S THE SAME ROCK TODAY--HOT, RUGGED, DUSTY.
THE NOISE OF WAR HAS VANISHED BUT THE SMELL AND IMPRINT LINGER.
IN ONE 12-INCH BATTERY EMPLACEMENT, THE ODOR OF RUSTED SHELL CASINGS RISES ACRIDLY; THE RUSTY GUN SITS ASKEW.
AT THE ENTRANCE TO MALINTA TUNNEL, WHERE GEN. JONATHAN WAINWRIGHT AND HIS HEROIC MEN AND WOMEN SURRENDERED, A SIGN READS, "OFF LIMITS." TWO ARMED SENTRIES STAND GUARD. THE TUNNEL IS USED FOR STORAGE.
AN OFFICER SAID THE MAIN JOB OF THE SMALL PHILIPPINES ARMY GARRISON IS TO WATCH FOR LOOTERS FROM BATAAN. THE PENINSULA STRETCHES GREEN TO THE NORTH--A NAME, TOO, THAT AMERICAN DEFENDERS MADE FAMOUS. BUT BATAAN WEARS NOW A MANTLE OF LIFE WHILE CORREGIDOR LOOKS LIKE DEATH.
THEY COULDN'T ERASE THE RAVAGES OF WAR. WRECKED VEHICLES, SHATTERED GUN EMPLACEMENTS, ABANDONED EQUIPMENT, BOMB CRATERS STAND MUTELY BUT ELOQUENTLY.
A U.S. NAVY BOAT BROUGHT US HERE TODAY. FOR THE FILIPINO COXSWAIN, IT WAS THE FIRST TRIP BACK SINCE THE ROCK FELL TO THE JAPS. HOW DID IT FEEL?
"WELL," HE SAID, "NOT SO BAD AND NOT SO NICE. MAKES ME REMEMBER. I HOPE SHE NEVER HAPPENS AGAIN."
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BY STAN SWINTON
TEHRAN, IRAN, MAY 7-(AP)-REZA SHAH PAHLEVI, THE MAN WHO MOLDED BACKWARD PERSIA INTO MODERN IRAN, CAME HOME FROM EXILE TODAY--TO HIS GRAVE.
IN 1941, WHEN IRAN WAS UNDER BRITISH AND RUSSIAN OCCUPATION, REZA SHAH WAS FORCED TO ABDICATE AS A PRO-GERMAN. HE WAS SENT INTO SOUTH AFRICAN EXILE AND DIED THERE IN 1943.
SOVIET RUSSIA AND HER SATELLITES BOYCOTTED THE BURIAL TODAY--A SNUB WHICH SOME WESTERN DIPLOMATS BELIEVE MAY CAUSE IRAN TO CAST ITS LOT WITH THE WEST.
SPECIAL DELEGATIONS REPRESENTED SOME 20 OTHER NATIONS, INCLUDING THE WESTERN POWERS. PRESIDENT TRUMAN SENT LT.GEN.JAMES VAN FLEET AS HIS PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE.
UNDER DRIZZLING SKIES, 200,000 MOURNERS SAW THE ANCIENT RITES OF THE MOSLEM RELIGION. REZ SHAH'S SON, THE REIGNING SHAH MOHAMMED REZA, WHO LED THE MOURNERS IN THE ELABORATE CEREMONY, BROKE DOWN AND WEPT ON HIS FATHER'S COFFIN AFTER 101 GUNS HAD THUNDERED IN SALUTE ON ITS ARRIVAL.
THE BODY HAD BEEN FLOWN FROM TEMPORARY INTERMENT IN CAIRO TO MECCA, SAUDI ARABIA, THEN TO SOUTH IRAN. A SPECIAL RAILWAY CAR BROUGHT THE BODY TO TEHRAN.
MULLAHS (PRIESTS) READ FROM THE KORAN--MOSLEM BIBLE--AS THE COFFIN, ATOP A GERMAN-MADE GUN CARRIAGE, MOVED IN SOLEMN PROCESSION THROUGH THE CITY. DETACHMENTS OF SOLDIERS FROM PAKISTAN, AFGHANISTAN AND TURKEY MARCHED WITH IRANIAN GUARDS.
THE CEREMONIES CONTINUED FOR SIX HOURS UNTIL THE BODY WAS FINALLY PLACED IN THE GREAT MARBLE MAUSOLEUM BESIDE THE ANCIENT MOSQUE OF ABDUL AZIM, 10 MILES SOUTH OF TEHRAN. THOUSANDS WEPT OPENLY DURING THE CEREMONIES.
ALL MALE MEMBERS OF THE ROYAL FAMILY ATTENDED THE FUNERAL. BY MOSLEM CUSTOM FEMALES COULD NOT PARTICIPATE. A 66-GUN SALUTE--ONE FOR EACH YEAR OF REZA SHAH'S LIFE--BOOMED AS THE BODY WAS ENTOMBED.
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SAIGON, INDOCHINA, MAY 7-(AP)-INDOCHINESE PREMIER TRAN VAN HUU SAID TODAY HE HOPED A QUICK DECISION WOULD BE MADE ON AMERICAN AID FOR HIS COUNTRY SO IT COULD BUILD UP AN ARMY TO DEFEND ITS FRONTIERS.
"THE FIRST TASK OF THE GOVERNMENT WILL BE TO CONSTITUTE A NATIONAL ARMY, FOR A NATION CAN ONLY BE SOVEREIGN IF IT IS ABLE TO DEFEND ITS FRONTIERS, AND THOSE OF THE VIETNAM ARE VERY THREATENED," HE SAID, ADDING:
"ALL VIETNAM PEOPLE WERE HAPPY WHEN THEY LEARNED THAT THE UNITED STATES HAS THE INTENTION OF HELPING UP. WE HOPE THE QUESTION WILL BE SETTLED BY A PRACTICAL AND IMMEDIATE SOLUTION. WE HAVE URGENT NEED OF IT."
(AMERICAN AID TO INDOCHINA IS ONE OF THE TOPICS TO BE DISCUSSED IN PARIS BY U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN TOMORROW.)
THE PREMIER ADDED, IN A NEWS CONFERENCE STATEMENT, THAT AMERICA HAS EARMARKED $120,000,000 IN AID TO SOUTHERN KOREA AND SAID INDOCHINA IS ALSO A STRATEGIC POINT OF SOUTHEAST ASIA.
VIETNAM ALREADY HAS ABOUT 40,000 TROOPS, LED BY FRENCHMEN, FIGHTING ALONGSIDE THE 120,000 FRENCH TROOPS AGAINST THE COMMUNIST-LED GUERRILLAS OF HO CHI MINH. HO CHI MINH'S SELF-PROCLAIMED REPUBLIC HAS BEEN RECOGNIZED BY RUSSIA AND OTHER COMMUNIST NATIONS.

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THE PREMIER SAID THE VIETNAM STATE--WHICH HAS BEEN RECOGNIZED BY MOST WESTERN NATIONS--WILL SOON SEND DIPLOMATIC REPRESENTATIVES ABROAD, FIRST OF ALL TO THE UNITED STATES AND GREAT BRITAIN.

THE PREMIER ANNOUNCED THE MAKEUP OF HIS NEW CABINET, IN WHICH HE WILL HOLD THE POSTS OF PREMIER AND MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF NATIONAL DEFENSE.

OTHER POSTS: SECRETARY OF STATE TO THE PRESIDENT, TRAN VAN TUYEN, MINISTER OF JUSTICE, NGUYEN HKAC VE, FINANCE, DUONG TAN TAI, ARMED FORCES, TRAN QUANG VINH, ECONOMY, HOAND CHONG, EDUCATION, VUONG QUAND NHUONG; COMMUNICATIONS, LEQUANG HUY; UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE FOR ADMINISTRATION, NINH XUAN QUAND; VICE PREMIER AND MINISTER OF RECONSTRUCTION, DR.NGUYEN XUAN CHU.

THE PREMIER SAID FRANCE WAS GOING TO ALLOCATE EIGHT BILLION FRANCS ($23,000,000) TO VIETNAM FOR REBUILDING WAR-DEVASTATED AREAS.

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NEW DELHI,MAY 7-(AP)-THE NEWSPAPER STATESMAN SAID TODAY AN EIGHT-MAN DELEGATION WHICH ARRIVED IN CALCUTTA THREE WEEKS AGO CLAIMING TO REPRESENT THE GOVERNMENT OF TIBET HAS DECIDED TO CONTACT CHINESE COMMUNIST AUTHORITIES ON THE HONG KONG BORDER.

IT QUOTED TSEPON TSHAKABPA, ONE OF THE LEADERS OF THE DELEGATION, AS SAYING THEY WERE AWAITING A REPLY TO A WRITTEN COMMUNICATION SENT TO PEIPING. NO DATE OF DEPARTURE WAS MENTIONED.

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TORONTO, MAY 7-(AP)-THE VERY REV. HEWLETT JOHNSON, "RED DEAN" OF CANTERBURY, TOLD A MASS MEETING SPONSORED HERE TONIGHT BY THE CANADIAN PEACE CONGRESS THAT AMERICAN LEADERS WANT WAR, BUT THE RUSSIANS SEEK PEACE.

MORE THAN 10,000 PERSONS WHISTLED AND CHEERED WHILE JOHNSON, IN A MINGLING OF SCRIPTURE AND POLITICS, SAID "IN CHRIST'S FINAL JUDGMENT' RUSSIA AND THE IRON CURTAIN ORBIT WOULD FARE BETTER THAN THE UNITED STATES AND THE WEST.

DR. JOHNSON, WHO ARRIVED LAST WEEK FROM AUSTRALIA, WAS REFUSED PERMISSION BY U.S. IMMIGRATION AUTHORITIES TO PASS THROUGH HONOLULU. AS A RESULT HE WAS FORCED TO FLY TO LONDON AND FROM THERE TO CANADA.

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OTTAWA, MAY 7-(AP)-THE PRESIDENT OF THE WORLD'S LARGEST JEWISH FRATERNAL ORGANIZATION TODAY CALLED ON CANADA TO CONTINUE SUPPORT OF THE UNITED NATIONS AS THE ONLY WORLD INSTRUMENT THAT CAN PRESERVE THE PEACE OF NATIONS.

FRANK GOLDMA , OF LOWELL, MASS., INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT OF B'NAI

PEACE OF NATIONS.

FRANK GOLDMAN, OF LOWELL, MASS., INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT OF B'NAI B'RITH, TOLD THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE ORGANIZATION'S EASTERN CANADIAN COUNCIL THAT IF IT IS PEACE THE WORLD SEEKS, THEN ONLY THE NATIONS OF THE WORLD ASSEMBLED TOGETHER CAN MAKE THAT PEACE.

AS AN INSTRUMENT FOR CLOSING THE GAP BETWEEN PEOPLES, HE SAID, THE U.N. IS THE "GREATEST INTERNATIONAL INSTRUMENT SO FAR DEVISED TO BRING ABOUT UNDERSTANDING AMONG MEN."

HE URGED CANADA TO RATIFY THE INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION ON GENOCIDE, AIMED AT PREVENTING THE DELIBERATE MASS DESTRUCTION OF WHOLE RACES OF PEOPLES. GOLDMAN SAID HE IS "DELIGHTED" THAT THIS MEASURE IS NOW BEING CONSIDERED BY THE EXTERNAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT FOR SUBMISSION TO PARLIAMENT FOR RATIFICATION.

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COMMUNISTS (560)

BY MARVIN L.ARROWSMITH

(ADVANCE)...WASHINGTON, MAY 7-(AP)-SENATOR TYDINGS (D-MD) SAID TODAY THAT EXAMINATION OF STATE DEPARTMENT LOYALTY FILES WILL GIVE SENATE INVESTIGATORS A COMPLETE "TRUE OR FALSE" PICTURE OF SENATOR MCCARTHY'S CHARGES OF COMMUNISM IN THE GOVERNMENT IN 81 CASES.

TYDINGS THUS TOOK SHARP ISSUE WITH MCCARTHY, WISCONSIN REPUBLICAN WHO HAS TERMED THE STATE DEPARTMENT RECORDS RELEASED BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN INADEQUATE AND "PHONY."

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TYDINGS HEADS THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE WHICH IS LOOKING INTO MCCARTHY'S CHARGES THAT THE DEPARTMENT IS A HAVEN FOR A LOT OF COMMUNISTS AND FELLOW TRAVELERS.

THE COMMITTEE WILL MEET BEHIND CLOSED DOORS TOMORROW TO ARRANGE TO START A STUDY OF THE DEPARTMENT'S FILES ON 81 PERSONS WHO MCCARTHY, IN A SENATE SPEECH LAST FEBRUARY, ACCUSED OF BEING EITHER COMMUNISTS, OR RED SYMPATHIZERS, OR OTHERWISE BAD SECURITY RISKS.

THE COMMITTEE ALSO WILL HAVE BEFORE IT AT TOMORROW'S MEETING THE RECOMMENDATION OF ITS CHIEF COUNSEL, EDWARD P. MORGAN, THAT EARL BROWDER AND FREDERICK VANDERBILT FIELD BE CITED FOR CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS.

BROWDER, FORMER BOSS OF THE AMERICAN COMMUNIST PARTY, AND FIELD, WEALTHY NEW YORKER, BOTH REFUSED TO ANSWER MANY QUESTIONS WHEN THEY WERE BEFORE THE INQUIRY GROUP TEN DAYS AGO. TYDINGS CALLED THEIR CONDUCT AN AFFRONT TO THE DIGINITY OF THE SENATE.

IN A RADIO TALK TODAY (WBAL, BALTIMORE), TYDINGS SAID MCCARTHY IN HIS FEBRUARY SPEECH HAD DECLARED THAT "ALL THE INFORMATION HE HAD TO SUPPORT THE ASSERTIONS HE WAS MAKING CAME FROM THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S OWN FILES X X X." TYDINGS ADDED:

"WHEN WE HAVE COMPLETED OUR EXAMINATION OF THOSE 81 FILES, WE WILL BE IN A POSITION, I THINK, TO TELL THE COUNTRY WHETHER OR NOT THE SENATOR'S CHARGES ARE TRUE OR FALSE. X X X WE WILL REALLY HAVE THE COMPLETE PICTURE OF WHAT THE GOVERNMENT KNOWS ABOUT THESE 81 PEOPLE."

TYDINGS REITERATED THAT ONLY ABOUT 40 OF THE 81 PERSONS ARE NOW EMPLOYED IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT. HE SAID THE DEPARTMENT INVESTIGATED APPLICANTS FOR JOBS AS WELL AS EMPLOYES, AND ADDED:

"SOME OF THE 81 NEVER WERE EMPLOYED AND A FEW HAVE RESIGNED AND GONE TO OTHER EMPLOYMENT."

MCCARTHY, IN A SPEECH AT CHICAGO LAST NIGHT, ACCUSED THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION OF "DECEIT AND DISHONESTY" IN MAKING AVAILABLE THE STATE DEPARTMENT FILES. HE SAID NO REAL INVESTIGATION CAN BE MADE UNLESS THE COMMITTEE ALSO IS GIVEN ACCESS TO FBI FILES AND THE RECORDS OF VARIOUS OTHER GOVERNMENT INTELLIGENCE AGENCIES.

TYDINGS SAID THE STATE DEPARTMENT RECORDS ACTUALLY CONTAIN "A VAST AMOUNT OF MATERIAL THAT THE FBI HAS AMASSED AND TURNED OVER TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND PUT INTO THE FILES."

WHEN THE COMMITTEE CONCLUDES ITS STUDY OF THE FILES, TYDINGS DECLARED, IT WILL KNOW MORE THAN MCCARTHY KNEW ABOUT THEM WHEN HE MADE HIS CHARGES IN FEBRUARY.

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"HE (MCCARTHY) DIDN'T SAY HE HAD THE FILES OR HAD SEEN THE FILES," TYDINGS SAID. "HE SAID THE INFORMATION HE HAD CAME FROM THE FILES."

"SO WE WILL NOT ONLY HAVE WHATEVER HE WAS TOLD BY ANYONE, OR KNEW FROM ANYONE, BUT WE WILL ACTUALLY HAVE THE ORIGINAL FILE ITSELF WHICH HAS THE WHOLE CASE IN IT. SO THERE CAN'T BE ANY QUESTION WHEN WE DO BRING IN OUR REPORT THAT WE HAVE SEEN EVERYTHING THERE IS TO SEE ABOUT ANY INDIVIDUAL IN QUESTION."

IN ANOTHER RADIO BROADCAST TODAY (TRANSCRIBED FOR SEVERAL STATIONS), REP. DONDERO (R-MICH) PRAISED MCCARTHY AS "A MAN OF MORAL COURAGE AND PATRIOTISM OF THE FIRST MAGNITUDE."

INTERVIEWED BY COMMENTATOR UPTON CLOSE, DONDERO NOTED THAT SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON, IN BLASTING AT MCCARTHY RECENTLY, SAID HE WANTED TO CLEAR UP SOME TRASH.

"IF SECRETARY ACHESON WANTS TO CLEAR UP SOME TRASH, WHY DOES HE NOT GET BUSY AND CLEAR IT OUT OF HIS DEPARTMENT OF STATE?" DONDERO ASKED.

IN ANOTHER DEVELOPMENT, COLUMNIST JOSEPH ALYOP WROTE TYDINGS REGARDING MCCARTHY'S CHARGES AGAINST OWEN LATTIMORE AND JOHN S. SERVICE.

MCCARTHY HAS ACCUSED LATTIMORE OF BEING RUSSIA'S TOP SPY IN THIS COUNTRY AND OF BEING THE PRINCIPAL ARCHITECT OF AN AMERICAN FAR EASTERN POLICY WHICH MCCARTHY CONTENDS BETRAYED CHINA TO RUSSIA. LATTIMORE, FAR EASTERN AFFAIRS EXPERT AND SOMETIMES CONSULTANT TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT, HAS DENIED THE CHARGES UNDER OATH.

SERVICE, U.S. CONSULAR OFFICIAL ASSIGNED TO THE ORIENT, HAS BEEN ACCUSED BY MCCARTHY OF HAVING COMMUNIST SYMPATHIES. SERVICE HAS SAID THERE IS NO TRUTH TO THE CHARGE.

ALSOP, WHOSE LETTER WAS RELEASED BY TYDINGS, SAID HE WAS "INTIMATELY INVOLVED IN THE EVENTS WHICH LED TO THE LOSS OF CHINA." HE ADDED THAT HE WAS CLOSE TO THOSE EVENTS AS A MEMBER OF THE STAFF OF THE AMERICAN VOLUNTEER GROUP IN CHINA AND AS CHIEF OF A LEND-LEASE MISSION TO CHINA. ALSOP SAID HE "DID EVERYTHING IN MY POWER TO PRESENT THE PRO-NATIONALIST POINT OF VIEW IN INFLUENTIAL QUARTERS IN WASHINGTON." HE ADDED:

"STATING THE CASE AS BRIEFLY AS POSSIBLE, I THINK ITS FAIR TO SAY THAT THE REALLY CRUCIAL YEARS IN CHINA WERE THOSE WHEN GENERAL JOSEPH W.STILWELL COMMANDED THE CHINA-BURMA-INDIA THEATRE, FROM 1942 UNTIL 1944.

"IN THIS PERIOD, PROFESSOR LATTIMORE, WHO WAS ALWAYS AT BEST A FRINGE FIGURE, PLAYED HIS MOST IMPORTANT ROLE IN OUR CHINA POLICY AS A PERSONAL ADVISER TO GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI SHEK. IN THIS RATHER BRIEF ASSIGNMENT, HE ACCOMPLISHED NOTHING, BUT HE WAS QUITE OBVIOUSLY LOYAL TO BOTH THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT AND TO GENERALISSIMO CHIANG."

ALSOP SAID HE WAS WELL ACQUAINTED WITH SERVICE, "ALTHOUGH OUR VIEWS CLASHED SHARPLY." HE ADDED:

"TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE X X X, HE WAS A MOST CONSCIENTIOUS AND DECENT AMERICAN PUBLIC SERVANT."

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MCCARTHY (230)

(CX) JANESVILLE, WIS., MAY 7-(AP)-SENATOR JOSEPH MCCARTHY (R-WIS) SAID TODAY THAT IF THE STATE DEPARTMENT WOULD PROVIDE MATERIAL MISSING FROM LOYALTY FILES, "A UNITED STATES MINISTER TO A FOREIGN COUNTRY WOULD BE FIRED IMMEDIATELY."

SPEAKING BEFORE 300 PERSONS AT THE ANNUAL CONVENTION OF THE WISCONSIN FEDERATION OF YOUNG REPUBLICANS, MCCARTHY SAID THAT THE FILE INVOLVING THE FOREIGN MINISTER, KNOWN AS "CASE NO. 2" HAS BEEN "RAPED."

"IF THE MATERIAL THAT IS MISSING IS MADE AVAILABLE," HE SAID, "EVEN THE PRESIDENT'S PUPPETS IN THE SENATE INVESTIGATION, SENATORS TYDINGS AND MCMAHON, WOULD RISE ABOVE POLITICAL BICKERING AND HAVE THIS MINISTER FIRED IMMEDIATELY."

ELABORATING ON THE MINISTER'S CASE AT A PRESS CONFERENCE, SENATOR MCCARTHY SAID THAT BOTH SENATORS TYDINGS (D-MD) AND MCMAHON (D-CONN) KNOW THE NAME OF THE MINISTER BECAUSE HE (MCCARTHY) HAD GIVEN IT TO THEM IN SECRET.

NEITHER TYDINGS NOR MCMAHON COULD IMMEDIATELY BE REACHED IN WASHINGTON FOR COMMENT.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT DECLINED, THROUGH A PRESS OFFICER, TO COMMENT ON MCCARTHY'S DECLARATION THAT FILES HAD BEEN STRIPPED.

MCCARTHY DECLARED THE MINISTER WAS A "FOREIGN AGENT" AND SAID THE MISSING FILE WOULD PROVE IT TO THE SENATE SUBCOMMITTEE INVESTIGATING HIS CHARGES OF COMMUNISM IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT IF IT WAS FOUND AND MADE AVAILABLE.

TYDINGS IS CHAIRMAN OF THE SUBCOMMITTEE AND MCMAHON A MEMBER OF IT.

THE CASE HE REFERRED TO WAS THE SECOND OF 81 HE OUTLINED TO THE SENATE ON FEB. 20.

HE SAID THEN THAT "A MAJOR PORTION" OF THE FILE HAD BEEN REMOVED.

"UPON CONTACT WITH THE KEEPER OF THE RECORDS, HE STATED THAT TO THE BEST OF HIS KNOWLEDGE THE MAJOR PORTION OF THE FILE HAD BEEN REMOVED," MCCARTHY SAID THEN. "HE DID NOT MENTION ANY NAME, BUT HE SAID, 'HE (THE SUBJECT) WAS PUT IN SOME HIGH BRASS JOB ABOUT TWO YEARS AGO.'"

MCCARTHY ALSO DECLARED IN THE FEBRUARY SPEECH THAT THE MAN IN QUESTION "WAS SHADOWED" AND "WAS FOUND TO HAVE CONTACTED A SOVIET AGENT." HE LINKED THIS WITH WHAT HE SAID WAS THE APPEARANCE IN MOSCOW OF SECRET MATERIAL WHICH THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND THE PRESIDENT HAD PREPARED FOR TRANSMISSION TO ANOTHER GOVERNMENT.

MCCARTHY SAID THE MATERIAL "BEFORE IT EVEN LEFT THIS COUNTRY FOR THE OTHER COUNTRY, SHOWED UP IN MOSCOW."

MCCARTHY HAS NOT BEEN STRESSING THE CASE IN RECENT WEEKS, AND HAD NOT MENTIONED IT FOR SOME TIME UNTIL HIS SPEECH HERE.

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IN HIS ADDRESS, MCCARTHY REITERATED THE CHARGES HE MADE PREVIOUSLY AGAINST OWEN LATTIMORE, JOHN S. SERVICE AND PHILLIP JESSUP. HE ALSO REPEATED MANY OF HIS STATEMENTS MADE BEFORE THE MEETING OF YOUNG REPUBLICANS AT CHICAGO LAST NIGHT INCLUDING DISCUSSION OF THE CASE OF TWO AMERICAN SERVICEMEN INTERNED BY COMMUNISTS IN CHINA.

AT THE MEETING'S CONCLUSION YOUNG REPUBLICANS PASSED BY UNANIMOUS VOTE A RESOLUTION DEMANDING THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT TAKE IMMEDIATE POSITIVE STEPS LEADING TO THE RELEASE OF THE TWO SERVICEMEN.

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HOOVER-CHINA (270)

WASHINGTON, MAY 7-(AP)-FORMER PRESIDENT HERBERT HOOVER SAYS IT WOULD "CLEAR UP SOME OF THE FOG" IF THE ADMINISTRATION WOULD DECLARE FLATLY THAT IT WILL NOT RECOGNIZE COMMUNIST CHINA AND WILL OPPOSE UNITED NATIONS MEMBERSHIP FOR THAT REGIME.

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SENATOR KNOWLAND (R-CALIF) SENT HOOVER A COPY OF A LETTER WHICH 35 SENATORS DIRECTED TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN LAST WEEK ASKING FOR SUCH A DECLARATION. KNOWLAND ASKED FOR THE FORMER PRESIDENT'S VIEWS.

TODAY THE SENATOR MADE PUBLIC THE REPLY, WHICH OPENED WITH THE OBSERVATION THAT HOOVER DOES NOT "ASSUME THAT THERE IS ANY SUCH INTENTION" AS RECOGNITION OR ACQUIESCENCE TO U.N. MEMBERSHIP.

"BUT IT IS CERTAIN THAT SUCH A DECLARATION WOULD CLEAR UP SOME OF THE FOG IN THESE QUESTIONS," HOOVER ADDED, AND WENT ON:

"CERTAINLY THE RECOGNITION OF THE MOSCOW SATELLITE GOVERNMENT IN CHINA WOULD BE A FURTHER SURRENDER IN THE COLD WAR WHICH GENERAL BRADLEY (GEN. OMAR BRADLEY, CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF) INTIMATES WE ARE LOSING.

"IT WOULD BE A FURTHER ACCEPTANCE OF THE SWEEP OF THE KREMLIN'S AGGRESSIVE MILITARISM, AGNOSTICISM AND RED IMPERIALISM. IT IS A SYSTEM OF IMMORALITY AND WITHOUT COMPASSION THAT WE CANNOT ACCEPT."

"IT WOULD PLANT ANOTHER NEST OF COMMUNIST PROPAGANDISTS AND AGENTS IN WASHINGTON AND IN EVERY CHINESE CONSULATE OVER THE COUNTRY. IT WOULD BETRAY MILLIONS OF CHINESE STILL STRUGGLING AGAINST A SLAVE STATE.

"THE ADMISSION OF COMMUNIST CHINA INTO THE UNITED NATIONS WITH THE SUPPORT OF THE UNITED STATES WOULD INEVITABLY RESULT IN ALL THE ABOVE EFFECTS. IN ADDITION IT WOULD ADD FURTHER TO THE ALREADY DOMINANTLY DESTRUCTIVE FORCES IN THE UNITED NATIONS.

"IF THE UNITED NATIONS IS EVER TO BE USEFUL TO THE HUMAN RACE IT MUST FREE ITSELF OF COMMUNIST DOMINATION--NOT ADD TO IT."

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME TONIGHT, SUNDAY, MAY 7)

SLAVE LABOR (180)

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, MAY 7-(AP)-GEORGE DELANEY, INTERNATIONAL REPRESENTATIVE OF THE AMERICAN FEDERATION OF LABOR, TODAY PROPOSED THAT A COMMISSION OF DISTINGUISHED CITIZENS MAKE A SURVEY OF "SLAVE LABOR" IN SOVIET RUSSIA.

DELANEY SAID THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL OF THE UNITED NATIONS HAS FAILED SO FAR TO ACT ON A 1947 PROPOSAL OF THE AFL THAT THE COUNCIL SPONSOR SUCH A STUDY.

WRITING IN THE AFL'S MONTHLY MAGAZINE, THE AMERICAN FEDERATIONIST, DELANEY SAID IT WAS ESTIMATED THAT RUSSIA HAS "ENSLAVED CLOSE TO 15,000,000 HELPLESS HUMAN BEINGS IN ITS MANY SLAVE LABOR PROJECTS AND CAMPS."

"A COMPLETE SLAVE STATE AS IT EXISTS IN SOVIET RUSSIA," HE SAID, "PRESENTS A CONSTANT THREAT TO THE FREEDOM, SECURITY AND WELL-BEING OF OTHER NATIONS.

"WE KNOW THAT RUSSIA WILL NOT LONG BE CONTENT TO CONFINE HER NEFARIOUS MACHINATIONS WITHIN THE BORDERS OF HER OWN NATION AND THE UNFORTUNATE COUNTRIES NOW UNDER HER CONTROL."

DELANEY SAID A COMMISSION OF PERSONS WHOSE INTEGRITY AND SINCERITY OF INTEREST IN HUMAN WELFARE ARE BEYOND CHALLENGE SHOULD INQUIRE INTO THE USE AND EXTENT OF FORCED LABOR.

THE COMMISSION, HE SAID, SHOULD BASE ITS FINDINGS "ON EITHER DOCUMENTATION FURNISHED BY RELIABLE ORGANIZATIONS OR ON ACTUAL SURVEYS MADE WITHIN THE BOUNDARIES OF ALL NATIONS OF THE WORLD." HE SAID THE FINDINGS SHOULD BE MADE PUBLIC.

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WASHINGTON, MAY 7-(AP)-REP. JACKSON (R-CALIF) DECLARED TODAY THAT THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION'S FOREIGN TRADE POLICY IS HELPING RUSSIA FINANCE ITS ROLE IN THE COLD WAR.

IN A PRESS STATEMENT HE SAID THAT 1949 IMPORTS FROM RUSSIA TOTALED $42,425,000 (M), INCLUDING FURS VALUED AT $24,000,000, WHILE EXPORTS TO RUSSIA WERE VALUED AT ONLY $6,646,000.

"IT WOULD APPEAR THAT ONE MORE INVESTIGATION IS NEEDED--INTO OUR FOREIGN ECONOMIC POLICY," HE SAID.

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(APW) (270)

CHICAGO, MAY 7-(AP)-TWENTY-SIX BRITISH WAR BRIDES AND 31 CHILDREN LEFT TODAY (2 P.M. CDT) BY CHARTERED AIRPLANE FOR A VISIT WITH RELATIVES IN ENGLAND.

THEIR SENTIMENTAL JOURNEY WAS SCHEDULED TO TAKE THEM TO LONDON BY WAY OF GANDER, N.F., AND REYKJAVIK, ICELAND. THE TRIP WILL TAKE ABOUT 26 HOURS.

THE WIVES AND MOTHERS LEFT THEIR YANKEE HUSBANDS TO SPEND 10 WEEKS WITH BRITISH KIN, INCLUDING GRANDPARENTS WHO HAVE NEVER SEEN THE BABY VISITORS HEADED THEIR WAY.

THE CHARTERED C-54 PLANE, EQUIPPED WITH CRIBS, COTS AND DISPOSABLE DIAPERS, HEADED FOR NORTHOLT, A LONDON SUBURBAN AIRFIELD.

EACH OF THE BRIDES PAID $500 FOR THE TRIP. THE CHILDREN TRAVEL FREE. ALL THE BRIDES ARE MEMBERS OF THE BRITANNICA BRIDES CLUB OF CHICAGO. ALL THE WOMEN ARE FROM CHICAGO EXCEPT MRS. ALICE ORTON, NOW OF CHEYENNE, WYO.

THE MOST RECENTLY ANY OF THEM HAS BEEN BACK TO ENGLAND IS FOUR YEARS AGO.

MRS. ANN GOLDMAN, 30, IS THE CLUB'S FOUNDER. SHE EXPECTS TO TAKE HER THREE YOUNGSTERS, RANGING IN AGE FROM THREE TO 10 YEARS, TO VISIT HER MOTHER, MRS. ELSIE STURMAN, PORINGLAND, NEAR NORWICH.

MRS. ORTON IS TAKING HER CHILD TO SEE HER MOTHER, MRS. E.E. DOWNING, IN HULL, YORKSHIRE.

MRS. JUNE FLANSBURGH AND HER TWO CHILDREN WILL VISIT HER MOTHER, MRS. LILLIE MEMORY, AT 46 ROMANY ROAD, NORTHAMPTON.

OTHER BRIDES, AND THE NUMBER OF THEIR CHILDREN, ARE:

PEGGY SHOFNER, TWO; PATRICIA B. PATTI, ONE; JOYCE RUSH, ONE; JOSEPHINE KRENTO, ONE; BARBARA MAYER, ONE; JOYCE KLEIN, TWO; MARIAN SCHMIDT, NONE; JUNE SCYERSON, ONE; LILLIAN PALMER, ONE; SHEILA SIEGEL, NONE; GLADYS DANEK, ONE; AUDREY MORO, ONE; MARIE KORENO, ONE; DOREEN RADTKE, ONE; LILLIAN DRENNAN, ONE; FRANCES BURKE, ONE; MARGARET MALONE, ONE; NELLIE SHAPIRO, TWO; EDNA FITZGERALD, ONE; ALICE SPRATT, ONE; MARY PLUMMER, TWO; AVIS LILLEY, ONE, AND BETTY CLOURI, ONE.

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CINCINNATI,MAY 7-(AP)-ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF DEFENSE MARK LEVA SAID TODAY CONGRESS SHOULD ENACT PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S "POINT FOUR" PROGRAM FOR PROVIDING TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE AND AMERICAN KNOW-HOW TO THE WORLD'S UNDEVELOPED AREAS.

LEVA, SPEAKING AT THE BIENNIAL CONVENTION OF THE NATIONAL JEWISH WELFARE BOARD, ALSO ASKED POPULAR SUPPORT FOR THE PROGRAM AS PASSED BY THE SENATE.

OTHER POINTS LEVA STRESSED AS AIDING IN THE MAINTENANCE OF WORLD PEAC BY AMERICA WERE: 1, BELIEF IN AND SUPPORT OF "A WORLD-ENCOMPASSING" UNITED NATIONS; 2, A NON-PARTISAN FOREIGN POLICY; 3, AMERICAN SUPPORT OF EUROPE'S ECONOMIC RECOVERY; 4, "THE MEASURES WE HAVE TAKEN, AND WILL CONTINUE TO TAKE, IN THE INTEREST OF THE COLLECTIVE SECURITY OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC COMMUNITY OF NATIONS"; 5, THE VOICE OF AMERICA, "TOGETHER WITH THE REMAINDER OF OUR PROGRAM FOR DISSEMINATING TRUTH AS AN ANTIDOTE TO THE POISON OF COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA"; AND 6, PEACE THROUGH PREPAREDNESS, INCLUDING ADEQUATE FINANCIAL SUPPORT FOR THIS COUNTRY'S UNIFIED ARMED FORCES, TOGETHER WITH FURNISHING OF MILITARY EQUIPMENT TO FELLOW MEMBERS OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC COMMUNITY OF NATIONS AND TO NATIONS COVERED BY THE MUTUAL DEFENSE ASSISTANCE ACT.

FRANK L.WEIL, PRESIDENT OF THE JWB, WAS GUEST OF HONOR AT THE LUNCHEON TONIGHT. HE IS RETIRING AS PRESIDENT AFTER TEN CONSECUTIVE YEARS.

TRIBUTES TO WEIL WERE DELIVERED BY; MRS.SAMUEL R.GLOGOWER, DETROIT, A JWB VICE PRESIDENT SPEAKING FOR THE JEWISH COMMUNITY CENTER FIELD; CHARLES AARON, CHICAGO, REPRESENTING THE ORGANIZATION'S ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEES; ARNULF (CQ) M.PINS, PATERSON, N.J., PRESIDENT OF THE NATIONAL JEWISH YOUTH CONFERENCE; AND S.D.GERSHOVITZ, NEW YORK, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE JWB.

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ATLANTIC CITY,N.J.,MAY 7-(AP)-THE PRESIDENT OF THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF TEXTILE MACHINERY MANUFACTURERS SAID TODAY THAT IMPORTS OF FABRICS AND TEXTILE MACHINERY FROM EUROPE AND JAPAN WOULD SERIOUSLY EFFECT THE NATION'S WAR POTENTIAL.

AT A $5,000,000 EXHIBIT OF TEXTILE MACHINERY MARKING THE OPENING OF THE GROUP'S ANNUAL CONVENTION, J.HUGH BOLTON OF WHITINSVILLE, MASS.. SAID:

"WE ARE PREPARED TO TURN OVER IMMEDIATELY TO WAR WORK, BUT IF THE TARIFF ON FABRICS AND TEXTILE MACHINERY IS REMOVED WE WILL BE FORCED TO SHUT DOWN SOME OF OUR OPERATIONS."

"THIS IN TURN WILL HAVE A SERIOUS EFFECT ON AMERICA'S WAR POTENTIAL," BOLTON ADDED.

HE SAID THAT DURING WORLD WAR II TEXTILE MACHINERY MANUFACTURERS CONVERTED THEIR PLANTS TO MAKE AUXILIARY STEEL ENGINES FOR THE MERCHANT MARINE, MAGNITOS FOR AIRPLANES, PROJECTILES AND HAWITZERS.

THE INDUSTRY HAS "NO NEED FOR OUTSIDE RISK CAPITAL," HE SAID, AND IS IN A POSITION TO MAKE PROFITS AND CONTINUE ITS OPERATION THROUGH ITS EARNINGS.

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NEW YORK,MAY 7-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER OF PAKISTAN LIAQUAT ALI KHAN SAID TODAY THAT ASIATICS THINK THE UNITED STATES IS INTERESTED ONLY IN WAR WITH RUSSIA AND NOT THE ESTABLISHMENT OF WORLD SECURITY.

THE PREMIER, WHO ARRIVED IN THIS COUNTRY LAST WEDNESDAY, SPOKE ON THE CHICAGO ROUND TABLE OF THE AIR VIA THE NATIONAL BROADCASTING COMPANY. LIAQUAT ALI KHAN SPOKE FROM NBC'S NEW YORK STUDIO.

"THERE IS AN IMPRESSION IN THE EAST THAT THE UNITED STATES IS ONLY INTERESTED IN WAR WITH RUSSIA, AND THAT IT IS NOT DOING ALL THAT IT SHOULD TOWARD ESTABLISHING THE SECURITY OF THE WORLD," HE SAID.

HE SAID WORLD PEACE COULD BEST BE GUARDED BY HELPING THE BACKWARD AREAS, PARTICULARLY IN SOUTHERN ASIA.

THE "MOST DANGEROUS" DISPUTE FACING THE WORLD, HE SAID, WAS WHETHER INDIA OR PAKISTAN WOULD RULE KASHMIR.

THE PAKISTAN PREMIER SAID HE CONFERRED RECENTLY WITH INDIA'S PRIME MINISTER NEHRU ABOUT THE KASHMIR PROBLEM BUT THAT THEY "DID NOT MAKE MUCH PROGRESS."

HE SAID THE U.S. SHOULD ASSUME A GREATER ROLE TOWARD HELPING SOLVE THE KASHMIR PROBLEM.

"IT IS NOT A QUESTION OF SUPPORTING ONE COUNTRY OR ANOTHER," HE SAID, BUT THAT THIS COUNTRY SHOULD "IMPELENT" THE PREBISCITE OF KASHMIR.

UNDER THE PLEBISCITE, THE PEOPLE OF KASHMIR WILL DECIDE TO JOIN EITHER PAKISTAN OR INDIA.

THE PAKISTAN PREMIER SAID THE SECURITY COUNCIL OF THE UNITED NATIONS ORDERED THE PLEBISCITE BUT DID NOT SET AN EXACT DATE FOR THE BALLOTING.

HOWEVER, CONCERNING THE MINORITY MIGRATION PROBLEMS CONFRONTING INDIA AND PAKISTAN, HE SAID THE TWO NATIONS HAD AGREED TO RESPECT MINORITY RIGHTS "FOR LIFE, PROPERTY AND PERSONAL HONOR."

IN PAKISTAN, HINDUS REPRESENT ONLY ABOUT 20 PER CENT OF THE POPULATION. IN INDIA, THE MOSLEMS ARE IN THE MINORITY.

THE AGREEMENT, LIAQUAT ALI KHAN SAID, HAD RESTORED CONFIDENCE IN EACH COUNTRY "TO SUCH AN EXTENT THAT 3,000 HINDUS WERE RETURNING TO EAST PAKISTAN EACH DAY."

HE SAID AMERICANS SEEM TO THINK THAT "ALL FOREIGNERS COME HERE FOR DOLLARS."

THE PRIMARY PURPOSE OF HIS VISIT, HE SAID, WAS TO ACQUAINT AMERICANS WITH THE LIFE, CULTURE AND PROBLEMS OF PAKISTAN AND TO SEEK HELP IN DEVELOPING HIS COUNTRY'S NATURAL RESOURCES.

THE PREMIER AND HIS WIFE, BEGUM LIAQUAT ALI KHAN, EXPECT TO REMAIN IN THE U.S. UNTIL MAY 26.

LIAQUAT ALI KHAN, APPEARING LATER ON MRS.FRANKLIN D.ROOSEVELT'S TELEVISION PROGRAM (N.B.C.) STRESSED PAKISTAN'S PROGRESS TOWARD A UNITED STATES BRAND OF DEMOCRACY.

WHEN ASKED BY MRS.ROOSEVELT TO EXPLAIN JUST HOW A "NEW COUNTRY" IS FORMED, THE PRIME MINISTER CORRECTED HER. "NOT A NEW COUNTRY," HE SAID, "BUT A NEW DEMOCRACY."

HE SAID THE 80,000,000 MOSLEMS OF PAKISTAN NOW ARE BEING RULED UNDER A CONSTITUTION WRITTEN BY THE BRITISH WHEN BRITAIN RULED INDIA, WHICH AT THAT TIME INCLUDED PAKISTAN.

HE SAID HIS COUNTRY NOW IS STRIVING TO "FRAME A CONSTITUTION WHICH WILL NOT BE A CONSTITUTION FRAMED BY THE BRITISH BUT FRAMED BY THE PEOPLE OF PAKISTAN AND REFLECTING THEIR GENIUS."

THE BEGUM, SEATED ON THE OTHER SIDE OF MRS.ROOSEVELT, FURTHERED THE DISCUSSION OF PAKISTAN DEMOCRACY, EXPLAINING THAT UNDER THE NEW CONSTITUTION WOMEN WILL HAVE EQUAL RIGHTS WITH MEN--INCLUDING DIVORCE.

SHE SAID WOMEN WILL "VOTE SIDE BY SIDE" WITH MEN AND WILL BE GIVEN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY FOR ELECTION TO THE PAKISTAN PARLIAMENT.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 5 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY SUNDAY MAY 7)
(ADVANCE)..LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 7-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER JAWAHARLAL NEHRU OF INDIA DECLARED TODAY FORMER PRESIDENT HERBERT HOOVER'S PROPOSAL TO REORGANIZE THE UNITED NATIONS WITHOUT THE COMMUNIST NATIONS IS "UNWISE AND HARMFUL."

IN A MESSAGE READ OVER A UNITED NATIONS RADIO (MBS) BROADCAST, NEHRU DECLARED:

"IF ANY ATTEMPT IS MADE TO CHANGE THE ESSENTIAL NATURE OF THE UNITED NATIONS, IT WILL NOT LEAD TO ANOTHER OR A MORE POWERFUL ORGANIZATION WHICH CAN WORK FOR PEACE. IT WOULD ONLY MEAN THE BREAKUP OF SOMETHING THAT IS ACTUALLY AND POTENTIALLY VALUABLE, WITH NOTHING TO TAKE ITS PLACE." X X X
(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 5 P.M. EST TODAY SUNDAY MAY 7)

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HOLLYWOOD,MAY 7-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER LIAQUAT ALI KHAN OF PAKISTAN WILL BE HONORED BY LEADERS OF THE MOTION PICTURE INDUSTRY WITH A BANQUET HERE MAY 18.

THE ASSOCIATION OF MOTION PICTURE PRODUCERS ANNOUNCED THE PLANS TODAY AND SAID CHIEF EXECUTIVES OF ALL MAJOR STUDIOS AND MANY TOP FILM PERSONALITIES WILL BE ON HAND FOR THE OCCASION. ACTOR GEORGE MURPHY WILL ACT AS TOASTMASTER.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID THE PRIME MINISTER PLANS TO SPEND TWO DAYS IN THIS AREA VISITING FILM STUDIOS AND AIRCRAFT PLANTS.

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NEW YORK, MAY 7-(AP)-THE LAST OF THE MORMON MISSIONARIES TO BE EXPELLED FROM CZECHOSLOVAKIA SAID TODAY ON HIS RETURN TO THIS COUNTRY THAT HE HAD BEEN ACCUSED OF SPYING BY A CZECH SECRET POLICE HEAD WHO TOLD HIM THE RED STAR WILL BE "EMBLAZONED ALL OVER AMERICA."

WALLACE F.TORONTO, 41-YEAR-OLD PRESIDENT OF THE CZECHOSLOVAKIAN MISSION OF THE CHURCH OF THE LATTER DAY SAINTS, SALT LAKE CITY, RETURNED ABOARD THE LINER QUEEN MARY. HE WAS EXPELLED LAST MARCH 18.

ACCOMPANYING HIM WAS MELVIN P.MABEY OF BOUNTIFUL, UTAH, A MORMON MISSIONARY WHO WAS EXPELLED MARCH 2.

TORONTO SAID 29 MORMON MISSIONARIES WERE EXPELLED UNDER A CZECH LAW FORBIDDING FOREIGN CHURCH LEADERS TO REMAIN IN THE COUNTRY. ELEVEN OTHER MORMON MISSIONARIES LEFT THE COUNTRY VOLUNTARILY, HE SAID.

HE SAID THAT WHEN A POLICE OFFICIAL--A YOUNG WOMAN -- HANDED HIM HIS EXPULSION ORDER, HE TOLD HER IT WAS "A SAD ENDING TO TEN YEARS OF SERVICE AMONG YOUR PEOPLE."

SHE REPLIED, HE SAID, THAT "IF YOU HAD ACTUALLY BEEN DOING CHURCH WORK INSTEAD OF SPYING ON OUR FACTORIES, OUR BUSINESS AND OUR ECONOMY AND SENDING REPORTS TO THE AMERICAN AUTHORITIES, IT MIGHT BE A DIFFERENT STORY."

TORONTO SAID HE PROTESTED THIS CHARACTERIZATION OF HIS WORK WHICH CONSISTED OF "CHRISTIAN ENDEAVORS AND TEACHING THE PRINCIPLES OF OUR BELIEF," AND TOLD THE YOUNG WOMAN:

"ONE DAY YOU AND I WILL MEET AGAIN AND YOU WILL REALIZE THAT EVERYTHING I HAVE TOLD YOU HAS BEEN NOTHING BUT THE TRUTH."

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HE SAID SHE ROSE AND DECLARED:

"OH, YES, WE'LL MEET AGAIN. THAT WILL BE WHEN THE RED STAR IS EMBLAZONED ALL OVER AMERICA AND WHEN THE COMMUNISTS HAVE COME TO THE SALVATION OF THE WORKING CLASS OF THE UNITED STATES."

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AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD ACHESON (560)
BY JOSEPH E.DYNAN
PARIS, MAY 8-(AP)-SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON ANNOUNCED TONIGHT THAT IMMEDIATE AMERICAN FINANCIAL AID AND MILITARY EQUIPMENT WILL BE THROWN INTO THE SHOOTING WAR IN INDOCHINA.
AT THE SAME TIME AUTHORITATIVE SOURCES SAID HE HAD WON FRENCH ASSENT TO PUTTING WESTERN GERMANS IN CHARGE OF THEIR OWN FOREIGN POLICY FOR THE FIRST TIME SINCE THE WAR.
THESE DEVELOPMENTS CAME FROM DAY-LONG CONFERENCES AMONG THE AMERICAN SECRETARY OF STATE AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN AND THEIR AIDES. THEY WERE THE FIRST FRUITS OF CONFERENCES, EXPECTED TO CONTINUE HERE AND IN LONDON FOR AT LEAST 10 DAYS, WITH MINISTERS OF ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS ON TIGHTENING THE COLD WAR FRONT AGAINST COMMUNISM.
AUTHORITATIVE INFORMANTS SAID SCHUMAN AND ACHESON HAD AGREED, SUBJECT TO BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN'S ACCORD, ON REVISIONS OF THE GERMAN OCCUPATION STATUTE WHICH WOULD GIVE THE BONN REPUBLIC VIRTUALLY COMPLETE LEEWAY IN ITS POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC AFFAIRS.
IT WAS EMPHASIZED, HOWEVER, THAT ANY CHANGES IN THE STATUTE AGREED UPON IN LONDON WOULD NOT BE PUT INTO EFFECT UNTIL NEXT FALL WHEN THE STATUTE IS SCHEDULED FOR POSSIBLE REVISION.
QUALIFIED SOURCES SAID AMERICAN AID IN INDOCHINA, WHERE GUERRILLA WAR WITH MOSCOW-BACKED HO CHI MINH HAS BEEN STALEMATED MORE THAN FOUR YEEARS, WOULD BE IMMEDIATE.
THE BULK OF $75,000,000 ALREADY APPROPRIATED BY CONGRESS TO COMBAT COMMUNISM IN THE FAR EAST WILL GO TO THE FRENCH-BACKED VIETNAMESE OF EX-EMPEROR BAO DAI AND THE ASSOCIATED STATES OF CAMBODIA AND LAOS, IT WAS EXPLAINED. THE APPROPRIATION EXPIRES IN JUNE. ORIGINALLY INDOCHINA WAS DUE TO GET ONLY $15,000,000 FROM THE FUND.
ARMS AND OTHER MILITARY AID, IT WAS SAID BY AN AUTHORITATIVE AMERICAN SOURCE, WILL BE SHIPPED DIRECTLY TO INDOCHINA -- NONE OF IT WILL BE CHANNELED THROUGH FRANCE. FURTHERMORE, LITTLE OF THE AID WILL BE ECONOMIC.
CONVERSATIONS ALREADY ARE UNDERWAY IN PARIS, WASHINGTON AND SAIGON ON EMPLOYMENT OF THE ALLOTMENT, IT WAS REPORTED.
SCHUMAN, IT WAS LEARNED FROM OTHER SOURCES, ASSURED ACHESON THAT FRANCE SOON WILL RELEASE THE THREE ASSOCIATED INDOCHINESE STATES IN THE FRENCH UNION FROM SUPERVISION BY THE FRENCH COLONIAL MINISTRY BY CREATING A NEW MINISTRY FOR "COMMONWEALTH RELATIONS."
THIS WILL BE DONE, IT WAS SAID, AS SOON AS DOMESTIC POLITICAL CONDITIONS PERMIT THE CHANGEOVER.
SCHUMAN'S MAIN ARGUMENT ON BEHALF OF MILITARY AID WAS THAT THE SOVIET ORBIT IS NOW PRESSING HARD AGAINST AND WITHIN INDOCHINA'S FRONTIERS BECAUSE THE GUERRILLAS IN THE JUNGLE NOW CAN GET AID FROM CHINA'S COMMUNISTS, PARTICULARLY SINCE THE COMMUNIST CAPTURE OF HAINAN ISLAND.
IN A STATEMENT ACHESON EMPHASIZED THAT THE UNITED STATES EXPECTS A STEADILY LARGER DEGREE OF SELF GOVERNMENT FOR THE THREE INDOCHINESE REGIMES WITHIN THE FRENCH UNION.
THE UNITED STATES, HE SAID, "CONSIDERS THE SITUATION TO BE SUCH AS TO WARRANT ITS ACCORDING ECONOMIC AID AND MILITARY EQUIPMENT TO THE ASSOCIATED STATES OF INDOCHINA AND TO FRANCE IN ORDER TO ASSIST PEACEFUL AND DEMOCRATIC DEVELOPMENT."
THE U.S., HE ASSERTED, WAS "CONVINCED THAT NEITHER NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE NOR DEMOCRATIC EVOLUTION CAN EXIST IN ANY AREA DOMINATED BY SOVIET MATERIALISM."
HE PRECEDED THAT WITH THE STATEMENT THAT THE U.S. "RECOGNIZES THAT THE SOLUTION OF THE INDOCHINA PROBLEM DEPENDS BOTH UPON THE RESTORATION OF SECURITY AND UPON THE DEVELOPMENT OF GENUINE NATIONALISM AND THAT THE UNITED STATES ASSISTANCE CAN AND SHOULD CONTRIBUTE TO THESE MAJOR OBJECTIVES."
HE ADDED THAT HE AND SCHUMAN WERE "IN GENERAL AGREEMENT BOTH AS TO THE URGENCY OF THE SITUATION IN THAT AREA AND AS TO THE NECESSITY FOR REMEDIAL ACTION."
FRENCH OFFICIAL SOURCES EXPRESSED SATISFACTION BOTH WITH THE DECISION TO SEND PROMPT ASSISTANCE TO THE ORIENTAL OUTPOST, AND WITH ACHESON'S ATTITUDE ON INDOCHINESE NATIONALISM. THEY HAD EXPECTED HIM TO DEMAND MUCH MORE IN THE WAY OF INDEPENDENCE FOR THE INDOCHINESE REGIMES.
WELL-INFORMED SOURCES SAID ACHESON AND SCHUMAN IN THEIR DISCUSSIONS ON GERMANY REACHED AGREEMENT ON WHAT WOULD AMOUNT TO A PRELIMINARY PEACE TREATY WITH THE BONN GOVERNMENT. THEIR ACCORD, OF COURSE, IS SUBJECT TO BRITISH APPROVAL. IT EMBRACED A REVISION OF THE OCCUPATION STATUTE IN OCTOBER AND MORE LIBERAL INTERPRETATIONS OF THE PRESENT STATUTE UNTIL THEN.
SCHUMAN WAS DESCRIBED AS ADAMANT AGAINST REARMING THE GERMANS OR EASING MILITARY CONTROLS, HOWEVER. HE WAS SAID TO BE OPPOSED TO LETTING THE GERMANS FORM A MILITARY ORGANIZATION OF ANY KIND.
HE INSISTED, ALSO, ON THE RUHR INTERNATIONAL AUTHORITY BEING PUT ON A FUNCTIONING BASIS. HE WAS REPRESENTED AS FEELING THAT THE AUTHORITY, WHICH IS SUPPOSED TO SUPERVISE OPERATIONS AND OUTPUT OF COAL AND STEEL IN THE RICH BASIN, EXISTS IN NAME ONLY.
ACHESON WAS SAID TO HAVE MADE NO COMMITMENTS ON THE RUHR ISSUE.
IT WAS NOT BELIEVED LIKELY THAT THE BONN GOVERNMENT WOULD BE ALLOWED TO ESTABLISH A FULL FLEDGED FOREIGN OFFICE AT ONCE.
ACCORDING TO INFORMATION HERE, THE GERMANS WOULD BE PERMITTED TO SET UP THEIR OWN CONSULAR AND COMMERCIAL REPRESENTATION IN FOREIGN COUNTRIES AFTER THE LONDON SESSIONS OF THE FOREIGN MINISTERS.
ACHESON AND SCHUMAN ENDED THEIR TALKS AT 5:45 P.M. AND THEN WERE GUESTS OF PREMIER BIDAULT. ACHESON SHIFTS HIS CONVERSATIONS TO LONDON ON THURSDAY.

NOT ALL FRENCHMEN IN HIGH POSITIONS WILL WELCOME THE REPORTED DECISION TO REMOVE INDOCHINA FROM THE TRADITION-BOUND COLONIAL MINISTRY.
ONE FACTOR INVOLVES DOMESTIC POLITICS AND THE PERSONAL RIVALRIES OF OFFICE HOLDERS. PERSONNEL IN THE COLONIAL MINISTRY NATURALLY DISLIKE LOSING SWAY OVER ONE OF THEIR MOST IMPORTANT PROVINCES. ON THE OTHER HAND A GROUP AT THE FOREIGN MINISTRY WOULD LIKE TO ADD THE INDOCHINESE STATES TO THEIR BALIWICK. THE PRESENT COLONIAL MINISTER, JEAN LETOURNEAU, IS A MEMBER OF THE POPULAR REPUBLICAN PARTY, LIKE PREMIER GEORGES BIDAULT AND FOREIGN MINISTER SCHUMAN.
OTHER FACTORS ARE IN INDOCHINA ITSELF. THERE IS A SHORTAGE OF TRAINED PERSONNEL AMONG INDOCHINESE TO REPLACE FRENCHMEN IN OFFICES OF GREATER INDEPENDENCE. FURTHERMORE, SOME OFFICIALS HAVE CHARGED THAT THERE IS DELIBERATE INACTION BY MANY COLONIAL MINISTRY OFFICIALS WHO ARE SUPPOSED TO CARRY OUT AGREEMENTS FOR GREATER FREEDOM FOR THE INDOCHINESE.
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FIRST LEAD ACHESON

PARIS, MAY 8-(AP)-U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON SAID TONIGHT AMERICAN ECONOMIC AND MILITARY HELP WILL BE SENT IMMEDIATELY TO FRENCH INDOCHINA.

THE U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE BEGAN A ROUND OF COLD WAR TALKS HERE BY HEARING FRENCH PLEAS FOR SPEEDY HELP IN THE SOUTHEAST ASIA TERRITORY TO HOLD BACK THE THREAT OF COMMUNISM. FRENCH OFFICIALS WERE SAID TO BE "VERY SATISFIED" WITH THE RESULTS OF TODAY'S DISCUSSIONS BETWEEN ACHESON AND FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN.

ACHESON DID NOT SPECIFY THE AMOUNT OF AID TO BE SENT INDOCHINA, WHERE THE FRENCH HAVE BEEN CARRYING ON A SHOOTING WAR AGAINST THE FORCES OF COMMUNIST-TRAINED HO CHI MINH FOR ALMOST FOUR YEARS.

UNITED STATES AID, ACHESON SAID, "CAN AND SHOULD BE" GIVEN TO HELP THE FRENCH IN THEIR FIGHT AGAINST THE VIETMINH.

THE BRIEF STATEMENT DID NOT SPECIFY, BUT DIPLOMATIC SOURCES SAID THE UNITED STATES IN RETURN WANTS A GUARANTEE OF GENUINE INDEPENDENCE FOR THE INDOCHINESE. THE UNITED STATES IS ALSO URGING FRANCE TO TRANSFER CONTROL OF VIETNAM, THE FRENCH-CREATED STATE IN INDOCHINA, FROM THE COLONIES MINISTER TO THE FOREIGN MINISTER, OR TO TAKE SOME SIMILAR STEP TO ADD TO VIETNAM'S PRESTIGE.

THE TEXT OF ACHESON'S STATEMENT:

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"FOREIGN MINISTER SCHUMAN AND I HAVE JUST HAD AN EXCHANGE OF VIEWS ON THE SITUATION IN INDOCHINA AND ARE IN GENERAL AGREEMENT BOTH AS TO THE URGENCY OF THE SITUATION IN THAT AREA AND AS TO THE NECESSITY FOR REMEDIAL ACTION.

"WE HAVE NOTED THE FACT THAT THE PROBLEM OF MEETING THE THREAT TO THE STATES OF VIETNAM, CAMBODIA AND LAOS, WHICH NOW ENJOY INDEPENDENCE WITHIN THE FRENCH UNION, IS PRIMARILY THE RESPONSIBILITY OF FRANCE, THE GOVERNMENTS AND PEOPLE OF INDONESIA. INDOCHINA.

"THE UNITED STATES RECOGNIZES THAT THE SOLUTION OF THE INDOCHINA PROBLEM DEPENDS BOTH UPON THE RESTORATION OF SECURITY AND UPON THE DEVELOPMENT OF GENUINE NATIONALISM AND THAT THE UNITED STATES ASSISTANCE CAN AND SHOULD CONTRIBUTE TO THESE MAJOR OBJECTIVES.

"THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT, CONVINCED THAT NEITHER NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE NOR DEMOCRATIC EVOLUTION CAN EXIST IN ANY AREA DOMINATED BY SOVIET MATERIALISM, CONSIDERS THE SITUATION TO BE SUCH AS TO WARRANT ITS ACCORDING ECONOMIC AID AND MILITARY EQUIPMENT TO THE ASSOCIATED STATES OF INDOCHINA AND TO FRANCE IN ORDER TO ASSIST PEACEFUL AND DEMOCRATIC DEVELOPMENT."

ACHESON FLEW INTO PARIS YESTERDAY FOR WESTERN DIPLOMATIC CONFERENCES WHICH WILL SHIFT THURSDAY TO LONDON. THE MEETINGS WILL DEAL WITH WAYS TO CONTAIN COMMUNIST EXPANSION ALL OVER THE WORLD.

BUT ACHESON'S MEETING WITH FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN TODAY WAS REPORTED TO DEAL PRIMARILY WITH INDOCHINA. THE FRENCH HAVE BEEN FIGHTING A STALEMATED JUNGLE WAR THERE SINCE 1946 AGAINST THE GUERRILLA FORCES OF MOSCOW-TRAINED HO CHI MINH.

THE U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE MET SCHUMAN ARMED WITH THE APPARENTLY FIRM U.S. GOVERNMENT CONVICTION THAT BAO DAI, THE FRENCH-SPONSORED RULER OF THE INDOCHINESE STATE OF VIETNAM, MUST BE MADE A MORE VALID SYMBOL OF OPPOSITION TO COMMUNISM.

BAO DAI'S REGIME IS OPPOSED BY HO'S JUNGLE GOVERNMENT, WHICH IS RECOGNIZED BY MOSCOW, COMMUNIST CHINA AND MOST OF THE SOVIET SATELLITE NATIONS. MANY NATIONALISTIC INDOCHINESE HAVE BEEN RELUCTANT TO THROW IN THEIR LOT WITH BAO DAI BECAUSE THE FRENCH SO FAR HAVE GRANTED ONLY LIMITED AUTONOMY TO THE FRENCH-BACKED REGIME.

DIPLOMATIC INFORMANTS SAID ACHESON WILL ASK SCHUMAN FOR ASSURANCES THAT STEPS TOWARD INDEPENDENCE WILL BE TAKEN AS FAST AS THE GUERRILLA WAR ALLOWS.

AMERICANS HAVE STATED REPEATEDLY THAT UNITED STATES POLICY CONTAINS NOT THE SLIGHTEST SUGGESTION OF OPPOSITION TO THE FRENCH UNION WHICH LINKS METROPOLITAN FRANCE WITH HER OVERSEAS TERRITORIES.

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ALL ACHESON WANTS TO KNOW NOW, INFORMED SOURCES SAID, IS WHETHER INDOCHINA WILL GET TRUE INDEPENDENCE, WITH THE FRENCH UNION RETAINING ONLY SOME DIPLOMATIC LINKS LIKE THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH, OR WHETHER AMERICA IS BEING ASKED TO FOOT THE BILL FOR FRENCH COLONIAL CONQUEST.

SO FAR PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS PROMISED $15,000,000 FOR INDOCHINA FROM A $75,000,000 FUND APPROPRIATED BY CONGRESS TO HELP STEM COMMUNISM IN THE FAR EAST.

FRENCH STATESMEN COMPLAIN BITTERLY SUCH AID IS TOO LITTLE AND TOO SLOW. THEY SAY FAILURE TO PROVIDE MORE AID, AND PROMPTLY, MAY RESULT IN A COMMUNIST VICTORY IN INDOCHINA--OPENING THE WAY FOR RED DOMINATION OF THAILAND, BURMA AND THE MALAYAN PENINSULA.

SOURCES CLOSE TO THE CONFERENCES EXPRESSED DOUBT THAT ANY FINAL DECISION WILL BE REACHED ON ACHESON'S VISIT HERE.

IN THE FIRST PLACE, ANYTHING THAT GRANTS OTHER THAN FROM THE ALREADY-APPROPRIATED $75,000,000 WOULD HAVE TO GET CONGRESSIONAL APPROVAL. SECONDLY, "BIG THREE" TALKS OPEN IN LONDON THURSDAY AND BRITAIN UNDOUBTEDLY WOULD HAVE TO BE CONSULTED BECAUSE OF HER STAKE IN MALAYA, SINGAPORE AND HONGKONG.

IN THE COURSE OF HIS TALKS WITH SCHUMAN, ACHESON ALSO IS EXPECTED TO DISCUSS FRANCE'S ATTITUDE TOWARD GERMANY AND PREMIER GEORGES BIDAULT'S SUGGESTION FOR A NEW "ATLANTIC COUNCIL" TO COORDINATE ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL ACTIVITIES OF THE WESTERN NATIONS, AS WELL AS DEALING WITH MILITARY PROBLEMS.

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PARIS, MAY 8-(AP)-RENE HARDY, A FRENCHMAN, WAS ACQUITTED OF TREASON FOR THE THIRD TIME TODAY. A CIVILIAN COURT FOUND HIM NOT GUILTY THREE YEARS AGO AND A PURGE COURT IN ALGIERS HAD FREED HIM BEFORE THAT.

HARDY HAD BEEN SUSPECTED BY SOME OF HIS FELLOW MEMBERS IN THE FRENCH WAR-TIME RESISTANCE OF SERVING AS A GESTAPO INFORMER.

THE MOST RECENT TRIAL, BEFORE A MILITARY TRIBUNAL, FOLLOWED DISCOVERY OF ALLEGED "NEW EVIDENCE".

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METZ, FRANCE, MAY 8-(AP)-WORLD WAR II CLAIMED ANOTHER VICTIM TODAY, THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF V-E DAY.

MARC ORY, 11, FOUND A GRENADE WHILE WALKING THROUGH THE WOODS NEAR METZ. HE THREW IT TO THE GROUND AND WAS FATALLY WOUNDED BY THE EXPLOSION.

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LONDON, MAY 8-(AP)-SIXTY-NINE PERSONS WERE ARRESTED YESTERDAY AS POLICE CLASHED WITH DEMONSTRATORS, MANY OF WHOM CARRIED PRO-COMMUNIST BANNERS AND SHOUTED ANTI-AMERICAN SLOGANS.
SINGING THE "RED FLAG" AND JEERING POLICE, THE MARCHERS EXTENDED THEIR DEMONSTRATION FROM TRAFALGAR SQUARE TO OXFORD STREET, ABOUT A MILE AWAY, WHERE MOUNTED POLICE RODE INTO CROWDS WHICH WERE SNARLING TRAFFIC.
THE DEMONSTRATORS HAD BEEN CALLED TOGETHER BY THE LONDON TRADES COUNCIL, DESPITE A YEAR-OLD HOME OFFICE BAN ON POLITICAL DEMONSTRATIONS.
SOME BANNERS READ "WE WANT PEACE, STOP THE AMERICAN WARMONGERS." OTHERS URGED "STOP THE WAR IN MALAYA."
EARLIER POLICE HAD TO BREAK UP CROWDS AT PRO-FASCIST RALLIES HELD IN SUBURBAN DALSTON AND BETHNAL GREEN BY SIR OSWALD MCDMH, WHO WAS

EARLIER POLICE HAD TO BREAK UP CROWDS AT PRO-FASCIST RALLIES HELD IN SUBURBAN DALSTON AND BETHNAL GREEN BY SIR OSWALD MOSLEY, WHO WAS JAILED AS A NAZI SYMPATHIZER DURING THE WAR.
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LONDON, MAY 8-(AP)-SOVIET ARMY AND NAVY MINISTERS HAVE ISSUED ORDERS OF THE DAY FOR CELEBRATIONS TOMORROW OF THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF GERMANY'S DEFEAT, THE MOSCOW RADIO SAID TONIGHT.
THE ORDERS MADE NO MENTION OF THE WESTERN ALLIES, BUT PROCLAIMED THE WAR LEADERSHIP OF PRIME MINISTER STALIN IN ATTAINING VICTORY.
WAR MINISTER A.M. VASSILIVSKY ORDERED 30 ARTILLERY SALVOS TO BE FIRED IN MOSCOW, EACH OF THE CAPITALS OF THE SOVIET REPUBLICS, AND IN KALININGRAD, LVOV, LENINGRAD, STALINGRAD, SEVASTAPOL AND ODESSA.
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PRESTWICK, SCOTLAND, MAY 8-(AP)-A PLANELOAD OF COMPLAINING BRITISH WIVES AND CRYING CHILDREN OF CHICAGO EX-SERVICEMEN LANDED HERE TONIGHT, 350 MILES SHORT OF THEIR GOAL BECAUSE OF HEALTH REGULATIONS IMPOSED BY ICELAND.
TWENTY-SIX WOMEN AND 32 CHILDREN COMING OVER FOR A 10-WEEK VISIT TO RELATIVES IN BRITAIN WERE ABOARD A CHARTERED ICELANDIC SKYMASTER PLANE BOUND FOR LONDON.
ON REFUELING AT REYKJAVIK, ICELAND, TODAY, THE PILOT WAS WARNED BY ICELANDIC HEALTH AUTHORITIES THAT IF HE LANDED AT LONDON HE WOULD NOT BE PERMITTED TO RETURN TO ICELAND.
THE BAN WAS IMPOSED BECAUSE A CASE OF SUSPECTED SMALLPOX TURNED UP ABOARD AN INCOMING PLANE AT NORTHOLT LAST WEEK.
THE PILOT LANDED AT PRESTWICK, AND THE WOMEN AND CHILDREN ARRANGED TO PROCEED TO THEIR DESTINATIONS AFTER A NIGHT'S SLEEP.
MRS.ANN GOLDMAN OF 3940 W. 15TH ST., CHICAGO, PRESIDENT OF THE BRITANNIC CLUB FOR BRITISH WAR WIVES, SAID IT COST $13,000 TO CHARTER THE PLANE.
"NOW WE ARE WONDERING IF IT WAS REALLY WORTH IT," SHE SAID. "IT HAS BEEN AWFUL. EVERYTHING HAS GONE WRONG WITH THIS TRIP EVER SINCE IT WAS PLANNED THREE MONTHS AGO."
MRS.LILLIAN DRENNAN OF 6020 S.HARPER ST., CHICAGO, SAID SHE IS "FED UP".
"THE WHOLE THING HAS BEEN A MUDDLE WITH DELAYS AND SNAGS," SHE SAID. "WE HAVE HAD LITTLE OR NO SLEEP SINCE WE LEFT CHICAGO ON SUNDAY, AND THE CHILDREN HAVE BEEN SICK.
THE WOMEN COMPLAINED OF THE MEALS AND SAID THERE WAS NO BABY FOOD ABOARD, ONLY COLD MILK FOR THE BABIES' BOTTLES.
THEY GASPED WHEN THEY WERE CHARGED TWO SHILLINGS (28 CENTS) FOR A CUP OF COFFEE AT THE AIRPORT.
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GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, MAY 8-(AP)-UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE DECLARED TODAY THE TIME HAS COME FOR ALL BELIEVERS IN PEACE "TO JOIN IN NEW EFFORTS TO BRING THE COLD WAR TO AN END."
IN AN ADDRESS MARKING THE OPENING OF THE THIRD WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION (WHO) ASSEMBLY HERE LIE DECLARED:
"IT MUST BE ADMITTED THAT IMMEDIATE PROSPECTS (FOR ENDING THE COLD WAR) DO NOT SEEM ENCOURAGING. NEVERTHELESS, WE SHOULD NOT DELAY THE SEARCH FOR A WAY OUT OF THE PRESENT IMPASSE."
LIE, WHO LEAVES FOR MOSCOW ON WEDNESDAY ON "SAVE-THE-U.N." MISSION, DECLARED THE UNITED NATIONS AND ITS SPECIAL AGENCIES "ARE FOUNDED UPON THE PRINCIPLE THAT LASTING WORLD PEACE CAN ONLY BE ACHIEVED AND MAINTAINED BY WORLD ORGANIZATION."
"SPECIFICALLY," HE SAID, "WE BELIEVE THAT IT IS ESSENTIAL TO THE FUTURE OF BOTH THE UNITED NATIONS AND THE SPECIALIZED AGENCIES THAT THE PRESENT POLITICAL DEADLOCK IN THE UNITED NATIONS BE RESOLVED AT THE EARLIEST POSSIBLE MOMENT."
"UNDOUBTEDLY," HE ADDED, "IT WILL TAKE TIME AND PATIENCE AND MUCH EXPLORATION TO BRING ABOUT A REDUCTION OF TENSIONS AND TO SET THE WORLD ONCE MORE ON THE UNITED NATIONS ROAD TO PEACE."
COMMENTING ON THE U.N. PROGRAM FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, LIE SAID "A UNITED NATIONS PROGRAM TO RAISE LIVING STANDARDS CAN AND SHOULD BE PLANNED AND CARRIED OUT ON A NON-POLITICAL BASIS X X X FOR THE BENEFIT OF ALL HUMANITY, WITHOUT REGARD FOR THE COLD WAR." HE ADDED:
"IF OUR PROGRAM OF TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CAN BE EXPANDED AND APPLIED TO MEET NEEDS WHEREVER THEY EXIST, I BELIEVE IT CAN ALSO MAKE A SUBSTANTIAL CONTRIBUTION TOWARD REDUCING THE TENSIONS OF THE COLD WAR AND ENLARGING THE AREA OF COMMON GROUND X X X.
"GOVERNMENTS HAVE IT IN THEIR POWER TO BUILD OVER THE NEXT 20 YEARS THROUGH THE UNITED NATIONS AND THE SPECIALIZED AGENCIES A FOUNDATION OF ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL SECURITY FOR PERMANENT PEACE THAT THE WORLD HAS NEVER HAD BEFORE.
"I SUBMIT THAT THIS IS A WISER AND MORE CONSTRUCTIVE COURSE FOR ALL GOVERNMENTS THAN TO CONTINUE YEAR AFTER YEAR THE COLD WAR WITH ITS ALWAYS INCREASING COSTS AND BITTERNESS AND ITS IMPLICIT DENIAL OF BROTHERHOOD OF MAN.

"I THINK THAT THIS IS THE YEAR OF DECISION. WE MUST WORK HARD TO BRING ABOUT THIS YEAR A NEW BEGINNING TOWARD PEACE THROUGH THE UNITED NATIONS."

DR.BROCK CHISHOLM OF CANADA, DIRECTOR GENERAL OF THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION (WHO), CALLED ON THE NATIONS OF THE WORLD TO SPEND LESS ON "UNPRODUCTIVE REARMAMENT" AND MORE ON PROVING GENERAL HEALTH.

WHO, HE SAID, IS AT PRESENT TRYING TO OPERATE A 1950 PROGRAM BUDGETED AT $7,000,000 TO WHICH THE WHO ASSEMBLY LAST YEAR ALLOCATED ONLY $5,000,000.

"LET US STATE HERE FRANKLY," SAID DR.CHISHOLM, "THAT OUR FAILURE IS DUE MAINLY TO THE INABILITY OF OUR GOVERNMENTS TO APPRECIATE MORE FULLY THE SIGNIFICANCE OF HEALTH IN THE PROMOTION OF HUMAN PROSPERITY.

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NIGHT LEAD LIE (110)

GENEVA, MAY 8-(AP)-UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE WILL FLY TO MOSCOW FROM PRAGUE ON THURSDAY IN A SPECIAL PLANE PUT AT HIS DISPOSAL BY THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT, IT WAS ANNOUNCED TODAY.

LIE ARRIVED IN GENEVA SATURDAY TO ATTEND TODAY'S OPENING OF THE THIRD ANNUAL ASSEMBLY OF THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION.

"THE TIME HAS COME FOR ALL WHO WORK FOR PEACE AND WHO BELIEVE IN PEACE TO JOIN IN NEW EFFORTS TO BRING THE COLD WAR TO AN END," HE TOLD THE ASSEMBLY. NEARLY ALL THE SOVIET BLOC COUNTRIES HAVE WALKED OUT OF WHO DURING THE PAST YEAR. THEIR SEATS REMAINED EMPTY DURING LIE'S ADDRESS.

LIE WILL FLY TO PRAGUE WEDNESDAY AND WILL SPEND ABOUT 24 HOURS IN THE CZECH CAPITAL.

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NIGHT LEAD ARMS (120)

CHERBOURG, FRANCE, MAY 8-(AP)-A COMMUNIST ATTEMPT TO DEMONSTRATE AGAINST AMERICAN MILITARY AID TO FRANCE FIZZLED OUT BEFORE IT COULD EVEN GET STARTED TODAY.

WHEN UNLOADING OF THE SECOND AMERICAN ARMS SHIPMENT TO FRANCE BEGAN, ABOUT 50 "PARTISANS OF PEACE" GATHERED TO HEAR A COMMUNIST MEMBER OF THE TOWN COUNCIL PROTEST AGAINST THE UNLOADING.

THE SPEAKER URGED THE CHERBOURG POPULATION TO JOIN IN A DEMONSTRATION PLANNED TO TAKE PLACE AT THD DOCKERS HIRING OFFICE DURING THE NOON HOUR BUT AT THAT TIME THE ONLY PEOPLE PRESENT WERE DOCKERS SEEKING EMPLOYMENT.

THE HIRING OF DOCKERS FOR THE UNLOADING OF THE FREIGHTER AMERICAN CLIPPER, CARRYING 1,400 TONS OF ARMS, BEGAN AT DAWN. THE UNLOADING WAS ALREADY UNDERWAY WHEN THE "PARTISANS OF PEACE" ARRIVED. IT CONTINUED WITHOUT INTERRUPTION AND WAS EXPECTED TO BE COMPLETED BY TOMORROW EVENING OR WEDNESDAY MORNING.

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CHERBOURG, FRANCE, MAY 8-(AP)-UNLOADING OF THE SECOND AMERICAN ARMS SHIPMENT TO FRANCE UNDER TERMS OF THE ATLANTIC PACT BEGAN THIS MORNING WITHOUT INCIDENT.

HIRING OF DOCKERS FOR THE UNLOADING OF THE FREIGHTER AMERICAN CLIPPER CARRYING 1,400 TONS OF ARMS BEGAN AT DAWN. FIVE COMMUNIST REPRESENTATIVES WHO WERE PRESENT AT THE HIRING OFFICE ABSTAINED FROM PROVOKING ANY DEMONSTRATION.

THE FIRST ARMS SHIPMENT WAS UNLOADED HERE A FEW WEEKS AGO WITHOUT INCIDENT IN SPITE OF COMMUNIST THREATS.

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PRECEDE LONDON (A93)

STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN, TUESDAY, MAY 9-(AP)-THE SWEDISH FOREIGN OFFICE ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT LUDVIG HAMMARSTROEM, FORMER AMBASSADOR TO NATIONALIST CHINA, HAD BEEN APPOINTED AS THE NATION'S AMBASSADOR IN THE CHINESE COMMUNIST CAPITAL AT PEIPING.

SWEDEN GRANTED DIPLOMATIC RECOGNITION TO THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS LAST JANUARY. x52.13 x52.30

THE FOREIGN OFFICE SAID GEN. KENG PIAO HAD BEEN APPOINTED CHINESE AMBASSADOR TO STOCKHOLM.

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LONDON, MAY 8-(AP)-TASS SAID TODAY SWEDEN AND COMMUNIST CHINA HAVE ESTABLISHED DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS.

THE OFFICIAL RUSSIAN NEWS AGENCY QUOTED THE NEW CHINA NEWS AGENCY AS SAYING A MR. HAMMERSTROM WOULD BE SWEDISH AMBASSADOR TO PEIPING.

NINETEEN OTHER NATIONS ALREADY HAVE RECOGNIZED THE RED CHINA REGIME. THEY INCLUDE GREAT BRITAIN, NORWAY, THE NETHERLANDS, INDONESIA, INDIA, BURMA, DENMARK, FINLAND, SWITZERLAND, YUGOSLAVIA, ISRAEL, AFGHANISTAN, THE SOVIET UNION, ALBANIA, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, BULGARIA, POLAND, ROMANIA AND HUNGARY. x66.30

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ROME, MAY 8-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION (FAO) SAID TODAY THAT MILLIONS OF PERSONS IN COMMUNIST CHINA ARE FACING STARVATION BECAUSE OF CRITICAL FOOD SHORTAGES.
A WORLD FOOD SURVEY, READ AT THE OPENING SESSION OF THE 18-NATION FAO COUNCIL HERE, ALSO REPORTED THAT A RETURN TO PREWAR LEVELS OF FOOD CONSUMPTION IN WESTERN EUROPE IS "JUST POSSIBLE" BY THE END OF THE MARSHALL PLAN IN 1952. xcc.17
FAO'S SURVEY ADDED THAT SUCH A RECOVERY IN THE NUTRITION OF WESTERN EUROPE IS CONTINGENT ON "PRESENT PRODUCTION AND TRADE PROGRAMS, WHICH ASSUME FAVORABLE CONDITIONS OF WORLD ECONOMY."
THE SURVEY EMPHASIZED THAT "FOOD PRODUCTION IN THE MAJOR REGIONS OF THE FAR EAST AND EUROPE HAS NOT YET BEEN RESTORED TO PREWAR LEVELS."
IT SAID THE ORIENT HAS ONLY A "DISTANT POSSIBILITY" OF REACHING ITS LOW PREWAR PER CAPITA FOOD CONSUMPTION LEVELS UNDER THE PRESENT RATE OF PROGRESS IN PRODUCTION AND TRADE.

The report disclosed that combined world production, xcept for Russia, of wheat, rye, barley, oats, maize, rice, sugar and potatoes had [redacted] dropped four per cent from the 1948 output. However, the 1949 production was about 2.5 per cent greater than the 1947-48 average and about nine per cent greater than the 1934-38 average. It continued:

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"With a corresponding increase in population, per capita world production of the basic crops is nearly back to prewar. The postwar recovery rat[e] t the present is little more than keeping pace with the population increas[e]

[redacted] had suffered [redacted]

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ROME, MAY 8-(AP)-AN ITALIAN NEWSPAPER CHARGED TONIGHT THE TITO GOVERNMENT HAS SET UP A BLOCKADE BETWEEN THE YUGOSLAV-OCCUPIED ZONE OF TRIESTE AND THE REMAINDER OF THE TERRITORY AS A PRELIMINARY MOVE TO "ANNEXATION."
THE CHARGE WAS MADE IN A DISPATCH FROM TRIESTE PUBLISHED IN ROME'S IL GIORNALE D'ITALIA.
THE BLOCKADE IS ALONG THE MORGAN LINE DIVIDING THE BRITISH-AMERICAN AND YUGOSLAV ZONES, THE DISPATCH SAID.
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ROME, MAY 8-(AP)-THE JESUIT ORGAN CIVILTA CATTOLICA CHARGED TODAY THAT RELIGIOUS PERSECUTION IN YUGOSLAVIA IS "MARCHING APACE WITH THAT OF THE COMINFORM COUNTRIES."
"THE FAMILY QUARREL BETWEEN MOSCOW AND BELGRADE," DECLARED THE PUBLICATION, "HAS IN NO WAY CHANGED THE COMMON PROGRAM OF DESTROYING THE CHURCH" X X X.
THE MAGAZINE SAID "THE WAVE OF ARRESTS AND TRIALS CONTINUED THROUGHOUT 1949 WITH A PACE EQUAL TO PREVIOUS YEARS." DURING THE YEAR, THE PUBLICATION SAID, AT LEAST 90 PRIESTS WERE ARRESTED.
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MILAN, ITALY, MAY 8-(AP)-A NEW ANTI-RUSSIAN ITALIAN COMMUNIST PARTY WAS PROCLAIMED BY TWO YOUNG ITALIAN COMMUNISTS TODAY.
THEY SAID IT WOULD DECLARE ITS INDEPENDENCE FROM THE COMINFORM AND ADAPT MARXIAN FORMULAS TO ITALIAN CONDITIONS AS TITO ADAPTED THEM FOR YUGOSLAVIA.
THE TWO FOUNDERS LABEDLED THE NEW ORGANIZATION "THE ITALIAN NATIONAL COMMUNIST PARTY (PCNI)." THEY DECLINED TO GIVE ITS STRENGTH PENDING COMPLETION OF WHAT THEY CALLED THE "ORGANIZATIONAL PHASE".
ARMANDO ROSSI RACAGNI, 30, WAS NAMED SECRETARY-GENERAL. GERMINALE CONCORDIA, 35, WAS SAID TO BE THE PRINCIPLE AUTHOR OF THE MOVEMENT. BOTH WERE COMMUNIST PARTISAN FIGHTERS DURING THE WAR AND ARE FORMER MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY.
CONCORDIA SAID THE NEW GROUP INTENDS TO "REPRESENT ORTHODOX COMMUNISM. RUSSIAN COMMUNISTS ARE GOOD RUSSIANS, BUT NOT ALTOGETHER GOOD AS COMMUNISTS."
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GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, MAY 8-(AP)-ISRAEL AGREED UNCONDITIONALLY TODAY TO MEET ARAB DELEGATES HERE FOR DIRECT NEGOTIATIONS ON SPECIFIC PEACE PROPOSALS BY THE UNITED NATIONS PALESTINE CONCILIATION COMMISSION.
SUCH DIRECE NEGOTIATIONS, IF AGREED TO BY THE ARABS, WOULD BREAK A DEADLOCK OF MORE THAN A YEAR, IN WHICH REPRESENTATIVES OF THE TWO PARTIES HAVE REFUSED TO DEAL DIRECTLY WITH EACH OTHER.
THE ARAB DELEGATES HAVE REFUSED TO MEET THE ISRAELI DELEGATES EVER SINCE THE PEACE TALKS OPENED AT LAUSANNE, SWITZERLAND, IN APRIL, 1949.
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THE H[illegible]UE, THE NETHERLANDS, MAY 8-(AP)-THE INTERNATIONAL [illegible]OURT OF JUSTICE ANNOUNCED TODAY IT WILL RULE WHETHER PEACE TREATY MACHINERY CAN BE PUT IN MOTION DESPITE A SOVIET BOYCOTT, TO SETTLE CHARGES OF HUMAN RIGHTS VIOLATIONS BROUGHT BY THE WEST AGAINST HUNGARY, ROMANIA AND BULGARIA.
THE COURT RULED MRCH 30, IN RESPONSE TO A U.N. GENERAL ASSEMBLY REQUEST FOR AN ADVISRY OPINION, THAT DISPUTES EXISTED BETWEEN THE THREE SOVIET SATELLITES AND THE BIG THREE WESTERN POWERS. IT RULED

THAT HUNGARY, ROMANIA AND BULGARIA SHOULD NAME DELEGATES TO COMMISSIONS TO TRY TO SETTLE THE DISPUTES THROUGH PEACE TREATY PROCEDURE. A DEADLINE OF APRIL 30 WAS SET FOR NAMING SUCH REPRESENTATIVES.

SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE OF THE UNITED NATIONS HAS ADVISED THE TRIBUNAL THAT THE THREE FORMER AXIS STATES FAILED TO NAME THEIR COMMISSION REPRESENTATIVES BY THE DEADLINE. JULES BASDEVANT OF FRANCE, COURT PRESIDENT, NOW HAS SET JUNE 5 AS THE TIME LIMIT FOR FILING WRITTEN STATEMENTS ON THE ISSUE.

THE COURT NOW IS STUDYING A SECOND PROCEDURAL QUESTION: IN VIEW OF THE FAILURE OF THE THREE SATELLITE STATES TO COMPLY WITH THE COURT'S RULING, CAN THE U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL NAME COMMISSION MEMBERS FOR THEM AND CAN SUCH COMMISSIONS THEN MAKE "DEFINITE BINDING DECISIONS IN SETTLEMENT OF THE DISPUTE?"

THE THREE SOVIET SATELLITE STATES ARE CHARGED BY THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE WITH VIOLATING HUMAN RIGHTS PROVISIONS OF THEIR TREATIES IN THEIR TRIALS OF RELIGIOUS PERSONAGES, SUCH AS THAT OF JOSEF CARDINAL MINDSZENTY IN HUNGARY.

THE TREATIES PROVIDE THAT IN CASE OF A DISPUTE, AN ARBITRATION COMMISSION SHOULD BE NAMED, INCLUDING ONE REPRESENTATIVE EACH OF THE COMPLAINANT AND THE ACCUSED NATION, PLUS A THIRD MEMBER APPOINTED BY THE U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL.

THE SATELLITES REFUSED TO RECOGNIZE THE EXISTENCE OF A DISPUTE.

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7 Copenhagen, Denmark, May 8--The 1,641-ton Danish freighter Marocco arrived today at the port of Esbjerg in Jutland Province with the first shipment of American arms ~~XXX~~ aid for Denmark.

The unloading was completed late tonight without any disturbances, although the Communists earlier had announced ~~XXXXXX~~ they would demonstrate.

The types of weapons included in the shipmt were not disclosed.

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD BERLIN (500-UP)

BY THOMAS A. REEDY

BERLIN, MAY 8-(AP)-RUSSIA AGREED TONIGHT TO CITY-WIDE ELECTIONS IN DIVIDED BERLIN BUT COUPLED HER PROPOSAL WITH A LIST OF CONDITIONS DESIGNED TO GIVE EVERY ADVANTAGE TO EAST GERMAN COMMUNISTS.

AMONG THE RUSSIAN TERMS WAS ONE WHICH WOULD REQUIRE THE WITHDRAWAL OF THE OCCUPATION TROOPS OF ALL FOUR POWERS FROM THE CITY. THIS WOULD MEAN PULLING RUSSIAN TROOPS BACK ONLY TO THE OUTSKIRTS OF THE CITY WHILE AMERICAN, BRITISH AND FRENCH UNITS WOULD HAVE TO BE EVACUATED TO WESTERN GERMANY.

GETTING THE WESTERN POWERS OUT OF BERLIN HAS BEEN A LONG-RANGE SOVIET GOAL. THE RUSSIANS TRIED FOR MORE THAN A YEAR WITH A BLOCKADE OF SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BUT THE AMERICAN-BRITISH AIRLIFT BEAT THAT ATTEMPT. THE WESTERN POWERS HAVE MADE IT CLEAR THEY INTEND TO STAY IN THE CITY.

THE SOVIET TERMS WERE CONTAINED IN A LETTER SENT BY COL. ALEXEI JELISAROV OF THE SOVIET CONTROL COMMISSION TO THE AMERICAN, BRITISH AND FRENCH COMMANDANTS OF THE CITY. THE RUSSIAN NOTE WAS IN REPLY TO A WESTERN ALLIED REQUEST OF THREE WEEKS AGO FOR FREE ELECTIONS IN ALL SECTORS OF BERLIN.

THE WESTERN ALLIED PROPOSAL HAD SAID THAT UNFETTERED ELECTIONS IN BERLIN MIGHT SERVE AS A MODEL FOR EVENTUAL UNIFICATION OF ALL GERMANY.

THE SOVIET REPLY, IN ADDITION TO PROPOSING THE WITHDRAWAL OF OCCUPATION FORECES IN BERLIN, ALSO CALLED FOR:

1-- SCRAPPING THE OCCUPATION STATUTE NOW IN FORCE IN WEST BERLIN. THIS IS THE SET OF RULES WHEREBY THE WESTERN POWERS DELEGATED SELF-GOVERNMENT TO THE WEST BERLINERS EXCEPT IN THE FIELDS OF FOREIGN POLICY AND QUESTIONS OF SECURITY.

2-- GRANTING PERMISSION FOR THE COMMUNIST "NATIONAL FRONT" AND ALL OTHER COMMUNIST-INSPIRED POLITICAL ORGANS OF EAST BERLIN TO FUNCTION UNHINDERED IN THE WEST SECTORS. THE NATIONAL FRONT IS A COLLECTION OF MASS ORGANIZATIONS OF POLITICAL PARTIES, WOMEN, YOUTH AND TRADE UNIONS WHICH HAS BEEN USED BY THE COMMUNISTS AS A SUBSTITUTE FOR FREE VOTING.

3-- ABOLITION OF SECTOR BOUNDARIES.

4-- RESTORATION BY THE WESTERN ALLIES OF VOTING PRIVILEGES TO ALL FORMER NAZIS EXCEPT THOSE WHO LOST THAT RIGHT UPON CONVICTION AS WAR CRIMINALS.

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WESTERN ALLIED OFFICIALS AND WEST GERMAN AUTHORITIES WERE WARY OF MAKING ANY DETAILED COMMENTS ON THE RUSSIAN SCHEME, BUT AN AMERICAN SPOKESMAN SAID:

"I AM SURE THE COMMANDANTS WILL GIVE THE PROPOSAL EVERY POSSIBLE CONSIDERATION."

HE INDICATED A SPECIAL MEETING MAY BE CALLED TOMORROW TO SEE IF ANY PORTIONS OF THE IDEA ARE ACCEPTABLE AND DECIDE WHICH PORTIONS MUST GO TO A HIGHER AUTHORITY FOR DISCUSSION.

MAJ.GEN.MAXWELL D. TAYLOR, AMERICAN COMMANDANT, SAID "AT FIRST GLANCE IT MUST BE ADMITTED THAT THERE IS LITTLE ENCOURAGEMENT TO BE FOUND" IN THE RUSSIAN NOTE. HE ADDED HE FOUND SOME CONSOLATION IN NOTING "EVEN THE SOVIETS CANNOT BE SILENT BEFORE THE DEEP DESIRE OF BERLIN TO BE REUNITED."

BRITISH COMMANDANT MAJ.GEN. GEOFFREY K. BOURNE SAID THE RUSSIAN REPLY AMOUNTS TO "A VERY ROUNDABOUT WAY OF SAYING 'NO'", BUT ADDED HE WAS GLAD TO SEE SOME RUSSIAN RESPONSE TO WESTERN APPEALS FOR FREE ELECTIONS.

BOURNE DECLARED THE PRESENCE OF OCCUPATION TROOPS HAD "NOTHING WHATEVER TO DO WITH ELECTIONS".

ONE AUTHORITY SAID HE THOUGHT THE RUSSIANS HAD USED GOOD TIMING SINCE SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN NOW ARE MEETING IN PARIS AND WILL GO TO LONDON LATER THIS WEEK FOR TALKS WITH BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN. THE THREE FOREIGN SECRETARIES WILL BE TOGETHER IF JOINT DECISIONS ON A GOVERNMENTAL LEVEL ARE NEEDED, THE SOURCE POINTED OUT.

A HIGH BRITISH OFFICIAL SAID INFORMALLY HE THOUGHT WITHDRAWAL OF WESTERN TROOPS FROM BERLIN WOULD "SIMPLE BE AN INVITATION FOR THE COMMUNISTS TO WALK IN AND TAKE OVER."

CARL HUBERT SCHWENNICKE, LEADER OF THE WEST ZONE FREE DEMOCRATIC PARTY, ALSO EXPRESSED THIS IDEA, SAYING:

"WITHDRAWAL OF THE OCCUPATION TROOPS MEANS FOR THE SOVIETS ONLY WITHDRAWAL TO BERNAU AND THE VILLAGES AROUND BERLIN. FROM THERE THEY CAN BE BACK IN HALF AN HOUR, WHILE THE WESTERN POWERS WOULD BE WEST OF THE ELBE. IT COULD HAPPEN THAT 'UNREST DEVELOPS' IN THE CITY AND SOVIET TROOPS ARE 'CALLED IN TO RESTORE ORDER'".

THE RUSSIAN PROPOSAL CLIMAXED A DAY SET ASIDE IN THE SOVIET ZONE FOR CELEBRATION OF THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE "LIBERATION OF GERMANY BY THE SOVIET ARMY " -- KNOWN IN THE WEST AS V-E DAY.

U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J. MCCLOY'S POLITICAL ADVISER SAID IN PARIS THAT HE WANTED TO STUDY THE RUSSIAN PROPOSALS CAREFULLY TO SEE IF THEY "GUARANTEE A GENUINELY FREE ELECTION".

ADVISER JAMES RIDDLEBERGER SAID ONE OF THE POINTS LEFT UNEXPLAINED WAS WHETHER POLITICAL PARTIES NOW OPERATING IN WEST BERLIN WOULD BE ABLE TO CAMPAIGN IN EAST BERLIN DURING THE PRE-ELECTION PERIOD.

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EVEN BEFORE PUBLICATION OF JELISAROV'S LETTER WESTERN SOURCES HAD SPECULATED THAT THE SOVIET UNION WOULD MAKE SOME PROPAGANDA GESTURE TO APPEASE THE GERMAN WRATH UNLOOSED BY MOSCOW'S ANNOUNCEMENT LAST WEEK THAT REPATRIATION OF GERMAN WAR PRISONERS FROM RUSSIA HAD ENDED. WEST GERMAN OFFICIALS CLAIM RUSSIA STILL HOLDS HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF GERMANS.

THE GENERALLY WELL-INFORMED WEST BERLIN PAPER DER KURIER SAID SEVERAL DAYS AGO THAT EAST GERMAN CHANCELLOR OTTO GROTEWOHL AND HIS DEPUTY WERE FLOWN SECRETLY TO MOSCOW RECENTLY TO HEAR FROM THE KREMLIN THEIR NEXT STEP IN THE BATTLE FOR GERMANY.

IT ALSO SAID THE MEETING WOULD GIVE RUSSIAN AND GERMAN COMMUNISTS A CHANCE TO DISCUSS COUNTER MEASURES TO STYMIE ANY DECISIONS THE BIG THREE WESTERN FOREIGN MINISTERS MIGHT BE EXPECTED TO TAKE AT THEIR MEETINGS THIS WEEK.

AUTHORITATIVE INFORMANTS IN PARIS SAID TODAY THAT ACHESON AND SCHUMAN HAD AGREED, SUBJECT TO APPROVAL BY BEVIN, TO GIVE THE WEST GERMAN REPUBLIC VIRTUALLY COMPLETE LEEWAY IN ITS POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC AFFAIRS, BUT TO RETAIN MILITARY CONTROL.

WESTERN OFFICIALS IN BONN, THE WEST GERMAN CAPITAL, TURNED OVER CONTROL OF A WIDE RANGE OF GERMAN INDUSTRY TO THE GERMANS THEMSELVES, BUT MAINTAINED A RIGID PROHIBITION OF ANY REARMAMENT.

IT IS AGAINST THIS BACKGROUND OF BETTER RELATIONS BETWEEN GERMANY AND HER WESTERN OCCUPIERS THAT THE RUSSIAN PROPOSAL FOR BERLIN ELECTIONS WAS MADE.

THE RUSSIANS SUGGESTED THE ELECTIONS BE HELD UNDER THESE RULES:

A GERMAN COMMISSION WOULD BE FORMED HAVING EQUAL REPRESENTATION FROM THE SOVIET SECTOR ON ONE HAND AND FROM ALL THREE WESTERN SECTORS ON THE OTHER. IT WOULD WORK UNDER FOUR POWER CONTROL, AND WOULD SUPERVISE THE ELECTION.

EAST GERMAN COMMUNIST ORGANIZATIONS WOULD HAVE FREEDOM TO OPERATE THROUGHOUT THE WESTERN SECTORS OF BERLIN. ALL LICENSED POLITICAL PARTIES COULD NOMINATE CANDIDATES TO BE VOTED ON BY ELECTORS IN ALL FOUR OCCUPATION SECTORS.

THE BASIC RULES WOULD BE TAKEN FROM THE BERLIN CONSTITUTION OF 1946.

THIS IS A SWITCH IN THE RUSSIAN POSITION. THE SOVIETS JUNKED THE 1946 CONSTITUTION DURING THE BLOCKADE WHEN THEY REFUSED TO OBEY ITS DICTUM FOR CITY-WIDE ELECTIONS IN DECEMBER, 1948. ONLY THE ~~WESTERN SECTORS VOTED THEN AND THE ONLY ISSUE WAS COMMUNISM.~~ WEST BERLIN TURNED OUT 86 PER CENT TO BALLOT AGAINST IT.

EARLIER TODAY EAST BERLIN COMMUNISTS TRIED TO EXTEND THEIR CELEBRATION OF LIBERATION DAY TO THE WESTERN SECTORS OF THE CITY.

POLICE DISPERSED A CROWD OF ABOUT 350 AND ARRESTED FOUR IN A MILD SKIRMISH AT ANHALTER RAILROAD STATION IN THE AMERICAN SECTOR.

THE ANNIVERSARY OF THE SIGNING OF THE GERMAN SURRENDER IN BERLIN--THE GERMANS ALSO SIGNED SURRENDER TERMS ON MAY 7 1945 AT GEN. EISENHOWER'S HEADQUARTERS IN REIMS--WAS A LEGAL HOLIDAY THROUGHOUT THE EAST ZONE. WEST BERLINERS IGNORED THE ANNIVERSARY. AMERICAN TROOPS IN GERMANY ALSO AVOIDED MILITARY DISPLAY ON THE ANNIVERSARY.

WHILE COMMUNISTS LAID WREATHS ON RED ARMY MONUMENTS, A FORMER PARATROOPER WHO DESERTED FROM THE EAST ZONE PEOPLE'S POLICE TESTIFIED IN AN AMERICAN COURT THAT FOUR SPECIALLY SCHOOLED UNITS HAD BEEN SHIFTED TO BERLIN FOR THE PROJECTED MAY 28 YOUTH MARCH ON THE CITY. HE SAID THE UNITS COMPRISED 1,000 MEN.

THE WITNESS WAS WERNER PELLMANN, 23, WHO SAID HIS LEIPZIG UNIT WAS TOLD, "POLICEMEN FROM SAXONY WOULD BE BETTER ABLE TO FINISH OFF THE BERLINER."

HE WAS TESTIFYING IN THE TRIAL OF SIX MEMBERS OF THE PEOPLE'S POLICE ARRESTED IN THE AMERICAN ZONE ON APRIL 13 ON CHARGES OF WEARING UNIFORMS AND CARRYING ARMS IN VIOLATION OF FOUR-POWER LAWS DEMILITARIZING GERMANY.

PELLMANN SAID HE QUIT THE FORCE BECAUSE IT WAS "NO DIFFERENT" FROM THE WAR-TIME ARMY IN WHICH HE SERVED.

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THE PROSECUTION CONCLUDED THE TRIAL WITH THE CHARGE THAT THE PEOPLE'S POLICE IS AN ILLEGAL ARMY WHICH "THREATENS THE PEACE OF GERMANY AND EUROPE."

"THIS FORCE IS BEING CREATED FOR CIVIL WAR, UNREST, UNEASINESS--GERMAN AGAINST GERMAN," DISTRICT ATTORNEY IRVIN ROBBINS OF CHICAGO, ILL., DECLARED.

HE ASKED FOR A COURT DECISION WHICH WOULD "EXPLODE THE WHOLE FALSITY OF THE NAME--PEOPLE'S POLICE."

WEST BERLIN REFUGEE CENTER OFFICIALS SAID AN AVERAGE OF 15 DESERTERS FROM THE PEOPLE'S POLICE SEEK ASYLUM THERE EACH DAY.

AT THE MAIN EAST BERLIN LIBERATION CEREMONY TODAY HANS DAHLEM, A MEMBER OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE SOCIALIST UNITY (COMMUNIST) PARTY, BOASTED THAT IF THE WESTERN POWERS SHOULD GO TO WAR WITH RUSSIA THEY WOULD BE "BEATEN WORSE THAN HITLER WAS AT STALINGRAD AND BERLIN."

THE GERMAN DELEGATION WAS LED BY OTTO GROTEWOHL, EAST GERMAN PRIME MINISTER, REPORTED BY THE WEST BERLIN PRESS SATURDAY TO HAVE BEEN SUMMONED TO MOSCOW FOR A HURRIED CONFERENCE.

GROTEWOHL ATTACKED THE AMERICAN ARMY IN BERLIN FOR CONDUCTING ANTI-RIOT DRILLS IN ANTICIPATION OF THE BIG WHITSUNTIDE MARCH OF COMMUNIST YOUTH, DECLARING:

"ONLY POWERS WHICH HAVE LOST THEIR OWN FEELING OF SAFETY WOULD CONDUCT SUCH DRILLS WITH TANKS AND GRENADES. THEY ARE POWERS WHO FEEL THE GROUND SHAKE UNDER THEIR FEET UNDER THE RISING CRY, 'AMI, GO HOME.'"

"AMI" IS THE GERMAN SLANG WORD FOR AMERICAN.

THE CEREMONY CENTERED ABOUT THE HUGE SOVIET ARMY MEMORIAL IN TREPTOW, BUILT IN PART FROM MARBLE TORN FROM HITLER'S FORMER CHANCELLORY.

WEST GERMAN BORDER OFFICIALS SAID THE RUSSIANS CONFISCATED 35 TRUCKS CARRYING SCRAP METAL AND FURNITURE FROM BERLIN TO WEST GERMANY AT THE MARIENBORN CHECKPOINT TODAY.

THE RUSSIANS HAVE MADE SUCH SEIZURES REPEATEDLY IN RECENT MONTHS, CHARGING THEIR ZONE WAS BEING "EXPLOITED" BY SMUGGLING TO THE WEST.

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(130) BERLIN ELECTION (FOLLOW BERLIN A7)

WASHINGTON,MAY 8-(AP)-THE STATE DEPARTMENT RESERVED COMMENT TODAY ON RUSSIA'S SURPRISE OFFER TO COOPERATE IN "FREE ELECTIONS" FOR THE ENTIRE CITY OF BERLIN.

OFFICIALS INDICATED PRIVATELY, HOWEVER, THEY THOUGHT THE RUSSIANS HAD HEDGED ON THEIR OFFER WITH "IMPOSSIBLE CONDITIONS."

ONE OFFICIAL SAID THE RUSSIAN PROPOSAL LOOKED OFFHAND LIKE A RUSE TO TURN THE CITY OVER TO COMMUNIST SEIZURE IF OCCUPATION TROOPS WERE ALL WITHDRAWN AS RUSSIA SPECIFIED.

ANOTHER CONDITION CALLED FOR WIPING OUT OF SECTOR BOUNDARIES. ELIMINATING THESE BOUNDARIES MIGHT BE SEIZED UPON BY THE RUSSIANS LATER AS ALLEGED PROOF THAT THE WEST NO LONGER HAD LEGAL TITLE TO WEST BERLIN.

OFFICIALLY, THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID ONLY THAT IT WOULD AWAIT THE TEXT OF THE RUSSIAN PROPOSAL BEFORE MAKING ANY FORMAL COMMENT.

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BULLETIN

BERLIN, MAY 8-(AP)-THE RUSSIANS NOTIFIED THE WESTERN ALLIES TONIGHT THEY ARE WILLING TO GO ALONG WITH "FREE ELECTIONS" FOR THE ENTIRE CITY OF BERLIN BUT LAID DOWN A SET OF CONDITIONS EXTREMELY FAVORABLE TO THE EASTERN COMMUNISTS.

COL. ALEXEI JELISAROV OF THE SOVIET CONTROL COMMISSION, BERLIN ELEMENT, SENT A LETTER ON THE RUSSIAN POSITION TO THE AMERICAN, BRITISH AND FRENCH COMMANDANTS OF THE CITY.

IT WAS A REPLY TO AN APPEAL BY THE WESTERN AUTHORITIES ALMOST THREE WEEKS AGO TO PERMIT A NEW ELECTION FOR UNITY OF BERLIN WHICH THEN COULD BE A MODEL FOR SOLVING THE DIVISION OF GERMANY.

JELISAROV PROPOSED THAT THE ELECTIONS BE CONDUCTED ONLY UNDER THESE CONDITIONS:

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1--WITHDRAWAL OF THE OCCUPATION TROOPS OF ALL FOUR POWERS.

2--SCRAPPING THE OCCUPATION STATUTE NOW IN FORCE IN WEST BERLIN. THIS IS THE SET OF RULES WHEREBY THE WESTERN POWERS DELEGATED SELF GOVERNMENT TO THE WEST BERLINERS EXCEPT IN THE FIELDS OF FOREIGN POLICY AND QUESTIONS OF SECURITY.

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3--PERMISSION FOR THE COMMUNIST "NATIONAL FRONT" AND ALL OTHER COMMUNIST-INSPIRED POLITICAL ORGANS OF EAST BERLIN TO FUNCTION UNHINDERED IN THE WEST SECTORS. THE NATIONAL FRONT IS A COLLECTION OF MASS ORGANIZATIONS OF POLITICAL PARTIES, WOMEN, YOUTH, AND TRADE UNIONS WHICH HAS BEEN USED BY THE COMMUNISTS AS A SUBSTITUTE FOR FREE VOTING.

4---ABOLITION OF SECTOR BOUNDARIES.

5--RESTORING THE VOTING PRIVILEGES OF ALL FORMER NAZIS EXCEPT THOSE WHO LOST THAT RIGHT THROUGH COURT PROCEEDINGS, SUCH AS WAR CRIMINALS.

THERE WAS NO IMMEDIATE OFFICIAL REACTION FROM WESTERN AUTHORITIES. A HIGH BRITISH OFFICIAL SAID INFORMALLY, HOWEVER, THAT HE THOUGHT THE WITHDRAWAL OF WESTERN TROOPS FROM BERLIN AT ANY TIME WOULD "SIMPLY BE AN INVITATION FOR THE COMMUNISTS TO WALK IN AND TAKE OVER."

THE RUSSIANS SUGGESTED IN THEIR NOTE THAT THE ACTUAL VOTING BE CONDUCTED UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF ALL FOUR OCCUPATION POWERS. A CENTRAL ELECTION BOARD REPRESENTING BOTH EAST AND WEST GERMANS SHOULD DRAW UP THE RULES AND ORGANIZE THE MACHINERY, IT WAS PROPOSED.

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BY THOMAS A.REEDY

BERLIN, MAY 8-(AP)-FOUR SPECIALLY TRAINED EAST GERMAN COMMANDO UNITS HAVE REPLACED REGULAR SHOCK POLICE IN THE SOVIET SECTOR OF THIS DIVIDED CITY TO BOLSTER THE COMMUNIST YOUTH MARCH MAY 28, A U.S. HIGH COMMISSION COURT WAS TOLD TODAY.

THE UNITS--250 MEN EACH--ARE SCHOOLED IN TANKS, MACHINEGUNS AND LIGHT ARTILLERY. THEY WERE SAID TO HAVE BEEN MOVED IN FROM CAMPS IN THE SOVIET ZONE BECAUSE BERLIN SHOCK POLICE WERE GETTING TOO FRIENDLY WITH BERLINERS.

THIS TESTIMONY WAS GIVEN BY WERNER PELLMANN, 23-YEAR-OLD FORMER PARATROOPER WHO DESERTED THE EAST GERMAN "PEOPLE'S POLICE" A WEEK AGO.

PELLMANN WAS CALLED BY THE AMERICAN PROSECUTOR AS A WITNESS AGAINST SIX EAST GERMAN POLICEMEN CHARGED WITH ENTERING THE U.S. SECTOR OF THE CITY IN SEMI-MILITARY UNIFORMS AND CARRYING WEAPONS WHICH ARE OUTLAWED FOR ALL GERMANS BY FOUR-POWER AGREEMENT.

THE YOUNG WITNESS SAID HIS UNIT IN LEIPZIG WAS SENT INTO BERLIN TO GET READY FOR THE WHITSUNDAY MARCH, IN WHICH COMMUNIST YOUTH LOUDLY PROCLAIM THEY WILL TAKE OVER WEST BERLIN. THE WESTERN POWERS HAVE LET IT BE KNOWN THEY WILL RESIST FORCE WITH FORCE, MACHINEGUNS WITH MACHINEGUNS.

PELLMANN SAID HE QUIT THE POLICE AND FLED TO THE AMERICAN SECTOR BECAUSE THE FORCE NOW BEING CREATED IS "NO DIFFERENT" FROM THE WARTIME ARMY IN WHICH HE SERVED.

"WE WERE TOLD THAT POLICEMEN FROM SAXONY WOULD BE BETTER ABLE TO FINISH OFF THE BERLINER," PELLMANN TOLD THE COURT. "WE WERE ALSO TOLD THAT WE SHOULD DEFEND OUR HOMELAND IN BERLIN. WHEN WE WERE BROUGHT TO BERLIN WE KNEW FOR SURE OUR POLICE LIFE WAS AT AN END, BECAUSE BERLIN IS THE FOCAL POINT OF THE ENTIRE (SOVIET) POLICY AND IT WAS CLEAR TO US THAT SOMETHING MIGHT HAPPEN VERY QUICKLY."

PELLMANN IS ONE OF SEVEN YOUNG GERMANS WHO DESERTED FROM THE "PEOPLE'S POLICE"--WHICH AMERICAN OFFICIALS ALREADY HAVE CHARGED IS BEING FORMED INTO AN EAST GERMAN ARMY IN DEFIANCE OF ALLIED AGREEMENTS--WITHIN THE PAST FEW MONTHS. HE AND HIS FELLOW DESERTERS VOLUNTEERED TO TESTIFY THAT THE ORGANIZATION IS A FULL-FLEDGED INFANTRY OUTFIT.

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DEFENSE COUNSEL FRITZ KAUL, LEADING COMMUNIST ATTORNEY IN THE RUSSIAN ZONE, REFUSED TO CROSS-EXAMINE ANY OF THE DESERTERS. HE INDICATED THAT HE WOULD BASE HIS DEFENSE ENTIRELY ON THE ARGUMENT THAT THE U.S. COURT HAS NO JURISDICTION OVER ANYTHING THAT HAPPENS IN THE SOVIET ZONE.

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A102 (240)
BY RICHARD KASISCHKE

BERLIN, MAY 8-(AP)-A GERMAN COMMUNIST LEADER BOASTED TODAY THAT IF THE WESTERN POWERS WENT TO WAR WITH RUSSIA THEY WOULD BE "BEATEN WORSE THAN HITLER WAS AT STALINGRAD AND BERLIN."

THE DECLARATION WAS MADE BY HANS DAHLEM, A MEMBER OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE SOCIALIST UNITY (COMMUNIST) PARTY OF THE RUSSIAN ZONE. HE SPOKE AT JOINT SOVIET-GERMAN CEREMONIES HERE MARKING THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF "GERMANY'S LIBERATION BY THE SOVIET ARMY." THIS IS THE COMMUNISTS' NEW DESIGNATION FOR VE DAY--THE DATE OF GERMANY'S CAPITULATION IN WORLD WAR II.

IT WAS A LEGAL HOLIDAY IN SOVIET-OCCUPIED TERRITORY AND GERMAN COMMUNISTS LAID WREATHS ON RED ARMY MEMORIALS, PRAISED THE RUSSIANS AND ATTACKED THE WESTERN POWERS AS "PLOTTERS OF A NEW WAR."

THE MAIN CEREMONIES IN EAST BERLIN WERE AT THE HUGE SOVIET ARMY MEMORIAL IN TREPTOW, BUILT IN PART WITH MARBLE TAKEN FROM HITLER'S FORMER CHANCELLORY. THE GERMAN DELEGATION THERE WAS LED BY EAST GERMANY'S PRIME MINISTER, OTTO GROTEWOHL.

LARGE NUMBERS OF EAST GERMAN "PEOPLES' POLICE" WITH GUNS AND POLICE DOGS FORMED A HEAVY GUARD AROUND THE MONUMENT.

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DAHLEM, IN HIS SPEECH, DECLARED:

"FASCISM HAS BEEN ROOTED OUT BY US IN THE RUSSIAN OCCUPATION ZONE AND WORKERS HAVE TAKEN OVER THE POWER OF THE STATE. BUT THE WESTERN OCCUPATION POWERS ARE PREPARING A NEW WAR. THEY ALSO ARE ATTEMPTING TO USE WEST BERLIN AND WEST GERMANY TO SABOTAGE THE RECONSTRUCTION OF EAST GERMANY.

"BUT THERE IS NO LONGER ANY DOUBT THAT IN EVENT OF A NEW WAR, THE WESTERN AGGRESSORS WILL BE BEATEN WORSE THAN HITLER WAS AT STALINGRAD AND BERLIN. WE RELY UPON THE SOVIET UNION AND STALIN AS THE BEST FRIENDS OF THE GERMAN PEOPLE AND THE GUARANTORS OF WORLD PEACE."

A BRIEF SKIRMISH OCCURRED AT ANHALTER RAILWAY STATION WHEN EAST BERLIN COMMUNISTS TRIED TO EXTEND THEIR CELEBRATION INTO THE AMERICAN SECTOR. WEST BERLIN POLICE DISPERSED A CROWD OF ABOUT 250 AND ARRESTED FOUR. THE BRITISH ADMITTED A SMALL DELEGATION TO THE TIERGARTEN TO PLACE WREATHS ON A SOVIET ARMY MEMORIAL THERE.

WEST BERLINERS IGNORED THE ANNIVERSARY AND WEST BERLIN PAPERS ASSAILED THE "CYNICAL COMMUNIST TALK OF LIBERATION." THE PAPERS DECLARED "THE COMMUNIST DICTATORSHIP OF EAST GERMANY IS AS BAD AS NAZIISM EVER WAS."

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A109 (100)

BERLIN, MAY 8-(AP)-WEST GERMAN BORDER OFFICIALS SAID TODAY THE RUSSIANS HAVE CONFISCATED CARGOES OF 35 GERMAN TRUCKS CARRYING SCRAP METAL AND FURNITURE FROM BERLIN TO WEST GERMANY AT THE HIGHWAY CHECKPOINT AT MARIENBORN IN THE PAST 24 HOURS.

SIMILAR SEIZURES HAVE OCCURRED IN THE PAST MONTHS, WITH THE RUSSIANS CHARGING THEIR OCCUPATION ZONE IS BEING EXPLOITED TO BENEFIT THE WESTERN ZONES.

ON THE WESTERN SIDE OF THE BORDER ABOUT 10 VEHICLES WERE LINED UP AWAITING CLEARANCE BY SOVIET BORDER GUARDS. LAST NIGHT ONLY SIX TRUCKS WERE PERMITTED THROUGH IN AN HOUR. THE NORMAL RATE IS TEN.

WESTERN ALLIED OFFICIALS SAID TRAIN TRAFFIC WAS NORMAL.

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A154 (120)

BERLIN, MAY 8-(AP)-AN AVERAGE OF 15 MEMBERS OF THE EAST GERMAN "PEOPLE'S POLICE" ARE AMONG THE 300 GERMANS WHO FLEE DAILY FROM THE SOVIET OCCUPATION ZONE TO WEST BERLIN, THE REFUGEE CENTER HERE ANNOUNCED TODAY.

"JUST TODAY," SAID ONE OFFICIAL, "WE HAVE HAD 16 EAST GERMAN 'VOLKSPOLIZEI' DESERTERS IN OUR OFFICE BEFORE NOON."

EACH OF THESE IS CAREFULLY CHECKED TO MAKE SURE HE IS AN AUTHENTIC REFUGEE AND NOT A SPY FOR THE EAST ZONE COMMUNISTS, THE OFFICIAL SAID. THE OTHER REFUGEES ARE SIMILARLY CHECKED, AND THOSE FOUND TO BE CRIMINALS FLEEING JUSTICE ARE SENT BACK TO EAST ZONE AUTHORITIES.

"BUT TURNING BACK A GENUINE POLITICAL REFUGEE MEANS VIRTUALLY SIGNING HIS DEATH WARRANT," THE OFFICIAL SAID.

SO FAR THIS YEAR MORE THAN 17,000 REFUGEES FROM THE SOVIET ZONE HAVE BEEN REGISTERED IN WEST BERLIN AND MANY MORE HAVE FLED TO WEST GERMANY.

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NIGHT LEAD CONTROLS (390)

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BONN, GERMANY, MAY 8-(AP)-A WIDE RANGE OF WEST GERMAN INDUSTRIAL ACTIVITY WAS FREED OF CONTROLS TODAY BY THE ALLIED HIGH COMMISSION. THE COMMISSION AT THE SAME TIME, HOWEVER, PLEDGED ITSELF TO GUARD AGAINST A REGROWTH OF GERMAN WAR POWER.

MAJ. GEN. JAMES P. HODGES, AMERICAN CHAIRMAN OF THE WESTERN ALLIED SECURITY BOARD, TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THE COMMISSION WAS "QUITE OPTIMISTIC OVER THE DEGREE OF GERMAN COOPERATION TO BE EXPECTED."

"WE ARE ACCEPTING IN GOOD FAITH ASSURANCES WE HAVE RECEIVED FROM THE GERMANS," HE ADDED.

REMINDED OF NAZI REARMAMENT AFTER THE DEFEAT OF GERMANY IN THE FIRST WORLD WAR, HODGES REPLIED:

"WE ARE NOT APPROACHING THIS WITH OUR EYES CLOSED. WE ARE FULLY AWARE OF WHAT HAPPENED BEFORE AND WE ARE WATCHING FOR ANY SIGNS OF REPTITION."

HODGES SAID ENOUGH CONTROLS WOULD BE MAINTAINED AND ENOUGH IMSPECTORS WOULD BE ON HAND TO GUARD AGAINST GERMAN REARMAMENT.

THE HIGH COMMISSION, IN ITS OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE RELAZED CONTROLS, SAID A NEW ANTI-REARMAMENT LAW AIMS AT GIVING THE ALLIES A TIGHT GRIP OVER GERMAN ACTIVITIES WHICH MUGHT POSE A GENUINE THREAT.

ALTHOUGH THE ALLIED SECURITY BOARD WILL BE THE PRINCIPAL AGENCY FOR FULFILLING THE HIGH COMMISSION'S RESPONSIBILITIES IN ENFORCING THE NEW LAW, CERTAIN CONTROL FUNCTIONS WERE TURNED OVER TO THE GERMANS THEMSELVES.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID INDUSTRIAL ACTIVITY FALLING WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THE LAW BUT NOT CONSIDERED A THREAT TO MILITARY SECURITY HAS BEEN EXEMPTED FROM ALLIED CONTROL.

INDUSTRIAL INFORMATION OBTAINED BY THE ALLIES WILL BE USED ONLY TO ENFORCE THE LAW AND WILL NOT BE DIVULGED TO "UNAUTHORIZED PERSONS," THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID. THIS WAS INTERPRETED AS A GUARANTEE THAT GERMAN INDUSTRIAL SECRETS WILL NOT BE MADE AVAILABLE TO GERMANY'S FOREIGN BUSINESS COMPETITORS.

THE LAW, WHICH BECOMES EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, PROVIDES FOR IMPRISONMENT UP TO LIFE AND FINES UP TO 1,000,000 .ARKS ($238,000) FOR VIOLATIONS.

THE LAW DID NOT ALTER AN ALLIED LIMITATION ON STEEL PRODUCTION OF 11,100,000 TONS ANNUALLY. ALLOCATION OF THAT ALLOTMENT TO INDIVIDUAL FIRMS WOULD BE DONE THROUGH GERMAN-ISSUED LICENSES.

THE LAW COMPLETELY BANS SOME INDUSTRIAL ENTERPRISES, SUCH AS THE FOLLOWING:

THE MANUFACTURE OF ANYTHING SPECIFICALLY DESIGNED FOR MILITARY USE.

THE MANUFACTURE OF STRATEGIC MATERIALS, LIKE PRIMARY MAGNESIUM, SYNTHETIC RUBBER AND SYNTHETIC FUELS.

STORAGE OF BAUXITE AND ALUMINUM.

IT LIMITS SHIPBUILDING AND THE PRODUCTION OF CHLORINE, BALL AND ROLLER BEARINGS, STEEL, SYNTHETIC AMMONIA, BERYLLIUM AND PRIMARY ALUMINUM.

A PREVIOUS LAW CONTROLS GERMAN USE OF RADIOACTIVE MATERIALS.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT DID NOT SAY WHAT SPECIFIC PRODUCTS WERE FREED FROM CONTROLS.

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SOME PHASES OF INDUSTRY TECHNICALLY COVERED BY THE LAW ARE EXEMPTED FROM ITS PROVISIONS ON THE GROUND THAT THEY DO NOT CONSTITUTE A MILITARY THREAT.

THE COMMUNIQUE SAID INDUSTRIAL INFORMATION OBTAINED BY THE ALLIED AUTHORITIES THROUGH REPORTS AND INSPECTIONS "WILL BE USED ONLY FOR THE PURPOSES OF THE LAW AND WILL NOT BE DIVULGED TO UNAUTHORIZED PERSONS."

THAT APPEARED INTENDED AS A GUARANTEE THAT GERMAN INDUSTRIAL SECRETS WOULD NOT FALL INTO THE HANDS OF GERMANY'S FOREIGN BUSINESS COMPETITORS.

THE LAW BECOMES EFFECTIVE JUNE 1. IT COORDINATES INTO ONE DOCUMENT PREVIOUS SEPARATE AMERICAN, BRITISH AND FRENCH REGULATIONS ON GERMAN DISARMAMENT AND DEMILITARIZATION.

UNDER THE NEW LAW, ALLOCATION OF THE CONTROLLED STEEL ALLOTMENT TO INDIVIDUAL FIRMS WOULD BE MADE THROUGH GERMAN-ISSUED LICENSES. THE GERMAN STEEL INDUSTRY IS LIMITED BY ALLIED AGREEMENT TO 11,100,000 INGOT TONS PRODUCTION ANNUALLY. THE LAW DOES NOT ALTER THIS LIMITATION.

THE LAW PROVIDES FOR IMPRISONMENT UP TO LIFE AND FINES UP TO 1,000,000 MARKS ($238,000) FOR VIOLATIONS.

BANNED BY THE LAW ARE:

1. MANUFACTURE OF WEAPONS, TANKS, POISON GAS OR OTHER ITEMS SPECIFICALLY DESIGNED FOR MILITARY USE.
2. MANUFACTURE OF STRATEGIC MATERIALS SUCH AS PRIMARY MAGNESIUM, SYNTHETIC RUBBER AND SYNTHETIC FUELS.
3. STORAGE OF BAUXITE AND ALUMINUM.

SHIPBUILDING AND PRODUCTION OF CHLORINE, BALL AND ROLLER BEARINGS, STEEL, SYNTHETICS, AMMONIA, BERYLLIUM AND PRIMARY ALUMINUM ARE LIMITED.

A PREVIOUS LAW CONTROLS GERMAN ACTIVITY WITH RADIOACTIVE MATERIALS.

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BY GEORGE BOULTWOOD

BONN, GERMANY, MAY 8-(AP)-THE WESTERN ALLIES RELAXED CONTROLS ON GERMAN INDUSTRIES TODAY, REASONABLY CONFIDENT THAT THE GERMANS WILL NOT USE THEIR INDUSTRIAL STRENGTH AGAIN TO REARM.

UNDER A NEW ANTI-REARMAMENT LAW PUBLISHED BY THE ALLIED HIGH COMMISSION IN WEST GERMANY, SOME OF THE CONTROL FUNCTIONS WERE TURNED OVER TO THE GERMANS THEMSELVES.

"WE ARE QUITE OPTIMISTIC OVER THE DEGREE OF GERMAN COOPERATION TO BE EXPECTED," SAID MAJ.GEN.JAMES P.HODGES, AMERICAN CHAIRMAN OF THE ALLIED SECURITY BOARD SET UP TO ENFORCE GERMANY'S DISARMAMENT. "WE ARE ACCEPTING IN GOOD FAITH THE ASSURANCES WE HAVE RECEIVED FROM THE GERMANS."

REMINDED BY A NEWSMAN OF WHAT HAPPENED AFTER THE LAST WAR, GENERAL HODGES SAID AT A NEWS CONFERENCE:

"WE ARE NOT APPROACHING THIS WITH OUR EYES CLOSED. WE ARE FULLY AWARE OF WHAT HAPPENED BEFORE AND WE ARE WATCHING FOR ANY SIGNS OF A REPETITION."

THE HIGH COMMISSION, IN ITS OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT, SAID THE NEW LAW AIMS AT GIVING THE ALLIES A TIGHT GRIP OVER GERMAN ACTIVITIES WHICH MIGHT POSE A GENUINE THREAT OF REARMAMENT.

HODGES EXPRESSED CONFIDENCE THAT ENOUGH CONTROLS--AND ENOUGH ALLIED INSPECTORS--ARE BEING MAINTAINED TO INSURE AGAINST THE REGROWTH OF GERMAN WAR POWER.

BUT "ONLY THE NECESSARY CONTROLS CONSISTENT WITH THIS OBJECTIVE HAVE BEEN RETAINED," THE COMMUNIQUE SAID.

bonn, germany, may 8--(AP)--chancellor konrad adenauer expressed hope today the London conference will decide ~~was~~ on steps to prevent war from taking place on german soil.

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In an interview on the fifth anniversary of the German surrender, ~~Chancellor~~ Adenauer said that "from what I have heard it appears that allied military leaders are planning that operations should take place on the rhine, or even west of the rhine.

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"I hope that allied military agencies will change their plans so as to prevent military operations from taking place on german soil--to keep them further east.

"Because it is NO pleasure for the german people to read of the things that are planned to happen on their territory, I hope that the allies will give us a guarantee that west germany's borders will be defended."

He said this was an appropriate time to look both forward and backward. As to the past, he expressed gratitude for the aid given by france, britain and especially the united states "to bring us so far forward after the horrible catastrophe of war."

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Looking ahead to the London conference, Adenauer said he did NOT know that the germans could expect anything in particular, but "nevertheless I MM hope it will produce an equalization of relations between the western allies and Germany and more freedom for us from the political and economic points of view."

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NIGHT LEAD POLES (110)
FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 8-(AP)-SIX EMPLOYES OF THE POLISH CONSU-
LATE HERE SOUGHT ASYLUM IN WESTERN GERMANY TODAY BECAUSE THEY OPPOSE
NATIONALIZATION OF POLAND'S ECONOMY AND RUSSIAN CONTROL OF THE
WARSAW GOVERNMENT.
ONE OF THE POLES, FELIX KRAKOWSKI, 42, A FORMER JUDGE, SAID THE
GROUP HAD EXPECTED TO BE RECALLED TO WARSAW SOON, "AND WE DID NOT
WANT TO GO."
HE ADDED:
"I CAN UNDERSTAND THAT POLAND, BECAUSE OF ITS GEOGRAPHICAL
POSITION, MUST LIVE WITH RUSSIA, BUT NOT THAT IT SHOULD COME 100
PER CENT UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF RUSSIA."
THE POLES JOINED A GROWING THRONG OF ANTI-COMMUNISTS FROM BEHIND
THE IRON CURTAIN WHO HAVE SOUGHT REFUGE IN GERMANY. HAROLD RADIGAN,
U.S. RESIDENT OFFICER AT FRANKFURT, SAID "FOR THE TIME BEING THESE
MEN ARE MY RESPONSIBILITY."
THE POLISH CONSUL GENERAL IN FRANKFURT COULD NOT BE REACHED
FOR COMMENT ON THE INCIDENT.
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FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 8-(AP)-SIX OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYES
OF THE POLISH CONSULATE AT FRANKFURT RESIGNED TODAY AND ASKED WEST
GERMAN AUTHORITIES FOR REFUGE FROM THEIR COMMUNIST-DOMINATED
GOVERNMENT.
THE EIGHT ANNOUNCED THEIR RESIGNATION THROUGH THE JOINT PUBLIC
INFORMATION OFFICE OF THE U.S. ARMY AND THE U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER'S
OFFICE HERE. THEIR NAMES WERE GIVEN AS FELIX KRAKOWSKI, 42, IDENTIFIED AS A
JUDGE; JOSEPH SCZEPANEWSKI, 42; AN ACCOUNTANT; JOSEPH NOWACKI, 50,
AN EMPLOYE; ANTONINA FICYK, 40; AND STANISLAW CYRAN, 28, BOTH
OFFICIALS; MARIAN MITKIEWICZ, 27, A DRIVER. MITKIEWICZ WAS ACCOM-
PANIED BY HIS WIFE AND YEAR-OLD SON.
THE POLES JOINED A GROWING GROUP OF OFFICIALS FROM COMMUNIST-LED
COUNTRIES WHO HAVE GIVEN UP THEIR JOBS IN AREAS OUTSIDE OF COMMUNIST
CONTROL. THESE VOLUNTARY EXILES ARE CUSTOMARILY GRANTED ASYLUM
BY THE WESTERN AUTHORITIES.

A98 (330)
BY G.K.HODENFIELD
VIENNA, MAY 8-(AP)-AUSTRIAN VOTERS SWAMPED THE COMMUNISTS IN MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS IN THE PROVINCE OF LOWER AUSTRIA, OCCUPIED BY THE RUSSIANS, AND THREW OUT OF OFFICE 10 OF THE 11 MAYORS APPOINTED BY SOVIET MILITARY AUTHORITIES IN 1945. THE BLOC BACKED BY THE COMMUNISTS WON ONLY FIVE PER CENT OF THE VOTE. x32A

THE MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS HELD YESTERDAY RESULTED IN A HEAVY VICTORY FOR THE TWO GOVERNMENT COALITION PARTIES. IN 1,583 COMMUNITIES, THE RIGHT WING PEOPLES PARTY WON 13,462 MANDATES (VICTORIES FOR MAYORALTIES AND COUNCIL SEATS.) THE ANTI-COMMUNIST SOCIALISTS WON 6,233 AND THE LEFT BLOC--COMMUNISTS AND RADICAL SOCIALISTS--ONLY 397.

THERE WERE INDICATIONS WELL IN ADVANCE THAT THE RUSSIANS KNEW THE ELECTION WOULD END IN THE DEFEAT OF THE HAND-PICKED CITY OFFICIALS THEY PUT INTO OFFICE AT THE END OF THE WAR. EARLIER THIS YEAR THE RUSSIANS HAD REFUSED TO RECOGNIZE THE LAW UNDER WHICH THE ELECTIONS WERE TO BE HELD, BUT AFTER GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS CHARGED THEM WITH TRYING TO BLOCK THE VOTING TO KEEP THEIR OWN MEN IN POWER, THE RUSSIANS WITHDREW THE OBJECTIONS.

THE RESULT WAS THAT THE LEFT BLOC HAD ONLY FIVE PER CENT OF THE TOTAL POPULAR VOTE, ABOUT THE SAME PERCENTAGE IT REGISTERED IN THE NATIONAL ELECTIONS LAST FALL.

SOURCES IN THE AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT EXPRESSED HAPPINESS AT THE RESULT.

"THEY (THE ELECTIONS) PROVE THAT THE COMMUNISTS CAN'T EVEN WIN AN ELECTION IN THE RUSSIAN OCCUPATION ZONE," SAID ONE SPOKESMAN. "AND IF THEY CAN'T DO THAT, HOW CAN THEY CLAIM TO BE A MAJOR FORCE IN AUSTRIAN AFFAIRS?"

RUSSIANS NEVER HAVE HAD MUCH SUPPORT FROM THE AUSTRIAN VOTERS. IN NATIONAL ELECTIONS OF NOVEMBER, 1945, AND OCTOBER, 1949, THE RIGHTIST PEOPLE'S PARTY SHOWED ITSELF TO BE THE STRONGEST SINGLE POLITICAL ORGANIZATION, ALTHOUGH IT FELL SHORT OF WINNING CLEAR MAJORITIES. COMMUNIST STRENGTH HAS BEEN CONSISTENTLY ABOUT FIVE PER CENT OF THE TOTAL VOTE.

THERE WAS NO SIGN OF ANY RUSSIAN INTERFERENCE IN YESTERDAY'S VOTING, THE FIRST MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS IN THE PROVINCE SINCE 1929. WHEN THE TERMS OF OFFICIALS ELECTED IN 1929 EXPIRED IN 1934, NEW CITY OFFICIALS WERE APPOINTED BY CHANCELLOR ENGELBERT DOLLFUSS. THE NAZIS TOOK OVER IN 1938 AND ELECTIONS WERE BANNED. IN 1945 CITY OFFICIALS WERE APPOINTED BY THE RUSSIANS AND BY THE LOWER AUSTRIAN PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT.

THE SINGLE RUSSIAN APPOINTEE TO BE ELECTED WON IN THE VILLAGE OF POTTENSTEIN, WHERE HE RECEIVED A PLURALITY OF THE VOTES. BUT THIS COMMUNIST, TOO, COULD LOSE HIS OFFICE IF THE ANTI-COMMUNIST PARTIES SHOULD DECIDE TO COMBINE THEIR FORCES AND SELECT A COALITION MAYOR.
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NIGHT LEAD ELECTIONS (280)
BY G.K.HODENFIELD
VIENNA, AUSTRIA, MAY 8-(AP)-MUNICIPAL VOTERS IN LOWER AUSTRIA HANDED COMMUNISTS CANDIDATES THEIR GREATEST SETBACK IN AN ELECTION IN RUSSIAN-OCCUPIED TERRITORY SINCE THE END OF THE WAR, THE RETURNS SHOWED TODAY. x32A

THE VOTERS KICKED OUT 10 OF THE 11 SOVIET-APPOINTED MAYORS AND REGISTERED A TOTAL ANTI-COMMUNIST VOTE OF 95 PER CENT.

THE ONLY COMMUNIST MAYOR TO BE ELECTED RECEIVED A PLURALITY IN THE VILLAGE OF POTTENSTEIN. BUT HE, TOO, MAY LOSE HIS OFFICE IF THE ANTI-COMMUNIST PARTIES COMBINE THEIR FORCES AND SELECT A COALITION MAYOR.

THE ELECTIONS HELD YESTERDAY ENDED IN AN OVERWHELMING VICTORY FOR THE RIGHT WING PEOPLE'S PARTY WHICH WON 13,462 MAYORALTY AND COUNCIL SEATS IN 1,583 COMMUNITIES. THE ANTI-COMMUNIST SOCIALISTS WON 6,233 SEATS, WHILE THE LEFT BLOC--COMMUNISTS AND RADICAL SOCIALISTS--GARNERED ONLY 397.

AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT SOURCES WERE JUBILANT.

"THEY (THE ELECTIONS) PROVE THAT THE COMMUNISTS CAN'T EVEN WIN AN ELECTION IN THE RUSSIAN OCCUPATION ZONE," ONE SPOKESMAN SAID. "AND IF THEY CAN'T DO THAT, HOW CAN THEY CLAIM TO BE A MAJOR FORCE IN AUSTRIAN AFFAIRS?"

THE DEFEAT OF THE COMMUNIST MAYORS THE RUSSIANS PUT INTO OFFICE AT THE END OF THE WAR HAD BEEN INDICATED FOR SEVERAL MONTHS. THE RUSSIANS APPARENTLY EXPECTED DEFEAT WHEN, EARLIER THIS YEAR, THEY REFUSED TO RECOGNIZE ELECTION LAWS APPROVED BY THE AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT. GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS CHARGED THE RUSSIAN ATTITUDE WAS AN EFFORT TO KEEP THEIR OWN MEN IN POWER AND THE RUSSIANS THEN WITHDREW THEIR OBJECTIONS.

THERE WERE NO REPORTS OF ANY INTERFERENCE BY SOVIET AUTHORITIES IN THIS FIRST MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS IN LOWER AUSTRIA SINCE 1929.

WHEN THE FIVE-YEAR TERMS OF OFFICIALS ELECTED IN 1929 EXPIRED IN 1934, NEW CITY OFFICIALS WERE APPOINTED BY THE LATE CHANCELLOR ENGLEBERT DOLLFUSS. THE NAZIS TOOK OVER IN 1938 AND ELECTIONS WERE BANNED. IN 1945 CITY OFFICIALS WERE APPOINTED BY THE RUSSIANS AND BY THE LOWER AUSTRIAN PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT.

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A67
VIENNA, AUSTRIA, MAY 8-(AP)-MRS. ROBERT VOGELER SAID TONIGHT SHE WOULD FLY TO LONDON TOMORROW TO SEE SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON ABOUT THE IMPRISONMENT OF HER HUSBAND BY HUNGARY. VOGELER IS AN AMERICAN.

MRS. VOGELER SAID ACHESON HAD PROMISED TO SEE HER. SHE ADDED THAT SHE MAY FLY TO WASHINGTON LATER TO SEE PRESIDENT TRUMAN.

VOGELER, AN OFFICIAL OF THE INTERNATIONAL TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY, WAS SENTENCED LAST FEBRUARY TO 15 YEARS IMPRISONMENT BY A HUNGARIAN PEOPLE'S COURT ON CHARGES OF SABOTAGE AND ESPIONAGE.
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A32
NIGHT LEAD HUNGARIAN
BUDAPEST, HUNGARY, MAY 8-(AP)-MINISTER OF FOREIGN TRADE SANDOR RONAI TODAY BECAME CHIEF OF HUNGARY'S PRESIDENTIAL COUNCIL. PARLIAMENT APPROVED HIS APPOINTMENT TO REPLACE ARPAD SZAKASITS, WHO RESIGNED APRIL 24. x31

THE COUNCIL, CONSISTING OF A PRESIDENT, VICE PRESIDENT, SECRETARY AND 17 MEMBERS FUNCTIONS AS A CHIEF OF STATE.

THERE WAS NO COMMENT IN THE HOUSE WHEN SZAKASITS' RESIGNATION WAS ANNOUNCED. IN A ONE-LINE LETTER HE HAD GIVEN ILL HEALTH AS HIS REASON FOR RESIGNING.

THE HOUSE SPEAKER ALSO ANNOUNCED THE REMOVAL OF DEPUTY PAL SHIFFLER, SON-IN-LAW OF SZAKASITS.

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(270)
BUDAPEST, HUNGARY, MAY 8-(AP)-HUNGARY'S PARLIAMENT TODAY APPROVED THE APPOINTMENT OF SANDER RONAI AS PRESIDENT OF THE HUNGARIAN PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC, REPLACING ARPAD SZAKASITS, WHO RESIGNED.

THE HOUSE TOOK NOTICE OF THE RESIGNATION OF SZAKASITS, WHO WAS NOT PRESENT, WITHOUT ANY COMMENT.

THE SPEAKER ANNOUNCED CHANGES AMONG THE DEPUTIES. ONE OF THESE -- THE REMOVAL OF DEPUTY PAL SHIFFLER, SON-IN-LAW OF SZAKASITS -- CAUSED MUCH INTEREST IN POLITICAL CIRCLES.

THE CHANGES, THE SPEAKER SAID, WERE IN THE FORM OF REPLACEMENTS FOR DEPUTIES WHO DIED OR WHO WERE OMITTED FROM THE PARLIAMENT LIST FOR OTHER (UNSPECIFIED) REASONS.

SZAKASITS, FORMER HEAD OF HUNGARY'S SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC PARTY, RESIGNED AS PRESIDENT OF THE PRESIDENTIAL COUNCIL SUDDENLY APRIL 24 IN A ONE-SENTENCE LETTER TO THE SPEAKER OF PARLIAMENT. HE GAVE ILL HEALTH AS THE REASON.

THE PEOPLE'S FRONT OF INDEPENDENCE, WHICH INCLUDES ALL ACCREDITED POLITICAL PARTIES AND MASS ORGANIZATIONS OF THE COUNTRY, PROPOSED TO PARLIAMENT THE ELECTION OF RONAI, A FORMER SOCIAL DEMOCRAT WHO NOW IS A MEMBER OF THE POLITBURO OF THE HUNGARIAN WORKERS (COMMUNIST) PARTY. RONAI HAS BEEN MINISTER OF FOREIGN TRADE.

THE PRESIDENTIAL COUNCIL IS AN INSTITUTION ESTABLISHED IN THE NEW CONSTITUTION LAST AUGUST. IT CONSISTS OF A PRESIDENT, VICE PRESIDENT, SECRETARY AND 17 COUNCIL MEMBERS AND PERFORMS FUNCTIONS AS THE HEAD OF THE STATE.

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SZAKASITS HAD LITTLE POWER IN THE GOVERNMENT, BUT HIS REMOVAL IS IN LINE WITH THE GENERAL TIGHTENING UP IN COMMUNIST COUNTRIES, WHERE TRUSTED PARTY MEMBERS ARE REPLACING THOSE OF OTHER PARTIES WITHIN THE BLOC FRONTS.

THE REMOVAL OF SZAKASITS' SON-IN-LAW FROM PARLIAMENT INDICATES THAT THE PURGE IS BEING CARRIED ON DOWN THE LINE. THERE HAVE BEEN RUMORS THAT THE FORMER PRESIDENT WAS UNDER ARREST, BUT HUNGARIAN SOURCES HAVE DENIED THIS.

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NIGHT LEAD AUSTRIA (320)

BY EDDY GILMORE

MOSCOW, MAY 8-(AP)-PRAVDA, COMMUNIST PARTY NEWSPAPER, MADE IT EVIDENT TODAY THAT RUSSIA BELIEVES THE TRIESTE QUESTION SHOULD BE SETTLED BEFORE AN AUSTRIAN PEACE TREATY IS SIGNED.

AN UNSIGNED EDITORIAL, PUBLISHED CONSPICUOUSLY IN THE PLACE WHERE FOREIGN MINISTRY STATEMENTS OFTEN ARE PRINTED, SAID THE FACT THAT THE WESTERN POWERS HAVE NOT FULFILLED THE TERMS OF THE ITALIAN PEACE TREATY ON TRIESTE SUGGESTS THAT THEY WOULD NOT CARRY OUT AN AUSTRIAN TREATY SHOULD ONE BE SIGNED.

THE NEWSPAPER ADDED THAT THE ITALIAN TREATY SHOULD BE FULFILLED IMMEDIATELY IN ORDER TO GIVE ASSURANCES THAT AN AUSTRIAN TREATY WOULD BE HONORED.

PRAVDA REPEATED CHARGES THAT THE WESTERN POWERS ARE USING BOTH TRIESTE AND AUSTRIA AS MILITARY BASES AND STEPPING STONES FOR AGGRESSION. THE PAPER COMMENTED THAT THE WESTERN POWERS APPEARED CONTENT WITH THE TRIESTE SITUATION AND APPARENTLY WERE GOING TO DO NOTHING ABOUT WITHDRAWING THEIR MILITARY FORCES THERE.

THE EDITORIAL APPEARED AFTER THE 253RD MEETING OF FOUR-POWER DEPUTIES ON AN AUSTRIAN TREATY GOT NOWHERE IN LONDON LAST THURSDAY. AT THAT TIME THE RUSSIAN DEPUTY READ THE RUSSIAN NOTE OF APRIL 21 TO THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE CHARGING THEY WERE CREATING A NAVAL BASE AT TRIESTE AND DEMANDING THAT THEY WITHDRAW THEIR TROOPS AND ALLOW THE APPOINTMENT OF A CIVIL GOVERNOR AS PROVIDED IN THE ITALIAN PEACE TREATY.

(THE EDITORIAL, THRUSTING A NEW ISSUE INTO THE PROTRACTED NEGOTIATIONS FOR A PEACE TREATY WHICH WOULD RESTORE AUSTRIA TO INDEPENDENCE AS PROMISED BY THE FOUR POWERS DURING THE WAR, APPEARED BEFORE THE THREE WESTERN POWERS HAD ANSWERED THE TRIESTE NOTE.

(THE ITALIAN TREATY PROVIDED FOR TRIESTE TO BE A FREE TERRITORY ADMINISTERED BY A UNITED NATIONS GOVERNOR. THE BIG POWERS WERE UNABLE TO AGREE ON A GOVERNOR, SO AMERICAN, BRITISH AND YUGOSLAV TROOPS HAVE CONTINUED TO OCCUPY THE TERRITORY, DIVIDED INTO TWO ZONES.

(THE LATEST RUSSIAN POSITION WAS DISCLOSED AS MUNICIPAL ELECTION RETURNS IN THE RUSSIAN ZONE OF AUSTRIA GAVE COMMUNIST CANDIDATES BUT 5 PER CENT OF THE VOTE).

PRAVDA MADE IT PLAIN THAT EVEN SHOULD AN AUSTRIAN TREATY BE CONCLUDED THE RUSSIANS WOULD BE SKEPTICAL OF ITS BEING LIVED UP TO.

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A94 (100)

MOSCOW, MAY 8-(AP)-PRAVDA SAID TODAY THERE IS NO ASSURANCE THAT THE WEST WOULD FULFILL TERMS OF AN AUSTRIAN INDEPENDENCE TREATY IF ONE SHOULD BE SIGNED BY THE BIG FOUR POWERS.

THE COMMUNIST PARTY NEWSPAPER SAID THE WESTERN POWERS HAD FAILED TO CARRY OUT CONDITIONS OF THE ITALIAN PEACE TREATY WITH REGARD TO TRIESTE AND THAT THIS MADE IT QUESTIONABLE WHETHER THE WEST WOULD FULFILL THE AUSTRIAN TREATY.

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THE 253RD MEETING OF THE FOUR-POWER DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTERS SINCE THE WAR ON THE AUSTRIAN QUESTION BOGGED DOWN THURSDAY WHEN THE RUSSIAN DEPUTY INSISTED UPON READING RUSSIA'S RECENT NOTE ON TRIESTE, CALLING UPON THE U.S. AND BRITAIN TO WITHDRAW TROOPS FROM THAT TERRITORY. THE WESTERN DELEGATES CALLED THIS A "RED HERRING."

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AMS BUDGET (550)

NIGHT LEAD CHINESE

BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI, FORMOSA, MAY 8 (AP)-GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK DECLARED TONIGHT THAT ONLY QUICK AND "ADEQUATE" NEW AMERICAN AID FOR HIS CHINESE NATIONALISTS COULD PREVENT WORLD WAR III FROM STARTING IN THE ORIENT.

THE NATIONALIST CHIEF SPOKE AT A BUFFET DINNER HE GAVE FOR A SCORE OF AMERICAN NEWS, RADIO AND MAGAZINE CORRESPONDENTS MAKING A NATIONALIST-SPONSORED TOUR OF FORMOSA.

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CHIANG ALSO SAID THE DEMOCRACIES SHOULD APPLY SANCTIONS TO STOP AGGRESSIVE POWERS. HE URGED THE UNITED NATIONS TO HEAR AND RULE JUSTLY ON NATIONALIST CHINA'S CHARGES OF RUSSIAN AGGRESSION.

CHIANG SAID HE DID NOT KNOW HOW TO PREVENT A WORLD WAR STARTING IN THE WEST BUT THIS WAS HIS IDEA OF HOW TO STOP IT IN THE FAR EAST:

"THE CHINESE REDS ARE THE MAIN STRENGTH OF COMMUNIST AGGRESSION IN THE FAR EAST, AND NO FORCE IN SOUTHEAST ASIA IS STRONG ENOUGH TO COMBAT THEM.

"NOW, IF THIS MAIN STRENGTH IS KEPT FIGHTING BY A NATIONALIST COUNTEROFFENSIVE AND GUERRILLA OPERATIONS ON THE MAINLAND, IT WILL BE PREVENTED FROM SPREADING AND A THIRD WORLD WAR WILL BE STOPPED FROM ORIGINATING IN ASIA.

"TO ACHIEVE THIS, DEMOCRATIC COUNTRIES MUST FIRST HELP US TO DEFEND FORMOSA SQ IT CAN BE USED AS A BASE FOR A COUNTEROFFENSIVE ON THE MAINLAND.

"THE ACTUAL OPERATIONS (OF A COUNTEROFFENSIVE WILL NOT BE DIFFICULT IF THE UNITED STATES AND OTHER DEMOCRATIC COUNTRIES CLOSELY COOPERATE WITH US AND GIVE US ADEQUATE HELP.

"I CANNOT THINK OF ANY OTHER MEANS TO PREVENT THE OUTBREAK OF WORLD WAR IN ASIA, BUT I ADMIT OUR STRENGTH ALONE IS NOT ENOUGH TO CARRY OUT THINS KIND OF PLAN...

"TO GIVE HELP IN DEFENDING FORMOSA WILL NOT PRECIPITATE WORLD WAR, BECAUSE THE SOVIETS HAVE OPENLY GIVEN MILITARY SUPPORT TO THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS.

"IT IS THE SOVIET UNION WHICH IS CHALLENGING THE UNITED STATES IN CHINA--NOT THE UNITED ATATES WHICH CHALLENGES THE SOVIET UNION BY GIVING AID."

THE GENERALISSIMO ALSO DECLARED, "IN VIEW OF THE FACT THE SOVIETS ARE GIVING MORE AND MORE MILITARY ASSISTANCE TO THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS, I THINK ANY HELP THE UNITED STATES GIVES US SHOULD MATCH IT."

ONE CORRESPONDRNT ASKED IF, IN VIEW OF NATIONALISTS REPORTS THAT THE RUSSIANS HAVE SENT AT LEAST 23,000 TROOPS TO RED CHINA, CHIANG WANTED THE UNITED STATES TO GO THAT FAR IN HELPING THE NATIONALISTS.

CHIANG REPLIED THAT HE MEANT MILITARY MATERIALS, SAYING, "I DON'T WANT AMERICANS TO FIGHT OUR WAR--WE'LL DO OUR OWN FIGHTING.

"ACTION OF SOVIET RUSSIA IN RED CHINA IS AN ACT OF AGGRESSION. WE DON'T WANT SIMILAR AMERICAN ACTION IN FORMOSA--AND I'M SURE THE UNITED STATES WILL NOT TAKE IT."

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HOWEVER, CHIANG PLACED IN A DIFFERENT CATEGORY THE REPORTED OFFERS OF FOREIGN INDIVIDUALS TO FLY WARPLANES FOR THE NATIONALISTS.

"PEOPLE FROM ALL COUNTRIES WHO LOVE FREEDOM AND DEMOCRACY AND ARE WILLING TO FIGHT IN THE COMMON CAUSE WILL BE WELCOME," HE SAID.

HE ADDED THAT AT PRESENT THE NATIONALISTS HAD ENOUGH PILOTS, AND "WHAT WE NEED MOST ARE PLANES--BUT IF IF WE HAD THE LATEST MODELS IT WOULD BE A DIFFERENT QUESTION."

HE ASSERTED THAT THE CHINESE REDS HAD ON THEIR SIDE RUSSIANS, POLES, CZECHS, GERMANS, KOREANS AND MONGOLIANS, "AND THERE IS THEREFORE NO REASON WHY WE SHOULD OBJECT TO FOREIGNERS FIGHTING ON OUR SIDE."

ASKED HIS VIEW ON PROPOSALS BY AOME AMERICANS THAT GENERAL MACARTHUR BE ASSIGNED TO DEFEND FORMOSA, CHIANG REPLIED, "ANY PROPOSALS FROM A FRIENDLY POWER FOR DEFENSE OF FORMOSA DESERVE CAREFUL ATTENTION...IF THESE ARE PURELY ON A MILITARY AND STRATEGIC BASIS, FOR THE PURPOSE OF RESISTING THE COMMUNISTS IN EAST ASIA, I THINK THEY WOULD BE CONSIDERED REASONABLE."

TO AN INQUIRY ABOUT WHAT ASSURANCES HE COULD GIVE ANY FUTURE AID WOULD BE USED BETTER THAN IN THE PAST, CHIANG RESPONDED THAT HE FELT PAST PRACTICES OF LOSS AND WASTE WOULD NOT BE REPEATED AND "WE SHALL BE GLAD TO ACCEPT ANY RECOMMENDATIONS OR ADVICE FROM THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT OR PEOPLE IN ORDER TO ACHIEVE THE HIGHEST EFFICIENCY AND EFFECTIVENESS IN USE OF ANY AID."

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A114FX
CHINESE (380)
BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI, MAY 8-(AP)-PRESIDENT CHIANG KAI-SHEK TODAY APPEALED TO THE UNITED STATES TO AID HIS NATIONALIST CHINA, AS RUSSIA HAS HELPED COMMUNIST CHINA.

CHIANG REQUESTED TECHNICAL AND MILITARY ASSISTANCE -- BUT NOT TROOPS.

HE CALLED FOR SANCTIONS AGAINST AGGRESSIVE POWERS.

ASKED BY VISITING AMERICAN NEWSMEN FOR HIS REACTION TO A PROPOSAL SOME AMERICANS HAVE MADE THAT GENERAL MACARTHUR DEFEND FORMOSA, CHIANG REPLIED: THE NATIONALISTS WOULD GIVE CAREFUL CONSIDERATION TO ANY ARRANGEMENT NOT INFRINGING ON CHINA'S NATIONAL SOVEREIGNTY AND TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY.

"OFFICIALLY WE WOULD ONLY CONSIDER SUCH A PROPOSAL WHEN THE UNITED STATES CLEARLY SHOWS ITS ATTITUDE," CHIANG SAID.

HIS STATEMENT WAS PROVOKED BY NEWSMEN WHO ASKED IF HE WOULD FORM A GOVERNMENT IN EXILE IF FORMOSA WAS LOST.

"I'VE NEVER GIVEN ANY THOUGHT TO THIS," CHIANG REPLIED. "I DON'T THINK FORMOSA WILL BE LOST."

HE ASSERTED THAT ANY HELP GIVEN CHINA SHOULD BE GIVEN SOON AND IN ADEQUATE QUANTITY "BECAUSE THE SOONER AND MORE WE GET THE SOONER AND MORE EFFECTIVELY SHALL WE BE ABLE TO RESIST COMMUNIST AGGRESSION-EVERY DAY LOST IS IN FAVOR OF THE REDS. ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS TODAY CAN DO MORE THAN $10,000 OR $100,000 LATER."

CHIANG ARGUED HELP FOR THE NATIONALISTS WOULD PREVENT--- NOT PROVOKE --- WAR.

THE GENERALISSIMO SAID THE BEST WAY TO HELP CHINA WAS FOR ALL COUNTRIES LOVING FREEDOM AND DEMOCRACY "TO HAVE A COMMON PURPOSE AND UNITE ALL THEIR STRENGTH IN FIGHTING THE COMMUNIST MENACE."

HE SAID THESE COUNTRIES SHOULD FIRST DO ALL THEY COULD TO SUPPORT THE LETTER AND SPIRIT OF THE UNITED NATIONS CHARTER. SECOND, HE SAID, THEY SHOULD DO ALL THEY COULD TO FIGHT AGAINST "AGGRESSIVE ACTION BY ANY AGGRESSIVE POWER." THIRD, GIVE ALL THE HELP THEY COULD TO COUNTRIES FIGHTING FOR FREEDOM AND INDEPENDENCE.

CHIANG SAID THE DEMOCRACIES SHOULD APPLY SANCTIONS TO STOP AGGRESSIVE ACTION BY ANY AGGRESSIVE POWER WHEN NECESSARY. HE ADDED BY DOING THIS THEY WOULD NOT ONLY HELP CHINA BUTT WOULD MAINTAIN PERMANENT WORLD PEACE AND UPHOLD THE SPIRIT OF THE UNITED NATIONS.

CHIANG SAID THE UNITED NATIONS COULD HELP BY PASSING A JUST DECISION ON NATIONALIST CHINA'S CHARGES OF RUSSIAN AGGRESSION.

THE GENERALISSIMO SAID HE WAS OPTIMSTIC ABOUT HOLDING FORMOSA AND WAS "DETERMINED TO HOLD IT."

HE SAID HE THOUGHT THE NATIONALISTS HAD ENOUGH MILITARY STRENGTH AT PRESENT. "BUT AS REGARDS FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS IT IS HARD TO PREDICT NOW."

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TAIPEI, FORMOSA, MAY 8-(AP)-TEN NATIONALIST PLANES WERE LOADED WITH 5,000 BAGS OF RICE TODAY TO BE DROPPED ON FAMINE AREAS IN CHINA.

THE BAGS WEIGHED 32 POUNDS EACH.

THE PLANES WERE EXPECTED TO TAKE OFF DURING THE NIGHT TO MINIMIZE THEIR CHANCES OF BEING INTERCEPTED BY CHINESE COMMUNIST FIGHTERS.

LEAFLETS INSIDE THE BAGS ADVISE THE HUNGRY CHINESE, SAID TO AGGREGATE 40,000,000 (M), THAT OTHER BAGS WILL BE DROPPED LATER.

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A121FX
(140)
HONG KONG, MAY 8-(AP)-THE HONG KONG STANDARD SAID TODAY CHINESE REDS WERE STRENGTHENING FOUR AIRFIELDS IN FUKIEN PROVINCE FOR THE INVASION OF FORMOSA AND POSSIBLY OKINAWA, A STRONG U.S. BASE IN THE WESTFUKIEN LIES ACROSS THE 100 MILE WIDE STRAIT OF FORMOSA FROM THE NATIONALIST ISLAND.
THE NEWSPAPER SAID THOUSANDS OF CHINESE ARE WORKING ON FIELDS AT AMOY, FOOCHOW, CHANGCHOW AND CHANGTING. CHANGTING IS 200 MILES INLAND AND MAY BE USED AS A RESERVE BASE IF THE NATIONALIST AIR FORCE COUNTERATTACKS.
THE NEWSPAPER SAID REPORTS FROM AMOY HAD CAUSED "SPECULATION THAT RUSSIAN ADVISERS WERE WORKING ON A LONG RANGE PROGRAM SO THAT THE FIELDS MAY BE USED FOR LANDING AND TAKE OFF OF MUCH LARGER PLANES THAN THOSE NOW AT THE DISPOSAL OF THE CHINESE REDS. IT WAS POINTED OUT THAT FUKIEN COULD ALSO BE CONVERTED INTO BASES FOR OPERATIONS AGAINST OKINAWA, WHERE THE UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES ARE REPORTED BUILDING FORMIDABLE BASES."
THIS WAS THE FIRST TIME A LOCAL NEWSPAPER SUGGESTED OKINAWA MAY BE INVADED.
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MACARTHUR (250)
BY RUSSELL BRINES
TOKYO, MAY 8-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR SAYS THE WESTERN PACIFIC IS SAFE FROM DIRECT MILITARY ATTACK, BUT NOT FROM COMMUNIST INFILTRATION.
HE TOLD AUSTRALIAN NEWSMEN RECENTLY THAT AIRPOWER FROM PRESENT ALLIED BASES COULD BREAK UP ANY ATTEMPT ON THE WORLD WAR II PATTERN TO ASSEMBLE OR LAUNCH AN AMPHIBIOUS ATTACK FROM ASIA.
THE GENERAL HAS STRESSED THIS POINT BEFORE. HE SPECIFICALLY HAS EXPRESSED CONFIDENCE THAT AMERICAN BASES IN OKINAWA AND JAPAN--IF ADEQUATELY MAINTAINED--COULD PROTECT THE PHILIPPINES AND JAPAN.
THE UNITED STATES IS PLEDGED TO DEFEND THESE TWO NATIONS.
ONLY LAST WEEK MACARTHUR AND RUSSIA CLASHED OVER THESE BASES. RUSSIA CHARGED THAT AMERICAN MAINTENANCE OF AIR AND NAVAL BASES VIOLATES OCCUPATION POLICY.
A "PROVOCATIVE IMPERTINENCE," SNAPPED MACARTHUR. HE SAID IT IS STRICTLY U.S.BUSINESS WHAT IT DOES ON OKINAWA. AND AS FOR JAPAN, BASES THERE WILL BE MAINTAINED TO INSURE "THE MOST COMPLETE READINESS FOR ANY EVENTUALITY."
MACARTHUR FREQUENTLY HAS EXPRESSED CONCERN OVER THE DANGERS OF INFILTRATION AND SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES BY MILITANT COMMUNISTS THROUGHOUT ASIA. HE HAS WATCHED CLOSELY THE ENLARGING COMMUNIST DRIVE TOWARD SOUTHEAST ASIA.
THE SUPREME COMMANDER HAS SAID THE U.S. SHOULD GIVE PRIME ATTENTION TO BOLSTERING THIS RICH REGION AGAINST RED PRESSURE.
AUTHORITATIVE SOURCES SAY THIS POINT WAS NOT DEVELOPED DURING HIS APRIL 29 CONVERSATION WITH AUSTRALIAN NEWSMEN. BUT THE GENERAL STRESSED AGAIN THAT PREOCCUPATION OF WESTERN LEADERS WITH EUROPEAN PROBLEMS HAS HELPED TO CREATE A DANGEROUS SITUATION IN ASIA.
HE LONG HAS CONSIDERED THE ORIENT OF PRIME IMPORTANCE.
SOME OF THE GENERAL'S STAFF OFFICERS, WHOSE VIEWS SELDOM CONFLICT WITH HIS, HAVE URGED THAT THE UNITED STATES DRAW A LINE ON THE BORDER OF FRENCH INDOCHINA AND CHINA. THEY ARGUE COMMUNISM SHOULD NOT BE PERMITTED TO ADVANCE IN STRENGTH BEYOND THIS LINE.
THESE OFFICERS HAVE URGED MORE U.S.MILITARY SUPPORT TO FRENCH FORCES IN INDOCHINA AND OTHER GOVERNMENTS FIGHTING INTERNAL DISSENSION.
IF SOUTHEAST ASIA FALLS TO THE COMMUNISTS, THEY SAY, THE AMERICAN DEFENSE LINE WILL BE OUTFLANKED.
MACARTHUR ALSO TOLD THE AUSTRALIANS:
1. THE ALLIES DO NOT INTEND TO BUILD UP JAPAN MILITARILY OR USE HER AS AN ALLY.
2. EVEN IF PERMITTED, JAPAN COULD NOT BECOME A FIRST CLASS MILITARY POWER IN TWO GENERATIONS.
3. JAPAN HAS FULFILLED ALL REQUIREMENTS FOR A PEACE TREATY AND SHOULD HAVE ONE.
4. THE COLD WAR HAS HANDED JAPAN A NUMBER OF PROBLEMS WHICH CAN BE SOLVED COMPLETELY ONLY WHEN THE WEST AND COMMUNIST EAST REACH AN UNDERSTANDING.
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A120FX
TOKYO, MAY 8-(AP)-THE JAPANESE GOVERNMENT TODAY DECIDED TO GIVE PRINCESS TAKA, SECOND DAUGHTER OF THE EMPEROR, 4,800,000 YEN (ABOUT $100,000) TO MAINTAIN HER DIGNITY WHEN SHE MARRIES A COMMONER LATE THIS MONTH.
THE PRINCESS ALSO WAS AWARDED TWO ACRES OF GROUND NEXT TO THE HAYAMA IMPERIAL VILLA.
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A122KX (TOP)
(210)
FIRST LEAD AIRMEN
TOKYO,TUESDAY, MAY 9-(AP)-THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS SAID TODAY THEY ARE RELEASING TWO AMERICAN AIRMEN WHOM THEY INDUCED---AFTER 18 HOURS IN PRISON---TO CONFESSS TO SPYING.
THE AIRMEN ARE:
NAVY CHIEF ELECTRICIAN WILLIAM C. SMITH, LONG BEACH, CALIF., AND MARINE MASTER SGT. ELMER C. BENDER, CINCINNATI.
PEIPING RADIO BROADCAST THE ANNOUNCEMENT, ATTRIBUTED TO GEN. HSU SHIH YUH, COMMANDER OF THE SHANTUNG MILITARY DISTRICT.
SMITH AND BENDER HAVE BEEN HELD INCOMMUNICADO SINCE OCT. 19, 1948, WHEN THEIR PLANE WAS FORCED DOWN ON A FLIGHT FROM TSINGTAO. AT THAT TIME TSINGTAO WAS AN AMERICAN NAVAL BASE.
THE RED BROADCAST SAID FLATLY THAT SMITH AND BENDER WERE "PRISONERS OF WAR."
NUMEROUS ATTEMPTS, BOTH OFFICIAL AND UNOFFICIAL, TO OBTAIN THEIR RELEASE FAILED. THE REDS TREATED ALL EFFORTS STIFFLY.
THE RED BROADCAST QUOTED HSU:
"IT WAS NOT UNTIL LATELY THAT SMITYH AND BENDER, INFLUENCED BY OUR MAGNANIMOUS POLICY TOWARD PRISONERS, BEGAN TO CONFESS. . . ."
EXTORTION OF "CONFESSIONS" AFTER LONG IMPRISONMENT IS A TRADEMARK OF COMMUNISM.
THE BROADCAST QUOTED HSU:
THE TWO U. S. AIRMEN SAID "THE OBJECTIVE OF THE FLIGHT WAS TO RECONNOITER . . . ACTIVITIES ALONG THE RAILWAYS OF THE LIBERATED AREAS."
THE ANNOUNCEMENT WAS NOT CARRIED ON THE DAILY ENGLISH LANGUAGE BROADCAST BEAMED TO THE UNITED STATES. THIS MIGHT MEAN THE COMMUNISTS PLAYED A SHREWD GAME OF POURING THE NEWS INTO SOUTHEAST ASIE LONG BEFORE THE U. S. STATE DEPARTMENT AND MILITARY SERVICES COULD ANSWER WITH THEIR VERSION.
THE BROADCAST ADDED:

"SINCE BENDER AND SMITH HAVE EXPRESSED THEIR REPENTENCE THEY ARE BEING RELEASED AND DEPORTED IN LINE WITH THE MAGNANIMOUS POLICY OF THE CHINESE PEOPLE'S (COMMUNIST) LIBERATION ARMY TOWARD RINERS.3
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THE CHINESE PEOPLE'S (COMMUNIST) LIBERATION ARMY TOWARD PRISONERS."

THE BROADCAST SAID THE PLANE HAD BEEN CONFISCATED. IT SAID THE PLANE CONTAINED "CHARTS AND VARIOUS MILITARY MAPS."

SINCE ALL AMERICAN CONSULAR OFFICES IN RED CHINA ARE CLOSED, SMITH AND BENDER PRESUMABLY MIGHT CONTACT BRITISH OFFICIALS TO ARRANGE PASSAGE OUT OF THE COUNTRY.

THE BROADCAST SAID FLATLY THE AIRMEN HAD BEEN HELD AS "PRISONERS OF WAR."

THE NAVY EVACUATED TSINGTAO BEFORE IT WAS ABLE TO ARRANGE FOR THEIR RELEASE.

BOTH ARE MARRIED. SMITH'S PARENTS LIVE AT COLUMBIA FALLS, MONT.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT MADE REPEATED EFFORTS TO OBTAIN THEIR RELEASE.

THE REDS, HOWEVER, REFUSED EVEN TO DISCLOSE WHERE THE MEN WERE HELD AND PERMITTED NO COMMUNICATION FROM THEM. LAST OCTOBER THE REDS EVEN INFORMED THE STATE DEPARTMENT THEY DID NOT KNOW WHERE SMITH AND BENDER WERE.

THE MOST DIRECT WORD CONCERNING THE CAPTIVES CAME LAST JAN.25 WHEN CAPT.DAVID JONES OF THE AMERICAN FREIGHTER FLYING ARROW TRIED TO ARRANGE THEIR RELEASE ON BEHALF OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

THE FLYING ARROW HAD PUT IN AT TSINGTAO AFTER BEING SHELLED BY THE CHINESE NATIONALIST NAVY.

CAPTAIN JONES SAID HE WAS AUTHORIZED TO OFFER UP TO $25,000 RANSOM IF NECESSARY, BUT NO QUESTION OF PAYMENT WAS INVOLVED. HE SAID A CHINESE NAMED WONG, DIRECTOR OF THE MILITARY CONTROL OF FOREIGNERS' AFFAIRS IN TSINGTAO, INSISTED THAT SMITH AND BENDER COULD BE RELEASED "VERY QUICKLY" IF THE UNITED STATES WOULD MAKE AN "OFFICIAL REQUEST." WONG CONTENDED NO SUCH REQUEST HAD BEEN MADE BY THE U.S. NAVY, STATE DEPARTMENT OR ANY OTHER AGENCY.

THE IMPLICATION WAS THAT THE REDS WERE USING THE PRISONERS IN AN EFFORT TO GAIN SOME SORT OF AMERICAN GOVERNMENTAL RECOGNITION FOR THEIR REGIME.

WONG CONTENDED THAT SMITH AND BENDER HAD BEEN ON A PHOTO RECONNAISSANCE MISSION FOR THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS WHEN THEY RAN OUT OF FUEL AND HAD TO LAND IN COMMUNIST TERRITORY. HE SAID THE U.S. NAVY PULLED OUT OF TSINGTAO BEFORE ARRANGEMENTS COULD BE MADE FOR THE MEN'S RELEASE AS HAD BEEN DONE IN THE CASE OF VARIOUS OTHER AMERICAN SERVICE MEN WHO FELL INTO RED HANDS EARLIER. ACTUALLY, THE NAVY DID NOT FINALLY ABANDON TSINGTAO UNTIL LAST MAY, MORE THAN SEVEN MONTHS AFTER SMITH AND BENDER WERE CAPTURED.

WONG INSISTED BOTH MEN WERE "WELL, AND IN AS GOOD SPIRITS AS CONDITIONS WOULD ALLOW." AT THAT TIME HE SAID THEY HAD BEEN ALLOWED TO RECEIVE SOME BOOKS FROM FOREIGN MISSIONARIES.

MRS.SMITH REPORTED LAST DECEMBER RECEIPT OF A LETTER FROM AN UNIDENTIFIED MISSIONARY INFORMING HER THAT THE AMERICANS' PLANE WAS SHOT DOWN BY THE REDS, NOT MERELY FORCED DOWN BY LACK OF GAS.

MRS.SMITH HAD APPEALED TO SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON IN A PERSONAL INTERVIEW TO TRY TO DO MORE TO OBTAIN HER HUSBAND'S FREEDOM. ACHESON SAID THAT WHILE AMERICANS WERE "THOROUGHLY INDIGNANT" AT THE "INHUMANE" DETENTION. ALL EFFORTS TO ARRANGE A RELEASE HAD FAILED.

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AT CHICAGO, BENDER'S WIFE, SHIRLEY, SAID A MAJ. BRADBURY OF THE MARINE CORPS HAD TELEPHONED HER FROM WASHINGTON TODAY, INFORMING HER OF THE RELEASE OF SMITH AND HER HUSBAND. SHE SAID MAJ. BRADBURY RELATED THAT HE HAD GOT THE INFORMATION FROM SOME GOVERNMENT AGENCY - SHE THINKS HE SAID THE STATE DEPARTMENT -- AND THAT THE AGENCY HEAD LEARNED IT FROM A FOREIGN BROADCAST.

MAJOR JOHN D.BRADBURY OF THE MARINE CORPS SAID IN WASHINGTON THAT A GOVERNMENT PICKUP OF THE PEIPING RADIO BROADCAST HAD BEEN RELAYED TO RELATIVES OF THE TWO MEN BUT THAT NEITHER THE CORPS NOR THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAD ANY DIRECT WORD OF THE MEN'S RELEASE.

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MRS. BENDER SAID "IT'S TRUE, IT MUST BE TRUE." SHE SAID THE FIRST CHANCE SHE GETS SHE WILL TRY TO COMMUNICATE WITH HER HUSBAND.

MRS. BENDER HAS BEEN WAGING A YEAR-LONG FIGHT TO OBTAIN HER HUSBAND'S RELEASE. SHE MADE A TWO-WEEK TRIP TO WASHINGTON TO TRY TO GET OFFICIALS TO MAKE STRONGER ACTION. SHE ALSO HAS TALKED TO CONGRESSMEN, STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS, GENERALS AND ADMIRALS WHO HAVE VISITED CHICAGO DURING THE TIME HER HUSBAND HAS BEEN MISSING.

MRS. BENDER IS 25. THE COUPLE HAS A DAUGHTER, KATHY, FOUR.

IN LONG BEACH, SMITH'S WIFE, RUBY, SAID SHE IS "OVERJOYED AND RELIEVED" AT THE NEWS.

"I INTENDED TO GO AND GET HIM MYSELF BUT NOW IT LOOKS AS IF I WON'T HAVE TO," SHE DECLARED. SHE ADDED SHE HAS HEARD NO OFFICIAL WORD FROM THE STATE DEPARTMENT OR NAVY.

SHE SAID SHE HAS "MADE ARRANGEMENTS" TO GO TO HONG KONG TO TRY TO OBTAIN HER HUSBAND'S RELEASE, LEAVING THEIR TWO CHILDREN WITH HER MOTHER, MRS. W. M. MARTIN, AT CHARLESTON, W. VA.

MRS. SMITH, 33, DECLINED TO SAY WHAT THE ARRANGEMENTS WERE. SHE HAS MADE REPEATED APPEALS TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND NAVY TO NEGOTIATE FOR HER HUSBAND'S RELEASE.

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B70WX Q (TEXT)

WASHINGTON,MAY 8-(AP)-THE TEXT OF A CHINESE COMMUNIST BROADCAST ANNOUNCING THE RELEASE OF TWO UNITED STATES NAVY AIRMEN, AS PICKED UP BY A GOVERNOR MONITOR: (ABOUT 700)

PEIPING--GEN.HSU SHIH-YUH, COMMANDER OF THE SHANTUNG MILITARY DISTRICT OF THE PEOPLES LIBERATION ARMY OF THE PEOPLES REPUBLIC OF CHINA, MADE THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT ON THE RELEASE OF THE TWO U.S. ARIMEN WHO HAVE BEEN HELD PRISONER HERE FOR SOME TIME:

A PLANE OF THE U.S. NAVY WHICH INVADED THE AIR OF OUR COUNTRY LANDED NEAR TAYEN CHIA VILLAGE IN LUNGSHAN DISTRICT OF HAIYANG COUNTY IN KIAOTUNG PENINSULA AT ABOUT 12:30 A.M. OCT. 19, 1948. THE PLANE AND TWO AIRMEN, E.C.BENDER AND W.C.SMITH, WERE TAKEN PRISONER. THE HEADQUARTERS OF THE SHANTUNG MILITARY DISTRICT PEOPLES LIBERATION ARMY IMMEDIATELY EXAMINED THE CAPTURED PLANE AND ITS CREW. IT WAS DISCOVERED THAT THE PLANE WAS AN L-5 CRAFT WITH MARKINGS OYO 2767, A TYPE WHICH COULD BE USED FOR RECONNOITERING PURPOSES CARRYING CHARTS AND VARIOUS MILITARY MAPS OF THE NO. 44 FIELD SURVEY TEAM OF THE U.S. ESPIONAGE ORGANIZATION (EXTERNAL SERVICE DEPARTMENT--NCNA). AT THE SAME TIME IT WAS ALSO DISCOVERED THAT E.C.BENDER AND W.C.SMITH WERE IN ACTIVE SERVICE IN THE U.S. ARMED FORCES. A DECISION WAS THEREFORE MADE TO DETAIN THE PLANE AND TO HOLD THE CREW IN CUSTODY AS PRISONERS OF WAR. HOWEVER, E.C.BENDER AND W.C.SMITH FIRMLY REFUSED TO REVEAL THE MOTIVE AND MISSION OF THIS UNLAWFUL FLIGHT. IT WAS NOT UNTIL LATELY THAT BENDER AND SMITH, INFLUENCED BY OUR MAGNANIMOUS POLICY TOWARD PRISONERS BEGAN TO CONFESS AND STATED THAT THE OBJECTIVE OF THE FLIGHT WAS TO RECONNOITER THE RAILWAYS BECAUSE THERE WAS A REPORT AT THAT TIME TO THE EFFECT THAT THERE WERE ACTIVITIES ALONG

THE RAILWAYS OF LIBERATED AREAS. AT THE SAME TIME THE FLIGHT WAS TO DISCOVER WHAT CONSTRUCTIONAL PROJECTS WERE UNDER WAY IN LAIYANG BECAUSE THEY HAD A REPORT SAYING THAT THE PEOPLES LIBERATION ARMY WAS MAINTAINING GREAT NUMBERS OF TROOPS THERE. BENDER ALSO ADMITTED THAT "MAJOR LANTZ TOLD ME WHERE I MUST AND HIS (WORD UNREADABLE). AND THAT SMITH'S JOB WAS TO RECONNOITER CONSTRUCTIONAL PROJECTS ALONG THE ROUTE TAKEN BY US."

THEIR CONFESSIONS SAID FURTHER THAT THE ROUTE TO BE TAKEN BY THE PLANE WAS: TAKE OFF FROM CHANGKOW AIR FIELD NEAR TSINGTAO RECONNOITER ALONG RAILWAYS, THEN HEAD FOR LAIYANG TO RECONNOITER MILITARY CONSTRUCTIONAL WORKS AND THEN TURN BACK TO CHANGKOW BUT ON THEIR WAY THE PLANE LANDED IN HAIYANG COUNTY. THE ABOVE FACTS AND CONFESSION PROVE THAT THE AIM OF THIS U.S. IMPERIALIST AIRPLANE FLIGHT WAS TO INVADE OUR TERRITORIAL AIR AND WITH THE PURPOSE OF CARRYING OUT PLANNED

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MILITARY RECONNAISSANCE TO HELP THE ANTI-COLONIAL WAR OF THE KUOMINTANG BRIGANDS. ON THE BASIS OF THE ABOVE FACTS THE SHANTUNG MILITARY HEADQUARTERS HAS DECIDED TO CONFISCATE THE AIRPLANE WHICH INTRUDED INTO CHINESE TERRITORIAL AIR FOR CONDUCTING MILITARY RECONNAISSANCE. SINCE BENDER AND SMITH HAVE CONFESSED THEIR REPENTANCE THEY ARE BEING RELEASED AND DEPORTED IN LINE WITH THE POLICY OF THE CHINESE PEOPLES LIBERATION ARMY TOWARD PRISONERS. FACTS HAVE REVEALED THAT THE AMERICAN IMPERIALISTS HAVE REPEATEDLY COMMITTED CRIMINAL ACTIONS IN HELPING THE KUOMINTANG GANG BY DISPATCH OF THEIR MILITARY PERSONNEL IN AIRPLANES TO INTRUDE INTO CHINESE TERRITORIAL AIR AND SPY ON MILITARY MOVEMENTS OF THE PEOPLES LIBERATION ARMY. ON APRIL 5, 1948, AN AMERICAN PLANE WITH FOUR AMERICAN MILITARY PERSONNEL WAS CAPTURED BY THE PEOPLES LIBERATIONG ARMY AT HUNG SHIH YA OF CHIAOHSIEN ABOUT 80 KILOMETERS NORTHWEST OF CHANGKOW. SUBSEQUENTLY ON JUNE 29 OF LAST YEAR OSCAR C.BADGER, THEN COMMANDER OF THE U.S. WESTERN PACIFIC FLEET, ADMITTED THEIR MISTAKES IN A PERSONAL LETTER AND GUARANTEED THAT NO SIMILAR OCCURRENCE WOULD HAPPEN AGAIN. THE CAPTURED AMERICAN PERSONNEL WAS THEN RELEASED. SUCH CRIMINAL ACTIONS OF THE AMERICAN IMPERIALISTS IN ENCROACHING UPON THE SOVEREIGH RIGHTS OF CHINA AND AIDING THE KUOMINTANG GANG TO CONDUCT WAR AGAINST THE CHINESE PEOPLE HAVE LONG BEEN DETESTED BY PEOPLE THROUGHOUT CHINA. ANY SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITY OF THE AMERICAN IMPERIALISTS ENCROACHING UPON THE SACRED SOVEREIGN RIGHTS OF CHINA WILL BE DEALT WITH RUTHLESSLY BY THE CHINESE PEOPLE.

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CINCINNATI,MAY 8-(AP)-MRS.EDNA BENDER SAID TODAY SHE HAD RECEIVED NO OFFICIAL WORD THAT HER SON, MASTER SGT.ELMER BENDER HAD BEEN RELEASED BY CHINESE COMMUNISTS.

MRS.BENDER SAID THE ONLY WORD SHE HAD WAS A LOCAL RADIO STATION REPORT THAT HER SON, HELD PRISONER BY THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS SINCE 1948, HAD BEEN FREED.

"I HOPE IT'S TRUE," SHE SAID, "BUT I HAVE HAD NO WORD FROM THE STATE DEPARTMENT."

IN WASHINGTON, STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS SAID THEY ALSO HAD NO OFFICIAL WORD OF THE RELEASE OF BENDER AND WILLIAM C.SMITH OF LONG BEACH, CALIF., A NAVY ELECTRICIAN.

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(180)
TOKYO, MAY 8-(AP)-PFC. DANIEL N.STOECKER, 19, "DIED" FIVE TIMES LAST WEEK BUT IS STILL ALIVE.

THE PHILLIPS, WIS., SOLDIER OWES HIS LIFE TO A COMBINATION OF LUCK AND SURGICAL SKILL.

HE WAS ADMITTED SATURDAY TO TOKYO GENERAL HOSPITAL WITH A KNIFE WOUND IN HIS HEART. DOCTORS COULD FIND NO PULSE AND NO BLOOD PRESSURE.

COL.N.W.ANDERSON, CHIEF SURGEON, BEGAN TO OPERATE. ANDERSON SAID HE DISCOVERED AN INCH LONG WOUND IN THE RIGHT AURICLE, THE CHAMBER THAT RECEIVES BLOOD FROM THE VEINS. SEVERAL QUARTS OF THE BLOOD HAD DRAINED INTO THE CHEST CAVITY.

EACH TIME HE TOOK A STITCH TO CLOSE THE WOUND, ANDERSON SAID, STOECKER'S HEART STOPPED BEATING. EACH TIME THE DOCTOR GENTLY MASSAGED THE HEART FIVE MINUTES UNTIL IT RESUMED BEATING. THAT HAPPENED FOUR TIMES.

"WHEN THE STITCHING WAS ALL DONE," ANDERSON SAID, "THE BOY'S HEART STOPPED AGAIN. IT ONLY RESUMED NORMAL PULSATIONS AFTER 15 MINUTES OF MASSAGE."

FOUR QUARTS OF BLOOD PLASMA WERE GIVEN.

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HOSPITAL AUTHORITIES SAID STOECKER'S CONDITION TODAY WAS "VERY GOOD." HE STILL WAS IN AN OXYGEN TENT BUT SHOWED GOOD APPETITE AND HEALTHY COLOR.

DETAILS OF THE STABBING WERE NOT REPORTED.

ARMY AUTHORITIES SAID STOECKER WAS STABBED BY PVT.ROBERT K. SMITH OF RICHMOND, IND. THEY SAID BOTH MEN STATED THEY WERE "JUST PLAYING." ARMY INVESTIGATORS ARE STUDYING THE CASE.

ASSISTING IN THE OPERATION WERE MAJ.WALTER TWINEHAM, WASHINGTON; CAPT.MAX J.FISCHER, 2737 DEVONSHIRE PLACE, WASHINGTON; LT.WILLIAM COLLINS, 181 HOWARD AVE., NEW HAVEN, CONN.; CAPT.VIRGINIA FOORS, 15 SPRING STREET, EVERETT, PA., AND CAPT.ELIZABETH CARVILLE, 325 MONROE RD., MARION, PA.

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B29KX Q
OSAKA,JAPAN,MAY 8-(AP)-AUTOPSIES WERE BEING PERFORMED TODAY ON TWO U.S. INFANTRYMEN WHO DIED AFTER BEING FOUND UNCONSCIOUS IN THEIR QUARTERS THURSDAY.

THEY WERE PFC JOHN L.USHROY, 19, OF 1128 CHESTER ST., CINCINNATI, AND PFC.WESLEY E.IVY, 23, OF 1937 W.MAYPOLE AVE., CHICAGO.

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B30KX (Q)
SAPPORO,JAPAN,MAY 8-(AP)-TWO U.S. ARMY PRIVATES HAVE BEEN SENTENCED TO 20 YEARS EACH IN PRISON FOR KILLING A JAPANESE LAST FEBRUARY.

THEY ARE PVT.BEALE W.H.CUSTER OF 1921 WILDWOOD AVE., BALTIMORE, AND PVT.RALH D.ERVIN, 19, OF WOLF ISLAND, MO. BOTH WERE FOUND GUILTY BY COURTS MARTIAL OF LARCENY AND UNPREMEDITATED MURDER.

TESTIMONY SHOWED THE VICTIM, KOM MATAICHI, DIED THREE DAYS AFTER BEING BEATEN AND ROBBED.

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B45KX (Q IN)
APW (110)

MANILA,MAY 8 (AP)-PRESIDENT QUIRINO TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE TODAY A SUBSTANTIAL MAJORITY OF THE COUNTRIES OF SOUTHEAST ASIA WILL PARTICIPATE IN A CONFERENCE AT BAGUIO STARTING MAY 26.

THE PRESIDENT PREDICTED THE CONFERENCE "WILL BE A SUCCESS." SHE SAID CARLOS P.ROMULO, UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY PRESIDENT, WOULD HEAD THE PHILIPPINES DELEGATION.

QUIRINO SAID EACH COUNTRY PARTICIPATING HAD BEEN INVITED TO SUBMIT SUGGESTIONS FOR THE AGENDA, WHICH HE SAID WOULD NOT BE PREPARED UNTIL "A COMPLETE OUTLINE OF THE SUBJECTS TO BE DISCUSSED" HAS BEEN PREPARED.

THE PRESIDENT PREVIOUSLY ANNOUNCED THE CONFERENCE WOULD DISCUSS CULTURAL, POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC PROBLEMS COMMON TO THE PARTICIPATING NATIONS.

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SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA, MAY 8-(AP)-ADM. A.W. RADFORD, COMMANDER OF THE U.S. PACIFIC FLEET, TOLD REPORTERS TODAY THE GROWTH OF COMMUNISM IN SOUTHEAST ASIA HAS "MADE THE DEFENSE POSITION MORE DIFFICULT FROM A NAVAL POINT OF VIEW."

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RADFORD DISMISSED THE POSSIBILITY OF "ANOTHER PEARL HARBOR" ATTACK, HOWEVER. THIS TIME THE U.S. NAVY IS ON ITS TOES, HE DECLARED.

THE ADMIRAL SAID THAT IF ANOTHER WAR CAME HE DID NOT THINK THE U.S. WOULD REGARD AUSTRALIA AS WITHIN HER DEFENSE ZONE. HE ADDED HOWEVER, THAT "COOPERATION BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES WOULD BE HIGHLY DESIRABLE."

RADFORD IS IN AUSTRALIA AS A GUEST OF THE COMMONWEALTH GOVERNMENT.

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B28 (170-Q)
NIGHT LEAD INDONESIAN

JAKARTA, JAVA, U.S.I., MAY 8-(AP)-PREMIER MOHAMED HATTA INDICATED TODAY THAT THE FEDERATION OF THE UNITED STATES OF INDONESIA WILL BE REPLACED BY A SINGLE REPUBLIC.

SOME CABINET CHANGES MAY BE MADE AND THE FEDERAL CONSTITUTION ALTERED ALONG THE MORE REVOLUTIONARY LINES OF THE CHARTER OF THE INDONESIAN REPUBLIC WHICH LED THE FIGHT AGAINST THE DUTCH.

IN A BROADCAST HATTA SAID THE "UNITARIAN STATE WILL COME. THERE IS NO ONE LEFT WHO DISAGREES WITH ITS PRINCIPLE."

AT THE INAUGURATION OF INDEPENDENCE FIVE MONTHS AGO, THE U.S.I. CONSISTED OF THE INDONESIAN REPUBLIC AND 15 SISTER STATES. THE INDONESIAN REPUBLIC HAS DOMINATED AND ABSORBED THE OTHER STATES, HOWEVER, UNTIL ONLY EAST SUMATRA, EAST INDONESIA AND FOUR LESSER STATES IN BORNEO RETAIN THEIR INDEPENDENCE WITHIN THE FEDERATION.

EAST INDONESIA'S PREMIER DIAPARI AND MOST MEMBERS OF HIS CABINET WERE ARRESTED LAST WEEK BY MILITARY POLICE OF THE CENTRAL GOVERNMENT ON THE SUSPICION THAT THEY APPROVED THE RECENT UPRISING IN MAKASSAR, EAST INDONESIAN CAPITAL, BY INDONESIAN TROOPS WHO REBELLED AGAINST BEING INCORPORATED INTO THE NEW FEDERAL ARMY.

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BY KENNETH LIKES

BATAVIA, JAVA, U.S.I., MAY 8-(AP)-PREMIER MOHAMED HATTA PROMISED INDONESIANS TODAY THAT A SINGLE REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA EVENTUALLY WILL BE FORGED FROM THE 16 SEPARATE STATES MAKING UP THE FEDERATION KNOWN AS THE UNITED STATES OF INDONESIA.

IN AN ADDRESS PREPARED FOR BROADCAST OVER THE ISLANDS' RADIO NETWORK, THE PREMIER URGED THE COUNTRY'S 80,000,000 PEOPLE TO BE PATIENT AND LET THE CENTRAL GOVERNMENT REORGANIZE THE SYSTEM IN A WAY WHICH WILL AVOID ANARCHY AND PROTECT THE PRESTIGE OF THIS FIVE-MONTHS-OLD NATION IN THE WORLD.

ALL THE STATES OF INDONESIA EXCEPT EAST SUMATRA AND EAST INDONESIA ALREADY HAVE JOINED THE INDONESIAN REPUBLIC, THE PRIVOTAL STATE. THE ONLY OTHER TERRITORY IN THE ISLANDS REMAINING OUT OF THE PICTURE IS THE AUTONOMOUS AREA OF WEST BORNEO.

"A UNITARIAN STATE WILL COME," HATTA SAID. "THERE IS NO ONE LEFT WHO DISAGREES WITH ITS PRINCIPLE. BOTH THE GOVERNMENTS OF EAST INDONESIA AND EAST SUMATRA HAVE AGREED TO THE CREATIOON OF A UNITARIAN STATE. IT ONLY REMAINS FOR US TO DISCUSS THE BEST POSSIBLE METHOD OF IMPLEMENTING THIS STATE AND TO GUARD THE UNITY OF OUR NATION AND THE PRESTIGE OF OUR COUNTRY IN VIEW OF THE INTERNATIONAL RECOGNITION OF THE U.S.I.

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"WE WILL SET UP A REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA ALONG LINES LAID DOWN IN THE INDEPENDENCE PROCLAMATION OF AUG. 17, 1945."

THAT PROCLAMATION, AFTER THE JAPANESE SURRENDERED AND BEFORE THE DUTCH RETURNED, SET UP THE REPUBLIC IN JAVA AND SUMATRA, WITH ITS CAPITAL AT JOGJAKARTA. IT BATTLED THE DUTCH FOR FOUR YEARS, AND, AFTER INDEPENDENCE WAS ACHIEVED UNDER THE DUTCH CROWN, IT ABSORBED ITS SISTER STATES, SOME OF THEM SET UP BY THE DUTCH AND BRANDED "PUPPETS" BY THE REPUBLIC.

HATTA'S STATEMENT INDICATED THE U.S.I. CONSTITUTION MIGHT BE ALTERED ALONG THE MORE REVOLUTIONARY LINES OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE INDONESIAN REPUBLIC. TOP GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS ARE LIKELY TO KEEP THEIR POSTS BUT SOME CABINET SHIFTS ARE IN PROSPECT. PRESIDENT SOEKARNO HAS MAINTAINED A DUAL ROLE AS HEAD OF BOTH THE REPUBLIC AND THE U.S.I.

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HATTA ANNOUNCED THAT A NEW CABINET HAS BEEN FORMED IN THE STATE OF EAST INDONESIA AND ASKED THE PEOPLE THERE TO SUPPORT IT. THIS CABINET IS FAVORABLE TO JOINING THE REPUBLIC. HATTA SAID THE PROCLAMATIONS IN EAST INDONESIA IN FAVOR OF DISSOLVING THE STATE "ARE CONSIDERED BY THE CENTRAL GOVERNMENT AS EXPRESSIONS OF THE POPULAR DESIRE OF THOSE AREAS."

MOST MEMBERS OF THE FORMER CABINET, INCLUDING PREMIER DIAPARI, WERE ARRESTED LAST WEEK BY MILITARY POLICE OF THE CENTRAL GOVERNMENT ON SUSPICION OF BEING INVOLVED IN THE RECENT UPRISING AT MAKASSAR. THESE OFFICIALS DID NOT FAVOR THE OCCUPATION OF MAKASSAR BY CENTRAL GOVERNMENT'S TROOPS, BUT THEY DENIED BACKING REBELS IN AN ATTEMPT TO OPPOSE A GOVERNMENT LANDING.

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NEW DELHI, INDIA, MAY 8-(AP)-POLICE DROPPED TODAY ASSAULT CHARGES BROUGHT AGAINST J.K.EDWARDS, BEARDED YOUNG CALCUTTA BUSINESSMAN WHO DOUSED ICE WATER OVER THE HEAD OF ARGENTINE AMBASSADOR OSCAR TASCHERET IN THE HOTEL IMPERIAL TAVERN FRIDAY NIGHT.

GUESTS AT THE TAVERN GAVE THIS ACCOUNT:

EDWARDS WALKED OVER TO THE AMBASSADOR'S TABLE AND ASKED HIM TO BE QUIET. MEMBERS OF TASCHERET'S PARTY HAD VIRTUALLY HALTED A FLOOR SHOW WITH WHISTLING AND LOUD LAUGHTER.

TASCHERET REPLIED TO EDWARDS' REQUEST WITH A LOUD WHISTLE. EDWARDS DUMPED THE PITCHER OF ICE WATER OVER THE AMBASSADOR'S HEAD, THEN STARTED BACK TO HIS TABLE TO REJOIN A YOUNG WOMAN COMPANION. TASCHERET THREW ANOTHER PITCHER AT EDWARDS, WHO TOSSED IT BACK. THERE WERE CONFLICTING ACCOUNTS OVER WHETHER THE PITCHER HIT TASCHERET.

EDWARDS SAID HE APOLOGIZED IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE INCIDENT WHEN HE LEARNED THE AMBASSADOR'S IDENTITY, BUT TASCHERET INSISTED THAT "I AM THE ARGENTINE AMBASSADOR AND YOU WILL GO TO JAIL."

EDWARDS SAID HE WAS INFORMED BY POLICE THAT THEY HAD NO CASE AGAINST HIM DESPITE TASCHERET'S CLAIM HE WAS ATTACKED AND HIS DEMAND THAT BOTH EDWARDS AND HIS YOUNG WOMAN COMPANION BE JAILED.

TASCHERET DECLINED TO SAY WHETHER HE PLANNED ANY COURT ACTION AGAINST EDWARDS. THE AMBASSADOR SAID HE HAD REFERRED THE CASE TO THE INDIAN FOREIGN MINISTRY.

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TEHRAN, IRAN, MAY 8-(AP)-THE BODY OF REZA SHAH PAHLAVI, IRAN'S RULER WHO WAS FORCED TO ABDICATE IN 1941 BECAUSE HE WAS PRO-GERMAN, WAS BROUGHT BACK FROM EXILE YESTERDAY AND BURIED WITH MOSLEM PAGEANTRY.

A SALUTE FROM 101 GUNS ECHOED OVER TEHRAN AS THE FUNERAL TRAIN ENTERED THE CITY. THE REIGNING SHAH MOHAMMED REZA, SON OF THE EXILED RULER, WEPT ON HIS FATHER'S COFFIN AS 200,000 MOURNERS GATHERED UNDER DRIZZLING SKIES FOR THE MOSLEM SERVICES.

REZA DIED IN 1943 IN SOUTH AFRICA.

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD COMMUNISTS

BY ROGER D.GREENE

WASHINGTON, MAY 8-(AP)-REPUBLICAN SENATOR MCCARTHY SAID TODAY THAT "SPRING HOUSECLEANING" IS GOING ON IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S LOYALTY FILES IN THE CASES OF 81 PERSONS HE HAS CITED AS COMMUNISTS OR RED SYMPATHIZERS.

MCCARTHY MADE THE STATEMENT THROUGH HIS OFFICE ON CAPITOL HILL IN COMMENTING ON AN ANNOUNCEMENT THAT SENATE INVESTIGATORS HAD CALLED OFF A SCHEDULED MEETING TO INSPECT THE LOYALTY RECORDS BECAUSE THEY HAD NOT YET BEEN RECEIVED.

"I'M NOT SURPRISED," THE WISCONSIN SENATOR SAID. "I KNEW THEY HAD NOT YET FINISHED THEIR SPRING HOUSECLEANING OF THE FILES."

PRESIDENT TRUMAN DIRECTED LAST WEEK THAT THE FILES BE MADE AVAILABL TO A SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE HEADED BY CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD).

TYDINGS TOLD NEWSMEN LATE TODAY HE HOPES HIS COMMITTEE WILL GET A LOOK AT THE FILES TOMORROW.

"I UNDERSTAND THEY ARE BEING ASSEMBLED AND THAT I WILL BE ADVISED VERY SHORTLY OF THE PLACE AND TIME THEY ARE AVAILABLE," TYDINGS SAID.

HE SAID HE HAD URGED DEPUTY UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE JOHN PEURIFOY TO "FACILITATE" PUTTING THE FILES AT THE COMMITTEE'S DISPOSAL.

ON THE SENATE FLOOR, SENATOR FLANDERS (R-VT) ASKED THE CHAMBER TO BAN FURTHER OPEN HEARINGS IN THE INVESTIGATION OF MCCARTHY'S CHARGES TO PREVENT "MUCH HARM" AT HOME AND ABROAD.

FLANDERS DECLARED THAT THE PRESENT METHOD OF CONDUCTING THE INQUIRY-WITH NUMEROUS WITNESSES PUBLICLY AIRING BITTER CHARGES AND COUNTER CHARGES--IS "CAUSING ASTONISHMENT AND UNCERTAINTY IN OUR RELATIONS ABROAD."

IT IS ALSO SHAKING THE MORALE OF "ABLE AND CONSCIENTIOUS PUBLIC SERVANTS" IN THIS COUNTRY, HE SAID.

BUT FLANDERS CAUTIONED AGAINST "ANY SUSPICION OF A WHITEWASH" IN THE PROBE OF CHARGES BY HIS GOP COLLEAGUE, SENATOR MCCARTHY OF WISCONSIN, AND SAID THE SENATE INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE SHOULD BE GIVEN ACCESS TO ALL PERTINENT INFORMATION.

THE VERMONT SENATOR INTRODUCED A RESOLUTION WHICH WOULD ORDER CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD) TO CONDUCT HEARINGS BEHIND CLOSED DOORS.

IN ADDITION, IT WOULD INSTRUCT THE COMMITTEE TO STUDY THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S CURRENT METHODS OF CHECKING ON THE LOYALTY OF EMPLOYES AND TO MAKE "CONSTRUCTIVE" RECOMMENDATIONS FOR ANY CHANGES DEEMED NECESSARY.

A TWO-MAN SUBCOMMITTEE OF THE TYDINGS GROUP, COMPRISED OF SENATORS GREEN (D-RI) AND LODGE (R-MASS), HELD A PRIVATE MEETING TODAY TO DISCUSS THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S LOYALTY POLICING METHODS, A TASK TO WHICH THEY HAVE BEEN ASSIGNED.

FLANDERS TOLD THE SENATE HE WAS "DISTURBED TO LEARN HOW CLOSE WAS THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE OFFICIAL PARTY LINE OF THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS AND THE ATTITUDE AND ACTIONS OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT WITH REFERENCE TO CHINA.

"WE ALL REALIZE THERE WAS NO EASY ANSWER TO THE CHINESE SITUATION,' HE CONTINUED. "MANY OF US BELIEVE THAT THE COURSES ACTIVELY TAKEN HAVE NOT BEEN JUSTIFIED BY THE EVENTS, AND THAT THE DOUBTS AND FEARS WE HAVE FELT FOR SOME YEARS PAST HAVE BEEN JUSTIFIED BY THE EVENTS."

SENATOR MCCARTHY HAS CHARGED THAT OWEN LATTIMORE, AN OCCASIONAL STATE DEPARTMENT ADVISER ON FAR EAST AFFAIRS, WAS THE CHIEF ARTHITECT OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S CHINA POLICY. HE HAS NAMED LATTIMORE AS RUSSIA'S NO.1 SPY IN THE UNITED STATES. LATTIMORE HAS DENOUNCED MCCARTHY AS A CONTEMPTIBLE LIAR AND SAID THE CHINA POLICY IGNORED HIS RECOMMENDATIONS.

FLANDERS SAID IT WOULD BE "MOST UNFORTUNATE" IF CONSTRUCTIVE ACTION DID NOT COME OUT OF THE INVESTIGATION AND IF NOTHING DEVELOPED BUT A CROSS-FIRE OF "POLITICAL" ABUSE.

MEANWHILE, THE TYDINGS COMMITTEE CALLED OFF A CLOSED-DOOR MEETING SCHEDULED FOR THIS MORNING TO INSPECT STATE DEPARTMENT LOYALTY FILES ON 81 PERSONS NAMED BY MCCARTHY AS COMMUNISTS OR FELLOW TRAVELERS.

TYDINGS' OFFICE SAID THE BULKY FILES, MADE AVAILABLE BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN IN REVERSAL OF HIS EARLIER STAND, WERE NOT READY.

THERE WAS NO IMMEDIATE EXPLANATION FOR THE DELAY AND COMMITTEE AIDES WITHHELD COMMENT ON MCCARTHY'S CHARGE YESTERDAY THAT ONE OF THE FILES--INVOLVING HIS "CASE NO.2"--HAS BEEN "RAPED." THE WISCONSIN SENATOR HAS CONTENDED THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S FILES, UNLIKE THOSE OF THE FBI, ARE SET UP IN SUCH A WAY THAT THEY CAN EASILY BE TAMPERED WITH.

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MCCARTHY TOLD THE FEDERATION OF YOUNG REPUBLICANS IN A SPEECH AT JANESVILLE, WIS., YESTERDAY THAT HIS SECOND MOST IMPORTANT CASE WAS "A UNITED STATES MINISTER TO A FOREIGN COUNTRY."

LATER, HE TOLD NEWSMEN THAT THE MAN WAS A "FOREIGN AGENT."

MCCARTHY SAID THE ALLEGED AGENT WOULD BE "FIRED IMMEDIATELY" IF MATERIAL NOW MISSING FROM THE MAN'S FILE WERE PROVIDED BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT. HE DID NOT IDENTIFY THE MAN.

AT THE STATE DEPARTMENT, OFFICIALS DECLINED TO COMMENT ON MCCARTHY'S STORY. THE DEPARTMENT HAS CONTENDED THERE ARE NO SUBVERSIVES ON ITS PAYROLL.

IN A SENATE SPEECH ON FEB.20, MCCARTHY DESCRIBED HIS NO.2 CASE AS ONE OF THE "BIG THREE" AMONG HIS LIST OF 81 SUSPECTS WITHOUT NAMING HIM, AND DECLARED:

"WHILE THERE ARE VAST NUMBERS OF OTHER COMMUNISTS WITH WHOM WE MUST BE CONCERNED, IF WE CAN GET RID OF THOSE BIG THREE WE WILL HAVE DONE SOMETHING TO BREAK THE BACK OF THE ESPIONAGE RING WITHIN THE STATE DEPARTMENT."

MCCARTHY SAID IN THE FEB.20 SPEECH THAT "A MAJOR PORTION" OF CASE NO.2'S FILE WAS REMOVED.

MCCARTHY HAS GIVEN THE NAME OF HIS NO.2 CASE TO THE TYDINGS COMMITTEE PRIVATELY ALONG WITH THE REST OF THE 81.

ON THE OTHER SIDE OF CAPITAL HILL, THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE MARKED TIME WHEN A SCHEDULED WITNESS DID NOT SHOW UP TO TESTIFY IN THE INVESTIGATION ON WILLIAM W.REMINGTON, A COMMERCE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL.

TWO WITNESSES WHO SAID THEY ARE EX- COMMUNISTS HAVE SWORN UNDER OATH THAT REMINGTON WAS A COMMUNIST PARTY MEMBERS IN 1936-37. REMINGTON HAS DENIED IT.

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(ADVANCE TO BE HELD FOR RELEASE EXPECTED ABOUT 11:30 A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY MONDAY MAY 8)

ECA

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, MAY 8-(AP)-THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION (ECA) SAID TODAY THAT UNLESS THE UNITED STATES TAKES "EXTRAORDINARY ACTION" WESTERN EUROPE MAY NEVER EARN ENOUGH DOLLARS TO BE INDEPENDENT OF U.S. AID.

MARSHALL PLAN NATIONS TRYING TO SELL GOODS IN THIS COUNTRY, THE RECOVERY AGENCY SAID, "ARE STILL MEETING FORMIDABLE OBSTACLES IN THE FORM OF COMPETITION FROM AMERICAN PRODUCERS IN THE U.S., HIGH TARIFFS, AND ADMINISTRATIVE HINDRANCES TO IMPORTS."

THESE BARRIERS, ECA ADDED, MAY BE "SO FORMIDABLE AS TO SET PRACTICAL LIMITS ON THE ABILITY OF THE EUROPEAN COUNTRIES TO ENLARGE THEIR DOLLAR EARNINGS.

"THOSE LIMITS MAY WELL MAKE IT IMPOSSIBLE FOR EUROPEANS TO ATTAIN THE VOLUME OF EXPORTS NECESSARY TO MAINTAIN ESSENTIAL IMPORTS AND TO BRIDGE THE DOLLAR GAP TO THE POINT OF BECOMING INDEPENDENT OF UNITED STATES AID."

THE AGENCY OUTLINED THIS SITUATION IN A REPORT TO CONGRESS COVERING THE LAST THREE MONTHS OF 1949. IT WAS SUBMITTED BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN WITH A BRIEF, ROUTINE MESSAGE.

THE REPORT SUMMARIZED VARIOUS STEPS BEING TAKEN BY EUROPEAN COUNTRIES TO DEAL WITH THEIR EXPORT PROBLEMS.

"ALL THESE MEASURES," IT SAID, "ARE EXTRAORDINARY IN THAT THEY REQUIRE ACTIVE GOVERNMENT INTERVENTION TO FAVOR EXPORTERS WHO WISH TO COMPETE IN THE AMERICAN MARKET.

"THE DOLLAR GAP, HOWEVER, WILL NOT BE REDUCED WITHOUT EXTRAORDINARY ACTION BY THE UNITED STATES AS WELL."

THE REPORT ALSO DEALTH WITH TRADE BARRIERS STILL EXISTING BETWEEN THE MARSHALL PLAN COUNTRIES THEMSELVES.

IT SAID REVIVAL OF INDUSTRIAL AND AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION AND EASING OF PAYMENTS PROBLEMS HAS CREATED A "FAVORABLE ECONOMIC ATMOSPHERE" FOR FURTHER REDUCING THESE BARRIERS AND RESTORING MORE COMPETITIVE MARKETS.

BY THE END OF 1949, THE ECA COUNTRIES HAD REMOVED QUOTA RESTRICTIONS ON ITEMS REPRESENTING ABOUT 50 PER CENT OF THEIR 1948 IMPORTS ON PRIVATE ACCOUNT FROM OTHER COUNTRIES.

"THESE TRADE LIBERALIZATIONS, HOWEVER, ARE ONLY A BEGINNING," THE REPORT CONTINUED.

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"PROTECTIONIST CONSIDERATIONS HZVE LARGELY DETERMINED THE TYPES OF COMMODITIES PLACED ON THE FREE LIST AND HAVE LIMITED THE EXTENT WHICH THE GOVERNMENTS ARE CURRENTLY PREPARED TO GO IN REMOVING QUOTA RESTRICTIONS."

INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION REACHED A NEW HIGH IN WESTERN EUROPE IN THE LAST QUARTER OF 1949--20 PER CENT ABOVE THE PREWAR LEVEL.

BY THE END OF 1949, ECA HAD ALLOTED OVER $8,500,000,000 TO THE PARTICIPATING COUNTRIES. PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATIONS ISSUED FOR GOODS AND SERVICES WERE VALUED AT SLIGHTLY OVER $8,000,000,000.

THE ECA REPORTED THAT PUBLIC OPINION POLLS INDICATE A MAJORITY OF EUROPEANS IN MOST COUNTRIES FULLY APPROVE OF THE RECOVERY PROGRAM, AND ONLY A SMALL MINORITY IS OPPOSED. THE NUMBER OF PERSONS FAVORING IT "HAS RISEN STEADILY OVER THE PAST YEAR."

THE REPORT DEALT BRIEFLY WITH CHINA AND KOREA. IT SAID THE ECA PROGRAM CAME TO AN END ON THE CHINA MAINLAND BUT WAS CONTINUED ON FORMOSA.

OF THE CHINA AID APPROPRIATION OF $275,000,000, AN UNOBLIGATED BALANCE OF $90,800,000 REMAINED ON DEC. 31. UNUSED AUTHORIZATIONS AND PROCEEDS FROM GOODS DIVERTED FROM SHANGHAI MAY RAISE THIS TO $104,000,000.

THE TOTAL AUTHORIZATION FOR KOREA DURING 1949 WAS $71,000,000--MORE THAN $25,000,000 OF IT IN THE FINAL QUARTER. THE BULK OF THIS WILL FINANCE KOREA'S LEADING IMPORTS--FERTILIZER, FUEL, AND RAW COTTON.

(END ADVANCE TO BE HELD FOR RELEASE EXPECTED ABOUT 11:30 A.M., EST, TODAY, MONDAY, MAY 8)

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(270) NIGHT LEAD INDOCHINA

BY EDWARD E.BOMAR

WASHINGTON,MAY 8-(AP)-PROMPT AMERICAN AID FOR COMMUNIST-THREATENED INDOCHINA WHICH WAS PLEDGED TODAY AT PARIS BY SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON MAY MEAN A FUTURE ADMINISTRATION REQUEST TO CONGRESS FOR MORE FUNDS.

SUFFICIENT FUNDS ARE IN HAND FOR A START TOWARD BUILDING UP THE FORCES OF THE INDONESIAN STATES OF VIET NAM, LAOS AND CAMBODIA, AND FOR BACKING THE FRENCH. OFFICIALS INDICATED THAT THE PROBLEM OF FURTHER POSSIBLE OUTLAYS ALREADY IS UNDER CONSIDERATION.

DIPLOMATS FAMILIAR WITH THE AID POLICY ACHESON ANNOUNCED STRESSED, HOWEVER, THAT FRANCE WOULD BE EXPECTED TO CONTINUE TO BEAR THE MAJOR BURDEN AND RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE DEFENSE OF HER FORMER COLONY.

THE FRENCH HAVE ESTIMATED THIS BURDEN AT $500,000,000 A YEAR AND SOUGHT TO HAVE THE UNITED STATES SHOULDER A MAJOR PART OF THE COST AND TO SHARE THE RESPONSIBILITY.

AT THE MOMENT SOME $15,000,000 IS UNDERSTOOD TO BE EARMARKED FOR INDOCHINA FROM THE $75,000,000 WHICH PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS AT HIS DISPOSAL FOR MILITARY PURPOSES IN THE "GENERAL AREA" OF CHINA. FIRST SHIPMENTS ARE EXPECTED TO START SHORTLY.

IN ADDITION, CONGRESS HAS BEEN ASKED TO PERMIT THE USE OF SOME $60,000,000 OF UNEXPENDED ECA FUNDS IN INDOCHINA AND NEIGHBOR COUNTRIES OF SOUTHEAST ASIA DURING THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JULY 1.

MAJOR MILITARY ITEMS EXPECTED TO BE SENT FIRST ARE MOTOR TRUCKS, TRANSPORT AIRCRAFT AND COMMUNICATION AND OTHER TECHNICAL EQUIPMENT. FRANCE IS SUPPLYING WEAPONS BOTH TO THE 150,000-ODD FRENCH TROOPS ON THE SCENE AND THE EXPANDING LOCAL FORCES OF ABOUT 55,000 OR MORE INDOCHINESE TROOPS.

UNDER PRESENT PLANS, IF MR.TRUMAN'S SPECIAL FUND IS NOT ALL COMMITTED BY JUNE 30, CONGRESS MAY BE ASKED TO EXTEND ITS AVAILABILITY.

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(360) ASIA-ARMS

BY EDWARD E.BOMAR

WASHINGTON, MAY 8-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES IS REPORTED ABOUT READY TO BEGIN ITS LONG DELAYED ARMS AID PROGRAM FOR SOUTHEAST ASIA.

PLANS FOR EARLY ACTION WERE DISCUSSED LAST THURSDAY BY THE NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL, OF WHICH PRESIDENT TRUMAN IS CHAIRMAN. SOME OFFICIALS LOOK FOR A FORMAL STARTING SIGNAL IN THE NEXT FEW DAYS.

MEANTIME THE WHOLE ISSUE OF WESTERN BACKING FOR THE NON-COMMUNIST NATIONS OF ASIA IS EXPECTED TO BE REVIEWED AT THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS STRATEGY MEETING AT LONDON.

FOR MORE THAN SIX MONTHS MR.TRUMAN HAS HAD AT HIS DISPOSAL A $75,000,000 FUND VOTED BY CONGRESS LAST FALL TO ADVANCE AMERICAN INTERESTS IN THE "GENERAL AREA OF CHINA."

SOME OF THIS HAS BEEN EARMARKED FOR INDOCHINA, THAILAND AND INDONESIA, BUT ACTUAL SHIPMENTS HAVE BEEN HELD UP PENDING A DECISION ON THE BEST LINE OF ACTION FOLLOWING THE COMMUNIST SWEEP OF CHINA.

RESPONSIBLE OFFICIALS TOLD A REPORTER THERE HAS BEEN SOME DIFFERENCE OF OPINION ON THIS SUBJECT BETWEEN THE STATE AND DEFENSE DEPARTMENTS.

ONE MAJOR DIFFICULTY IS SAID TO HAVE BEEN THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S INSISTENCE THAT IT BE MADE PLAIN AMERICAN AID IS AIMED AT ADVANCING THE INDEPENDENCE OF ASIATIC PEOPLES, RATHER THAN THE INTERESTS OF EUROPEAN COLONIAL POWERS.

THIS HAS FIGURED IN A LENGTHY EXCHANGE OF VIEWS BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND FRANCE OVER THE MILITARY ASSISTANCE TO BE SUPPLIED TO INDOCHINA.

THE FRENCH STILL BEAR THE BURDEN OF DEFENDING THEIR FORMER COLONY EVEN AFTER GRANTING INDEPENDENCE "WITHIN THE FRENCH UNION" TO VIETNAM AND TWO OTHER NATIVE STATES. THEY THEREFORE HAVE RESISTED ANY AMERICAN SUGGESTIONS WHICH THEY CONTEND MIGHT FURTHER WEAKEN THEIR AUTHORITY.

FRANCE HAS DEMANDED SOLE CONTROL OF ANY MILITARY ASSISTANCE SUPPLIED INDOCHINA, AS LONG AS SHE REMAINS RESPONSIBLE FOR ITS DEFENSE AGAINST HO CHI MIN'S GUERRILLAS AND PRESSURE FROM COMMUNIST CHINA.

OF THE CHINA-AREA FUND, $15,000,000 IS UNDERSTOOD TO HAVE BEEN EARMARKED INITIALLY FOR INDOCHINA, $10,000,000 FOR THAILAND AND $5,000,000 FOR INDONESIA.

THESE ALLOTMENTS FOR MILITARY SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT WOULD BE SUPPLEMENTED BY ANY ECONOMIC AID FUNDS CONGRESS MAY APPROVE.

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HOOVER-CHINA

WASHINGTON, MAY 8-(AP)-HERBERT HOOVER SAYS THAT IF THE UNITED NATIONS IS EVER TO BE USEFUL TO HUMANITY "IT MUST FREE ITSELF OF COMMUNIST DOMINATION, NOT ADD TO IT."

THE FORMER PRESIDENT MADE THE STATEMENT IN FAVORING A POSITIVE DECLARATION THAT THE UNITED STATES "WILL NOT RECOGNIZE COMMUNIST CHINA AND THAT IT WILL OPPOSE ITS MEMBERSHIP IN THE UNITED NATIONS."

"I DO NOT ASSUME THERE IS ANY SUCH INTENTION (TO ACCEPT THE REDS) BUT IT IS CERTAIN THAT SUCH A DECLARATION WOULD CLEAR UP SOME OF THE FOG IN THESE QUESTIONS," HE WROTE SENATOR KNOWLAND (R-CALIF).

KNOWLAND HAD FORWARDED TO HOOVER A COPY OF A LETTER WHICH 35 SENATORS SENT PRESIDENT TRUMAN LAST WEEK ASKING FOR SUCH A DECLARATION. KNOWLAND RELEASED HOOVER'S COMMENTS YESTERDAY.

HOOVER PREVIOUSLY HAD COME OUT FOR A REORGANIZED U.N., MINUS RUSSIA AND HER SATELLITES. LAST THURSDAY, PRESIDENT TRUMAN OPPOSED THIS PROPOSAL, TELLING HIS NEWS CONFERENCE HE SUPPORTED THE U.N. AND THAT ON THE WHOLE IT WAS WORKING WELL.

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HOOVER WROTE KNOWLAND:

"CERTAINLY THE RECOGNITION OF THE MOSCOW SATELLITE GOVERNMENT IN CHINA WOULD BE A FURTHER SURRENDER IN THE COLD WAR WHICH GENERAL BRADLEY (GEN.OMAR BRADLEY, HEAD OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF) INTIMATES WE ARE LOSING. IT WOULD BE A FURTHER ACCEPTANCE OF THE SWEEP OF THE KREMLIN'S AGGRESSIVE MILITARISM, AGNOSTICISM AND RED IMPERIALISM. IT IS A SYSTEM OF IMMORALITY AND WITHOUT COMPASSION THAT WE CANNOT ACCEPT. IT WOULD PLANT ANOTHER NEST OF COMMUNIST PROPAGANDISTS AND AGENTS IN WASHINGTON AND IN EVERY CHINESE CONSULATE OVER THE COUNTRY. IT WOULD BETRAY MILLIONS OF CHINESE STILL STRUGGLING AGAINST A SLAVE STATE.

"THE ADMISSION OF COMMUNIST CHINA INTO THE UNITED NATIONS WITH THE SUPPORT OF THE UNITED STATES WOULD INEVITABLY RESULT IN ALL THE ABOVE EFFECTS. IN ADDITION IT WOULD ADD FURTHER TO THE ALREADY DOMINANTLY DESTRUCTIVE FORCES IN THE UNITED NATIONS.

"IF THE UNITED NATIONS IS EVER TO BE USEFUL TO THE HUMAN RACE IT MUST FREE ITSELF OF COMMUNIST DOMINATION--NOT ADD TO IT."

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(380) NIGHT LEAD ECA-HOFFMAN

WASHINGTON, MAY 8-(AP)-ECA CHIEF PAUL G.HOFFMAN SAID TODAY RUSSIA IS NOW CONDUCTING A "RUTHLESS PURGE" IN HER SATELLITE STATES AND DECLARED THAT UNREST IN THOSE SOVIET-SHADOWED COUNTRIES IS AT "A VERY HIGH PEAK."

"WE HOPE TO ENCOURAGE THE SATELLITES TO MAKE THEIR STRIKE FOR FREEDOM AT THE RIGHT TIME," HE SAID.

THE HEAD OF THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION REITERATED HIS RECENT PREDICTION THAT EVENTUALLY THE KREMLIN DICTATORSHIP WILL CRUMBLE LIKE THE HITLER AND MUSSOLINI REGIMES, AND HE SAID:

"ACCORDING TO ESTIMATES THERE ARE AT LEAST 15 MILLION PEOPLE IN (SOVIET) SLAVE LABOR CAMPS -- THAT IS ABOUT EIGHT PERCENT OF THE POPULATION -- AND IF EIGHT PERCENT OF THE POPULATION HAS TO BE PUT INTO SLAVE LABOR CAMPS TO KEEP THE PEACE. IT DOESN'T SPELL UNITY.

"THE SOVIETS ARE USING RUTHLESS POLICE METHODS IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA, POLAND, HUNGARY, ROMANIA AND BULGARIA TO KEEP THOSE COUNTRIES UNDER CONTROL."

HOFFMAN EXPRESSED HIS VIEWS IN A COPYRIGHT INTERVIEW PUBLISHED BY THE MAGAZINE U.S. NEWS AND WORLD REPORT.

ASKED WHETHER THE ECA PROGRAM CAN EVER BE REALLY TERMINATED, HOFFMAN REPLIED:

"ECA MUST BE WOUND UP ON SCHEDULE. I BELIEVE THAT ONCE WE ARE THROUGH WITH THE EUROPEAN RECOVERY PROGRAM, WE CAN CARRY ON THIS COLD WAR AGAINST RUSSIA EVERYWHERE IT CAN BE WAGED AT A COST OF BETWEEN $1,500,000,000 AND $3,000,000,000.

"THAT JOB CAN BE DONE THROUGHOUT THE WORLD, AFTER WE ONCE GET OUT OF EUROPE."

THE FOUR-YEAR EUROPEAN PROGRAM, WHICH IS COSTING U.S. TAXPAYERS SOME $14,000,000,000 OVER THE FIRST THREE YEARS, IS DUE TO EXPIRE IN 1952. PRESIDENT TRUMAN IS EXPECTED TO RECEIVE THE CONGRESSIONAL AUTHORIZATION LATE THIS WEEK ON AID FOR FISCAL 1951, STARTING JULY 1.

THE SENATE APPROVED THE MEASURE LAST FRIDAY AND SENATE-HOUSE CONFEREES ARE TO MEET IN THE NEXT DAY OR SO TO IRON OUT DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE SENATE AND HOUSE VERSIONS. THE HOUSE HAS ALREADY PASSED A SIMILAR BILL.

AN APPROPRIATION STILL MUST BE VOTED TO FINANCE THE PROGRAM.

CONCERNING POST-ECA PROSPECTS IN EUROPE, HOFFMAN SAID:

"WE ARE NOT SURE WHICH COUNTRIES WILL NEED CONTINUED HELP, AND WE HAVE BEEN VERY CAREFUL TO AVOID SPECIFIC COMMITMENT TO ANY COUNTRY. GREAT BRITAIN AND FRANCE KNOW THAT AS FAR AS THEY ARE CONCERNED, WE'RE THROUGH IN '52--AND THE SAME HOLDS TRUE OF NORWAY, PORTUGAL AND SWEDEN.

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"I THINK WE MAY HAVE TO KEEP ON IN TURKEY AND GREECE, WHICH ARE KEYS TO THE MEDITERRANEAN--YOU DON'T REALIZE, PERHAPS, HOW CLOSE THE MEDITERRANEAN CAME TO BEING A RUSSIAN LAKE."

MEANWHILE, AN ECA QUARTERLY REPORT TO CONGRESS SAID TODAY THAT UNLESS THE UNITED STATES TAKES "EXTRAORDINARY ACTION," WESTERN EUROPE MAY NEVER EARN ENOUGH DOLLARS TO BE INDEPENDENT OF AMERICAN AID.

THE AGENCY SAID MARSHALL PLAN NATIONS TRYING TO SELL GOODS IN THIS COUNTRY ARE "STILL MEETING FORMIDABLE OBSTACLES IN THE FORM OF COMPETITION FROM AMERICAN PRODUCERS IN THE U.S., HIGH TARIFFS AND ADMINISTRATIVE HINDRANCES TO IMPORTS."

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SCOTUS-CONTEMPT

WASHINGTON,MAY 8-(AP)-THE SUPREME COURT TODAY UPHELD CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS CONVICTIONS OF TWO MEMBERS OF THE JOINT ANTI-FASCIST REFUGEE COMMITTEE, LABELED SUBVERSIVE BY THE GOVERNMENT.

THE TWO, MISS HELEN R.BRYAN AND MRS.ERNESTINA G.FLEISCHMAN, WERE CHARGED WITH FAILURE TO PRODUCE RECORDS DEMANDED BY THE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE. EACH WAS SENTENCED TO THREE MONTHS' IMPRISONMENT AND FINED $500.

CHIEF JUSTICE VINSON DELIVERED TWO OPINIONS FOR THE MAJORITY--EACH WAS DECIDED SEPARATELY BY 5-2 VOTES.

JUSTICE BLACK WROTE DISSENTING OPINIONS IN BOTH CASES, WITH FRANKFURTER AGREEING. IN THE FLEISCHMAN CASE, JUSTICE FRANKFURTER WROTE A SEPARATE DISSENTING OPINION. IN THE BRYAN CASE, JUSTICE JACKSON WROTE A SEPARATE OPINION CONCURRING WITH THE MAJORITY. JUSTICES DOUGLAS AND CLARK TOOK NO PART IN THE CASES.

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MISS BRYAN IS EXECUTIVE SECRETARY, MRS.FLEISCHMAN A MEMBER OF THE REFUGEE COMMITTEE WHICH DESCRIBES ITSELF AS A HUMANITARIAN ORGANIZATION DEVOTED TO HELPING LOYALIST VICTIMS OF THE SPANISH CIVIL WAR.

BOTH REFUSED TO COMPLY WITH AN ORDER TO PRODUCE RECORDS AT A HOUSE COMMITTEE SESSION APRIL 4, 1946.

THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT TOLD THE SUPREME COURT THE HOUSE COMMITTEE HAD INFORMATION THE REFUGEE GROUP WAS EITHER A COMMUNIST OR A COMMUNIST-FRONT ORGANIZATION.

THE WOMEN WERE CONVICTED BY A JURY IN U.S. DISTRICT COURT HERE. LATER THE U.S. COURT OF APPEALS HERE SET ASIDE THE CONVICTIONS. THAT COURT SAID THE QUESTION OF WHETHER A QUORUM OF FIVE MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE COMMITTEE WAS PRESENT SHOULD HAVE BEEN SUBMITTED TO THE TRIAL JURY. THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT ASKED THE SUPREME COURT TO REINSTATE THE CONVICTIONS.

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FOR THE MAJORITY, VINSON SAID THIS WAS NOT REASON ENOUGH FOR THROWING OUT THE CONVICTIONS.

LAST YEAR THE HIGH TRIBUNAL REVERSED THE PERJURY CONVICTION OF LABOR LEADER HAROLD R.CHRISTOFFEL ON THE QUORUM ISSUE. IN HIS OPINIONS TODAY, VINSON SAID THE CHARGE OF PERJURY REQUIRES THAT A "COMPETENT TRIBUNAL" BE PRESENT WHEN A FALSE STATEMENT IS MADE. HE IMPLIED THAT SUCH IS NOT THE CASE IN A CONTEMPT ACTION.

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WASHINGTON, MAY 8-(AP)-REP. YOUNG (D-OHIO) SUGGESTED TODAY THAT A UNITED STATES WARSHIP MAY HAVE "ENGAGED A STRANGE SUBMARINE AND SUNK IT WITH DEPTH BOMBS."

ASKED ABOUT REP.YOUNG'S STATEMENT, A NAVY SPOKESMAN SAID THE NAVY HAS INVESTIGATED ALL REPORTS OF FOREIGN SUBMARINES IN COASTAL WATERS AND HAS YET TO CONFIRM THAT A SUBMARINE WAS ACTUALLY PRESENT IN ANY CASE.

THE SPOKESMAN DECLINED TO MAKE ANY FURTHER STATEMENT.

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YOUNG'S COMMENTS WERE IN A PREPARED STATEMENT, WHICH HE ELABORATED ORALLY TO A REPORTER:

"I DIDN'T DREAM THIS. I DIDN'T GET IT OUT OF MY MIND. BUT THAT'S ALL I'

SAY FURTHER ON THE SUBJECT."

UNDER A CAPTAIN "SOVIET UNION AGGRESSION," YOUNG SAID THAT "WAR IS BEING WAGED AGAINST US BY THE SOVIET UNION "AND WROTE CRYPTICALLY:

"SUBMARINES HAVE BEEN RECONNOITERING OUR RADAR DEFENSES IN ALASKA AND FURTHER SOUTH ON OUR WEST COAST. IF IT IS A FACT THAT ON

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THAT WAS A REFERENCE TO A RUSSIAN ANNOUNCEMENT OF FIRING ON AN AMERICAN PLANE WHICH MOSCOW SAID WAS OVER LATVIA. THIS COUNTRY IN A COUNTER-PROTEST SAID THE PLANE WAS UNARMED AND OVER THE OPEN BALTIC SEA. TEN AMERICANS WERE LOST AND YOUNG CALLED THEM "WAR CASUALTIES." YOUNG HAS BEEN SUGGESTING THAT THE PLANE WAS ON A RECONNOITERING MISSION TESTING RUSSIAN RADAR DEFENSES.

"ARE YOU TALKING OF SOMETHING YOU BELIEVE MAY HAVE HAPPENED WITHIN THE PAST SIX MONTHS?" A REPORTER ASKED YOUNG IN REFERENCE TO HIS MENTION OF BOMBING A SUBMARINE.

HE NODDED HIS HEAD AFFIRMATIVELY, BUT DECLINED TO TALK ABOUT IT. THERE HAVE BEEN REPORTS OF UNIDENTIFIED SUBMARINES OFF THE WEST COAST.

YOUNG TOLD A REPORTER HE PLANS TO SUGGEST THAT THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT CLAIM JURISDICTION OVER ALL WATERS WITHIN 20 MILES OF THE COUNTRY'S SHORES, INSTEAD OF THE EXISTING THREE MILE LIMIT.

"THE SOVIET UNION HAS ARBITRARILY SET UP A 20 MILES LIMIT FOR ITS SHORE DEFENSES, AND I PLAN TO SUGGEST THAT OUR COUNTRY DO THE SAME," HE SAID.

YOUNG IS A MEMBER OF THE HOUSE WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE, BUT NEVER HAS BEEN A MEMBER OF THE FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE IN HIS FOUR IN-AND-OUT TERMS IN CONGRESS.

HE HAS SHOWN A RECENT INTEREST IN FOREIGN AFFAIRS. THIS, HE EXPLAINS, IS DUE TO THE FACT HE FOUGHT AS A FIELD ARTILLERY PRIVATE IN WORLD WAR I AND AS A MAJOR AND LIEUTENANT COLONEL IN WORLD WAR II.

TWO MONTHS AGO HE CAUSED A STIR BY REVIVING PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S SUGGESTION THAT CHIEF JUSTICE FRED M.VINSON BE SENT TO RUSSIA TO TALK TO THE KREMLIN ABOUT BRINGING THE COLD WAR TO AN END. HE ALSO GOT HEADLINES WITH HIS MORE RECENT SUGGESTION THAT THE AMERICAN PLANE LOST OVER THE BALTIC WAS PROBING SOVIET RADAR DEFENSES.

YOUNG WAS ELECTED TO THE HOUSE IN 1932, 1934, 1940 AND 1948 TO SERVE AS CONGRESSMAN-AT-LARGE REPRESENTING THE ENTIRE STATE.

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(WITH COMMUNISTS)

APPLETON,WIS.,MAY 8-(AP)-SEN. MCCARTHY (R-WIS) SAID TODAY THAT MAJ. GEN. WILLIAM (WILD BILL) DONOVAN, HEAD OF THE OFFICE OF STRATEGIC SERVICES (OSS), HAS AGREED TO TESTIFY BEFORE THE SENATE SUB COMMITTEE INVESTIGATING MC CARTHY'S CHARGES OF COMMUNIST INFLUENCE IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

MC CARTHY, INTERVIEWED AT HIS HOME HERE, DECLINED TO ELABORATE ON THE NATURE OF GEN. DONOVAN'S TESTIMONY. HOWEVER, IT WAS UNDERSTOOD THE OSS CHIEF WOULD WOULD REPORT ON AN OSS RAID ON THE HEADQUARTERS OF AMERASIA MAGAZINE.

THE SENATOR ALSO SAID:

"IF TWO MEN WHO ARE CONNECTED WITH THE VOICE OF AMERICA ARE NOT DISCHARGED, I WILL TAKE UP THEIR RECORDS ON THE SENATE FLOOR."

THEIR NAMES, HE ADDED, ALREADY HAVE BEEN TURNED OVER TO SEN. TYFINGS (D-MD) HEAD OF THE SUBCOMMITTEE, BUT THAT NO ACTION HAS BEEN TAKEN.

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NIGHT LEAD DRAPER ADLER (370)

(NY) HARTFORD, CONN., MAY 8-(AP)-DANCER PAUL DRAPER SAID TODAY HE IS STRONGLY OPPOSED TO COMMUNISM, AND THAT HE DOESN'T SEE HOW A CREATIVE ARTIST COULD FEEL ANY OTHER WAY ABOUT IT.

DRAPER, 41, TESTIFIED IN THE TRIAL OF A $200,000 LIBEL SUIT BROUGHT BY HIM AND HARMONICA PLAYER LARRY ADLER AGAINST MRS. HESTER MCCULLOUGH, OF GREENWICH, CONN. THE ARTISTS CLAIM SHE DAMAGED THEIR REPUTATIONS AND CAUSED THEM TO LOSE ENGAGEMENTS BY CALLING THEM PRO-COMMUNIST.

THE RED-HAIRED DANCER SAID HE NEVER "KNOWINGLY OR DELIBERATELY ADVANCED THE CAUSE OF COMMUNISM ANYWHERE IN THE WORLD." ASKED HIS VIEW ON COMMUNISM, HE SAID:

"I FEEL THAT IT IS A THING THAT IS SO OPPOSED TO THE SPIRIT OF CREATING SOMETHING OF YOUR OWN FREE WILL X X X THAT I CANNOT SEE HOW ANY ARTIST CAN CONCEIVABLY LIKE IT."

THE DANCER SAID COMMUNISM "HURTS PEOPLE AND IT HURTS NATIONS."

"THE FRIGHT AND FEAR THAT IT HAS MADE HAS HURT ME VERY MUCH," HE SAID. "IT HAS HURT MY WHOLE FAMILY VERY MUCH."

DRAPER SAID HIS MOTHER, MRS. MURIEL DRAPER, BELIEVES COMMUNISM IS GOOD FOR THE RUSSIAN PEOPLE. AT THE SAME TIME HE DECLARED "SHE ISN'T A COMMUNIST, SHE HAS NEVER BEEN A COMMUNIST AND SHE HAS NO DESIRE TO BE SO."

"MY MOTHER WOULD NO MORE THINK OF VIOLENCE AGAINST THIS COUNTRY THAN SHE WOULD OF SHOOTING ME," THE DANCER SAID. "SHE WOULD NO MORE THINK OF CONSPIRING AGAINST THIS COUNTRY THAN SHE WOULD OF KILLING ME OR HERSELF."

DRAPER'S MOTHER HAS PRAISED RUSSIA AND DENOUNCED "AMERICAN IMPERIALISM" AT SEVERAL EUROPEAN MEETINGS UNDER COMMUNIST AUSPICES.

DRAPER SAID HE HAD WORKED FOR THE SPANISH LOYALISTS AGAINST THE FRANCO REGIME, THAT HE SUPPORTED HENRY WALLACE'S PRESIDENTIAL CAMPAIGN IN 1948, AND HAD AIDED CAUSES TO "ADVANCE THE RIGHTS OF CITIZENS" OF ALL RACES AND CREEDS.

HE SWORE HE "NEVER BELONGED TO X X X A COMMUNIST FRONT ORGANIZATION," THAT HE WAS A REGISTERED DEMOCRAT, AND IN EVENT OF WAR WOULD "TRY WITH ALL MY HEART TO AID THIS NATION."

DRAPER SAID HE VOLUNTEERED IN THREE BRANCHES OF SERVICE IN WORLD WAR II BUT WAS REJECTED BECAUSE OF STUTTERING.

HIS ATTORNEY INTRODUCED IN EVIDENCE AN EDITORIAL IN THE NEW YORK HERALD TRIBUNE OF OCT. 22, 1947, ASSAILING THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES FOR ITS PROBE OF ALLEGED HOLLYWOOD COMMUNIST ACTIVITY.

"MY OPINIONS AGREED WITH THOSE OF THE EDITOR," DRAPER SAID, IN EXPLAINING A TRIP TO WASHINGTON WITH A GROUP TO PROTEST WHAT DRAPER CALLED THE COMMITTEE'S "VERY UNDEMOCRATIC PROCEDURE."

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(WX) OKLAHOMA CITY,MAY 8-(AP)-ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE GEORGE C.MCGHEE SAID TODAY COMMUNISM HAS MADE "NO SIGNIFICANT IN-ROADS" IN AFRICA YET BUT THAT IT IS "IMPERATIVE" THAT THE WEST PLAN NOW AGAINST THE TIME WHEN MOSCOW SEEKS TO STIR UP TROUBLE IN THE AREA.

MCGHEE, WHO RECENTLY RETURNED FROM A TOUR OF THE AFRICAN CONTINENT, SAID THE WESTERN NATIONS MUST SEE THAT THE AFRICANS UNDERSTAND THAT "COMMUNISM DOES NOT OFFER THEM THE GOAL TO WHICH THEY ASPIRE, BUT UTTER AND COMPLETE SLAVERY."

HE SAID THAT THE WEST MUST NOT EXULT IN THE FACT THAT NO COMMUNISM CRISIS EXISTS IN AFRICA BUT MUST TAKE ADVANTAGE "OF THIS PERIOD OF GRACE TO FURTHER THE DEVELOPMENT WITHIN AFRICA OF HEALTHY POLITICAL, ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL INSTITUTIONS."

MCGHEE SPOKE BEFORE A MEETING OF THE FOREIGN POLICY ASSOCIATION IN THE YMCA AUDITORIUM.

"IN THESE TROUBLED TIMES, IT IS GRATIFYING TO BE ABLE TO SINGLE OUT A REGION OF 10,000,000 SQUARE MILES IN WHICH NO SIGNIFICANT INROADS HAVE BEEN MADE BY COMMUNISM," HE SAID, "AND TO BE ABLE TO CHARACTERIZE THE AREA AS RELATIVELY STABLE AND SECURE.

"YET, IF ONE CAREFULLY DISTINGUISHES BETWEEN EFFORTS IN BEHALF OF NORMAL POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC ASPIRATIONS AND AGITATION INSPIRED BY COMMUNIST ELEMENTS, THAT IS BASICLY THE CASE."

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NIGHT LEAD PAKISTAN

NEW YORK, MAY 8-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER LIAQUAT ALI KHAN SAID TONIGHT PAKISTAN'S SUCCESS IN RAISING HER ECONOMY TO THE LEVEL OF OTHER NATIONS WITH COMPARABLE POPULATIONS HINGES ON TWO THINGS:

THE LARGE-SCALE INVESTMENT OF NATIVE AND FOREIGN CAPITAL INTO RESOURCE-DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS, AND THE APPLICATION OF FOREIGN TECHNICAL KNOWLEDGE TO NATIVE INDUSTRIES.

LIAQUAT ALI MADE THE STATEMENT IN A SPEECH delivered FOR A WALDORF ASTORIA HOTEL DINNER GIVEN IN HONOR OF HIM AND HIS WIFE, THE BEGUM LIAQUAT ALI KHAN, BY NEW YORK CITY'S TOWN HALL AND THE FOREIGN POLICY ASSOCIATION.

THE PRIME MINISTER OF PAKISTAN AND HIS PARTY ARE IN THE UNITED STATES ON A GOOD-WILL TOUR AT THE INVITATION OF PRESIDENT HARRY S. TRUMAN.

A KEY DEVELOPMENT IN HIS NATION'S DRIVE TO ADVANCE INDUSTRIALLY ARE CURRENT NEGOTIATIONS FOR A TREATY OF FRIENDSHIP AND COMMERCE WITH THIS COUNTRY "WHICH WILL BRING US INTO GREATER AND MUTUALLY PROFITABLE CONTACT" WITH AMERICAN BUSINESSMEN, THE PRIME MINISTER SAID.

HE SAID HIS NATION WAS UNHAPPY OVER A DELAY IN THE HOLDING OF THE UNITED NATIONS-SUPERVISED PLEBISCITE IN KASHMIR, A STEP APPROVED MORE THAN TWO EAR A

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MOE THAN TWO YEARS AGO IN AN ATTEMPT TO SETTLE A BITTER DISPUTE BETWEEN INDIA AND PAKISTAN.

BOTH NATIONS HAVE SOUGHT TO ANNEX THE SMALL STATE.

BY THE TERMS OF THE UN AGREEMENT, BOTH NATIONS HAVE AGREED TO LET KASHMIR'S 4,000,000 PEOPLE DECIDE THE ISSUE.

IN A REFERENCE TO HIS NATION'S OTHER DISPUTES WITH INDIA, THE PRIME MINISTER SAID HIS RECENT TALKS WITH INDIA'S PANDIT JAWAHARLAL NEHRU WERE "FRANK AND FREE DISCUSSIONS" WHICH RESULTED IN THE TAKING OF STEPS "TO RESTORE CONFIDENCE IN BOTH COUNTRIES."

HE SAID HE BELIEVED "PEACE AND STABILITY IN THE WORLD TODAY DEPEND VERY LARGELY ON PEACE AND STABILITY IN ASIA."

HE DECLARED PAKISTAN "CANNOT MAKE UP FOR THE BACKWARDNESS OF ONE OR TWO HUNDRED YEARS SUFFICIENTLY QUICKLY WITHOUT THE COOPERATION OF THE MORE ADVANCZD COUNTRIES WHO POSSESS ADVANCED TECHNICAL KNOWLEEDGE."

EXTENDING HIS HAND TO AMERICAN INVESTORS, HE SAID THAT EXCEPT FOR A FEW SPECIFIED INDUSTRIES "WE HAVE THROWN OPEN THE ENTIRE FIELD OF INVESTMENT TO PRIVATE ENTERPRISE. X X X

EARLIER THE PRIME MINISTER REVIEWED A PARADE IN WHICH CONTINGENTS OF ARMY, NAVY, MARINE AND AIR FORCE MEN MARCHED. POLICE ESTIMATED 100,000 PERSONS LOOKED ON.

AT AN AFTERNOON CEREMONY THE OFFICIAL RECEIVED AN HONORARY DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF LAWS FROM COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY.

THE DEGREE WAS AWARDED BY PRESIDENT DWIGHT D.EISENHOWER.

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FIRST LEAD

NEW YORK, MAY 8-(AP)-LIAQUAT ALI KHAN, PRIME MINISTER OF PAKISTAN, SAID TODAY FORMER PRESIDENT HOOVER'S PROPOSAL TO REORGANIZE THE UNITED NATIONS SO AS TO EXCLUDE COMMUNIST COUNTRIES WOULD DEFEAT THE PURPOSES OF THE WORLD PEACE ORGANIZATION.

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THE VISITING STATESMAN TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE:

"TO ME IT SEEMS THAT THE PURPOSES OF THE U.N. IS TO SEE THAT ALL PROBLEMS OF THE WORLD SHOULD BE SETTLED ONLY BY PEACEFUL MEANS. THIS PURPOSE CAN BE SERVED ONLY IF ALL COUNTRIES ARE IN THE UNITED NATIONS."

HOOVER MADE HIS REORGANIZATION PROPOSAL IN A SPEECH AT A RECENT MEETING OF THE AMERICAN NEWSPAPER PUBLISHERS ASSOCIATION:

THE PAKISTAN PRIME MINISTER, HERE FOR A VISIT, TOURED UNITED NATIONS HEADQUARTERS AT LAKE SUCCESS. HE WAS GREETED BY U.N. ACTING SECRETARY GENERAL BYRON PRICE AND THEN WAS GIVEN A RECEPTION IN THE DELEGATES LOUNGE BY EGYPT'S MAHMOUD FAWZI BEY, PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL.AMONG MEMBERS OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL WHO GREETED THE VISITOR WERE DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER JAKOB MALIK OF RUSSIA, WARREN R. AUSTIN OF THE UNITED STATES, SIR ALEXANDER CADOGAN OF BRITAIN AND JEAN CHAUVEL OF FRANCE.

THE PRIME MINISTER URGED AN EARLY U.N. PLEBISCITE TO SETTLE THE MOSLEM-HINDU CLAIM TO KASHMIR. THE VOTE WOULD DETERMINE WHETHER THE KASHMIRI FAVORED JOINING PAKISTAN OR INDIA. HE SAID A PLEBISCITE IS THE ONLY FAIR AND IMPARTIAL WAY OF SOLVING THE DISPUTE.

THE PRIME MINISTER DECLINED COMMENT WHEN ASKED WHETHER HIS COUNTRY WOULD WITHDRAW FROM THE U.N. IF HOOVER'S REORGANIZATION PROPOSAL EVER WAS IMPLEMENTED. HE TERMED THE QUESTION "HYPOTHETICAL."

YESTERDAY, THE PAKISTAN LEADER EXPLAINED HIS COUNTRY'S PROBLEMS AND POSITION ON RADIO AND TELEVISION PROGRAMS.

HE SPOKE FIRST OVER THE CHICAGO ROUND TABLE OF THE AIR FROM NBC HEADQUARTERS HERE, SAYING THAT THE EASTERN COUNTRIES FEAR THE U.S. IS MORE INTERESTED IN A WAR WITH RUSSIA THAN WITH ESTABLISHING WORLD SECURITY.

HE SAID WORLD PEACE WOULD BEST BE GUARDED BY HELPING BACKWARD AREAS, PARTICULARLY SOUTHERN ASIA.

HE ALSO SAID THE "MOST DANGEROUS" INTERNATIONAL DISPUTE IS THE MOSLEM-HINDU CLAIM TO KASHMIR. HE URGED THE U.S. TO "IMPLEMENT" THE PLEBISCITE ORDERED FOR KASHMIR BY THE UNITED NATIONS. UNDER IT, THE KASHMIRI WILL VOTE TO JOIN EITHER PAKISTAN OR INDIA.

LATER, ON MRS.FRANKLIN D.ROOSEVELT'S TELEVISION PROGRAM, HE STRESSED PAKISTAN'S PROGRAM TOWARD AN AMERICAN FORM OF DEMOCRACY. HE SAID THE 80,000,000 PAKISTAN MOSLEMS NOW ARE LIVING UNDER A CONSTITUTION WRITTEN UNDER BRITISH GUIDANCE, AND ADDED THAT HIS PEOPLE NOW ARE TRYING TO FRAME ONE TO REFLECT THEIR OWN "NATIONAL GENIUS."

HIS WIFE, THE BEGUM ALI KHAN, SAID PAKISTAN WOMEN WILL HAVE EQUAL RIGHTS WITH MEN, WILL VOTE "SIDE BY SIDE" WITH THEM, AND HAVE THE SAME CHANCE FOR PARLIAMENTARY SEATS.

THE PRIME MINISTER EXPECTS TO REMAIN IN THIS COUNTRY UNTIL MAY 26.

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NEW YORK, MAY 8-(AP)-WITH THE MAIN HOPE OF REVIVING THE JAPANESE SILK TRADE, JAPAN'S NEW TRADE CONSUL IN NEW YORK, KOHEI TARAOKA AND HIS STAFF, HAVE ARRIVED TO SET UP OFFICES HERE.

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THE OFFICE IS BEING ESTABLISHED AS PART OF THE NEW PLAN FOR JAPANESE TRADE OFFICES IN SAN FRANCISCO, SEATTLE, LOS ANGELES AND HONOLULU IN ADDITION TO NEW YORK. THE PLAN ALLOWING JAPANESE TRADE CONSULS IN EACH OF THESE CENTERS WAS UNDERTAKEN WITH THE APPROVAL OF GEN. DOUGLAS MACARTHUR'S STAFF IN TOKYO.

"WE HOPE TO IMPROVE TRADE RELATIONS GENERALLY BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND JAPAN," TARAOKA SAID, "BUT OUR PRIMARY PURPOSE IS PROMOTE JAPANESE TRADE AND PARTICULARLY THE SILK TRADE. FOR THE FIRST FEW WEEKS I WANT TO GATHER ALL THE INFORMATION POSSIBLE AND SEND IT BACK TO JAPAN."

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OTHER MEMBERS OF THE NEW YORK GROUP ARE SAKITO SATO AND HISASHI OKADA, ASSISTANTS TO THE TRADE CONSUL.

THEY ARRIVED SATURDAY FROM SAN FRANCISCO AND ARE ESTABLISHED TEMPORARILY AT A HOTEL UNTIL A PERMANENT OFFICE CAN BE FOUND. A STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL IS LENDING ASSISTANCE UNTIL THE GROUP IS SETTLED.

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NEW YORK, MAY 8-(AP)-MAYOR SALVATORE REBECCHINI, OF ROME, SAID TODAY COMMUNISM IS DECLINING SLIGHTLY IN ITALY.

THE MAYOR ARRIVED HERE BY PLANE, ACCOMPANIED BY HIS WIFE, BEATRICE, AND HIS SECRETARY. HE CAME HERE TO ADDRESS THE UNITED STATES CONFERENCE OF MAYORS.

"CITY LIFE IN ROME IS UP TO PRE-WAR STANDARDS," MAYOR REBECCHINI TOLD REPORTERS. "THERE IS A SLIGHT DECLINE IN THE POLITICAL STRENGTH OF THE COMMUNISTS, BUT THE ORGANIZATION REMAINS. THE IMPROVEMENT IS DUE TO THE BETTERMENT IN ECONOMIC CONDITIONS."

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NEW YORK, MAY 8-(AP)-A MORMON MISSIONARY EXPELLED FROM CZECHOSLOVAKIA SAID YESTERDAY A CZECH SECRET POLICE HEAD TOLD HIM THE RED STAR WOULD BE "EMBLAZONED ALL OVER AMERICA."

THE STORY WAS TOLD BY THE LAST OF THE MORMON MISSIONARIES EJECTED FROM CZECHOSLOVAKIA, WALLACE F.TORONTO, 41-YEAR-OLD PRESIDENT OF THE CZECHOSLOVAKIAN MISSION OF THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF THE LATTER DAY SAINTS, SALT LAKE CITY.

TORONTO, WHO WAS OUSTED BY THE CZECHS LAST MARCH 18 AND RETURNED YESTERDAY ON THE LINER QUEEN MARY, SAID THE SECRET POLICE HEAD--A GIRL--ACCUSED HIM OF SPYING.

TORONTO WAS ACCOMPANIED BY MELVIN P.MABEY, OF BOUNTIFUL, UTAH, ANOTHER MORMON MISSIONARY EXPELLED MARCH 2 WITH WILLIAM R.MARTINI, OF GLENDALE, CALIF, ALSO A MORMON MISSIONARY. MABEY HAD VISITED OTHER PARTS OF EUROPE BEFORE JOINING TORONTO FOR THE RETURN VOYAGE.

TORONTO SAID 29 MORMON MISSIONARIES HAD BEEN EXPELLED UNDER A RECENTLY-ENACTED CZECHOSLOVAKIAN LAW THAT PROVIDED THAT NO FOREIGN CHURCH LEADERS COULD REMAIN IN THAT COUNTRY WITHOUT SPECIFIC PERMISSION. ELEVEN OTHER MORMON MISSIONARIES, HE SAID, LEFT THE COUNTRY VOLUNTARILY.

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TORONTO, WHO HEADED THE ACTIVITIES OF FIVE MORMON MISSIONS IN THE COUNTRY, ASKED FOR THE SPECIFIC PERMISSION, HE SAID, BUT WAS TOLD SUCH PERMISSION WAS IMPOSSIBLE "BECAUSE WE CAME FROM THE REACTIONARY WEST."

TORONTO SAID HIS RESIDENT PERMIT WAS SCHEDULED TO EXPIRE APRIL 2, BUT SEVERAL WEEKS PRIOR TO THAT DATE HE WAS SUMMONED BY THE CZECHOSLOVAKIAN SECRET POLICE AND HANDED AN EXPULSION ORDER WHICH GAVE HIM ONE WEEK TO PREPARE FOR HIS DEPARTURE.

THE SAME POLICE OFFICIAL, A YOUNG GIRL, WITH WHOM TORONTO HAD PREVIOUS DEALINGS, HE SAID, HANDED HIM THE ORDER AS FOUR OTHER SECRET POLICE AGENTS LOOKED ON. TORONTO TOLD THE GIRL, HE SAID, THAT THE ACTION WAS "A SAD ENDING TO TEN YEARS OF SERVICE AMONG YOUR PEOPLE."

WHEN TORONTO ASKED THE REASON FOR HIS EXPULSION ORDER, HE SAID, THE POLICE OFFICIAL REPLIED:

"IF YOU HAD ACTUALLY BEEN DOING CHURCH WORK INSTEAD OF SPYING ON OUR FACTORIES, OUR BUSINESS AND OUR ECONOMY AND SENDING REPORTS TO THE AMERICAN AUTHORITIES, IT MIGHT BE A DIFFERENT STORY."

TORONTO SAID HE PROTESTED THE CHARACTERIZATION OF HIS WORK WHICH CONSISTED OF "CHRISTIAN ENDEAVORS AND TEACHING THE PRINCIPLES OF OUR BELIEF," AND TOLD THE YOUNG WOM,:

"ONE DAY YOU AND I WILL MEET AGAIN AND YOU WILL REALIZE THAT EVERYTHING I HAVE TOLD YOU HAS BEEN NOTHING BUT THE TRUTH."

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THE SECRET POLICE OFFICIAL ROSE TO HER FEET, TORONTO ADDED, AND REPLIED:

"OH YES, WE'LL MEET AGAIN. THAT WILL BE WHEN THE RED STAR IS EMBLAZONED ALL OVER AMERICA AND WHEN THE COMMUNISTS HAVE COME TO THE SALVATION OF THE WORKING CLASS OF THE UNITED STATES."

TORONTO, WHO SAID HE HAD HEADED FIVE MORMON MISSIONS IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA SINCE MAY, 1946, HAD BEEN INFORMED AS EARLY AS LAST FEBRUARY, HE SAID, THAT ALL MORMON MISSIONARIES WERE TO LEAVE THE COUNTRY.

"THEY INDICATED THAT IF WE CAME FROM POLAND, OR ONE OF THE SATELLITE COUNTRIES, OUR REQUEST TO REMAIN WOULD HAVE BEEN GRANTED," HE SAID.

AFTER LEAVING CZECHOSLOVAKIA, HE VISITED SWITZERLAND, GERMANY AND ENGLAND. HE WAS INFORMED THAT AFTER HIS DEPARTURE, ALL OF THE MORMON MISSIONS IN PRAGUE, WHERE HE MAINTAINED HIS HEADQUARTERS, HAD BEEN "LIAUIDATED" BY THE CZECH GOVERNMENT, DESPITE THE FACT THAT HE HAD TURNED THE PROPERTY OVER TO THE HANDS OF NATIVE CZECHS, 250 OF WHOM WERE MEMBERS OF THE MORMON CHURCH.

"IN SPITE OF THE LIQUIDATION," HE SAID, THE SPIRIT AND FEELING OF THE CHURCH MEMBERS IS SUCH THAT WE HAVE NO FEAR OF THE DISINTEGRATION OR THE LOSS OF OUR FAITH, BUT WE SEE IN IT A STRENGTHENING."

WHEN IT BECAME APPARENT THAT THE AMERICAN MORMON MISSIONARIES WERE TO BE EXPELLED, TORONTO SAID, A NUMBER OF THE NATIVE CHURCH MEMBERS HAD BEEN TRAINED TO TAKE OVER THEIR WORK.

HE SAID HE HAD SENT HIS WIFE AND SIX CHILDREN BACK TO AMERICA LAST MARCH 1.

A NATIVE OF SALT LAKE CITY, TORONTO SAID HE HAD ESTABLISHED THE FIRST MORMON MISSION IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA IN 1929. THREE YEARS LATER HE LEFT THE COUNTRY, TO RETURN IN 1936. HE REMAINED UNTIL THE OUTBREAK OF THE LAST WAR, HE SAID, AND AGAIN RETURNED IN 1946.

TORONTO SAID HE WAS NOT CERTAIN OF HIS FUTURE ACTIVITIES, BUT EXPRESSED BELIEF THAT HE MAY ENTER SOCIAL WORK. PRIOR TO HIS LAST TRIP TO CZECHOSLOVAKIA, HE HAD SERVED AS MANAGER OF THE RED CROSS UNIT IN SALT LAKE CITY.

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LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 8-(AP)-SOVIET AND CZECHOSLOVAK DELEGATES WALKED OUT OF THE UNITED NATIONS STATISTICAL COMMISSION TODAY AND BOYCOTTED THE U.N. COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN. THIS RAISED TO 24 THE TOTAL OF U.N. ORGANIZATIONS HIT BY THE SOVIET BLOC WALKOUT-STRIKE AGAINST NATIONALIST CHINA.

STUART A.RICE, UNITED STATES DELEGATES FROM THE BUREAU OF THE BUDGET IN WASHINGTON, CALLED THE WALKOUT A "CHILDISH PROCEDURE" AND URGED THE COMMISSION TO CONTINUE ITS WORK. IT DID SO IMMEDIATELY.

THE WHOLE PROCEEDINGS TOOK ONLY SEVEN MINUTES, JUST ABOUT THE SHORTEST TIME IT HAS REQUIRED FOR THE RUSSIANS TO WALK OUT SINCE THEY BEGAN THE BOYCOTT LAST JANUARY.

PAVEL CHERNYSHEV, SOVIET DELEGATE, PROPOSED THAT THE COMMISSION EXCLUDE THE "REPRESENTATIVE OF THE MUOMINTANG GROUP" OF CHINA. THE CHAIRMAN, P.J.IDENBURG, THE NETHERLANDS, HELD CHERNYSHEV OUT OF ORDER. CHERNYSHEV CHALLENGED THE RULING, BUT THE CHAIRMAN WAS UPHELD, 6 TO 2. THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN, FRANCE, NORWAY, CHINA AND TURKEY VOTED FOR THE CHAIRMAN'S RULING. THE SOVIET UNION AND CZECHOSLOVAKIA VOTED AGAINST THE CHAIRMAN. THE CHAIRMAN AND ARGENTINA ABSTAINED.

CHERNYSHEV THEN READ A STATEMENT SAYING HE WOULD NOT RECOGNIZE ANY WORK DONE BY THE COMMISSION AND WOULD LEAVE THE MEETING. JIRO NOSEK, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, SAID THE SAME AND LEFT IMMEDIATELY AFTER CHERNYSHEV.

THE SOVIET UKRAINE ALSO IS A MEMBER OF THE COMMISSION BUT THERE IS NO MEMBER OF THE UKRAINIAN DELEGATION IN NEW YORK AND NO ONE ATTENDED FOR THE UKRAINE TODAY.

IN THE STATUS OF WOMEN COMMISSION, THE SECRETARIAT TOLD THE DELEGATES RUSSIA HAD SENT A LETTER SAYING THE SOVIET REPRESENTATIVE WOULD NOT ATTEND BECAUSE OF THE PRESENCE OF THE "KUOMINTANG" REPRESENTATIVE.

NATIONALIST CHINA'S REPRESENTATIVE, CECILIA SIEU LING-ZUNG ANGRILY DENIED SHE WAS A MEMBER OF THE RULING PARTY OF CHINA.

"I AM NOT A KUOMINTANG MEMBER, I NEVER HAVE BEEN AND I NEVER WILL BE," SHE SAID, ADDING SHE WAS SORRY SHE DIDN'T GET TO SEE A SOVIET WALKOUT.

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LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 8-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS WARNED TODAY THAT ITS ENTIRE MIDDLE EAST RELIEF PROGRAM WILL HAVE TO BE SHUT DOWN BY MAY 30 UNLESS MEMBER NATIONS SEND IN CONTRIBUTIONS IMMEDIATELY.

ACTING SECRETARY-GENERAL BYRON PRICE SENT AN URGENT APPEAL TO ALL U.N. MEMBERS TO CONTRIBUTE THEIR SHARES OF THE $54,900,000 PROGRAM VOTED LAST FALL BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY. HE DISCLOSED THE U.N. HAS NOT YET RECEIVED A DOLLAR OF THIS.

THE RELIEF PROGRAM IS NOW BEING FINANCED BY AN ADVANCE OF $4,500,000 FROM THE U.N. WORKING CAPITAL FUND AND BY AN INTEREST-FREE LOAN OF $2,800,000 FROM THE INTERNATIONAL REFUGEE ORGANIZATION.

THE U.N. IS CARING FOR APPROXIMATELY 900,000 ARAB REFUGEES.

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NIGHT LEAD U.N. (210)

BY FRANCIS W. CARPENTER

LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 8-(AP)-AMERICAN AND CHINESE REPRESENTATIVES ACCUSED SOVIET UNION DELEGATES OF ACTING LIKE CHILDREN TODAY IN WALKING OUT OF ONE UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION AND BOYCOTTING ANOTHER.

THE COUNT OF SOVIET BLOC WALKOUT-STRIKES AGAINST U.N. ORGANIZATIONS BECAUSE OF THE PRESENCE OF NATIONALIST CHINESE DELEGATES WAS BOOSTED TO 24 BY TODAY'S DEVELOPMENTS.

IN THE U.N. COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN, WHERE THE SOVIET REPRESENTATIVE DID NOT APPEAR, MISS CECILIA SIEU-LING ZUNG OF NATIONAL CHINA SAID SHE WAS SORRY TO MISS A WALKOUT. SHE SAID SHE HAD COME PREPARED TO TAKE ALL THE INSULTS AND THE WALK-OUT.

SHE SAID THE SOVIET REPRESENTATIVE, MRS. E.A. POPOVA, IN REFUSING TO WORK WITH THE COMMISSION, "ACTS LIKE A SPOILED CHILD WHO CAN NOT GET THE CANDY IT WANTS."

MRS. OLIVE REMINGTON GOLDMAN OF URBANA, ILL., TAKING HER SEAT FOR THE FIRST TIME ON THE COMMISSION, SAID SHE HOPED THE WOMEN OF THE SOVIET UNION KNOW THEY ARE BEING DENIED A VOICE IN THE COMMISSION.

SOVIET AND CZECHOSLOVAK REPRESENTATIVES WALKED OUT OF THE STATISTICAL COMMISSION AFTER FAILING TO OBTAIN THE OUSTER OF THE NATIONALIST CHINESE. AS THEY WERE LEAVING THE AMERICAN REPRESENTATIVE, STUART A. RICE OF THE BUREAU OF THE BUDGET, URGED THE COMMISSION TO GO AHEAD WITH ITS BUSINESS AND NOT BE STOPPED BY WHAT HE CALLED "THIS CHILDISH PROCEDURE."

BOTH COMMISSIONS WENT ON WITH THEIR WORK DESPITE THE WALKOUT AND THE BOYCOTT.

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LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 8-(AP)-FIVE INDIAN MEN AND ONE INDIAN WOMAN FROM THE IROQUOIS CONFEDERACY, LIVING BOTH IN NEW YORK STATE AND CANADA, PAID A VISIT T TO THE UNITED NATIONS TODAY AND SAID THEY HAD GRIEVANCES AGAINST THE UNITED STATES AND CANADA. THEY WERE DRESSED IN INDIAN CLOTHING, COMPLETE WITH FEATHERED HATS.

IN AN INTERVIEW ON THE U.N. RADIO, CHIEF A.PARKER, SENECA, OF TONAWANDA RESERVATION, N.Y., COMPLAINED THAT A TREATY OF 1794 WITH

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THE U.S. PROMISED THEM STOCK, UTENSILS, FARM IMPLEMENTS AND "WE DIDN'T GET THEM."

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THE ONE WOMAN, MISS EMILY GENERAL, ONTARIO, CANADA, SAID THE CANADIAN GOVERNMENT IS TALKING ABOUT ASSIMILATING THE INDIANS.

"WE OWN THE LANDIWE LIVE ON," SHE SAID. "WE JUST WANT TO RETAIN IT AS IT IS." SHE APPEALED TO THE PEOPLE OF THE WORLD TO SEE HER POINT OF VIEW.

THE INDIANS WERE DESCRIBED AS COMING FROM THE SIX NATIONS OF THE IROQUOIS CONFEDERACY, THE MOHAWKS, CAYUGAS, ONEIDAS, SENECAS, ONONDAGAS AND TUSCARORAS. THE CONFEDERACY WAS ORGANIZED "FOR PEACE AND UNITY" ABOUT 1700.

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NIGHT LEAD ACHESON (550)
BY WES GALLAGHER
LONDON, MAY 9-(AP)-DISCLOSURE OF A FRENCH PLAN TO MERGE EUROPE'S HEAVY INDUSTRIES UNDER ONE HEAD COINCIDED WITH SECRET ANGLO-AMERICAN TALKS HERE TODAY ON HOW TO STRENGTHEN THE WEST IN THE COLD WAR WITH SOVIET RUSSIA.

AT THE SAME TIME, THE WEST GERMAN GOVERNMENT AT BONN DECIDED TO ACCEPT AN INVITATION TO JOIN THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE, THE EMBRYO INTERNATIONAL PARLIAMENT SEATED AT STRASBOURG.

THE MOVIES FROM FRANCE AND GERMANY TOWARD UNIFYING WESTERN EUROPE CAME AS U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON CONFERRED HERE WITH PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE AND FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN.

ACHESON ARRIVED BY PLANE FROM PARIS. HE CONFERRED WITH BEVIN THROUGH THE MORNING, HAD LUNCHEON WITH PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE AND MET AGAIN WITH BEVIN THIS AFTERNOON.

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THE AFTERNOON SESSION OF BEVIN AND ACHESON HAD JUST ENDED WHEN FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN MADE A PROPOSAL IN PARIS TO POOL THE GERMAN AND FRENCH STEEL AND COAL INDUSTRIES AND INVITE OTHER NATIONS TO JOIN THE COMBINE. SCHUMAN TALKED WITH ACHESON YESTERDAY AND UNDOUBTEDLY BROACHED THE PROPOSAL THEN.

THE FRENCH MOVE WAS THE MOST DIRECT OFFER OF COLLABORATION WITH GERMANY SINCE THE WAR AND THE MOST CONCRETE PROPOSAL SO FAR TOWARD THE GREATER ECONOMIC UNITY WHICH THE UNITED STATES CONSIDERS NECESSARY IN WESTERN EUROPE.

INTEGRATION OF WEST GERMANY INTO WESTERN EUROPE AND THE ATLANTIC NATIONS GROUPING IS GIVEN TOP PRIORITY BY AMERICAN OFFICIALS HERE.

THE FRENCH ACTION WAS A STEP IN THIS DIRECTION.

THE BONN ANNOUNCEMENT WAS CONSIDERED GRATIFYING AS BOTH BRITISH AND AMERICAN OFFICIALS SAID WEST GERMANY SHOULD SHOW A WILLINGNESS TO THROW HER LOT WITH WESTERN EUROPE AND PARTICIPATE FULLY.

ALL OF TODAY'S BRITISH-AMERICAN MEETINGS WERE SECRET, BUT IT WAS KNOWN THE RUSSIAN AND GERMAN PROBLEMS CAME IN FOR TOP CONSIDERATION.

THE U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT'S RUSSIAN EXPERT, CHARLES E. BOHLEN, ATTENDED ALL THE SESSIONS. THE AMERICAN HIGH COMMISSIONER TO GERMANY, JOHN J. MCCLOY, TOOK PART IN THE AFTERNOON MEETING.

INFORMED SOURCES SAID THE UNITED STATES SUPPORTS PARTICIPATION OF GERMANY IN THE EUROPEAN ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL FIELDS, BUT NOT THE MILITARY FIELD. IT IS FELT THAT GERMANY'S ECONOMIC STRENGTH IS VITAL TO THE WESTERN CAUSE. THIS WOULD ENTAIL GIVING GERMANY CONTROL OF HER FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND A PLACE AT INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE TABLES.

IT IS KNOWN THAT THE UNITED STATES CONSIDERS THE GERMAN PROBLEM URGENT AND FAVORS IMMEDIATE STEPS.

BRITAIN WAS REPRESENTED AS LESS EAGER FOR GERMAN PARTICIPATION UNTIL THE GERMANS SHOWED BY THEIR ACTIONS MORE WILLINGNESS TO PARTICIPATE.

ACHESON WAS REPRESENTED AS FEELING THE MAIN TASK OF THE PRESENT LONDON CONFERENCE IS TO STRENGTHEN THE WEST'S HANDS BY ALL MEANS POSSIBLE AGAINST THE SOVIET UNION.

FIRST THERE WOULD BE A UNIFICATION OF WESTERN EUROPE'S ECONOMIC STRENGTH. THIS WOULD BE FOLLOWED BY AN INCREASE IN MILITARY POWER TO BLOCK ANY SOVIET AIMS OF CONQUEST.

AUTHORITATIVE SOURCES SAID SEVERAL PROPOSALS ARE UNDER CONSIDERATION FOR ACHIEVING UNITY.

ONE OF THESE WOULD BE TO SET UP A POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC COUNTER-PART OF THE ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS WHICH WOULD EMBRACE WEST GERMANY AND OTHER EUROPEAN NATIONS OUTSIDE THE PACT AS WELL.

ANOTHER PROBLEM UNDER CONSIDERATION WAS THE GREAT GAP BETWEEN WHAT THE ATLANTIC PACT MILITARY CHIEFS ESTIMATE IS NECESSARY TO DEFEND WESTERN EUROPE AND WHAT THE FINANCE MINISTERS OF THE MEMBER NATIONS SAY CAN BE SPENT.

NEITHER AMERICAN NOR BRITISH SOURCES WERE HOPEFUL THAT THE BIG THREE WILL BE ABLE TO REACH ANY DEFINITE DECISIONS AT THIS MEETING, PARTICULARLY ON THE GERMAN PROBLEM.

THEY FELT THE BIG THREE MIGHT REACH A DECLARATION OF COMMON AIMS AND SET UP STUDY COMMITTEES TO PUT THESE AIMS INTO DEFINITE PROPOSALS.

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BY GLENN WILLIAMS
LONDON, MAY 9-(AP)-U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON AND BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN MET TODAY TO DISCUSS WAYS OF WINNING THE COLD WAR.

ACHESON CAME BY PLANE FROM PARIS, WHERE HE TALKED YESTERDAY WITH FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN AND AGREED THAT THE UNITED STATES WOULD GIVE MILITARY AND ECONOMIC AID TO KEEP WARRING INDOCHINA OUT OF THE COMMUNIST COLUMN.

ACHESON AND SCHUMAN ALSO WERE REPORTED IN AGREEMENT ON GIVING MORE POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC FREEDOM TO WESTERN GERMANY BY EASING THE OCCUPATION LAW UNDER WHICH THE BIG THREE CONTROL THEIR GERMAN EX-ENEMIES.

ONE OF THE PROBLEMS THE U.S. AND BRITISH MINISTERS WERE TO EXAMINE WAS SIMILAR TO THAT OF INDOCHINA--THE COMMUNIST UPRISING AGAINST BRITAIN IN MALAYA, SOURCE OF MUCH OF THE WORLD'S RUBBER AND TIN.

DIPLOMATIC SOURCES REPORTED ACHESON AND BEVIN ALSO WOULD:

1. REVIEW POSTWAR RESTRICTIONS ON GERMANY. FOR SECURITY REASONS AND TO BUILD UP WESTERN ECONOMY ACHESON WANTS TO TIE THE GERMANS MORE TIGHTLY TO THE REST OF WESTERN EUROPE. BRITAIN FEARS GERMAN ECONOMIC COMPETITION AND FRANCE FEARS GERMAN RE-ARMAMENT.

2. DISCUSS HOW TO SPEED UP THE INCREASED UNITY OF EUROPE. HOW FAR CAN BRITAIN GO IN JOINING WITH THE REST OF EUROPE WHILE STILL HEADING A COMMONWEALTH AND STERLING BLOC? HOW FAR CAN THE UNITED STATES GO IN SUPPORTING A UNIFIED WESTERN EUROPE?

3. HOW THEY CAN WORK OUT AGREED POLICIES IN THE FUTURE, TO AVOID SUCH EMBARASSMENTS AS THE SPLIT OVER RECOGNIZING COMMUNIST CHINA. BRITAIN RECOGNIZED THE CHINESE REDS MORE THAN FOUR MONTHS AGO. FRANCE AND THE UNITED STATES HAVE REFUSED TO FOLLOW THE BRITISH LEAD.

4. HOW TO PROMOTE ECONOMIC HEALTH IN THE MIDDLE EAST, AN OIL-RICH STRATEGIC AREA WHOSE POVERTY-RIDDEN MASSES PROVIDE FERTILE SOIL FOR COMMUNIST AGITATION.

WHILE BEVIN AND ACHESON WILL DISCUSS THESE PROBLEMS TOGETHER, MOST MAJOR DECISIONS PROBABLY WILL AWAIT THE ARRIVAL OF SCHUMAN FOR THE THREE-DAY BIG THREE MEETING BEGINNING THURSDAY.

THE TRIO'S FORTHCOMING TALKS ARE DESCRIBED AS THE MOST IMPORTANT SINCE THE WAR. THEY ARE MARKED BY A GREAT CHANGE IN WESTERN DIPLOMATIC ATTITUDES.

PREVIOUS CONFERENCES HAVE BEEN HELD EITHER WITH THE RUSSIANS PRESENT OR WITH THE WEST STILL HOPING THAT KREMLIN CONCESSIONS MIGHT ENSURE PEACE.

THE BELIEF IS WIDESPREAD NOW THAT THE COLD WAR IS A LASTING CONDITION AND THAT THERE IS NO SHORT CUT TO A SETTLEMENT WITH RUSSIA. THE RESULT IS EXPECTED TO BE NEW STRONG POLICIES AIMED AT WINNING THE COLD CONFLICT FOR THE DEMOCRACIES.

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LONDON, MAY 9-(AP)-A DOZEN WOMEN CARRYING POSTERS SAYING "YANKS IN BRITAIN MEANS BOMBS ON BRITAIN" TRIED TO PICKET THE U.S.EMBASSY HERE TODAY. THEY SHOUTED FOR SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON WHO IS HERE FOR BIG-THREE TALKS.
POLICE BROKE UP THE PICKET LINE AND TOOK AWAY THE POSTERS, BUT ALLOWED TWO OF THE WOMEN TO GO INSIDE AND TALK TO AN EMBASSY OFFICIAL.
AN EMBASSY SPOKESMAN SAID THE WOMEN, WHO IDENTIFIED THEMSELVES AS MEMBERS OF "THE BRITISH CONSCRIPT MOTHERS COMMITTEE," URGED "DISARMAMENT, WORLD PEACE AND REMOVAL OF U.S.AIR FORCE BOMBER SQUADRONS FROM BRITAIN."
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PARIS, MAY 9-(AP)-U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON LEFT BY PLANE TODAY FOR LONDON FOR TALKS WITH BRITISH OFFICIALS PRIOR TO THE OPENING OF THE BIG THREE WESTERN FOREIGN MINISTERS CONFERENCE. HE HAD CONFERRED HERE YESTERDAY WITH FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN.
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PRECEDE BURMA (B83)
LONDON, MAY 9-(AP)-THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT ASKED PARLIAMENT TODAY TO APPROVE A £3,750,000 ($10,500,000) INTEREST-FREE LOAN TO BURMA TO COMBAT COMMUNISM.
KENNETH YOUNGER, MINISTER OF STATE, SAID THE AMOUNT WAS BRITAIN'S SHARE OF A TWO-YEAR COMMONWEALTH LOAN OF £6,000,000 ($16,800,000) TO THE STRUGGLING BURMESE GOVERNMENT, WITH CEYLON, INDIA, PAKISTAN AND AUSTRALIA CONTRIBUTING THE REMAINDER.
THE ACTION MESHED WITH THE OPENING HERE OF CONFERENCES BETWEEN FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN AND U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON, WHO IS SEEKING TO STIFFEN THE WESTERN POWERS IN THE WORLD-WIDE COLD WAR.
ACHESON ANNOUNCED IN PARIS YESTERDAY THAT THE UNITED STATES IS GOING TO THROW ECONOMIC AID AND MILITARY EQUIPMENT INTO THE SHOOTING WAR IN INDOCHINA IN BEHALF OF FRENCH-BACKED VIETNAM, LAOS AND CAMBODIA. AMERICAN SOURCES SAID THE BULK OF A $75,000,000 FUND FOR AID IN SOUTHEAST ASIA WOULD GO INTO STEMMING THE CHALLENGE OF MOSCOW'S FAVORITE, HO CHI MINH.
RANGOON DISPATCHES DISCLOSED THAT BURMESE FOREIGN MINISTER SAO HKUN HKIO ASKED U.S. ROVING AMBASSADOR PHILIP JESSUP TWO WEEKS AGO FOR A $50,000,000 REHABILITATION LOAN. U.S. AMBASSADOR DAVID M. KEY SAID IN RANGOON THIS WAS IN ADDITION TO MONEY BURMA HOPES TO GET UNDER PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S "POINT FOUR" DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM.
BURMA HAS BEEN FIGHTING TWO COMMUNIST MOVEMENTS, RED FLAG (TROTSKYITE) BANDS AND WHITE FLAG (STALINIST) FORCES, ALONG WITH VARIOUS GROUPS OF REBEL TRIBESMEN.
KEY SAID, HOWEVER, HE HAD THE IMPRESSION THE GOVERNMENT GRADUALLY WAS GETTING THE UPPER HAND IN ITS STRUGGLE TO RESTORE STABILITY.
A RANGOON ANNOUNCEMENT TODAY SAID RED FLAG FORCES LOST 50 KILLED AND WERE SEVERELY MAULED WHEN THEY ATTACKED A GOVERNMENT GARRISON AT THE RAIL TOWN OF TADA-U, 30 MILES SOUTHWEST OF MANDALAY.
IN HIS STATEMENT TO THE HOUSE OF COMMONS, YOUNGER SAID THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT HOPED THE LOAN WOULD HELP THE BURMESE "CHECK THE SPREAD OF COMMUNISM, WHICH THRIVES ON DISORDER AND MISERY."
R.A. BUTLER, CONSERVATIVE SPOKESMAN, SAID THE OPPOSITION WOULD RAISE NO OBJECTIONS TO THE LOAN, BUT EXPRESSED DOUBT IT WOULD BE OF MUCH USE. HE SAID BRITAIN HAD DONATED £35,500,000 TO BURMA SINCE 1945.
BRITAIN, AS WELL AS FRANCE, IS ENGAGED IN A SHOOTING WAR IN SOUTHEAST ASIA. SINGAPORE DISPATCHES QUOTED INFORMED SOURCES AS SAYING ANOTHER ALL-OUT BATTLE TO END COMMUNIST TERRORISM IN MALAYA'S JUNGLES WILL BEGIN JUNE 1. THE AUTHORITIES RECENTLY STAGED AN "ANTI-BANDIT" MONTH, ENLISTING THOUSANDS OF CIVILIAN VOLUNTEERS IN AN EFFORT TO ELIMINATE GUERRILLA BANDS MAKING SPORADIC ATTACKS ON RUBBER PLANTATIONS AND TIN MINES.
THE SOURCES SAID MALCOLM MACDONALD, BRITISH COMMISSIONER GENERAL, LEFT FOR A COMMONWEALTH CONFERENCE IN AUSTRALIA AT WHICH HE WOULD PROPOSE FORMATION OF A COMMONWEALTH BRIGADE TO FIGHT IN MALAYA.
FRENCH SPOKESMEN IN PARIS TODAY SAID ACHESON HAD GIVEN THE PROMISE OF AID IN INDOCHINA WITHOUT ANY POLITICAL STRINGS. THEY QUOTED FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN AS GIVING THAT REPORT TO THE CABINET.
FRENCH SOURCES YESTERDAY SAID SCHUMAN HAD PROMISED THAT THE INDOCHINESE REGIMES WOULD BE CUT LOOSE FROM SUPERVISION OF THE FRENCH COLONIAL MINISTRY AS SOON AS TRANQUILITY IS RESTORED AND WOULD BE PLACED UNDER THE FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTRY. ACHESON'S STATEMENT SAID THE AID WAS BEING GIVEN NOT ONLY TO RESTORE SECURITY IN INDOCHINA, BUT ALSO TO AID IN THE "DEVELOPMENT OF GENUINE NATIONALISM."
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LONDON,MAY 9-(AP)-MRS.ROBERT A.VOGELER, WIFE OF THE AMERICAN BUSINESS EXECUTIVE WHO WAS CONVICTED BY HUNGARY ON SPY CHARGES, ARRIVED HERE TODAY FROM VIENNA. SHE HOPES TO SEE U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON TO ASK IF ANYTHING FURTHER CAN BE DONE TOWARD LIFTING THE 15-YEAR PRISON TERM IMPOSED UPON HER HUSBAND IN BUDAPEST.
ACHESON'S OFFICE HERE SAID NO DEFINITE APPOINTMENT HAS BEEN MADE FOR MRS.VOGELER, BUT THAT HE PROBABLY WOULD SEE HER SOME TIME DURING HIS STAY FOR MEETINGS WITH ATLANTIC PACT FOREIGN MINISTERS.
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LONDON, MAY 9-(AP)-THE HOUSE OF COMMONS WAS TOLD TODAY 23 GOVERNMENT EMPLOYES HAVE BEEN SUSPENDED FOR "SECURITY REASONS." DOUGLAS JAY, FINANCIAL SECRETARY TO THE TREASURY, QUOTED THE FIGURE IN ANSWER TO A QUESTION PUT BY F.F.A. BURDEN, A CONSERVATIVE. JAY DID NOT ELABORATE.
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london, may 9--(ap)--here is the program for the meetings of western foreign ministers gathering in london for what high diplomatic sources call the most important talks since the war:

today and wednesday -- u.s. secretary of state dean acheson and

his advisers discuss major world trouble spots with british foreign secretary ernest bevin and his foreign office aides.

thursday, friday and saturday -- french foreign minister robert schuman joins acheson and bevin for [illegible] MAY 10 1950 the conference of the big three secretaries.

sunday -- a day off although informal talks probably will be held over dinners and drinks (they'll sleep through lunch).

monday, tuesday and wednesday -- foreign ministers of the nine other nations in the atlantic pact join the big three for decisions rounding out their plans to strengthen the defense of the west.

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NIGHT LEAD SCHUMAN
BY CARTER L.DAVISON
PARIS, MAY 9-(AP)-FRANCE TODAY PROPOSED THAT THE COAL AND STEEL INDUSTRIES OF EUROPE BE POOLED UNDER A "COMMON HIGH AUTHORITY" AS A STEP TOWARD PROSPERITY AND PEACE.
THE FRENCH CABINET'S DECISION TO SUPPORT THE POOLING OF HEAVY INDUSTRY WAS ANNOUNCED BY FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN, LONG AN ADVOCATE OF CLOSER ECONOMIC RELATIONS WITH GERMANY.
TO LEAD OFF THE PLAN, SCHUMAN SAID FRANCE WAS PREPARED TO JOIN HER RICH LORRAINE AND SAAR BASIN OUTPUT WITH THAT OF GERMANY'S INDUSTRIAL RUHR VALLEY.
SCHUMAN'S DISCLOSURE FOLLOWED BY A DAY HIS TALKS WITH U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON, IN WHICH THEY DISCUSSED THE BEST MEANS OF BOLSTERING WESTERN EUROPE TO MEET THE THREAT OF COMMUNISM.
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REPLYING TO A QUESTION, SCHUMAN SAID THE PLAN WAS OPEN TO ANY COUNTRY IN EUROPE, EAST OR WEST." WHEN A REPORTER REMARKED THAT "RUSSIA IS IN EUROPE," SCHUMAN REPLIED: "YES."
UNOFFICIAL SOURCES ESTIMATE LAST YEAR'S TOTAL COAL PRODUCTION IN FRANCE AND THE SAAR AT 65,000,000 METRIC TONS, COMPARED TO WEST GERMANY'S 103,000,000 TONS. STEEL PRODUCTION IN FRANCE AND THE SAAR TOTALED 10,800,000 TONS, THESE SOURCES SAID, COMPARED TO 9,100,000 TONS IN WEST GERMANY.
SCHUMAN SAID WEST GERMANY'S POSITION WOULD HAVE TO BE DECIDED JOINTLY BY THE THREE OCCUPYING POWERS AND "WE WILL PERHAPS TALK ABOUT IT" AT THE MEETING OF HIMSELF, ACHESON AND BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN IN LONDON LATER THIS WEEK.
HE DECLARED THE POOLING OF COAL AND STEEL PRODUCTION WILL "IMMEDIATELY ASSURE THE ESTABLISHMENT OF COMMON BASES FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT."
FRANCE ONLY TWO MONTHS AGO SIGNED AN AGREEMENT WITH THE NEAR AUTONOMOUS GOVERNMENT OF THE SAAR PROVIDING FOR FRENCH DEVELOPMENT OF THE SAAR COAL MINES FOR 50 YEARS. THE SAAR MINES NOW PRODUCE ABOUT 15,000,000 TONS A YEAR. THE SAARLAND WAS ATTACHED TO GERMANY BEFORE WORLD WAR II.
THE RUHR MINES IN GERMANY ALREADY ARE UNDER INTERNATIONAL CONTROL OF THE ALLIED OCCUPATION AUTHORITIES. THE NEW FRENCH PLAN APPARENTLY IS TO INCORPORATE THE RUHR AUTHORITY AS A PARTICIPANT IN THE PROPOSED "HIGH AUTHORITY."
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PARIS, MAY 9-(AP)-FRANCE SUGGESTED INTERNATIONAL POOLING OF EUROPE'S COAL AND STEEL WEALTH TODAY AS A NECESSARY STEP TO KEEP PEACE IN THE WORLD.
AS A FIRST MOVE, FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE, THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT OFFERED IMMEDIATELY TO JOIN ITS RICH LORRAINE AND SAAR BASIN OUTPUT WITH THAT OF GERMANY'S RUHR VALLEY.
"THE RALLYING OF EUROPEAN NATIONS," SAID SCHUMAN, "REQUIRES THAT THE SECULAR OPPOSITION OF FRANCE AND GERMANY BE ELIMINATED." THE MOVE POOLING COAL AND STEEL, HE ADDED, "WILL CHANGE THE DESTINY OF THESE REGIONS, FOR SO LONG DEDICATED TO THE MAKING OF ARMS FOR

WAR, FROM WHICH THEY HAVE BEEN THE MOST OFTEN THE VICTIMS."
THE FRENCH DECISION, REACHED AT A CABINET MEETING THIS MORNING, CLOSELY FOLLOWED SCHUMAN'S TALKS WITH U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON ON POSSIBLE NEXT MOVES BY THE WESTERN WORLD IN THE COLD WAR AGAINST COMMUNISM.

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PARIS, WEDNESDAY, MAY 10-(AP)-FRENCH DEFENSE MINISTER RENE PLEVEN SAID TODAY HE WOULD NOT REMAIN AT HIS POST "ONE MINUTE" IF HE THOUGHT THE UNITED STATES PLANNED TO ASSIGN AN INFANTRY ROLE TO FRANCE AND GERMANY IN ANY WAR.
HE POINTED OUT THAT THE FIRST DELIVERIES OF UNITED STATES ARMS TO FRANCE UNDER THE ATLANTIC PACT CONSISTED OF PLANES AND SAID "AMERICA AND CANADA HAVE OFFERED TO TRAIN PILOTS." PLEVEN SPOKE DURING DEBATE IN THE COUNCIL OF THE REPUBLIC, SECOND CHAMBER OF THE FRENCH PARLIAMENT.

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PRESTWICK, SCOTLAND, MAY 9-(AP)-A BRITISH WAR BRIDE FROM CHICAGO HOPES TO HAVE HER APPENDIX REMOVED AT THE COST OF HIS MAJESTY'S GOVERNMENT.
MRS. M. SCHMIDT (STREET ADDRESS UNAVAILABLE), ONE OF 26 BRITISH -BORN WAR WIVES WHO FLEW FROM CHICAGO TO VISIT RELATIVES, TOLD REPORTERS:
"I SPENT SEVERAL THOUSAND DOLLARS ON TREATMENT FOR MY NERVES AND THE DOCTOR TOLD ME IT WAS MY APPENDIX. I HAD FIXED TO FLY THIS TRIP SO I'LL HAVE THE OPERATION FREE . "BROTHER, BRITAIN IS THE PLACE FOR OPERATIONS."
BRITAIN'S SOCIALIZED MEDICINE SCHEME PROVIDES FREE TREATMENT TO ALL, INCLUDING FOREIGNERS IF THEY HAPPEN TO FALL ILL WHILE VISITING HERE. COMMENTED A HEALTH MINISTRY SPOKESMAN IN LONDON:
"YOU KNOW WE DON'T ENCOURAGE THE ATTITUDE OF MIND THAT BRITAIN PROVIDES AN OPERATION THEATER, FREE OF CHARGE. "IT IT'S AN EMERGENCY OR THERE'S REAL NEED FOR PROMPT TREATMENT WE WON'T REFUSE."
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ROME, MAY 9-(AP)-ROMAN COMMUNISTS WIRED MAYOR WILLIAM O'DWYER OF NEW YORK TONIGHT THAT THERE ARE MORE COMMUNISTS THAN EVER IN THE ETERNAL CITY.
THE TELEGRAM DISPUTED THE STATEMENT MADE BY ROME'S MAYOR, SAVATORE REBECCHINI, ON HIS ARRIVAL IN NEW YORK YESTERDAY THAT RED STRENGTH IS FADING HERE.
ROME'S COMMUNISTS HAVE INCREASED FROM 85,000 IN 1949 TO 92,700 TODAY, SAID THE WIRE, SENT BY ALDO NAATOLI, PRESIDENT OF THE ROME FEDERATION. WHAT'S MORE, THE TELEGRAM ADDED, "BY THE END OF THE HOLY YEAR WE WILL BE MORE THAN 100,000."

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GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, MAY 9-(AP)-TRYGVE LIE SAID TODAY EUROPE SHOULD HAVE A BIGGER VOICE IN THE UNITED NATIONS.
THE UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY GENERAL SAID REFUSAL OF U.N. MEMBERSHIP TO NINE EUROPEAN NATIONS HAD CREATED AN ARTIFICIAL SITUATION WHICH "OUGHT TO BE REMEDIED" AND THAT THEIR ADMISSION WOULD GIVE EUROPE A STRONGER ROLE IN THE U.N. AND IMPROVE CHANCES OF BRINGING THE EAST AND WEST TOGETHER.
THE NINE COUNTRIES ARE ALBANIA, AUSTRIA, BULGARIA, FINLAND, HUNGARY, ITALY, IRELAND, PORTUGAL, AND ROMANIA. EAST-WEST DIFFERENCES HAVE PREVENTED THEIR ADMISSION. LIE SPOKE AT CEREMONIES IN CONNECTION WITH LAYING A FOUNDATION STONE FOR A NEW HEADQUARTERS BUILDING HERE FOR THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION.
LIE WILL LEAVE GENEVA EARLY TOMORROW ON THE FIRST LAP OF HIS TRIP TO MOSCOW, WHERE HE WILL CONSULT WITH MEMBERS OF THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT. HE WILL SPEND WEDNESDAY NIGHT IN PRAGUE AND WILL BE FLOWN TO MOSCOW THURSDAY IN A SPECIAL PLANE PUT AT HIS DISPOSAL BY THE SOVIET UNION.LIE IS ATTEMPTING TO RESOLVE THE CRISIS IN THE UNITED NATIONS OVER THE ISSUE OF SEATING REPRESENTATIVES FROM COMMUNIST CHINA. THE SOVIET UNION IS BOYCOTTING U.N. AGENCIES ON THE GROUND THAT THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS ARE NO LONGER ENTITLED TO REPRESENT CHINA AND THE COMMUNISTS SHOULD TAKE THEIR PLACE.

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NIGHT LEAD LIE
GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, MAY 9-(AP)-SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE OF THE UNITED NATIONS SAID TODAY HIS FIRST MEETING IN MOSCOW WILL BE WITH FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI VISHINSKY.
HE REITERATED TO A NEWS CONFERENCE THAT HE HOPES TO CONFER WITH PRIME MINISTER STALIN "IF IT CAN BE ARRANGED."
THE SECRETARY-GENERAL IS LEAVING GENEVA TOMORROW FOR PRAGUE. HE WILL FLY TO MOSCOW FROM PRAGUE THURSDAY IN A PLANE SENT BY THE RUSSIAN GOVERNMENT. HE HAS EXPRESSED HOPES OF EXPLORING THE POSSIBILITY OF ENDING THE COLD WAR.

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GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, MAY 9-(AP)-INDIA'S MINISTER OF HEALTH, PRINCESS AMRIT RAJKUMARI KAUR, TODAY WAS ELECTED CHAIRMAN OF THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION'S THIRD ANNUAL ASSEMBLY.
DELEGATES FROM 41 OF THE 69 MEMBER NATIONS OF THE U.N. ORGANIZATION APPLAUDED WHEN THE SLIGHT, GRAY-HAIRED PRINCESS TOOK THE PRESIDENTIAL ROSTRUM IN HER PURPLE AND GREEN SARI. HER ELECTION WAS UNANIMOUS.
THE PRINCESS WAS FOR 16 YEARS PRIVATE SECRETARY TO INDIA'S LEADER, THE LATE MOHANDAS K. GANDHI.
THE ASSEMBLY, WHICH WAS OPENED FORMALLY YESTERDAY BY U.N. GENERAL SECRETARY TRYGVE LIE, WILL CONFER FOR THE NEXT THREE WEEKS. THE DELEGATES ARE TO PLAN WHO'S PART IN A UNITED NATIONS WORLD DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM INITIATED BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S "POINT FOUR" PROPOSALS.
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Oslo, Norway, May 9 -(ap)- the norwegian government has presented its view to the united states government on the case of christoffer hannevig seeking $70,000,000 compensation for shipbuilding interests confiscated by the united states during world war 1.

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The foreign office said a paper reviewing the celebrated war claims case of the norwegian shipping magnate was presented to the u.s. government in washington yesterday by embassy counsel eigil nygaard. contents of the paper were not disclosed.

It was alleged that Hannevig did not obtain sufficient compensation shipbuilding for contracts he held in the united states during the first world war.

The norwegian and american governments reached agreement march 28, 1940 on the procedure to be followed in the case. but because world war II intervened, the agreement was not ratified until 1948. If the two governments cannot agree on settlement, it is provided the case can go before the united states court of claims and can be appealed to the u.s. supreme court.

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ROME, MAY 9-(AP)-HUNDREDS OF PERSONS BEGAN STREAMING INTO THE ANGLO-AMERICAN ZONE OF THE FREE TERRITORY OF TRIESTE TODAY AS YUGOSLAVIA LIFTED A 10-DAY BAN ON TRAVEL FROM THE ZONE SHE CONTROLS, ANSA, THE ITALIAN NEWS AGENCY, SAID.

ANSA SAID HUNDREDS OF ITALIANS, HELD UP BY THE BLOCKADE, POURED ACROSS THE BORDER AND JAMMED BOATS COMING FROM THE YUGOSLAV ZONE TO THE PORT CITY OF TRIESTE.

THE ITALIAN PRESS HAD CHARGED THAT THE BLOCKADE, IMPOSED WITHOUT EXPLANATION, WAS A PRELUDE TO A MOVE TO ANNEX THE YUGOSLAV-OCCUPIED ZONE TO YUGOSLAVIA PROPER.

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AMS BUDGET (480)

NIGHT LEAD GERMAN

BY RICHARD KASISCHKE

BERLIN, MAY 9-(AP)-A RUSSIAN PROPOSAL THAT ALL OCCUPATION TROOPS BE REMOVED FROM BERLIN AS A PRELUDE TO A "FREE AND DEMOCRATIC" CITY ELECTION WAS REBUFFED BY ANTI-COMMUNIST GERMANS AND WESTERN ALLIED SPOKESMEN ALIKE TODAY.

FRENCH MAJ.GEN. JEAN GANEVAL SPOKE MOST PLAINLY FOR THE WESTERN POWERS, WHOSE GARRISONS THE RUSSIANS WOULD LIKE TO SEE SENT 100 MILES TO WESTERN GERMANY. HE SAID THE SOVIET PROPOSAL CANNOT BE TAKEN SERIOUSLY.

"THE CITY COULD THEN BE LIKE AN ISLAND LOST IN THE MIDDLE OF THE SOVIET ZONE AND IT WOULD BE EASY FOR THE RUSSIANS TO TAKE POSSESSION OF IT AT VERY LITTLE COST," HE SAID. "BERLIN WOULD BE SURROUNDED BY THE GARRISONS OF THE SOVIET ZONE."

U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J.MCCLOY ASKED IN PARIS:

"WHAT DO THEY, THE RUSSIANS, DO? WITHDRAW TO POTSDAM?"

POTSDAM IS A SUBURB OF BERLIN.

MCCLOY SAID THERE MAY BE SOME JOKERS IN THE RUSSIAN PROPOSAL, "BUT WE MUST RESERVE JUDGMENT UNTIL IT HAS SOME STUDY."

HE WAS IN THE FRENCH CAPITAL WITH SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON. BOTH FLEW LATER TO LONDON.

ACHESON SAID THE PROPOSAL IS A REPETITION OF A DEMAND SOVIET FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI Y.VISHINSKY PUT FORWARD A YEAR AGO, "WITH SOME ADDED TRIMMING."

"THE MATTER WILL BE HANDLED IN THE FIRST INSTANCE BY THE COMMANDANTS IN BERLIN," ACHESON SAID. "IT WILL BE REFERRED TO THE HIGH COMMISSIONERS IF THE COMMANDANTS NEED INSTRUCTIONS. IT PROBABLY WILL BE DISCUSSED BY THE THREE (U.S., BRITISH AND FRENCH) FOREIGN MINISTERS."

THE ANTI-COMMUNIST POLITICIANS AND PRESS OF WEST BERLIN CALLED THE RUSSIAN PROPOSAL "JUST ANOTHER SOVIET TRICK," AIMED AT GETTING THE WESTERN ALLIES TO GIVE UP A STRATEGIC POSITION HERE WHICH THEY HAD DEFENDED WITH THE AIRLIFT THROUGH THE SOVIET BLOCKADE.

"IF THE KREMLIN THINKS IT CAN FOOL BERLINERS WITH PROPAGANDA PROMISES ABOUT REALLY FREE ELECTIONS IT IS MISTAKEN," SAID THE NEWSPAPER KURIER. "NOR IS THE REST OF THE WORLD SO NAIVE IT CAN'T SEE THROUGH THESE MANEUVERS."

THE SOVIET IDEA WAS SPRUNG BY COL. ALEXEI JELISAROV, REPRESENTATIVE OF THE RUSSIAN CONTROL COMMISSION HERE.

HE SAID THAT HE, LIKE THE WESTERN COMMANDANTS, WAS IN FAVOR OF SUPERVISED CITY-WIDE ELECTPOKS TO REUNITE THE CITY ADMINISTRATION WHICH THE COMMUNISTS RUPTURED WHEN THEY SET UP A RUMP GOVERNMENT IN EAST BERLIN IN 1948.

BUT JELISAROV LAID DOWN SEVEN PRE-CONDITIONS. THE FIRST OF THESE WAS THAT OCCUPATION FORCES WITHDRAW.

OTHER DEMANDS WERE THAT THE COMMUNIST "MASS ORGANIZATIONS" SHOULD HAVE FREE SWAY THROUGHOUT THE CITY AND THAT THE SOVIET VETO RIGHT BE RESTORED IN ANY CENTRAL CITY GOVERNMENT THAT MIGHT BE ELECTED.

LORD MAYOR ERNST REUTER AND OTHER LEADERS OF THE LEGALLY-ELECTED GOVERNMENT OF WEST BERLIN SAID THEY WOULD NEVER STAND FOR A RESTORATION OF THE VETO.

THE NEWSPAPER BERLINER ANZEIGER CALLED THE RUSSIAN DEMANDS "SHAMELESS."

THE NEWSPAPER DER ABEND ADDED THAT THE RUSSIANS HAD NOW CONVICTED THEMSELVES BEFORE THE WORLD AS THE REAL SPLITTERS OF BERLIN.

"THIS SOVIET SCHEME TO TRY TO GRAB BERLIN IN A CHEAP WAY IS LAUGHABLE," SAID DER ABEND. "NOW THEY SHOW BY THESE PROPOSALS THAT THEY DON'T WANT EVER TO UNIFY BERLIN ON ANY TERMS BUT THEIR OWN. THIS SHOULD DISABUSE ANY NAIVE POLITICIANS WHO STILL DEAL IN GOOD FAITH WITH THE SOVIETS TO BUILD BRIDGES BETWEEN EAST AND WEST FOR A REUNIFICATION OF BERLIN AND GERMANY."

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PMS BUDGET (500)
BERLIN ELECTIONS
BY THOMAS A.REEDY

BERLIN, MAY 9-(AP)-RUSSIA SAYS SHE WILL AGREE TO A CITY-WIDE ELECTIO IN BERLIN IF ALLIED TROOPS MOVED MORE THAN 100 MILES BACK TO WEST GERMANY. THERE APPEARS LITTLE CHANCE THE SOVIET CONDITION WILL BE ACCEPTED.

ALONG WITH FOUR OTHER DEMANDS CALCULATED TO GIVE EAST GERMAN COMMUNISTS THE UPPER HAND IN THE ELECTIONS, A RUSSIAN NOTE LAST NIGHT PROPOSED WITHDRAWAL OF ALL OCCUPATION TROOPS FROM THE CITY. RUSSIAN TROOPS WOULD NEED TO MOVE ONLY TO BERLIN'S OUTSKIRTS. AMERICAN, BRITISH AND FRENCH SOLDIERS WOULD HAVE TO GO TO THE SOVIET ZONE BORDER ON ELBE RIVER, MORE THAN 100 MILES TO THE WEST.

GUARDED BUT COOL FIRST REACTIONS TO THE RUSSIAN RESPONSE WERE REGISTERED BY TWO OF THE THREE WESTERN COMMANDANTS WHO THREE WEEKS AGO PROPOSED THE CITY-WIDE BALLOT.

MAJ.GEN.MAXWELL D.TAYLOR, THE AMERICAN OCCUPATION CHIEF HERE, SAID HE FOUND "LITTLE ENCOURAGEMENT" IN THE RUSSIAN NOTE. THE BRITISH COMMANDANT, MAJ.GEN.GEOFFREY K.BOURNE, TERMED THE REPLY "A VERY ROUNDABOUT WAY OF SAYING 'NO.'"

TAYLOR ADDED HE FOUND "SOME CONSOLATION" THAT "EVEN THE SOVIETS CANNOT BE SILENT BEFORE THE DEEP DESIRE OF BERLIN TO BE REUNITED." BOURNE SAID HE WAS GLAD TO SEE SOME RESPONSE TO THE WESTERN APPEALS FOR FREE ELECTIONS.

AN AMERICAN SPOKESMAN INDICATED THE THREE WESTERN COMMANDANTS MIGHT MEET TODAY TO SEE IF ANY OF THE RUSSIAN CONDITIONS COULD BE ACCEPTED.

THE SOVIETS DEMANDED, IN ADDITION TO THE TROOP WITHDRAWAL:

1. SCRAPPING OF THE OCCUPATION LAW NOW IN FORCE IN WEST BERLIN. UNDER IT THE WESTERN POWERS GAVE THEIR OCCUPATION ZONES SELF-GOVERNMENT EXCEPT IN MATTERS OF FOREIGN POLICY AND SECURITY.
2. PERMISSION FOR ALL COMMUNIST-INSPIRED EAST BERLIN ORGANIZATIONS INCLUDING THE RED "NATIONAL FRONT" TO FUNCTION FREELY IN THE WESTERN SECTORS.
3. ABOLITION OF SECTOR BOUNDARIES.
4. RESTORATION BY THE WESTERN ALLIES OF VOTING PRIVILEGES TO ALL FORMER NAZIS EXCEPT THOSE WHO LOST THE FRANCHISE BECAUSE OF CONVICTION AS WAR CRIMINALS.

IN PARIS U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON SAID THE RUSSIAN OFFER PROBABLY WOULD BE DISCUSSED IN LONDON AT THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS CONFERENCE LATER THIS WEEK.

THE RUSSIAN DEMANDS, ACHESON SAID, WERE A REPETITION OF DEMANDS MADE A YEAR AGO BY SOVIET FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI VISHINSKY "WITH SOME ADDED TRIMMING."

WITHDRAWAL OF WESTERN TROOPS, SAID A HIGH BRITISH OFFICIAL, WOULD "SIMPLY BE AN INVITATION FOR THE COMMUNISTS TO WALK IN AND TAKE OVER."

HIS WORDS WERE ECHOED BY CARL HUBERT SCHWENNICKE, LEADER OF THE WEST ZONE FREE DEMOCRATIC PARTY, WHO DECLARED RUSSIAN TROOPS COULD BE BACK IN THE CITY IN HALF AN HOUR.

"IT COULD HAPPEN," HE SAID, "THAT 'UNREST DEVELOPS' IN THE CITY AND SOVIET TROOPS ARE 'CALLED IN TO RESTORE ORDER'."

THE RUSSIAN PROPOSAL CAME IN AN ATMOSPHERE OF INCREASING CONCESSIONS TO THE GERMANS BY THE WESTERN ALLIES AND WIDESPREAD GERMAN DISCONTENT AT THE RECENT SOVIET ANNOUNCEMENT THAT REPATRIATION OF GERMAN WAR PRISONERS FROM RUSSIA HAS ENDED. WEST GERMAN OFFICIALS CLAIM THE SOVIETS STILL HOLD HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF GERMAN PRISONERS OF WAR.

ONLY YESTERDAY U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN WERE REPORTED TO HAVE AGREED IN PARIS, SUBJECT TO BRITISH APPROVAL, TO GIVE THE WEST GERMAN REPUBLIC VIRTUALLY COMPLETE CONTROL OF POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC AFFAIRS. MILITARY CONTROL WOULD BE RETAINED BY THE ALLIES.

ALSO YESTERDAY, WESTERN OCCUPATION AUTHORITIES TURNED OVER TO THE WEST GERMAN REGIME CONTROL OF A WIDE RANGE OF GERMAN INDUSTRY. A RIGID PROHIBITION ON ANY REARMAMENT WAS MAINTAINED, HOWEVER.

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BERLIN, MAY 9-(AP)-A FLOOD OF DESERTIONS APPEARS TO HAVE HIT THE RUSSIAN ZONE "PEOPLE'S POLICE."

IN AN EFFORT TO PLUG THE LEAK THE RUSSIANS HAVE ASSIGNED A SPECIAL ROVING SQUAD, LED BY SOVIET SECRET POLICE, TO PATROL EAST BERLIN'S BORDERS NIGHTLY.

THIS INFORMATION CAME FROM SEVEN DESERTERS WHO FLED TO WEST BERLIN DURING THE PAST WEEK. ALL CLAIMED THEY WERE BEING TRAINED AS INFANTRY TROOPS AND FEARED THEY WERE BEING EASED INTO A NEW WAR.

NONE WOULD GUESS AT THE RATE OF DESERTION BUT ALL AGREED IT IS HIGH. SAID ONE PATROLMAN, GERHARD FROESS:

"ALL OF THE MEN THERE WOULD DESERT TO THE WEST IF THEY GOT A CHANCE. THE DISCIPLINE IS LIKE AN ARMY AND EVEN WORSE. NONE OF THE MEN KNOW WHY THIS HAS TO BE.

"WE CAME OVER TO SEE IF WE WOULD BE ALLOWED TO STAY. THE OTHERS EXPECT SOME WORD FROM US BUT WE DON'T KNOW HOW TO LET THEM KNOW THAT WE ARE BEING TREATED LIKE FREE MEN HERE AND THERE IS NO ARMY WE HAVE TO JOIN NOR MINES WE HAVE TO WORK IN."

DESERTERS FROM THE EAST HAVE BEEN PROMISED POLITICAL ASYLUM IN WEST GERMANY, AMERICAN OFFICIALS DISCLOSED.

FROESS AND SIX COMRADES WERE WITNESSES AT THE AMERICAN TRIAL OF SIX PEOPLE'S POLICEMEN ARRESTED IN THE U.S. SECTOR APRIL 13 FOR WEARING SEMI-MILITARY UNIFORMS AND CARRYING MACHINEGUNS.

THE DESERTERS SAID IN INTERVIEWS THAT MANY OF THE POLICE CAMPS SEETHE WITH DISSENSION. FROESS SAID THIS WAS ESPECIALLY TRUE OF BERLIN'S TREPTOW CAMP, WHERE HE SAID A FORCE OF 1,000 COMMANDOS HAD BEEN BUILT UP.

THE COMMISSARS HAD SO MUCH TROUBLE WITH THE TREPTOW CONTINGENT, FROESS SAID, THAT ALL THE MEN WERE SHIPPED OUT INTO THE SOVIET OCCUPATION ZONE RECENTLY AND WERE REPLACED BY UNITS FROM SAXONY.

THE DESERTERS' STORIES, TOGETHER WITH RECORDS OF THE TRIAL OF THE SIX PEOPLE'S POLICEMEN, WILL BE SUBMITTED TO HIGH U.S. AUTHORITIES AS BASIS FOR A POSSIBLE OFFICIAL PROTEST TO THE KREMLIN OVER THE REARMING OF THE EAST GERMANS, OFFICIAL SOURCES SAID.
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BERLIN, MAY 9-(AP)-A WEST BERLIN COURT LAST NIGHT SENTENCED TO DEATH A FORMER SS-OFFICER ON CHARGES OF HAVING GASSED "MORE THAN A MILLION JEWS" IN A NAZI CONCENTRATION CAMP IN POLAND DURING THE GERMAN OCCUPATION.
THE DEFENDANT, 50-YEAR-OLD ERICH BAUER, WAS "GASSING OFFICER" OF A CAMP NEAR LUBLIN IN 1942-43. HE WAS CONVICTED AFTER TESTIMONY OF A STRING OF PROSECUTION WITNESSES WHO CHARGED HIM WITH "PERSONALLY PUSHING THE JEWS INTO THE GAS CHAMBERS."
THE FORMER SS-OFFICER WAS ONLY RECENTLY ARRESTED WHEN A SURVIVING INMATE OF THE SOBIBOR CAMP RECOGNIZED HIM IN A BERLIN STREET.
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BERLIN,MAY 9-(AP)-RUSSIAN ZONE BORDER AUTHORITIES AT WITTENBERGE ON THE ELBE RIVER ARE HOLDING ABOUT 20 BARGES CARRYING CARGO FROM BERLIN TO WEST GERMANY, BRITISH OFFICIALS SAID TODAY.
MOST OF THE BARGES ARE LADEN WITH SCRAP METAL, THE BRITISH SAID. SOME HAVE BEEN HELD UP SINCE LAST FRIDAY.
THE BRITISH SAID TWO OTHER BARGE LOADS OF METAL HAD RECENTLY BEEN CONFISCATED BY THE RUSSIANS. THE SOVIET ZONE OF EAST GERMANY IS SHORT OF METAL AND HAS TERMED ITS EXPORT TO THE WEST AS "SMUGGLING."
THE BRITISH SAID THE RUSSIANS WERE APPRENTLY APPLYING ON THE INLAND WATERWAYS THE SAME SLOW-DOWN TACTICS THEY PERIODICALLY INSTITUTE ON THE MOTOR HIGHWAY LINKING BERLIN, WHICH IS INSIDE THE SOVIET ZONE, WITH THE WEST.
CUSTOMS OFFICIALS OF THE COMMUNIST-LED EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT CONTINUALLY INSIST UPON CHECKING ALL TRANSPORT PAPERS AND CARGOES GOING THROUGH THEIR CHECKPOINTS TO CLAMP DOWN ON THE ALLEGED "SMUGGLING."
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BONN, GERMANY, MAY 9-(AP)-CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER SAID TONIGHT HIS CABINET HAD ACCEPTED AN INVITATION FOR WEST GERMANY TO ENTER THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE AS AN ASSOCIATE MEMBER.
THE WEST GERMAN CONSTITUTION REQUIRES THAT PARLIAMENT NOW GIVE ITS APPROVAL.
ADENAUER TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THE CABINET HAD ACTED QUICKLY SO THAT GERMANY'S DECISION WOULD BE KNOWN BEFORE THE MEETING OF THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS IN LONDON THIS WEEK.
THE CHANCELLOR LINKED HIS ANNOUNCEMENT WITH TODAY'S OFFER BY THE FRENCH CABINET TO POOL FRENCH AND GERMAN COAL AND STEEL OUTPUT.
HE SAID THE FRENCH MOVE "IS A GENEROUS STEP BY FRANCE TOWARDS GERMANY. IT IS A DECISIVE PROGRESS IN GERMAN-FRENCH RELATIONS -- A PROGRESS WHICH CANNOT BE DEEPLY ENOUGH UNDERLINED."
ADENAUER DECLARED THE FRENCH SUGGESTION IMPLIED "CONCRETE SUGGESTIONS ON THE BASIS OF EQUALITY WHICH MAY LEAD TO A FAVORABLE EUROPEAN DEVELOPMENT."
THE INVITATION TO WEST GERMANY TO JOIN THE COUNCIL -- A NON-GOVERNMENTAL PARLIAMENT FOR WESTERN EUROPE -- WAS MADE FIVE WEEKS AGO.
AS AN ASSOCIATE MEMBER, GERMANY WOULD HAVE ONLY AN ADVISORY STATUS IN THE LOWER HOUSE OF THE COUNCIL. THE UPPER HOUSE IS MADE UP OF THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE MEMBER COUNTRIES. SINCE GERMANY HAS NO FOREIGN MINISTER AND HER FOREIGN RELATIONS ARE STILL UNDER ALLIED CONTROL, SHE COULD NOT BELONG TO THIS BODY.
THE INVITATION AND GERMANY'S ACCEPTANCE ARE ONE MORE STEP IN THE LONG ROAD TO GERMAN INTEGRATION INTO A PEACEFUL EUROPE WHICH IS ONE OF THE MAIN ITEMS OF U.S. FOREIGN POLICY.

ADENAUER SAID GERMAN ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP IN THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE DID NOT MEAN THAT THE WESTERN POWERS HAD DECIDED TO PERMIT THE REMILITARIZATION OF GERMANY NOR THAT GERMANY WOULD JOIN THE ATLANTIC PACT.
THE CHANCELLOR, WHO APPEARED TO TAKE FINAL PARLIAMENTARY APPROVAL FOR GRANTED, PREDICTED THAT GERMANY'S ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP WOULD SOON BE CHANGED TO FULL MEMBERSHIP.
HE SAID SUCH MEMBERSHIP WOULD LEAD TO LIFTING OF OTHER RESTRICTIONS ON WEST GERMANY.
RETURNING TO THE FRENCH IRON-STEEL OFFER, ADENAUER SAID THE INCLUSION OF SAAR PRODUCTION IN THE PROPOSAL HAD REMOVED ONE OF THE BIGGEST CAUSES OF FRICTION IN THE RELATIONS BETWEEN FRANCE AND GERMANY.
"IT APPEARS TO ME THAT THIS CREATES THE PRE-CONDITIONS FOR MAKING ANY FUTURE CONFLICT BETWEEN FRANCE AND GERMANY IMPOSSIBLE," HE SAID. "I BELIEVE GREAT PROGRESS FOR GERMANY, FRANCE AND EUROPE WILL COME FROM THIS. IT IS A MAGNANIMOUS STEP OF THE GREATEST POSSIBLE SIGNIFICANCE."
FRANCE INCORPORATED THE COAL RICH SAAR BASIN IN HER ECONOMY AFTER WORLD WAR II. THIS HAS CAUSED MUCH BITTERNESS IN GERMANY.
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BUDAPEST, HUNGARY, MAY 9-(AP)-HUNGARY TOLD BRITAIN TODAY SHE COULD PAY COMPENSATION TO BRITISH OWNERS OF NATIONALIZED PROPERTIES HERE ONLY IF THE TWO COUNTRIES HAD TRADE RELATIONS.
A HUNGARIAN NOTE ANSWERED A BRITISH DEMAND FOR PAYMENT.
BRITAIN DROPPED TRADE NEGOTIATIONS WITH HUNGARY LAST DECEMBER BECAUSE OF HUNGARIAN ACTION IN THE CASE OF BRITON EDGAR SANDERS WHO WAS CONVICTED WITH AMERICAN ROBERT A. VOGELER OF SPYING.
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BUDAPEST, HUNGARY, MAY 9-(AP)-THE OFFICIAL COMMUNIST PARTY NEWSPAPER ADMITTED TODAY HUNGARY IS HAVING DIFFICULTIES IN THE SUPPLY OF CERTAIN FOODSTUFFS AND WARNED SHOPPERS TO DISPLAY "MORE DISCIPLINE."
THE NEWSPAPER, SZABAD NEP, SAID THE DIFFICULTIES WERE TEMPORARY, AND ADDED THAT BUDAPEST INHABITANTS CONSUMED MUCH MORE FOOD IN THE FIRST PART OF 1950 THAN IN THE SIMILAR PERIOD LAST YEAR.
IT WAS THE FIRST OFFICIAL ADMISSION OF SHORTAGES OF FOOD IN THIS AGRICULTURAL COUNTRY.

"certain transitional difficulties exist," the paper said. "considerable quantities of butter, beef and pork were exported in the course of the last months. the overwhelming majority of these exports went to western capitalist countries and enabled us to purchase important raw ~~mm~~ materials and machinery."

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the newspaper also said that hungary's state-owned wholesale trade has "certain organizational weaknesses, adding that "there were great errors in organizing supplies." much less potatoes were stored than were needed, the paper said, disclosing that managers responsible already have been dismissed.

"but the new potatoes will arrive soon," the paper promised, "and considerable quantities of butter will be on the market as from the middle of this month. but the workers have to show more discipline in their shopping and they also have to unmask those who spread false rumors."

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BELGRADE, YUGOSLAVIA, MAY 9-(AP)-IN ONE OF THE TOUGHEST ATTACKS TO DATE ON MOSCOW'S COLD WAR TACTICS, YUGOSLAVIA'S OFFICIAL PRESS TODAY TERMED THE RUSSIAN "PEACE" CAMPAIGN HYPOCRITICAL.
THE NEWSPAPER BORBA, VOICE OF TITO'S ANTI-KREMLIN COMMUNIST REGIME, COMMENTED EDITORIALLY THAT THE SOVIET-LED COMINFORM'S PROPAGANDA SLOGANS FOR PEACE ARE "HYPOCRITCAL AND, IN FACT, HAVE QUITE CONTRARY AIMS."
"THE PEACE WHICH IS NOW PROPAGATED FROM MOSCOW -- THAT IS NOT THE PEACE FOR WHICH THE PEOPLE FOUGHT," THE NEWSPAPER DECLARED.
BORBA PRAISED THE UNITED NATIONS AS "THE BEST INSTRUMENT OF INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION."

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PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, MAY 9-(AP)-PREMIER ANTONIN ZAPOTOCKY EXPLAINED TODAY TO WORKERS IN PILSEN'S SKODA ARMS FACTORY WHY "WE DO NOT CONSIDER THE ARMIES OF THE WEST AS OUR LIBERATORS."
ZAPOTOCKY SAID:
"THE QUESTION OF LIBERATION IS NOT SOLVED BY A QUESTION WHICH ARMY ARRIVED. THE QUESTION OF LIBERATION IS LINKED WITH THE QUESTION OF WHAT EACH RESPECTIVE COUNTRY HAS DONE FOR LIBERATION, WHAT ARE THE MERITS OF HER DEFEAT OF HITLER REACTION AND HOW GREAT WERE HER SACRIFICES."
THE NAZIS WERE DRIVEN OUT OF PILSEN BY AMERICAN TROOPS.
THE PREMIER SAID GERMAN FASCISM WOULD NEVER HAVE BEEN DEFEATED WITHOUT THE RED ARMY, AND THE WEST WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE DISMEMBERMENT OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA AT MUNICH.

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NIGHT LEAD GREEK (220)
ATHENS, GREECE, MAY 9-(AP)-GREEK AND YUGOSLAV NEGOTIATORS HAVE AGREED IN PRINCIPLE ON THE RESTORATION OF NORMAL RELATIONS BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES AND ON MEASURES NECESSARY TO MAKE THIS EFFECTIVE, IT WAS OFFICIALLY ANNOUNCED TODAY.
"THE TWO GOVERNMENTS ALSO ARE AGREED OVER THE SIMULTANEOUS EXCHANGE OF MINISTERS BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES," THE STATEMENT ADDED.
DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS BETWEEN THE TWO EBBED DURING THE GREEK CIVIL WAR. YUGOSLAVIA WITHDREW HER MINISTER FROM ATHENS LATE IN 1946 AND GREECE SUBSEQUENTLY WITHDREW HER MINISTER FROM BELGRADE IN DISPUTES THAT AROSE FROM BACKING BY NEIGHBORING COMMUNISTS OF THE COMMUNIST-LED GREEK REBELS. ONLY SKELETON STAFFS WERE LEFT IN THE LEGATIONS.
THE AMERICAN-SUPPLIED GREEK ARMED FORCES CRUSHED THE REVOLT LAST SUMMER.
YUGOSLAV PREMIER MARSHAL TITO, AT ODDS WITH MOSCOW 22 MONTHS, ANNOUNCED APRIL 27 THAT YUGOSLAVIA WAS READY TO RESUME FULL DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH GREECE AND WOULD NOMINATE A DIPLOMATIC ENVOY WITHIN A FEW DAYS.
GREEK OFFICIALS DISPLAYED SOME RESERVE.
PREMIER NICHOLAS PLASTIRAS AND UNDER SECRETARY JOHN POLITIS CONFERRED 45 MINUTES TODAY WITH THE YUGOSLAV CHARGE D'AFFAIRS, SHERIF SHEHOVIC. THE STATEMENT ON THE AGREEMENT IN PRINCIPLE WAS ISSUED AFTER THAT MEETING.
GREEK FOREIGN MINISTRY QUARTERS EMPHASIZE THAT SERIOUS PROBLEMS MUST BE SETTLED BEFORE RAPPROCHEMENT IS POSSIBLE. THESE INCLUDE THE REPATRIATION OF SEVERAL THOUSAND GREEK CHILDREN TAKEN TO YUGOSLAVIA BY COMMUNISTS AND THE POSITION OF THE GREEK MINORITY IN YUGOSLAVIA.

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ATHENS, MAY 9-(AP)-GREECE AND YUGOSLAVIA ARE AGREED IN PRINCIPLE ON THE RESTORATION OF NORMAL DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS, PREMIER NICHOLAS PLASTIRAS ANNOUNCED TODAY.

AFTER A 45-MINUTE CONFERENCE WITH YUGOSLAV CHARGE D'AFFAIRES SHERIF SHEHOVIC, THE PREMIER ANNOUNCED: X10

"THE TWO GOVERNMENTS IN PRINCIPLE AGREE OVER THE RESTORATION OF NORMAL RELATIONS OF THE TWO COUNTRIES AND ON MEASURES WHICH ARE NECESSARY TO TAKE THAT EFFECT. THE TWO GOVERNMENTS ALSO ARE AGREED OVER SIMULTANEOUS EXCHANGE OF MINISTERS BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES."

THERE ARE STILL A NUMBER OF SERIOUS HURDLES BEFORE GREECE AND YUGOSLAVIA CAN BRIDGE THE BITTERNESS ENGENDERED BY THE GREEK CIVIL WAR, WHICH YUGOSLAVIA ONCE HAD BEEN ACCUSED OF FOSTERING.

PREMIER MARSHAL TITO, OUTCAST BY THE MOSCOW-LED COMINFORM AS A COMMUNIST HERETIC, RECENTLY ANNOUNCED THAT DIPLOMATIC REPRESENTATIVES WERE TO BE EXCHANGED BEFORE LONG BETWEEN HIS COUNTRY AND GREECE. BUT AUTHORITATIVE SOURCES HERE HAVE NOT BEEN OPTIMISTIC FOR A QUICK SETTLEMENT.

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SUCH PROBLEMS REMAIN AS THE REPATRIATION OF CHILDREN WHO GREECE CHARGES HAD BEEN ABDUCTED DURING THE CIVIL WAR AND HELD IN YUGOSLAVIA AND THE POSITION OF THE GREEK MINORITY IN TITO'S COUNTRY.

A RECENT SEMI-OFFICIAL YUGOSLAV STATEMENT SAID THERE WERE 9,506 GREEK CHILDREN IN YUGOSLAVIA, OF WHOM 7,662 WERE LIVING WITH THEIR PARENTS AND THUS NOT SUBJECT TO REPATRIATION.

THE GREEK RED CROSS QUESTIONED THESE FIGURES, ARGUING THAT THERE ARE ABOUT 12,000 GREEK CHILDREN INVOLVED AND THAT THE STATEMENT CONCERNING THE PARENTS WAS AN EXCUSE TO AVOID REPATRIATION.

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ATHENS, MAY 9-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN WILL RECEIVE AS A GIFT FROM THE ISLAND OF CRETE PROBABLY THE ONLY MOUNTAIN GOAT THAT HAS EVER STAYED IN ATHENS' FASHIONABLE KING GEORGE HOTEL.

"KRI KRI," DESCRIBED AS A RARE KIND OF MOUNTAIN GOAT, STARTLED HOTEL GUESTS LAST NIGHT AT THE HEIGHT OF THE DINNER HOUR WHEN HE WANDERED IN WITH GRIZZLED OLD MOUNTAINEER EFTIKIOS PROTOPAPADAKIS.

THE ZOOLOGICAL RARITY, WHICH EFTIKIOS HAS REARED FROM A MERE CRETAN KID, IS ON THE FIRST LEG OF HIS TRIP TO WASHINGTON AS A TOKEN OF CRETE'S GRATITUDE TO AMERICA. THE GOAT WILL BE GIVEN TO THE PRESIDENT AND THEN PUT UP IN THE WASHINGTON ZOO--IF HIS TASTES HAVEN'T ALREADY BECOME TOO SWANKY, THAT IS.

FLOWN IN FROM THE RUGGED MOUNTAINS OF HIS HOME YESTERDAY BY A SPECIAL U.S. AIR FORCE PLANE CHARTERED BY GREECE'S ECA CHIEF PAUL PORTER, KRI KRI WAS PUT IN QUARANTINE AT THE STATE AGRICULTURAL SCHOOL.

BUT EFTIKIOS, PACING THE FLOOR OF HIS KING GEORGE HOTEL ROOM IN HIS CRETAN MOUNTAIN BOOTS, GOT WORRIED AND LONESOME. IT WAS THE FIRST TIME THE TWO HAD BEEN SEPARATED. SO EFTIKIOS KEPT THE GOAT IN HIS FOURTH FLOOR ROOM OVERNIGHT.

"I COULDN'T LEAVE HIM ALONE," EFTIKIOS SAID. "KRI KRI NEEDED COMPANY AND HE DIDN'T EVEN HAVE A NANNYGOAT FOR A FRIEND. SO WE RETURNED TOGETHER IN A CAR TO THE HOTEL."

ECA OFFICIALS SAID "SPECIAL NEW ARRANGEMENTS" ARE BEING MADE FOR THE GOAT'S FUTURE OVERNIGHT ACCOMMODATIONS BEFORE HE TAKES OFF FOR WASHINGTON.

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MOSCOW, MAY 9-(AP)-AN INDONESIAN DELEGATION LEFT MOSCOW TODAY FOR JAKARTA AFTER TALKS WITH SOVIET OFFICIALS ON ESTABLISHMENT OF DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS BETWEEN RUSSIA AND THE UNITED STATES OF INDONESIA. THE DELEGATION ARRIVED HERE APRIL 29. DIPLOMATIC SOURCES DESCRIBED THE TALKS AS "SATISFACTORY." X-10

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BY THOMAS A. WHITNEY (140)

MOSCOW, MAY 9-(AP)-THERE IS CONSIDERABLE INTEREST IN DIPLOMATIC QUARTERS HERE ABOUT TALKS BETWEEN SOVIET GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND GUNNAR MYRDAL, EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OF THE UNITED NATIONS ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR EUROPE.

MYRDAL CAME HERE TO DISCUSS POSSIBILITIES OF INCREASING EAST-WEST TRADE.

WESTERN DIPLOMATS ARE IMPRESSED BECAUSE MYRDAL IS HAVING THE OPPORTUNITY TO TALK TO HIGH OFFICIALS AND HAS NOT RUN UP AGAINST A WALL OF REFUSAL TO LISTEN TO HIM.

ALTHOUGH THEY ARE NOT OPTIMISTIC ABOUT THE TALKS' OUTCOME, THEY CONSIDER THE CONVERSATIONS HAVE CONSIDERABLE POSSIBILITIES.

IT IS SIGNIFICANT THAT MYRDAL HEADS THE ONLY U.N. BODY WHICH RUSSIA HAS NOT BOYCOTTED. THAT IS BECAUSE THERE ARE NO CHINESE REPRESENTATIVES ON THE EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COUNCIL. THUS THE COUNCIL IS THE ONLY U.N. ORGAN AT PRESENT WHICH CAN SERVE AS A CHANNEL FOR EAST-WEST CONVERSATIONS.

MYRDAL HAS DENIED HIS TRIP HAS ANY CONNECTION WITH THE ARRIVAL EXPECTED THIS WEEK OF U.N. SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE.

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B39 (Q)
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REYKJAVIK, ICELAND, MAY 9-(AP)-AN ICELANDIC AIR LINE THAT FLEW A PLANELOAD OF BRITISH-BORN WIVES OF CHICAGO EX-SERVICEMEN TO BRITAIN DENIED TODAY THE PASSENGERS' COMPLAINT THAT ADEQUATE FOOD WAS NOT PROVIDED ON THE TRIP.

TWENTY-SIX WOMEN AND 32 CHILDREN ABOARD THE PLANE LANDED IN PRESTWICK, SCOTLAND, LAST NIGHT INSTEAD OF LONDON, THE SCHEDULED DESTINATION. THE CHANGE WAS MADE BECAUSE ICELANDIC HEALTH AUTHORITIES SAID A SUSPECTED SMALLPOX CASE HAD TURNED UP AT A LONDON AIRPORT LAST WEEK. THE PILOT OF THE ICELANDIC PLANE WAS WARNED BY THE AUTHORITIES DURING A REFUELING STOP HERE THAT HE WOULD NOT BE PERMITTED TO RETURN TO ICELAND IF HE FLEW TO LONDON.

MRS. ANN GOLDMAN OF 3940 W. 15TH ST., CHICAGO, PRESIDENT OF THE BRITANNIC CLUB FOR BRITISH WAR BRIDES, TOLD REPORTERS IN PRESTWICK THAT IT HAD COST $13,000 TO CHARTER THE PLANE. OTHER PASSENGERS COMPLAINED OF THE FOOD AND SAID THERE WAS NO ADEQUATE PROVISION FOR FEEDING BABIES.

THE AIR LINE SAID THE COMPLAINTS WERE "UTTERLY UNFOUNDED" AND ADDED THAT ADEQUATE PROVISION HAD BEEN MADE FOR MEALS ALOFT AND WHILE THE PLANE WAS ON THE GROUND. BABY FOOD AND WARM NURSING BOTTLES WERE SERVED WHENEVER REQUESTED, THE AIR LINE SAID.

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A93KX
NIGHT LEAD AIRMEN (220)
TOKYO,MAY 9-(AP)-CHINA'S COMMUNISTS SAY THEY ARE FREEING TWO U.S. FLIERS HELD SINCE 1948.

THE BIG QUESTION NOW IS WHEN AND WHERE.

A HIGHLY RESPONSIBLE SOURCE IN TIENTSIN TOLD THE ASSOCIATED PRESS IN A CABLE THAT NOTHING WAS KNOWN THERE BEYOND A BRIEF ANNOUNCEMENT IN THE COMMUNIST PRESS.

THIS SOURCE WOULD BE IN A POSITION TO KNOW IF THE TWO, MARINE MASTER SGT.ELMER C.BENDER OF CINCINNATI AND NAVY CHIEF ELECTRICIAN WILLIAM C.SMITH, LONG BEACH, CALIF., ARE RELEASED THROUGH TIENTSIN.

ANOTHER LOGICAL POINT OF DEPARTURE IS TSINGTAO, THE FORMER U.S. NAVAL BASE SOUTH OF TIENTSIN. IT WAS ON A TRAINING FLIGHT FROM TSINGTAO THAT THEIR PLANE WAS FORCED DOWN ON OCT. 19, 1948.

(STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS IN WASHINGTON SAID THEY HAD ASKED BRITAIN TO TRY TO LEARN THROUGH THE BRITISH CONSUL AT PEIPING HOW AND WHEN THE TWO WOULD BE RELEASED.

(REP.MANSFIELD (D-MONT) SAID HE UNDERSTOOD AN AMERICAN SHIP WILL TOUCH AT TSINGTAO MAY 25 AND ARRANGEMENTS MIGHT BE MADE FOR SMITH AND BENDER TO EMBARK THERE FOR JAPAN. SMITH'S PARENTS LIVE IN MONTANA.

(THE SHIP MIGHT BE THE FLYING ARROW. ITS SKIPPER, DAVID JONES, TRIED TO ARRANGE FOR THE RELEASE OF THE AMERICANS AT TSINGTAO JAN.25. SMITH REPORTED THEN THAT HE WAS ACTING ON BEHALF OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

(A CHINESE NATIONALIST CENTRAL NEWS AGENCY DISPATCH SATURDAY SAID THE FLYING ARROW SAILED FROM SINGAPORE MAY 5. IT SAID THE FREIGHTER WOULD CALL AT MANILA AND HONG KONG AND THEN GO ON TO TSINGTAO.)
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TOKYO,MAY 9-(AP)-THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS BROADCAST TODAY THEY ARE RLEASING TWO AMERICAN AIRMEN FROM WHOM THEY EXTORTED "SPY CONFESSIONS" AFTER 18 MONTHS IN PRISON.

THE OFFICIAL PEIPING RADIO SAID THE TWO AIRMEN, E.C.BENDER AND W.C. SMITH, WILL BE DEPORTED. IT GAVE NO DETAILS.

MARINE MASTER SGT.ELMER C.BENDER, CINCINNATI, AND NAVY CHIEF ELECTRICIAN WILLIAM C.SMITH, LONG BEACH, CALIF., WERE FORCED DOWN OCT. 19, 1948, ON A FLIGHT FROM TSINGTAO, THEN A U.S. NAVAL BASE.

THEY HAVE BEEN HELD INCOMMUNICADO. THE REDS STIFFLY REJECTED ALL EFFORTS TO OBTAIN THEIR RELEASE.

THE COMMUNIST RADIO BROADCAST THIS STATEMENT BY GEN.HSU SHIH-YUH, COMMANDER OF THE SHANTUNG MILITARY DISTRICT:

"IT WAS NOT UNTIL LATELY THAT BENDER AND SMITH, INFLUENCED BY OUR MAGMANIMOUS POLICY TOWARD PRISONERS, BEGAN TO CONFESS . . ."

THE HISTORY OF COMMUNISM IS FULL OF SIMILAR "CONFESSIONS," OBTAINED AFTER LONG IMPRISONMENT.

THE BROADCAST GAVE THIS ACCOUNT:

SMITH AND BENDER SAID THE "OBJECTIVE OF THE FLIGHT WAS TO RECONNOITER THE RAILWAYS" IN RED-HELD SHANTUNG PENINSULA AND CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS AT LAI-YANG, IMPORTANT RED BASE 72 MILES NORTH OF TSINGTAO.

ON THE WAY BACK, THEIR PLANE "LANDED" SHORTLY AFTER MIDNIGHT ON KIAOCHOW (KIAOTUNG) PENINSULA ACROSS THE BAY FROM TSINGTAO. THE PLANE CARRIED "CHARTS AND VARIOUS MILITARY MAPS . . . OF THE U.S. ESPIONAGE ORGANIZATION."

"THE ABOVE FACTS AND CONFESSION PROVE THAT THE AIM OF THIS U.S. IMPERIALIST AIRPLANE FLIGHT WAS TO INVADE OUR TERRITORIAL AIR AND WITH THE PURPOSE OF CARRYING OUT PLANNED MILITARY RECONNAISSANCE TO HELP THE ANTI-COLONIAL WAR OF THE KUOMINTANG (NATIONALIST) BRIGANDS.

"THE SHANTUNG MILITARY HEADQUARTERS HAS DECIDED TO CONFISCATE THE AIRPLANE, (AN L-5.)

"SINCE BENDER AND SMITH HAVE CONFESSED THEIR REPENTENCE THEY ARE BEING RELEASED AND DEPORTED IN LINE WITH THE POLICY OF THE CHINESE PEOPLE'S (COMMUNIST) LIBERATION ARMY TOWARD PRISONERS."

THE BROADCAST SAID COMMUNISTS HAD RELEASED FOUR CAPTURED U.S. AIRMEN LAST YEAR AFTER VICE ADM.OSCAR C.BADGER, THEN COMMANDER OF THE U.S. WESTERN PACIFIC FLEET, "ADMITTED THEIR MISTAKES IN A PERSONAL LETTER AND GUARANTEED THAT NO SIMILAR OCCURRENCE WOULD HAPPEN AGAIN."

IT CONCLUDED:

"ANY SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITY OF THE AMERICAN IMPERIALISTS ENCROACHING UPON THE SACRED SOVEREIGN RIGHTS OF CHINA WILL BE DEALT WITH RUTHLESSLY BY THE CHINESE PEOPLE."

(IN HONG KONG, U.S. CONSUL GENERAL KARL RANKIN, TOLD OF THE IMPENDING RELEASE SAID, "I HOPE IT'S TRUE." OFFICIALS SAID IT WAS LIKELY BENDER AND SMITH WOULD BE TAKEN TO TIENTSIN AND PLACED ABOARD A SHIP.)

THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAD MADE REPEATED EFFORTS TO OBTAIN THEIR RELEASE. THE REDS, HOWEVER, REFUSED TO DISCLOSE WHERE THE MEN WERE HELD AND LAST OCTOBER SAID THEY DIDN'T EVEN KNOW WHERE SMITH AND BENDER WERE.

CAPT.DAVID JONES OF THE AMERICAN FREIGHTER FLYING ARROW ATTEMPTED TO ARRANGE THEIR RELEASE LAST JANUARY.

THE FLYING ARROW PUT INTO TSINGTAO AFTER CHINESE NATIONALIST SHIPS SHELLED IT. JONES SAID HE WAS AUTHORIZED TO OFFER $25,000 RANSOM. HE QUOTED A RED OFFICIAL AS SAYING THE TWO WOULD BE RELEASED QUICKLY IF THE UNITED STATES WOULD MAKE AN "OFFICIAL REQUEST."

THE IMPLICATION WAS THAT THE REDS SOUGHT SOME SORT OF AMERICAN RECOGNITION.

BOTH BENDER AND SMITH ARE MARRIED. THEIR WIVES OFTEN HAVE SOUGHT THEIR RELEASE.

IN LONG BEACH, SMITH'S WIFE, RUBY, SAID SHE IS "OVERJOYED AND RELIEVED. I INTENDED TO GO AND GET HIM MYSELF BUT NOW IT LOOKS AS IF I WON'T HAVE TO."

IN CHICAGO, BENDER'S WIFE, SHIRLEY, SAID "IT'S TRUE, IT MUST BE TRUE."

THE SMITHS HAVE TWO BOYS, MICHAEL, 2, AND PATRICK, 18 MONTHS. THE BENDERS HAVE A DAUGHTER, KATHY, 4.

(EDITORS: THE TEST OF THE CHINESE BROADCAST WAS CARRIED LAST NIGHT UNDER WASHINGTON DATE.)
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A151KX (WEST OUT) (130)
PRECEDE YOKYO
HONG KONG,WEDNESDAY, MAY 10-(AP)-A GOVERNMENTSPOKESMAN SAID TODAY THE BRITISH CONUL GENERAL AT TSINGTAO IS NEGOTIATING WITH CHINESE COMMUNISTS FOR THE RELEASE OF TWO AMERICAN AIRMEN.

THE PEIPING RADIO YESTERDAY REPORTED THE COMMUNISTS ARE RELEASING NAVY CHIEF ELECTRICIAN WILLIAM C. SMITH, LONG BEACH, CALIF., AND MARINE MASTER SGT. ELMER C. BENDER.

THEIR PLANE WAS FORCED DOWN OCT. 19, 1948, NEAR TSINGTAOO, THEN A U. S. NAVAL BASE. THE REDS SAID THEY FINALLY "CONFESSED" TO "SPYING".

THE SOURCE SAID THE BRITISH FOREIGN OFFICE IN LONDON HAD ASKED ITS CONSUL AT TSINGTAO, R. H. ECKFORD, TO SEEK INFORMATION ON THE RELEASE OF SMITH AND BENDER. THE U. S. STATE DEPARTMENT HAD ASKED BRITISH HELP.

THE LAST AMERICAN CONSULS HAVE LEFFT MAINLAND CHINA.

AMERICAN SOURCES IN HONG KONG SAID IT WAS LIKELY THE AIRMEN WOULD BE TAKEN TO JAPAN.

STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS, ETC---5TH GRAF TOKYO DATE A93.
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B89WX (LONG BEACH ASKT) Q
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WASHINGTON, MAY 9-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES ASKED BRITAIN TODAY TO PRESS THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS FOR MORE INFORMATION ON THEIR ANNOUNCED PLAN TO RELEASE TWO AMERICAN SERVICEMEN MISSING SINCE 1948.

THE PEIPING RADIO BROADCAST YESTERDAY THAT THE TWO ARE BEING DEPORTED AFTER HAVING "CONFESSED" TO SPYING. THEY ARE NAVY CHIEF ELECTRICIAN WILLIAM C. SMITH, LONG BEACH, CALIF. AND MARINE MASTER SGT. ELMER C. BENDER, CINCINNATI, O.

THEY HAVE BEEN HELD IN COMMUNIST CHINA SINCE THEIR PLANE WAS FORCED DOWN OCT. 19, 1948, ON A FLIGHT FROM TSINGTAO. AT THAT TIME, THE NORTH CHINA PORT WAS AN AMERICAN NAVAL BASE.

STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS SAID THAT THE BROADCAST WAS CALLED TO THE ATTENTION OF BRITAIN WITH A REQUEST THAT THE BRITISH CONSUL AT PEIPING BE DIRECTED TO SEEK FURTHER INFORMATION FROM COMMUNIST AUTHORITIES ON WHEN AND HOW SMITH AND BENDER WILL BE RELEASED.

THE LAST AMERICAN CONSULS HAVE LEFT THE CHINA MAINLAND.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S ONLY INFORMATION CAME FROM THE PEIPING RADIO ANNOUNCEMENT, WHICH LACKED OFFICIAL VERIFICATION.

ON CAPITOL HILL, REP. MANSFIELD (D-MONT) SAID HE UNDERSTANDS THAT AN AMERICAN SHIP WILL TOUCH AT TSINGTAO ON MAY 25 AND, IF POSSIBLE, ARRANGEMENTS WILL BE MADE FOR SMITH AND BENDER TO EMBARK THERE FOR JAPAN. PRESENT PLANS ARE TO FLY THE TWO TO THIS COUNTRY FROM JAPAN, HE SAID.

SMITH WAS BORN AT KALISPELL, MONT., AND HIS MOTHER, MRS. CHARLES SMITH, LIVES AT COLUMBIA FALLS, MONT.

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B100KX (Q)
(APW)
~~TOKYO~~,TUESDAY, MAY 10-(AP)-PEIPING RADIO BROADCAST TODAY THE CHINESE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT HAS PROTESTED TO BRITAIN THAT NEW CONTROLS ON CHINESE ENTERING OR LEAVING HONG KONG ARE "UNREASONABLE AND UNFRIENDLY."

THE REDS "DEMANDED THAT NECESSARY MEASURES BE TAKEN IMMEDIATELY TO ANNUL THE RESTRICTIONS."

THE BROADCAST WAS MONITORED HERE. IT SAID HAN FU, RED VICE FOREIGN MINISTER, MADE THE PROTEST TO J. C. HUTCHINSON, BRITISH TEMPORARY CHARGE D'AFFAIRES NOW IN PEIPING SEEKING TO ESTABLISH FULL DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS.

UNDER AN UNWRITTEN "GENTLEMEN'S AGREEMENT," CHINESE NATIONALS FOR YEARS WERE PERMITTED TO PASS FREELY THE BRITISH CROWN COLONY BORDER. THE BRITISH GOVERNOR REVOKED THE PRACTICE MAY 1.

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A58KX
(WEST OUT)
TOKYO,MAY 9-(AP)-THE VENERABLE JAPANE[illegible] WASHINGTON ITS FAMED CHERRY TREES WILL LEAVE MAY 16 BY [illegible]E FOR HIMSELF HOW THE TREES ARE BLOOMING.

HE IS YUKIO OZAKI.

AT 94, OZAKI IS POSSIBLY THE DEAN OF THE WORLD'S POLITICIANS. OZAKI WON A SEAT IN JAPAN'S FIRST HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 60 YEARS AGO. HE HAS HELD IT CONTINUOUSLY. HE ALSO HAS HELD EVERY CABINET POST EXCEPT THE PRIME MINISTRY.

OZAKI GAVE WASHINGTON ITS CHERRY TREES IN 1912 WHEN HE WAS TOKYO MAYOR.

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TOKYO,MAY 9-(AP)-EMPEROR HIROHITO WENT TO A PAWN SHOP TODAY.

HE DIDN'T HOCK ANYTHING. HE JUST WENT TO LOOK.

HE WAS GREETED BY PILES OF UNREDEEMED JAPANESE GOODS PAWNED BY THE PEOPLE.

IMPRESSED, THE EMPEROR ASKED THE PAWN BROKERS TO TRY TO HELP THE POOR PEOPLE ALL THEY COULD.

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A89FX
TOKYO, MAY 9-(AP)-THIRTY JAPANESE SOLDIERS, REFUSING TO BELIEVE THAT JAPAN LOST THE WAR FIVE YEARS AGO, ARE HOLED UP ON ANATHAN ISLAND, 70 MILES NORTH OF SAIPAN.

THE JAPANESE GOVERNMENT REPATRIATION BOARD, NOTIFIED OF THAT BY OCCUPATION OFFICIALS, TODAY ASKED RELATIVES TO WRITE THE SOLDIERS AND TELL THEM THE FACTS.

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BULLETIN
TAIPEI, MAY 9-(AP)-THE NATIONALIST CHINESE AIR FORCE TODAY REPORTED IT SANK THE BETTER PART OF 2,800 COMMUNIST INVASION CRAFT IN A BLISTERING ATTACK ON THREE PORTS OPPOSITE FORMOSA.

THE SMALL CRAFT, OSTENSIBLY ASSEMBLED FOR RED INVASION ATTEMPT AGAINST FORMOSA, WERE TRAPPED IN SURPRISE RAIDS ON THE PORTS OF SWATOW, AMOY AND FOOCHOW. THE THREE ARE LIKELY BASES FOR THE PROJECTED RED INVASION OF FORMOSA.

THE BIGGEST CONCENTRATION OF SMALL CRAFT, MOSTLY JUNKS, WAS FOUND AT THE MOUTH OF THE MIN RIVER NEAR FOOCHOW. THE AIR FORCE SAID SOME 2,000 OR MORE SMALL CRAFT WERE TRAPPED THERE.

THE AIR FORCE ALSO REPORTED A FRESH AIR ATTACK MONDAY NIGHT ON NINGPO. 90 MILES SOUTHOF SHANGHAI.

COMMUNIST DEFENDERS OF THE NINGPO AIR FIELD PUT UP A HEAVY ANTI-CRAFT FIRE, BUT THE NATIONALISTS SAID MOST OF THE FIELD'S INSTALLATIONS WERE DESTROYED BY BOMBS.

OTHER NATIONALIST WARPLANES BLASTED RED ARTILLERY POSITIONS ON CHINTANG, ONE OF THE COMMUNIST HELD ISLANDS OF THE CHUSHAN GROUP. THE REDS HAVE SHELLED CHUSHAN'S MAIN ISLANDS FROM CHINTANG, WHICH IS ONLY THREE MILES AWAY.

DISPATCHES BELATEDLY REPORTED THAT NATIONALIST WARSHIPS FOUGHT A THREE HOUR BATTLE WITH 200 COMMUNIST SMALL CRAFT NEAR CHUSHAN ON MAY 6 AND SANK MORE THAN HALF OF THE RED FLOTILLA.

MEANWHILE ALL FORMOSA BUZZED WITH COMMENT ON GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S CONFIDENT STATEMENT YESTERDAY TO AMERICAN NEWS CORRESPONDENTS THAT HE WOULD STILL BE HERE A YEAR FROM NOW.

THE EXTREME DEADLINE FOR THE POSSIBLE RED INVASION OF FORMOSA IS CONSIDERED TO BE SEPTEMBER. BUT MOST QUARTERS PREDICT THE COMMUNISTS WILL NOT BE ABLE TO DELIVER AN ASSAULT UNLESS THEY COME BEFORE THE MIDDLE OF JULY.

AFTER THAT MONSOON WEATHER IN THE FORMOSA CHANNEL MAKES A CROSSING BY CHINESE JUNKETS HAZARDOUS.

MOST OF THE 20-ODD AMERICAN CORRESPONDENTS LEFT TODAY FOR TOKYO ENROUTE BACK TO THE UNITED STATES. THEY WERE TAKEN ON A NATIONALIST CONDUCTED TOUR OF THE ISLAND.

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B-21 NIGHT LEAD CHINESE

BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI,FORMOSA, MAY 9-(AP)-THE NATIONALIST AIR FORCE TODAY ASSERTED SURPRISE AERIAL ATTACKS DESTROYED A LARGE PART OF MORE THAN 2,800 COMMUNIST SMALL CRAFT MASSED OPPOSITE FORMOSA.

(THE DAMAGE REPORT LIKELY IS OVERDRAWN. MOST OF THE CRAFT PROBABLY WERE JUNKS. NATIONALIST EXPERIENCE SHOWS JUNKS ARE HARD TO SINK.)

THE AIR FORCE SAID THE HEAVY ATTACKS WERE DELIVERED MONDAY AT THE PORTS OF SWATOW, AMOY AND FOOCHOW. ALL AE LIKELY BASES FOR A COMMUNIST INVASION OF FORMOSA.

OTHER WARPLANES BLASTED AT COMMUNIST POSITIONS NEAR INVASION-MENACED CHUSHAN ISLAND, NLOCKADE BASE 100 MILES SOUTH OF SHANGHAI.

ONE FORCE STRUCK AGAIN AT NINGPO (NINGHSIEN) AIR FIELD, ON THE MAINLAND 30 MILES WEST OF CHUSHAN. PILOTS SAID THEY MET HEAVY ANTI-AIRCRAFT FIRE BUT DESTROYED NEARLY ALL INSTALLATIONS. NINGPO WAS ATTACKED SUNDAY.

ANOTHER FLIGHT OF WARPLANES POUNDED COMMUNIST ARTILLERY POSITIONS ON CHINTANG ISLAND ONLY THREE MILES FROM CHUSHAN. RESULTS WERE DESCRIBED AS SATISFACTORY.

IT IS GENERALLY BELIEVED THAT THE COMMUNISTS WILL TRY TO TAKE CHUSHAN BEFORE TACKLING FORMOSA.

AND TIME IS BEGINNING TO RUN OUT ON A FORMOSA VENTURE THIS YEAR. THE EXTREME DEADLINE IS CONSIDERED THE END OF SEPTEMBER.

MOST OBSERVERS SAY THE DEADLINE IS THE MIDDLE OF JULY. AFTER THAT DATE THE MONSOONS WILL MAKE THE 100-MILE-WIDE FORMOSA STRAIT A HAZARD TO INVASION CRAFT.

IN THIS CONNECTION THERE WAS MUCH TALK IN TAIPEI ABOUT CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S STATEMENT MONDAY THAT HE WOULD BE IN FORMOSA A YEAR FROM NOW.

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TAIPEI, MAY 9-(AP)-CHINESE CHRISTIANS TODAY ADDRESSED AN OPEN LETTER TO CHRISTIANS IN AMERICA ENJOINING AGAINST WISHFUL THINKING ABOUT POSSIBLE COOPERATION WITH COMMUNISM IN RUSSIA AND CHINA.

FORMOSA IS IN DANGER, THE LETTER SAID, ADDING "WE EARNESTLY BELIEVE GOD WILL NOT LET US DOWN. WE BELIEVE THAT YOUR COUNTRY WILL NOT REMAIN A SPECTATOR WATCHING FROM THE STERN OF THE SHIP WHILE THE BOW BURNS."

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B105KX (Q)

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HONG KONG,WEDNESDAY, MAY 10-(AP)-A FIFTH SHIP OF BRITISH REGISTRY WAS REPORTED TODAY SEIZED BY CHINESE NATIONALISTS WHILE TRYING TO RUN THE BLOCKADE OF RED CHINA.

THE CHINA MAIL SAID NATIONALIST GUNBOATS FIRED ON AND SEIZED THE COASTAL FREIGHTER WOLU APRIL 28 WHILE IT WAS CARRYING CARGO INCLUDING MEDICINES TO THE RED PORT OF AMOY.

IT SAID THE WOLU WAS HELD AT QUEMOY (CHINMEN), NATIONALIST BLOCKADE BASE A FEW MILES FROM AMOY.

THE SOUTH CHINA MORNING POST REPORTED ANOTHER MISSING BRITISH SHIP, THE ETHEL MOLLER, IS HELD BY THE NATIONALIST ARMY IN THE CHUSHAN ISLANDS SOUTHEAST OF SHANGHAI. ARMY REFUSAL TO GIVE UP THE SHIP TO THE NATIONALIST NAVY HAS PROVOKED "BITTER FEELING," THE POST SAID.

THE MOLLER LEFT HONG KONG FEB. 26.

OTHER BRITISH REGISTERED SHIPS IN NATIONALIST HANDS ARE THE CADUCEUS, 4,455 TONS, THE CLOVERLOCK, 922 TONS, AND THE SING HING, 560 TONS.

OTHER TROUBLES PLAGUES THE MOTOR VESSEL WU SUEH. IT CRASHED HEADON YESTERDAY WITH THE NAM GUAM, ANOTHER VESSEL ON THE HONG MKONG-MACAO RUN'. THE WU SUEH EASED INTO HONG KONG HARBOR WITH A LARGE HOLE IN THE BOW. THE NAM GUAM RETURNED TO MACAO.

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BY STAN SWINTON

TEHRAN,IRAN,MAY 9-(AP)-A REFUGEE SOVIET OFFICIAL HAS HANDED OVER TO THE IRANIAN GOVERNMENT AND WESTERN POWER REPRESENTATIVES A DETAILED EXPOSE OF A VAST SOVIET SPY RING HONEYCOMBING THIS COUNTRY.

THE SOURCE OF THIS INFORMATION CANNOT BE DISCLOSED. BUT ON GOOD AUTHORITY IT CAN BE SAID THE SOVIET REFUGEE NAMED CHABIK G.OGANESSIAN, SECRETARY OF THE BIG RUSSIAN EMBASSY IN TEHRAN AND TRUSTEE OF THE ARMENIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH, AS THE HEAD OF A SPY RING WHICH IS PENETRATING ALL ASPECTS OF IRANIAN LIFE.

THE INFORMANT SAID IRAN HAS VIRTUALLY COMPLETE INFORMATION ON ALL IRANIANS WORKING WITH THE RING. DISCLOSURE IS POSSIBLE NOW BECAUSE MOSCOW HAS LEARNED OF THE LEAK.

A HIGH OFFICIAL OF THE SOVIET TRADE COMMISSION DELIVERED HIMSELF TO A WESTERN POWER REPRESENTATIVE HERE FOUR MONTHS AGO. HIS NAME STILL IS A TOP-LEVEL SECRET, SO THAT HIS FAMILY WILL BE PROTECTED. THIS OFFICIAL AGREED TO REMAIN AT WORK FOR A MONTH, DURING WHICH HE SECURED COPIES OF DOCUMENTS SHOWING THE WHOLE PATTERN OF SOVIET OPERATIONS IN IRAN, INCLUDING SPYING, TAX EVASION AND EVEN ACTUAL FELONIES.

"IF IRAN EVER WANTED TO GO TO THE UNITED NATIONS AND SHOW HER HAND SHE COULD GIVE THE U.S.S.R. THE WORST BLACK EYE SHE EVER RECEIVED POLITICALLY," SAID ONE PERSON WHO SAW ALL THE DOCUMENTS.

DANIEL SIMONOVICH KOMISSAROV, 42, FIRST SECRETARY IN CHARGE OF THE PRESS AT THE SOVIET EMBASSY, FLEW TO MOSCOW WHEN THE RUSSIANS LEARNED OF THE LEAK.

IRAN, WHICH CONSIDERS HIM THE REAL KEY MAN IN THE EMBASSY ALTHOUGH OUTRANKED BY OTHERS, HAS TOLD MOSCOW HIS RETURN IS NOT DESIRED. THE RUSSIANS REPLIED, IN DEFIANCE OF NORMAL PROTOCOL, THAT THEY INTENDED TO SEND KOMISSAROV BACK UNLESS IRAN COULD PROVE SOMETHING AGAINST HIM.

POLITICAL SOURCES SAY FAILURE OF THE IRANIAN GOVERNMENT TO ORDER THE OUSTER OF SOVIET SPY RING LEADERS OR TO ROUND UP IRANIAN AGENTS IS CAUSING SERIOUS CONCERN IN IRANIAN MILITARY AND WESTERN DIPLOMATIC CIRCLES.

IT IS REPORTED THAT THE GOVERNMENT FEARS IRANIAN NEUTRALITY IN THE COLD WAR WOULD BE PREJUDICED IF ACTION WERE TAKEN. INFORMED SOURCES SAY THE ARMY BELIEVES ACTION IS NECESSARY FOR NATIONAL SECURITY, WHATEVER THE CONSEQUENCES.

IRAN HAS BEEN UNDER HEAVY PRESSURES FROM NEIGHBORING RUSSIA EVER SINCE THE WAR'S END. THE COUNTRY, RICH IN OIL, HAS BECOME ONE OF THE NERVOUS FOCAL POINTS OF THE COLD WAR. AN AMERICAN MISSION HAS BEEN IN IRAN ADVISING AND TRAINING IRANIAN TROOPS.

THE SOVIET REFUGEE IS RELIABLY REPORTED TO HAVE GIVEN THIS PICTURE OF THE RING:

HUB OF THE RING IS THE HUGE WALLED SOCIET EMBASSY COMPOUND OF TEHRAN'S CHURCHILL AVENUE, ACROSS FROM STALIN STREET. THE TEHRAN SOVIET HOSPITAL, WITH 19 SEPARATE DEPARTMENTS, IS USED AS AN AGENT CONTACT POINT. DOCTORS AND OTHER STAFF MEMBERS VISIT PATIENTS WHO ARE REALLY SOVIET AGENTS.

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FOUR MEN IN THE SOVIET EMBASSY MAKE UP THE BRAIN TRUST OF THE RING. THEY ARE SHUKR SUKHANGOYEV, DIRECTOR OF THE SOVIET INFORMATION SERVICE HERE; P.L.GHOLIKHANOV, DIRECTOR OF THE IRAN-SOVIET TRANSPORT ORGANIZATION, AND TWO EMBASSY EMPLOYES. THEY WORK UNDER OGANESSIAN.

THE RING HAS EIGHT SEPARATE BRANCHES. THE FIRST, UNDER EMBASSY EMPLOYE I.N.YAKOMIN, DIRECTS COMMUNIST PARTY ACTIVITIES IN DEFIANCE OF THE IRANIAN BAN ON THE TUDEH (COMMUNIST) PARTY. IT INSTIGATES STRIKES AND TAKES ADVANTAGE OF IRAN'S ECONOMIC TROUBLES. THE SECOND, UNDER FORMER RED ARMY COL.NICOLAI BELEVITCH, NOW WITH THE TRADE DELEGATION, HANDLES DOCUMENTS SUCH AS FORGED PAPERS. THE THIRD, UNDER FEGG KULIOV, FORMER CONSUL AT TABRIZ, SUPERVISES PROPAGANDA AND TEACHES IRANIAN AGENTS. THE FOURTH, UNDER V.E.MEYHVEDYEF, CHIEF TASS CORRESPONDENT, DEALS WITH PUBLICATIONS AND PRINTED PROPAGANDA.

THE FIFTH SECTION, UNDER PETER ALEXIEV, A TRADE REPRE ENTATIVE, FINANCES ESPIONAGE AND DIRECTS BLACK MARKET ACTIVITIES; THE SIXTH, UNDER GRIGOR KOLOSIZE OF THE SOVIET INFORMATION SERVICE, SHELTERS IRANIAN LEFTIST REFUGEES; THE SEVENTH ARRANGES BORDER CROSSINGS, UNDER THE DIRECTION OF A.KENERASHOV OF THE IRAN-SOVIET TRANSPORT ORGANIZATION. THE EIGHTH SECTION IS HEADED BY FEODOR UKRAININOV OF THE SOVIET BANK, AND COOPERATES WITH THE ECONOMIC SECTION IN FINANCING THE RING'S WORK.

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NIGHT LEAD SPIES (690)
BY STANLEY SWINTON

TEHRAN, IRAN, MAY 9-(AP)-DOCUMENTS, NAMES AND DETAILS OF A VAST SOVIET SPY NETWORK IN IRAN, WHERE THE FIRST SKIRMISH IN THE COLD WAR WAS FOUGHT, HAVE BEEN HANDED TO WESTERN AUTHORITIES AND THE IRANIAN GOVERNMENT BY A FORMER RUSSIAN OFFICIAL.

THIS WAS DISCLOSED TODAY BY AUTHORITATIVE SOURCES, WHO SAID THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT NOW KNOWS THAT ITS SPY RING HAS BEEN EXPOSED. FAILURE OF THE IRAN GOVERNMENT TO ACT ON THE INFORMATION IS CAUSING ACUTE CONCERN AMONG IRAN MILITARY HIGHERUPS AND WESTERN DIPLOMATS.

THE INFORMANTS SAID A HIGH OFFICIAL OF THE SOVIET TRADE COMMISSION DELIVERED HIMSELF TO A WESTERN POWER FOUR MONTHS AGO. HIS NAME STILL IS RESERVED FROM PUBLICATION. HE AGREED TO REMAIN AT HIS JOB FOR A MONTH. IN THAT TIME HE DELIVERED DOCUMENTS SHOWING THE COMPLETE PATTERN OF SOVIET OPERATIONS IN THIS OIL-PRODUCING MIDDLE EAST COUNTRY.

"IF IRAN EVER WANTED TO GO TO THE U.N. AND SHOW HER HAND SHE COULD GIVE THE U.S.S.R. THE WORST BLACK EYE SHE EVER RECEIVED POLITICALLY, SAID ONE INFORMANT.

THIS IS THE INFORMATION THE OFFICIAL TURNED OVER TO THE AUTHORITIES:

THE HUB OF THE NETWORK IS THE BIG WALLED SOVIET EMBASSY ON CHURCHILL AVENUE AND THE SOVIET HOSPITAL, WHOSE DOCTORS AND STAFF MEMBERS CONTACT IRANIAN AGENTS UNDER THE GUISE OF VISITING PATIENTS.

CHABIK G.OGANESSIAN, EMBASSY SECRETARY AND A TRUSTEE OF THE ARMENIAN CHURCH, DIRECTS HONEYCOMBING OPERATIONS INTO ALL PHASES OF IRANIAN LIFE.

FOUR OTHER MEN ARE TOP DIRECTORS OF THE RING. THEY ARE PETR KURUSHEV, EMBASSY EMPLOYE; SHUKR SUKHANGOYEV, DIRECTOR OF THE SOVIET INFORMATION SERVICE HERE: KHATCHATURIAN. ANOTHER EMBASSY EMPLOYE:

AND P.L.GHOLIKHANOV, DIRECTOR OF SOVIET TRANSPORT SERVICE IN IRAN.

THE ORGANIZATION IS DIVIDED INTO EIGHT PARTS. THE DIVISIONS, THEIR DIRECTORS AND THEIR FUNCTIONS ARE:

1. PARTY ACTIVITIES. I.N. YAKOMIN, AN EMBASSY EMPLOYE. DIRECTS THE OUTLAWED TUDEH (COMMUNIST) PARTY IN INSTIGATING STRIKES AND TAKING ADVANTAGE OF ECONOMIC DIFFICULTIES.

2. DOCUMENTS. NICOLAI BELEVITCH, FORMER SOVIET ARMY COLONEL. PREPARES FORGED PAPERS FOR SPIES AND IRANIAN COMMUNISTS.

3. PROPAGANDA. FEGG KULIOV, FORMER SOVIET CONSUL AT TABRIZ IN AZERBAIJAN, WHERE RUSSIA TRIED TO SET UP AN AUTONOMOUS REPUBLIC IN IRAN AFTER THE WAR. TEACHES IRANIAN AGENTS THE RUSSIAN LANGUAGE AND PROPAGANDA METHODS.

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4. PUBLICATIONS. V.E.MEYHVEDYEV, CHIEF TASS CORRESPONDENT. WRITES ARTICLES FOR THE LEFTIST PRESS, AND ALLEGEDLY PRINTS NEWSPAPERS FOR THE TUDEH PARTY WITHIN THE DIPLOMATICALLY IMMUNE EMBASSY COMPOUND.

5. ECONOMICS. PETER ALEXIEV, OF THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT AGENCY, TORGPRED. SPECULATES ON THE BLACK MARKET IN CURRENCIES, FINANCES ESPIONAGE, HELPS SOVIET-CONTROLLED ENTERPRISES IN IRAN EVADE TAXES AND CUSTOMS BY FORGED DOCUMENTS.

6. CONCEALMENT. GRIGOR KOLOSIZE OF THE SOVIET INFORMATION SERVICE. HIDES LEFTIST IRANIAN FUGITIVES.

7. TRANSPORT. A.KENERASHOV OF THE IRAN SOVIET TRANSPORT ORGANIZATION. ARRANGES FOR IRANIAN COMMUNISTS TO ESCAPE TO THE SOVIET UNION.

8. FINANCE. FEODOR UKRANINOV OF THE SOVIET BANK. COOPERATES WITH THE ECONOMIC SECTION IN FINANCING ESPIONAGE.

INFORMED SOURCES SAID DANIEL SIMONOVICH KOMISSAROV, BALDING 42-YEAR-OLD FIRST SECRETARY AT THE EMBASSY, FLEW TO MOSCOW SHORTLY AFTER THE SOVIET OFFICIAL BOLTED HIS JOB. THESE SOURCES BELIEVE HIS MISSION WAS TO TELL THE KREMLIN THAT ITS ESPIONAGE NETWORK HAD BEEN UNCOVERED.

THOUGH THE IRAN GOVERNMENT IS REPORTED TO HAVE THE NAMES OF VIRTUALLY ALL IRANIANS WORKING WITH THE RING, ITS ONLY ACTION HAS BEEN TO INFORM MOSCOW THAT KOMISSAROV'S RETURN HERE WOULD BE UNWELCOME.

IN DEFIANCE OF PROTOCOL, MOSCOW REPLIED THAT KOMISSAROV WOULD BE SENT BACK UNLESS SOMETHING COULD BE PROVED AGAINST HIM.

IRAN CONSIDERS THAT HE ACTUALLY IS THE KEY MAN OF THE EMBASSY, THOUGH SEVERAL OTHERS OUTRANK HIM IN THE DIPLOMATIC SERVICE.

THE GOVERNMENT'S FAILURE TO ACT, INFORMED SOURCES SAY, IS DUE TO ITS DESIRE TO CLING TO AN APPEARANCE OF NEUTRALITY IN THE COLD WAR. SOME

RANIAN ARMY OFFICIALS, HOWEVER, FEEL THAT ACTION IS NECESSARY FOR NATIONAL SECURITY.

RUSSIA FAILED TO WITHDRAW HER ARMY FROM IRAN ON SCHEDULE WITH THE BRITISH AND AMERICANS AT THE END OF THE WAR. UNDER SOVIET OCCUPATION, TUDEH LEADERS IN AZERBAIJAN SET UP A "DEMOCRATIC

REPUBLIC."
IT WAS NOT UNTIL AFTER A MONTHS-LONG UPROAR IN THE UNITED NATIONS THAT RUSSIA FINALLY WITHDREW HER TROOPS AND THE AZERBAIJAN REPUBLIC COLLAPSED. SINCE THEN, HOWEVER, IRAN HAS BEEN UNDER PRESSURE FROM MOSCOW TO GRANT CONCESSIONS FOR THE EXPLORATION AND EXPLOITATION OF HER NORTHERN OIL AND MINERAL RESOURCES.

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NIGHT LEAD ECAFE (300)
BY MILTON MARMOR
BANGKOK,THAILAND (SIAM), MAY 9-(AP)-THE RUSSIANS TODAY EXTENDED TO THE ORIENT THEIR WALKOUTS FROM UNITED NATIONS CONFERENCES.
THE SOVIET DELEGATION STALKED FROM THE INDUSTRY AND TRADE COMMITTEE OF THE ECONOMIC CONFERENCE FOR ASIA AND THE FAR EAST (ECAFE).
THE ISSUE WAS THE SAME AS THAT WHICH PROMPTED 24 PREVIOUS SOVIET WALKOUTS FROM VARIOUS U.N. SESSIONS--A RUSSIAN DEMAND FOR THE SEATING OF A DELEGATE FROM RED CHINA. RUSSIA WAS VOTED DOWN.
A SHOWDOWN IS EXPECTED MAY 16 WHEN THE FULL CONFERENCE OPENS. THE VOTE IN THE 13-NATION BODY MAY BE CLOSE. SO FAR AS IS KNOWN, THE RED CHINA DELEGATE, CHI CHAO-TING, IS NOT IN BANGKOK.
THE COMMITTEE HAD HARDLY SAT DOWN WHEN S.S. NEMTCHINA, HEAD OF THE RUSSIAN DELEGATION WHO ALSO IS MINISTER TO THAILAND. OFFERED A RESOLUTION TO UNSEAT THE CHINESE NATIONALIST DELEGATE.
THERE FOLLOWED TWO HOURS OF LEGAL WRANGLING. THE TEST CAME ON A VOTE WHICH OVERRULED CHAIRMAN P.S. LOKANATHAN OF INDIA. LOKANATHAN HAD RULED WITH RUSSIA THAT THE QUESTION OF SEATING THE CHINESE RED DELEGATE COULD LEGALLY BE TAKEN UP BY THE COMMITTEE.
PATRICK PICHI SUN, THE NATIONALIST DELEGATE, HAD CHALLENGED THE RUSSIAN RESOLUTION. IN THE VOTING SUN WAS SUPPORTED BY AUSTRALIA, FRANCE, THE NETHERLANDS, NEW ZEALAND, THAILAND, THE UNITED KINGDOM AND THE UNITED STATES.
THE SOVIET POSITION WAS BACKED ONLY BY BURMA AND INDIA. PAKISTAN AND THE PHILIPPINES ABSTAINED.
SIX ASSOCIATE MEMBERS BACKED THE MAJORITY. ONE ABSTAINED. ASSOCIA MEMBERS WILL HAVE NO VOTE IN THE FULL-DRESS CONFERENCE MEETING.
NEMTCHINA THEN AROSE TO LEAVE, ANNOUNCING THAT RUSSIA WOULD REFUSE TO RECOGNIZE AS LEGAL ANY ACTION TAKEN BY THE COMMITTEE. HE REFUSED TO COMMENT WHEN ASKED IF HE WOULD RETURN FOR THE FULL MEETING.
WHILE RUSSIA TOOK A ONE-SIDED LICKING IN THE COMMITTEE, THE VOTING IS EXPECTED TO BE MUCH CLOSER WHEN THE SHOWDOWN COMES.
FOR INSTANCE, OBSERVERS BELIEVE SOME OF THE SOUTHEAST ASIA COUNTRIES WATCH INDIA AS A CUE FOR ACTION. AND INDIA SUPPORTED RUSSIA.
OBSERVERS ALSO BELIEVE THE UNITED KINGDOM AND THE NETHERLANDS, WHO RECOGNIZE THE CHINESE COMMUNIST REGIME, MAY ABSTAIN. THEY BELIEVE IT POSSIBLE AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND ALSO WILL ABSTAIN.
IT WAS UNDERSTOOD U.N. HEADQUARTERS AT LAKE SUCCESS HAD ADVISED ECAFE THAT THE SOVIET ISSUE SHOULD BE BROUGHT TO A DHOWDOWN.
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FIRST LEAD (550)
BY MILTON MARMOR
BANGKOK,MAY 9-(AP)-RUSSIA TODAY WALKED OUT OF A UNITED NATIONS COMMITTEE WHERE IT HAD EXPECTED TO WIN A SEAT FOR RED CHINA.
THE RUSSIAN DELEGATE STALKED OUT WHEN THE COMMITTEE REFUSED TO TAKE UP A SOVIET RESOLUTION CALLING FOR UNSEATING THE NATIONALIST CHINA DELEGATE AND SEATING OF THE COMMUNIST CHINA REPRESENTATIVE.

IT WAS THE FIRST MEETING OF THE INDUSTRY AND TRADE SESSION OF THE UN REGIONAL ECONOMIC CONFERENCE FOR ASIA AND THE FAR EAST.
IT WAS THE 25TH AND LAST OF THE MAJOR UNITED NATIONS BODIES FROM WHICH THE SOVIETS HAVE WALKED OUT RATHER THAN PARTICIPATE BECAUSE THE SINO RED DELEGATE WAS NOT SEATED.
WITH THE UNITED KINGDOM, WHICH HAS RECOGNIZED RED CHINA, AND OTHER SOUTHEAST ASIA COUNTRIES REPRESENTED HERE, IT HAD BEEN CONSIDERED LIKELY THE RUSSIANS COULD WIN A SEAT FOR COMMUNIST CHINA OVER NATIONALIST CHINA.
THE FULL REGIONAL COMMITTEE WILL MEET MAY 16. AT THAT TIME THE SOVIET DELEGATE, MINISTER TO THAILAND S.S.NEMTCHINA, IS EXPECTED TO REOFFER HIS RESOLUTION TO EXCLUDE THE KUOMINTANG (NATIONALIST) REPRESENTATIVE AND RECOGNIZE THE RED CHINA DELEGATE.
AS YET NO DELEGATION FROM PEIPING HAS BEEN SIGHTED IN BANGKOK. EVEN THE SOVIET PRESENCE AT TODAY'S COMMITTEE MEETING OF MEMBERS AND ASSOCIATE MEMBERS WAS NOT DECIDED UPON UNTIL THE LAST MINUTE. THEN NEMTCHINA AND HIS SECOND SECRETARY, I.G.USATCHEV, APPEARED.
THE SINO-RED ISSUE WAS RAISED A FEW MINUTES AFTER THE SESSION OPENED WHEN NEMTCHINA INTRODUCED HIS RESOLUTION.
THE NATIONALIST CHARGE D'AFFAIRS, PATRICK PICHI SUN, ARGUED THE RESOLUTION WAS NOT WITHIN THE COMPETENCE OF THE BODY. THE UNITED KINGDOM AND THAILAND BACKED HIM.
THEN ENSUED MORE THAN TWO HOURS OF INEFFECTUAL WRANGLING OVER TECHNICAL AS WELL AS UNRELATED ISSUES. FINALLY THE TEMPORARY CHAIRMAN, ECAFE EXECUTIVE SECRETARY P.S.LOKANATHAN, RULED AGAINST CHINA'S POINT OF ORDER.
CHINA CHALLENGED THAT RULING AND WAS SUPPORTED AGAIN BY THE UNITED KINGDOM.
IT TOOK THE DELEGATES A FULL HALF HOUR TO REALIZE THAT THE ROLL CALL VOTE WAS ON WHETHER TO UPHOLD OR REJECT THE CHAIR'S RULING. ONLY BURMA AND INDIA VOTED TO UPHOLD THE CHAIR.
VOTING AGAINST THE CHAIR'S RULING WERE AUSTRALIA, CHINA, FRANCE, THE NETHERLANDS, NEW ZEALAND, THAILAND, THE UNITED KINGDOM AND THE UNITED STATES. ALL HAVE VOTING RIGHTS IN THE MAJOR SESSION SCHEDULED NEXT WEEK.
PAKISTAN AND THE PHILIPPINES ABSTAINED.
ASSOCIATE MEMBERS VOTING AGAINST THE CHAIR WERE CAMBODIA, HONG KONG, LAOS, MALAYA, BRITISH BORNEO AND VIETNAM. THE ASSOCIATE MEMBERS WILL NOT HAVE A VOTE AT THE MEETING NEXT WEEK.
INDONESIA, AN ASSOCIATE MEMBER, ABSTAINED.
CEYLON, NEPAL, AND KOREA WERE NOT REPRESENTED.
THE VOTE ALIGNMENT WAS NOT ESPECIALLY SIGNIFICANT. IT WAS VIEWED BY MANY AS SIMPLY A MEANS OF AVOIDING THE ISSUE FOR A WEEK.
A DEFINITE STAND BY INDIA IN FAVOR OF MEETING THE PROBLEM IMMEDIATELY MAY BE A WEATHERVANE FOR OTHER ASIAN NATIONS WHO WATCH PRIME MINISTER JAWAHARLAL NEHRU'S COUNTRY CLOSELY.
THE UNITED KINGDOM, THE NETHERLANDS AND POSSIBLY THE COMMONWEALTH NATIONS ARE EXPECTED TO ABSTAIN ON THE DIRECT ISSUE AND THE FINAL SHOWDOWN MAY BE CLOSE, WITH THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS HAVING THEIR FIRST GOOD CHANCE TO UNSEAT THE NATIONALISTS ON A UNITED NATIONS

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COMMITTEE.
AS NEMTCHINA DEPARTED HE ANNOUNCED THE SOVIETS WERE NOT RECOGNIZING AS LEGAL ANY ACTIONS OF THIS COMMITTEE. HE DECLINED TO COMMENT WHEN ASKED IF HE WOULD RETURN NEXT WEEK FOR THE SIXTH REGULAR SESSION OF THE ECAFE.
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NIGHT LEAD ISRAEL
BEIRUT, LEBANON, MAY 9-(AP)-ARMORED ISRAELI FORCES USING MORTARS AND AUTOMATIC WEAPONS HAVE DRIVEN 12,000 ARABS FROM TWO VILLAGES AND 55,000 ACRES READY FOR HARVEST SOUTH OF HEBRON IN PALESTINE, AN INFORMED SOURCE REPORTED TODAY.
THE HASHEMITE KINGDOM OF JORDAN ACCEPTED THE JEWISH POSITION THAT THE ISRAELIS WERE WITHIN THEIR RIGHTS IN CARRYING OUT AN OCCUPATION OF TERRITORY CONCEDED TO THEM BY THE DEMARKATION LINES OF THE ARMISTICE AGREEMENT OF APRIL, 1949, INFORMANTS SAID.
BORDAN'S CENSORSHIP SUPPRESSED NEWS OF THE INCIDENT IN THE JORDAN PRESS. THAT NATION, HEADED BY KING ABDULLAH, RECENTLY ANNEXED THE BULK OF ARAB (EASTERN) PALESTINE.
THE ARAB VILLAGERS WERE REPORTED EMBITTERED BY THE ARMED ATTACK, CARRIED OUT ON THE NIGHT OF MAY 3. INFORMANTS SAID THE ARAB VILLAGERS RETURNED THE FIRE WITH RIFLES. ONE FARMER WAS REPORTED INJURED AND THREE TAKEN PRISONER.
THE RESIDENTS OF THE TWO VILLAGES, YATTA AND SAMMOUA, IN SOUTHERN PALESTINE, SAID THEY HAD FARMED THE LAND FOR GENERATIONS AND HAD NO ADVANCE NOTICE OF THE OCCUPATION. THEY SAID THE ISRAELIS HAD NOT EXERCISED THE RIGHT TO MOVE UP TO THE NEW BOUNDARY UNTIL THE ACRES OF WHEAT AND BARLEY WERE READY FOR HARVESTING.
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BEIRUT, LEBANON, MAY 9-(AP)-ISRAELI TROOPS HAVE OCCUPIED BY FORCE THOUSANDS OF ACRES OF FARMLAND READY FOR HARVEST IN THE HEBRON AREA OF SOUTHERN PALESTINE, AN INFORMED SOURCE REPORTED TODAY.
THE SOURCE SAID THE OCCUPATION WAS CARRIED OUT WITH MINOR OPPOSITION FROM ARAB PEASANTS THE NIGHT OF MAY 3-4.
IT WAS LEARNED THAT CENSORSHIP IN AMMAN, HASHEMITE JORDAN, BOTTLED UP OUTGOING NEWS STORIES ON THE INCIDENT AND PREVENTED ITS PUBLICATION IN JORDAN NEWSPAPERS.
EMBITTERED RESIDENTS OF THE AREA WERE QUOTED AS CHARGING THAT ARMORED ISRAELI FORCES MOVED IN DURING THE NIGHT AND, USING MORTAR AND AUTOMATIC WEAPONS FIRE, DROVE THEM FROM THEIR FIELDS. THE VILLAGERS WERE SAID TO HAVE RETURNED THE FIRE WITH RIFLES BUT TO HAVE BEEN FORCED TO RETREAT WITH ONE FARMER INJURED AND THREE TAKEN PRISONER.
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B62 (Q) (110)
KX FOR FX APW
NEW DELHI, INDIA, MAY 9-(AP)-INDIA WILL SEND A DELEGATE TO THE THREE-DAY ORGANIZATIONAL CONFERENCE OF SOUTHEAST ASIAN AND WEST PACIFIC NATIONS TO BE HELD IN BAGUIO, SUMMER CAPITAL OF THE PHILIPPINES, BEGINNING MAY 26, A GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN ANNOUNCED TODAY.
THE CONFERENCE WAS PROPOSED BY PHILIPPINE PRESIDENT QUIRINO TO BRING THE NATIONS TOGETHER IN COORDINATED ACTION AGAINST THE SPREAD OF COMMUNISM IN THE FAR EAST.
INDIA AND SOME OTHER NATIONS WERE COOL TO THE ORIGINAL PROPOSAL FOR A "SOUTHEAST ASIA UNION" ALONG THE LINES OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC ALLIANCE. THEY OBJECTED TO MAKING MILITARY COMMITMENTS. THE PROPOSALS FOR A MILITARY PACT HAVE SINCE BEEN DROPPED, AND DELEGATES ARE TO DISCUSS SETTING UP COOPERATION ALONG CULTURAL, ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL LINES.
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KX FOR FX APW
NEW DELHI, INDIA, MAY 9-(AP)-A 17-MAN TRADE DELEGATION FROM SOUTH KOREA ARRIVED HERE BY PLANE TODAY FROM CALCUTTA FOR TWO DAYS OF DISCUSSIONS WITH THE COMMERCE MINISTRY.
THE PARTY, HEADED BY CHUNGSOO OH, INCLUDES 13 SOUTH KOREAN BUSINESSMEN, ONE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE KOREAN GOVERNMENT AND THREE AMERICAN ADVISERS.
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B83 Q (120)
RANGOON, BURMA, MAY 9-(AP)-BURMA WANTS A $50,000,000 LOAN FROM THE UNITED STATES IN ADDITION TO ANY ECONOMIC AID SHE MAY GET THROUGH PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S POINT FOUR PROGRAM, U.S. AMBASSADOR DAVID M.KEY SAID TODAY.
THE AMBASSADOR TOLD A REPORTER BURMA'S REQUEST FOR DIRECT AMERICAN AID WAS MADE TWO WEEKS AGO BY FOREIGN MINISTER SAO HKUN HKIO, IN A LETTER TO AMBASSADOR-AT-LARGE PHILIP C.JESSUP, WHO RECENTLY VISITED RANGOON. THE LOAN WOULD BE USED FOR REHABILITATION ASIDE FROM ANY AID UNDER THE PRESIDENT'S PLAN FOR HELPING UNDERDEVELOPED AREAS.
IN LONDON, BRITAIN'S LABOR GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED PLANS TO LEND BURMA £3,750,000 WITHOUT DELAY TO HELP THE NEWLY INDEPENDENT NATION FIGHT COMMUNISM. THE MONEY WILL BE PART OF A £6,000,000 LOAN OF WHICH THE BALANCE WILL COME FROM CEYLON, INDIA, PAKISTAN AND AUSTRALIA.
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B33 (Q) (100)
RANGOON, BURMA, MAY 9-(AP)-THE BURMESE GOVERNMENT TODAY ANNOUNCED A GENERAL AMNESTY COVERING ALL TYPES OF REBEL FORCES THROUGHOUT BURMA.
THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID THE GOVERNMENT RESERVES THE RIGHT TO PLACE ON TRIAL IMPORTANT PERSONS RESPONSIBLE FOR ORGANIZING THE TWO-YEAR-OLD INSURRECTION.
ALL OTHERS INVOLVED WILL BE GRANTED FULL PARDONS PROVIDED THEY HAVE NOT COMMITTED MURDER, RAPE, OR BANDITRY.
AN EARLY GOVERNMENT AMNESTY OFFER MADE MARCH 14 COVERED ONLY KAREN AND MON REBEL ORGANIZATIONS AND DESERTERS FROM THE GOVERNMENT FORCES.
THE NEW AMNESTY OFFER IS EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY AND CONTINUES UNTIL MAY 26. BUT IS LIABLE TO BE REVOKED ANYTIME IN ANY AREA AT THE GOVERNMENT'S DISCRETION.
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RANGOON, BURMA, MAY 9-(AP)-BURMA'S GOVERNMENT IS EXPECTED TO NAME ITS FIRST AMBASSADOR TO COMMUNIST CHINA WITHIN THE NEXT FEW DAYS, GOVERNMENT SOURCES SAID TODAY.

THESE SOURCES SAID TALKS CONCERNING RELATIONS BETWEEN THE TWO GOVERNMENTS HAD BEGUN IN PEIPING BETWEEN BURMESE CHARGE D'AFFAIRES UPE AND RED CHINA'S FOREIGN OFFICE AND THAT AGREEMENT WAS EXPECTED SOON.

UPE, WHO WENT OVERLAND FROM KUNMING TO PEIPING, IS IN CABLE CONTACT WITH AUTHORITIES HERE, THE SOURCES SAID.

GOVERNMENT SOURCES SAID ALSO THAT BURMA'S AMBASSADOR TO THE UNITED STATES, SO NYUN, WOULD LEAVE WASHINGTON BY PLANE MAY 15 FOR RANGOON BECAUSE OF ILLNESS. IN HIS ABSENCE THE EMBASSY'S FIRST SECRETARY, TIN MAUNG, WILL ACT AS CHARGE D'AFFAIRES.

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WITH OAKLAND COMMUNISTS

WASHINGTON, MAY 9-(AP)-DR.J.ROBERT OPRENHEIMER, ONE OF THE NATION'S TOP ATOMIC SCIENTISTS, SAID TONIGHT HE HAS NEVER BEEN A COMMUNIST PARTY MEMBER AND NEVER ATTENDED A PARTY MEETING "IN MY HOME OR ANYWHERE ELSE."

DR.OPPENHEIMER SAID HE DOES NOT REMEMBER ANY MEETING EVER HAVING BEEN HELD AT HIS HOME THAT COULD REASONABLY HAVE BEEN MISTAKEN FOR A COMMUNIST PARTY SESSION.

HE ACKNOWLEDGED IN A STATEMENT THAT HE FORMERLY KNEW MANY PERSONS "IN LEFT-WING CIRCLES" AND HIMSELF BELONGED TO SEVERAL LEFT-WING ORGANIZATIONS. BUT HE SAID THE GOVERNMENT HAS KNOWN ABOUT THAT EVER SINCE HE STARTED WORK ON THE ATOMIC BOMB PROJECT.

DR.OPPENHEIMER IS GENERALLY CREDITED WITH BEING ONE OF THE FOREMOST SCIENTISTS WHO WORKED ON DEVELOPMENT OF THE ATOMIC BOMB DURING THE LAST WAR. HE WAS DIRECTOR AT A TIME OF THE ATOMIC RESEARCH LABORATORY AT LOS ALAMOS, N.M., WHERE THE FIRST ATOMIC BOMBS WERE MADE.

HE ISSUED A STATEMENT IN REPLY TO TESTIMONY GIVEN IN OAKLAND, CALIF., TODAY BY MRS.SYLVIA CROUCH, WHO SAYS SHE IS A FORMER COURIER FOR THE COMMUNIST PARTY.

MRS.CROUCH SAID THAT OPPENHEIMER ATTENDED A SECRET-CLOSED COMMUNIST PARTY MEETING IN BERKLEY IN 1941. SHE TESTIFIED BEFORE A CALIFORNIA STATE SENATE COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES INVESTIGATION.

DR.OPPENHEIMER SAID THE NAME "CROUCH" DOES NOT MEAN ANYTHING TO HIM.

DR.OPPENHEIMER'S STATEMENT WAS ISSUED THROUGH THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION. HE IS CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMISSION'S ADVISORY COMMITTEE WHICH HELPS TO SHAPE THE NATION'S ATOMIC POLICIES.

DR.OPPENHEIMER IS ALSO DIRECTOR OF THE INSTITUTE FOR ADVANCED STUDIES AT PRINCETON, N.J.

DR.OPPENHEIMER SAID HE HAD NOT YET SEEN THE FULL TESTIMONY GIVEN BY MRS.CROUCH BUT THAT HE UNDERSTOOD ITS IMPORT TO BE THAT MR.AND MRS.CROUCH AND A GROUP OF OTHER PEOPLE MET AT OPPENHEIMER'S HOME IN BERKELEY IN JULY, 1941, FOR A CLOSED COMMUNIST MEETING.

"THE IMPLICATIONS OF SUCH TESTIMONY ARE OBVIOUS, AND I SHOULD LIKE TO COMMENT AT ONCE," HE CONTINUED.

"I HAVE NEVER BEEN A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY.

"I NEVER ASSEMBLED ANY SUCH GROUP OF PEOPLE FOR ANY SUCH PURPOSE IN MY HOME OR ANYWHERE ELSE. I AM UNABLE TO RECALL ANY GATHERING IN MY HOUSE THAT COULD REASONABLY HAVE BEEN MISTAKEN FOR SUCH A MEETING. NEITHER THE NAME CROUCH NOR THE ACCOUNTS OF MR.AND MRS.CROUCH RECALL TO ME ANYONE I HAVE EVER KNOWN.

"I THINK I SHOULD ADD A FURTHER COMMENT. I HAVE MADE NO SECRET OF THE FACT THAT I ONCE KNEW MANY PEOPLE IN LEFT-WING CIRCLES AND BELONGED TO SEVERAL LEFT-WING ORGANIZATIONS.

"THE GOVERNMENT HAS KNOWN IN DETAIL OF THESE MATTERS SINCE I FIRST STARTED WORK ON THE ATOM BOMB PROJECT."

HE SAID HIS FORMER LEFT-WING BACKGROUND HAD BEEN REPORTED IN TIME MAGAZINE ABOUT 18 MONTHS AGO. DR.OPPENHEIMER QUOTED A PORTION OF THE TIME STORY, BASED ON AN INTERVIEW WITH HIM, AS SAYING:

"UNTIL 1936, OPPENHEIMER HAD NEVER EVEN VOTED; HE WAS 'CERTAINLY ONE OF THE MOST UNPOLITICAL PEOPLE IN THE WORLD'. BUT IN THE DEPRESSION HE WATCHED YOUNG, FINELY TRAINED PHYSICISTS CRACKING UP BECAUSE THEY WERE UNEMPLOYED; HE ALSO HEARD ABOUT RELATIVES FORCED TO LEAVE NAZI GERMANY. SAYS OPPENHEIMER: 'I WOKE UP TO A RECOGNITION THAT POLITICS WAS A PART OF LIFE. I BECAME A REAL LEFT-WINGER, JOINED THE TEACHERS' UNION, HAD LOTS OF COMMUNIST FRIENDS. IT WAS WHAT MOST PEOPLE DO IN COLLEGE OR LATE HIGH SCHOOL... MOST OF WHAT I BELIEVED THEN NOW SEEMS COMPLETE NONSENSE..."

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WASHINGTON, MAY 9-(AP)-CANADIAN OFFICIALS SHOWED A HUGE TWIN-JET FIGHTER TO MILITARY REPRESENTATIVES OF MANY COUNTRIES AT ANDREWS AIR FORCE BASE TODAY.

THE PLANE, DESIGNATED AVRO CF-100, WAS DESCRIBED AS THE WORLD'S MOST POWERFUL FIGHTER AND THE FIRST COMBAT AIRCRAFT DESIGNED AND BUILT IN CANADA. IT IS INTENDED FOR LONG RANGE OPERATIONS IN ALL KINDS OF WEATHER.

SQUADRON LEADER W.A.WATERTON, VETERAN OF THE BATTLE OF BRITAIN AND PROBABLY ENGLAND'S MOST EXPERIENCED JET PLANE TEST PILOT, PUT THE 30,000-POUND SHIP THROUGH A SERIES OF HIGH SPEED PASSES, CLIMBS, TIGHT TURNS AND ROLLS FOR SEVERAL HUNDRED PERSONS. THE AUDIENCE WAS HEAVILY SPRINKLED WITH MILITARY ATTACHES FROM FOREIGN EMBASSIES AS WELL AS AIR FORCE AND NAVY OFFICERS AND REPRESENTATIVES OF UNITED STATES PLANE MANUFACTURERS.

THE CF-100 WAS BUILT BY A.V.ROE OF CANADA AND FIRST FLOWN LAST JAN. 18. TODAY'S DEMONSTRATION WAS ITS 22ND FLIGHT. THE PLANE IS 52 FEET 6 INCHES LONG AND HAS A WINGSPAN OF 52 FEET. ITS TWO ENGINES ARE RATED AT MORE THAN 6,000 POUNDS OF THRUST EACH, BUT WATERTON SAID HE SELDOM USED FULL POWER TODAY. HE SAID HIS HIGHEST SPEED ON PASSES WAS AROUND 550 MILES AN HOUR.

THE PLANE IS DESIGNED TO CARRY A PILOT AND RADIO-NAVIGATOR.

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(320) (ADVANCE FOR USE AT 9 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, TUESDAY, MAY 9)

(ADVANCE)...WASHINGTON, MAY 9-(AP)-GEN. HOYT S.VANDENBERG SAID TONIGHT THE AIR FORCE IS READY TO FIGHT NOW WITH WHAT IT HAS BUT IT DOESN'T HAVE ENOUGH FOR THE JOB.

IF WAR SHOULD COME, THE ENEMY--VANDENBERG DID NOT NAME HIM--WOULD HAVE INITIAL AIR SUPERIORITY WHICH MUST BE WRENCHED FROM HIM

BEFORE SUCCESSFUL SURFACE OPERATIONS CAN BE STARTED, THE AIR FORCE CHIEF OF STAFF SAID.

"THE AIR DEFENSE OF THE UNITED STATES IS INADEQUATE AND MUST BE GREATLY EXPANDED AND STRENGTHENED TO MEET THE THREAT POSED BY RECENT DEVELOPMENTS," VANDENBERG SAID IN A PREPARED RADIO (ABC) INTERVIEW.

VANDENBERG WAS INTERVIEWED ON THE "TIME FOR DEFENSE" PROGRAM BY JAMES J.STREBIG, ASSOCIATED PRESS AVIATION EDITOR.

ASKED ABOUT REPORTS THAT THE AIR FORCE DOES NOT HAVE ENOUGH TACTICAL POWER -- THE UNITS WHICH DIRECTLY SUPPORT GROUND FORCES -- THE GENERAL SAID "IT IS UNREALISTIC TO TALK OF SURFACE OPERATIONS IN THE FACE OF OVERWHELMING AIR SUPERIORITY AND AGAINST AN ENEMY WHO HA NUMERICALLY OVERWHELMING SUPERIORITY OF SURFACE FORCES. IN THESE CIRCUMSTANCES, WE MUST GAIN AIR SUPERIORITY FIRST AND AS RAPIDLY AS POSSIBLE. X X X

"WE CAN ONLY GAIN AIR SUPERIORITY BY ATTACKING THE SOURCES OF THE ENEMY'S AIR SUPERIORITY. X X X

"THIS PATTERN OF COUNTER-AIR ATTACK IS THE MOST IMPORTANT ELEMENT OF THE DEFENSE OF THE UNITED STATES AGAINST ATTACK FROM THE AIR. EXPERIENCE HAS DEMONSTRATED THAT THAT PORTION OF AN ENEMY'S AIR FORCE WHICH CAN BE DESTROYED BY AN AIR DEFENSE SYSTEM (THAT IS, BY AERIAL COMBAT) IS RELATIVELY MINOR WHEN COMPARED TO THAT PORTION WHICH CAN BE DESTROYED BY AN OFFENSIVE AGAINST THE SOURCES OF HIS AIR POWER.

"AN AIR DEFENSE SYSTEM IN BEING IN THE UNITED STATES IS ESSENTIAL, BUT MUST BE COMBINED WITH THE STRATEGIC OFFENSIVE. THESE TWO FORCES TOGETHER FIGHT THE BATTLE FOR AIR SUPERIORITY X X X

"THEREFORE, WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF 48 GROUPS--WHICH, I REPEAT, IS FROM THE MILITARY POINT OF VIEW INADEQUATE--OUR PRESENT BALANCE IS CORRECT TIMEWISE."

ASKED WHAT THE AIR FORCE NEEDS MOST, VANDENBERG REPLIED "THE BEST BOMBERS, ALL-WEATHER FIGHTERS AND ESCORT FIGHTERS OUR INDUSTRY IS CAPABLE OF PRODUCING."

ASKED ABOUT RUSSIA'S ABILITY TO MAKE A SUSTAINED AIR OFFENSIVE, VANDENBERG SAID THE SOVIET CAPACITY "CANNOT BE TAKEN LIGHTLY--TO DO SO WOULD INVITE DISASTER."

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MV(250) NIGHT LEAD RUSSIA LEND-LEASE

WASHINGTON, MAY 9-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES PRODDED RUSSIA TO RETURN TWO LEND-LEASE ICEBREAKERS MMTODAY AMID SIGNS OF NEW ACTION ON THE LONG DORMANT NEGOTIATIONS FOR AN OVERALL SETTLEMENT OF WARTIME ACCOUNTS TOTALING $11,000,000,000 (B).

THE ICEBREAKERS WERE AMONG SEVERAL SHIPS TURNED OVER TO RUSSIA BEFORE V-J DAY. A NOTE FROM UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE JAMES E.WEBB TO AMBASSADOR ALEXANDER S.PANYUSHKIN ASKED THAT THEY BE TURNED BACK BY JUNE 30 IN ACCORDANCE WITH A MOSCOW AGREEMENT OF LAST YEAR.

THE LEND-LEASE REVIVAL SIGNS CAME AT A TIME WHEN VIRTUALLY ALL OTHER NEGOTIATIONS WITH RUSSIA HAD REACHED A STALEMATE. STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS REPORTED THAT:

1. THE U.S. IS PREPARING AN EARLY "NEW APPROACH" IN AN EFFORT TO GET A GENERAL SETTLEMENT FOR THE TRUCKS, LOCOMOTIVES, MACHINES TOOLS AND OTHER CIVILIAN-TYPE GOODS DELIVERED TO RUSSIA IN WARTIME AND LEFT OVER WHEN JAPAN SURRENDERED. ARMS AND OTHER MILITARY EQUIPMENT HAVE BEEN WRITTEN OFF.

2. RUSSIA HAS STARTED TO SETTLE CLAIMS OF SEVEN AMERICAN CONCERNS WHICH TURNED OVER PATENTS OR PROCESSES TO THE SOVIETS IN WARTIME. ONE DIRECT SETTLEMENT HAS BEEN ARRANGED WITH MAX B.MILLER AND CO., NEW YORK CITY, FOR PAYMENTS IN DOLLARS STARTING JULY 1 AND CONTINUING THE NEXT TWO YEARS. THE CONCERN LET THE RUSSIANS USE ITS PROCESS FOR REFINING LUBRICATING OILS. THE TERMS WERE NOT DISCLOSED, BUT OFFICIALS SAID THE MILLER CLAIM WAS THE SMALLEST OF THE SEVEN. THE TOTAL OF THE SEVEN IS MORE THAN $10,000,000.

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SOUTHEAST ASIA

BY EDWARD E.BOMAR

WASHINGTON, MAY 9-(AP)-THE ADMINISTRATION IS WORKING OUT A $64,000,000 ECONOMIC AID PROGRAM FOR FIVE SOUTHEAST ASIAN COUNTRIES. INFORMED OFFICIALS REPORTED TONIGHT IT IS TO BE LAUNCHED AS SOON AS CONGRESS AUTHORIZES USE OF ECA FUNDS FOR THE PURPOSE.

THE LARGEST SHARE IS EARMARKED FOR INDOCHINA, TO HELP CARRY OUT SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON'S PLEDGE AT PARIS OF PROMPT ECONOMIC AND MILITARY ASSISTANCE FOR THE EFFORTS OF LOCAL INDOCHINESE AND FRENCH AUTHORITIES TO CURB THE COMMUNIST-BACKED REVOLT.

ALSO EXPECTED TO SHARE ARE INDONESIA, THAILAND, BURMA, AND MALAYA. THE ECONOMIC PROPOSAL IS SEPARATE FROM MILITARY ASSISTANCE TO BE EXTENDED TO INDOCHINA AND SOME NEIGHBOR COUNTRIES FROM A SPECIAL $75.000.000 FUND AVAILABLE TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN.

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DETAILS OF THE NEW PROGRAM WERE WORKED OUT AFTER THE RETURN OF A SPECIAL SURVEY MISSION HEADED BY ALLEN GRIFFIN, PUBLISHER OF THE MONETEREY (CALIF) PENINSULA HERALD. RESPONSIBLE OFFICIALS SAID IT ALREADY HAS THE GENERAL APPROVAL OF SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON AND ECA ADMINISTRATOR PAUL HOFFMAN. PERSONS FAMILIAR WITH GRIFFIN'S RECOMMENDATIONS SAID THEY INCLUDE:

FOR INDOCHINA, APPROXIMATELY $23,000,000, TO BE USED TO REHABILITATE REVOLT-RAVAGED VILLAGES, IMPROVE HEALTH CONDITIONS, AND RESTORE RICE PRODUCTION.

FOR INDONESIA, THAILAND AND BURMA, APPROXIMATELY $11,000,000 EACH FOR FARMING, HEALTH AND GENERAL ECONOMIC RECOVERY.

FOR MALAYA, WHICH IS UNDER BRITISH ADMINISTRATION, A LESSER SUM HAS BEEN EARMARKED.

INCLUDED IN THE PLANS IS PROVISION FOR U.S. GOVERNMENT-FINANCED ENGINEERING ADVISORY COMMISSIONS FOR BURMA AND INDONESIA.

IN EACH CASE, THE LOCAL GOVERNMENTS ASKED FOR THE PROJECTS.

OFFICIALS SAID THE PLAN IS TO FINANCE THE ENTERPRISE FROM APPROXIMATELY $100,000,000 LEFTOVER CHINA AID FUNDS. A CONGRESSIONAL DECISION IS PENDING WHETHER TO AUTHORIZE USE OF THIS FUND FOR ANOTHER YEAR AFTER JUNE 30 IN THE "GENERAL AREA OF CHINA" WHICH WOULD INCLUDE SOUTHEAST ASIA.

THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION IS EXPECTED TO HAVE GENERAL SUPERVISION. AN ORGANIZATION ALREADY IS BEING SET UP UNDER DIRECTION OF EDWARD D.DICKINSON, WHO ACCOMPANIED GRIFFIN ON HIS SURVEY MISSION. THE PLAN AS DRAFTED IS FOR THE ECONOMIC AID TO CONTINUE FOR 15 MONTHS, WITH THE ENGINEERING CONTRACTS EXTENDING TWO YEARS. THESE ARE FOR ABOUT $1,250,000.

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NIGHT LEAD ATOMIC

BY FRANK CAREY
ASSOCIATED PRESS SCIENCE WRITER

WASHINGTON,MAY 9-(AP)-SUCCESSFUL DEVELOPMENT OF A HYDROGEN BOMB LIES "SOMEWHERE BETWEEN PROBABLE AND POSSIBLE"--AND THE "GODS" ALONE KNOW WHETHER PROGRESS IS BEING MADE.

SO SAID SUMNER PIKE, ACTING CHAIRMAN OF THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION, AT AN AEC NEWS CONFERENCE TODAY.

AT THE SAME TIME PIKE AND COMMISSIONER HENRY D.SMYTH INDIRECTLY AFFIRED THAT TO MANUFACTURE ONE POSSIBLE INGREDIENT OF AN H-BOMB--A SUBSTANCE CALLED TRITIUM--MEANS A "SACRIFICE" IN THE PRODUCTION OF PLUTONIUM FOR A-BOMBS OR POWER USE.

A REPORTER ASKED PIKE THE DIRECT QUESTION:

"CAN YOU SAY IN GENERAL WHETHER PROGRESS IS BEING MADE TOWARD THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE HYDROGEN BOMB "

"THAT IS IN THE LAP OF THE GODS," REPLIED PIKE. "IF YOU HAD ASKED WHETHER 'EFFORT' WAS BEING MADE, I WOULD SAY YES. AS TO WHETHER PROGRESS IS BEING MADE, THE ANSWER TO THAT WILL COME WHEN ONE GOES 'BANG'--OR DOESN'T."

LATER, ANOTHER REPORTER ASKED PIKE WHETHER THE WORD "PROBABLE" HE ONCE USED IN REFERRING TO CHANCES OF H-BOMB SUCCESS IS NOW TOO STRONG.

"SOMEWHERE BETWEEN 'PROBABLE' AND 'POSSIBLE' IS ABOUT THE WAY IT SEEMS TO ME," PIKE REPLIED.

THE COMMISSIONERS WERE ASKED FOR COMMENT ON A RECENT SPEECH BY FORMER COMMISSIONER ROBERT BACHER WHO, A REPORTER SAID, HAD DECLARED THE PRODUCTION OF TRITIUM WOULD MEAN A "SACRIFICE IN THE MANUFACTURE OF FISSIONABLE MATERIALS."

(DR.BACHER, IN A MARCH 27 SPEECH AT LOS ANGELES, DID NOT USE THE WORD "SACRIFICE" BUT HE DID SAY THAT NEUTRONS (ATOMIC ENERGY RAYS) WERE REQUIRED TO PRODUCE BOTH TRITIUM AND PLOTONIUM.--AND THAT A

WERE REQUIRED TO PRODUCE BOTH TRITIUM AND PLUTONIUM.--AND THAT A NUCLEAR REACTOR, A DEVICE FOR GENERATING NEUTRONS, COULD BE USED TO PRODUCE "ONE OR THE OTHER (TRITIUM OR PLUTONIUM) AT WILL."

("IT WOULD BE NECESSARY OF COURSE," BACHER DECLARED, "TO KNOW A GREAT DEAL ABOUT THE ACTUAL WORKINGS OF A NUCLEAR REACTOR IN ORDER TO SAY JUST HOW MUCH TRITIUM COULD BE PRODUCED IN THAT REACTOR IF ONE WERE WILLING TO FOREGO THE PRODUCTION OF A CERTAIN AMOUNT OF PLUTONIUM.

("IT SOUNDS AS IF THE PRODUCTION OF TRITIUM IN QUANTITY IS AT LEAST A FAIRLY EXPENSIVE IF NOT FORMIDABLE PROCESS.")

IN RESPONSE TO QUESTIONS, COMMISSIONER SMYTH SAID THAT BACHER'S SPEECH WAS "SELF-CONTAINED." WHEN A REPORTER SAID THAT ANSWER DID NOT CLARIFY WHETHER OR NOT THE COMMISSION AGREED WITH WHAT BACHER SAID, SMYTH REPLIED THAT SUMNER PIKE ALREADY HAD TERMED BACHER "A FAIRLY COMPETENT MAN IN THIS FIELD."

PIKE ALSO AFFIRMED THAT THE UNITED STATES IS MAKING A "VARIETY" OF ATOMIC WEAPONS, BUT HE DECLARED HE WOULD GO NO FURTHER THAN THAT.

RECENTLY, A DEFENSE DEPARTMENT STATEMENT HAD INDICATED AS MUCH.

TO A REPORTER'S STATEMENT THAT THERE HAS BEEN RECENT SUGGESTION THAT "WE ARE NOT MAKING A DETERMINED EFFORT" ON PRODUCING THE H-BOMB, PIKE REPLIED:

"I X X X THINK THAT COMMENTS ON RATES AND SCALE ARE COMPLETELY OFF THE RESERVATION."

THE SUBJECT OF ATOMIC-POWERED SUBMARINES ALSO CAME UP. A REPORTER SAID ADMIRAL FORREST SHERMAN, CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS, HAD INDICATED HE EXPECTS AN A-POWERED SUBMARINE IN 1952.

"I WOULD GUESS HE SOUNDED LIKE A LITTLE BIT OF AN OPTIMIST," PIKE SAID, BUT HE DECLINED TO SAY HOW MUCH OF AN OPTIMIST HE THOUGHT THE ADMIRAL WAS.

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NIGHT LEAD COMMUNISTS ✓

BY ROGER D.GREENE

WASHINGTON,MAY 9-(AP)-SENATOR BENTON (D-CONN) TODAY ATTACKED REPUBLICAN SENATOR MCCARTHY'S CHARGES OF COMMUNISM IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT AS THE WORK OF A "HIT-AND-RUN PROPAGANDIST OF THE SOVIET TYPE."

RENEWING THE DEMOCRATIC COUNTER BARRAGE AGAINST MCCARTHY WHICH BROKE OUT ON THE SENATE FLOOR LAST WEEK, BENTON TOLD THE CHAMBER:

"MCCARTHY DOESN'T ARGUE, HE DOESN'T ANSWER, HE DOESN'T REASON. HE HITS AND RUNS."

THE CONNECTICUT SENATOR, A FORMER ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE, TURNED HIS GUNS ON MCCARTHY UNEXPECTEDLY DURING A SPEECH URGING THE SENATE TO APPROVE A SECTION OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S CONTROVERSIAL CIVIL RIGHTS PROGRAM.

BENTON HAD ONLY A BRIEF MENTION OF MCCARTHY IN HIS PREPARED TEXT, BUT HE DEPARTED FROM IT TO DENOUNCE THE WISCONSIN LEGISLATOR IN STRONGER TERMS.

"SENATOR MCCARTHY KNOWS HE CAN COUNT ON A VAGUE DISTRUST OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT," BENTON SAID, "AND LIKE THE COMMUNIST PROPAGANDIST, HE IS DOING HIS BEST TO EXPLOIT IT BY ANY AND EVERY MEANS."

"THOUGH IT MAY NOT HAVE OCCURRED TO HIM," BENTON CONTINUED, "HE IS PROCEEDING ON THE STANDARD TACTICS OF THE COMMUNIST PROPAGANDIST. I SUBMIT THAT THE SENATOR FROM WISCONSIN IS A VERY TALENTED PROPAGANDIST OF THE SOVIET TYPE."

MC CARTHY WAS NOT PRESENT IN THE SENATE WHEN BENTON SPOKE OUT. LATER, HE TOLD NEWSMEN THAT BENTON SHOULD WORK TO "GET THE SERVANTS OF MOSCOW OUT OF THE GOVERNMENT AND STOP SNIPING AT THOSE OF US WHO ARE TRYING TO GET RID OF THOSE WHO ENDANGER THIS NATION."

MCCARTHY ALSO NOTED THAT BENTON RECENTLY URGED MORE FUNDS FOR THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S "VOICE OF AMERICA" PROGRAM, AND DECLARED:

"THEREFORE, HE SHOULD BE INTERESTED IN THE NAMES OF TWO 'VOICE OF AMERICA' EMPLOYES I RECENTLY GAVE THE SUBCOMMITTEE. THOSE INDIVIDUALS HAVE BEEN USING THE 'VOICE OF AMERICA' FOR COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA PURPOSES."

MCCARTHY HAS NOT YET DISCLOSED THE TWO NAMES PUBLICLY.

IN OTHER DEVELOPMENTS:

1. WEALTHY FREDERICK VANDERBILT FIELD ASKED SENATE LOYALTY INVESTIGATORS FOR ANOTHER CHANCE TO ANSWER QUESTIONS IN THE MCCARTHY VS. COMMUNISM INQUIRY AND THUS SAFE HIMSELF FROM A POSSIBLE CITATION FOR CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS.

2. CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD) TOLD NEWSMEN HE EXPECTES TO HEAR SHORTLY FROM THE STATE DEPARTMENT ON WHEN THE DEPARTMENT'S LOYALTY FILES WILL BE TURNED OVER TO THE SENATE SUBCOMMITTEE LOOKING INTO MCCARTHY'S CHARGES.

PRESIDENT TRUMAN DIRECTED LAST THURSDAY THAT THE FILES ON 81 CASES CITED BY MCCARTHY BE MADE AVAILABLE TO THE COMMITTEE.

HOWEVER, IT WAS UNDERSTOOD THAT MANY OF THE FILES WERE STILL IN THE HANDS OF THE U.S. CIVIL SERVICE LOYALTY REVIEW BOARD. MR.TRUMAN INSTRUCTED THE BOARD ON MARCH 28 TO MAKE A NEW REVIEW OF ALL THE CASES MENTIONED BY MCCARTHY.

FIELD'S UNUSUAL REQUEST FOR A REHEARING TO AVOID CONTEMPT DHARGES WAS MADE IN A LETTER TO THE TYDINGS COMMITTEE.

THE NEW YORKER, A REPUTED MILLIONAIRE, HAS BEEN DESCRIBED BY MCCARTHY AS AN AVOWED COMMUNIST AND AN IMPORTANT LINK IN MCCARTHY'S

CHAIN OF EVIDENCE AGAINST HIS NO. 1 CASE, OWEN LATTIMORE.
FIELD DENIED HE WAS IN CONTEMPT WHEN HE REFUSED TO ANSWER A NUMBER OF QUESTIONS IN TESTIMONY BEFORE THE TYDINGS INQUIRY GROUP ON APRIL 28.

THROUGH HIS ATTORNEY, HAROLD I.CAMMER OF NEW YORK, FIELD ASKED FOR A CHANCE TO RECONSIDER THE QUERIES WHICH HE HAD TURNED ASIDE WITH THE REPLY THAT HE WAS STANDING ON HIS CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS.

CAMMER SAID A CONTEMPT ACTION AGAINST FIELD WOULD BE "ONCIN-SISTENT WITH OBSERVANCE OF THE PRIVILEGE AGAINST SELF-INCRIMINATION GUARANTEED BY THE FIFTH AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION."

COMMITTEE COUNSEL EDWARD P.MORGAN RECOMMENDED CITATIONS AGAINST BOTH FIELD AND EARL BROWDER, FORMER U.S. COMMUNIST PARTY CHIEF, AFTER THEY TESTIFIED IN THE CURRENT PROBE.

ON APRIL 20, FIELD HAD BEEN NAMED BY EX-COMMUNIST LOUIS F.BUDENZ AS A COMMUNIST LEADER AND SOVIET ESPIONAGE AGENT. BUDENZ TESTIFIED UNDER OATH THAT FIELD RELAYED COMMUNIST PARTY ORDERS TO LATTIMORE, TH ONETIME STATE DEPARTMENT ADVIWER WHOM MCCARTHY HAS CALLED "THE TOP" SOVIET SPY IN THE UNITED STATES. LATTIMORE HAS DENIED IT.

FIELD DENIED IN HIS TESTIMONY THAT HE WAS EVER A RED SPY, BUT REPEATEDLY BALKED AT TELLING THE TYDINGS COMMITTEE WHETHER HE WAS EVER A COMMUNIST.

CHAIRMAN TYDINGS HAS SAID HE DOES NOT KNOW WHEN THE COMMITTEE WILL ACT ON THE CONTEMPT RECOMMENDATIONS.

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A4WX (MYRNA & BJTS)
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WASHINGTON,MAY 9-(AP)-MOVIE ACTRESS MYRNA LOY HAS BEEN NAMED AN ADVISER TO THE AMERICAN DELEGATION TO THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE UNITED NATIONS EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL ORGANIZATION.

THE UNESCO MEETING OPENS MAY 22 AT FLORENCE, ITALY.

OTHER ADVISERS ANNOUNCED TODAY BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT INCLUDE DR. ESTHER C.BRUNAUER, WHO WAS CHARGED BY SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) WITH BEING PRO-COMMUNIST AND VIGOROUSLY DENIED IT. CORDELIA SPIVY GROSS, NEW YORK CITY HIGH SCHOOL TEACHER; HELEN CROCKER RUSSELL OF THE SAN FRANCISCO MUSEUM OF ART, AND RICHARD F.WALSH, PRESIDENT OF THE AFL UNION OF STAGE EMPLOYES AND MOVING PICTURE OPERATORS, NEW YORK CITY.

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WASHINGTON, MAY 9-(AP)-THE NAVY ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT THE TWO RUBBER LIFE RAFTS FOUND IN THE BALTIC SEA AFTER A NAVY PATROL PLANE FAILED TO RETURN FROM A FLIGHT OVER THE BALTIC AREA APRIL 8 WILL BE SHOWN TO REPORTERS TOMORROW.

PHOTOGRAPHS WILL ALSO BE PERMITTED.

THE NAVY SAID THE TWO LIFE RAFTS ARE OF THE TYPE CARRIED BY PRIVATEE PATROL PLANES. THE MISSING PLANE WAS A PRIVATEER.

THE NAVY GAVE NO INFORMATION AS TO THE CONDITION OF THE RAFTS.

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B56CX (170)

CHICAGO,MAY 9-(AP)-A RUSSIAN NATIVE TODAY WAS ORDERED TO STAND TRIAL IMMEDIATELY ON CHARGES OF MISREPRESENTING HIMSELF AS AN AMERICAN CITIZEN AND FAILING TO REGISTER AS AN ALIEN.

HE IS IRWIN FRANKLIN, 52, MID-WEST REPRESENTATIVE FOR ARTKINO, INC., SOVIIET FILM DISTRIBUTING AGENCY.

FEDERAL JUDGE WALTER J.LA BUY (CAP L B) ORDERED SELECTION OF A JURY TO BEGIN AFTER DENYING DEFENSE REQUESTS FOR A CONTINUANCE AND A TRANS-FER OF THE TRIAL TO ANOTHER JUDGE.

MAX NAIMAN, ATTORNEY FOR FRANKLIN, SAID HE SOUGHT TO HAVE THE CASE REASSIGNED TO ANOTHER JUDGE BECAUSE A COMMUNIST PARTY MEMBER HE HAD DEFENDED BEFORE JUDGE LA BUY PREVIOUSLY FELT HE HAD NOT RECEIVED A FAIR TRIAL.

JUDGE LABUY ACCUSED DEFENSE COUNSEL OF USING DELAYING TACTICS. THE INDICTMENT AGAINST FRANKLIN WAS RETURNED 15 MONTHS AGO.

A MOTION FILED BY FRANKLIN'S COUNSEL INTIMATED THERE WAS A PLOT AFOOT TO STOP THE PUBLIC SHOWING OF RUSSIAN FILMS IN THE UNITED STATES. IT CHARGED THAT NEWSPAPERS HAD PUBLISHED ARTICLES INTENDED TO GIVE THE IMPRESSION THAT FRANKLIN WAS AN AGENT OF A FOREIGN, HOSTILE GOVERNMENT.

FRANKLIN CAME TO THE UNITED STATES 45 YEARS AGO.

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SUN VALLEY,IDAHO, MAY 9-(AP)-AMERICA STANDS ON THE BRINK OF A SHOOT-ING WAR, SAMUEL F.PRYOR, JR., VICE-PRESIDENT OF PAN-AMERICAN WORLD AIRWAYS, SAID TONIGHT.

PRYOR ADDRESSED THE 400 DELEGATES TO THE 28TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE ASSOCIATION OF JUNIOR LEAGUES. HE RECENTLY RETURNED FROM A EUROPEAN TOUR DURING WHICH HE HAD A CONFERENCE WITH THE POPE.

"I CAN TELL YOU WE ARE VERY CLOSE TO A SHOOTING WAR--MUCH CLOSER THAN YOU REALIZE," HE SAID. "WE SHALL BE CLOSE TO IT ALL THIS SPRING. IF WE GET THROUGH SPRING WITHOUT SHOOTING, WE SHALL BE SAFE, IN MY OPINION, FOR ANOTHER 12 MONTHS.

DELEGATES REPRESENTED 172 CITIES IN THE UNITED STATES, CANADA, HAWAII AND MEXICO.

"AT ALL TIMES THE STRONGER OUR DEFENSES, THE LESS CHANCE THERE IS OF TROUBLE PRYOR SAID. "THE KREMLIN, THE CRUELEST ENEMY IN OUR HISTORY, RECOGNIZES ONLY ONE ARGUMENT---STRENGTH."

MRS. DOROTHY RACHEMANN OF BOSTON, ASSOCIATION PRESIDENT, SPOKE TO THE OPENING SESSION.

"HOW WISE AND HOW FAR-SEEING WERE THE FOUNDERS OF THE JUNIOR LEAGUE WHEN THEY CREATED OUR PURPOSE TO FOSTER INTEREST AMONG ITS MEMBERS IN THE SOCIAL, ECONOMIC, CULUTRAL AND CIVIC CONDITIONS OF THE COMMUNITY," SHE SAID.

"BECAUSE OF THEIR FORESIGHT, THE JUNIOR LEAGUE PURPOSE HAS REMAINED UNCHANGED AND THE LEAGUES HAVE CONTINUED TO GROW THROUGH TWO WORLD WARS; THROUGH PERIODS OF ENORMOUS SPENDING AND THROUGH DEPLORABLE POVERTY OF TERRIFYING IGNORANCE. X X X "

THE AIRLINE EXECUTIVE TOLD THE GROUP RUSSIA HAS "SOUPED-UP B-29S POISED AND READY TO DESTROY AT LEAST 20 AMERICAN CITIES. BUT OUR CAPACITY TO PRODUCE IS GREATER THAN RUSSIA'S---AND THE KREMLIN KNOWS IT."

PRYOR PREDICTED THE UNITED STATES WOULD WIN A WAR SHOULD ONE START, BUT ONLY AFTER GREAT EFFORT AND GREAT SACRIFICE.

HE FORESAW A CRISIS WHEN THE MARSHALL PLAN ENDS IN 1952.

AERICA'S GREATEST TASK IS TO MAINTAIN ITS OWN STRENGTH WHILE PRESERVING EUROPE'S, HE SAID, ADDING "OUR STRENGTH LIES IN OUR FORM OF GOVERNMENT, THE GREATEST ON EARTH."

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NIGHT LEAD DRAPER-ADLER (300)
BY GEORGE MILLER
(NY) HARTFORD,CONN., MAY 9-(AP)-PAUL DRAPER, DANCER WHO HAS BEEN ACCUSED OF PRO-COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES, EXPRESSED THE CONVICTION TODAY THAT PRIME MINISTER STALIN "HAS GONE OUT OF HIS MIND."

DRAPER TESTIFIED IN THE TRIAL OF A $200,000 LIBEL SUIT BROUGHT BY HIMSELF AND LARRY ADLER, THE HARMONICA PLAYER, THAT STALIN'S ATTEMPT "TO ENSLAVE THE WORLD IS A SIGN OF THE FAILURE OF HIS MIND."

THE SUIT, BEING GRIED IN FEDERAL COURT HERE, IS AGAINST MRS.JOHN T.MCCULLOUGH OF GREENWICH, CONN. SHE CHARGED IN A LETTER PUBLISHED IN DECEMBER, 1948, THAT DRAPER AND ADLER "OPENLY SUPPORTED" AT LEAST NINE ORGANIZATIONS LISTED AS SUBVERSIVE BY THE U.S.ATTORNEY GENERAL OR OTHER AGENCIES.

DRAPER TESTIFIED ON CROSS-EXAMINATION BY DEFENSE CONSUL C.DRISCOLL GRIMES THAT "WE HAD NOT SUPPORTED THE ORGANIZATIONS REFERRED TO IN THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S LIST, IN THE SENSE OF THE WORD SUPPORT AS IT IS CUSTOMARILY USED."

HE SAID HE HAD BEEN A MEMBER OF THE PROGRESSIVE CITIZENS OF AMERICA AND OF THE HOLLYWOODBRANCH OF THE INDEPENDENT CITIZENS COMMITTEE OF THE ARTS, SCIENCES AND PROFESSIONS, ADDING THAT HE HAD "SPOKEN AND APPEARED AT DIFFERENT ORGANIZATIONS OTHER THAN THOSE TWO ORGANIZATIONS."

HE DENIED, HOWEVER, THAT SUCH APPEARANCES COMMITTED HIM TO SUPPORT OF THE ORGANIZATION'S AIMS.

LATER HE DEFENDED HIS AND ADLER'S REFUSAL TO MAKE NON-COMMUNIST AFFIDAVITS AS A CONDITION OF GIVING A CONCERT AT GREENWICH--THE CONCERT MRS.MC CULLOUGH OPPOSED IN HER LETTER.

"THERE IS THE GREATEST DANGER THAT THE STARTING OF A MOVE TO GET PEOPLE TO SIGN NON-COMMUNIST AFFIDAVITS CAN LEAD TO ALL SORTS OF CHECKS UPON A PERSON'S BELIEFS," DRAPER SAID.

HE EXPRESSED AGREEMENT WITH THE DEFENSE LAWYER THAT COMMUNISM IS A CONSPIRACY. BUT HE ADDED: "THERE IS MORE HARM TO STARTING A FORMAT OF REGISTERING PEOPLE'S IDEAS THAN THERE IS TO WHAT I THINK IS THE MOST SENSIBLE WAY OF FINDING ALL CONSPIRATORS AND STOPPING THE CONSPIRACY."

BOTH DRAPER AND ADLER CONTENDED THAT THEIR REPUTATIONS SUFFERED AND THAT THEY LOST ENGAGEMENTS BECAUSE OF PUBLICITY ARISING FROM MRS. MCCULLOUGH'S CHARGES.

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B35 (120)
NEW HAVEN, MAY 9-(AP)-THE BODY OF PROF. RAYMOND KENNEDY WILL REMAIN PERMANENTLY IN THE CHRISTIAN CEMETERY AT BANDUNG, JAVA. AN UNIDENTIFIED GANG AMBUSHED AND KILLED THE YALE UNIVERSITY SOIOLOGIST APRIL 27 IN WESTERN JAVA.

ANOTHER VICTIM OF THE AMBUSH WAS ROBERT DOYLE, CORRESPONDENT FOR TIME AND LIFE MAGAZINES.

A YALE ANNOUNCEMENT TONIGHT SAID KENNEDY'S WIDOW HAD DECIDED AGAINST BRINGING HER HUSBAND'S BODY BACK TO THE UNITED STATES.

IT QUOTED HER AS SAYING:

"HIS INTEREST IN THAT NATION (INDONESIA) AND ITS PEOPLES WAS PROFOUND AND SINCERE. TO THEM HE HAD DEVOTED YEARS OF RESEARCH, AND HE HAD FOLLOWED WITH GREAT SYMPATHY THEIR STRUGGLE FOR INDEPENDENCE AND ADVANCEMENT. IT SEEMS ENTIRELY FITTING THAT HE BE BURIED IN THE COUNTRY WHOSE PEOPLE HE KNEW AND LOVED SO WELL. I AM SURE THAT THIS WOULD HAVE BEEN HIS WISH."

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B72
NIGHT LEAD KIWANIS (170)
BY JAMES F.FOWLER
MIAMI, FLA., MAY 9-(AP)-CAPT.EDDIE RICKENBACKER TODAY LEVELED A VERBAL BLAST AT "TUMBLEWEED THINKERS, PSEUDO-INTELLECTUALS" AND OTHERS FALLING FOR COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA IN THE UNITED STATES.

ADDRESSING THE KIWANIS INTERNATIONAL'S 35TH ANNUAL CONVENTION, THE WORLD WAR 1 HERO AND PRESIDENT OF EASTERN AIR LINES WARNED THAT COMMUNISTS WERE MAKING HEADWAY IN THEIR EFFORT TO SELL THEIR WARES TO "WEAK-MINDED AMERICANS AND PARTICULARLY TO MAY OF OUR YOUNGER AMERICANS."

AT THE SAME TIME, RICKENBACKER SAID HE BELIEVED THE MARSHALL PLAN WOULD COST UPWARDS OF 200 BILLIONS OF DOLLARS, INSTEAD OF THE PRESENT PLANNED EXPENDITURE OF 20 BILLIONS.

"I SAY TO YOU FRANKLY THAT THE MARSHALL PLAN, AND THE NORTH ATLANTIC SECURITY PACT, PLUS THE REARMING OF AMERICA, WILL RUN OVER $200,000,000,000 (B) BEFORE WE ARE THROUGH, BECAUSE THERE WILL BE A MARSHALL PLAN FOR THE ORIENT, OF THE EAST AND MIDDLE EAST AND BEFORE WE ARE THROUGH THERE WILL BE ONE OF SOUTH AMERICA."

TODAY'S SESSION WAS DEVOTED MAINLY TO A REVIEW OF THE KIWANIS YOUTH ACTIVITIES.

RADIO COMMENTATOR JIMMY FIDLER, PRESIDENT OF NATIONAL KIDS' DAY FOUNDATION OF LOS ANGELES, TOLD OF A PLAN TO BROADEN THE KIDS' DAY PROGRAM TO NATIONAL SCOPE. x8104

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WEST POINT, N.Y., MAY 9-(AP)-PAKISTAN'S PREMIER, LIAQUAT ALI KHAN, MADE AN OFFICIAL VISIT TO THE U.S. MILITARY ACADEMY TODAY.

A 19-GUN SALUTE WAS FIRED BY A FIELD ARTILLERY BATTERY AS THE VISITING STATESMAN AND HIS PARTY DROVE UP TO THE ADMINISTRATION BUILDING. A SPECIAL GUARD OF HONOR WAS DRAWN UP TO RECEIVE HIM.

HE WAS MET BY MAJ. GEN. BRYANT E. MOORE, ACADEMY SUPERINTENDENT, WHO TOOK THE VISITORS ON A TOUR OF THE ACADEMY.

THE PROGRAM FOR HIS VISIT INCLUDED A FORMAL DRESS PARADE AND REVIEW.

LIAQUAT ASKED FOR AMNESTY FOR 302 CADETS WHO WERE MARCHING ON PUNISHMENT TOURS FOR MINOR INFRACTIONS OF RULES, AND IT WAS GRANTED BY GEN. MOORE. THE REQUEST IS RESERVED FOR VISITING CHIEFS OF STATE.

THE PAKISTAN STATESMAN AND HIS PARTY CAME HERE FROM HYDE PARK, WHERE LIAQUAT PLACED A WREATH ON THE GRAVE OF PRESIDENT FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

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LOS ANGELES, MAY 9-(AP)-THE STATE ATTORNEY GENERAL TODAY ASKED THE DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL TO RECONSIDER ITS DECISION THAT THE CALIFORNIA ALIEN LAND LAW IS VOID BECAUSE IT IS IN CONFLICT WITH THE UNITED NATIONS CHARTER.

MTHE COURT HELD THAT DESPITE THE LAW, AN ALIEN INELIGIBLE TO BECOME

AN AMERICAN CITIZEN CAN ACQUIRE AND HOLD LAND HERE.

THE THREE JUSTICES OF THE APPELLATE COURT HELD THAT THE UNITED NATIONS CHARTER HAS BECOME THE SUPREME LAW OF THE LAND AND THAT JUDGES IN EVERY STATE ARE BOUND THEREBY, REGARDLESS OF ANYTHING IN THE CONSTITUTION OR LAWS OF ANY STATE TO THE CONTRARY.

IN HIS PETITION FOR A REHEARING, ATTORNEY GENERAL FRED N. HOWSER SAID THE ACTION IS "FOR THE SOLE PURPOSE OF FURTHER EXAMINING THE LEGAL EFFECT OF THE UNITED NATIONS CHARTER UPON STATE LAWS. IT DOES NOT DEAL WITH THE ADMIRABLE ETHICAL PRECEPTS OF THE CHARTER."

"THE PORTIONS OF THE CHARTER CONSIDERED BY THIS OPINION ARE NOT SELF EXECUTING, AND ANY TREATY UNDER THE UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION, IN ORDER TO RISE TO THE LEVEL OF 'THE SUPREME LAW OF THE LAND' MUST BE SELF-EXECUTING," THE PETITION SAID. "OTHERWISE, IT DOES NOT OVERRIDE OR CONTROL LOCAL OR MUNICIPAL LAWS IN THIS NATION."

THE ATTORNEY GENERAL POINTED OUT THAT THERE HAS BEEN NO ACT PASSED BY CONGRESS IMPLEMENTING THIS TREATY AND THAT THE "UNIVERSAL DECLARATION OF HUMAN RIGHTS WHICH WAS ADOPTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE UNITED NATIONS THREE YEARS AFTER THE ADOPTION OF THE CHARTER IS IN NO WISE LEGISLATION."

"IT HAS BEEN AND IS CONTEMPLATED," HE ADDED, "THAT A COVENANT BE AT SOME TIME ADOPTED AND RATIFIED IN THE FORM OF A TREATY, WHICH COVENANT WILL HAVE BINDING LEGAL EFFECT UPON THE MEMBER NATIONS."

THE CASE WAS BROUGHT BY SEI FUJII, PUBLISHER OF A JAPANESE NEWSPAPER HERE. HE BOUGHT A SMALL LOT AND FILED SUIT TO CLEAR TITLE. THE ATTORNEY GENEAL CONTENDED THAT UNDER THE STATE'S ALIEN LAND LAW HE WAS NOT ENTITLED TO PURCHASE LAND. A SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE UPHELD THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S POSITION, BUT THE DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL REVERSED THE LOWER COURT.

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U.N. SUIT (140)

SAN FRANCISCO,MAY 9-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS MAY NOW SUE THE UNITED STATES--AND IT INTENDS TO.

FEDERAL JUDGE LOUIS E.GOODMAN UPHELD THE U.N.'S RIGHT TO INSTITUTE DAMAGE ACTIONS IN A HEARING HERE YESTERDAY.

THE ISSUE AROSE WHEN THE U.N. AND SIX SHIPPERS FILED FOR DAMAGES IN A LIBEL ACTION ACAINST THE UNITED STATES AND THE AMERICAN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP CO.

BASIS OF THE CLAIM WAS ALLEGED DAMAGE TO AND SHORTAGE IN A LARGE SHIPMENT OF POWDERED MILK TO ITALY AND GREECE.

ATTORNEYS FOR THE UNITED STATES AND THE STEAMSHIP COMPANY ARGUED THE U.N. HAD NO LEGAL AUTHORITY TO GO TO COURT.

JUDGE GOODMAN DISAGREED:

"THE INTERESTS OF THE UNITED STATES ARE SERVED WHEN THE UNITED NATION'S INTERESTS ARE PROTECTED X X X. THE COURTS OF THE UNITED STATES AFFORT A MOST APPROPRIATE FORUM FOR ACCOMPLISHING SUCH A SETTLEMENT."

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD COMMUNISTS

OAKLAND, CALIF., MAY 9-(AP)-AN EX-COMMUNIST TESTIFIED TODAY THAT DR. J. ROBERT OPPENHEIMER ONCE HELD A CLOSEDCOMMUNIST MEETING AT HIS HOME IN BERKELEY---TESTIMONY FLATLY DENIED TONIGHT IN WASHINGTON BY THE TOP ATOMIC SCIENTIST.

THE WITNESS, MRS. SYLVIA CROUCH, APPEARED BEFORE THE STATE SENATE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE WHICH IS SEEKING TO DETERMINE IF THERE WERE COMMUNISTS CONNECTED WITH THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA'S ATOM-SMASHING LABORATORY.

MRS. CROUCH, AN ADMITTED COMMUNIST FROM 1929 UNTIL 1942, SAID SHE ATTENDED THE MEETING IN 1941 AND THAT PHOTOGRAPHS OF DR. OPPENHEIMER WHICH SHE SAW LATER CONVINCED HER HE WAS ONE OF THOSE PRESENT.

IN WASHINGTON, DR. OPPENHEIMER SAID IN A STATEMENT TONIGHT HE NEVER HAD BEEN A COMMUNIST PARTY MEMBER, NEVER ATTENDED A PARTY MEETING "IN MY HOME OR ANYWHERE ELSE."

HE SAID HE FORMERLY KNEW MANY PERSONS IN "LEFT-WING CIRCLES" AND HAD BELONGED TO SEVERAL LEFT-WING ORGANIZATIONS BUT THAT THE GOVERNMENT KNEW ABOUT THAT EVER SINCE HE STARTED WORK ON THE ATOMIC BOMB PROJECT.

DR. OPPENHEIMER, CHAIRMAN OF THE POWERFUL ADVISORY COMMITTEE WHICH SHAPES POLICY FOR THE NATIONS ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION, WAS A DIRECTOR OF THE ATOMIC RESEARCH LABORATORY AT LOS ALAMOS, N. MEX., DURING THE WAR. THE FIRST ATOM BOMBS WERE MADE THERE.

DR.OPPENHEIMER BECAME DIRECTOR OF THAT LABORATORY ABOUT THE TIME IT BEGAN TO FUNCTION IN THE SPRING OF 1943. AT THAT TIME THE PROJECT EMPLOYED A LITTLE MORE THAN 50 PEOPLE. IN TWO AND A HALF YEARS IT GREW TO A COMMUNITY OF 8,500. OPPENHEIMER WAS DIRECTOR FROM BEGINNING TO END.

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AT PRINCETON, N. J., WHERE THE SCIENTIST NOW DIRECTS THE INSTITUTE FOR ADVANCED STUDIES, HIS OFFICE REPORTED HE WAS OUT OF THE CITY AND COULD NOT BE REACHED IMMEDIATELY FOR COMMENT.

MRS. CROUCH, WHOSE HUSBAND, PAUL, HAS TESTIFIED FOR THE GOVERNMENT AT NUMEROUS ANTI-COMMUNIST TRIALS AND HEARINGS, SAID SHE PICKED OUT DR. OPPENHEIMER FROM A GROUP OF PICTURES SHOWN HER BY GOVERNMENT AGENTS.

SHE RECOGNIZED HIS PICTURE, SHE SAID, AS THAT OF A MAN SHE HAD SEEN FOR THE FIRST TIME AT THE COMMUNIST MEETING ON THE BERKELEY CAMPUS.

SHE ALSO PICKED OUT THE PICTURE OF JOSEPH WEINBERG AS ANOTHER OF THE GROUP OF SOME 25 TO 30 PERSONS AT THE GATHERING.

WEINBERG, NOW AN ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF PHYSICS (CORRECT) AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA, WAS NAMED BY THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE IN 1949 AS THE "SCIENTIST X" WHOM IT ACCUSED IN A FORMAL REPORT OF HAVING GIVEN IMPORTANT SCIENTIFIC INFORMATION TO A COMMUNIST PARTY OFFICIAL IN 1943.

MRS. CROUCH SAID SHE HAD SEEN DR. OPPENHEIMER SEVERAL TIMES AFTER THE BERKELEY MEETING. BUT NEVER AGAIN AT A CLOSED COMMUNIST SESSION.

THE TESTIMONY CAUSED AN IMMEDIATE STIR IN SCIENTIFIC CIRCLES, WHERE DR. OPPENHEIMER'S STANDING IS HIGH. HIS NAME NEVER BEFORE HAS BEEN PUBLICLY CONNECTED WITH POSSIBLE COMMUNIST PARTY MEMBERSHIP, ALTHOUGH HIS BROTHER, DR. FRANK OPPENHEIMER, HAS ADMITTED BEING A PARTY MEMBER.

DR. FRANK OPPENHEIMER WAS EMPLOYED AT THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA RADIATION LABORATORY DURING THE WAR AND LATER WENT TO THE UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA. HE TESTIFIED BEFORE THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE IN JUNE, 1949, THAT HE AND HIS WIFE BOTH HAD JOINED THE COMMUNIST PARTY "SEEKING AN ANSWER TO THE PROBLEMS OF UNEMPLOYMENT" IN THE '30S. HE LEFT IT BEFORE HE BEGAN WORKING ON THE ATOMIC BOMB PROJECT, HE SAID.

PAUL CROUCH, AND HIS WIFE BOTH WERE SUBPOENAED AS GOVERNMENT WITNESSES AT THE RECENT HARRY BRIDGES PERJURY TRIAL, IN WHICH COMMUN-

IST PARTY MEMBERSHIP OF THE LONGSHORE LABOR LEADER WAS THE PRINCIPAL ISSUE. MRS. CROUCH DID NOT TESTIFY, HOWEVER.

CROUCH SAID HE WAS EMPLOYED BY A MIAMI, FLA., NEWSPAPER.

MRS. CROUCH FIXED THE DATE OF THE MEETING IN JULY, 1941, SHORTLY AFTER GERMANY ATTACKED THE SOVIET UNION. SHE SAID HER HUSBAND, A COMMUNIST FOR 17 YEARS AND A PARTY OFFICIAL IN ALAMEDA COUNTY AT THE TIME, WAS CALLED UPON TO EXPLAIN THE RADICAL CHANGE IN THE PARTY LINE TO A "SECTION MEETING." THE NEW LINE WAS ONE URGING FULL SUPPORT OF THE WAR EFFORT. PREVIOUSLY, THE COMMUNISTS HAD CALLED THE CONFLICT IN EUROPE AN "IMPERIALIST WAR."

THE WITNESS RELATED THAT SHE AND HER HUSBAND WERE ESCORTED TO THE MEETING BY KENNETH MAY, FORMER MEMBER OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA FACULTY WHO WAS DISMISSED AFTER HE PUBLICLY ESPOUSED COMMUNISM.

RICHARD E. COMBS, ATTORNEY AND INVESTIGATOR FOR THE STATE SENATE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES, WHICH BEGAN A FOUR-DAY HEARING YESTERDAY, TOLD NEWSMEN HE HAD INFORMATION THAT THE MEETING ACTUALLY WAS HELD IN THE OPPENHEIMER HOME.

CROUCH TESTIFIED BEFORE THE COMMITTEE YESTERDAY, BUT DID NOT MENTION OPPNEHEIMER OR THE BERKELEY MEETING.

HIS WIFE, AN ATTRACTIVE BRUNETTE, TOLD THE COMMITTEE IT WAS THE FIRST TIME SHE HAD TESTIFIED REGARDING HER FORMER COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES.

AT THE BRIDGES TRIAL, CROUCH DESCRIBED HER AS A "COURIER" WHO CARRIED MESSAGES FROM COMMUNIST OFFICIALS TO AGENTS ON THE FLOOR OF A LABOR UNION CONVENTION IN OAKLAND IN 1941.

HE TESTIFIED THEN THAT HE LEFT THE PARTY AFTER A DISPUTE IN 1942 OVER HIS WIFE'S REFUSAL TO TAKE A COMMUNIST PARTY ASSIGNMENT IN LOS ANGELES. SHE HAD OBTAINED A HIGH-PAYING WAR JOB IN THE SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA AND DECLINED TO GO.

HE WAS CENSURED AND DEMOTED FOR FAILING TO MAKE HIS WIFE OBEY THE PARTY ORDER, HE SAID. HE DESCRIBED HIS OWN POSITION IN THE PARTY AS AN ORGANIZER IN 12 STATES, EDITOR OF PARTY MAGAZINES AND NEWSPAPERS AND A LEADER IN VARIOUS COMMUNIST FRONT ORGANIZATIONS.

AT THE TRIAL, WHICH ENDED IN BRIDGES' CONVICTION LAST MONTH, CROUCH SAID HE WAS EMPLOYED "IN A SUPERVISORY CAPACITY" BY THE MIAMI DAILY NEWS AND GAVE HIS ADDRESS AS 10421 NORTHWEST 33RD AVENUE. MRS. CROUCH SAID TODAY THAT IS STILL HER HOME ADDRESS.

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NEW YORK, MAY 9-(AP)-MRS.ELLEN KNAUFF, GERMAN BRIDE OF AN AMERICAN VETERAN, TODAY LOST ONE EFFORT TO PREVENT HER DEPORTATION BUT IMMEDIATELY STARTED ANOTHER.

THE U.S. CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS DISMISSED HER APPEAL FROM AN ORDER BY FEDERAL JUDGE SAMUEL H.KAUFMAN REFUSING TO STOP HER DEPORTATION.

THE SAME COURT RESERVED DECISION ON AN APPEAL FROM A DECISION BY FEDERAL JUDGE JOHN W.CLANCY WHO RULED THE IMMIGRATION SERVICE COULD SEND HER BACK TO GERMANY EVEN THOUGH CONGRESSIONAL ACTION IS PENDING TO PERMIT HER ADMISSION.

BECAUSE THIS DECISION WAS RESERVED, MRS.KNAUFF'S DEPORTATION HAS BEEN DELAYED UNTIL THE COURT RULES. IMMIGRATION AUTHORITIES HAVE HELD HER AT ELLIS ISLAND FOR ALMOST TWO YEARS, CONTENDING SHE IS A SECURITY RISK. SHE DENIED THE CHARGE.

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U.N.-CHINESE (360)

BY MAX HARRELSON

LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 9-(AP)-NATIONALIST CHINA'S EMPTY POCKETBOOK MAY DO WHAT THE RUSSIANS HAVE FAILED TO ACCOMPLISH--FORCE CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S REGIME TO QUIT THE UNITED NATIONS.

THIS POSSIBILITY WAS RAISED OVER THE WEEKEND WHEN THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS ANNOUNCED THEY WERE WITHDRAWING FROM THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION (WHO), ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT OF THE U.N.'S SPECIALIZED AGENCIES.

THE NATIONALISTS GAVE NO REASON FOR THE WITHDRAWAL, BUT WHO OFFICIALS EXPRESSED THE BELIEF THAT CHIANG ACTED BECAUSE HE OWED THE ORGANIZATION APPROXIMATELY $1,000,000 FOR 1948, 1949 AND 1950 AND SAW NO CHANCE TO RAISE THE MONEY.

ANOTHER SIGN THAT THE NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT MAY BE PULLING OUT WAS SEEN IN THE RECENT WITHDRAWAL FROM THE GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE, WHICH WAS DRAWN UP IN GENEVA IN 1947. THIS WAS CONSIDERED AS A SORT OF COMPANION AGREEMENT TO THE CHARTER OF THE INTERNATIONAL TRADE ORGANIZATION, NOW BEING FORMED.

ALTHOUGH NEITHER THE U.N. NOR ANY OF ITS BODIES CAN EXPEL A MEMBER FOR NON-PAYMENT OF ASSESSMENTS, THE U.N. CHARTER DOES PROVIDE THAT ANY MEMBER SHALL LOSE ITS VOTE IN THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY IF IT

FALLS TWO YEARS IN ARREARS IN ITS CONTRIBUTIONS.

NATIONALIST CHINA'S CHIEF DELEGATE, T.F.TSIANG, SAID HE DIDN'T KNOW WHAT HIS GOVERNMENT WOULD DO ABOUT FUTURE PAYMENTS.

A PARTIAL SURVEY SHOWED NATIONALIST CHINA IS GETTING DANGEROUSLY CLOSE TO THE TWO-YEAR LIMIT IN SOME U.N. AGENCIES.

THE LAST PAYMENT RECEIVED BY THE U.N. ITSELF FROM THE NATIONALISTS WAS APPROXIMATELY A YEAR AGO, WHEN CHIANG'S ARMIES STILL HELD A LARGE PORTION OF THE CHINA MAINLAND. SINCE THEN THE NATIONALISTS HAVE BEEN EXPELLED TO THE ISLAND OF FORMOSA AND RUSSIA HAS BEEN TRYING TO KICK THEM OUT OF THE U.N. AND SEAT THE COMMUNIST REGIME OF MAO TSE-TUNG.

THE NATIONALISTS GAVE THE U.N. $1,000,000 AS A PARTIAL PAYMENT OF THEIR 1949 ASSESSMENT, LEAVING $1,500,000 UNPAID. THEY HAVE PAID NOTHING ON THEIR $2,000,000 ASSESSMENT FOR 1950.

INFORMATION AVAILABLE HERE SHOWS NATIONALIST CHINA OWES $2,727,000 TO THE INTERNATIONAL REFUGEE ORGANIZATION (RIO) ON ITS 1948-49 ASSESSMENT OF $4,000,000 AND HAS PAID NOTHING ON ITS $4,000,000 SHARE FOR 1949-50.

A SIMILAR SITUATION EXISTS WITH REGARD TO THE UNITED NATIONS EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL ORGANIZATION (UNESCO).

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NIGHT LEAD FOREIGN MINISTERS

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BY WES GALLAGHER

LONDON, MAY 10-(AP)-FRANCE AND THE UNITED STATES APPEARED TO BE STRONGLY UNITED TONIGHT ON A POLICY OF TYING GERMANY INTO WESTERN EUROPE INDUSTRIALLY AND POLITICALLY.

THERE WAS DOUBT, HOWEVER, AS TO BRITAIN'S ATTITUDE.

SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON ISSUED A STATEMENT GIVING SYMPATHY AND APPROVAL TO THE "SIGNIFICANCE AND FAR REACHING INTENT" OF THE SURPRISE FRENCH OFFER YESTERDAY TO POOL FRENCH, GERMAN AND POSSIBLY OTHER EUROPEAN COAL AND STEEL PRODUCTION.

THIS PROPOSAL DOMINATED TOP-LEVEL DIPLOMATIC THINKING TODAY IN LONDON WHERE ACHESON AND BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN HELD TWO LONG SECRET DISCUSSIONS ON GERMAN AND OTHER PHASES OF THE COLD WAR.

ACHESON SAID OF THE FRENCH PROPOSAL: "IT IS PLAIN FROM THE ANNOUNCEMENT THAT THE SPIRIT PROMPTING IT WAS THE FURTHERANCE OF RAPPROCHEMENT BETWEEN GERMANY AND FRANCE AND PROGRESS TOWARD THE ECONOMIC INTEGRATION OF WESTERN EUROPE.

"THESE ARE OBJECTIVES WHICH HAVE LONG BEEN FAVORED BY THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES."

HE ADDED, HOWEVER, THAT "THOROUGH ANALYSIS AND FINAL JUDGMENT" MUST AWAIT FURTHER DEVELOPMENT OF THE PLAN.

THUS, FOR THE FIRST TIME SINCE THE WAR, FRANCE AND THE UNITED STATES APPEARED TO BE GOING INTO A WESTERN FOREIGN MINISTERS CONFERENCE WITH COMMON AIMS. THE CONFERENCE OPENS TOMORROW.

FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN ARRIVED FROM PARIS TONIGHT.

BRITISH OFFICIALS DID NOT SEEM TO SHARE THE ENTHUSIASM OF ONE AMERICAN DIPLOMAT WHO COMMENTED THAT "THIS IS THE FIRST TIME THE FRENCH HAVE TAKEN THE INITIATIVE IN A MAJOR CONSTRUCTIVE FASHION TO SOLVE THE GERMAN PROBLEM."

A BRITISH FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMAN DANCED ALL AROUND THE SUBJECT WHEN QUESTIONED BY REPORTERS. MOST OF THE BRITISH PRESS EXPRESSED RESERVE TOWARD THE IDEA.

IN AN ADDRESS TONIGHT BEFORE THE PILGRIMS, A SOCIETY TO FOSTER AMERICAN-BRITISH FRIENDSHIP, ACHESON SAID BOTH THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE MUST SACRIFICE SOME NATIONAL INTERESTS TO MAKE THE WORLD SECURE AGAINST WAR.

ACHESON SAID THE JOB OF BRINGING GERMANY BACK INTO THE FAMILY OF WESTERN CIVILIZATION "MUST BE A COOPERATIVE ENTERPRISE IN WHICH THE RISKS AND RESPONSIBILITIES ARE SHARED BY ALL."

THOUGH REMARKING ON THE SUCCESS OF AMERICAN ECONOMIC AID TO EUROPE, HE SAID REMAINING TROUBLES CAN BE CURED ONLY THROUGH "COOPERATIVE INTERNATIONAL ARRANGEMENTS IN WHICH SOME SACRIFICE OF PURELY NATIONAL INTEREST WILL BE UNAVOIDABLE FOR ALL OF US."

A COMBINATION OF FRENCH AND GERMAN HEAVY INDUSTRY, AS REPRESENTED BY COAL AND STEEL, WOULD OUT-WEIGH BRITAIN IN THE EUROPEAN SCALES. IF BRITAIN ENTERED THE POOL, AS SUGGESTED BY SCHUMAN, THE GOVERNMENT WOULD HAVE TO TAKE ACCOUNT OF THE PRONOUNCED EFFECT ON ITS PLANNED ECONOMY SCHEMES.

ASIDE FROM STILL NEBULOUS PHASES OF THE SCHUMAN IDEA, THERE REMAINED A QUESTION OF THE EXTENT OF SUPPORT THE PLAN WILL GET FROM THE FRENCH PEOPLE.

THE PLAN ESCAPED AN ADVERSE SLAP BY ONLY ONE VOTE IN THE FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE OF THE FRENCH NATIONAL ASSEMBLY THIS MORNING. WHEN A RIGHTIST DEPUTY MOVED THAT THE GOVERNMENT GET PRIOR APPROVAL FROM PARLIAMENT FOR ANY POOLING SCHEME, THE COMMITTEE VOTED HIM DOWN 18 TO 17.

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THE PLAN IS THE MOST DARING VENTURED BY ANY FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER TOWARD GERMANY SINCE THE WAR. IT PROBABLY WOULD HAVE TOPPLED ANY FRENCH GOVERNMENT IF ATTEMPTED A YEAR OR MORE AGO.

MANY FRENCH, AS WELL AS GERMAN SOCIALISTS, WERE EXPRESSING MISGIVINGS THAT THE PLAN WOULD CUT ACROSS THEIR IDEAS OF PUBLIC OWNERSHIP.

AT BONN, HOWEVER, THE WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER HAS CALLED THE PLAN A "GENEROUS STEP." WESTERN GERMANY WOULD HAVE LITTLE TO LOSE. FRANCE IS IN CONTROL OF THE SAAR COAL MINES, WHOSE OUTPUT WOULD BE THROWN INTO THE POOL FOR GERMAN USE. GERMANY'S COAL AND STEEL FROM THE RUHR ALREADY ARE UNDER AN INTERNATIONAL AUTHORITY.

THE SCHEME CLOSELY FITS ACHESON'S URGENT AIM OF KNITTING WESTERN GERMANY SO CLOSELY TO THE WEST THAT THERE WILL BE NO QUESTION OF HER SLIDING INTO THE RUSSIAN ORBIT.

THE SPEED OF RUSSIAN ARMAMENT HAS IMPELLED HIM TO SEEK BOLD COOPERATION FROM AMERICA'S PARTNERS IN THE ATLANTIC PACT.

BRITAIN HAS GIVEN THE IMPRESSION THAT SHE IS UNMOVED BY THE SAME SENSE OF URGENCY. CONSEQUENTLY, FEW CONCRETE DECISIONS HAVE BEEN EXPECTED FROM THE THREE-WAY MEETING OF ACHESON, BEVIN AND SCHUMAN.

THE FRENCH SUGGESTION, HOWEVER, MAY CHANGE THAT AND GIVE AN IMPETUS TO THE CONFERENCE THAT WAS LACKING BEFORE.

ACHESON AND BEVIN ENDED THEIR TALKS TONIGHT. NO DEFINITE AGREEMENTS WERE REACHED, IT WAS REPORTED, THOUGH OFFICIALS DESCRIBED THE TALKS AS SATISFACTORY.

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A WIDE RANGE OF SUBJECTS REACHING FROM EUROPE AND THE EUROPEAN PAYMENTS PROBLEM OF THE MARSHALL PLAN ORGANIZATION TO THE MIDDLE EAST AND FAR EAST WERE DISCUSSED.

THE MORNING MEETING OF ACHESON AND BEVIN PRESUMABLY WAS DEVOTED TO GERMANY, SINCE ADVISORS ON GERMAN AFFAIRS WERE PRESENT. THESE INCLUDED U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J. MCCLOY.

THE AFTERNOON SESSION TURNED TO OTHER WORLD PROBLEMS, INCLUDING THOSE IN THE FAR EAST. INFORMED SOURCES SAID THEY EXPECTED THE THREE POWERS WOULD MAKE A JOINT DECLARATION OF AIMS IN THE FAR EAST, AND MIGHT WORK OUT A JOINT PLAN TO AID ANTI-COMMUNISTS IN BURMA, INDOCHINA, MALAYA AND OTHER EMBATTLED COUNTRIES.

THE GRANTING OF MORE POWERS TO THE WEST GERMAN GOVERNMENT CERTAINLY WILL BE DISCUSSED BY THE THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS, BUT THERE WAS NO PROSPECT THAT THE STATE OF WAR WITH GERMANY WOULD BE FORMALLY ENDED OR PLANS FOR A SEPARATE GERMAN PEACE TREATY MADE AT THIS SESSION.

ACHESON WAS DRIVEN FROM BEVIN'S OFFICE SHORTLY AFTER NOON TODAY FOR AN AUDIENCE WITH KING GEORGE. LATER HE AND MRS. ACHESON HAD LUNCHEON WITH THE KING AND QUEEN.

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FIRST LEAD FRANCO-GERMAN

LONDON, MAY 10-(AP)-SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON PRAISED TONIGHT THE FRENCH PROPOSAL TO POOL EUROPE'S COAL AND STEEL INDUSTRIES.

IN A STATEMENT HE WITHHELD FINAL JUDGMENT BUT SAID "I RECOGNIZE WITH SYMPATHY AND APPROVAL THE SIGNIFICANCE AND FAR REACHING TENT OF THE FRENCH INITIATIVE."

THE PROPOSAL WAS SEEN HERE AS A POSSIBLE SOLUTION TO THE MAJOR COLD WAR PROBLEM OF HOW TO INTEGRATE GERMANY'S ECONOMY WITH THE WEST. WESTERN DIPLOMATS HERE FOR BIG THREE TALKS OPENING TOMORROW VIEW SUCH GERMAN COOPERATION AS THE MOST IMPORTANT STEP NEEDED TO BOLSTER THE WEST AGAINST RUSSIA.

ACHESON NOTED THAT THE OBJECTIVE OF THE PLAN IS TO INCREASE THE ECONOMIC INTEGRATION OF WESTERN EUROPE AND SAID "THESE ARE OBJECTIVES WHICH HAVE LONG BEEN FAVORED BY THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES."

ANNOUNCING THE PLAN APPROVED BY THE FRENCH CABINET, FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN PROPOSED THAT THE POOLING START WITH FRANCE'S OWN RICH LORRAINE AND SAAR AREAS AND GERMANY'S INDUSTRIAL RUHR VALLEY.

WEST GERMANY'S CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER QUICKLY TERMED THE PROPOSAL A "GENEROUS STEP BY FRANCE TOWARDS GERMANY."

THE FRENCH PLAN, HE CONTINUED, APPEARED TO "CREATE THE PRE-CONDITIONS FOR MAKING ANY FUTURE CONFLICT BETWEEN FRANCE AND GERMANY IMPOSSIBLE."

AT THE SAME TIME ADENAUER ANNOUNCED HIS GOVERNMENT ALREADY WAS PLANNING A STEP TOWARD PARTICIPATION IN EUROPEAN UNITY. ADENAUER SAID HIS CABINET HAD ACCEPTED AN INVITATION FOR WEST GERMANY TO ENTER THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE AS AN ASSOCIATE MEMBER. IT WOULD HAVE AN ADVISORY STATUS IN THE COUNCIL'S CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY BUT WOULD NOT BE REPRESENTED ON THE CONTROLLING COMMITTEE OF FOREIGN MINISTERS.

SCHUMAN PROPOSED THAT A "COMMON HIGH AUTHORITY" WOULD CONTROL THE FRANCO-GERMAN COAL AND STEEL OUTPUT, AND THAT OTHER EUROPEAN COUNTRIES, "EAST OR WEST," WOULD BE INVITED TO JOIN THE POOL.

FRANCE ALREADY CONTROLS THE COAL MINES OF THE NEAR-AUTONOMOUS SAAR REGION, WHICH WAS ATTACHED TO GERMANY BEFORE WORLD WAR TWO. WEST GERMANY'S RUHR MINES NOW ARE UNDER INTERNATIONAL CONTROL OF THE ALLIED OCCUPATION AUTHORITIES.

THE FRENCH PROPOSAL WAS EXPECTED TO BE DISCUSSED WHEN THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE U.S., BRITAIN AND FRANCE BEGIN THEIR TALKS HERE TOMORROW.

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THERE WERE INDICATIONS THAT BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN WILL BE RELUCTANT TO ENDORSE THE PLAN. THE BRITISH ARE REPORTED TO FEEL THE WESTERN ALLIES SHOULD GO SLOWLY IN DEALING WITH GERMANY. THEY WANT THE GERMANS TO PROVE THEY CAN BE TRUSTED TO STAY WITH THE WEST AFTER THEY JOIN IT.

BRITAIN ALSO MAY FEAR THAT A COMBINATION OF FRENCH AND GERMAN RESOURCES WOULD DEPRIVE HER OF HER DOMINANT POSITION IN EUROPE'S STEEL INDUSTRY.

SOME OBSERVERS HAVE FELT THAT BRITAIN CARES MORE ABOUT OVERCOMING HER ECONOMIC ILLS BEFORE THE MARSHALL PLAN ENDS IN 1952 THAN SHE DOES ABOUT BUILDING ANTI-RUSSIAN DEFENSES.

AMERICAN OFFICIALS HERE WERE REPORTED URGING CONCRETE ACTION NOW BECAUSE RUSSIA IS USING A LARGE PART OF HER NATIONAL INCOME FOR A FULL-SCALE REARMAMENT PROGRAM. WITH THIS HAS COME A STIFFENING RUSSIAN ATTITUDE WHICH HAS INCREASED COLD WAR TENSION AND WAS ONE OF THE UNDERLYING REASONS FOR THE BIG THREE MEETING.

ONE AMERICAN VIEW IS THAT A PROMPT DISPLAY OF GREATER UNITY BY THE WESTERN NATIONS WILL GREATLY DECREASE THE POSSIBILITY OF A SHOOTING WAR.

THE UNITED STATES IS EXPECTED TO APPROVE READILY THE FRENCH PROPOSAL IT MAY ALREADY HAVE DONE SO, SINCE SCHUMAN'S ANNOUNCEMENT CAME LESS THAN 24 HOURS AFTER HE CONFERRED IN PARIS WITH U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON. ACHESON AND BEVIN MEET TODAY FOR THEIR SECOND ROUND OF TALKS PRIOR TO BEING JOINED BY SCHUMAN TOMORROW.

IN THE ONLY LONDON NEWSPAPER EDITORIAL ON THE SCHUMAN PLAN, THE LIBERAL NEWS CHRONICLE SAID IT BROUGHT NEW HOPE TO EUROPE AND MIGHT "END FOREVER THE RIVALRY BETWEEN FRANCE AND GERMANY." BUT THE CONSERVATIVE GRAPHIC HEADLINED ITS ACCOUNT "COAL, STEEL POOL SHOCK FOR BRITAIN."

LONDON'S COMMUNIST DAILY WORKER SAID THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT "ON AMERICAN ORDERS HAS AGREED TO SURRENDER HER GREAT COAL AND STEEL INDUSTRIES TO A FRANCO-GERMAN 'POOL'." THE PARIS COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER L'HUMANITE BLASTED THE PROPOSAL WITH THE FIVE-COLUMN HEADLINE "NEW TREASON, NEW STEP TOWARD WAR TAKEN UNDER ORDERS OF ACHESON."

COAL PRODUCTION IN FRANCE AND THE SAAR LAST YEAR WAS ESTIMATED UNOFFICIALLY AT 65,000,000 METRIC TONS, COMPARED TO WEST GERMANY'S 103,000,000 TONS. STEEL PRODUCTION IN FRANCE AND THE SAAR REPORTEDLY TOTALED 10,800,000 TONS, WHILE 9,100,000 TONS WERE PRODUCED IN WEST GERMANY.

THE GERMAN PRESS REACTION WAS MIXED. THE NON-LEFTIST PRESS CALLED THE SCHUMAN PROPOSAL A BOLD PLAN, BUT THE SOCIALIST PRESS ATTACKED IT AS POSING THE DANGER OF CARTEL CONTROLS. ONLY TWO RUSSIAN-CONTROLLED PAPERS IN BERLIN MENTIONED THE PROPOSALS, BOTH WITHOUT COMMENT.

THE INDEPENDENT WEST BERLIN NEWSPAPER TAGESSPIEGEL WELCOMED THE PLAN AS "AN EVENT OF IMPORTANCE WHICH GIVES US SATISFACTION BECAUSE, THOUGH IT ORIGINATED IN GERMANY, IT HAS NOW BEEN TAKEN UP FROM THE OTHER SIDE WITH BOLDNESS." IT SCOLDED THE SOCIALISTS FOR EXPRESSING OPPOSITION, SAYING THAT THE INTERESTS OF WORKERS COULD NOT BE SEPARATED FROM THE LARGER INTERESTS OF THE COMMON EUROPEAN CAUSE.

IN THE BRITISH SECTOR OF BERLIN, THE INDEPENDENT SOCIALIST TELEGRAF CRITICIZED THE PROPOSAL, SAYING "THERE IS ALWAYS THE DANGER THAT THE POOLING IMPORTANT INDUSTRIAL BRANCHES OF THE EUROPEAN COUNTRIES IS EXECUTED ON THE BASIS OF CAPITALISTIC CARTEL PRINCIPLES."

AT BONN, CAPITAL OF THE WEST GERMAN REPUBLIC, REACTION APPEARED TO BE PREPONDERANTLY IN FAVOR OF SCHUMAN'S MOVE. ELSEWHERE IT WAS GENERALLY HAILED BY THE NON-LEFTIST PRESS.

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NIGHT LEAD GERMAN (180)

BONN, GERMANY, MAY 10-(AP)-CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER SAID TODAY WEST GERMANY IS WILLING TO GIVE UP CERTAIN SOVEREIGN RIGHTS TO ACHIEVE A PEACEFUL ORDER IN EUROPE AND BETWEEN THE PEOPLES OF THE WORLD.

"IT IS MY OPINION," ADENAUER WROTE IN A MEMORANDUM TO PARLIAMENT, "THAT PEACE CAN BE GUARANTEED ONLY IF EUROPE DEVELOPS INTO A FEDERATION OF FREE NATIONS WHICH ARE CAPABLE OF BEING A FORCE FOR PEACE."

THE MEMORANDUM RECOMMENDED THAT PARLIAMENT ACCEPT AN INVITATION TO WEST GERMANY TO JOIN THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE AS AN ASSOCIATE MEMBER. THE GOVERNMENT APPROVED THE INVITATION YESTERDAY.

AT THE SAME TIME ADENAUER SAID IT WAS REGRETTABLE THE WESTERN ALLIES STILL MAINTAIN A STATE OF WAR WITH WEST GERMANY AND HAVE "DEEMED IT SUITABLE TO GIVE BACK THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC'S RIGHTS ONLY PIECE BY PIECE."

THE PROPOSAL BY FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN YESTERDAY TO UNITE UNDER ONE AUTHORITY THE COAL AND STEEL PRODUCTION OF GERMANY AND FRANCE, INCLUDING THE SAAR, WAS VIEWED BY ADENAUER AND MOST OF THE NON-LEFTIST WEST GERMAN PRESS AS A GENEROUS GESTURE.

HOWEVER, THE CHIEF OA ADENAUER'S OPPOSITION, SOCIALIST LEADER KURT SCHUMACHER, SAID TODAY "THIS IS JUST THE FRAME -- I WANT TO KNOW WHAT SORT OF PICTURE IS GOING INTO IT BEFORE SAYING YES OR NO."

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WITH LONDON FRANCO-GERMAN (200)

BONN, GERMANY, MAY 10-(AP)-CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER TODAY EXPRESSED REGRET THAT THE WESTERN ALLIES STILL MAINTAIN A STATE OF WAR WITH WEST GERMANY AND RENEWED HIS PLEAS FOR BROADER CONCESSIONS.

THE CHANCELLOR MADE HIS REMARKS IN A GOVERNMENT MEMORANDUM RECOMMENDING TO PARLIAMENT THE ACCEPTANCE OF AN INVITATION TO JOIN THE ASSEMBLY OF EUROPE AS AN ASSOCIATE MEMBER.

PUBLICATION OF HIS REMARKS COINCIDED WITH GENERAL APPROVAL IN THE

NON-LEFTIST PRESS OF THE WEST GERMAN REPUBLIC FOR FRANCE'S PROPOSAL YESTERDAY TO POOL GERMAN AND FRENCH COAL DND STEEL PRODUCTION. ADENAUER OBVIOUSLY HAD BEEN ELATED BY THE FRENCH PLAN.

PUSHING FURTHER HIS CAMPAIGN TO IMPRESS UPON THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS AT LONDON THE GERMAN YEARNING FOR LESS OCCUPATION CONTROLS, ADENAUER EXPRESS REGRET THAT THE WESTERN POWERS "DEEMED IT SUITABLE TO GIVE BACK THE FEDERAL REPBLICS RIGHTS ONLY PIECE BY PIECE."

"IT IS MY OPINION," ADENAUER SAID, "THAT PEACE CAN BE GUARANTEED ONLY IF EUROPE DEVELOPS INTO A FEDERATION OF FREE NATIONS WHICH ARE CAPABLE OF BEING A FORCE FOR PEACE."

"THE EUROPEAN ASSEMBLY IS ONE STEP IN THIS DIRECTION. IT IS THE DUTY OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC TO CONTRIBUTE TO THIS DEVELOPMENT, ALONG WITH THE FREE DEMOCRATIC PEOPLES OF EUROPE WHOSE WAY OF LIFE IS SIMILAR TO OURS.

"GERMANY IS WILLING TO GIVE UP CERTAIN SOVEREIGNTY RIGHTS TO ACHIEVE PEACEFUL AND PERMANENT ORDER IN EUROPE AND BETWEEN THE PEOPLES OF THE WORLD."

BUT HE ADDED THAT EUROPEAN AIMS COULD BE ACHIEVED ONLY IF WEST GERMANY "GAINS WEIGHT WITHIN THE EUROPEAN FEDERATION IN THE POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC FIELDS."

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WITH LONDON

ROME,MAY 10-(AP)-ITALIAN FOREIGN MINISTER CARLO SFORZA TODAY PRAISED THE "AUDACIOUS INITIATIVE" OF FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERTT SCHUMAN FOR PROPOSING A POOL OF FRANCO-GERMAN COAL AND STEEL OUTPUT.

IN A PRESS STATEMENT, SFORZA PREDICTED THE PROPOSAL WILL SOME DAY ASSUME "HISTORIC VALUE" IN THE SEARCH FOR LASTING PEACE BETWEEN THE FRENCH AND GERMAN PEOPLES.

SFORZA ADDED THAT THE PROPOSAL TO POOL THE OUTPUT UNDER A SINGLE SUPREME AUTHORITY WAS EVIDENCE OF WILLINGNESS TO RENOUNCE NATIONAL SOVEREIGNTIES.

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LONDON,MAY 10-(AP)-SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON SAID TONIGHT BOTH THE UNITED STATES AND WESTERN EUROPE MUST SACRIFICE SOME NATIONAL INTERESTS TO AVOID A THIRD WORLD WAR.

"OUR PURPOSE IS PEACE, NOT WAR," ACHESON DECLARED IN OUTLINING HIS VIEWS FOR TIGHTER ORGANIZATION OF THE ANTI-COMMUNIST COUNTRIES.

ACHESON IS IN LONDON FOR SESSIONS OF THE BIG THREE AND OF THE ATLANTIC PACT FOREIGN MINISTRIES.

HE SPOKE BEFORE THE PILGRIMS, A SOCIETY TO FOSTER FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN.

ACHESON CALLED FOR THE RETURN OF GERMANY TO "THE FAMILY OF WESTERN CIVILIZATION, SAYING THIS TASK "MUST BE A CO-OPERATIVE ENTERPRISE, IN WHICH THE RISKS AND RESPONSIBILITIES ARE SHARED BY ALL."

THE PROBLEM OF GERMANY IS ONE OF TWO GREAT QUESTIONS FACING THE NON-COMMUNIST WORLD, ACHESON SAID. THE OTHER HE DESCRIBED AS LACK OF ECONOMIC BALANCE BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND HER EUROPEAN ASSOCIATES.

"WE HAVE HAD A VERY ENCOURAGING MEASURE OF SUCCESS THUS FAR IN OVERCOMING THESE ECONOMIC ILLS THROUGH AMERICAN AID," THE SECRETARY SAID. "BUT THE EFFORTS WE HAVE MADE TO DATE WILL NOT BRING ENTIRE SUCCESS."

HE SAID THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT'S VIEW IS THAT THE REST OF THESE ECONOMIC TROUBLES CAN BE CURED ONLY THROUGH "CO-OPERATIVE INTERNATIONAL ARRANGEMENTS IN WHICH SOME SACRIFICE OF PURELY NATIONAL INTEREST WILL BE UNAVOIDABLE FOR ALL OF US."

"THE GERMANS THEMSELVES MUST BE PREPARED TO ACCEPT THEIR FULL MEASURE OF RESPONSIBILITIES AND THE FULL MEASURE OF WHAT MAY APPEAR TO THEM AS RISKS" AS THEY RETURN TO THE WESTERN COMMUNITY, HE SAID, ADDING:

"GERMAN NATIONAL PURPOSES CAN BE SERVED AND A HOPEFUL FUTURE SECURED TO THE GERMAN PEOPLE ONLY BY SHARING IN THOSE SLOWER AND LESS DRAMATIC DEVICES OF FORBEARANCE, UNDERSTANDING AND RESTRAINT."

ACHESON SAID HE HOPED AMERICAN VIEWS ON THE PROBLEMS OF GERMANY AND WESTERN ECONOMIC ILLS "WHETHER OR NOT THEY COMMAND AGREEMENT, WILL BE RESPECTED HERE AS THE REFLECTION OF AN ATTITUDE ON OUR PART WHICH VIEWS THE PROBLEMS OF THE ENTIRE WESTERN COMMUNITY AS OUR OWN AND WHICH IS NOT MOTIVATED BY NARROW NATIONAL PURPOSES."

"THE GUARANTEE OF THIS LIES, I THINK, IN OUR OWN AWARENESS THAT SUCH AN APPROACH TO OUR MUTUAL PROBLEMS WILL CALL UPON US IN THE UNITED STATES TO MAKE SACRIFICES NO LESS DISAGREEABLE AND NO LESS DIFFICULT FOR OURSELVES THAN THOSE WHICH WILL BE CALLED FOR BY ANY OF THE COUNTRIES ON THIS SIDE OF THE ATLANTIC," ACHESON DECLARED.

ACHESON MENTIONED NO SPECIFIC NATIONS EXCEPT THE UNITED STATES AND GERMANY IN HIS SPEECH.

THERE APPEARED LITTLE DOUBT, HOWEVER, THAT HIS EMPHASIS ON COOPERATION IN OVERCOMING ECONOMIC TROUBLES AND MAKING PEACE WITH GERMANY WAS DIRECTED PRINCIPALLY AT BRITAIN, AND TO SOME EXTENT AT FRANCE. AMERICAN DIPLOMATIC SOURCES HAVE FELT BRITAIN PARTICULARLY IS PROCEEDING MORE SLOWLY THAN NECESSARY IN PROMOTING UNITY IN WESTERN EUROPE.

ACHESON ALSO ANTICIPATED THE WRATH OF MOSCOW RADIO WHICH BEAMS A HEAP OF ABUSE AT HIM AFTER EVERY SPEECH, CALLING HIM A WARMONGER AND IMPERIALIST WHO SEEKS TO "ENSLAVE" EUROPE.

"WE HAVE NO INTEREST IN THE LIMITED INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION IN THE ATLANTIC AND EUROPEAN AREAS OTHER THAN THE PRESERVATION OF PEACE, THE ASSURANCE OF HAPPIER CONDITIONS TO THE FREE PEOPLES OF EUROPE DESPITE A DIVIDED CONTINENT, AND THE CULTIVATION OF THOSE VALUES AND INSTITUTIONS WHICH WILL BE NECESSARY FOR THE COMPLETE RESTORATION OF EUROPE," HE SAID.

DISCUSSING THE ATLANTIC PACT, ACHESON SAID THE 12 FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE PACT'S MEMBER COUNTRIES WANT "TO MAKE CERTAIN THAT THE GREAT DIFFERENCES WHICH HAVE WRECKED THE WORLD IN RECENT YEARS DO NOT LEAD TO THE CATASTROPHE OF A THIRD WAR." X X X

BRITAIN'S PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE SPOKE BRIEFLY JUST BEFORE ACHESON.

"THE WORLD CANNOT AFFORD TO HAVE MISUNDERSTANDINGS BETWEEN US," ATTLEE SAID, REFERRING TO BRITAIN AND THE UNITED STATES. "IT IS ESSENTIAL IN THE INTERESTS OF THE WHOLE WORLD THAT WE SHOULD NEVER BE AT CROSS PURPOSES."

SINCE THE ATLANTIC TREATY WAS SIGNED A LITTLE OVER A YEAR AGO, ATTLEE SAID, "MUCH HAS BEEN ACHIEVED BUT X X X MUCH REMAINS TO BE DONE. X X X THE FORCES NECESSARY TO BUTTRESS PEACE HAVE YET TO BE BUILT UP."

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ACHESON

LONDON, MAY 10-(AP)-U.S. SECRETAY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON MET KING GEORGE VI TODAY IN A PRIVATE AUDIENCE. LATER HE AND MRS.ACHESON WERE GUESTS OF KING GEORGE AND QUEEN ELIZABETH AT LUNCH.

NEITHER THE SECRETARY NOR MRS. ACHESON JOINED THE HUNDREDS OF AMERICANS AND OTHER SELECTED VISITORS AND DIPLOMATS ATTENDING A ROYAL PRESENTATION PARTY AT BUCKINGHAM PALACE THIS AFTERNOON.

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LONDON, MAY 10-(AP)-SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON DENIED TODAY REPORTS THAT HE OFFERED HIS RESIGNATION TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN BEFORE COMING TO LONDON FOR A CURRENT BIG THREE POLICY MEETING.

ACHESON MADE HIS DENIAL IN RESPONSE TO A QUESTION FROM A REPORTER.

PRESIDENT TRUMAN ASSERTED IN A SPEECH YESTERDAY THAT THE SECRETARY HAS THE SUPPORT OF THE MAJORITY OF AMERICANS IN THE THREE-WAY POLICY TALKS HERE.

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A128 (140)

WITH LONDON

BELGRADE, YUGOSLAVIA, MAY 10-(AP)-A RELIABLE SOURCE REPORTED TODAY THAT MOSHE PIJADE, INFLUENTIAL MEMBER OF PREMIER MARSHAL TITO'S POLITBURO, IS EN ROUTE TO LONDON TO PLACE YUGOSLAVIA'S CASE CONCERNING TRIESTE BEFORE THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS.

THERE WAS NO ANNOUNCEMENT ON THE MISSION, BUT IT WAS LEARNED THAT PIJADE LEFT SOON AFTER THE ITALIAN FOREIGN MINISTER, CARLO SFORZA, WAS REPORTED PREPARING TO PRESENT ITALY'S SIDE OF THE ARGUMENT TO THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE.

A YUGOSLAV GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN TOLD A REPORTER THIS COUNTRY WILL NOT YIELD IN ITS POSITION THAT THE FUTURE OF TRIESTE MUST BE SOLVED BY DIRECT NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN THIS COUNTRY AND ITALY.

TRIESTE, STRATEGIC ADRIATIC SEAPORT, WAS MADE A FREE TERRITORY UNDER A 1946 BIG FOUR AGREEMENT. HALF THE TERRITORY IS UNDER BRITISH-AMERICAN CONTROL, THE OTHER HALF UNDER YUGOSLAV JURISDICTION.

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A145 (180)

WIESBADEN, GERMANY, MAY 10-(AP)-A WILD ROW OVER GERMANY'S MISSING PRISONERS OF WAR ENDED TODAY WITH TWO COMMUNIST DEPUTIES EXCLUDED TEMPORARILY FROM THE HESSIAN STATE PARLIAMENT.

EMIL CARLEBACH WAS EXCLUDED FOR 20 DAYS AND LUDWIG KEIL FOR EIGHT. THE OTHER EIGHT COMMUNIST DEPUTIES STALKED OUT IN PROTEST.

THE EXCITEMENT BROKE OUT AFTER THE READING OF A JOINT STATEMENT BY THE STATE'S THREE LEADING PARTIES. IT SAID 100,000 MEN AND WOMEN FROM HESSE HAD NOT RETURNED FROM RUSSIAN PRISON CAMPS ALTHOUGH MOSCOW RECENTLY ANNOUNCED ALL GERMAN PRISONERS HAD BEEN REPATRIATED.

CARLEBACH JUMPED TO THE ROSTRUM AND TRIED TO READ A COMMUNIST REPLY. THE PARLIAMENT PRESIDENT, OTTO WITTE, TRIED TO HALT HIM.

WHILE DEPUTIES SHOUTED, CARLEBACH BEGAN TO READ. WITTE SHOOK A BELL FOR ORDER.

KEIL TRIED TO WREST THE BELL FROM WITTE. CARLEBACH CONTINUED TO READ, BUT HIS WORDS COULD NOT BE HEARD.

WITTE RECESSED THE SESSION AND THE COUNCIL OF ELDERS ORDERED THE SUSPENSIONS. THIS WAS ANNOUNCED WHEN THE SESSION WAS RESUMED, WHEREUPON ALL THE COMMUNISTS WALKED OUT.

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BERLIN, MAY 10-(AP)-IN AN APPARENTLY INSPIRED MOVE, THE EAST GERMAN COMMUNISTS TODAY ASKED THAT THE RUSSIANS REDUCE THEIR REPARATIONS DEMANDS ON EAST GERMANY IN "ORDER TO SPEED OUR RECONSTRUCTION AND RAISE THE LIVING STANDARD OF OUR PEOPLE."

THE REQUEST WAS MADE BY THE POLITBURO OF THE SOCIALIST UNITY (COMMUNIST) PARTY AND HEADLINED IN THE PARTY PAPER. IT ASKED THE EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT TO TRANSMIT THE REQUEST TO THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT.

ALLIED OBSERVERS HERE REGARDED THE MANEUVER AS LARGELY A PROPAGANDA MEASURE. THEY PREDICTED THAT THE WIDELY-ADVERTISED COMMUNIST REQUEST WOULD BE GRANTED BY THE RUSSIANS AS A MEANS OF WOOING THE GERMANS, STILL ANGRY OVER THE PRISONERS OF WAR ISSUE.

HOWEVER, THESE OBSERVERS POINTED OUT THAT EVEN IF THE RUSSIANS GRANTED "REDUCTIONS" NOBODY WOULD KNOW WHAT IT MEANT BECAUSE MOSCOW HAS NEVER TOLD HOW MUCH IT HAS EXTRACTED FROM GERMANY IN THE PAST FIVE YEARS.

AT POTSDAM PREMIER STALIN DEMANDED $10,000,000,000 (B) DOLLARS WORTH OF REPARATIONS BUT SOME ANTI-COMMUNIST GERMAN SPOKESMEN HAVE CLAIMED THE RUSSIAN TAKE HAS ALREADY EXCEEDED THIS FIGURE.

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BERLIN, MAY 10-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER STALIN TONIGHT TOLD THE COMMUNIST EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT HE WAS CONVINCED THAT FRIENDLY RELATIONS BETWEEN THAT REGIME AND THE SOVIET UNION "WILL FURTHER DEVELOP SUCCESSFULLY."

THE SOVIET LEADER SAID THIS DEVELOPMENT WOULD BE "FOR THE BENEFIT OF OUR PEOPLES AND IN THE INTEREST OF PEACE AND COOPERATION OF ALL PEACE LOVING COUNTRIES."

STALIN'S MESSAGE WAS PUBLISHED BY THE SOVIET-LICENSED NEWS AGENCY ADN. IT WAS IN REPLY TO MESSAGES FROM EAST GERMAN LEADERS THANKING HIM FOR "LIBERATION FROM THE TYRANNY OF FASCISM" BY THE SOVIET ARMY IN 1945.

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BERLIN, MAY 10-(AP)-TEN YEARS AGO TODAY HITLER LOOSED A LIGHTNING BOLT AGAINST THE WESTERN WORLD, BUT HITLER'S CAPITAL TODAY HADN'T TIME TO THINK ABOUT THE ANNIVERSARY.

ON MAY 10, 1940, THE GREY-CLAD NAZI LEGIONS ATTACKED THE NETHERLANDS, BELGIUM, LUXEMBOURG AND FRANCE, WAITING COMPLACENTLY BEHIND THE MAGINOT LINE IN A "SITZKRIEG" -- SITDOWN WAR.

FIVE DAYS LATER HOLLAND HAD FALLEN. BELGIUM WENT IN 18 DAYS. IN FIVE WEEKS THE GERMANS WERE IN PARIS AND HITLER WAS PREPARING TO DANCE A VICTORY JIG IN THE BEAITUFUL CAPITAL OF HIS COUNTRY'S ANCIENT ENEMY.

THE WEST HAD LEARNED ABOUT "BLITZKRIEG" -- LIGHTNING WAR.

BERLIN TODAY HAD NO THOUGHT FOR THE SHOWER OF CONFETTI THE CITY RAINED ON HITLER WHEN HE RETURNED FROM HIS TRIUMPH OVER FRANCE AND WESTERN EUROPE. HIS LAST MONUMENTS HERE LONG SINCE HAVE BEEN OBLITERATED.

THE BLITZKRIEG, TOO, IS ONLY A FAINT MEMORY. GERMANS NOW ARE HOPING THEY WON'T BE IN THE MIDDLE OF AN ATOM OR HYDROGEN BOMB WAR.

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B82 (Q)

FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 10-(AP)-U.S. ARMY OFFICIALS ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT PUT. JAMES N. PRUITT, MIAMI, OKLA. HAS BEEN SENTENCED TO TWO YEARS IN PRISON AND HAS BEEN DISHONORABLY DISCHARGED FOLLOWING HIS CONVICTION ON MANSLAUGHTER CHARGES.

THE 20-YEAR OLD SOLDIER WAS CONVICTED OF FATALLY INJURING A GERMAN WHOM HE STRUCK WITH HIS JEEP ON MARCH 31. THE JEEP, DRIVEN AT HIGH SPEED, RAN OVER A SIDEWALK AND HIT THE GERMAN AS IT CRASHED INTO A FENCE, THE ARMY REPORTED.

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PRECEDE PRAGUE DAY (160)
MOSCOW, MAY 10-(AP)-NEW TIMES SAID TODAY THE WORLD WOULD NOT BE STANDING UNDER THE THREAT OF A NEW WAR IF THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN HAD ACTED IN THE SPIRIT OF THE UNITED NATIONS CHARTER.
THE FOREIGN POLICY WEEKLY PRINTED THIS EDITORIAL ON THE EVE OF THE ARRIVAL HERE OF TRYGVE LIE, U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL, WHO WANTS TO SEE SOVIET LEADERS ABOUT EAST-WEST ISSUES.
(HE WILL LEAVE PRAGUE TOMORROW FOR MOSCOW.)
THE WEEKLY SAID THE RECENT STATEMENT OF FORMER U.S. PRESIDENT HERBERT C.HOOVER THAT THE UNITED NATIONS SHOULD BE REORGANIZED WITHOUT RUSSIA WAS EVIDENCE THAT AMERICAN RULING CIRCLES WANTED A U.N. MADE UP OF "NORTH ATLANTIC BLOC COUNTRIES AND OTHER UNITED STATES SATELLITES." SUCH A MOVE, IT SAID, WOULD MEAN "SIMPLY A BROADENED VARIATION OF THE AGGRESSIVE WAR BLOC."
IN ANOTHER ARTICLE THE MAGAZINE SAID THE LONDON CONFERENCE OF FOREIGN MINISTERS WILL DECIDE HOW PARTICIPANTS IN THE ATLANTIC PACT WILL BE OBLIGED TO CONDUCT THEMSELVES, "HOW THEIR WAR PROGRAMS SHOULD BE BROADENED AND HOW THEIR PLANS FOR 'DEFENSE'--THAT IS, ANTI-SOVIET WAR--MUST BE COORDINATED." X X
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PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, MAY 10-(AP)-TRYGVE LIE, UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY-GENERAL, ARRIVED IN PRAGUE TODAY FOR A 24-HOUR VISIT.

HE WILL LEAVE TOMORROW IN A SOVIET PLANE FOR MOSCOW, WHERE HE WILL CONFER WITH RUSSIAN LEADERS ON HIS CURRENT "SAVE-THE-U.N." MISSION.

LIE WAS WELCOMED AT THE AIRPORT BY JIRI CHALAPEC, AN OFFICIAL IN THE FOREIGN AFFAIRS MINISTRY. LIE CAME HERE FROM GENEVA, WHERE HE ATTENDED SESSIONS OF THE U.N. WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION.

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zurich, switzerland, may 10--(ap)--u.n. secretary-general trygve lie left by air today for prague, czechoslovakia, enroute to moscow on his "save the united nations" mission.

[illegible] the international organization's chief [illegible] administrator hopes to [illegible] ease the east-west tension throu conferences with soviet officials including marshal stalin.

lie was accompanied by constantin zinchenko, assistant secretary-general for security council affairs, and mrs. ingrid berentzen of norway, [illegible] personal secretary.

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the party plans to spend the night in the czechoslovak capital and [illegible] continue his flight to moscow in a soviet plane tomorrow.

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(220)
PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, MAY 10-(AP)-A CZECH, CHARGED WITH SPYING FOR THE U.S. EMBASSY HERE AND CONDUCTING SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITY, WAS SENTENCED TO DEATH AND TWO OTHERS, INCLUDING A ROMAN CATHOLIC PRIEST, HAVE BEEN SENTENCED TO LIFE IMPRISONMENT BY A SLOVAK STATE COURT, THE SLOVAK NEWSPAPER PRAVDA REPORTED TODAY.
VERKOSLAV LUTSKY WAS SENTENCED TO DIE FOR HIS ALLEGED CONNECTION WITH MAJ. JAROMIR NECHANSKY, BRITISH-TRAINED WARTIME PARACHUTIST, WHO WAS RECENTLY SENTENCED TO BE HANGED ON CHARGES OF LEADING A BIG AMERICAN-DIRECTED SPY RING. LUTSKY HAD APPEARED AS A WITNESS IN NECHANSKY'S TRIAL IN PRAGUE.
SENTENCED TO LIFE IMPRISONMENT WERE FATHER TOMIRA AND O. HOLMAN. THE TWO WERE ALSO FINED 50,000 CROWNS ($1,000) AND THEIR PROPERTY WAS ORDERED CONFISCATED.
THE COURT -- IN HORNI LITVINOV, SLOVAKIA -- ALSO SENTENCED 21 OTHER CZECHS TO PRISON TERMS RANGING FROM NINE MONTHS TO 26 YEARS FOR THEIR ACTIVITIES WITH THE ALLEGED SPY RING.
FATHER TOMIRA WAS SAID TO HAVE USED RELIGIOUS PREACHINGS TO INCITE THE CZECH PEOPLE AGAINST THE PRESENT REGIME, AND ALSO TO HAVE RECRUITED NUMEROUS MEMBERS INTO THE ESPIONAGE ORGANIZATION.
BESIDES CHARGES OF ESPIONAGE, HOLMAN WAS ALSO ACCUSED OF CAUSING THE DEATH OF A RUSSIAN PARTISAN.
(EVEN BEFORE NECHANSKY'S TRIAL IN APRIL THE CZECH GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED IT HAD BROKEN UP A HUGE SPY RING WHICH IT CHARGED WAS BEING DIRECTLY ORGANIZED AND SUPERVISED BY THE U.S. EMBASSY IN PRAGUE. DURING NECHANSKY'S TRIAL SEVERAL EMBASSY OFFICIALS WERE NAMED AS LEADERS OF THE ESPIONAGE GROUP. THE EMBASSY FLATLY DENIED THESE CHARGES OF ITS COMPLICITY IN SPYING.)
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B70 (Q) (150)
MOSCOW, MAY 10-(AP)-SOVIET ECONOMIST EUGENE VARGA WROTE IN PRAVDA TODAY THAT THE CAPITALIST WORLD IS NEARING AN ACUTE GENERAL CRISIS.
THE ARTICLE IN THE OFFICIAL COMMUNIST PARTY NEWSPAPER SAID "AMERICAN MONOPOLIES, THROUGH THE MARSHALL PLAN AND BY OTHER DEVICES, ARE RUINING

THE ECONOMY OF ALL OTHER CAPITALIST NATIONS AND DRIVING THE UNITED STATES ITSELF INTO GRIPS WITH A TREMENDOUS CRISIS."

THIS SITUATION, HE SAID, WAS PREDICTED LONG AGO BY KARL MARX, APOSTLE OF COMMUNISM. HE ADDED THAT MEANWHILE, THE ECONOMY OF SOCIALIST (COMMUNIST) NATIONS WAS BEING STEADILY STRENGTHENED.

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THIS IS ~~THE SECOND ARTICLE IN RECENT WEEKS BY VARGA ALONG~~ THESE LINES. VARGA HAD PREVIOUSLY BEEN CALLED ON THE CARPET BY THE COMMUNIST PARTY FOR HIS ANALYSES OF THE ECONOMIC SITUATION IN THE UNITED STATES. HE WAS UPBRAIDED FOR HAVING SAID THAT A PLANNED ECONOMY COULD SUCCEED IN A CAPITALIST STATE. VARGA "CONFESSED" PUBLICLY THAT HE HAD ERRED. APPARENTLY HE HAS REGAINED HIS POSITION AS ONE OF THE SOVIET UNION'S LEADING ECONOMISTS.

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B124 (Q)

(STANDS FOR AMS) (350)

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BY THOMAS A.REEDY

BERLIN, MAY 10-(AP)-COMMUNIST SPOKESMAN GERHART EISLER SAID TODAY THE MARCH OF 500,000 EAST GERMAN YOUTH ON BERLIN MAY 28 WOULD BE "PEACEFUL AND ORDERLY."

WITH SOME SARCASM, THE EAST GERMAN PROPAGANDA CHIEF TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE:

"THE AMERICANS NEED NOT WORRY ABOUT THE FREE GERMAN YOUTH. LET THEM CONTINUE TO PLAY THEIR GAMES WITH GAS MASKS."

U.S. TROOPS HAVE ENGAGED IN A SERIES OF MANEUVERS IN THE PAST MONTH, TRAINING IN STREET RIOT CONTROL. GROUPS OF SOLDIERS, POSING AS COMMUNISTS, BADGER THE CONSTABULARY WITH TAUNTS BORROWED FROM THE COMMUNISTS AND THE EXERCISE THEN CALLS FOR THE DEFENDING FORCE TO CONTAIN THE "RIOT" AND DISPEL THE MOB.

EISLER SAID AMERICAN OCCUPATION FORCES HAVE SENT MANY WIVES AND CHILDREN OUT OF BERLIN IN FEAR OF TROUBLE AT WHITSUNTIDE CLIMAX TO A WEEK OF COMMUNIST YOUTH ACTIVITY IN EAST BERLIN.

A U.S. SPOKESMAN SAID THE REPORT "IS SILLY" AND "NOT WORTH DENYING."

THE FDJ (EAST COMMUNIST YOUTH) IS NOT RECOGNIZED BY WEST GERMAN AUTHORITIES AS A PROPER POLITICAL ORGANIZATION. GERMAN AND ALLIED LAWS PROHIBIT ILLEGAL ASSEMBLAGES.

ASKED IF THE FDJ STILL PLANNED TO HAVE "AGITATION" MEMBERS STIRRING UP STREET CORNER DISCUSSIONS DURING THE DEMONSTRATION IN BERLIN, EISLER SAID:

"THERE WILL BE 500,000 DISCUSSION LEADERS."

TO A QUERY WHETHER THESE DISCUSSIONS WOULD BE HELD IN WEST BERLIN AS WELL AS THE SOVIET SECTOR, EISLER RETORTED WITH A SMILE:

"THE DISCUSSIONS ARE GOING ON RIGHT NOW, ALL THE TIME, BY GEN.TAYLOR (U.S. COMMANDANT) AND THE OTHERS, AND EVEN IN WASHINGTON."

HE DID NOT ELABORATE ON THIS.

FDJ LEADERS SAID THE DEMONSTRATION PROGRAM HAS ADDED A NEW SLOGAN TO GO WITH THE ALREADY PREPARED CAMPAIGN AGAINST THE WEST, FOR FRIENDSHIP WITH SOVIET RUSSIA AND "FOR PEACE." THIS WILL BE: "FREE ELECTIONS IN BERLIN AND ALL GERMANY."

THE RUSSIANS HAVE SAID THEY WOULD GO ALONG WITH ALL-BERLIN ELECTIONS IF ALL OCCUPATION TROOPS WOULD LEAVE, A CONDITION THAT WAS PROMPTLY REJECTED BY THE WESTERN AUTHORITIES IN THEIR INFORMAL REACTION AND ALSO BY WEST GERMANS.

"IF THERE WOULD BE FREE ELECTIONS, ELIMINATION OF ALL SECTOR BORDERS AND WITHDRAWAL OF OCCUPATION TROOPS BY WHITSUNTIDE," EISLER SAID, "THEN THERE WOULD BE DOUBLE JOY FOR ALL GERMANS."

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B25 (Q) (260)

LONDON, MAY 10-(AP)-KING GEORGE VI SIGNED AN ORDER TODAY DETAINING IN HONG KONG 70 AIRCRAFT UNTIL A COURT RULES WHETHER THEY BELONG TO THE CHINESE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT OR AN AMERICAN CORPORATION, HEADED BY MAJ. GEN. CLAIRE CHENNAULT.

THE ORDER ALSO AUTHORIZES THE SUPREME COURT OF KONG KONG TO RULE ON THE OWNERSHIP OF THE AIRCRAFT.

THE 70 PLANES ORIGINALLY WERE PART OF THE OPERATING FLEETS OF CHINA NATIONAL AVIATIGN CORPORATION (CNAC) AND THE CENTRAL AIR TRANSPORT CORPORATION (CATC). THE TWO COMPANIES WERE PERMITTED TO MAKE HONG KONG THEIR MAIN BASE WHEN THE CHINESE RED FORCES WERE NEARING SHANGHAI IN 1949.

LAST DECEMBER, CHENNAULT'S CORPORATION, CIVIL AIR TRANSPORT, INC., (CAT) DECLARED IT ACQUIRED OWNERSHIP OF THE PLANES BY PURCHASE FROM CHINESE NATIONALIST AUTHORITIES IN FORMOSA, AND THAT THE PLANES WERE REGISTERED IN THE UNITED STATES AS AMERICAN OWNED.

THE CHINESE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT ALSO CLAIMED THE AIRCRAFT.

"THE UNITED STATES AND THE CENTRAL PEOPLES' GOVERNMENT (COMMUNIST CHINA) HAVE EACH INTIMATED THAT THEY HOLD THE HONG KONG GOVERNMENT RESPONSIBLE FOR SAFEGUARDING PROPERTY WHICH THEY CLAIM TO BELONG TO THEIR RESPECTIVE NATIONS, AND THIS RESPONSIBILITY COULD NOT BE DISCHARGED IF EITHER PARTY WERE FREE TO REMOVE THE AIRCRAFT BEFORE THE QUESTION OF TITLE HAD BEEN DECIDED," THE COLONIAL OFFICE EXPLAINED IN A STATEMENT ON THE KING'S ORDER.

"HIS MAJESTY'S GOVERNMENT HAVE ACCORDINGLY FELT IT NECESSARY TO TAKE STEPS TO ENSURE THAT THE QUESTION OF THE OWNERSHIP OF THE AIRCRAFT AND THE RIGHT TO THEIR POSSESSION SHOULD BE BROUGHT BEFORE A COURT OF LAW AND THAT MEANWHILE THE AIRCRAFT SHOULD REMAIN IN HONG KONG."

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B8 (Q)

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BUDAPEST, HUNGARY, MAY 10-(AP)-COMMUNIST PARTY AND TRADE UNION OFFICIALS COMPLAINED PUBLICLY TODAY ABOUT "LACK OF DISCIPLINE" AMONG HUNGARIAN WORKERS, AND INDICATED STEPS WERE BEING CONSIDERED TO REMEDY THE SITUATION.

THE SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE HUNGARIAN TRADE UNION COUNCIL, ANTAL APRO, DECLARED THAT WORKERS EVEN THREATEN TO STRIKE IF THEIR WAGES ARE NOT ADJUSTED OR THEIR PRODUCTION NORMS (WORKERS' AVERAGES) FIXED AS THEY DEMAND.

ISTVAN KOVACS, SECRETARY OF THE BUDAPEST COMMUNIST PARTY, DECLARED THAT THE ATTITUDE OF THE WORKERS IS THAT "IT WOULD BE THE MOST NATURAL THING ON EARTH TO SLACKEN THE NORMS, TO SWINDLE THEIR WAGES, TO THREATEN NORM FIXERS."

A RESOLUTION OF THE HUNGARIAN TRADE UNIONS SAID "THE INIMICAL

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UNDERMINING ACTIVITIES OF RIGHT WING SOCIAL DEMOCRATS IS BEHIND ALL THESE SYMPTOMS." IT ACCUSED THE LEADERS OF THE TRADE UNIONS, THE MANAGERS AND WORKSHOP COMMITTEES WITH GREAT LACK OF VIGILANCE.

(THIS INDICATED THAT HUNGARIAN WORKERS ARE REBELLING AGAINST ARBITRARILY FIXED AVERAGES OF PRODUCTION WHICH THEY MUST ACHIEVE AND IT APPEARS THAT THE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT MAY CHARGE SOME WITH TRYING TO SABOTAGE THE REGIME, A MOST SERIOUS OFFENSE IN A COMMUNIST COUNTRY.)

THE COMPLAINTS WERE BASED UP ON A REPORT OF HUNGARY'S PLANNING OFFICE ON THE FIRST QUARTER OF THE YEAR. THE REPORT SAID THE LIVING STANDARD INCREASED 7.7 PER CENT IN THE PERIOD, BUT THAT LABOR PRODUCTIVITY INCREASED ONLY 2.2 PER CENT. IN ADDITION, IT SAID, PRODUCTION LAGGED BEHIND THE PREVIOUS QUARTER. X31A

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NIGHT LAD WOMEN (120)

BERLIN, MAY 10-(AP)-THREE WOMEN WORKERS OF THE INTERNATIONAL REFUGEE ORGANIZATION (IRO) WERE FREED BY THE EAST BERLIN POLICE TODAY AFTER BEING HELD OVERNIGHT FOR TAKING PICTURES ALONG UNTER DEN LINDEN IN THE SOVIET SECTOR.

THE WOMEN ARE MISS ANNE BENNETT OF MAUMEE, OHIO, MISS MARILYN SEEFIELD OF SEATTLE, WASH., AND MISS MARIA DOUGLASS OF LISBURN, NORTHERN IRELAND. THEY ARE MEMBERS OF THE AMERICA FRIENDS' (QUAKER) SERVICE COMMITTEE. THE POLICE CONFISCATED SEVERAL ROOLS OF FILMS.

LT.COL.E.R.KELLY, DEPUTY U.S.PROVOST MARSHAL, SAID THE THREE WERE TURNED LOOSE BY RUSSIAN ORDERS AND ALLOWED TO DRIVE THEIR AUTOMOBILE BACK TO WEST BERLIN. THEY HAD BEEN DETAINED IN THE PEOPLES' POLICE HEADQUARTERS. THEY REPORTED THEY WERE TREATED WELL.

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(160)

FIRST LEAD WOMEN

BERLIN, MAY 10-(AP)-EAST GERMAN POLICE, ON ORDERS FROM THE RUSSIANS, TODAY RELEASED THREE WOMEN OF THE INTERNATIONAL REFUGEE ORGANIZATION (IRO) WHO HAD BEEN ARRESTED LAST NIGHT IN THE SOVIET SECTOR OF BERLIN.

THE WOMEN, TWO AMERICANS AND ONE BRITON, WERE TURNED LOOSE AT MIDAFTERNOON "ON THEIR OWN RECOGNIZANCE" AND WERE ALLOWED TO DRIVE THEIR AUTOMOBILE BACK TO WEST BERLIN, LIEUT. COL.E.R. KELLY, DEPUTY U.S. PROVOST MARSHAL, SAID.

THE WOMEN HAD BEEN MERELY DETAINED IN THE PEOPLES POLICE HEADQUARTERS AND HAD BEEN TREATED WELL. THE EAST POLICE ARRESTED THEM FOR TAKING PICTURES ALONG UNTER DEN LINDEN IN THE AREA WHERE THE SOVIET EMBASSY IS BEING REBUILT.

WESTERN ALLIED AUTHORITIES APPEALED TO THE SOVIET CONTROL COMMISSION TO INTERVENE AS SOON AS THE ARREST WAS REPORTED TODAY.

THE WOMEN ARE MISS ANNE BENNETT, OF MAUMEE, OHIO; MISS MARILYN SEEFIELD, SEATTLE, WASH., AND MISS MARIA DOUGLAS, LISBURN, NORTHERN IRELAND. THEY ARE MEMBERS OF THE AMERICAN FRIENDS' (QUAKER) SERVICE COMMITTEE.

TAKING PHOTOGRAPHS IN THE SOVIET SECTOR OF BERLIN HAS LONG BEEN A SOURCE OF ANNOYANCE TO THE EASTERN AUTHORITIES. VISITORS FROM THE WEST ARE USUALLY NOT BOTHERED BY THE SOVIET SECTOR POLICE UNLESS THEY HAVE CAMERAS.

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BERLIN, MAY 10-(AP)-SOVIET SECTOR POLICE ARRESTED THREE WOMEN--TWO AMERICANS ONE BRITISH--YESTERDAY WHILE THEY TOOK PHOTOGRAPHS IN EAST BERLIN'S UNTER-DEN-LINDEN, AMERICAN AUTHORITIES SAID TODAY.

THEY ARE MISS ANNE BENNETT, MAUMEE, OHIO; MISS MARILYN SEEFIELD, SEATTLE, WASH.; MISS MARIA DOUGLAS, LISBURN, NORTHERN IRELAND.

ALL THREE ARE MEMBERS OF THE AMERICAN FRIENDS' (QUAKER) SERVICE COMMITTEE AND WORK HERE WITH THE UNITED NATIONS' INTERNATIONAL REFUGEE ORGANIZATION (IRO).

EFFORTS BY AMERICAN AUTHORITIES TO OBTAIN INFORMATION AS TO THEIR WHEREABOUTS FROM SOVIET OFFICIALS WERE STILL UNAVAILING THIS MORNING.

THE WOMEN WERE RIDING IN AN IRO VEHICLE AND TAKING PICTURES WHEN EAST BERLIN POLICE STOPPED THEM. OVER THEIR PROTESTS THE CAR WAS SEARCHED AND SEVERAL ROLLS OF FILM WERE CONFISCATED. THE WOMEN WERE LED AWAY TO A GERMAN POLICE STATION IN THE SOVIET ZONE.

SHORTLY AFTER THEIR ARREST AMERICAN MILITARY POLICE MADE CONTACT WITH THE SOVIET KOMMANDATURA, WHOSE OFFICIALS DENIED ANY KNOWLEDGE OF THE INCIDENT. THE AMERICANS WERE REFERRED TO THE SOVIET CONTROL COMMISSION.

THE REPLY THERE LAST NIGHT WAS: "IT IS TOO LATE TODAY. CALL BACK TOMORROW."

REPEATED INQUIRIES TODAY BROUGHT NO SATISFACTORY ANSWER. THE ONLY REPLY WAS THAT THE SOVIET CONTROL COMMISSION HAD NO KNOWLEDGE OF ANYBODY IN CUSTODY IN THE SOVIET SECTOR--EITHER IN ITS OWN OR IN "PEOPLE'S POLICE" JAILS.

AMERICAN AUTHORITIES ARE CONTINUING THEIR ATTEMPTS TO OBTAIN THE RELEASE OF THE WOMEN.

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(ADVANCE FOR RELEASE AT 6 P.M. EST TONIGHT WEDNESDAY,MAY 10)

(ADVANCE) COPENHAGEN, DENMARK,MAY 10-(AP)-DENMARK ESTABLISHED DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH COMMUNIST CHINA TODAY AND THE TWO COUNTRIES NAMED THEIR RESPECTIVE MINISTERS, THE FOREIGN OFFICE ANNOUNCED.

THE FOREIGN OFFICE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID RELATIONS WERE ESTABLISHED "TO STRENGTHEN THE AMICABLE RELATIONS AND TRADING BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES." X10

(END ADVANCE FOR 6 P.M. EST TONIGHT WEDNESDAY, MAY 10)

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LONDON,MAY 10-(AP)-THE RUSSIANS HAVE AGREED TO RELEASE THE BRITISH FISHING TRAWLER ETURIA UPON PAYMENT OF A 300 RUBLE ($75) FINE, A GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN DISCLOSED IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS TODAY.

THE AGREEMENT WAS REACHED AFTER AN EXCHANGE OF NOTES BETWEEN THE BRITISH AND SOVIET GOVERNMENTS.

THE RUSSIANS ACCUSED THE CREW OF THE 373-TON TRAWLER OF ILLEGAL FISHING IN THE WHITE SEA ONLY ONE AND A HALF MILES FROM THE SOVIET COAST.

THE BRITISH AMBASSADOR IN MOSCOW HAS BEEN INSTRUCTED TO PAY A 300 RUBLE FINE.

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A127 (120)
GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, MAY 10-(AP)-RUSSIA'S DELEGATE WALKED OUT OF A MEETING OF THE LEAGUE OF RED CROSS SOCIETIES EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE TODAY BECAUSE THE COMMITTEE REFUSED TO APPROVE A FORMAL EXCLUSION OF ANY REPRESENTATIVE FROM NATIONALIST CHINA.
REPRESENTATIVES FROM BOTH NATIONALIST CHINA AND COMMUNIST CHINA HAD BEEN INVITED, BUT NO CHINESE DELEGATE AT ALL WAS PRESENT TODAY.
SOVIET DELEGATE NIKOLAI I.KIRIOUKINE DEMANDED A FORMAL EXCLUSION ORDER. THE 14 DELEGATES PRESENT AT THE PRIVATE MEETING REJECTED HIS PROPOSAL 12 TO 1, WITH ONE ABSTENTION. WHEN THE VOTE WAS ANNOUNCED, KIRIOUKINE AND HIS SOVIET INTERPRETER PICKED UP THEIR PAPERS AND MARCHED OUT IN A MANNER WHICH HAS BECOME FAIMILIAR IN WALKOUTS FROM UNITED NATIONS BODIES FOR THE SAME REASON.
THE COMMITTEE MET UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF BASIL O'CONNOR OF THE AMERICAN RED CROSS, TO STUDY RELIEF ACTION IN PALESTINE AND REPATRIATION OF GREEK CHILDREN IN EASTERN EUROPE.
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A167 (170)
MILAN, ITALY, MAY 10-(AP)-IDELFONSO CARDINAL SCHUSTER, ARCHBISHOP OF MILAN, CHARGED TODAY THAT A COMMUNIST-SPONSORED YOUTH ORGANIZATION DELIBERATELY TRAINS CHILDREN TO CURSE VOLUBLY AND TO ACQUIRE "EVIL HABITS."
THE MILAN PRELATE THREATENED WITH EXCOMMUNICATION ANY CATHOLIC PARE PERMITTING CHILDREN TO ENROLL IN THE "ITALIAN PIONEERS," A MOVEMENT SPONSORED BY THE COMMUNIST PARTY AND ITS ALLIED UNION OF ITALIAN WOMEN.
"THE PROGRAM OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY, OF THE UNION OF ITALIAN WOMEN, OF THE ITALIAN PIONEERS AND OF SIMILAR NEW ORGANIZATIONS IS DOWNRIGHT DIABOLICAL AND AIMS AT NOTHING LESS THAN RUINING ITALY AND SENDING ITS CHILDREN TO HELL WITH THE DEMON OF IMPURITY," THE CARDINAL WROTE IN THE CATHOLIC NEWS PAPER L'ITALIA.
HE WROTE THAT CHILDREN, DURING DANCING PARTIES, ARE ENCOURAGED TO "KISS EACH OTHER, WITH THE VILE INTENTION OF HASTENING THEIR ACQUIRIN EVIL HABITS."
THE CARDINAL WROTE THAT THE NATURE OF THE GROUP WAS PROVED IN AN ISSUE OF THE PIONEERS' OWN PERIODICAL, NOI RAGAZZI (OUR BOYS). THIS JOURNAL, HE SAID, TOLD OF THE CASE OF A YOUNG BOY WHO WAS INFORMED "Y CANNOT BECOME A PIONEER IF YOU CANNOT CURSE FOR FIVE MINUTES." THE JOURNAL, SAID THE CARDINAL, THEN REPORTED THAT THE BOY, ENCOURAGED BY HIS PARENTS, "PASSED THE TEST AND WAS ENROLLED."
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A137
ROME, MAY 10-(AP)-FIFTEEN COMMUNISTS WERE SENTENCED TONIGHT TO A TOTAL OF 137 YEARS IN PRISON FOR RIOTING AT CIVITA CASTELLANA IN 194 ONE POLICEMAN WAS KILLED AND ANOTHER WOUNDED.
TWO COMMUNISTS GOT 18 YEARS AND SEVEN MONTHS EACH, HEAVIEST OF THE SENTENCES.
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A79
WARSAW,POLAND,MAY 10-(AP)-POLAND HAS DECIDED TO WITHDRAW ALL HER DIPLOMATS IN OTTAWA,CANADA, EXCEPT THE CHARGE D'AFFAIRS, GEORGES GOTTESMAN, FOREIGN MINISTRY SPOKESMAN, SAID TONIGHT.
THE REASON. GOTTESMAN SAID. WAS CANADA'S FAILURE TO RETURN POLISH ART TREASURES STORED IN THAT COUNTRY DURING THE WAR AND CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH CANADA RECRUITED DISPLACED PERSONS AS LABORERS. A REPORT RECEIVED FROM THE PRESENT POLISH MINISTER IN OTTAWA, GOTTESMAN SAID, COMPLAINED THAT LACK OF COOPERATION FROM THE CANADIAN GOVERNMENT MADE HIS WORK USELESS.
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A113
NAPLES, ITALY, MAY 10-(AP)-POLICE TONIGHT BROKE UP A COMMUNIST DEMONSTRATION AGAINST THE ARRIVAL OF THE THIRD SHIPMENT OF AMERICAN ARMS FOR ITALY. AT LEAST 20 PERSONS WERE ARRESTED.
DOCK WORKERS EARLIER BEGAN UNLOADING THE ARMAMENTS FROM THE FREIGHTER ANDREA COSTA.
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geneva, switzerland, may 10--(ap)--chile has agreed to permit entry to 2,000 european displaced persons this summer, the international refugee organization (IRO) announced today. she has already granted asylum to 3,695 dp's, mostly from central europe.

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a three-member chilean selection team is expected to tour dp camps in italy, austria and possibly germany to pick prospective refugee immigrants. the IRO said both skilled and unskilled workers will be accepted with their families.

A11
VATICAN CITY, MAY 10-(AP)-INFORMATION REACHING THE VATICAN SAID TODAY THE PIO INSTITUTE, A ROMAN CATHOLIC EDUCATIONAL ESTABLISHMENT AT PECS, HUNGARY, HAS BEEN OCCUPIED BY HUNGARIAN POLICE. THE INSTITUTE WAS DIRECTED BY THE JESUIT ORDER.
THE INFORMATION SAID POLICE ALSO EXPELLED NUNS OF THE ORDER OF NOTRE DAME FROM THEIR CONVENT IN PECS.
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B84(Q)
(240)
BEIRUT,LEBANON, MAY 10-(AP)-THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION OF THE AMERICAN UNIVERSITY OF BEIRUT SENT A PROTEST TO THE U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT TODAY, CONTENDING THAT AMERICAN POLICY IN PALESTINE IS BUILDING UP "ANOTHER CHINA SITUATION" IN THE MIDDLE EAST.

THE ACTION WAS TAKEN BY THE ASSOCIATION'S EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, REPRESENTING 2,500 ALUMNI IN THE ARAB MIDDLE EAST.

SAID TAKY DEEN, PRESIDENT OF THE ASSOCIATION, SAID THE MESSAGE REFERRED TO RUSSIA WHEN IT SAID PRESENT U.S. POLICY WAS FORCING ARABS INTO "SEEKING REFUGE WHERE YOU ARE FORCING THEM TO SHELTER." THE MESSAGE REFERRED TO THE U.S. POLICY AS ONE OF SUPPORTING "THE NEWLY DISCOVERED MASTER RACE," A REFERENCE TO ISRAELI.

BEIRUT UNIVERSITY IS SUPPORTEDLPRIVATELY BY AMERICAN FUNDS AND IS THE LARGEST AMERICAN UNIVERSITY OUTSIDE THE UNITED STATES. SAID TAKY DEEN ASSERTED THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION ORDINARILY DOES NOT TAKE PART IN POLITICAL CONTROVERSIES, BUT THE PRESENT SITUATION MADE THE STATEMENT NECESSARY.

THE MESSAGE SAID:

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"GRAVE AND DECISIVE REORIENTATION IS TAKING SHAPE IN THIS AREA. THEREFORE THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION REPRESENTING THOUSANDS OF SOBER-MINDED CITIZENS WHO CANNOT BE CLASSIFIED AS UNFRIENDLY TOWARD AMERICA FEEL IT IMPERATIVE TO ISSUE THIS WARNING X X X.

"WE, WHO ADMIRE THE AMERICAN WAY OF LIFE, COULD NEVER UNDERSTAND, MUCH LESS JUSTIFY, THE DIPLOMATIC MOVES WHICH RESULTED IN THE DISMEMBERMENT OF PALESTINE AND THE CREATION OF THE NEWLY DISCOVERED MASTER RACE AT THE EXPENSE OF HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF HOMELESS, DESTITUTE ARABS.

"ONLY BY REVERSING YOUR PRESENT POLICY CAN YOU HEAD OFF THE PRESENT TREND, WHICH WILL INEVITABLY LEAD INTO ANOTHER CHINA SITUATION."
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B72 (Q)
LONDON, MAY 10-(AP)-CHURCH OF ENGLAND LAY LEADERS CENSORED TODAY A PRAYER FOR GOD'S FORGIVENESS FOR "GREED" AND "INJUSTICE" IN BRITAIN'S IMPERIAL HISTORY. THEY SAID IT WOULD MAKE PROPAGANDA FOR THE RUSSIANS.

THE PRAYER WAS PART OF A SERVICE THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND YOUTH COUNCIL DISTRIBUTED OVER BRITAIN FOR USE ON EMPIRE YOUTH SUNDAY, MAY 21. ONE PARAGRAPH READ:

"FORGIVE, WE BESEECH THEE, THE SHORTCOMINGS OF OUR IMPERIAL HISTORY, THE GREED AND FAILURE TO CONSIDER THE INTERESTS OF THE WEAK, THE MISUNDERSTANDINGS AND DISCORDS WE HAVE INFLAMED AND AIDED, OUR INTOLARENCE, INJUSTICE AND UNCHARITABLENESS."

LORD ELTON, COUNCIL CHAIRMAN, SAID LETTERS WERE BEING SENT TO MORE THAN 300 PEOPLE, WHO RECEIVED 80,000 COPIES OF THE SERVICE, ASKING THEM TO DELETE THAT PART.

"IT IS FELT THAT IT IS A COMPLETE TRAVESTY OF BRITISH IMPERIAL HISTORY AND WOULD BE OF USE TO SOME RUSSIAN NEWSPAPERS", HE SAID.

THE REV. C.H.PLUMMER, CHAIRMAN OF THE COUNCIL'S PUBLICATIONS COMMITTEE, SAID THE PARAGRAPH WAS OUTWEIGHED BY A PORTION OF THE PRAYER GIVING AMPLE CREDIT TO THE GOOD IN THE EMPIRE.

"I AGREE WITH EVERY WORD OF IT X X X", HE SAID. "ANY MAN WHO SAYS OUR IMPERIAL HISTORY HAS NO SHORTCOMINGS IS A FOOL."
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A27
LONDON,MAY 10-(AP)-TWO U.S.AIRMEN HELD PRISONER BY THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS SINCE OCTOBER, 1948, LEFT NORTHERN CHINA TONIGHT ABOARD A BRITISH COMMERCIAL VESSEL.

THE OFFICIAL COMMUNIST NEW CHINA NEWS AGENCY IN A BROADCAST PICKED UP HERE BY TELERADIO SAID THE MEN--E.C. BENDER AND W.C.SMITH--SAILED FROM TSINGTAO ON THE S.S.HUNAN OF THE BUTTERFIELD AND SWIRE LINE.

THE FLIERS WERE TAKEN PRISONER IN HEIYANG COUNTY OF THE KAIOTUNG PENINSULA, THE BROADCAST SAID, THEY WERE RELEASED, IT ADDED, "IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PEOPLE'S LIBERATION ARMY'S (COMMUNIST) POLICY OF MAGNANIMITY TOWARDS WAR PRISONERS."
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HONG KONG, THURSDAY, MAY 11-(AP)-BUTTERFIELD AND SWIRE, BRITISH SHIPPING FIRM, SAID THE STEAMER HUNAN REPORTEDLY CARRYING TWO U. S. AIRMEN RELEASED BY THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS, IS DUE HERE MONDAY OR TUESDAY.

PEKPING RADIO BROADCAST THE HUNAN LEFT TSINGTAO LAST NIGHT WITH THE TWO AIRMEN, MARINE MASTER SGT. ELMER C. BENDER OF CICNCINNATI AND NAVY CHIEF ELECTRICIAN WILLIAM C. SMITH OF LONG BEACH, CALIF.

THEY WERE CAPTURED OCT. 19, 1948, WHEN THEIR PLANE LANDED IN RED TERRITORY NEAR TSINGTAO.
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NIGHT LEAD CHINESE
BY SPENCER MOOSA

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TAIPEI, FORMOSA, MAY 10-(AP)-RED POSITIONS AROUND CHUSHAN, NATIONALIST ISLAND BLOCKADE BASE, WERE POUNDED FROM THE AIR AND SEA YESTERDAY.

IT WAS THE THIRD STRAIGHT DAY OF NATIONALIST ATTACKS UPON THE REDS' NEARBY ISLAND AND MAINLAND POSITIONS. RUMORS RAN THROUGH TAIPEI THAT THE RED INVASION OF THAT ISLAND 100 MILES SOUTH OF SHANGHAI WAS NEAR.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE JOINT GENERAL STAFF SAID THE COMMUNISTS WERE SPEEDING UP INVASION PREPARATIONS ALONG THE COAST.

UPON THIS ISLAND OF 175 SQUARE MILES REST NATIONALIST HOPES OF HOLDING OFF AN ASSAULT ON FORMOSA UNTIL NEXT SPRING. THE REDS ARE NOT EXPECTED TO RISK THE FORMOSA VENTURE UNTIL CHUSHAN IS THEIRS.

INDEPENDENT QUARTERS DO NOT SHARE THE OPTIMISM OF CHUSHAN'S DEFENDER, GEN. SHIH CHUEH, WHO BOASTS THE GARRISON WILL REPULSE ALL ATTACKS. THEY BELI EVE THE REDS WILL TAKE CHUSHAN REGARDLESS OF COST.

SOME PESSIMISTS SAY CHUSHAN WON'T LAST A WEEK IF THE REDS UNLEASH THEIR NEW AIR FORCE. THE JOINT GENERAL STAFF SAYS RUSSIA HAS GIVEN THE REDS 250 PLANES "OUT OF A PROMISED 600." IT ASSERTS THE RUSSIANS TRAINED 2,400 CHINESE COMMUNIST PILOTS AND HELPED TO REBUILD AIR BASES RANGING FROM THE COAST TO THE EXTREME NORTHWEST.

ONE OF THESE BASES WAS ATTACKED IN NATIONALIST AIR RAIDS TODAY. IT IS AT CHANGTING, 190 MILES WEST OF THE SOUTHEAST COAST PORT OF FOOCHOW. THE NATIONALISTS SAID SOME INSTALLATIONS WERE DESTROYED.

IN TUESDAY'S ATTACKS, NATIONALIST WARSHIPS SHELLED CHINTANG ISLAND,

WHICH IS ONLY THREE MILES WEST OF CHUSHAN. OFFICIAL DISPATCHES SAID DAMAGE AND COMMUNIST CASUALTIES WERE HEAVY.

THE AIR FORCE SAID ITS WARPLANES TUESDAY ATTACKED THE RED AIR FIELD AT NINGPO, WHICH IS ON THE MAINLAND AND 30 MILES FROM CHUSHAN.

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CHINESE (160)

TAIPEI,MAY 10-(AP)-HEAVY DAMAGE AND CASUALTIES TO CHINESE RED FORCES ON CHINTANG ISLAND WAS REPORTED TODAY BY NATIONALIST WARSHIPS WHICH SHELLED THE AREA YESTERDAY.

CHINTANG IS THREE MILES FROM CHUSHAN ISLAND, MAIN BLOCKADE BASE OF RED SHANGHAI.

RUMORS THAT INVASION OF CHUSHAN MAY BE EXPECTED MOMENTARILY SWEPT FORMOSA TODAY.

NATIONALIST DEFENDERS SAY THEY CAN TURN BACK ANY RED THRUST. THEIR ENTHUSIASM IS NOT SHARED HERE.

THE MAIN QUESTION OF MOST NATIONALISTS ON FORMOSA IS WILL THE REDS USE THEIR NEW AIR FORCE AGAINST CHUSHAN?

HEADQUARTERS OF THE NATIONALIST JOINT STAFF SAYS RUSSIA HAS DELIVERED TO SHANGHAI 250 PLANES OF A PROMISED 600. THE RUSSIANS ALSO WERE SAID TO HAVE HELPED THE CHINESE REDS TO TRAIN 2,400 PILOTS.

NATIONALIST INTELLIGENCE REPORTS INDICATE MANY AIR BASES IN CHINA PROPER HAVE BEEN REBUILT UNDER RUSSIAN SUPERVISION. SOURCES SAID THE BASES RANGED FROM THE COAST FAR INLAND TO REMOTE SINKIANG PROVINCE, WHICH BORDERS ASIATIC RUSSIA.

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TAIPEI, FORMOSA, MAY 10-(AP)-NATIONALIST WARPLANES DROPPED RICE INSTEAD OF BOMBS ON RED CHINA, AIR HEADQUARTERS SAID TODAY.

IT SAID NINE C-46S LEFT FORMOSA MONDAY NIGHT WITH 27 TONS OF RICE FOR NINE AREAS. THE PLANES ALSO DROPPED 270,000 PROPAGANDA LEAFLETS SAYING: THE DARKEST HOUR IS BEFORE DAWN.

ALL PLANES RETURNED SAFELY.

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SEOUL,MAY 10-(AP)-DEFENSE MINISTER SIHN SUNG MO WARNED SOUTH KOREA TODAY THAT INVASION BY COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA IS IMMINENT.

SIHN SAID INTELLIGENCE REPORTS INDICATED THE NORTH KOREANS WERE MOVING IN FORCE TOWARD THE BORDER.

HE ASSERTED: THE NORTH KOREAN ARMY TOTALS 183,000 TRAINED MEN; HAS 173 PLANES, 173 TANKS AND 32 NAVAL VESSELS, AND IS SUPPORTED BY 9,000 GUERRILLAS PLUS CONSTABULARY AND YOUTH CORP UNITS.

SOME 25,000 NORTH KOREANS WHO FOUGHT WITH THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS HAVE RETURNED TO BOLSTER THE KOREAN RED FORCES.

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TOKYO,MAY 10-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER SHIGERU YOSHIDA TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE TODAY JAPAN WOULD CONSIDER OUTLAWING COMMUNISTS AFTER IT SEES WHAT HAPPENS IN OTHER COUNTRIES.

GENERAL MACARTHUR RECENTLY URGED JAPAN TO CONSIDER WHETHER COMMUNISTS, WHOM HE CALLED AGENTS OF A "PREDATORY INTERNATIONAL FORCE," DESERVE PROTECTION.

AUSTRALIA IS DEBATING A BAN ON COMMUNISTS.

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RUSS BOYCOTT (QRPL

TOKYO,MAY 10-(AP)-RUSSIA'S SEVENTH NOSE THUMBING AT THE ALLIED COUNCIL FOR JAPAN TODAY BROUGHT A DEMAND THAT THE UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY TAKE ACTION.

THE TROUBLE HINGES ON RUSSIA'S OFT-REPEATED DECLARATION THAT IT HAS REPATRIATED ALL JAPANESE WAR PRISONERS--AND GENERAL MACARTHUR'S AS OFT-REPEATED DECLARATION THAT 370,000 STILL ARE IN SOVIET HANDS.

LT.GEN.KUZMA DEREVYANKO, RUSSIA'S MEMBER, BOYCOTTED TODAY'S COUNCIL MEETING AT WHICH THE ISSUE WAS DISCUSSED. IT WAS HIS FOURTH BOYCOTT. THREE OTHER TIMES HE WALKED OUT OF THE COUNCIL WHEN THE SUBJECT WAS BROACHED.

TODAY, WILLIAM SEBALD--MACARTHUR'S SPOKESMAN AND THE U.S. COUNCIL MEMBER--AGAIN ACCUSED RUSSIA OF VIOLATING INTERNATIONAL LAW AND THE POTSDAM DECLARATION IN ITS HANDLING OF POWS.

THEN W.R.HOGDSON OF AUSTRALIA, THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH MEMBER, DEMANDED THAT THE U.N. GENERAL ASSEMBLY STEP IN.

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NIGHT LEAD (220)

LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 10-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN TODAY BROADENED ITS AGENDA TO INCLUDE TWO HUMANITARIAN PROBLEMS IN ADDITION TO THE LIST OF LONG-RANGE PROPOSALS FOR ERASING DISCRIMINATION.

THE NEW ITEMS ARE:

1. A GREEK PROPOSAL TO STUDY METHODS OF AIDING GREEK MOTHERS WHOSE CHILDREN WERE TAKEN BEHIND THE IRON CURTAIN BY GREEK GUERRILLAS AND STILL HAVE NOT BEEN REPATRIATED.

2. A FRENCH PROPOSAL TO STUDY THE PROBLEM OF WOMEN SENT TO NAZI CONCENTRATION CAMPS AND SUBJECTED TO MEDICAL EXPERIMENTATION.

MEANWHILE, THE COMMISSION DISPOSED OF ONE OF ITS MAJOR ISSUES--THE PROPOSAL TO SEEK AN INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION OUTLAWING DISCRIMINATION AGAINST MARRIED WOMEN ON THE QUESTION OF NATIONALITY.

THE COMMISSION ASKED ITS PARENT BODY, THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL, TO PASS ON TO THE APPROPRIATE U.N. BODY THE ACTUAL JOB OF DRAFTING THE CONVENTION. IT SUGGESTED, HOWEVER, THAT ANY SUCH TREATY EMBODY THE PRINCIPLE THAT WOMEN SHOULD HAVE THE SAME RIGHTS AS MEN TO CHOOSE THEIR NATIONALITY IN CASE THEY MARRY PERSONS OF ANOTHER NATIONALITY. AT PRESENT MANY COUNTRIES PROVIDE BY LAW THAT WOMEN AUTOMATICALLY TAKE THE NATIONALITY OF THEIR HUSBANDS.

THE COMMISSION ALSO ASKED THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL TO SUGGEST TO THE APPROPRIATE U.N. BODY THAT IT STUDY THE QUESTION OF PERMITTING WOMEN TO TRANSMIT THEIR NATIONALITY TO CHILDREN ON THE SAME BASIS AS MEN ARE PERMITTED TO TRANSMIT THEIRS.

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LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 10-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES TOUCHED OFF A CONTROVERSY TODAY BY URGING THAT ALL COUNTRIES BE ASKED TO GRANT MOTHERS THE SAME RIGHT AS FATHERS TO TRANSMIT THEIR NATIONALITY TO CHILDREN.

THE U.S. POSITION WAS OUTLINED BY MRS.OLIVE REMINGTON GOLDMAN

BEFORE THE UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN. MRS. GOLDMAN STRONGLY SUPPORTED A SUB-COMMITTEE PROPOSAL THAT THE COMMISSION ENDORSE THE PROPOSAL ON CHILDREN AS PART OF A CONVENTION ON THE NATIONALITY OF MARRIED WOMEN.

BRITAIN AND DENMARK OBJECTED THAT THE COMMISSION HAD NO AUTHORITY TO DEAL WITH THE PROBLEM OF CHILDREN. CHINA AGREED WITH THE UNITED STATES THAT IT WAS THE RIGHT OF THE MOTHER THAT WAS INVOLVED IN THE PROPOSAL RATHER THAN THE RIGHT OF THE CHILD.

THE SUBCOMMITTEE IS HEADED BY MRS.ISABEL DE URDANETA OF VENEZUELA.

THE COMMISSION MEMBERS WERE IN GENERAL AGREEMENT ON THE MAIN PROVISION THAT NO DISCRIMINATION BASED ON SEX SHALL BE PERMITTED TO AFFECT THE NATIONALITY OF EITHER HUSBAND OR WIFE AS A RESULT OF MARRIAGE OR ITS DISSOLUTION.

DANISH DELEGATE HELGA PEDERSON, HOWEVER, DECLARED SHE MUST INSIST UPON EXCLUSION OF THE PROVISION ON MOTHERS TRANSMITTING THEIR NATIONALITY TO CHILDREN.

BRITAIN'S MARY SUTHERLAND SAID:

"I DO NOT BELIEVE IT IS RELEVANT TO THE QUESTION OF DISCRIMINATION AGAINST MARRIED WOMEN."

THE PROPOSED CONVENTION ON THE NATIONALITY OF MARRIED WOMEN IS ONE OF THE MAJOR ITEMS BEFORE THE COMMISSION. IN MANY COUNTRIES THE WIFE DOES NOT HAVE ANY CHOICE IN THE MATTER OF NATIONALITY, BUT MUST AUTOMATICALLY ACCEPT THE NATIONALITY OF HER HUSBAND.

THE COMMISSION DISCUSSED BRIEFLY THIS MORNING THE VARIOUS METHODS OF DRAFTING A CONVENTION, BUT REACHED NO DECISION.

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LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 10-(AP)-UNITED NATIONS HEADQUARTERS WAS PICKETED TODAY BY APPROXIMATELY 100 DEMONSTRATORS WHO DEMANDED AN INVESTIGATION OF SENTENCES IMPOSED UPON AMERICAN CITIZENS FOR CONTEMPT OF THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES.

THE GROUP PRESENTED A PETITION TO THE U.N. HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION IN BEHALF OF WHAT IT CALLED THE "VICTIMS" OF THE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE. UNDER THE COMMISSION'S RULES IT HAS NO POWER TO ACT ON COMPLAINTS. THE COMMISSION MAY CONSIDER ONLY GENERAL PRINCIPLES OF BEHAVIOR AND NOT SPECIFIC CASES.

THE DEMONSTRATORS CAME FROM NEW YORK IN TWO CHARTERED BUSES. THEY LINED UP BEFORE THE ENTRANCE TO THE U.N. GROUNDS, DISPLAYING PLACARDS BEARING THE NAMES OF THOSE LISTED IN THEIR APPEAL. THESE INCLUDED THE 10 HOLLYWOOD WRITERS AND DIRECTORS CITED FOR REFUSING TO TELL THE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE WHETHER OR NOT THEY WERE MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY. THE LIST ALSO INCLUDED THE NAME OF EUGENE DENNIS, FORMER NATIONAL SECRETARY OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY.

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B26 (Q) (170)

NIGHT LEAD INDONESIAN

JAKARTA, JAVA, U.S. I., MAY 10-(AP)-FAILURE OF A SECOND ATTEMPT TO NEGOTIATE A PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF THE AMBOINA REVOLT WAS REPORTED BY DUTCH ARMY SOURCES HERE TODAY.

THE INDONESIAN SOLDIERS UNDER DUTCH COMMAND ON THAT KEY ISLAND OF THE MOLUCCAS HAVE DEFIED AN ORDER FROM THE DUTCH HEADQUARTERS HERE TO RETURN TO BARRACKS, THESE INFORMANTS SAID. THE ORDER WAS CARRIED TO AMBOINA MONDAY BY COL.L.SCHOTBROGH, DUTCH COMMANDER IN EAST INDONESIA.

A FOUR-MAN MISSION SENT FROM JAKARTA BY THE INDONESIAN FEDERAL GOVERNMENT FAILED LAST WEEK EVEN TO GET A HEARING FROM THE REBELS, WHO PROCLAIMED APRIL 26 THE FOURTH REVOLT OF THE YEAR AGAINST JAKARTA'S RULE.

A GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN HINTED MILITARY ACTION WAS IN PROSPECT. THE GOVERNMENT HAS NO TROOPS IN THE MOLUCCAS, THE OLD SPICE ISLANDS CENTERED ABOUT 1,600 MILES NORTHEAST OF THIS CITY.

THE DUTCH-OFFICERED FORCES ON AMBOINA TOTAL ABOUT 1,500. TECHNICALLY IMMOBILIZED SINCE THE NETHERLANDS GRANTED INDONESIA INDEPENDENCE LAST DECEMBER, THEY HAD BEEN AWAITING RETURN TO CIVILIAN LIFE OR TRANSFER TO THE U.S.I. ARMY.

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JAKARTA, JAVA, U.S.I., MAY 10-(AP)-THE DUTCH ARMY HAS ORDERED ITS INDONESIAN TROOPS ON AMBOINA ISLAND TO END THEIR TWO-WEEK REBELLION AGAINST THE FEDERAL INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE ORDER WAS THE FIRST OFFICIAL ADMISSION THAT INDONESIAN SOLDIERS STILL IN THE DUTCH ARMY HAD SPARKED THE REBELLION WHICH RESULTED IN PROCLAMATION OF AN INDEPENDENT "REPUBLIC OF THE SOUTH MOLUCCAS."

DUTCH ARMY HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED THAT COL. L. SCHOTBROGH, COMMANDER IN EAST INDONESIA, SAILED MONDAY FOR AMBOINA WITH THE ORDERS TO END THE INSURRECTION.

AN INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN SAID IF THE DUTCH SURRENDER ORDER WAS NOT OBSERVED, THE CENTRAL INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT WOULD COMMENCE MILITARY ACTION AGAINST THE INSURGENTS.

DUTCH FORCES ON AMBOINA NUMBER ABOUT 1,500 MEN, MOSTLY INDONESIANS OR AMBOINESE. IT IS THE ONLY ORGANIZED ARMED FORCE ON THE ISLAND.

THE INDONESIAN SPOKESMAN SAID COL.SCHOTBROGH'S MISSION RESULTED FROM CONFERENCES BETWEEN THE INDONESIAN DEFENSE MINISTER, SULTAN HAMENGKU BUWONO IX, AND NETHERLANDS SECRETARY OF WAR FOCKEMA ANDREA.

THE SPOKESMAN ANNOUNCED ALSO THAT HAMENGKU BUWONO FLEW TO MAKASSAR, CAPITAL OF EAST INDONESIA, YESTERDAY TO PREPARE PLANS FOR ACTION IF THE DUTCH MISSION FAILS.

REFUGEES FROM AMBOINA REPORTED TODAY THAT RICE AND FUEL SUPPLIES ON THE ISLAND WERE LOW. THEY SAID SOME INDONESIANS SYMPATHETIC TO THE CENTRAL U.S.I. GOVERNMENT WERE BEING HELD AS HOSTAGES BUT THAT THE REVOLT HAD NOT SPREAD TO OTHER ISLANDS IN THE MOLUCCA CHAIN.

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NEW DELHI,INDIA, MAY 10-(AP)-SIR RAMASWAMI MUDALIAR, INDIA'S FORMER U.N. REPRESENTATIVE, WILL LEAD THE INDIAN DELEGATION TO THE CONFERENCE OF SOUTHEAST ASIAN AND WEST PACIFIC NATIONS TO BE HELD MAY 26 AT BAGUIO, PHILIPPINES, A GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN ANNOUNCED TODAY.
S.N.HAKSAR, JOINT SECRETARY TO INDIA'S FOREIGN MINISTRY, WAS NAMED ADVISOR TO THE INDIAN DELEGATION.
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A208WX (BJT)
(750) AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD COMMUNISTS
BY ROGER D.GREENE
WASHINGTON, MAY 10-(AP)-REPUBLICAN SENATOR MALONE TOLD THE SENATE TODAY THAT PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S LOYALTY BOARD IS "NOT ABOVE REPROACH" AND SAID IT HAS CLEARED AT LEAST FOUR PERSONS LATER FOUND TO BE "POOR SECURITY RISKS."
HE SAID ONE OF THE ALLEGED SUSPECTS GAVE THE NAME OF A MEMBER OF THE PRESIDENT'S BOARD AS A RECOMMENDATION FOR A FEDERAL JOB.
MALONE ISSUED HIS BLAST AS A SENATE INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE, LED BY CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD), BEGAN WADING INTO A STACK OF STATE DEPARTMENT LOYALTY FILES ON 81 PERSONS CITED IN THE CURRENT PROBE OF COMMUNISM IN THE GOVERNMENT.

TYDINGS AND HIS COLLEAGUES WORKED MOST OF THE DAY IN THUMBING THROUGH THE FILES IN THE CABINET ROOM OF THE WHITE HOUSE. HE SAID IT WOULD TAKE ABOUT TWO WEEKS TO STUDY THE FILES--"SOME OF THEM VERY THICK."
TYDINGS SAID HE WANTED TO EMPHASIZE "THERE IS EVERYTHING IN THERE (THE FILES) THAT THE GOVERNMENT HAS GOT."

THE MARYLAND SENATOR CHALLENGED A STATEMENT BY SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WISC) THAT AT LEAST ONE OF THE FILES IS MISSING -- THE LOYALTY RECORD ON THE MAN LISTED AS CASE NO. 2 IN MCCARTHY'S CHARGES OF REDS IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT.
"ALL MCCARTHY HAS TO DO IS LAY THE EVIDENCE BEFORE US TO SUSTAIN THAT CHARGE AND WE WILL PUT WHOEVER IS RESPONSIBLE IN JAIL," TYDINGS SAID.
"OTHERWISE, IT IS JUST A LOT OF HOCUS-POCUS."
DEPUTY UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE JOHN PEURIFOY HAD A SIMILAR REPLY TO MCCARTHY'S CONTENTION THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAS BEEN "SPRING HOUSE-CLEANING" ITS FILES BEFORE DISCLOSING THEM TO THE TYDINGS COMMITTEE.
PEURIFOY TOLD NEWSMEN HE INFORMED TYDINGS HE IS READY TO TESTIFY UNDER OATH THAT "THERE HAS BEEN ABSOLUTELY NO TAMPERING WITH THE FILES."

MCCARTHY, INFORMED OF THE STATEMENTS BY TYDINGS AND PEURIFOY, SAID THE "BEST ANSWER" WAS CONTAINED IN A 1947 FBI REPORT AND IN A REPORT BY THE CHIEF INVESTIGATOR OF THE HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE ISSUED JAN. 27, 1947.
MCCARTHY SAID THE HOUSE REPORT COMPLAINED THAT APPARENTLY ALMOST EVERYONE IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAS ACCESS TO THE FILES AND REMOVES MATERIAL AT WILL WITH LITTLE REGULATION OR CONTROL.
AS TO THE FBI REPORT, HE SAID IT ALSO CRITICIZED THE STATE DEPARTMENT FOR COMPLETE LACK OF CONTROL OVER ITS FILES.
PUERIFOY ALSO TOLD REPORTERS THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAS NO EVIDENCE THAT WOULD "EVEN REMOTELY SUBSTANTIATE" MCCARTHY'S CHARGE THAT A U.S. ENVOY IS A "FOREIGN AGENT."
MCCARTHY HAS NOT YET NAMED THE ALLEGED AGENT PUBLICLY, BUT HAS THREATENED TO DO SO ON THE SENATE FLOOR UNLESS THE TYDINGS COMMITTEE INVESTIGATES THE CASE.

TYDINGS WAS ACCOMPANIED BY SENATORS MCMAHON (D-CONN), GREEN (D-RI) AND LODGE (R-MASS) IN THE INITIAL INSPECTION OF THE FILES AT THE WHITE HOUSE. ALSO PRESENT WERE PEURIFOY; BRIG. GEN. CONRAD SNOW, CHAIRMAN OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT LOYALTY BOARD; ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL PEYTON FORD, AND DONALD DAWSON, A PRESIDENTIAL AIDE.

THE GROUP RECESSED FOR LUNCH AFTER WORKING MORE THAN TWO HOURS, AND TYDINGS TOLD NEWSMEN:
"I CAN GIVE YOU NO DETAILS EXCEPT TO SAY WE ARE MAKING A COMPLETE EXAMINATION OF EACH OF THE FILES."
ASKED IF ALL 81 FILES WERE ON HAND, TYDINGS REPLIED:
"WE'VE GOT EVERYTHING -- FBI, Q, X, Y AND EVERYTHING. WE'VE GOT THE WHOLE DAMN THING, SO THERE WILL BE NO EXCUSES THIS TIME."
BEFORE GETTING HIS FIRST LOOK AT THE FILES, TYDINGS SAID HE UNDERSTOOD THEY CONTAIN ALL THE DATA GATHERED BY STATE DEPARTMENT INVESTIGATORS AND ALSO "ALL THE LOYALTY DATA WHICH THE FBI HAS GATHERED AND REFERRED TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND WHICH HAS BEEN MADE A PART OF THESE FILES."
MCCARTHY HAS COMPLAINED THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT RECORDS ALONE ARE NOT ENOUGH AND THAT ALL FBI RECORDS ARE NEEDED TO SUBSTANTIATE HIS CHARGES.
ON THE SENATE FLOOR, SENATOR MALONE OF NEVADA SHARPLY CRITICISED THE PRESIDENT'S LOYALTY BOARD IN ASKING THE CHAMBER TO TAKE IMMEDIATE ACTION ON HIS BILL TO SET UP AN INDEPENDENT LOYALTY REVIEW BOARD.
"ALTHOUGH THE PRESIDENT'S LOYALTY REVIEW BOARD INCLUDES SOME MEN OF FINE CHARACTER, I REGRET TO SAY THAT THE BOARD ITSELF IS NOT ABOVE REPROACH," MALONE SAID.
THE NEVADA SENATOR DECLARED THERE IS DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE TO SHOW THAT THE NAME OF HARRY W.BLAIR, A MEMBER OF THE PRESIDENT'S BOARD, WAS USED AS A REFERENCE FOR A GOVERNMENT JOB BY WILLIAM LUDWIG ULLMAN.
"LATER, ULLMAN WAS ACCUSED OF BEING A MEMBER OF THE ESPIONAGE GROUP WHICH CONVEYED INFORMATION FROM THE FILES OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT HERE TO AGENTS OF THE SOVIET UNION," MALONE SAID.
"AND WHEN ULLMAN WAS SUBPOENAED AND ASKED QUESTIONS PERTAINING TO THOSE CHARGES, HE REFUSED TO ANSWER ON THE GROUND OF SELF-INCRIMINATION."
ULLMAN'S NAME CROPPED UP LAST YEAR WHEN MISS ELIZABETH BENTLEY, AN ADMITTED ONETIME SOVIET COURIER, TOLD THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE THAT ULLMAN WAS A MEMBER OF A SOVIET SPY RING.
ASKED TO COMMENT ON MALONE'S ASSERTIONS, BLAIR TOLD A REPORTER THAT HE GAVE ULLMAN A RECOMMENDATION FOR A JOB IN THE TREASURY DEPARTMENT IN 1936 OR 1937.
BLAIR SAID HE HAD KNOWN ULLMAN'S FAMILY FOR MANY YEARS IN SPRINGFIELD, MO., AND KNEW ULLMAN AT THE TIME AS A HARVARD STUDENT AND "A NICE KID."

"BUT LATER ULLMAN GOT MIXED UP WITH THIS FELLOW SILVERMASTER AND THAT BUNCH OF COMMUNISTS -- SOME IN THE TREASURY AND SOME IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT -- ALTHOUGH I DIDN'T KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT IT THEN,"

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BLAIR SAID.
MISS BENTLEY TESTIFIED LAST YEAR THAT ONE OF HER CO-WORKERS IN THE SOVIET ESPIONAGE NETWORK WAS NATHAN GREGORY SILVERMASTER. SILVERMASTER DENIED IT.
BLAIR, WHO SAID HE WAS AN ASSISTANT U.S. ATTORNEY GENERAL IN THE 1930'S, SAID HE "WONDERED" THAT MALONE WOULD MAKE SUCH A CHARGE ON THE SENATE FLOOR WITHOUT FIRST ASKING HIM ABOUT THE CASE.
HE IS NOW A WASHINGTON ATTORNEY.
IN HIS SENATE SPEECH, MALONE DECLARED:
"THERE IS NO DENYING THAT THE PRESIDENT'S LOYALTY REVIEW BOARD HAS CLEARED PERSONS SUBSEQUENTLY FOUND TO BE POOR SECURITY RISKS."
HE SAID THAT AMONG THOSE CLEARED, IN ADDITION TO ULLMAN, WERE JESSE EPSTEIN, MICHAEL J. LEE AND WILLIAM W.REMINGTON.
MALONE DESCRIBED EPSTEIN AS "AN ADMITTED MEMBER OF THE PROFESSIONAL UNIT OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY" IN SEATTLE, WASH.
"LEE, WHOSE REAL NAME IS EPHRAIM LIEBERMAN, WAS ONCE REFUSED AMERICAN CITIZENSHIP ON THE GROUND THAT HE WAS 'NOT ATTACHED TO THE PRINCIPLES OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES,'" MALONE CONTINUED. "HE WAS CLEARED AND IS STILL CHIEF OF THE FAR EASTERN DIVISION OF OUR OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE (IN THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.)"
MALONE HAS REPEATEDLY ATTACKED LEE IN RECENT MONTHS AND DEMANDED THAT HE BE FIRED. HOWEVER, SECRETARY OF COMMERCE SAWYER HAS DEFENDED LEE AND THE DEPARTMENT'S LOYALTY BOARD HAS VOUCHED FOR HIS LOYALTY.
REMINGTON IS CURRENTLY UNDER INVESTIGATION BY THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE. LAST WEEK HE DENIED SWORN TESTIMONY BY TWO EX-COMMUNISTS THAT HE WAS A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN THE 1930'S.
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FOLO WASHN (A208-210) (120)
SEATTLE, MAY 10-(AP)-A STATEMENT BY SENATOR MALONE (R-NEV) TODAY THAT JESSE EPSTEIN IS "AN ADMITTED MEMBER OF THE PROFESSIONAL UNIT OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY" BROUGHT A HEATED DENIAL FROM THE SEATTLE MAN.
EPSTEIN FORMERLY WAS THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST AND THEN THE WESTERN REGIONAL DIRECTOR OF FEDERAL PUBLIC HOUSING.
ADVISED OF THE STATEMENT MALONE ENTERED INTO THE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD, EPSTEIN DECLARED:
"MY PAST DENIALS STILL STAND. I COULD NOT HAVE ADMITTED PARTY MEMBERSHIP UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES. ANY CHARGE THAT I ADMITTED IT IS MADE OF WHOLE CLOTH.
"I HAVE BEEN INVESTIGATED ALMOST TO DEATH AND BEEN CLARED. I THOUGHT IT HAD BEEN CLEARLY RESOLVED."
MALONE WAS CRITICIZING THE ACTION OF GOVERNMENT LOYALTY REVIEW BOARDS.
EPSTEIN, WHO IS PREPARING TO OPEN A SEATTLE LAW OFFICE, ADDED:
"IT'S A TERRIBLE THING TO BRING THIS UP AGAIN.
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WASHINGTON, MAY 10-(AP)-NAVY SPOKESMEN SAID TODAY THE CHANCE THAT ANY CREW MEMBER SURVIVED THE LOSS OF A NAVY PATROL PLANE IN THE BALTI AREA APRIL 8 IS "VERY REMOTE."
THEIR OPINION WAS BASED ON THE CONDITION OF TWO RUBBER LIFE RAFTS PICKED UP IN THE BALTIC AND BROUGHT HERE. THE RAFTS WERE SHOWN TO REPORTERS AND PHOTOGRAPHERS.
LT. COM. M.W.CAGLE, A NAVY FLIER, SAID THE RAFTS HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED AS BEING FROM THE SAME SQUADRON AS THE MISSING PLANE.
THE PLANE INCIDENT LED TO SHARP EXCHANGES OF MESSAGES BETWEEN RUSSIA AND THE UNITED STATES. THE RUSSIANS CHARGED THE PLANE WAS OF A B-29 BOMBER TYPE, THAT IT FLEW OVER RUSSIAN-HELD LATVIA AND THAT IT FIRED ON SOVIET FIGHTER CRAFT. THEY SAID THE RUSSIAN FIGHTERS RETURNED THE FIRE.
THE U.S. DENIED THIS. IT SAID THE ONLY AMERICAN PLANE IN THE BALTIC AREA AT THE TIME WAS A NAVY PRIVATEER PLANE. THE U.S. SAID THIS PLANE WAS UNARMED AND NOWHERE NEAR RUSSIAN TERRITORY. IT ACCUSED THE SOVIET FIGHTERS OF SHOOTING DOWN THE CRAFT OVER THE OPEN SEA.
THE NAVY AND AIR FORCE MADE A WIDESPREAD SEARCH BUT FAILED TO FIND TRACES OF THE PLANE OR CREW MEMBERS IN THE BALTIC. LATER TWO RAFTS AND A NOSE WHEEL WERE PICKED UP BY BOATS IN THE SEA 50 MILES OR MORE WEST OF LATVIA, THE NAVY SAID.
ONE FACT IN THEIR INVESTIGATION OF THE RAFTS KEPT NAVY SPOKESMEN FROM CONCLUDING DEFINITELY THAT THE 10 OFFICERS AND MEN WERE KILLED.
THAT WAS THE FACT THAT EQUIPMENT POCKETS ON ONE OF THE RAFTS WERE OPEN AND THE EQUIPMENT GONE WHEN THE RAFT WAS TURNED OVER TO THE NAVY.
CAGLE EXPRESSED BELIEF THE POCKETS WOULD HAVE BEEN RIPPED HAD THEY BEEN TORN OPEN BY AN EXPLOSION OR BY THE PLANE'S IMPACT WITH BALTIC WATERS. HE SAID IT WAS POSSIBLE THE POCKETS MIGHT HAVE BEEN OPENED AFTER THE RAFT WAS PICKED UP.
ONE OF THE RAFTS HAD BEEN PARTIALLY BURNED WHILE STILL FOLDED AND UNINFLATED. CAPT. WALTER KARIG, SPECIAL ASSISTANT TO THE CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS, SAID THE BURNED PLACE ON THIS RAFT INDICATED "VIOLENT HEAT, SUDDENLY EXTINGUISHED." KARIG VOICED THE OPINION THE PATROL PLANE EITHER EXPLODED IN THE AIR OR IN IMPACT WITH THE WATER.
KARIG AND CAGLE SAID THIS IS INDICATED BY THE FACT THAT THE NOSE WHEEL WAS TORN LOOSE FROM THE PLANE. IN A CONTROLLED, FORCED LANDING ON THE WATER, THEY SAID, THE NOSE WHEEL WOULD HAVE BEEN RETRACTED INSIDE THE PLANE'S FUSELAGE.
THE SECOND LIFE RAFT HAD BEEN INFLATED PARTICALLY BY CARBON DIOXIDE FROM A LARGE BOTTLE INCORPORATED IN THE RAFT. CAGLE SAID THE VALVE ON THIS RAFT SHOWED SIGNS OF HAVING BEEN BENT BADLY. CAGLE SAID IT APPEARS THE BOTTLE MAY HAVE BEEN OPENED BY THE FORCE OF AN EXPLOSION OR THE PLANE'S IMPACT WITH THE WATER.
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WASHINGTON, MAY 10-(AP)-PAUL C.DANIELS, U.S. DELEGATE TO THE ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN STATES, SAID TODAY THAT EVENTS OUTSIDE THE WESTERN HEMISPHERE INDICATE A NEED FOR CLOSER COOPERATION CMONG THE AMERICAN REPUBLICS.
DANIELS OBVIOUSLY REFERRED TO THE STRAINED RELATIONS BETWEEN THE U.S. AND RUSSIA WHEN HE MENTIONED "THE COURSE OF RECENT WORLD EVENTS." HE SAID THESE EVENTS "DEMONSTRATE THE VITAL IMPORTANCE AND THE INTRINSIC SOUNDNESS OF OUR DEMOCRATIC GOALS AND METHODS."
HE SPOKE BEFORE A GROUP OF LATIN AMERICAN TECHNICIANS BEGINNING A THREE-DAY MEETING AT THE PAN-AMERICAN UNION. THEY ARE IN THIS COUNTRY TO TAKE SPECIALIZED TRAINING COURSES.
DANIELS' REMARKS ON THE WORLD SITUATION WERE MADE AS HE SKETCHED THE U.S. PROGRAM OF TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE TO LATIN AMERICAN NATIONS.
HE SAID THE GOAL OF THIS PROGRAM "IS A HEMISPHERE STABILIZED AND AT PEACE, WITH A CITIZENRY WHICH, THROUGH THEIR OWN EFFORTS, HAVE BECOME, FROM NORTH TO SOUTH, WELL-FED, WELL-HOUSED AND HEALTHY."
THROUGH PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S POINT FOUR PROGRAM, DANIELS SAID, THE U.S. HOPES TO ENCOURAGE THE FLOW OF PRIVATE INVESTMENT CAPITAL TO LATIN AMERICA. HE SAID AN EXPANDING ECONOMY "IS NOT POSSIBLE

WITHOUT FREE EXCHANGE OF GOODS." HE SAID THE U.S. WILL CONTINUE TO WORK FOR LIBERALIZATION OF TRADE.

LOUIS QUINTANILLA, MEXICAN CHAIRMAN OF THE OAS COUNCIL, URGED THE TECHNICIANS TO HELP "IN MAKING PAN-AMERICANISM SOMETHING CONCRETE." HE SAID LATIN AMERICANS COULD DRAW FROM THE U.S. A SENSE OF THE PRACTICAL TO SUPPLEMENT THEIR OWN ROMANTICISM.

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B95WX (FRENCH) (Q)

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WASHINGTON, MAY 10-(AP)-FRENCH AMBASSADOR HENRI BONNET EXPRESSED CONFIDENCE TODAY THAT WESTERN EUROPE WILL BE UNIFIED IN "A COMMUNITY OF NATIONS WHICH NO AGGRESSION FROM WITHIN OR WITHOUT WILL DARE THREATEN."

BONNET ADDRESSED THE 82ND ANNUAL CONVENTION OF THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS AT THE MAYFLOWER HOTEL HERE.

EMPHASIZING THE LONG-TIME COOPERATION BETWEEN HIS COUNTRY AND THE UNITED STATES, BONNET SAID:

"WE MUST CONTINUALLY STRENGTHEN THE SOLIDARITY WHICH HAS KEPT US UNITED THROUGH THE MOST TERRIBLE OF ORDEALS. X X X

"THE DEMOCRATIC NATIONS WHO LIVE ON BOTH SIDES OF THE ATLANTIC HAVE LINKED THEMSELVES IN A COMMON EFFORT TO PROTECT THE WORLD'S PEACE.

"WE MUST DEVELOP THE POTENTIALITIES OF THIS NEW GROUPING AND I AM CONFIDENT THAT ON OUR SIDE OF THE OCEAN WE SHALL, IN SPITE OF MANY OBSTACLES, BUILD THE UNITY OF WESTERN EUROPE."

THE AMBASSADOR SAID THE TASK OF UNIFICATION WILL BE ACHIEVED NOT ONLY BECAUSE OF THE OBVIOUS ADVANTAGE TO EUROPE BUT BECAUSE IT IS THE WAY TO "A CLOSER AND MORE INTIMATE COOPERATION WITH THE UNITED STATES."

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NIGHT LEAD

OAKLAND, CALIF., MAY 10-(AP)-A COMMITTEE INVESTIGATING COMMUNISM TODAY INVITED DR. J. ROBERT OPPENHEIMER TO DENY "UNDER OATH" THAT HE ATTENDED A COMMUNIST MEETING IN BERKELEY IN 1941.

OPPENHEIMER, FORMER HEAD OF THE LOS ALAMOS ATOM BOMB LABORATORY, WAS NAMED YESTERDAY BY A COMMITTEE WITNESS, MRS. PAUL CROUCH, AS ONE OF A GROUP WHICH ATTENDED AN ELITE COMMUNIST SECTION MEETING AT HIS HOME IN BERKELEY.

AT WASHINGTON, D. C., DR. OPPENHEIMER DECLARED HE WASN'T A COMMUNIST, NEVER HAD BEEN ONE, AND "NEVER ASSEMBLED WITH ANY SUCH GROUP OF PEOPLE FOR ANY SUCH PURPOSE IN MY HOME OR ANYWHERE ELSE."

SENATOR HUGH BURNS OF FRESNO, CHAIRMAN OF THE STATE SENATE COMMITTEE IN UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES, THEN INVITED OPPENHEIMER TO APPEAR IN PERSON "AND MKE SUCH DENIAL AS HE SEES FIT, UNDER OATH," TO YESTERDAY'S ACCUSATIONS.

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OAKLAND,CALIF.,MAY 10-(AP)-DR.J.ROBERT OPPENHEIMER FLATLY DENIES THE ACCUSATION OF A WOMAN EX-COMMUNIST THAT THE TOP ATOMIC SCIENTIST HELD A SECRET, CLOSED MEETING OF COMMUNISTS AT HIS BERKELEY HOME IN JULY, 1941.

MRS. PAUL CROUCH, ADMITTEDLY A COMMUNIST FROM 1929 TO 1942, TOLD A STATE SENATE COMMITTEE HERE YESTERDAY THAT SHE ATTENDED SUCH A COMMUNIST MEETING AT DR. OPPENHEIMER'S HOME WHEN HE WAS IN THE PHYSICS DEPARTMENT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA.

LAST NIGHT IN WASHINGTON, DR. OPPENHEIMER, NOW DIRECTOR OF THE INSTITUTE FOR ADVANCED STUDIES AT PRINCETON, N.J., DENIED IT. HE SAID IN A STATEMENT:

"I HAVE NEVER BEEN A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY. I NEVER ASSEMBLED ANY SUCH GROUP OF PEOPLE FOR ANY SUCH PURPOSE IN MY HOME OR ANYWHERE ELSE. I AM UNABLE TO RECALL ANY GATHERING IN MY HOUSE THAT COULD REASONABLY HAVE BEEN MISTAKEN FOR SUCH A MEETING. NEITHER THE NAME CROUCH NOR THE ACCOUNTS OF MR. AND MRS. CROUCH RECALL TO ME ANYONE I HAVE EVER KNOWN."

MRS.CROUCH, WHO BECAME A COMMUNIST IN 1929 WHILE A TEXTILE WORKER ON STRIKE AT GASTONIA, N.C., WAS CALLED BEFORE THE STATE SENATE UNAMERICAN COMMITTEE WHICH IS SEEKING TO DETERMINE IF COMMUNISTS HAD ACCESS TO THE UNIVERSITY'S ATOM-SMASHING LABORATORY.

SHE SAID THE MEETING WAS CALLED SO THAT HER HUSBAND, THEN AN ACTIVE COMMUNIST ORGANIZER IN THE SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA, COULD EXPLAIN THAT THE PARTY LINE WAS CHANGED TO FULL SUPPORT FOR THE WAR EFFORT AFTER GERMANY ATTACKED THE SOVIET UNION.

THE ATTRACTIVE BRUNETTE SAID:

"THE TWO PERSONS I POSITIVELY IDENTIFIED AS BEING PRESENT AT THE SPECIAL SECTION MEETING OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY WERE JOSEPH WEINBERG AND J. ROBERT OPPENHEIMER."

SHE SAID SHE IDENTIFIED DR. OPPENHEIMER THROUGH A PHOTOGRAPH AND WEINBERG PERSONALLY AFTER SEEING HIM LATER AT A WASHINGTON HEARING.

WEINBERG, NOW ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF PHYSICS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA, HAD NO COMMENT LAST NIGHT ON HER TESTIMONY. LIKE DR. OPPENHEIMER, HE WAS IN THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA PHYSICS DEPARTMENT AT THE TIME. IN 1949 HE WAS NAMED BY THE HOUSE UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE AS THE "SCIENTIST X" ACCUSED OF GIVING AWAY IMPORTANT SCIENTIFIC INFORMATION IN 1943 TO A COMMUNIST PARTY OFFICIAL. WEINBERG DENIED THAT ACCUSATION.

IN HIS WASHINGTON STATEMENT LAST NIGHT, DR. OPPENHEIMER WENT ON TO EXPLAIN:

"I HAVE MADE NO SECRET OF THE FACT THAT I ONCE KNEW MANY PEOPLE IN LEFT-WING CIRCLES AND BELONGED TO SEVERAL LEFT-WING ORGANIZATIONS. THE GOVERNMENT HAS KNOWN IN DETAIL OF THESE MATTERS SINCE I FIRST STARTED WORK ON THE ATOM BOMB PROJECT."

HE HAS PROBABLY HAD MORE TO DO WITH THE ATOMIC BOMB THAN ANY OTHER SCIENTIST. HE DIRECTED THE LOS ALAMOS, N.M., LABORATORY THAT PRODUCED THE FIRST BOMB. AT CALIFORNIA, HE WAS IN THE FOREFRONT OF RESEARCH PRECEDING ACTUAL ATTEMPTS TO MAKE THE BOMB. AS PRESENT CHAIRMAN OF THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE OF THE U.S. ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION, HE IS IN A POSITION TO KNOW TOP SECRETS AND TO WIELD A POWERFUL INFLUENCE IN SHAPING POLICY.

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CHICAGO, MAY 10-(AP)-RALPH MC GILL, EDITOR OF THE ATLANTA CONSTITUTION, SAID TONIGHT THAT IN ISRAEL "THERE IS BEING KNEADED A LOAF OF BREAD FROM WHICH ALL OF US--JEWS AND GENTILES ALIKE--WILL EAT."

ISRAEL, HE SAID, "IS MORE THAN JUST A HOMELAND OR A NATION FOR JEWS. IT REPRESENTS EVERYTHING WE BELIEVE IN. IT IS WHAT WE MEAN WHEN WE TALK ABOUT 'THE AMERICAN WAY OF LIFE!'"

HE SAID IT IS A NATION OF PEOPLE WORKING TOWARD ONE GOAL AND A

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NATION "WHICH EXALTS THE DIGNITY OF THE INDIVIDUAL."
MC GILL TOLD A FUND RAISING DINNER OF THE INVESTMENT AND FINANCE DIVISION OF CHICAGO'S COMBINED JEWISH APPEAL THAT HE WAS SPEAKING AS "A NEWSPAPERMAN. I REPRESENT NO ONE AND I AM NOT BEING PAID TO SPEAK."
THE EDITOR REPORTED ON A RECENT FIVE-WEEKS VISIT TO ISRAEL, HIS SECOND. HE TOLD THE DINNER HE WAS "IMMENSELY IMPRESSED" BY WHAT HE SAW.
"EVERYBODY IS WORKING HARD AT BUILDING A NEW NATION AND NOW THEY NEED HELP AS NEVER BEFORE. EVEN WITH HIGH TAXES--THEY'RE HIGHER THERE THAN EVEN IN GREAT BRITAIN--AND DESPITE CRITICAL SHORTAGES IN MATERIALS AND PRODUCED GOODS THERE IS VIRTUALLY NO BLACK MARKET.
"THE DIGNITY OF THE INDIVIDUAL IS PARAMOUNT. THE ARABS IN ISRAELI HAVE FULL CITIZENSHIP AND ARE NOT DISCRIMINATED AGAINST."
MC GILL SAID THE PRESSURES ON THE YOUNG NATION ARE "TREMENDOUS" BECAUSE OF THE CONTINUAL IMMIGRATION. "THINK OF WHAT WOULD HAPPEN TO THE METROPOLITAN AREA OF CHICAGO IF 9,000 JOBLESS, UNCLOTHED PEOPLE WERE BROUGHT IN EVERY MONTH. THE DRAIN ON THE WHOLE STRUCTURE--FROM TRANSPORTATION TO FOOD--WOULD CAUSE SEVERE CHANGES IN THE WHOLE SYSTEM. YET THE ISRAELIS ARE FACING THIS PROBLEM AND PROVIDING FOR THESE NEW PEOPLE."
THE "TRAGEDY OF THE PROBLEM IS THAT MANY PEOPLE HAVE REDUCED THEIR ATTITUDES TO SPECIAL VIEWPOINTS SUCH AS THE ZIONIST VIEWPOINT OR THE ANTI-ZIONIST VIEWPOINT," HE ASSERTED. "WHAT IS MOST IMPORTANT IS THAT HERE IN ISRAEL THERE IS SOMETHING GOING ON WHICH WILL BE ENORMOUSLY IMPORTANT TO ALL OF US. IN THE MIDST OF FAR EASTERN ILLITERACY, DISEASE, PRIVATION, HUMAN EXPLOITATION, FILTH AND DECADENCE IS SET DOWN A NATION TO HONOR THE NOBILITY OF MAN.
"THE IDEA THAT ARABS ARE DRIVEN FROM ISRAEL IS FALSE. IT IS PROPOGANDA AGAINST THE NATION. THE ARABS WANTING PEACE ARE STILL IN THE HOMES THEY LIVED IN BEFORE THE JEWISH-ARAB WAR. IN ABOU GHOSH, IN NAZARETH AND IN DRUSES THE ARABS HAVE FULL STATUS BECAUSE THEY DID NOT JOIN THE HOSTILE ARAB GROUPS."
THE DINNER ADDRESSED BY MC GILL BROUGHT PLEDGE CONTRIBUTIONS OF MORE THAN $260,000, MOST OF WHICH GOES TO FUNDS OF THE UNITED JEWISH APPEAL.
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(270) (ADVANCE FOR USE AT 2 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY WEDNESDAY MAY 10)
(ADVANCE)-(WX)-ALBUQUERQUE,N.M.,MAY 10-(AP)-DAN A.KIMBALL, UNDER-SECRETARY OF THE NAVY, TODAY DISPUTED THE IDEA THAT JAPAN WAS READY TO QUIT FIGHTING BEFORE THE U.S. DROPPED ATOM BOMBS ON TWO JAPANESE CITIES.
THE NAVY OFFICIAL MADE NO DIRECT REFERENCE TO CONTENTIONS BY REAR ADM.ELLIS M.ZACHARIAS, FORMER DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF NAVAL INTELLI-GENCE, THAT THE ATOMIC BOMBING OF JAPAN WAS UNNECESSARY.
BUT, IN A SPEECH PREPARED FOR DELIVERY BEFORE THE ALBUQUERQUE KIWANIS CLUB, KIMBALL DECLARED:
"KNOWING WHAT WE DO NOW, WE ARE QUITE SURE THAT, HAD IT NOT BEEN FOR THE A-BOMBING OF HIROSHIMA AND NAGASAKI, WE WOULD HAVE HAD TO FIGHT THE JAP MILITARY HAND-TO-HAND ON HIS OWN SOIL IN ORDER TO FORCE A DECISION."
ZACHARIAS, WHO IS NOW RETIRED, SAYS IN AN ARTICLE IN LOOK MAGA-ZINE THAT INFORMATION WHICH REACHED NAVAL INTELLIGENCE SHOWED CLEARLY THAT JAPAN WAS READY TO SURRENDER BEFORE THE A-BOMBS WERE DROPPED. HE SAYS THE INTELLIGENCE MOST READILY ACCEPTED BY THE HIGHEST U.S. AUTHORITIES WAS PREPARED BY THE WAR DEPARTMENT. AND HE DECLARES THAT THE LATE PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT, PRESIDENT TRUMAN, FORMER SECRETARY OF WAR STIMSON AND GEN.GEORGE C.MARSHALL HAD TO MAKE CRUCIAL DECISIONS "WITHOUT KNOWING SOME OF THE WAR'S MOST VITAL NON-MILITARY INFORMA-TION."
KIMBALL SAID ATOMIC FORCES, FIRST LOOSED IN WEAPON FORM AT THE WHITE SANDS PROVING GROUNDS IN NEW MEXICO, "PROVIDED THE DECISIVE FINAL PUNCH NEEDED TO PUT JAPAN OUT OF THE WAR."
THE NAVY OFFICIAL SAID THE INCLINATION OF AMERICANS IS TO TURN FROM WEAPONS AND DEVOTE THEMSELVES TO MORE CONSTRUCTIVE SCIENTIFIC IMPLICATIONS OF ATOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
"BUT WISHFUL HOPING WILL NOT MAKE A STABLE PEACE," HE DECLARED.
KIMBALL SAID THAT AMERICAN GESTURES OF GOOD WILL HAVE BEEN SLAPPED ASIDE, AND THAT "SOME WHO HAVE BEEN INVITED TO EAT AT OUR TABLE ARE EVEN NOW PREPARING TO ROB THE HOUSE."
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BY TOM LAMBERT

TOKYO,MAY 8 (AP)-NERVOUS OVER THE RISE OF JAPANESE COMPETITION IN THE COTTON TEXTILE MARKET, A GROUP OF BRITISH AND AMERICAN EXPERTS FROM THE INDUSTRY TODAY BEGAN A THREE-WEEKS ON-THE-SCENE SURVEY.

THE BRITISH PARTY IS HEADED BY SIR RAYMOND STREAT OF THE UNITED KINGDOM COTTON BOARD; THE AMERICAN BY ROBERT C.JACKSON, EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT OF THE AMERICAN COTTON MANUFACTURERS' INSTITUTE, CHARLOTTE, N.C.

THE MISSION HOPES TO MEET INFORMALLY WITH GENERAL MACARTHUR AND WILL TALK WITH OCCUPATION AND JAPANESE OFFICIALS AND INDUSTRIAL REPRESENTATIVES. IT WILL PRESENT ITS FINDINGS TO A SPECIAL INDUSTRY COMMITTEE IN NEW YORK, HEADED BY ROBERT T.STEVENS, CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD OF J.P.STEVENS

CO., OF NEW YORK.

MISSION MEMBERS WERE NONCOMITTAL BUT STEVENS SAID IN NEW YORK LAST WEEK:

"FOR THE PAST SEVERAL MONTHS TEXTILE MARKETS HAVE BEEN MADE NERVOUS BY RECURRENT REPORTS OF SEVERE INROADS BY JAPANESE GOODS INTO BOTH FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC MARKETS. OUR INFORMATION AS TO JAPANESE TEXTILE PROGRESS IS MEAGER. IT IS DESIRABLE THAT THE INDUSTRY HERE BE FULLY INFORMED ABOUT THE INDUSTRIES AND ALL OTHER MAJOR TEXTILE-PRODUCING COUNTRIES."

JAPANESE OFFICIALS SAID TODAY THAT JAPANESE PRODUCTION LAST YEAR WAS ABOUT 1,500,000,000 (BILLION) YARDS, OF WHICH 65 PER CENT WAS EXPORTED. PRODUCTION, ALTHOUGH INCREASING, IS STILL FAR BELOW THE 1937 PEAK, WHEN JAPAN PRODUCED 6,000,000,000 (BILLION) YARDS. YG7.5

ONE AMERICAN SOURCE SAID THAT WITH THE CHINA MARKET "ALMOST DRIED UP" AND OTHER COUNTRIES, SUCH AS INDIA, PRODUCING MUCH OF THEIR OWN CLOTH, COMPETITION FOR THE REMAINING ORIENTAL MARKETS HAD BEEN INCREASING.

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WASHINGTON, MAY 8-(AP)-THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAS ORDERED AN INVESTIGATION OF REPORTS THAT RUSSIAN FORCES IN AUSTRIA HAVE BOUGHT ABOUT $4,000,000 WORTH OF STRATEGIC MATERIALS MADE IN WESTERN GERMANY.

AMERICAN INVESTIGATORS IN VIENNA ARE REPORTED TO HAVE LEARNED THAT THE RUSSIAN PURCHASES INCLUDEE ABOUT $3,000,000 IN CRITICALLY-SHORT SEAMLESS STEEL TUBING AND 30 TONS OF FITTINGS VIA "INTERMEDIARIES" IN FRANCE AND SWITZERLAND.

THE TUBINGS AND FITTINGS ARE AMONG ITEMS BARRED BY THE UNITED STATES FROM RUSSIA AND HER SATELLITES ON THE GROUNDS THEY ARE WAR MATERIALS.

OFFICIALS SAID THE RUSSIANS HAVE BEEN TRYING DESPERATELY TO BUY SUCH EQUIPMENT FOR MORE THAN A YEAR IN ORDER TO INCREASE OIL PRODUCTION IN EASTERN AUSTRIA. EARLIER ATTEMPTS TO BUY IT IN GERMANY AND ITALY HAD BEEN BLOCKED BY AMERICAN OFFICIALS, THEY SAID.

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INFORMATION NOW AVAILABLE INDICATES, THEY SAID, THE TUBING AND FITTINGS ORIGINATED IN DUSSELDORF IN THE BRITISH ZONE OF GERMANY FROM WHERE IT WAS SENT TO FRANCE AND SHIPPED DOWN THE RHINE.

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NIGHT LEAD BIG THREE
BY WES GALLAGHER
LONDON, MAY 11-(AP)-THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF FRANCE, BRITAIN AND THE UNITED STATES OPENED A NEW DISCUSSION TODAY OF MEANS TO STRENGTHEN THE WEST AGAINST SOVIET RUSSIA IN THE ORIENT AND EUROPE.
"IT IS RECOGNIZED THAT IN THE PRESENT WORLD SITUATION THE PRESERVATION OF PEACE REQUIRES RENEWED EFFORTS OF COOPERATION ON ALL FIELDS," A COMMUNIQUE SAID, "PARTICULARLY IN THE BUILDING UP OF AN EFFECTIVE DEFENSE THROUGH THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY AND THE STRENGTHENING OF THE ECONOMIC FOUNDATION OF THE WESTERN POWERS TO SUPPORT THESE EFFORTS."
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DEFENSE WAS THE MAIN SUBJECT OF THE THREE--U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON, BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN. THE MEETINGS WILL LAST THREE DAYS.
IT WAS LEARNED THAT THE THREE MINISTERS WERE IN CONSIDERABLE AGREEMENT ON MEASURES TO BE TAKEN IN THE HOT GUERRILLA WARS IN INDOCHINA AND MALAYA AND IN THE COLD WAR IN EUROPE.
NEITHER THE GERMAN SITUATION NOR THE FRENCH PROPOSAL FOR POOLING EUROPE'S COAL AND STEEL PRODUCTION CAME UP IN THE OPENING SESSION. THESE SUBJECTS ARE CONSIDERED TO BE MAJOR TOPICS OF THE CONFERENCE.
ONE OF THE PROBLEMS DISCUSSED WAS A TANGLE BETWEEN ECONOMIC AND DEFENSE CHIEFS OF THE ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS. THE ECONOMIC CHIEFS DECIDED AT A RECENT MEETING IN BRUSSELS THE EUROPEAN COUNTRIES CONCERNED COULD NOT POSSIBLY PAY FOR ALL THE ARMS THE MILITARY CHIEFS CONSIDERED NECESSARY.
TO RECONCILE THESE VIEWS, THE BIG THREE ARE EXPECTED TO RECOMMEND THAT A PERMANENT COMMITTEE BE SET UP TO TRIM THE DEMANDS OF THE MILITARY TO THE RESOURCES ON HAND.
IT IS EXPECTED THE EUROPEAN COUNTRIES, WHICH ARE RECEIVING $1,000,000,000 IN ARMS UNDER THE PACT, WILL CALL FOR MORE MILITARY HELP FROM THE UNITED STATES. ACHESON AGREED IN PARIS EARLY THIS WEEK TO SEND ADDITIONAL AMERICAN ARMS TO HELP THE FRENCH IN THEIR FIGHT AGAINST COMMUNIST-LED GUERRILLAS IN INDOCHINA.
PERSONS ATTACHED TO THE DELEGATIONS OF THE BIG THREE SAID THAT, WHILE REARMAMENT IS VITAL, IT CANNOT BE ALLOWED TO UNDERMINE THE ECONOMIC RECOVERY THUS FAR ACHIEVED IN EUROPE AT CONSIDERABLE COST.
NO FINAL DECISIONS ARE EXPECTED BEFORE SATURDAY.
ALTHOUGH TODAY'S MEETING DEALT ALMOST EXCLUSIVELY WITH DEFENSE AFFAIRS, THE MAIN INTEREST IN THE CONFERENCE STILL CENTERED ON THE FRENCH PROPOSAL TO MERGE GERMAN AND FRENCH STEEL AND COAL INTERESTS AND ASK THE REST OF EUROPE TO JOIN.

BRITISH PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE TOLD PARLIAMENT THAT BRITAIN WILL STUDY THE FRENCH PLAN "IN A SYMPATHETIC SPIRIT." HIS STATEMENT AVOIDED ANY BRITISH COMMITMENT. THE STATEMENT WAS NOT AS ENTHUSIASTIC AS THAT ACHESON ISSUED YESTERDAY, WHICH VIEWED THE IDEA BEHIND THE PLAN WITH "SYMPATHY AND APPROVAL." BRITAIN HAS NATIONALIZED HER COAL INDUSTRY AND IS TO TAKE OVER THE BRITISH STEEL INDUSTRY NEXT YEAR.
BUT ATTLEE SAID THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT "DESIRES TO MAKE IT CLEAR AT THE OUTSET THAT IT WELCOMES THIS FRENCH INITIATIVE TO END AN AGE-LONG FEUD WITH GERMANY AND SO BRING PEACE AND UNITY TO EUROPE."
CONSERVATIVE LEADER WINSTON CHURCHILL CALLED FOR AN EARLY PARLIAMENTARY DEBATE ON THE PLAN. ATTLEE AGREED TO HAVE ONE, BUT DID NOT SET A DATE FOR IT.
IF PARLIAMENT ACCEPTED THE FRENCH PROPOSAL, THE LABOR GOVERNMENT WOULD HAVE TO REVISE CONSIDERABLY ITS SOCIALIST PLANNING OF BRITAIN'S ECONOMIC LIFE. SOME OF THE CONTROLS IT EXERCISES WOULD HAVE TO BE GIVEN UP TO A HIGHER INTERNATIONAL AUTHORITY.
BEVIN PRESIDED OVER TODAY'S MEETING OF THE BIG THREE MINISTERS, BUT LEFT EARLY TO ATTEND A BRITISH CABINET MEETING. THE FRENCH PROPOSAL, ADVANCED IN PARIS BY SCHUMAN TUESDAY, MAY HAVE BEEN DISCUSSED THERE.

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SECOND LEAD BIG THREE
BY GLENN WILLIAMS
LONDON, MAY 11-(AP)-THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS, ENDING THE FIRST DAY OF A PORTENTOUS CONFERENCE, EXPRESSED DETERMINATION TODAY TO WORK FOR WORLD PEACE AND TO BUILD WESTERN DEFENSES STRONG ENOUGH TO INSURE IT.
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THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE ISSUED A STATEMENT AT THE END OF THEIR SESSION, SAYING THAT "THESE MEETINGS, WHICH WILL LAST THREE DAYS, ARE DIRECTED TOWARD STRENGTHENING BY ALL APPROPRIATE MEANS THE STRUCTURE OF THE PEACE."
TO DO THIS, THE STATEMENT SAID, WILL REQUIRE "RENEWED EFFORTS OF COOPERATION IN ALL FIELDS, PARTICULARLY IN THE BUILDING UP OF AN EFFECTIVE DEFENSE THROUGH THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY AND THE STRENGTHENING OF THE ECONOMIC FOUNDATION OF THE WESTERN POWERS TO SUPPORT THESE EFFORTS."
AS THE CONFERENCE BEGAN ON COORDINATED WESTERN COLD WAR POLICY, THERE WERE INDICATIONS THAT BRITAIN HAD WARMED UP TO FRANCE'S PLAN FOR POOLING MUCH OF EUROPE'S COAL AND STEEL RESOURCES, A PLAN WHICH THE UNITED STATES ALREADY HAD ENDORSED IN PRINCIPLE, IF NOT IN DETAIL.
DIPLOMATIC INFORMANTS SAID THE SESSION WAS DEVOTED TO A REVIEW OF OUTSTANDING PROBLEMS OVER A VAST PORTION OF THE WORLD. THE QUESTION OF GERMANY WAS NOT TAKEN UP, BUT PROBABLY WILL BE REVIEWED TOMORROW.
THESE SOURCES SAID ALL THREE MINISTERS RECOGNIZED THAT THE CHIEF TASK BEFORE THEM NOW AND IN NEXT WEEK'S MEETING OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC COUNCIL WILL BE TO MOVE TOWARD PLANNING FOR AN INTEGRATED DEFENSE WHICH WILL NOT INTERFERE WITH THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL PROGRESS ALREADY ACHIEVED.
IT WAS UNDERSTOOD THAT THE FRENCH PLAN FOR POOLING COAL AND STEEL RESOURCES WAS NOT DISCUSSED TODAY, ALTHOUGH IT IS EXPECTED TO COME UP DURING THIS SESSION.

U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON ALREADY HAS GIVEN HIS "SYMPATHY AND APPROVAL" TO THE IDEA BEHIND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN'S PROPOSAL.
THE BRITISH, WHO RECEIVED THE PLAN WITH ASTONISHMENT AND RESERVE, WOULD SAY NOTHING ABOUT IT AT FIRST EXCEPT THAT IT WOULD BE STUDIED. SOON AFTER ACHESON'S IMPLIED APPROVAL, HOWEVER, A BRITISH FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMAN SAID BRITAIN REGARDED SCHUMAN'S PROPOSAL AS MOST IMPORTANT. HE SAID BRITAIN LONG HAD BEEN ANXIOUS TO FIND A SOLUTION TO THE AGE-LONG FEUD BETWEEN GERMANY AND FRANCE. THE PLAN IS INTENDED TO DO JUST THAT.
THE DAILY HERALD, NEWSPAPER OF THE LABOR MOVEMENT, WHICH OFTEN REFLECTS LABOR GOVERNMENT POLICY, WELCOMED THE FRENCH PLAN'S INTENT TODAY. THIS IS ABOUT AS FAR AS ACHESON HAD GONE.
ACHESON, SCHUMAN AND BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY BEVIN MET FOR TWO HOURS AT LANCASTER HOUSE TO PLAN THEIR GLOBAL STRATEGY TO STEM THE SPREAD OF COMMUNISM AND AT THE SAME TIME KEEP THE COLD WAR FROM FLAMING INTO A HOT ONE. THEY WERE EXPECTED TO CONSIDER THE FRENCH COAL-AND-STEEL PLAN, SCHUMAN WAS EXPECTED TO EXPLAIN IT TO THE OTHER TWO FOREIGN MINISTERS.
BRITISH FOREIGN OFFICE SOURCES INDICATE ALMOST EVERY BRANCH OF THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT SOON WILL BE INVOLVED IN A DEEP STUDY OF THE FRENCH

PLAN TO POOL GERMAN AND FRENCH COAL AND STEEL AND INVITE ANY OTHER NATIONS WHO WISH TO JOIN.

BRITISH COAL IS STATE-OWNED. ITS STEEL INDUSTRY HAS BEEN NATIONALIZED BUT HAS NOT YET BEEN TAKEN OVER BY THE GOVERNMENT.

"I WOULD EMPHASIZE," SAID A SPOKESMAN FOR BEVIN, "THE IMPORTANCE OF THE PROPOSALS AT THIS MOMENT WHEN THE WHOLE PROBLEM OF EUROPE AND THE ATLANTIC COMMUNITY IS UNDER CONSIDERATION."

IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE SAID BRITAIN WILL STUDY THE PLAN "IN A SYMPATHETIC SPIRIT." HE SAID THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT "DESIRES TO MAKE IT CLEAR AT THE OUTSET THAT IT WELCOMES THIS FRENCH INITIATIVE TO END AN AGE-LONG FEUD WITH GERMANY AND SO BRING PEACE AND UNITY TO EUROPE."

"IT IS THE DECLARED POLICY OF THE WESTERN POWERS TO PROMOTE THE ENTRY OF GERMANY AS A FREE MEMBER INTO THE COMITY OF EUROPEAN NATIONS," ATTLEE SAID.

"THE FRENCH PROPOSALS ARE DESIGNED TO FACILITATE THAT PROCESS AND MUST CONSEQUENTLY BE REGARDED AS A NOTABLE CONTRIBUTION TOWARDS A SOLUTION OF A MAJOR EUROPEAN PROBLEM.

"THE PROPOSALS ALSO HAVE FAR-REACHING IMPLICATIONS FOR THE FUTURE ECONOMIC STRUCTURE OF PARTICIPATING COUNTRIES, AND THIS ASPECT WILL REQUIRE VERY CAREFUL STUDY BY HIS MAJESTY'S GOVERNMENT."

WINSTON CHURCHILL CALLED FOR EARLY PARLIAMENTARY DEBATE ON THE PLAN. ATTLEE AGREED. BUT DID NOT SET A DATE.

WITH AN APPEAL FROM U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON TO SACRIFICE SOME NATIONAL INTERESTS TO AVOID WAR, THE MINISTERS SEEK AGREEMENT ON PLANS TO WREST INITIATIVE IN THE EAST-WEST CONFLICT FROM THE RUSSIANS.

ALMOST THREE WEEKS OF INTENSIVE PREPARATION BY AMBASSADORRS AND EXPERTS PRECEDED THE MEETING OF ACHESON, BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN.

WHILE THOSE TALKS WERE VARIOUSLY DESCRIBED AS "USEFUL" AND "SATISFACTORY" THE MAJOR HOPE OF SUCCESS COMES FROM THE DRAMATICALLY SUDDEN FRENCH PROPOSAL TO POOL COAL AND STEEL RESOURCES WITH GERMANY AND ANY OTHER NATIONS THAT MAY WISH TO JOIN THE COMBINE.

THIS PLAN COULD SETTLE THE NUMBER ONE PROBLEM OF WESTERN STRATEGY BY FORGING A STRONG LINK BETWEEN GERMANY AND THE WEST.

IT DREW FROM ACHESON A STATEMENT THAT THE "SIGNIFICANCE AND FAR REACHING INTENT" OF THE PROPOSAL HAD HIS SYMPATHY AND APPROVAL. BUT HE WITHHELD JUDGMENT ON THE PLAN ITSELF PENDING A STUDY OF DETAILS.

IN A SPEECH TO THE PILGRIMS' SOCIETY LAST NIGHT ACHESON CALLED FOR THE RETURN OF GERMANY TO "THE FAMILY OF WESTERN CIVILIZATION."

HE SAID ALSO THAT THE UNITED STATES AND WESTERN EUROPE MUST SACRIFICE SOME "PURELY NATIONAL INTERESTS" TO AVOID A NEW WAR.

"THE GERMANS THEMSELVES" HE ASSERTED, "MUST BE PREPARED TO ACCEPT THEIR FULL MEASURE OF RESPONSIBILITIES AND THE FULL MEASURE OF WHAT MAY APPEAR TO THEM AS RISKS" AS THEY RETURN TO THE WESTERN COMMUNITY.

UNTIL THE SCHUMAN PROPOSAL WAS MADE THE AMERICANS HAD BEEN SEARCHING FOR A SPECIFIC PLAN TO TIE GERMANY TO THE WEST. THEY FELT THE FORMER REICH'S MEMBERSHIP IN THE MARSHALL PLAN ECONOMIC COMMITTEES WAS NOT ENOUGH AND MEMBERSHIP IN THE NORTH ATLANTIC PACT WITH ITS MILITARY BASIS, WOULD BE TOO MUCH.

SCHUMAN OPENED ANOTHER ROAD.

DESPITE ACHESON'S STATEMENT AND THE EQUALLY WARM RECEPTION BY WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER THERE MAY BE A ROAD BLOCK AHEAD.

THE BRITISH ARE MOVING CAUTIOUSLY IN ASSESSING THE PLAN. AS ONE OF THE OCCUPATION POWERS. THEIR APPROVAL WOULD BE NECESSARY.

THERE WERE INDICATIONS TODAY THEY MIGHT ASK FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF A COMMISSION TO STUDY THE PROPOSAL. ONE BRITISH DIPLOMATIC SOURCE SAID ACHESON AND FOREIGN SECRETARY BEVIN HAD EXCHANGED VIEWS ON THE PROPOSAL YESTERDAY WITHOUT DISCUSSING IT IN SUBSTANCE.

SCHUMAN IS EXPECTED TO PRESS FOR FORMAL ENDORSEMENT OF HIS PLAN BY THE BIG THREE.

WHEN HE ARRIVED IN LONDON LAST NIGHT, SCHUMAN SAID "I HOPE THE WORK THAT WE ARE GOING TO DO WILL OFFER TO THE WHOLE OF EUROPE THAT COOPERATION WHICH WE WANT, INCLUDING THAT WITH GERMANY."

THE AMERICAN VIEW OF THE POSSIBLE OUTCOME OF THE CONFERENCE WAS CONSIDERABLY BRIGHTENED BY WHAT WAS REGARDED AS A MAJOR AND CONSTRUCTIVE EFFORT TO SOLVE THE PROBLEM OF NATIONALISM WHICH HAS DIVIDED EUROPE FOR CENTURIES.

THE POOLING OF FRENCH AND GERMAN COAL AND IRON RESOURCES MIGHT END THE FLURRIES OF DISTRUST SUCH AS OCCURRED RECENTLY OVER THE SAAR BASIN WHEN THE GERMANS CHARGED THE FRENCH WERE INCORPORATING THE AREA.

IF THE GERMAN PROBLEM CAN BE SOLVED, THE REST OF THE TASK OF CREATING A UNIFIED WESTERN POLICY WOULD BE EASED, DIPLOMATIC OBSERVERS BELIEVE.

THE UNITED STATES ALREADY HAS PROMISED TO THROW ARMS AND MONEY INTO THE HOTTEST AREA OF ANTI-COMMUNIST CONFLICT--INDOCHINA.

THE BRITISH HAVE NOT ASKED MILITARY AID FOR MALAYA FEELING THAT THEY CAN BEAT THE COMMUNISTS IN THE FIELD THERE UNAIDED.

WHILE THE BIG THREE DISCUSSIONS WILL CENTER OF GERMANY AND SOUTHEAST ASIA, THEY WILL ALSO COVER CHINA, JAPAN, THE MIDDLE EAST AND OTHER POINTS IN EUROPE.

AT BOTH THESE MEETINGS AND NEXT WEEK'S SESSION OF FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE 12 ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS, THE UNITED STATES IS EXPECTED TO TRY TO FOCUS ATTENTION ON THE NEED FOR PROMPT ACTION TO SPEED MILITARY PREPARATIONS FOR DEFENSE.

ONE SPECIFIC PROPOSAL THAT MAY BE BROUGHT UP IS THE SUGGESTION MADE BY GEN. OMAR BRADLEY, CHAIRMAN OF THE U.S. JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFFS, THAT THE PACT COUNTRIES MIGHT SPECIALIZE IN SPECIFIC TYPES OF ARMAMENT.

COMMUNISTS LAST NIGHT PICKETED THE SAVOY HOTEL, WHERE ACHESON MADE HIS SPEECH.

MEMBERS OF THE YOUNG COMMUNIST YOUTH LEAGUE PARADED IN FRONT OF THE HOTEL WITH BANNERS READING "REFUSE TO DIE FOR THE YANKEE BANKERS" AND "ACHESON CLEAR OUT!"

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LONDON, MAY 11-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES EMBASSY IN PRAGUE, BOWING TO REITERATED CZECH DEMANDS, AGREED TODAY TO SLASH ITS STAFF BY TWO-THIRDS, REPORTS REACHING LONDON SAID.

THE CZECHS LAST NIGHT, IN A CONVERSATION WITH AMBASSADOR ELLIS O. BRIGGS, REPEATED THEIR APRIL 28 DEMANDS FOR THE AMERICNAS TO TRIM THEIR STAFF.

EMBASSY SOURCES SAID THE CZECH GOVERNMENT WARNED THAT IT COULD NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE SAFETY OF SURPLUS AMERICAN EMBASSY PERSONNEL WHO DID NOT LEAVE THE COUNTRY BY SUNDAY.

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A192

PRECEDE LONDON (180)

PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, MAY 11-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES EMBASSY SAID TODAY IT HAD AGREED TO SLASH ITS PERSONNEL BY TWO-THIRDS AS REQUESTED

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BY THE CZECH GOVERNMENT.
U.S. AMBASSADOR ELLIS O.BRIGGS TOLD NEWSMEN THAT THE CZECH GOVERNMENT LAST NIGHT RENEWED ITS DEMAND OF APRIL 28 THAT THE STAFF BE REDUCED.
THE ORIGINAL REQUEST WAS MADE SOON AFTER THE TRIAL OF SIX EMBASSY EMPLOYES ON CHARGES OF ESPIONAGE.
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ADVICES RECEIVED IN LONDON QUOTED EMBASSY SOURCES AS SAYING THE CZECH GOVERNMENT HAD WARNED IT COULD NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE SAFETY OF "SURPLUS" EMBASSY PERSONNEL WHO DID NOT LEAVE THE COUNTRY BY SUNDAY.
ABOUT 30 EMBASSY PEOPLE WILL LEAVE THE COUNTRY BY SATURDAY NIGHT. THIS WILL LEAVE A STAFF OF 15 AMERICANS HEADED BY AMBASSADOR BRIGGS. THOSE WHO WILL REMAIN INCLUDE POLITICAL ADVISER JAMES K. PENFIELD, TWO AIR ATTACHES, FIVE OFFICE EMPLOYES, TWO POLITICAL OFFICERS AND TWO AIR CREW MEMBERS.
THE CZECH GOVERNMENT IN VERBAL COMMUNICATION WITH BRIGGS LAST NIGHT INSISTED THE REDUCTION BE COMPLETED BY MIDNIGHT SATURDAY. IT ASKED THAT UNMARRIED PERSONNEL LEAVE BY MIDNIGHT FRIDAY AND THE MARRIED PERSONNEL BY MIDNIGHT SATURDAY.
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A58
NIGHT LEAD EMBASSY (300)
PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, MAY 11-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES AGREED TODAY TO CZECHOSLOVAK DEMANDS THAT ITS EMBASSY STAFF IN PRAGUE BE CUT BY TWO-THIRDS.
U.S. AMBASSADOR ELLIS O. BRIGGS MADE THE ANNOUNCEMENT AT A NEWS CONFERENCE. HE SAID THE CZECH FOREIGN MINISTRY LAST NIGHT REPEATED ORALLY THE DEMANDS FOR THE REDUCTION IT ORIGINALLY MADE IN A NOTE APRIL 28.
THE NOTE HAD CHARGED EMBASSY OFFICIALS WITH ORGANIZING AND DIRECTING ESPIONAGE IN THE COUNTRY AND DECLARED THAT THE NUMBER OF AMERICAN EMPLOYES WAS HARMFUL TO U.S.-CZECH RELATIONS.
(ABOUT 30 ARE TO LEAVE THE COUNTRY BY SATURDAY NIGHT, ADVICES TO LONDON SAID. THIS WILL LEAVE A STAFF OF 15, HEADED BY AMBASSADOR BRIGGS. THE LONDON ADVICES SAID THE COMMUNIST CZECHOSLOVAK REGIME HAD WARNED THAT IT COULD NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE SAFETY OF "SURPLUS" EMBASSY PERSONNEL WHO DID NOT DEPART BY SUNDAY. THE EMBASSY WAS REPORTED TO BE IN A FLURRY OF PACKING. THE U.S. GOVERNMENT HOWEVER, HAS DENIED THE REPEATED CZECH CHARGES THAT AMERICAN OFFICIALS ORGANIZED SPY RINGS IN THAT COUNTRY.)
THE FOREIGN MINISTRY FIRST MADE ITS DEMAND SHORTLY AFTER THE SPY TRIAL OF SIX CZECHS. THE DEFENDANTS, ALL OF WHOM WERE SENTENCED TO PRISON, NAMED FOUR EMBASSY OFFICIALS AS HAVING ORGANIZED AND AIDED SPIES.

AFTER THE TRIAL THE GOVERNMENT CLOSED DOWN THE OFFICES, LIBRARIES AND INFORMATION CENTERS OF THE U.S. INFORMATION SERVICE IN PRAGUE AND BRATISLAVA. IN RETALIATION, THE UNITED STATES ORDERED THE CZECH CONSULATE IN CHICAGO CLOSED.
REPETITION OF THE CZECH DEMAND LAST NIGHT FOLLOWED SLOVAK PRESS REPORTS YESTERDAY THAT VERKOSLAV LUTSKY, A CZECH CITIZEN, WAS SENTENCED TO DEATH ON CHARGES OF WORKING FOR AN AMERICAN-DIRECTED SPY RING. TWO CZECHS, INCLUDING A PRIEST, WERE REPORTED SENTENCED TO LIFE IMPRISONMENT IN THE SAME TRIAL, AND 21 OTHERS WERE GIVEN LESSER PRISON TERMS.
THE APRIL 28 NOTE ALSO DEMANDED A REDUCTION IN THE AMERICAN PERSONNEL OF THE U.S. CONSULATE-GENERAL IN BRATISLAVA.
(THE REPORT FROM PRAGUE TODAY DID NOT SAY SPECIFICALLY WHETHER THE UNITED STATES INTENDS TO COMPLY SIMILARLY WITH THE DEMANDS TO CUT THE BRATISLAVA STAFF.)
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FOLLOW PRAGUE
WASHINGTON,MAY 11-(AP)-THE STATE DEPARTMENT HINTED TODAY IT WOULD RETALIATE AGAINST THE CZECH COMMUNIST REGIME FOR DEMANDING A TWO-THIRD REDUCTION IN THE STAFF OF THE AMERICAN EMBASSY AT PRAGUE.
"THE ACTION OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT WITH REGARD TO THIS EXTRAORDINARY PROCEDURE ON THE PART OF THE CZECH GOVERNMENT WILL BE MADE KNOWN SHORTLY," A DEPARTMENT STATEMENT SAID.
OFFICIALS REFUSED TO AMPLIFY.
THEY SAID THEY HAD NO CONFIRMATION OF DISPATCHES FROM PRAGUE WHICH SAID THE CZECH GOVERNMENT HAD SET SUNDAY AS THE DEADLINE FOR DEPARTURE OF "SURPLUS" AMERICAN PERSONEL. THE LAST WORD THE DEPARTMENT HAD, THEY SAID, WAS THAT THE DEADLINE WAS MAY 17.
THE DEPARTMENT'S STATEMENT DID NOT MENTION WHETHER THE UNITED STATES WOULD COMPLY WITH THE CZECH DEMAND. BUT IT WAS BELIEVED THAT THE U.S. HAD NO ALTERNATIVE.
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BY DONALD B. SCHWIND
LONDON, MAY 11-(AP)-THE TWO-WEEK-OLD COMMONWEALTH CONFERENCE ON THE JAPANESE PEACE TREATY MOVED INTO THE SIDELINES POSITION TODAY AS THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS TACKLED PROBLEMS THAT INCLUDED SOUTH-EAST ASIAN COLD WAR STRATEGY.
THE COMMONWEALTH TALKS, WHICH HAD BEEN HELD DAILY AT THE BRITISH CABINET OFFICES, ARE EXPECTED TO END LATE NEXT WEEK, ACCORDING TO AN AUSTRALIAN IINFORMANT.
THE TALKS HAVE BEEN FORMULATING THE COMMONWEALTH APPROACH TO THE FAR EAST PROBLEMS IN READINESS FOR THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTER'S SESSION. THIS VIEW WILL BE PUT BEFORE THE BIG THREE SPOKESMEN, IT WAS ADDED, AS SOON AS THE THREE-POWER AGENDA TURNS TO THE PACIFIC.
MEANWHILE, THE COMMONWEALTH CONFERENCES WILL CONTINUE "THRASHING OUT OUR IDEAS AND SEEING JUST WHERE EVERYBODY STANDS," THE AUSTRALIAN SOURCE SAID.
THE OBJECTIVE, HE ADDED, IS TO HELP BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN PRESENT A UNIFIED COMMONWEALTH APPROACH TO THE JAPANESE PROBLEM WHEN THE QUESTION REACHES THE AGENDA. THE VIEWS, AS FORMULATED SO FAR, TAKE A LONG STEP IN THAT DIRECTION, IT WAS INDICATED.
THE MAJOR ASPECT OF THE COMMONWEALTH TALKS CONCERN WHETHER TO GO AHEAD WITH THE JAPANESE TREATY, EVEN IF RUSSIA REFUSES TO SIT IN ON THE PEACE CONFERENCE. THE RUSSIANS WANT THE TREATY DRAFTED BY THE COUNCIL OF FOREIGN MINISTERS AND RED CHINA.
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A140 (200)
LONDON, MAY 11-(AP)-BRITAIN'S DECISION TO LET AMERICA'S FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION QUESTION CONVICTED ATOMIC SPY KLAUS FUCHS IS WITHOUT KNOWN PRECEDENT IN THIS COUNTRY.
HOME SECRETARY JAMES CHUTER EDE CONCEDED THIS TONIGHT IN A WRITTEN STATEMENT IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS.
THE GOVERNMENT RENTLY DISCLOSED IT HAD TOLD THE F.B.I. IT COULD SEND AGENTS TO INTERVIEW FUCHS, A TOP BRITISH ATOMIC EXPERT SENTENCED TO 14 YEARS IN PRISON ON MARCH 1 FOR GIVING SECRETS TO RUSSIA.

A LABOR MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT, RAYMOND BLACKBURN, ASKED EDE ABOUT THIS DECISION.

"I AM NOT AWARE OF ANY PRECEDENT FOR SUCH A VISIT," EDE SAID. "THE U.S. GOVERNMENT, HOWEVER, MADE A RQUEST THAT A REPRESENTATIVE SHOULD BE ALLOWED TO VISIT FUCHS AND IN THE EXCEPTIONAL CIRCUMSTANCES OF THIS CASE, THE REQUEST HAS BEEN GRANTED."

FUCHS HAD SPENT SOME MONTHS IN THE UNITED STATES ON OFFICIAL MISSIONS IN CONNECTION WITH THE ATOMIC ENERGY PROGRAM DURING THE WAR AND IN 1946.

PRIME MINISTER CLEMENT ATTLEE, REPLYING TO ANOTHER QUESTION FROM CONSERVATIVE NIGEL DAVIES, SAID NOBODY HAD REASON TO SUSPECT FUCHS WAS A COMMUNIST "EXCEPT FOR A VAGUE ALLEGATION BY THE NAZIS A GREAT MANY YEARS BEFORE."

FUCHS CAME TO BRITAIN AS AN ANTI-NAZI REFUGEE IN THE EARLY 1930'S. HE PASSED SEVERAL GOVERNMENT SECURITY CHECKS. IN A CONFESSION INTRODUCED AT HIS TRIAL HE ADMITTED HE WAS A COMMUNIST.

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LONDON, MAY 11-(AP)-THE CHINESE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT HAS PROTESTED TO GREAT BRITAIN AGAINST THE "UNREASONABLE AND UNFRIENDLY" ACTION OF HONG KONG AUTHORITIES IN RESTRICTING IMMIGRATION INTO THE CROWN COLONY.

CHINESE COMING FROM THE MAINLAND MUST NOW PRODUCE "VALID TRAVEL DOCUMENTS" TO GAIN ENTRY. PREVIOUSLY THEY WERE ABLE TO ENTER HONG KONG FREELY UNDER A GENTLEMEN'S AGREEMENT.

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LONDON, MAY 11-(AP)-ALBANIA PROTESTED TO THE UNITED NATIONS TODAY AGAINST THE "CONTINUOUS HOSTILE AND AGGRESSIVE POLICY OF THE GREEK GOVERNMENT" TOWARD THE COMMUNIST DOMINATED TIRANA REGIME.

THE PROTEST LISTED NINE AIR AND TWO LAND INCIDENTS "DIRECTED AGAINST THE TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY AND SOVEREIGNTY OF THE ALBANIAN REPUBLIC." IT SAID THE "PROVOCATIONS" OCCURRED BETWEEN MARCH 27 AND APRIL 24 OF THIS YEAR.

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LONDON, MAY 11-(AP)-A BRITISH INDUSTRIALIST SAID TODAY JAPAN'S REENTRY INTO WORLD MARKETS WOULD BRING COMMUNISM TO BRITAIN.

A.H. CROWTHER, LANCASTER TEXTILE EXECUTIVE, ALSO TOLD THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE ASSOCIATION OF BRITISH CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE THE BRITISH TEXTILE INDUSTRY WAS BEING THREATENED BY JAPAN.

HE SAID THE LANCASHIRE MILLS WERE ENTITLED TO "SOME PROTECTION FROM THE EXTREMELY LOW STANDARDS IN JAPANESE WAGES."

"MY SUBMISSION IS THAT IF WE ARE TO ALLOW JAPAN FREE ENTRY INTO THE WORLD'S MARKETS AGAIN WE SHALL BRING COMMUNISM INTO THIS COUNTRY."

ANOTHER CHAMBER OF COMMERCE LEADER, A.R.BRETHERICK, TOLD THE CONFERENCE THAT BRITAIN COULD NOT POSSIBLY COMPETE WITH JAPAN IN THE TEXTILE FIELD.

"IN JAPAN," HE SAID, "THE TEXTILE INDUSTRY IS WORKING ALMOST AT FULL CAPACITY AND FOR A SIX-DAY WEEK THE OPERATIVES ARE PAID 36 SHILLINGS ($5.04).

"IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO COMPETE AGAINST THAT AND IT IS NO GOOD SAYING THAT THEIR PRODUCTS ARE NOT AS GOOD AS OURS," HE ADDED.

BRITAIN IS NOW ONLY ONE OF THE WORLD'S WORKSHOPS, BRETHERICK SAID.

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NIGHT LEAD EXPORTS

BY CARTER L.DAVIDSON

PARIS, MAY 11-(AP)-WESTERN EUROPEAN NATIONS AGREED TODAY TO EASE THE FLOW OF MONEY ACROSS THEIR BORDERS IN AN EFFORT TO IMPROVE TRADE.

THE 18 AREAS IN THE MARSHALL PLAN, HEEDING AN AMERICAN SUGGESTION, REMOVED RESTRICTIONS ON A LONG LIST OF "INVISIBLE EXPORTS," WHICH INCLUI INSURANCE, LOANS, PROFESSIONAL SERVICES, TOURISM, EXCHANGE OF MONEY BETWEEN RELATIVES IN DIFFERENT COUNTRIES, TRANSPORTATION AND OTHER BUSINESS WHICH DOES NOT INVOLVE ACTUAL SHIPMENT OF GOODS.

THE MOVE TAKES GOVERNMENT HANDS COMPLETELY OFF MANY INTERNATIONAL TRANSACTIONS WHICH HAVE BEEN RIGIDLY CONTROLLED. IT LOOSENS THE GOVERNMENT GRIP ON OTHER BUSINESS.

THE DECISION WAS ANNOUNCED BY THE ORGANIZATION FOR EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COOPERATION (OEEC), WHICH SAID ITS EXPERTS HAD BEEN WORKING ON THE LIBERALIZATION PLAN FOR MONTHS.

IT MEANS THE FREER MOVEMENT OF SERVICES WITHOUT BORDER OR CUSTOMS RESTRICTIONS.

TOURISM, ONE OF EUROPE'S BIGGEST BUSINESSES, WAS PUT IN A CATEGORY OF OPERATIONS "WHICH MEMBERS COUNTRIES SHALL IN THE FUTURE DEAL WITH IN AS LIBERAL A MANNER AS POSSIBLE."

THE OEEC EXPERTS RECOMMENDED THAT THOSE COUNTRIES STILL LIMITING THE AMOUNT OF MONEY THEIR CITIZENS CAN TAKE ON A VACATION TOUR--SUCH AS BRITAIN'S £50 ($140)--SHOULD RAISE THE ANNUAL LIMITS AT LEAST TO $150 A PERSON.

THE DECISION FREES FROM GOVERNMENT CONTROLS MOST SHIPPING TRANSACTIONS, BOTH CONTRACTS FOR SERVICES AND PAYMENTS FOR SERVICES RENDERED. THESE INCLUDE THE CHARTERING OF BOATS IN INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL, HARBOR EXPENSES FOR FOREIGN SHIPS, PROVISIONING OF SHIPS, REPAIRS OF EQUIPMENT AND WAREHOUSE SERVICES.

ALL CHARGES, THEREFORE, FOR MARITIME SERVICES WILL BE STRICTLY PRIVATE ENTERPRISE AND NOT SUBJECT TO GOVERNMENT REGULATION.

ECONOMIC EXPERTS OF THE OEEC AND THE MARSHALL PLAN DECLINED TO SPECULATE ON WHAT THE IMMEDIATE EFFECT OF THE DECISION WILL BE, ALTHOUGH BOTH TERMED THE MOVE "OF GREAT IMPORTANCE."

THE WEST GERMAN REPUBLIC, STILL UNDER CONTROL OF AN ALLIED OCCUPATION STATUTE WHICH GOVERNS THE MOVEMENT OF GERMAN CAPITAL, WAS MADE A SPECIAL CASE AND EXCLUDED FROM PART OF THE DECISIONS.

THE OEEC SAID THE LIBERALIZATION MEASURES WILL BE REVIEWED SEPT. 30 "SO THAT LIMITATIONS AND DIFFICULTIES WHICH STILL REMAIN MAY BE PROGRESSIVELY REMOVED."

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NIGHT LEAD COMMUNISTS

LUCCA, ITALY, MAY 11-(AP)-PRISON TERMS UP TO 28 YEARS TODAY WERE GIVEN 116 COMMUNISTS CONVICTED OF VIOLENCE IN RIOTING THAT FOLLOWED AN ATTEMPT ON THE LIFE OF COMMUNIST LEADER PALMIRO TOGLIATTI JULY 14, 1948.

SENTENCING OF THE COMMUNISTS, WHO RIOTED FOR THREE DAYS AS TOGLIATTI LAY NEAR DEATH, CLIMAXED THE LARGEST AND LONGEST MASS TRIAL OF COMMUNISTS IN POSTWAR ITALIAN RECORDS.

A SICILIAN STUDENT, ANTONIO PALLANTE, SHOT TOGLIATTI AT CLOSE

RANGE IN ROME AS THE COMMUNIST CHIEF LEFT THE CHAMBER OF DEPUTIES. TOGLIATTI RECOVERED. PALLANTE, TRIED LAST SUMMER, RECEIVED A SENTENCE OF 13 YEARS AND EIGHT MONTHS IN PRISON. HE SAID HE TRIED TO KILL TOGLIATTI "FOR THE HEALTH OF ITALY."

THE TRIBUNAL TODAY HANDED DOWN ITS VERDICT AFTER 21 HOURS DELIBERATION. IT GAVE THE HEAVIEST SENTENCE, 28 YEARS, TO LUGI FORTI, CHARGED WITH KILLING A POLICEMAN. TERMS OF THE OTHERS RANGED FROM FOUR MONTHS TO 15 YEARS.

THE COURT LASTED 82 DAYS. IN ALL, 340 WITNESSES WERE HEARD, WHILE 31 LAWYERS REPRESENTED THE DEFENDANTS.

THE COMMUNISTS WERE ARRETED AT DEMONSTRATIONS THROUGHOUT ITALY IN THE DAYS THAT FOLLOWED THE ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION.

AT ABBADIA SAN SALVATORE--A TOWN OF 6,000--THE COMMUNISTS STAGED A VIRTUAL UPRISING. ITALIAN ARTILLERYMEN WERE CALLED OUT TO PROTECT COMMUNICATION LINES AND SUBDUE THE MOBS WHICH TRIED TO CUT THE. THE RIOTERS ATTACKED A TELEPHONE STATION, CAPTURED A POLICEMAN GUARDING IT AND SHOT HIM.

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A162

ROME, MAY 11-(AP)-ABOUT 5,000 FARMHANDS TODAY OCCUPIED LARGE STRETCHES OF PRIVATELY OWNED LAND NEAR FERRARA, THE ITALIAN NEWS AGENCY ANSA REPORTED.

FERRARA, IN THE LOW REACHES OF THE PO RIVER, IS ONE OF THE MOST FERTILE REGIONS OF ITALY. ANSA SAID THE LANDS OCCUPIED TODAY WERE PART OF BIG ESTATES MOSTLY NEAR THE TOWN OF SAN GIOVANNI IN SOTELLATO.

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ROME, MAY 11-(AP)-YUGOSLAV AUTHORITIES HAVE RENEWED THEIR TRAFFIC BLACKADE BETWEEN THE YUGOSLAV AND ANGLO-AMERICAN ZONES OF TRIESTE FREE TERRITORY, THE INDEPENDENT NEWSPAPER IL GIORNALE D'ITALIA SAID TODAY.

A DISPATCH FROM TRIESTE SAID TRAVELERS ATTEMPTING TO ENTER THE YUGOSLAV ZONE FROM THE ANGLO-AMERICAN ZONE HAD BEEN TURNED BACK BY MEMBERS OF THE YUGOSLAVS.

A 10-DAY BLOCKADE WAS LIFTED TWO DAYS AGO BUT WAS REIMPOSED A FEW HOURS LATER, THE PAPER SAID.

YUGOSLAVIA HAS GIVEN NO EXPLANATION. THE ITALIAN PRESS CHARGES THE BLOCKADE IS A STEP TOWARD FORMAL ANNEXATION BY YUGOSLAVIA OF ITS OCCUPATION ZONE.

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LUCCA, ITALY, MAY 11-(AP)-ONE OF THE LONGEST CRIMINAL TRIALS IN ITALY'S HISTORY ENDED HERE TODAY WITH THE SENTENCING TO PRISON OF 116 COMMUNISTS. THEY WERE CONVICTED OF VIOLENCE DURING RIOTS AFTER THE ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT TWO YEARS AGO ON ITALIAN COMMUNIST CHIEFTAIN PALMIRO TOGLIATTI.

SENTENCES RANGING FROM 28 YEARS TO FOUR MONTHS WERE HANDED DOWN AFTER THE TRIBUNAL HAD DELIBERATED FOR 21 HOURS.

LUIGI FORTI, CHARGED WITH THE DEATH OF A POLICEMAN, DREW THE 28-YEAR SENTENCE. TWO OTHER DEFENDANTS WERE SENTENCED TO 14 AND 15 YEARS AND THE REMAINDER TO TERMS OF FROM FOUR MONTHS TO SEVEN YEARS.

IN ALL 127 DEFENDANTS FIGURED IN THE CASE. THE COURT WAS IN SESSION FOR A TOTAL OF 670 HOURS, DURING 82 DAYS. IT HEARD 340 WITNESSES AND 31 ATTORNEYS, INCLUDING 10 SENATORS AND DEPUTIES REPRESENTING THE DEFENDANTS.

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NAPLES, ITALY, MAY 11-(AP)-SABOTEURS OR THIEVES CUT TELEPHONE COMMUNICATIONS BETWEEN NAPLES POLICE HEADQUARTERS AND A SHIP CARRYING AMERICAN ARMS AID DURING UNLOADING OPERATIONS TODAY. THEY MADE OFF WITH 1,300 FEET OF TELEPHONE WIRE.

THE UNLOADING WAS COMPLETED TONIGHT. THE SHIP, THE 10,448-TON ITALIAN FREIGHTER ANDREA COSTA, ARRIVED YESTERDAY WITH THE THIRD CONSIGNMENT OF ARMS FOR ITALY'S MILITARY FORCES.

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A130 (300)

VATICAN CITY, MAY 11-(AP)-THE VATICAN RADIO CHARGED TODAY THAT SOVIET FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI Y. VISHINSKY PLOTTED WITH CZECHOSLOVAK COMMUNIST LEADERS TO BRING ABOUT THE COMPLETE DESTRUCTION OF THE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

THE BROADCAST SAID THAT MOSCOW STILL IS THE DRIVING POWER BEHIND THE PRAGUE REGIME'S CAMPAIGN AGAINST THE CHURCH.

VISHINSKY, THE BROADCAST SAID, WAS AMONG SOVIET FUNCTIONARIES WHO ATTENDED A SECRET MEETING IN KARLSBAD TO PLOT AGAINST THE CHURCH. THE BROADCAST DID NOT SAY WHEN THIS MEETING WAS SUPPOSED TO HAVE BEEN HELD, BUT VISHINSKY WAS IN KARLSBAD IN JANUARY, 1949, OSTENSIBLY TO MEND HIS HEALTH AT THAT SPA.

THE PLOT, SAID THE BROADCASTER, WAS DEVELOPED AROUND A SO-CALLED "CATHOLIC ACTION" GROUP WHICH WAS SPONSORED BY THE PRAGUE COMMUNIST REGIME. THIS GROUP HAS BEEN CONDEMNED BY THE VATICAN.

THE RADIO SPEAKER SAID THIS GROUP WAS FORMED TO CREATE A SCHISM WITHIN THE CHURCH IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND HASTEN ITS DESTRUCTION.

THE BROADCAST GAVE THIS PICTURE OF THE CONTINUING DRIVE IN THE COMMUNIST-RULED COUNTRY:

REPORTS FROM SLOVAKIA SAY THAT "THE MAJORITY OF MONKS AND FRIARS IS TAKEN AWAY FROM MONASTERIES AND GROUPED IN SO-CALLED CONCENTRATION MONASTERIES, WHERE THEY ARE SUBMITTED TO PRESSURE TO ABANDON THE ROMAN CATHOLIC RELIGION." THE MONKS, THESE REPORTS SAY, ARE OFTEN DRIVEN FROM THEIR MONASTERIES BY VIOLENCE.

"SACRILEGIOUS ACTS WERE COMMITTED IN CONVENTS AND CHURCHES. CONSECRATED (COMMUNION) WAFERS WERE TROD UPON BY POLICEMEN IN SOME CHURCHES.

"IT HAS BEEN ANNOUNCED THAT FROM THE NEXT SCHOOL TERM, ALL SEMINARIES IN SLOVAKIA WILL BE CLOSED. THE ONLY INSTITUTION TO REMAIN OPEN WILL BE THE SEMINARY OF TIRNAVA, UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF A COMMUNIST COMMISSAR."

CZECHOSLOVAKIA HAS IMPOSED A CHURCH CONTROL LAW, GIVING THE GOVERNMENT COMPLETE CONTROL OVER CHURCH ADMINISTRATION. THE PRIMATE, ARCHBISHOP JOSEF BERAN, IS DESCRIBED AS A PRISONER IN HIS OWN PALACE.

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COPENHAGEN, DENMARK, MAY 11-(AP)-DENMARK HAS ESTABLISHED DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH RED CHINA, AND THE TWO COUNTRIES HAVE NAMED THEIR RESPECTIVE MINISTERS.

DENMARK WILL BE REPRESENTED BY ALEX MOERCH, WHO HELD THE SAME POST IN NATIONALIST CHINA. CHINA'S REPRESENTATIVE WILL BE GEN.LENG PIAO.

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S120 (120)

BERLIN, MAY 11-(AP)-THE EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT DECIDED TODAY TO ASK RUSSIA TO CUT HER REPARATIONS DEMANDS ON EASTERN GERMANY.

THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS APPROVED A REQUEST TO THAT EFFECT FROM THE POWERFUL POLITBURO OF THE SOCIALIST UNITY (COMMUNIST) PARTY. IT ORDERED COMMUNIST PRIME MINISTER OTTO GROTEWOHL TO BEGIN NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE SOVIET UNION IMMEDIATELY.

ALLIED OBSERVERS HERE REGARDED THE COMMUNIST REQUEST AS LARGELY A PROPAGANDA MEASURE. THEY PREDICTED THE RUSSIANS WOULD GRANT IT AS A MEANS OF WOOING THE GERMANS.

THE EAST ZONE CABINET ALSO PASSED A BILL WHICH REDUCES THE MAJORITY AGE IN EASTERN GERMANY FROM 21 TO 18 YEARS. THIS IS SUBJECT TO APPROVAL BY THE COMMUNIST-CONTROLLED VOLKSKAMMER (LOWER HOUSE) WHICH APPEARS CERTAIN.

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BERLIN, MAY 11-(AP)-COMMUNIST OTTO GROTEWOHL HAS BEGUN TO PREPARE THE SOVIET-OCCUPIED EAST GERMAN PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC FOR MORE OF THE SAME IN NEXT OCTOBER'S ELECTIONS.

THE SOVIET-LICENSED NEWS AGENCY ADN QUOTED HIM AS SAYING IN A SPEECH IN DRESDEN LAST NIGHT THAT ALL EAST ZONE PARTIES MUST "JOIN HANDS" IN THE ELECTIONS AND DECIDE ON A SINGLE LIST OF CANDIDATES AS "A GUARANTEE FOR PEACE AND DEMOCRACY."

IN THE OCTOBER, 1949, EAST ZONE ELECTIONS A SINGLE LIST OF CANDIDATES WAS PRESENTED TO THE EAST ZONE VOTERS FOR A TAKE-IT-OR-LEAVE-IT VOTE. A THIRD OF THE VOTERS SHOCKED THE COMMUNISTS BY VOTING "NO."

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BERLIN, MAY 11-(AP)-KONRAD CARDINAL VON PREYSING QUESTIONED TODAY THE SINCERITY OF A COMMUNIST "PEACE" CAMPAIGN.

THE CARDINAL, WHO IS BISHOP OF BERLIN, SENT A CIRCULAR LETTER TO THE CLERGY IN HIS DIOCESE, WHICH EXTENDS FAR INTO THE SOVIET ZONE. NOTING THAT THEY HAD BEEN ASKED TO SIGN A COMMUNIST PEACE STATEMENT.

HE WAS REFERRING APPARENTLY TO A COMMUNIST DRIVE FOR SIGNATURES ON A BAN-THE-ATOM-BOMB STATEMENT. COMMENTED THE CARDINAL:

"THE REASON (FOR THIS DRIVE) DOES NOT SEEM TO BE THAT ONE WANTS TO MAKE SURE PEOPLE ARE FOR PEACE. OTHER INTENTIONS MUST BE BEHIND IT."

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BERLIN, MAY 11-(AP)-THE RUSSIANS CALLED OFF THEIR HISTORIC BLOCKADE OF BERLIN A YEAR AGO TODAY.

NO MENTION OF THE ANNIVERSARY WAS MADE IN THE SOVIET-SPONSORED EAST GERMAN PRESS.

WESTERN ALLIED AUTHORITIES PRAISED THE SPIRIT OF WEST BERLINERS, SAYING THE TOWNSPEOPLE ARE NOW EVEN MORE DETERMINED TO REMAIN FREE OF COMMUNIST DOMINATION THAN THEY WERE DURING THE BLOCKADE.

THE COMMUNIST-LED EAST GERMAN PEOPLE'S POLICE PUT UP SIGNS TODAY ALONG THE BORDER OF THE SOVIET SECTOR ADJOINING THE SECTORS OF THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE:

"HERE ENDS THE DEMOCRATIC SECTOR OF BERLIN."

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BERLIN, MAY 11-(AP)-COMMUNIST SLOW-DOWN TACTICS TODAY VIRTUALLY PARALYZED GERMAN INTERZONAL BARGE TRAFFIC BETWEEN BERLIN AND WESTERN GERMANY.

GERMAN AUTHORITIES SAID THE RUSSIANS WERE HOLDING UP 40 OUTGOING BERLIN BARGES CARRYING SCRAP METAL TO THE WEST AT THEIR ZONAL BORDER CHECKPOINT AT WITTENBERGE ON THE ELBE.

IN SOME CASES, THEY SAID, THE RUSSIANS SEIZED SCRAP METAL SHIPMENTS CLAIMING THEY WERE "CONTRABAND" BEING SMUGGLED OUT OF THE SOVIET ZONE.

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WITH LONDON

BERLIN, MAY 11-(AP)-THE SOVIET ARMY'S NEWSPAPER HERE CHARGED TODAY THAT THE SCHUMAN PLAN FOR POOLING FRENCH AND GERMAN COAL AND STEEL PRODUCTION WAS PART OF A "WAR CONSPIRACY" AGAINST RUSSIA.

THE ENTIRE RUSSIAN-CONTROLLED PRESS HERE ATTACKED THE PLAN. ONE PAPER CALLED IT A "SCHEME FOR A MAMMOTH CARTEL, INSPIRED BY WALL STREET, TO GIVE THE UNITED STATES CONTROL OVER WEST EUROPEAN INDUSTRY."

THE ARY PAPER "TAEGLICHE RUNDSCHAU" ASSERTED: "THE WHOLE IDEA IS TO MERGE WEST EUROPEAN POTENTIAL, ESPECIALLY WEST GERMANY'S, FOR THE PURPOSES OF A WAR CONSPIRACY. IT TIES UP INTERNATIONAL CAPITAL WITH THE WAR PACT OF THE ATLANTIC SYSTEM."

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WITH LONDON
MOSCOW, MAY 11-(AP)-PRAVDA TODAY ATTACKED FRANCE'S PLAN TO POOL HER STEEL AND COAL PRODUCTION WITH WESTERN GERMANY'S AS A PROPOSAL MADE "UNDER THE DICTATION OF AMERICAN BANKERS."
THE COMMUNIST PARTY NEWSPAPER, IN A PARIS DISPATCH, COMPARED THE FRENCH PLAN WITH THE SIGNING OF THE ARMISTICE AGREEMENT WITH HITLER BY MARSHAL HENRI PETAIN. IT SAID FRANCE WAS BEING SOLD OUT BUT "THE PATRIOTISM OF ALL HONEST PEOPLE IN FRANCE WILL WIN OUT."
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S98
FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 11-(AP)-ARMY AUTHORITIES TODAY IDENTIFIED A U.S. SOLDIER DROWNED AT GARMISCH-PARTENKIRCHEN LAST SUNDAY AS CPL. RICHARD KEITH STODDARD, OF (5 SIXTH AVE.) GOLVERSVILLE, N.Y. STODDARD DROWNED IN LAKE EIBSEE WHEN A SAILBOAT CAPSIZED.
BJ101PED

MAY 12 1950

A149
FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 11-(AP)-A GROUP OF LEADING HUNGARIAN EXILES SENT A MESSAGE TO THE LONDON MEETING OF FOREIGN MINISTERS TODAY, CHARGING THAT 350,000 HUNGARIAN PRISONERS OF WAR STILL ARE MISSING IN RUSSIA.
HUNGARIA, NEWSPAPER OF THE EXILES, SAID THE APPEAL TO THE MINISTERS TO LOOK INTO THIS COMPLAINT WAS SIGNED BY THE FORMER REGENT, ADM. NICHOLAS HORTHY, AND EXILED LEADERS OF THE ROMAN CATHOLIC, LUTHERAN, PRESBYTERIAN AND UNITARIAN CHURCHES.
MOSCOW RECENTLY ANNOUNCED THAT THE REPATRIATION OF GERMAN PRISONERS OF WAR HAD BEEN COMPLETED. THIS RAISED AN UPROAR AMONG THE GERMANS, WHO CHARGE THAT ANYWHERE FROM 400,000 TO 1,500,000 GERMANS STILL ARE MISSING IN RUSSIA. THE UNITED STATES HAS JUST DEMANDED THAT MOSCOW SAY WHAT HAPPENED TO 300,000 JAPANESE PRISONERS OF WAR STILL MISSING.
THE HUNGARIAN EXILES SAID THAT BESIDES 200,000 MISSING FROM WITHIN THE BORDERS OF PRESENT-DAY COMMUNIST-RULED HUNGARY, ANOTHER 150,000 ARE MISSING FROM FORMER HUNGARIAN TERRITORY NOW OCCUPIED BY ROMANIA, CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND YUGOSLAVIA.
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B64 (Q)
(300)
ESCHWEGE, GERMANY, MAY 11-(AP)-MEN OF SEVEN EUROPEAN NATIONS HAVE BEEN SENT TO THIS AMERICAN ARMY ORDINANCE SCHOOL HERE UNDER THE U.S. MILITARY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM TO LEARN HOW TO USE AMERICAN WEAPONS OF WAR.
LT.COL. ELI E.WHITE, FORMER ATLANTA, GA., AND BRADLEY UNIVERSITY (PEORIA, ILL.,) INSTRUCTOR, IS IN CHARGE OF THE SCHOOLING. HE SAID ITS AIMS ARE TO PROVIDE A CADRE OF INSTRUCTORS FOR EACH NATION'S OWN TRAINING PROGRAM, AND TO TRAIN OFFICERS AND MEN TO SUPERVISE UNLOADING AND DISTRIBUTION OF ARMS SHIPMENTS TO PARTICIPATING NATIONS.
WEDNESDAY THE FIRST CLASS OF 13 STUDENTS BEGAN CLASSES, AND EVENTUALLY 432 MEN FROM ITALY, FRANCE, DENMARK, BELGIUM, LUXEMBOURG, NORWAY AND HOLLAND WILL PARTICIPATE.
THE PROGRAM IS TO LAST THREE MONTHS, WHITE SAID, AND INCLUDES INSTRUCTION IN THE USE OF 75,105 AND 155-MM GUNS, RECOILLESS WEAPONS, TANK MAINTENANCE, WHEELED VEHICLES AND RELATED SUBJECTS.
WHITE SAID THAT EVEN THOUGH GREECE IS NOT A PARTICIPATING NATION IN THE MILITARY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM, IT IS SCHEDULED TO SEND A SMALL DELEGATION FOR TRAINING IN M-24 MEDIUM TANKS.
TO PAVE THE WAY FOR THE FIRST CLASSES, THE SEVEN COUNTRIES SENT ADVANCE SQUADS OF INTERPRETERS TO STUDY WITH AMERICAN CLASSES.
INSTRUCTION WILL BE GIVEN BY BOTH OFFICERS AND ENLISTED SPECIALISTS. SOME 200 REELS OF MOVIE FILM WILL BE USED, AND VISUAL TEACHING WILL BE STRESSED.
"WE ARE NOT GOING INTO FUNDAMENTALS," WHITE SAID "SINCE MOST OF THESE MEN ARE EXPERTS IN THEIR OWN RIGHTS. WE ARE INTERESTED IN FAMILIARIZING THEM WITH OUR PARTICULAR TYPE OF EQUIPMENT AND NOMENCLATURE.
"THEY SEEM HIGHLY ENTHUSIASTIC AND SOMEWHAT AMAZED AT OUR ABUNDANCE OF MATERIAL, AND THEY ALSO COMMENT ON THE DETAIL STRESSED IN OUR INSTRUCTION. I UNDERSTAND THAT THEY ARE FREQUENTLY SO LIMITED IN MATERIAL AT HOME AS NOT TO BE ABLE TO SPARE IT FOR TRAINING PURPOSES."
ESCHWEGE IS FOUR MILES FROM THE SOVIET ZONE BORDER.
MT926AED

MAY 12 1950

A25
STUTTGART, GERMANY, MAY 11-(AP)-TWO GERMANS WERE CONVICTED TODAY OF HANDLING BRIBES TO WIN ACQUITTALS OR LIGHT SENTENCES FOR ALLEGED NAZIS ON TRIAL IN GERMAN DENAZIFICATION COURTS.
HEINZ MAY, FORMER PROSECUTOR IN A LUDWIGSBURG DENAZIFICATION COURT, WAS SENTENCED TO ONE YEAR IN JAIL FOR ACCEPTING BRIBES. AUGUST MEYER, A LAY DEFENSE COUNSEL FOR ACCUSED NAZIS, WAS SENTENCED TO EIGHT MONTHS FOR BRIBING MAY. RICHARD KESSLER, FORMER DENAZIFICATION COURT CHAIRMAN IN LUDWIGSBURG, WAS ACQUITTED.
THE VERDICT CLIMAXED A LONG AND STORMY INVESTIGATION SPICED BY AMERICAN OFFICIALS' CHARGES THAT GERMAN AUTHORITIES WERE TOO LAX IN THEIR PROSECUTION OF THE BRIBERY CHARGES.
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A39 (140)
BONN, GERMANY, MAY 11-(AP)-WEST GERMANY'S NO. 2 COMMUNIST, KURT MUELLER, RESIGNED FROM PARLIAMENT TODAY.
IN A BRIEF LETTER TO PRESIDENT ERICH KOEHLER, OF THE BUNDESTAG, (LOWER HOUSE IN PARLIAMENT) MUELLER SAID HE WAS QUITTING FOR PERSONAL REASONS.
THE AMERICAN FORCES RADIO NETWORK (AFN) SAID MUELLER HAD BEEN DISMISSED FROM THE COMMUNIST PARTY FOR "TROTSKYIST ACTIVITIES." THIS COULD NOT BE CONFIRMED IMMEDIATELY, AND MUELLER HIMSELF WAS NOT AVAILABLE FOR COMMENT.

HEINZ RENNER, CHAIRMAN OF THE 15-MEMBER COMMUNIST DELEGATION IN THE BUNDESTAG, SAID HE DID NOT KNOW "WHY MUELLER LAID DOWN HIS BUNDESTAG MANDATE." HE ADDED THAT MUELLER'S LETTER WAS ALL HE KNEW ABOUT THE AFFAIR.

MUELLER, 47, EMERGED AS A LEADING GERMAN COMMUNIST IN 1931 WHEN HE WAS NAMED CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMUNIST YOUTH MOVEMENT. IN 1934 HE WAS ARRESTED BY GESTAPO AGENTS AND SPENT 11 YEARS IN CONCENTRATION CAMPS. SINCE APRIL, 1948, HE HAS BEEN A DEPUTY TO WEST GERMAN COMMUNIST CHIEF MAX REIMANN.

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B129 (Q) (300)

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NIGHT LEAD VOGELER

BUDAPEST, HUNGARY, MAY 11-(AP)-THE HUNGARIAN SUPREME COURT OF JUSTICE HAS REJECTED THE APPEAL OF ROBERT A.VOGELER, AMERICAN BUSINESS EXECUTIVE CONVICTED LAST FEBRUARY OF SPYING, AND DECREED THAT HE MUST SERVE THE 15-YEAR PRISON TERM TO WHICH HE WAS SENTENCED.

THE COURT ALSO UPHELD THE 13-YEAR SENTENCE OF EDGAR SANDERS, A BRITISH CO-DEFENDANT WITH VOGELER, AND THE SENTENCES OF FIVE HUNGARIAN NATIONALS CONVICTED ON THE SAME CHARGES. A COMMUNIQUE ON THE FINDINGS WAS PUBLISHED TODAY.

THE OFFICIAL REPORT DISCLOSED FURTHER THAT THE TWO HUNGARIANS SENTENCED TO DEATH IN THE TRIAL HAD BEEN EXECUTED. THEY WERE IMRE GEIGER AND ZOLTAN RADO.

VOGELER, 38, WAS AN ASSISTANT VICE PRESIDENT AND ROVING EASTERN EUROPEAN REPRESENTATIVE OF THE INTERNATIONAL TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY. SANDERS WAS AN I.T.&T. ACCOUNTANT. BOTH PLEADED GUILTY TO THE CHARGES OF ESPIONAGE AND SABOTAGE, AS DID THE FIVE HUNGARIAN DEFENDANTS. THE THREE HUNGARIAN DEENDANTS STILL ALIVE MUST SERVE FROM FIVE TO 10 YEARS.

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VOGELER CALMLY DECLARED AT HIS TRIAL, OPENED AFTER HE WAS HELD INCOMMUNICADO THREE MONTHS, THAT HE HAD USED HIS BUSINESS CONNECTIONS AS A COVER FOR SPYING IN HUNGARY. HE NAMED MILITARY ATTACHE OFFICERS IN THE U.S. EMBASSY. AS A RESULT OF THE TRIAL, HUNGARY DEMANDED THAT THE UNITED STATES CUT DOWN ITS MILITARY ATTACHE STAFF IN BUDAPEST.

THE U.S. GOVERNMENT PROTESTED VOGELER'S SENTENCE, DENYING THE CHARGES HE SPIED FOR THE U.S. AND DEMANDING HIS RELEASE. THE STATE DEPARTMENT ORDERED A BAN ON TRAVEL BY U.S. CITIZENS TO HUNGARY.

VOGELER'S BELGIAN-BORN WIFE, LUCILE, FLEW TO LONDON THIS WEEK FROM THEIR HOME IN VIENNA. U.S. EMBASSY OFFICIALS SAID SHE WOULD SEE SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON THERE TOMORROW. HE IS IN LONDON FOR THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS CONFERENCE.

MRS. VOGELER, WHO MAINTAINS THAT HER HUSBAND WAS TORTURED INTO MAKING HIS CONFESSION, INDICATED SHE MIGHT LATER FLY TO WASHINGTON TO SEE PRESIDENT TRUMAN.

AN OFFICIAL OF THE I.T.&T. SAID THE COMPANY WAS DOING EVERYTHING IT COULD TO OBTAIN THE RELEASE OF VOGELER AND SANDERS.

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A17

(160)

BUDAPEST, HUNGARY, MAY 11-(AP)-HUNGARY'S SUPREME COURT OF JUSTICE REFUSED TODAY TO CUT THE 15-YEAR-PRISON SENTENCE OF ROBERT A. VOGELER, AMERICAN BUSINESSMAN WHO WAS CONVICTED LAST FEBRUARY ON SPY CHARGES.

THE COURT ALSO REJECTED THE APPEALS OF EDGAR SANDERS, A BRITON WHO WAS SENTENCED TO 13 YEARS ON THE SAME CHARGES, AND FIVE HUNGARIAN CO-DEFENDANTS.

THE GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCEMENT ALSO DISCLOSED THAT IMRE GEIGER AND ZOLTAN RADO, HUNGARIAN NATIONALS WHO WERE SENTENCED TO DEATH IN THE SAME CASE, HAD BEEN EXECUTED.

VOGELER, A VICE PRESIDENT OF THE INTERNATIONAL TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY, AND SANDERS, ACCOUNTANT FOR THE HUNGARIAN SUBSIDIARY OF THE SAME FIRM, BOTH PLEADED GUILTY TO CHARGES OF ESPIONAGE AND SABOTAGE.

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THE UNITED STATES UNSUCCESSFULLY PROTESTED TO THE HUNGARIAN GOVERNMENT AGAINST VOGELER'S IMPRISONMENT. AFTER THE HUNGARIAN GOVERNMENT REFUSED TO RELEASE THE I.T.& T. EXECUTIVE, THE STATE DEPARTMENT ORDERED A BAN ON TRAVEL BY U.S. CITIZENS TO HUNGARY.

VOGELER'S BELGIAN-BORN WIFE WENT TO LONDON THIS WEEK TO ASK SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON, THERE FOR BIG THREE CONFERENCES, TO MAKE NEW EFFORTS FOR HER HUSBAND'S RELEASE.

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A131

BUDAPEST, HUNGARY, MAY 11-(AP)-PARLIAMENT APPROVED TODAY A BILL ESTABLISHING A SYSTEM OF COUNCILS WHICH WILL ASSUME THE FUNCTIONS OF LOCAL AUTHORITIES.

THE COUNCILS WILL PERFORM THEIR WORK UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF THE WORKERS' (COMMUNIST) PARTY. THEY WILL BE DIRECTLY RESPONSIBLE TO THE GOVERNMENT.

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(BY THIS ACTION HUNGARY ADOPTS THE SOVIET SYSTEM OF PUTTING LOCAL GOVERNMENTAL UNITS UNDER THE CLOSE SUPERVISION OF THE CENTRAL GOVERNMENT. THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES SUFFER A LOSS OF PREVIOUSLY-HELD AUTONOMY IN LOCAL AFFAIRS.)

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A125 (150)

WARSAW, POLAND,MAY 11-(AP)-FORMER SOVIET MARSHAL KONSTANTIN ROKOSSOVSKY AND ZENON NOWAK HAVE BEEN ELECTED TO THE POLITBURO OF POLAND'S COMMUNIST PARTY, IT WAS ANNOUNCED TONIGHT.

THE POLITBURO'S MEMBERSHIP THUS WAS INCREASED FROM 10 TO 12. ROKOSSOVSKY NOW IS POLISH MINISTER OF NATIONAL DEFENSE. NOWAK IS AN OLD TIME COMMUNIST.

A COMMUNIQUE ANNOUNCING THEIR ELECTION ALSO SAID THE NUMBER OF JOINT SECRETARIES TO THE PARTY'S CENTRAL COMMITTEE HAD BEEN INCREASED FROM THREE TO SIX.

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THE NEW SECRETARIES ARE NOWAK; FRANCISZEK MAZUR, WHO BECAME PROMINENT AS THE GOVERNMENT SIGNATORY OF THE CHURCH-STATE AGREEMENT SIGNED LAST MONTH, AND BRIG. GEN. EDWARD OCHAB, VICE MINISTER OF NATIONAL DEFENSE AND THE PARTY'S NO. 1 HATCHETMAN.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF THESE ADDITIONS TO THE TOP LEVELS OF THE PARTY ORGANIZATION FOLLOWED A THREE-DAY SESSION OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE WHICH CLOSED WEDNESDAY NIGHT.

THE COMMUNIQUE SAID POLAND'S PRESIDENT, BOLESLAW BIERUT, REPORTED ON THE "PARTY'S WORK IN THE STRUGGLE FOR NEW CADRES."

SOME DIPLOMATIC OBSERVERS SPECULATED THAT CHARGES IN THE HIGHER RANKS OF THE POLISH GOVERNMENT MIGHT BE ANNOUNCED SOON.

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PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, MAY 11-(AP)-U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE LEFT PRAGUE FOR MOSCOW TODAY IN A RUSSIAN PLANE.
THE U.N. OFFICIAL HOPES TO EASE TENSION BETWEEN THE SOVIET UNION AND THE WESTERN POWERS THROUGH CONFERENCES WITH RUSSIAN OFFICIALS INCLUDING, POSSIBLY, SOVIET PREMIER JOSEPH STALIN.
HE WAS ACCOMPANIED BY KONSTANTIN ZINCHENKO, RUSSIAN ASSISTANT SECRETARY-GENERAL IN CHARGE OF SECURITY COUNCIL AFFAIRS. THEY ARE DUE IN MOSCOW THIS AFTERNOON.
TRAVELLING ON THE SAME PLANE WAS A SOVIET DELEGATION FROM STALINGRAD WHICH ATTENDED MAY DAY CELEBRATIONS IN PRAGUE.
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MAY 12 1950
MOSCOW, MAY 11-(AP)-TRYGVE LIE, UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY-GENERAL, ARRIVED IN MOSCOW TODAY ON HIS MISSION TO PRESERVE THE U.N.
THE SECRETARY-GENERAL'S PLANE ARRIVED FROM PRAGUE AT 6:15 P.M. (10:15 A.M., EST).
MIKHAIL VAVILOV, DIRECTOR OF THE U.N. INFORMATION CENTER IN MOSCOW, SAID HE HAS NO INDICATION HOW LONG LIE MIGHT REMAIN HERE, ADDING THAT IT IS UP TO THE SECRETARY HIMSELF. HE ALSO SAID HE HAD NO KNOWLEDGE AT PRESENT WHOM LIE WOULD BE CONFERRING WITH WHILE HERE. LIE HAS SAID HE HOPED TO SEE PRIME MINISTER STALIN TO DISCUSS THE OUTSTANDING POINTS AT ISSUE BETWEEN THE EAST AND THE WEST IN THE COLD WAR.
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A31
NIGHT LEAD LIE (280)
BY EDDY GILMORE
MOSCOW, MAY 11-(AP)-U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE CAME TO MOSCOW TONIGHT ON A MISSION HE HAS EXPLAINED AS AN ATTEMPT TO EASE EAST-WEST TENSION AND PRESERVE THE UNITED NATIONS.
THE RUSSIANS SENT A DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER, ANDREI GROMYKO, TO THE AIRPORT TO MEET HIM. A LIGHT COLD RAIN WAS FALLING.

AIRPORT TO MEET HIM. A LIGHT COLD RAIN WAS FALLING.
"I REGRET THIS BAD WEATHER," GROMYKO SAID, SMILING AS HE SHOOK HANDS WITH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL.
LIE AND A RUSSIAN ASSISTANT SECRETARY-GENERAL, KONSTANTIN ZINCHENKO, FLEW TO THIS CITY IN A SOVIET PLANE FROM PRAGUE. LIE PREVIOUSLY HAD GONE TO THE OTHER BIG FOUR CAPITALS--WASHINGTON, LONDON AND PARIS--IN HIS QUEST FOR A MEANS TO UNTANGLE SNARLED AFFAIRS OF THE U.N.
(RUSSIA'S BOYCOTTING OF THE U.N. AND ITS AGENCIES IS ONE OF THE FACTORS. THE RUSSIANS INSIST THE U.N. SHOULD OUST NATIONALIST CHINESE AND SEAT COMMUNIST CHINESE DELEGATES. THE NATIONALISTS ARE STILL RECOGNIZED.)
LIE SAID IN PARIS MAY 3 HE HOPED TO SEE PRIME MINISTER STALIN AND PLACE BEFORE HIM A PLAN TO HAVE THE U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL MEET WITH THE "HEADS OF STATES AND WITH CABINET MEMBERS OF ALL NATIONS" AS A MEANS OF ENDING THE COLD WAR.
"WE ARE AT THE CROSSROADS," HE SAID THEN.
HE APPARENTLY DID NOT DISCUSS WITH ANYONE AT THE AIRPORT HIS SCHEDULED APPOINTMENTS OR WHOM HE EXPECTS TO SEE. HE SAID HE WOULD NOT HAVE ANYTHING TO ANNOUNCE FOR TWO OR THREE DAYS.
HE IS STOPPING AT THE NATIONAL HOTEL, ONE OF THE CITY'S BEST. IT IS LOCATED NEXT DOOR TO THE UNITED STATES EMBASSY AND ACROSS MANEZHNAYA SQUARE FROM THE KREMLIN.
NORWEGIAN AND SWEDISH DIPLOMATS AND U.N. OFFICIALS, INCLUDING MIKHAIL VAVILOV, DIRECTOR OF MOSCOW'S U.N. INFORMATION CENTER, JOINED GROMYKO IN WELCOMING LIE.
THE SECRETARY-GENERAL'S DECLARATION THAT HE WOULD HAVE NO STATEMENT FOR TWO OR THREE DAYS LED A NEWSMAN TO ASK: "CAN'T YOU EVEN SAY SOMETHING ABOUT THE WEATHER?"
"I SUPPOSE SO," LIE SAID. "I WOULD LIKE TO POINT OUT THE WEATHER IS BAD."
THEN HE DREW AWAY TO CHAT WITH GROMYKO, FORMER SOVIET DELEGATE TO THE U.N.
WD556PED

Moscow, May 11-(ap)-the british embassy announced today it paid a fine of 300 rubles ($75) to the soviet union for the release of the british fishing trawler etruria. MAY 12 1950

the embassy said the ship would be released along with its crew upon payment of the fine on behalf of the owners and confiscation by the russians of the vessel's catch.

the russians had seized the vessel on a charge that it had been operating inside soviet territorial waters. a russian note to the british embassy said the captain had admitted this.

(the standard steam fishing company, owner of the 373-ton vessel, said last week the ship was boarded by russians in the white sea and its crew of 24 were taken to murmansk, north russian port. the russians claim their territorial waters extend 12 miles out from their shores, but british fishing vessels are able to enter the white sea outside this limit.)

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B132KX (Q)

NIGHT LEAD CHINESE 110

TAIPEI,FORMOSA,MAY 11 (AP)-NEW NATIONALIST AIR ATTACKS ON RED BASES NEAR CHUSHAN ISLAND AND FURTHER DROPS OF RICE INTENDED FOR MAINLAND FAMINE VICTIMS WERE REPORTED IN CHINA'S CIVIL WAR TODAY.

THE NATIONALISTS GAVE NO DETAILS ON THE LATEST BOMBINGS EXCEPT TO SAY THEY HIT BARRACKS ON TAOHUA ISLAND AND AN AIRFIELD AT CHANG-TING, IN FUKIEN PROVINCE.

TWO C-46 TRANSPORTS WERE REPORTED TO HAVE DROPPED FOOD AT KAOYU AND HUAIYIN, IN THE GRAND CANAL IN KIANGSU PROVINCE, EAST-CENTRAL CHINA.

THE OFFICIAL NATIONALIST CENTRAL NEWS AGENCY QUOTED A RECENT ARRIVAL FROM RED SHANGHAI AS SAYING THE COMMUNISTS HAD SCHEDULED AN INVASION OF FORMOSA FOR LATE MAY OR EARLY JUNE. HE SAID THEY PLANNED TO THROW 1,000,000 MEN INTO THE EFFORT.

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MAY 12 1950

A90FX

TAIPEI,MAY 11-(AP)-NATIONALIST WARPLANES CLAIMED TO HAVE INFLICTED MANY CASUALTIES ON CHINESE COMMUNIST TROOPS ON TAOHUA ISLAND TODAY IN A RAID ON BARRACKS.

THE ISLAND IS SEVEN MILES SOUTH OF CHUSHAN ISLAND, MAIN NATIONALIST BLOCKADE BASE OF THE CHINA COAST.

GEN.SHIH CHUEH, DEFENSE CHIEF OF CHUSHAN, IS IN TAIPEI FOR FINAL CONFERENCES WITH THE NATIONALIST HIGH COMMAND ON THE EXPECTED RED INVASION ATTEMPT AGAINST THE 175 SQUARE MILE ISLAND.

SHIH MADE IT CLEAR THAT HE EXPECTS THE INVASION ATTEMPT SOON.

THERE WERE OTHER REPORTS HERE THAT THE REDS WERE MAKING EXTENSIVE PREPARATIONS FOR THE INVASION OF FORMOSA AND MIGHT STRIKE HERE AT THE END OF THIS MONTH OR THE BEGINNING OF JUNE.

SOME NATIONALIST SOURCES SAY THE REDS WOULD HAVE TO LAND MORE THAN 200,000 MEN IN FOUR DAYS BEFORE THEY COULD CONQUER THIS ISLAND.

CC558APD NM

A35FX

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HONG KONG, MAY 11-(AP)-THE CAPTAIN OF THE STEAMER HUNAN RADIOED BUTTERFIELD AND SWIRE, BRITISH SHIPPING FIRM HERE, THAT TWO AMERICAN AIRMEN HELD MORE THAN A YEAR BY CHINESE COMMUNISTS WERE ABOARD HIS VESSEL.

HIS MESSAGE WAS THE FIRST CONFIRMATION OF A COMMUNIST RADIO REPORT THAT THE PAIR, MARINE MASTER SGT. ELMER C.BENDER OF CINCINNATI AND NAVY CHIEF ELECTRICIAN WILLIAM C.SMITH OF LONG BEACH, CALIF., ACTUALLY HAD BEEN FREED.

THE HUNAN PRESUMABLY STILL IS IN CHINESE WATERS AT OR NEAR TSINGTAO. SHE IS DUE HERE MONDAY OR TUESDAY.

THE RADIO MESSAGE FROM THE HUNAN CAPTAIN IS ONE OF THE FEW TIMES THE VESSEL HAS BROKEN RADIO SILENCE SINCE IT ENTERED CHINESE COMMUNIST WATERS.

BENDER AND SMITH WERE CAPTURED BY CHINESE COMMUNISTS ON OCT. 19, 1948, WHEN THEIR PLANE LANDED IN COMMUNIST TERRITORY NOT FAR FROM TSINGTAO. THE U.S.NAVY MAINTAINED A BASE AT TSINGTAO AT THE TIME.

FT220APD NM

B60WX

(110) WASHINGTON, MAY 11-(AP)-REP.MANSFIELD (D-MONT) SAID TODAY THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAS CONFIRMED REPORTS THAT TWO AMERICAN AIRMEN WHO WERE HELD PRISONERS BY CHINESE COMMUNISTS ARE ABOARD THE BRITISH SHIP HUNAN.

THE TWO ARE NAVY CHIEF ELECTRICIAN WILLIAM C.SMITH OF LONG BEACH, CALIF., AND MARINE MASTER SERGEANT ELMER C.BENDER OF CINCINNATI. THEY WERE CAPTURED BY COMMUNISTS WHILE ON A ROUTINE FLIGHT ABOUT 18 MONTHS AGO.

MANSFIELD QUOTED STATE DEPARTMENT AND MARINE CORPS OFFICIALS AS SAYING BRITISH OFFICIALS HAVE SEEN THE AMERICANS AND REPORTED THEY "LOOK GOOD".

HE SAID HE WAS TOLD THE HUNAN IS EXPECTED TO DOCK AT HONG KONG MAY 15 OR 16 AND THAT ARRANGEMENTS HAVE BEEN MADE TO BRING SMITH AND BENDER BY PLANE FROM THERE TO AMERICAN TERRITORY.

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WITH HONG KONG

SAN FRANCISCO,MAY 11-(AP)-THE CHINESE COMMUNIST RADIO BROADCAST TODAY THAT TWO U.S. AIRMEN PRISONERS OF THE REDS HAD LEFT CHINESE TERRITORY ON BOARD THE STEAMER HUNAN AT 6 P.M. THURSDAY, CHINA TIME, (6 A.M. EDT).

THE BROADCAST, HEARD IN SAN FRANCISCO BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS, SAID THE PAIR, MARINE MASTER SGT.ELMER C.BENDER OF CINCINNATI AND NAVY CHIEF ELECTRICIAN WILLIAM C.SMITH OF LONG BEACH, CALIF., WERE "TAKEN PRISONER IN HAIYANG COUNTY, KIAOTUNG PENINSULA, ON OCT. 19, 1948, AFTER THEIR L-5 U.S. NAVY PLANE INVADED THE AIR OF CHINA.

"THEY WERE RELEASED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PEOPLES LIBERATION (COMMUNIST) ARMY'S POLICY OF MAGNANIMITY TOWARD WAR PRISONERS," THE COMMINIST RADIO SAID.

HONG KONG REPORTS SAID THE STEAMER HUNAN WAS EXPECTED THERE MONDAY OR TUESDAY.

CC732APD NM

MAY 12 1950

B67KX (Q)

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TOKYO,MAY 11 (AP)-THE APPOINTMENT OF WOLF LADEJINSKY, A RUSSIAN, AS AN AGRICULTURAL ATTACHE TO THE AMERICAN MISSION IN TOKYO, WAS STOUTLY DEFENDED TODAY BY A TOP OCCUPATION OFFICIAL.

LADEJINSKY'S APPOINTMENT WAS CRITICIZED IN WASHINGTON BY REP.CARL T.CURTIS (R-NEB.) CONGRESSMAN CURTIS CHARGED THAT LADEJINSKY, IN ADDITION TO LIVING FOR SEVERAL YEARS IN RUSSIA HAD BEEN EMPLOYED BY THE AMTORG TRADING CORP. IN THE UNITED STATES.

THE LAWMAKER WONDERED WHY AN AMERICAN AGRICULTURAL EXPERT HAD NOT BEEN APPOINTED TO THE TOKYO POST.

LT.COL.HUBERT G.SCHENK, HEAD OF THE OCCUPATION NATURAL RESOURCES SECTION TO WHICH LADEJINSKY FORMERLY WAS ATTACHED, SAID LADENINSKY "IS ONE OF THE MOST LOYAL AMERICANS I KNOW."

"THERE ARE PROBABLY FEW AMERICAN CITIZENS MORE ENERGETIC IN THEIR OPPOSITION TO THE IDEALOGY OF COMMUNISM," THE LIEUTENANT COLONEL SAID. HE ADDED LADEJINSKY "HELPED EFFECTIVELY TO PREVENT THE SPREAD OF COMMUNISM IN JAPAN AS HE WAS INSTRUMENTAL IN THE SUCCESSFUL PROSECUTION OF THE LAND REFORM PROGRAM."

THAT PROGRAM ORDERED BY GENERAL MACARTHUR IS REGARDED HERE AS ONE OF THE OCCUPATION'S MOST EFFECTIVE REFORMS. IT MADE LANDOWNERS OF HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF PEASANTS WHO PREVIOUSLY HAD BEEN SHARECROPPERS.

SCHENCK SAID LADEJINSKY'S PUBLISHED WORKS "CONCLUSIVELY PROVE HE IS A STAUNCH SUPPORTER OF MIDDLE OF THE ROAD CAPITALISM."

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B34KX (Q)

TOKYO,MAY 11-(AP)-FOUR JAPANESE LOCAL GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS, A NEWSPAPER PUBLISHER AND THE ASSISTANT TO A CABINET MINISTER SAILED YESTERDAY FOR A 45 DAY STUDY OF AMERICAN CITY GOVERNMENTS.

THEY WILL VISIT SAN FRANCISCO, LOS ANGELES, KANSAS CITY, DALLAS, ST.PAUL, MINNEAPOLIS, ST.LOUIS, CHICAGO, WASHINGTON, NEW YORK AND BOSTON. THEY INCLUDE:

MAYORS MAKOTO UBUKATA OF NUMATA AND NOBUZO MORI OF HANDA CITY; DEPUTY MAYOR SHIGEKAGA TASAKA OF OSAKA; GOV.IWATARO UCHIYAMA OF KANAGAWA PREFECTURE, AND CHIKAO HONDA, PRESIDENT OF MAINICHI NEWSPAPER.

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HONG KONG,MAY 11-(AP)-A BRITISH ROYAL ORDER DETAINING 70 PLANES HERE UNTIL A COURT RULES ON OWNERSHIP CAME TOO LATE, A SPOKESMAN FOR RETIRED U.S.MAJ.GEN.CLAIRE L.CHENNAULT SAID TODAY.

THE SPOKESMAN, ATTORNEY JAMES J.BRENNAN, SAID "THE COMMUNISTS ALREADY HAVE REMOVED MOST OF THE PARTS AND EQUIPMENT AND SHIPPED THEM TO CHINA. THE PLANES NOW ARE NOT IN ANY SHAPE TO FLY."

CHENNAULT'S CIVIL AIR TRANSPORT, INC., (CAT) AND THE CHINESE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT BOTH CLAIM OWNERSHIP OF THE PLANES, FORMERLY OWNED BY TWO CHINESE NATIONALIST AIR LINES.

KING GEORGE VI SIGNED AN ORDER YESTERDAY IN LONDON GROUNDING THE PLANES.

THE SUPREME COURT OF THIS BRITISH CROWN COLONY LAST FEB.23 LIFTED ITS OWN INJUNCTION GROUNDING THE PLANES. IN EFFECT, THIS ACTION GAVE THE PLANES TO THE REDS, SINCE MOST EMPLOYES OF THE TWO AIR LINES SAID THEY WERE ACTING UNDER ORDERS OF THE CHINESE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT.

CHIEF JUSTICE SIR LESLIE GIBSON SAID THEN THE RULING WAS BASED ON THE "SOVEREIGN IMMUNITY" PRINCIPLE. THE COURT RULED THE CHINESE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT WAS IN POSSESSION OF THE TWO INCORPORATED AIR LINES REGARDLESS OF WHETHER IT ACTUALLY HAD POSSESSION OF THE ASSETS.

CHENNAULT SAID HIS CAT (CAPS) HAD PURCHASED THE PLANES FROM CHINESE NATIONAL AVIATION CORP. (CNAC) AND CENTRAL AIR TRANSPORT CORP. (CATC).

THE COURT AT THAT TIME DENIED CHENNAULT'S PLEA TO ACT AS RECEIVER FOR CNAC AND CATC.

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PEARL HARBOR,MAY 11-(AP)-A U.S. TASK FORCE OF 20 WARSHIPS LEAVES PEARL HARBOR TODAY AND TOMORROW TO CARRY THE AMERICAN FLAG TO THE TROUBLED ORIENT.

HEADED BY THE CARRIER VALLEY FORGE, THE TASK FORCE WILL TAKE ALONG THE FIRST U.S. NAVY JET PLANES TO MAKE AN APPEARANCE OVER COMMUNIST-THREATENED SOUTHEAST ASIA.

VICE ADM. CALVIN T.DURGIN, COMMANDER OF THE PACIFIC FIRST FLEET AND TEMPORARY CHIEF OF THE TASK FORCE, TOLD REPORTERS:

"YOU KNOW WHAT THE SHOW OF OUR FLAG DID TO JACK UP DEMOCRATIC HOPES IN THE MEDITERRANEAN. THAT'S WHAT WE PLAN TO DO IN THE WESTERN PACIFIC."

THE JET FIGHTERS ARE 33 PANTHER JETS. THERE ARE 47 OTHER PLANES. THE TASK FORCE WILL CARRY 6,600 MEN. INCLUDED AMONG THE WARSHIPS ARE TWO OTHER NEW WEAPONS, SNORKEL-TYPE SUBMARINES, THE REMORA AND CATFISH, WHICH CAN BREATHE UNDER WATER.

DURGIN SAID ALL MAJOR STRENGTHENING OF THE PACIFIC FLEET "FOR THE IMMEDIATE FUTURE" HAD BEEN COMPLETED.

"OUR BIGGEST NEED," HE ADDED, "STILL IS MORE SUBMARINES FOR ANTI-SUB TRAINING PURPOSES."

DURGIN WILL HAND OVER COMMAND OF THE TASK FORCE IN HAWAIIAN WATERS TOMORROW TO REAR ADM. JOHN M. HOSKINS.

MOST OF THE SHIPS WILL RELIEVE THOSE OF REAR ADM. WALTER F. BOONE'S SEVENTH FLEET IN FAR EAST WATERS. BOONE, HIS CARRIER BOXER AND A NUMBER OF OTHER SHIPS WILL RETURN TO THE WEST COAST IN JUNE.

DURGIN WILL RETURN TO SAN DIEGO ABOARD THE SEAPLANE TENDER CURTISS.

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B57KX (Q) (PRECEDE HAWAII)

PRECEDE WASHINGTON HAWAIIAN (225)

HONOLULU, MAY 11-(AP)-THE SO-CALLED LEFT WING OF THE HAWAIIAN DEMOCRATIC PARTY ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT ALLEGED COMMUNISTS IN ITS RANKS MUST EITHER DENOUNCE COMMUNISM OR GET OUT.

PARTY LEADERS SAID AT A PRESS CONFERENCE THAT THEY HAD ASKED 15 DELEGATES TO THE APRIL 30 TERRITORIAL DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION TO FILE STATEMENTS OF DEMOCRATIC LOYALTY IMMEDIATELY.

THESE 15 WERE AMONG WITNESSES WHO HAD REFUSED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS ABOUT COMMUNISM CONNECTIONS AT HARINGS OF THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES IN HAWAII IN APRIL.

THE HOUSE COMMITTEE IN WASHINGTON TODAY VOTED TO SEEK CONTEMPT CITATIONS AGAINST ALL 39 PERSONS WHO HAD REFUSED TO ANSWER.

IT WAS OVER THE SEATING OF THE 15 DELEGATES THAT A GROUP OF CONSERVATIVE DEMOCRATS WALKED OUT OF THE APRIL 30 CONVENTION HERE AND FORMED A PARTY ORGANIZATION OF THEIR OWN.

BOTH FACTIONS, DESCRIBED BY LOCAL PAPERS AS "LEFT WING" AND "RIGHT WING" ARE SENDING REPRESENTATIVES TO THE DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL COMMITTEE MEETINGS IN CHICAGO THIS WEEKEND.

THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE LEFT WING GROUP, WHICH IS BACKED BY MAYOR JOHN H. WILSON OF HONOLULU, ADOPTED A RESOLUTION ASKING THAT GOV. INGRAM M. STAINBACK BE "REMOVED IMMEDIATELY AND IMMEDIATELY REPLACED BY A LOYAL, VIGOROUS DEMOCRAT." THE GROUP THAT WALKED OUT PRAISED GOVERNOR STAINBACK.

CHARLES M. HITE, ACTING CHAIRMAN WHO SPOKE AT TODAY'S PRESS CONFERENCE, SAID HE BELIEVED THE RULE CHANGE TO OUST ANYONE WHO FAILED TO CLEAR HIMSELF OF COMMUNISM WOULD LEAD THE CONSERVATIVES TO RETURN.

THE HOUSE COMMITTEE'S ACTION INWASHINGTON WAS ANNOUNCED BY REP. WALTER (D-PA). WALTER WAS ACTING-CHAIRMAN OF THE INVESTIGATING GROUP WHICH CAME HERE TO MAKE THE INQUIRY.

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CISION MEANS THE COMMITTEE WILL ASK THE HOUSE TO VOTE CONTEMPT CITATIONS. IF THE HOUSE DOES, THE MATTER WILL BE REFERRED TO THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE FOR PROSECUTION.

THE NEXT STEP WOULD BE FOR THE DEPARTMENT TO PLACE THE CHARGES BEFORE A GRAND JURY IN HAWAII AND ASK FOR INDICTMENTS.

THERE WAS NO IMMEDIATE INDICATION WHEN THE HOUSE WOULD ACT ON THE COMMITTEE'S RECOMMENDATION.

AMONG THE WITNESSES WHO REFUSED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS PUT TO HIM

DURING THE HAWAIIAN INQUIRY WAS JACK HALL, REGIONAL DIRECTOR OF THE CIO INTERNATIONAL LONGSHOREMEN'S AND WAREHOUSEMEN'S UNION, HEADED BY HARRY BRIDGES.

THE COMMITTEE WANTS A CLEAR-CUT COURT TEST TO DETERMINE DEFINITELY THE NATURE OF QUESTIONS A WITNESS MAY REFUSE TO ANSWER, OR BE REQUIRED TO ANSWER.

WALTER SAID THE RELUCTANT WITNESSES IN HAWAII CITED THE FIFTH AMENDMENT IN REFUSING TO ANSWER QUESTIONS. THEY CONTENDED THAT ANSWERS MIGHT TEND TO INCRIMINATE THEM. THE FIFTH AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION SAYS THAT NO ONE MAY BE COMPELLED TO BE A WITNESS AGAINST HIMSELF.

MANY OTHER WITNESSES BEFORE THE COMMITTEE IN HEARINGS HERE HAVE TAKEN THE SAME POSITION.

NUMEROUS CONTEMPT PROCEEDINGS HAVE GROWN OUT OF COMMITTEE HEARINGS BUT NONE HAS BEEN AGAINST A WITNESS WHO INVOKED POSSIBLE SELF-IN-CRIMINATION IN REFUSING TO TESTIFY.

THE QUESTION THE COMMITTEE WANTS THE COURTS TO DECIDE IS WHETHER A WITNESS IS THE SOLE JUDGE OF WHAT WOULD BE SELF-INCRIMINATING.

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A145KX (WEST OUT) (110)

BANGKOK, THAILAND (SIAM), MAY 11-(AP)-COMMUNIST CHINA TODAY ASKED A REGIONAL UNITED NATIONS CONFERENCE HERE TO ADVISE THE THAILAND GOVERNMENT TO LET ITS DELEGATE COME TO BANGKOK.

RED PREMIER CHOU EN-LAI SENT A CABLE TO THE ECONOMIC CONFERENCE FOR ASIA AND THE FAR EAST (ECAFE). EXECUTIVE SECRETARY P. S. LOKANATHAN OF INDIA DEISTRIBUTED COPIES TO A COMMITTEE MEETING WITHOUT COMMENT.

A SHOWDOWN VOTE ON UNSEATING THE CHINESE NATIONALIST DELEGATE IS EXPECTED WHEN THE FULL CONFERENCE OPENS MAY 16. RUSSIA WALKED OUT OF THE COMMITTEE TUESDAY WHEN IT WAS VOTED DOWN ON A RESOLUTION WHICH PROPOSED TO SEAT THE COMMUNIST DELEGATE.

THE CABLE FROM CHOU ASSERTED THE NATIONALIST DELEGATION WAS ILLEGAL AND UNQUALIFIED TO TAKE PART IN THE MEETINGS AND "MUST BE DRIVEN OUT THEREFROM."

THAILAND OFFICIALS INSIST THEY HAVE RECEIVED NO REQUEST FOR A VISA FOR THE COMMUNIST DELEGATE.

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B73 (Q)

SAIGON, INDOCHINA, MAY 11-(AP)-FRENCH PRESIDENT VINCENT AURIOL SAID TODAY THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT AGREES TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS BETWEEN THE FRENCH SPONSORED VIETNAMESE REGIME OF BAO DAI AND THE AMERICAN AND BRITISH GOVERNMENTS.

IN A LETTER TO BAO DAI MADE PUBLIC TODAY THE PRESIDENT SAID:

"THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT GIVES ITS AGREEMENT TO A REPRESENTATION OF VIETNAM TO THE AMERICAN AND BRITISH GOVERNMENT:

"I AM READY, WHEN THE TIME COMES, AND IN AGREEMENT WITH YOUR MAJESTY, TO HAND OVER CREDENTIALS LETTERS TO THE ENVOYS THAT YOUR MAJESTY WILL CHOOSE AS REPRESENTATIVES TO THE AMERICAN AND BRITISH GOVERNMENTS."

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AURIOL'S LETTER WAS A REPLY TO A LETTER FROM BAO DAI EXPRESSING THE DESIRE OF THE VIETNAMESE CHIEF OF STATE TO SEND DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS TO THE U.S. AND GREAT BRITAIN.

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B51 (Q)

SAIGON, VIETNAM, INDOCHINA, MAY 11-(AP)-A FRENCH MILITARY MISSION MAY SOON VISIT JAPAN TO CONFER WITH AMERICAN OCCUPATION OFFICIALS ON U.S. MILITARY AID FOR INDOCHINA, INFORMED SOURCES SAID TODAY.

U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON ANNOUNCED IN PARIS THIS WEEK THAT AMERICA WOULD GIVE SUBSTANTIAL HELP TO THE FRENCH IN THEIR FIGHT AGAINST COMMUNIST-LED GUERRILLAS.

IT WAS CONSIDERED POSSIBLE HERE THAT GENERAL MARCEL CARPENTIER, COMMANDER IN CHIEF OF FRENCH FORCES IN THE FAR EAST, MIGHT CONFER IN TOKYO, WITH GENERAL DOUGLAS MACARTHUR, AMERICAN COMMANDER OF OCCUPATION FORCES.

FRENCH SOURCES SAID SOME OF THE AMERICAN AID WOULD PROBABLY BE FROM U.S. SURPLUS AVAILABLE IN THE PACIFIC BASES. THE TALKS IN TOKYO WOULD BE TO DISCUSS THE QUANTITY AND TYPE OF SUCH EQUIPMENT.

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B52 (Q)

SAIGON, VIETNAM, INDOCHINA, MAY 11-(AP)-TWO JAPANESE OFFICERS, MAJOR SAWANO AND CAPTAIN IMAZOU, WERE SHOT TODAY BY A FRENCH FIRING SQUAD AS WAR CRIMINALS.

THEY WERE SENTENCED TO DEATH FOR TAKING PART IN THE MASSACRE OF HAGIANG, NORTHERN INDOCHINA, IN 1945, WHEN FRENCH PRISONERS WERE KILLED.

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B50 (Q)

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SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA, MAY 11-(AP)-ACTING JUSTICE STANLEY TOOSE DECLARED TODAY THAT TOO MANY FORMER AMERICAN GI'S HAVE LEFT THE AUSTRALIAN GIRLS THEY WOOED AND WON IN WARTIME. WHAT'S MORE, HE ADDED, MANY NEVER INTENDED TO MAKE THEIR VOWS PERMANENT.

TOOSE PASSED THIS OBSERVATION AS HE GRANTED A DIVORCE TO BERYL JOYCE SARGENT, 26, FROM GERALD SARGENT, 32, OF MIAMI, FLA.

MRS. SARGENT SAID SHE HAD MARRIED TOWARDS THE END OF THE WAR. SHE DECLARED THAT WHEN HER HUSBAND WENT HOME AFTER THE WAR WAS OVER HE REFUSED TO HAVE ANYTHING MORE TO DO WITH HER.

TOOSE COMMENTED THAT MANY AMERICANS STATIONED IN AUSTRALIA DURING THE WAR MARRIED SOME OF THIS COUNTRY'S FINEST GIRLS WITHOUT ANY INTENTION OF MAKING THE UNIONS STICK.

HE ADDED THAT IF IT HAD NOT BEEN FOR A FEDERAL DIVORCE ACT DESIGNED TO DEAL WITH THESE CASES, AUSTRALIAN GIRLS WOULD HAVE HAD TO GO TO THE UNITED STATES TO REGAIN THEIR FREEDOM. ABOUT 10,000 AMERICAN SOLDIERS MARRIED AUSTRALIAN GIRLS DURING THE WAR.

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OTTAWA, MAY 11-(AP)-THE NATIONAL JAPANESE-CANADIAN CITIZENS ASSOCIATION HAS URGED THE GOVERNMENT TO ADOPT A BILL OF RIGHTS TO GUARD AGAINST REPETITION OF SUCH ACTION AS THE WARTIME EVACUATION OF JAPANESE NATIONALS FROM COASTAL BRITISH COLUMBIA.

THE SUGGESTION WAS CONTAINED IN A BRIEF PLACED YESTERDAY BY THE

ASSOCIATION BEFORE CANADA'S SENATE COMMITTEE STUDYING HUMAN RIGHTS AND FUNDAMENTAL FREEDOMS.

THE REMOVAL OF THE JAPANESE-CANADIAN MINORITY FROM THE BRITISH COLUMBIA COASTAL REGION BY GOVERNMENT ORDER IN 1942 "SHOCKED THE JAPANESE-CANADIANS INTO THE REALIZATION THAT SOME OF THE BASIC HUMAN RIGHTS WHICH THEY HAD ALWAYS CONSIDERED INVIOLABLE AND WHICH THEY HAD FULLY ACCEPTED IN FAITH AS CANADIAN CITIZENS, WERE NOT DEEP AND ABIDING RIGHTS," THE BRIEF SAID.

THE ASSOCIATION SAID IT BELIEVED THAT THE UNITED NATIONS DECLARATION OF HUMAN RIGHTS "IS A GREAT AND WISE STANDARD UPON WHICH CANADA COULD VERY WELL DETERMINE A CANADIAN BILL OF RIGHTS."

IN CANADA, PROTECTION OF HUMAN RIGHTS AND FUNDAMENTAL FREEDOMS IS BASED ON UNWRITTEN LAW AS IN THE UNITED KINGDOM.

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FIRST LEAD RESEARCH COUNCIL (A181)

OTTAWA, MAY 11-(AP)-AN OFFICIAL OF CANADA'S NATIONAL RESEARCH COUNCIL INDICATED TODAY THAT ONE OR TWO FOREIGN-BORN SCIENTISTS HAVE LEFT THE GOVERNMENT'S SCIENTIFIC ORGANIZATION WITHIN THE LAST TWO YEARS FOR SECURITY REASONS.

HOWEVER, HE LATER SAID SCIENTISTS AT THE BIG CHALK RIVER ATOMIC ENERGY PROJECT WERE NOT INVOLVED. THE COUNCIL'S JURISDICTION INCLUDES THE ATOMIC PROJECT AS WELL AS ACTIVITIES IN RADAR, SUPERSONIC AND OTHER VITAL RESEARCH, MUCH OF IT CONNECTED WITH MILITARY ENDEAVOR.

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TORONTO, MAY 11-(AP)-GEN. LUCIUS D. CLAY, FORMER COMMANDER OF UNITED STATES OCCUPATION FORCES IN GERMANY, SAID TODAY THE RUSSIANS ARE NOT WILLING TO RUN THE RISK OF A WAR UNTIL THEY ARE SURE THEY CAN WIN IT. HE ADDED:

"THEY WOULD BE DAMN FOOLS IF THEY THOUGHT THEY COULD WIN IT NOW."

CLAY, RECENTLY APPOINTED CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD OF CONTINENTAL CAN COMPANY LTD., IS MAKING AN INSPECTION TOUR OF THE COMPANY'S CANADIAN PLANTS.

HE SAID IN AN INTERVIEW HE DOES NOT THINK A "PHYSICAL WAR" LIKELY IN THE NEAR FUTURE.

"IF IN THE NEXT FEW YEARS THE WESTERN COUNTRIES CAN BUILD UP MILITARY STRENGTH SO THAT ANY ATTEMPT AT WAR WOULD BE RUINOUSLY EXPENSIVE I AM SURE WE CAN HAVE A LONG PEACE."

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(550) AMS BUDGET

NIGHT LEAD ATOM BOMB

BY MAX BOYD

WASHINGTON, MAY 11-(AP)-A PROPOSAL TO CONFRONT RUSSIA WITH REVOLUTIONARY NEW ATOMIC DEFENSES IN WESTERN EUROPE IS BEING CONSIDERED BY U.S. MILITARY OFFICIALS.

THE CORE OF THE IDEA IS TO PLACE ATOMIC WEAPONS WITHIN EASY REACH OF THIS COUNTRY'S EUROPEAN ALLIES, SUBJECT TO SOME SORT OF U.S. OR ALLIED CONTROL, BEFORE RUSSIA GETS A SUBSTANTIAL STOCKPILE OF ATOM BOMBS.

COUPLED WITH THIS IDEA IS A NEW CONCEPT OF MILITARY FORCE, IN WHICH FAST JET PLANES EQUIPPED TO CARRY SMALL ATOMIC BOMBS WOULD BE RELIED UPON TO REPLACE MANY CONVENTIONAL GROUND DIVISIONS.

U.S.DEFENSE AUTHORITIES ARE EXPLORING THE HIGHLY CONTROVERSIAL PROPOSAL, ASSEMBLING MILITARY ARGUMENTS FOR AND AGAINST IT. THEIR DISCUSSIONS ARE STILL IN A PRELIMINARY STAGE AND FAR FROM A RECOMMENDATION ON WHICH PRESIDENT TRUMAN MIGHT BASE A REQUEST FOR CONGRESSIONAL ACTION.

BEFORE ATOMIC WEAPONS COULD BE MADE AVAILABLE TO EUROPEAN MEMBERS OF THE ATLANTIC PACT, CONGRESS WOULD HAVE TO AMEND THE ATOMIC ENERGY ACT.

INITIAL CONGRESSIONAL REACTION TO THE IDEA OF SHARING ATOMIC WEAPONS WITH EUROPEAN ALLIES INDICATES THAT IT WILL HAVE TOUGHT SLEDING IF IT REACHES CAPITOL HILL.

WITHOUT EXCEPTION, MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE WHO DISCUSSED THE IDEA WITH REPORTERS TODAY EXPRESSED OPPOSITION.

REP.EATON (R-NJ), FORMER CHAIRMAN, SAID THAT GIVING A-BOMBS TO OTHER NATIONS WOULD "MEAN GIVING NOTICE TO RUSSIA THAT EVERYBODY COULD USE THE BOMB."

"THAT WOULD BE TERRIBLE," SAID EATON, WHO EXPRESSED A "HOPE AND PRAYER" THAT THE BOMB CAN BE OUTLAWED IN ALL COUNTRIES.

REP.BURLESON (D-TEXAS) EXPRESSED BELIEF THAT DISTRIBUTING BOMBS TO OTHER NATIONS WOULD NOT BE A SENSIBLE STEP "UNDER IMMEDIATE CONDITIONS."

"IF THE TIME COMES TO USE THEM, I HOPE WE WILL BE THE ONES TO DO IT," HE SAID.

REP. SMITH (R-WIS) CALLED THE IDEA TERRIBLE AND PREDICTED THAT 98 PER CENT OF THE MEMBERS OF CONGRESS WOULD REBEL IF IT IS PRESENTED TO THEM. HE TOLD A REPORTER:

"I WAS HOME JUST LAST WEEKEND AND, IF THERE WAS ANYTHING THAT THE PEOPLE ARE TALKING ABOUT, IT WAS NATIONAL SECURITY AND WHAT FOOLS WE'VE BEEN."

REP.JAVITS (REP-LIB, NY) SAID THE FIRST PRINCIPLE OF MILITARY OPERATIONS IS TO CONCENTRATE DEFINITE STRENGTH AT A STRATEGIC POINT AND RETAIN THE MAXIMUM ABILITY TO DELIVER.

"NEITHER OF THOSE PURPOSES WOULD BE SERVED BY GIVING ATOMIC BOMBS AT THIS POINT TO EUROPEAN NATIONS."

REP. FULTON (R-PA) LIKEWISE EXPRESSED OPPOSITION.

SOME MILITARY OFFICIALS SHARE THE OPINION OF THESE CONGRESSMEN THAT IT WOULD BE UNWISE TO MAKE ATOMIC WEAPONS AVAILABLE TO ENGLAND, FRANCE AND OTHER MEMBERS OF THE ATLANTIC ALLIANCE.

THESE OFFICIALS FEAR THAT INFORMATION ABOUT IMPROVED DESIGNS MIGHT LEAK TO RUSSIA. THEY ARE APPREHENSIVE ALSO THAT THE WEAPONS MIGHT FALL INTO COMMUNIST HANDS AND BE TURNED AGAINST AMERICA, EITHER AS THE RESULT OF POLITICAL UPHEAVALS OR OF RUSSIA OVERRUNNING WESTERN EUROPE.

MILITARY AUTHORITIES FAVORING THE PROPOSAL CONTEND THAT SAFEGUARDS AGAINST ATOM BOMBS FALLING INTO ENEMY HANDS COULD BE WORKED OUT.

SEVERAL POSSIBLE SAFEGUARDS HAVE BEEN SUGGESTED. ONE IS THAT ATLANTIC ALLIES BE MADE READY TO HELP DELIVER ATOMIC WEAPONS BUT THAT THE BOMBS BE KEPT OUTSIDE EUROPE, IN THE UNITED KINGDOM OR NORTH AFRICA.

ANOTHER PROPOSAL IS THAT THE BOMBS BE CONTROLLED BY A NORTH ATLANTIC ATOMIC CONTROL ORGANIZATION SIMILAR TO THAT WHICH THE U.S. HAS PROPOSED, AND RUSSIA HAS BLOCKED, FOR THE UNITED NATIONS.

A THIRD IS THAT BOMBS BE PLACED IN WESTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES BUT THAT AMERICANS REMAIN IN CHARGE OF THEM.

THE STRONGEST MILITARY ADVOCATES ARE AMONG OFFICIALS WHO CONTEND THAT WESTERN EUROPE MUST BE KEPT OUT OF RUSSIAN HANDS IF THE U.S. IS TO REMAIN SECURE. THESE ADVOCATES CONTEND THAT IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO ARM WESTERN EUROPE SUFFICIENTLY WITH CONVENTIONAL FORCES BEFORE RUSSIA ACHIEVES A SUBSTANTIAL STOCKPILE OF ATOMIC BOMBS. ESTIMATES OF THE TIME WHEN RUSSIA WILL HAVE SUCH A STOCKPILE RANGE FROM TWO TO FIVE YEARS.

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(350) AMS BUDGET

SECOND NIGHT LEAD FOREIGN AID

WASHINGTON,MAY 11-(AP)-AN $8,000,000 FUND FOR RELIEF OF CHINA'S "WORST FAMINE IN 100 YEARS" WAS WRITTEN INTO THE FOREIGN AID BILL TODAY.

A SENATE-HOUSE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE NEARED FINAL AGREEMENT ON THE MEASURE AS PRESIDENT TRUMAN PRESSED CONGRESS FOR PROMPT PASSAGE TO "STRENGTHEN SECRETARY ACHESON'S HAND" IN LONDON WHERE HIGH WESTERN POLICY IS BEING FORMULATED.

USE OF THE $8,000,000 CHINA FAMINE FUND WOULDDEPEND ON WHETHER CHINA'S COMMUNIST LEADERS WOULD PERMIT ITS DISTRIBUTION BY SUCH AN AGENCY AS THE RED CROSS. MR.TRUMAN ALREADY HAS ACCUSED THEM OF SENDIN RUSSIA FOOD WHILE THEIR OWN PEOPLE STARVE.

IN THIS STATEMENT TWO DAYS AGO, MR.TRUMAN ALSO ASSERTED THAT THE UNITED STATES NOW IS TRYING TO FIND A WAY TO GET FOOD INTO THE HANDS OF AMERICAN PRIVATE AGENCIES STILL IN CHINA TO AID THE STRICKEN MILLIONS. IT WAS THE PRESIDENT WHO CALLED IT CHINA'S WORST FAMINE IN A CENTURY.

THE ONLY MAJOR PROVISION OF THE BILL TO BE SETTLED IS THE PRESIDENT'S POINT FOUR PROGRAM OF TECHNICAL AID TO BACKWARD AREAS OF THE WORLD.

CHAIRMAN CONNALLY (D-TEX) OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE SAID HE EXPECTED FINAL AGREEMENT ON ALL POINTS TOMORROW INCLUDING POINT FOUR. THE BILL THEN WOULD GO BACK TO HOUSE AND SENATE FOR FINAL APPROVAL OR REJECTION.

THE CONFERENCE APPROVED AUTHORIZATIONS FOR:

(1) $2,850,000,000 FOR THE EUROPEAN RECOVERY PROGRAM. THIS COMPARES WITH $3,778,000,000 VOTED LAST YEAR. THE ADMINISTRATION HAD ASKED $3,100,000,000 FOR THE NEW FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING NEXT JULY 1.

(2) UPWARDS OF $100,000,000 FOR USE IN NON-COMMUNIST CHINA, FORMOSA, AND THE GENERAL CHINA AREA--TO BE SPENT AT THE DISCRETION OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN;

(3) $100,000,000 FOR KOREA,

(4) $27,450,000 FOR PALESTINE REFUGEE AID.

THE MAJOR DISAGREEMENT OVER POINT FOUR LIES IN THE AMOUNT TO BE SPENT DURING THE FIRST YEAR. THE SENATE APPROVED $45,000,000, AS MR. TRUMAN REQUESTED, BUT THE HOUSE VOTED ONLY $25,000,000.

A COMMITTEE AID SAID THE CONFEREES AGREED TO THE FOLLOWING DISTRIBUTION OF THE CHINA FUNDS:

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(1) $40,000,000 EARMARKED FOR AID TO NON-COMMUNIST FORCES IN CHINA AND FORMOSA--IF PRESIDENT TRUMAN DEEMS IT WISE.

(2) $40,000,000 FOR THE GENERAL AREA OUTSIDE CHINA PROPER.

(3) $8,000,000 FOR RELIEF TO COMMUNIST CHINA.

(4) $6,000,000 TO FINANCE THE EDUCATION HERE OF CHINESE STUDENTS.

THESE FUNDS WOULD COME OUT OF UNUSED MONEY APPROPRIATED LAST YEAR FOR CHINA AID.

MR. TRUMAN, IN HIS TELEGRAM TO CONGRESSIONAL LEADERS URGING QUICK ACTION ON THE BILL, ALSO PLUGGED FOR THE FULL $45,000,000 ASKED FOR POINT FOUR.

"REDUCTION OF THIS AMOUNT," THE PRESIDENT SAID, "WOULD NOT ONLY HAMPER EFFECTIVE WORK IN THIS FIELD BUT WOULD ALSO HAVE SERIOUS POLITICAL AND PSYCHOLOGICAL REACTIONS IN THESE AREAS WHERE CONFIDENCE IN THE FIRM DETERMINATION OF THE UNITED STATES IS NOW CRUCIAL."

THE BILL, WHICH INCLUDES AN AUTHORIZATION OF $2,850,000,000(B) IN AID FOR EUROPEAN COUNTRIES, HAS PASSED BOTH THE HOUSE AND SENATE, BUT IN DIFFERENT FORMS.

LEADERS FROM BOTH HOUSES HAVE BEEN WORKING ON A COMPROMISE WHICH MAY BE COMPLETED BY TOMORROW.

ONE ITEM THAT HAS TO BE IRONED OUT: HOW MUCH SHOULD THIS COUNTRY SPEND TO HELP BACKWARD AREAS? THIS IS THE "POINT FOUR" PROGRAM, SO-CALLED BECAUSE MR.TRUMAN MENTIONED IT FOURTH IN HIS INAUGURAL ADDRESS.

THE SENATE AGREED WITH MR.TRUMAN AND VOTED THE FULL $45,000,000. THE HOUSE SAID $25,000,000.

MR.TRUMAN SENT HIS TELEGRAM AT A TIME WHEN SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON IS IN LONDON FOR TALKS WITH BRITISH FOREIGN MINISTER BEVIN AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER SCHUMAN.

IN HIS TELEGRAM, SENT FROM THE TRAIN CARRYING HIM ON HIS WESTERN TRIP, MR.TRUMAN PRAISED THE WORK DONE BY CHAIRMAN CONNALLY (D-TEXAS) OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE AND CHAIRMAN KEE (D-WVA) OF THE HOUSE FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE.

"I ESPECIALLY APPRECIATE YOUR WORK IN SECURING SENATE APPROVAL OF THE POINT FOUR PROGRAM,", MR.TRUMAN SAID.

"AS YOU KNOW, I FEEL THAT THIS PROGRAM WILL BE OF GREAT HELP TO THE EFFORTS OF THE UNDERDEVELOPED COUNTRIES, PARTICULARLY THOSE OF THE NEAR EAST AND SOUTHERN AND SOUTHEAST ASIA, TO MAINTAIN THEIR INDEPENDE CE IN THE FACE OF GRAVE DANGERS."

AFTER THE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE WORKS OUT A COMPROMISE, THE BILL MUST PASS THE HOUSE AND SENATE AGAIN, AND THEN BE SIGNED BY THE PRESIDENT.

THE BILL MERELY AUTHORIZES THE AMOUNT THAT MAY BE SPENT. IT PROVIDES NO CASH. THAT WILL HAVE TO COME IN A LATER MEASURE.

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B4WX (SEGC)
(200) FOREIGN AID

WASHINGTON,MAY 11-(AP)-SENATORS AND HOUSE MEMBERS HOPE TO FINISH WRITING A COMPROMISE FOREIGN AID BILL BY TOMORROW, AFTER VOTING TO SET ASIDE $1,200,000,000 FOR THE JOB OF BREAKING DOWN EUROPE'S TRADE BARRIERS.

THAT ACTION BY SENATE-HOUSE CONFEREES WAS REPORTED LATE YESTERDAY BY CHAIRMAN CONNALLY (D-TEX) OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE. CONNALLY IS A MEMBER OF THE COMMITTEE TRYING TO ADJUST DIFFERENCES BETWEEN SEPARATE MEASURES PASSED BY THE SENATE AND HOUSE.

BOTH FOREIGN AID BILLS WOULD AUTHORIZE A NUMBER OF PROGRAMS, THE MOST IMPORTANT BEING A THIRD-YEAR MARSHALL PLAN COSTING CLOSE TO $3,000,000,000. ACTUAL CASH FOR THAT AND THE OTHER PROJECTS INVOLVED WOULD HAVE TO BE PROVIDED IN A LATER MEASURE.

CONNALLY SAID THE COMMITTEE AGREED YESTERDAY TO EARMARK AT LEAST $600,000,000 OF THE FUNDS JUST FOR BREAKING DOWN TRADE BARRIERS. ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATOR PAUL G.HOFFMAN WOULD HAVE WIDE AUTHORITY IN DECIDING HOW TO USE THIS SUM.

ANOTHER AMENDMENT, CONNALLY SAID, WOULD PROVIDE UP TO $600,000,000 FOR SETTING UP A EUROPEAN PAYMENTS UNION, WHICH HOFFMAN HAS URGED AS THE BEST WAY TO ENCOURAGE A FREE FLOW OF MONEY BETWEEN COUNTRIES--AND THUS TO INCREASE TRADE. THE SENATOR SAID HOFFMAN HAD INTENDED TO USE ONLY $400,000,000 FOR THE PAYMENTS UNION.

CONNALLY SAID THE CONFEREES PROBABLY WILL REACH FINAL AGREEMENT ON THE MEASURE FRIDAY. IT MUST THEN BE APPROVED BY BOTH THE HOUSE AND SENATE BEFORE GOING TO THE WHITE HOUSE FOR PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S SIGNATURE.

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A185WX (BJT)
(350) AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD ASIA
BY JOHN M. HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON, MAY 11-(AP)-UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE JAMES WEBB ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT THE UNITED STATES IS PRESSING HARD TO COMPLETE ECONOMIC AND MILITARY AID PROGRAMS FOR THE COMMUNIST-THREATENED NATIONS OF SOUTHEAST ASIA.

WEBB, PINCH HITTING FOR SECRETARY ACHESON WHO IS ATTENDING THE LONDON DIPLOMATIC MEETING, SAID THE ECONOMIC PROGRAM WILL COST ABOUT $60,000,000. FROM OTHER SOURCES IT WAS LEARNED THAT MILITARY ASSISTANCE WILL COST ABOUT $30,000,000 -- AN INITIAL CASH OUTLAY OF AROUND $90,000,000 TO STOP COMMUNISM OVER A HUGE FRONT OF THE COLD WAR.

IN ANOTHER MOVE TO MEND FENCES AGAINST THE RED TIDE, THE UNITED STATES HAS SELECTED DONALD R.HEATH TO BE ENVOY TO INDOCHINA, WITH HEADQUARTERS AT SAIGON. HE IS A VETERAN OF THE COLD WAR, HAVING BEEN UNTIL RECENTLY MINISTER TO BULGARIA. THE COMMUNISTS FORCED HIS RECALL FROM THAT SOVIET SATELLITE STATE, WITH THE RESULT THAT THE UNITED STATES BROKE OFF DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH BULGARIA.

PERSONS FAMILIAR WITH THE DETAILS OF THE AID PROGRAMS SAID THEY BREAK DOWN LIKE THIS:

ECONOMIC -- $23,000,000 FOR INDOCHINA; $11,000,000 EACH FOR INDONESIA, BURMA AND THAILAND; AND ABOUT $5,000,000 FOR MALAYA.

MILITARY -- $15,000,000 FOR INDOCHINA, $10,000,000 FOR THAILAND, AND $5,000,000 FOR INDONESIA.

THE ECONOMIC PROGRAM WAS LAID OUT BY ALLEN GRIFFIN, CALIFORNIA PUBLISHER, AND A SPECIAL SURVEY MISSION WHICH GRIFFIN HEADED AND WHICH RETURNED FROM A TOUR OF SOUTHEAST ASIA A FEW DAYS AGO.

REFERRING TO THE WORK OF THAT GROUP, WEBB SAID "ITS OVERALL RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE AREA ARE MODEST AND TOTAL IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD OF $60,000,000. THE DEPARTMENT IS WORKING ON PLANS TO IMPLEMENT THAT PROGRAM AT ONCE."

MILITARY AID, WHICH WILL CONSIST MOSTLY OF TRANSPORTATION AND COMMUNICATION EQUIPMENT, WILL BE FINANCED OUT OF A FUND OF $75,000,000 WHICH CONGRESS VOTED PRESIDENT TRUMAN LAST FALL FOR USE IN THE GENERAL AREA OF CHINA. THE ECONOMIC AID COSTS WILL BE MET FROM AN ECA CHINA FUND UNDER LEGISLATION WHICH IS STILL PENDING IN CONGRESS BUT IS DUE TO BE FINALLY ACTED ON WITHIN A WEEK.

ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE WILL NOT BE ON A GRAND SCALE BUT, CONSISTING OF SIMPLE TOOLS AND OTHER EQUIPMENT NECESSARY IN UNDERDEVELOPED LANDS, WILL BE AT THE MAXIMUM LEVEL WHICH AMERICAN OFFICIALS FEEL THE PEOPLE IN EACH COUNTRY CAN USE EFFECTIVELY.

AUTHORITIES SAID THAT OBVIOUSLY THESE ARE STARTER PROGRAMS IN BOTH CASES--ECONOMIC AND MILITARY. PRESUMABLY RECOMMENDATIONS WILL EVENTUALLY BE MADE TO CONGRESS ON LATER REQUIREMENTS.

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CHINA

WASHINGTON, MAY 11-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY PROMISED 35 SENATORS THAT THEIR APPEAL FOR NON-RECOGNITION OF COMMUNIST CHINA "WILL BE CAREFULLY CONSIDERED."

THE SENATE GROUP SENT A LETTER TO MR.TRUMAN LAST WEEK URGING HIM TO TAKE A PUBLIC STAND AGAINST DIPLOMATIC RECOGNITION FOR THE CHINESE RED REGIME AND AGAINST THE SEATING OF A CHINESE COMMUNIST DELEGATE IN THE UNITED NATIONS.

MR.TRUMAN, NOW ON A CROSS-COUNTRY SPEAKING TOUR, SENT A MESSAGE TO REPUBLICAN SENATE LEADER WHERRY OF NEBRASKA SAYING:

"IT IS VERY THOUGHTFUL OF YOU TO GIVE ME AN EXPRESSION OF YOUR OPINION ON THE CHINESE SITUATION--AND IT WILL BE CAREFULLY CONSIDERED."

THE LETTER TO MR.TRUMAN WAS SIGNED BY 31 REPUBLICANS AND FOUR DEMOCRATS ON THE URGING OF SENATOR KNOWLAND (R-CALIF).

THE PRESIDENT'S REPLY CAME TO WHERRY--ONE OF HIS BITTEREST POLITICAL FOES--AND WAS ADDRESSED TO "DEAR KENNETH." IT FOLLOWS:

"I RECEIVED THE ROUND TABLE SUGGESTION WHICH YOU AND YOUR COLLEAGUES GOT UP AND SIGNED ON MAY SECOND.

"IT IS VERY THOUGHTFUL OF YOU TO GIVE ME AN EXPRESSION OF YOUR OPINION ON THE CHINESE SITUATION -- IT WILL BE CAREFULLY CONSIDERED.

"I HOPE YOU WILL PLACE THIS COMMUNICATION IN THE RECORDS SO ALL YOUR COLLEAGUES, WHO SIGNED THE ROUND ROBIN, MAY UNDERSTAND THAT I APPRECIATE THEIR INTEREST IN FOREIGN AFFAIRS."

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CHINA

WASHINGTON, MAY 11-(AP)-A SENATE-HOUSE COMMITTEE APPROVED $8,000,000 (M) FOR FAMINE RELIEF IN COMMUNIST CHINA TODAY AS PART OF THE GENERAL FOREIGN AID BILL.

THE MONEY WAS VOTED ON THE PRESUMPTION THAT RED CHINA LEADERS WOULD PERMIT RELIEF DISTRIBUTION BY AN AGENCY SUCH AS THE RED CROSS.

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A20WX
(650) PMS BUDGET
COMMUNISTS

BY MARVIN L.ARROWSMITH

WASHINGTON,MAY 11-(AP)-A STATE DEPARTMENT DENIAL OF SENATOR MC CARTHY'S "FOREIGN AGENT" CHARGE AGAINST AN AMERICAN ENVOY BROUGHT A MC CARTHY PROMISE TODAY TO PROVIDE PROOF.

"I CAN DO IT AND I WILL DO IT AT THE PROPER TIME," THE WISCONSIN REPUBLICAN DECLARED.

MC CARTHY SPOKE OUT AS MEMBERS OF A SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE INVESTIGATING HIS CHARGES OF COMMUNISM IN THE GOVERNMENT ARRANGED TO RETURN TO THE WHITE HOUSE (ABOUT 9:30 A.M. EST) TO CONTINUE THEIR STUDY OF FEDERAL LOYALTY FILES.

THE STUDY, STARTED YESTERDAY, COVERS THE FILES OF 81 PERSONS MC CARTHY HAS ACCUSED OF BEING COMMUNISTS, RED SYMPATHIZERS, OR SECURITY RISKS ON OTHER GROUNDS. SENATOR TYDINGS (D-MD), THE COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN, ESTIMATED THAT IT WILL TAKE AT LEAST TWO WEEKS TO COMPLETE THE SURVEY.

MC CARTHY'S CHARGE THAT A UNITED STATES MINISTER TO A EUROPEAN NATION IS A FOREIGN AGENT WAS MADE IN WISCONSIN LAST SUNDAY. HE DID NOT NAME THE INDIVIDUAL, BUT SAID THE MAN IS HIS CASE NO. 2 AMONG THE 81 BEING STUDIED BY THE INQUIRY COMMITTEE.

IN OUTLINING THE 81 CASES TO THE SENATE LAST FEBRUARY, MC CARTHY SAID THE ENVOY IS STATIONED AT AN IMPORTANT LISTENING POST IN EUROPE, AND ADDED THAT THE MAN HAD TURNED OVER MATERIAL TO SOVIET AGENTS.

LATE YESTERDAY DEPUTY UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE JOHN E.PEURIFOY TOLD NEWSMEN THAT SO FAR AS THE STATE DEPARTMENT IS CONCERNED, "THERE IS NO EVIDENCE THAT WOULD EVEN REMOTELY SUBSTANTIATE" MC CARTHY'S CHARGE.

MC CARTHY ALSO HAS CONTENDED THAT THE ENVOY'S FILE IN THE DEPARTMENT HAS BEEN "RAPED"--THAT MATERIAL IS MISSING FROM IT.

PEURIFOY DENIED THAT. HE SAID HE TOLD THE COMMITTEE HE IS READY TO TESTIFY UNDER OATH THAT "THERE HAS BEEN ABSOLUTELY NO TAMPERING WITH THE FILES."

MC CARTHY COUNTERED THAT THE "BEST ANSWER" TO THAT IS IN A REPORT ISSUED BY A HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE IN 1947. HE QUOTED THE REPORT AS SAYING THE FBI HAD FOUND THAT, AS MC CARTHY PUT IT, "APPARENTLY ALMOST EVERYONE AND ANYONE IN THE DEPARTMENT HAS ACCESS TO THE FILES, REMOVES MATERIAL, AND REPLACES IT WITH VERY LITTLE REGULATION OR CONTROL."

PEURIFOY SAID ON THE OTHER HAND THAT NO ONE IN THE DEPARTMENT HAS ACCESS TO THE LOYALTY RECORDS EXCEPT THOSE DIRECTLY CONCERNED WITH THE SECURITY PROGRAM.

AS FOR THE ENVOY, MC CARTHY HAS SAID HE WILL NAME THE MAN IN THE SENATE UNLESS THE INQUIRY COMMITTEE CONDUCTS A "REAL EXAMINATION" OF THE CASE.

MC CARTHY ALSO HAD SOMETHING TO SAY ABOUT AN ANNOUNCEMENT BY SENATOR LODGE (R-MASS) THAT THE WHITE HOUSE HAS REJECTED HIS PROPOSAL THAT THE COMMITTEE'S INVESTIGATOR-ATTORNEYS BE PERMITTED TO EXAMINE THE 81 FILES ALONG WITH MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE.

LODGE CALLED THE DECISION "A GREAT PITY" AND SAID IT WOULD SLOW DOWN THE INVESTIGATION. HE SAID THE RULING WAS MADE BY DONALD DAWSON, A PRESIDENTIAL ASSISTANT. PEURIFOY SAID, HOWEVER, THAT DAWSON ONLY WAS CARRYING OUT PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S INSTRUCTIONS.

MC CARTHY TERMED THE DECISION "PART OF THE WHOLE PICTURE OF TRYING TO COVER UP--OF KEEPING OUT THE MEN WHO COULD TELL HOW BADLY THE FILES HAVE BEEN RAPED."

THE COMMITTEE'S CHIEF COUNSEL, EDWARD P.MORGAN, IS A FORMER FBI AGENT WHO HAS WORKED WITH GOVERNMENT LOYALTY FILES.

THE COMMITTEE WAS REPORTED TO HAVE GOT AROUND TO EXAMINING ONLY ABOUT A HALF DOZEN OF THE 81 FILES THE FIRST DAY AT THE WHITE HOUSE.

THE MEMBERS WERE TIGHT-LIPPED ABOUT THE CONTENTS, BUT TYDINGS SAID THE STATE DEPARTMENT RECORDS CONTAIN ALL THE INFORMATION THE GOVERNMENT HAS ON EACH OF THE CASES. HE ADDED:

"WE'VE GOT EVERYTHING--FBI, Q, X, Y AND EVERYTHING. WE'VE GOT THE WHOLE DAMN THING, SO THERE WILL BE NO EXCUSES THIS TIME."

MC CARTHY HAS SAID THE COMMITTEE MUST HAVE ACCESS TO THE FBI'S SO-CALLED "RAW" FILES TO PROVE HIS CHARGES, AND NOT JUST TO MATERIAL SUPPLIED TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT BY THE FBI.

DESCRIBING THE SCENE IN THE CABINET ROOM AT THE WHITE HOUSE, SENATOR MC MAHON (D-CONN) SAID THE COMMITTEE MEMBERS SAT AROUND A BIG TABLE AND WENT OVER THE FILES INDIVIDUALLY.

HE SAID EACH MEMBER MADE NOTES ON POINTS THAT INTERESTED HIM, AND THAT THERE WAS A GENERAL DISCUSSION OF THE MORE IMPORTANT MATERIAL.

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A103WX
(175) NIGHT LEAD COMMUNISTS

WASHINGTON,MAY 11-(AP)-SENATOR HICKENLOOPER (R-IOWA) SAID TODAY THAT STATE DEPARTMENT LOYALTY FILES WON'T "BY ANY MEANS" PROVIDE A FINAL ANSWER AS TO THE TRUTH OR FALSITY OF SENATOR MC CARTHY'S COMMUNISTS-IN-GOVERNMENT CHARGES.

HICKENLOOPER IS A MEMBER OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE WHICH IS EXAMINING DEPARTMENT FILES ON 81 PERSONS ACCUSED BY MC CARTHY, WISCONSIN REPUBLICAN, OF BEING COMMUNISTS, RED SYMPATHIZERS, OR SECURITY RISKS.

THE INQUIRY GROUP CONTINUED AT THE WHITE HOUSE TODAY ITS ANALYSIS OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT RECORDS. THE STUDY IS EXPECTED TO TAKE AT LEAST TWO WEEKS.

HICKENLOOPER DECLINED TO COMMENT ON THE CONTENTS OF THE FILES. BUT HE TOLD REPORTERS HE HAS NO DOUBT IT WILL TAKE MORE THAN EXAMINATION OF THE 81 FILES TO FIND OUT WHETHER THERE IS ANY BASIS FOR MC CARTHY'S CHARGES.

SENATOR TYDINGS (D-MD), THE COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN, SAID LAST SUNDAY THAT THOSE FILES WOULD GIVE THE INVESTIGATING GROUP A COMPLETE "TRUE OR FALSE" PICTURE ON MC CARTHY'S ACCUSATIONS IN THE 81 CASES.

TYDINGS ALSO SAID YESTERDAY THAT THE FILES CONTAIN "EVERYTHING THE GOVERNMENT HAS GOT" WITH RESPECT TO THOSE CASES, INCLUDING A "VAST AMOUNT" OF FBI DATA.

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A9WX
(500) PMS BUDGET
PLANE-RUSSIAN

BY C.YATES MCDANIEL

WASHINGTON,MAY 11-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES WON'T BE SURPRISED IF MOSCOW EVENTUALLY PRODUCES AN ALLEGED CONFESSION FROM A CREW MEMBER OF THE AMERICAN NAVY PLANE LOST IN THE BALTIC APRIL 8.

A GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL IN A POSITION TO KNOW SAID THIS TODAY ON THE BASIS OF WHAT HE ASSERTED TO BE AMERICAN "KNOWLEDGE" THAT RUSSIA MADE PROMPT EFFORTS TO SALVAGE REMNANTS OF THE PLANE AND TO PICK UP ITS 10 OCCUPANTS, DEAD OR ALIVE.

HE SAID ALSO THAT THE U.S. "KNOWS" THE FOLLOWING FACTS, ENTIRELY APART FROM DIPLOMATIC INTERPRETATIONS OF MOSCOW'S VERSION OF THE INCIDENT:

(1) FOUR RUSSIAN FIGHTERS OPENED FIRE FROM THE REAR OF THE SLOWER MOVING AMERICAN PATROL PLANE.

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(2) THE ATTACK TOOK PLACE OVER THE BALTIC SEA "MORE THAN 30 MILES" FROM THE COAST OF RUSSIAN OCCUPIED TERRITORY;

(3) THE PLANE WAS ON FIRE BEFORE IT HIT THE WATER.

THIS OFFICIAL SAID THE GOVERNMENT WOULD NOT REVEAL HOW IT GOT THIS INFORMATION BECAUSE IT WOULD GIVE VITAL INFORMATION TO RUSSIA. HE SAID HE DID NOT KNOW WHETHER THE RUSSIANS HAD ANY SUCCESS IN FINDING THE PLANE OR ITS OCCUPANTS.

HE AGREED WITH NAVY OFFICERS WHO SAID YESTERDAY THAT THE CHANCE OF SURVIVAL FOR ANY OF THE CREW MEMBERS WAS "VERY REMOTE."

HE RECALLED, HOWEVER, THAT COMMUNIST AUTHORITIES CUSTOMARILY WRING CONFESSIONS FROM POLITICAL PRISONERS AND FOREIGNERS INVOLVED IN INCIDENTS.

ONLY THIS WEEK, THE CHINESE REDS ANNOUNCED THAT THEY WERE FREEING TWO AMERICAN FLYERS, MISSING FOR NEARLY 19 MONTHS IN NORTH CHINA, AFTER THEY HAD "CONFESSED" TO "SPYING" ON RED MILITARY INSTALLATIONS.

AMERICAN SEARCHERS, ASSISTED BY THE SCANDINAVIANS, HAVE FOUND NO TRACE OF THE NAVY CREWMEN IN THE BALTIC AND HAVE PICKED UP ONLY SECONDARY PIECES OF EQUIPMENT OF TYPES THE PLANE IS KNOWN TO HAVE CARRIED.

ALTHOUGH OFFICIAL SPOKESMEN HAVE REMAINED STEADFASTLY SILENT ABOUT HOW THE GOVERNMENT GOT THE INFORMATION ABOUT THE RUSSIAN INCIDENT, EXPERIENCED PROFESSIONALS SUGGEST THE FOLLOWING LINES OF SPECULATION:

(1) A SECOND RADAR-EQUIPPED PLANE COULD HAVE BEEN IN THE AIR OVER THE BALTIC BEYOND THE SIGHT OR EASY PURSUIT RANGE OF THE RUSSIAN FIGHTERS. ITS RADAR COULD HAVE PICKED UP A REASONABLY ACCURATE PICTURE OF WHAT HAPPENED.

THE U.S. PROTEST TO RUSSIA SAID THAT THE LOST PLANE WAS THE "ONLY AMERICAN MILITARY AIRCRAFT" OVER THE BALTIC ON APRIL 8. THERE HAS BEEN NO MENTION OF ANY PLANE OF SOME OTHER COUNTRY BEING IN THE AREA

(2) THE ATTACK COULD HAVE BEEN PLOTTED BY RADAR ON A SURFACE VESSEL NO AMERICAN SHIP IS KNOWN TO HAVE BEEN IN THE BALTIC ON THE DAY OF THE INCIDENT. BUT THIS NARROW SEA IS OPEN TO COMMERCIAL SHIPS, SOME OF WHICH CARRY RADAR, PLYING BETWEEN GREAT BRITAIN AND PORTS OF SWEDEN AND FINLAND.

(3) LAND BASED RADAR COULD HAVE "COVERED" THE ATTACK. THE ONLY LAND STATIONS WITHIN DEPENDABLY EFFECTIVE RANGE OF THE SHOOTING ARE IN SWEDISH TERRITORY. THERE HAS BEEN NO HINT THERE OR ABROAD THAT THE INFORMATION CAME FROM SWEDEN.

IN RELEASING THE AMERICAN PROTEST ON APRIL 18, A STATE DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN SAID THAT THE U.S. GOVERNMENT WAS GRATEFUL FOR THE HELP AND COOPERATION OF SCANDINAVIAN COUNTRIES. HE TIED AMERICAN GRATITUDE DIRECTLY TO THE HELP GIVEN IN CONDUCTING THE SEARCH FOR THE MISSING PLANE.

RUSSIAN PRONOUNCEMENTS HAVE SAID ONLY THAT THE AMERICAN PLANE DISAPPEARED, AND HAVE MADE NO MENTION OF WHAT RUSSIAN PLANES OR SURFACE CRAFT DID AFTER FIRING ON IT.

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AUSTRIA-TRIESTE (200)

WASHINGTON, MAY 11-(AP)-UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE WEBB SAID TODAY THAT AUSTRIAN FREEDOM AND INDEPENDENCE "ARE THE LAST THING THE SOVIET UNION DESIRES."

WEBB MADE THIS COMMENT IN A STATEMENT ISSUED AT A NEWS CONFERENCE. HE SAID RUSSIA'S DEMAND THAT TRIESTE BE INTERNATIONALIZED BEFORE AN AUSTRIAN TREATY IS WRITTEN PROVES MOSCOW "WILL GO TO ANY EXTREME TO THINK UP EXCUSES TO AVOID THIS RESULT" (THE TREATY COMPLETION).

WEBB TRACED THE HISTORY OF RUSSIAN "EXCUSES" FOR DELAYING THE TREATY AND THEN SAID:

"NOW THE EXCUSE HAS BEEN STRETCHED FURTHER AFIELD, TO TRIESTE. NO ONE CAN BE DECEIVED BY SUCH TACTICS OR THE PURPOSE THEY HIDE, TO DELAY THE FULLFILLMENT OF A SOLEMN INTERNATIONAL COMMITMENT TOWARD THE PEOPLE OF AUSTRIA."

HE RECALLED THAT RUSSIA FIRST DELAYED THE TREATY BY BRINGING UP THE GERMAN ASSETS PROBLEM WHICH WAS FINALLY SOLVED IN 1949. THEN, HE SAID, CAME THEIR DEMAND THAT AUSTRIA PAY FOR SERVICE AND SUPPLIES PROVIDED BY THE RUSSIANS DURING THE EARLY STAGES OF THE WAR. SINCE MAY 8, 1945.

THE EXCUSE PRIOR TO RAISING THE TRIESTE ISSUE, HE SAID, WAS THE "EXTRAVAGANT CHARGES ABOUT FAILURE OF DENAZIFICATION AND DEMILITARIZATION" IN THE ALLIED ZONES OF AUSTRIA. HE POINTED OUT SIMILAR RUSSIAN ACCUSATIONS HAVE BEEN "PROVED TO BE WITHOUT SUBSTANCE."

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WASHINGTON, MAY 11-(AP)-THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT TODAY ANNOUNCED THAT TWO TOP OFFICIALS OF THE INTERNATIONAL WORKERS ORDER INC. HAVE BEEN ARRESTED FOR DEPORTATION.

THE TWO WERE SEIZED AT THEIR HOMES IN NEW YORK CITY WHERE THE IWO HAS ITS HEADQUARTERS. THE ORGANIZATION IS ON THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S LIST OF SUBVERSIVE GROUPS.

BOTH MEN WERE DESCRIBED AS ALIEN COMMUNISTS. THEIR DEPORTATION IS SOUGHT ON GROUNDS THAT THEY VIOLATED IMMIGRATION RULES AFTER THEY ENTERED THE COUNTRY BY JOINING AN ORGANIZATION--THE COMMUNIST PARTY--WHICH ADVOCATES FORCEFUL OVERTHROW OF THE GOVERNMENT.

THE TWO WERE NAMED AS SAMSON MILGROM, 44, NATIONAL EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OF THE IWO; AND ANDREW DMYTRYSHYN, DESCRIBED BY JUSTICE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS AS "A PROMINENT NATIONAL OFFICER" OF IWO.

THE SAME OFFICIALS DESCRIBED MILGROM AS "AN IMPORTANT FIGURE" IN THE COMMUNIST MOVEMENT. THE GOVERNMENT TRIED UNSUCCESSFULLY TO DEPORT HIM IN 1932.

THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE DIRECTED THE IMMIGRATION OFFICERS WHO MADE THE ARRESTS TO REQUIRE A $5,000 BOND OF EACH MAN, PENDING A HEARING.

MILGROM'S IMMIGRATION RECORD DESCRIBED HIM AS A NATIVE OF MINSK, RUSSIA, WHO CAME TO THIS COUNTRY IN 1923. THE DEPARTMENT SAID DMYTRYSHYN IS A NATIVE OF AUSTRIA AND THAT THE EVIDENCE INDICATES HE ENTERED THIS COUNTRY THROUGH DETROIT IN 1915.

THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT SAID LATER, IN RESPONSE TO INQUIRIES, THAT A DEPORTATION ORDER AGAINST MILGROM WAS OBTAINED IN THE EARLY 1930'S, BUT THIS COUNTRY COULD FIND NO PLACE TO SEND HIM, SO HE SECRETLY WENT TO EUROPE, IN ABOUT 1937, AND THEREAFTER RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES ON A DATE WHICH HAS NOT YET BEEN ESTABLISHED.

THE DEPARTMENT SAID THAT ALTHOUGH THE SECRET DEPARTURE WAS ON HIS OWN MOTION, IT WAS IN EFFECT A DEPORTATION AND THAT THEREFORE THE RE-ENTRY WAS ILLEGAL.

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(550) NIGHT LEAD FINANCE CENTER

WASHINGTON,MAY 11-(AP)-INVESTIGATION NO.6 INTO THE VAST ARMY FINANCE CENTER AT ST.LOUIS WAS ORDERED IN CONGRESS TODAY ON THE HEELS OF CHARGES OF LAX PROCEDURES AND "COMMUNIST INFILTRATION."

CHAIRMAN VINSON (D-GA) OF THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE CALLED FOR A PUBLIC INQUIRY AND SET UP A SEVEN-MAN SUBCOMMITTEE.

HE ACTED IMMEDIATELY AFTER A HOUSE CIVIL SERVICE SUBCOMMITTEE HAD RELATED A STORY OF LOYALTY FILES TAMPERING, INADEQUATE RECORDS, ERRONEOUS PAYMENTS AND FAILURE OF THE ARMY TO GET TO THE BOTTOM OF THINGS AT THE BIG DIVISION WHICH HAS HANDLED $19.000.000.000.

CHAIRMAN KARST (D-MO) OF THE CIVIL SERVICE PROBERS ADDED THE ASSERTION THAT EVIDENCE INDICATES "COMMUNIST INFILTRATION" OF THE CENTER. HE SAID THE IMPORTANCE OF THIS "CANNOT BE OVEREMPHASIZED."

THE SUBCOMMITTEE NOTED THAT THE CENTER'S RECORDS SHOW WHERE TROOPS ARE, TOGETHER WITH NUMBERS, GRADES, AND TYPES, AS WELL AS THE NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF THEIR FAMILIES. IT CONTROLS PAYMENTS TO THE ARMY IN THE FIELD AND THEIR DEPENDENTS AT HOME. IT EMPLOYS 4,500 PERSONS.

KARST SAID HIS GROUP WOULD CONTINUE DIGGING INTO ALLEGED IRREGULARITIES, AND HE RECOMMENDED THAT ITS FURTHER HEARINGS BE OPEN. SINCE LAST MAY, THE CENTER HAS BEEN THE SUBJECT OF INVESTIGATION ALSO BY THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, THE ARMY INSPECTOR GENERAL, THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION, AND THE GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE.

THE ARMY CAME UP TODAY WITH SOME PRELIMINARY FINDINGS OF ITS OWN INVESTIGATION CONDUCTED BY 14 MEN--THE LARGEST TEAM OF ARMY INSPECTORS EVER ASSEMBLED FOR ONE PROJECT.

THE ARMY SAID ITS "SEARCHING" INQUIRY HAD FAILED TO REVEAL "ANY DELIBERATE FRAUD OR ANY EVIDENCE THAT ALLEGED OVERPAYMENTS HAD BEEN DIVERTED TO COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES."

MAJ.GEN.FLOYD PARKS, DIRECTOR OF ARMY PUBLIC RELATIONS, SAID THAT OVERPAYMENTS OVER A PERIOD OF 7 1/2 YEARS HAD BEEN CUT TO APPROXIMATELY $35,000,000--OR "LESS THAN ONE FIFTH OF ONE PERCENT OF THE TOTAL PAYMENTS X X X."

THE SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT SAID THAT THE GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE HAD FOUND THAT AS OF JANUARY, 1950, "THE TOTAL OVERPAYMENTS AGGREGATE $157,596,222."

THE REPORT DID NOT MAKE CLEAR WHETHER THIS TOOK INTO ACCOUNT RECOVERED SUMS, BUT IT ASSERTED THAT COLLECTION PROCEDURES WERE INADEQUATE AND DELAYED.

THE ARMY SAID ITS RECORDS SHOW THAT $80,000,000 OF OVERPAYMENTS HAVE BEEN RECOVERED IN CASH.

THE SUBCOMMITTEE ALSO CHARGED THAT 130,000 CASES OF OVERPAYMENTS HAD NOT YET BEEN REVIEWED, AND THAT THE GAO ESTIMATED 125,000 MORE CASES HAD BEEN "LOST IN THE INACTIVE FILES."

PARKS SAID THAT MOST OVERPAYMENTS OCCURRED DURING THE WAR AND IN 1946 AT THE HEIGHT OF DEMOBILIZATION.

HE NOTED THAT CONGRESS IN 1943 DIRECTED THE ARMY TO MAKE PAYMENTS TO DEPENDENTS OF SERVICEMEN AT ONCE AND WITHOUT AUDIT.

THE SUBCOMMITTEE SAID IT HAD UNCOVERED NO EVIDENCE FRAUD IN THE HANDLING OF FUNDS. BUT THE REPORT WAS HARSH IN CONDEMNING CONDITIONS. IT NOTED THAT THE GAO HAD URGED THAT THE CENTER "REVISE COMPLETELY ITS ACCOUNTING AND AUDITING PROCEDURES."

THE REPORT CHARGED THAT IN SEVERAL CASES "FRAUDULENT DOCUMENTS" HAD BEEN PLACED IN LOYALTY FILES "DISCREDITING FBI AND ARMY INTELLIGENCE INVESTIGATIONS."

THE SUBCOMMITTEE ACCUSED UNNAMED "CIVILIAN EMPLOYES OF THE PERSONNEL OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY" OF "INTENTIONALLY SUBMITTING FALSE AND MISLEADING REPORTS TO A MEMBER OF THE COMMITTEE."

IT OPENED ITS REPORT WITH THE ASSERTION THAT IN THE LAST THREE YEARS, 63 PERSONS HAVE BEEN INVESTIGATED BY THE FBI AS SECURITY RISKS AT THE FINANCE CENTER, OF WHOM 44 WERE FIRED OR RESIGNED UNDER INVESTIGATION. THE ARMY REMOVED THREE OTHERS, IT SAID.

IT CHARGED THAT "CERTAIN ADMINISTRATORS" HAD DEVELOPED A "PERSONAL PATRONAGE MACHINE" AT THE CENTER, USING THE POWER OF PROMOTION.

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B91WX (Q)
(130)

WASHINGTON,MAY 11-(AP)-THE STATE DEPARTMENT BRANDED TODAY AS "NONSENSE" A REPORT THAT 230 FORMER HIGH RANKING JAPANESE ARMY OFFICERS ARE BEING RE-TRAINED AT FORT LEAVENWORTH, KAN.

"THE UNITED STATES DOES NOT EMULATE THE POLICY OF THE SOVIET UNION BY RETRAINING FORMER ENEMY GENERALS," PRESS OFFICER LINCOLN WHITE TOLD REPORTERS.

WHITE MADE THE STATEMENT AT A NEWS CONFERENCE AFTER ACTING SECRETARY JAMES E.WEBB EARLIER HAD TOLD A QUESTIONER HE KNEW NOTHING ABOUT SUCH REPORTS.

THE QUESTION WAS ASKED BY ROB HALL, CORRESPONDENT FOR THE DAILY WORKER. HE SAID SUCH A STORY APPEARED IN THE NEW YORK NEWSPAPER THE DAILY COMPASS AND ASKED WEBB TO COMMENT.

ON INSTRUCTIONS FROM WEBB, WHITE CHECKED INTO THE REPORT AND THEN ISSUED A STATEMENT THAT SAID:

"THERE ARE NO FORMER JAPANESE OFFICERS OF HIGH RANK AT FORT LEAVENWORTH,KAN."

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B17WX (Q)

WASHINGTON, MAY 11-(AP)-MAYATO IKEDA, JAPANESE FINANCE MINISTER, SAID TODAY "THE POPULARITY OF COMMUNISM IN JAPAN IS DECLINING, BUT WE WOULD BE FOOLISH TO UNDERESTIMATE ITS STRENGTH."

HE TOLD REPORTERS HE WOULD LIKE TO SEE MORE PRIVATE AMERICAN INVESTMENTS IN JAPAN, "AS THIS WOULD STRENGTHEN OUR TIES WITH THE U.S. AND GIVE THE JAPANESE PEOPLE MORE CONFIDENCE AGAINST THE REDS."

IKEDA TODAY COMPLETED A TWO WEEKS STAY HERE STUDYING AMERICAN FINANCIAL AND TAXATION POLICIES.

HE WAS OPTIMISTIC JAPAN CAN BECOME SELF-SUPPORTING AGAIN "IF THE PURCHASING POWER OF OTHER ASIAN COUNTRIES TO TRADE WITH US CAN BE INCREASED."

HE SUGGESTED THE U.S. MIGHT EXTEND GREATER ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE TO SOUTHEAST ASIA COUNTRIES THAT THEY MIGHT INCREASE THEIR PURCHASES OF JAPANESE-MADE GOODS.

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B22WX

(100) AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE

WASHINGTON,MAY 11-(AP)-REP.MACK (R-WASH) SAID TODAY HE CAN FIND NO BASIS FOR REPORTS ABOUT A $250,000,000 (M) JAPANESE SAWMILL AND LOGGING OPERATION IN ALASKA TO BE FINANCED BY THE U.S.

MACK SAID THE REPORTS QUOTED THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION AS BEING INTERESTED IN THE DEAL.

HE SAID ECA TOLD HIM THE REPORT WAS WITHOUT FOUNDATION.

HE SAID HE ASKED GENERAL MACARTHUR ABOUT IT AND WAS TOLD THAT NEITHER THE ARMY NOR THE JAPANESE GOVERNMENT KNOWS ANYTHING AT ALL ABOUT SUCH A PLAN.

HE ALSO SAID THE FOREST SERVICE DENIED ANY KNOWLEDGE OF IT.

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(290) NY FOR ATLANTA

ST.PAUL,MINN.,MAY 11-(AP)-THE NEW NATION OF ISRAEL IS IMPORTANT TO EVERY AMERICAN, ENGLISHMAN AND ALL OTHERS WHO BELIEVE IN "OUR DEMOCRATIC WAY OF DOING THINGS," RALPH A.MC GILL SAID HERE TONIGHT.

"ISRAEL, ABOUT THE SIZE OF RHODE ISLAND, IS TOO SMALL TO FIGHT THE RUSSIANS," MC GILL SAID. "BUT THERE THE ISRAELITES ARE, IN THE MIDST OF ARAB COUNTRIES WHERE RUSSIA HAS BEEN LOOKING ON HUMAN WRETCHEDNESS FOR YEARS, WAITING FOR THE MIDDLE EAST TO FALL INTO HER

LAP."
MC GILL, EDITOR OF THE ATLANTA CONSTITUTION, TOLD A UNITED JEWISH FUND DINNER AT THE HILLCREST COUNTRY CLUB THAT ISRAEL WAS A FINE EXAMPLE OF WESTERN CIVILIZATION.
"DESPITE ALL ITS PROBLEMS, ISRAEL HAS REAL DEMOCRACY AND THERE IS NO DISCRIMINATION AGAINST THE ARABS," SAID THE GEORGIA EDITOR, RECENTLY RETURNED FROM HIS SECOND VISIT THERE.
"ANOTHER NOTABLE THING IS THAT, IN THE MIDST OF GRAVE SHORTAGES THAT MAKE NECESSARY RATIONING AS SEVERE AS THAT IN BRITAIN IN WARTIME, THERE IS NO BLACK MARKET. THE ISRAELITES ARE FIGHTING A 'LITTLE COLD WAR' IN THE MIDST OF THE GREATER ONE."
MC GILL SAID HE WAS NOT REPRESENTING ANYBODY BUT RATHER "JUST SPEAKING FOR MYSELF IN BEHALF OF A SMALL, NEW, STRUGGLING NATION BECAUSE I BELIEVE IN THE PEOPLE THERE."
"ISRAEL HAS TO SPEND A LOT OF MONEY ON ITS MILITARY BUDGET AND TAXES ARE VERY HIGH," MCGILL CONTINUED. "YET THESE PEOPLE ARE CARRYING MOST OF THE BURDEN THEMSELVES. AMERICAN JEWS HAVE HELPED TREMENDOUSLY. BUT ISRAEL NEEDS STILL MORE HELP--IN FACT, THE NEED IS GREATER THAN EVER."
IN AN INTERVIEW, MC GILL SAID THAT SEN.MC CARTHY (R-WIS) IS A "COMPLETELY DISCREDITED MAN BECAUSE HE HAS FAILED TO PROVE ANY OF HIS BLANKET CHARGES THAT THERE ARE COMMUNISTS IN THE U.S.STATE DEPARTMENT."
"WE OUGHT TO LOOK UPON MC CARTHY, NOT AS A REPUBLICAN OR DEMOCRAT, BUT RATHER IN THE LIGHT OF WHAT HE IS DOING TO US AS A NATION," MC GILL SAID. HE SAID PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S STOCK HAD "EBBED A LITTLE."
"BUT THE PRESIDENT CAN STILL DEFEAT ANY REPUBLICAN IN SIGHT," THE EDITOR CONCLUDED.
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NIGHT LEAD DRAPER-ADLER (400)
BY GEORGE MILLER
(NY) HARTFORD, CONN., MAY 11-(AP)-EX-COMMUNIST LOUIS BUDENZ TESTIFIED TODAY THAT PAUL DRAPER AND LARRY ADLER HAD THE REPUTATIONS OF BEING COMMUNIST ENTERTAINERS SERVING THE COMMUNIST PARTY. HE ADDED THAT HE DID NOT PERSONALLY KNOW THEM TO BE PARTY MEMBERS.
BUDENZ, ONCE MANAGING EDITOR OF THE COMMUNIST DAILY WORKER AND NOW A FORDHAM UNIVERSITY TEACHER, WAS THE FIRST DEFENSE WITNESS IN THE FEDERAL COURT TRIAL OF A $200,000 LIBEL SUIT BROUGHT BY DRAPER AND ADLER AGAINST MRS. JOHN T. MCCULLOUGH OF GREENWICH, CONN.
DRAPER, A DANCER, AND ADLER, A HARMONICA PLAYER, CHARGE THAT MRS. MCCULLOUGH INJURED THEIR REPUTATIONS AND CAUSED THEM TO LOSE ENGAGEMENTS BY ACCUSING THEM OF PRO-COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES.
BUDENZ TESTIFIED IT WAS THE DAILY WORKER'S POLICY TO GIVE PROMINENT NEWS TREATMENT TO "PERSONS SERVING THE INTERESTS OF THE PARTY."
"DID YOU GIVE PROMINENCE TO ADLER AND DRAPER IN YOUR COLLUMNS?" HE WAS ASKED.
"YES, SIR, WE DID," THE WITNESS REPLIED.
BUDENZ SAID THE JOINT ANTI-FASCIST REFUGEE COMMITTEE WAS ORGANIZED "FOR THE PURPOSE OF BRINGING COMMUNIST LEADERS INTO THE WESTERN HEMISPHERE."
HE SAID THE INDEPENDENT CITIZENS COMMITTEE OF THE ARTS, SCIENCES AND PROFESSIONS WAS "A COMMUNIST FRONT FROM THE VERY BEGINNING."
HE TESTIFIED THAT JO DAVIDSON. THE SCULPTOR WHO SERVED AS CHAIRMAN, WAS "REFERRED TO AS ONE WHO HAD ACCEPTED THE DISCIPLE OF THE PARTY."
DRAPER AND ADLER HAVE TESTIFIED THAT THEY SUPPORTED BOTH ORGANIZATIONS. EACH HAS DENIED BEING A COMMUNIST OR KNOWINGLY SUPPORTING ORGANIZATIONS WITH COMMUNIST AIMS.
BEFORE BUDENZ TOOK THE STAND JUDGE J. JOSEPH SMITH DISCLOSED FROM THE BENCH THAT A SPECTATOR "HAS ATTEMPTED TO SPEAK TO SOME OF THE JURORS IN AN ATTEMPT TO INFLUENCE THE JURORS' OPINION."
SMITH GAVE NO DETAILS BUT WARNED THAT THIS WAS A VIOLATION OF LAW AS WELL AS CRIMINAL CONTEMPT OF COURT.
BUDENZ ALSO TESTIFIED THAT THE ABRAHAM LINCOLN SCHOOL IN CHICAGO, WHICH ADLER AND DRAPER HAD SAID THEY VISITED IN 1944, WAS "A CREATION OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY."

DRAPER AND ADLER HAD DESCRIBED THE INSTITUTION AS A CHILDREN'S SCHOOL AND DRAPER SAID HE DONATED TO IT A $250 FEE HE RECEIVED FOR A RADIO BROADCAST.
BUDENZ SAID THE SCHOOL WAS "MOSTLY CONCERNED WITH ADULTS."
DEFENSE COUNSEL MACDONALD DEWITT QUESTIONED THE WITNESS ABOUT THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S LISTING OF THE SCHOOL AS "AN ADJUNCT TO THE COMMUNIST PARTY."
"IT'S AN UNDERSTATEMENT," BUDENZ REPLIED. "IT IS A CREATION OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY."
DRAPER AND ADLER RESTED THEIR CASE AT THE END OF THE MORNING SESSION WITH THE RESERVATION THAT THEY WILL CALL TWO ADDITIONAL WITNESSES, WHO WERE NOT NAMED, NEXT WEEK.
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B51
NIGHT LEAD KIWANIS (320)
MIAMI, FLA., MAY 11-(AP)-SECRETARY OF DEFENSE LOUIS JOHNSON SAID TODAY "WE MAY STUMBLE INTO THE ACCIDENT OF WAR, BUT WAR IS NOT ON THE HORIZON AT THE MOMENT."
HE TOLD THE CLOSING SESSION OF THE 35TH ANNUAL KIWANIS INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION THAT "RUSSIA HOPES TO CONQUER AMERICA BY MAKING US OVERSPREAD OURSELVES, PARTICULARLY ON NATIONAL DEFENSE, UNTIL OUR ECONOMY IS WRECKED AND FERTILE SOIL IS READY FOR THE COMMUNISTS TO TAKE OVER."
JOHNSON SAID THE UNITED STATES "IS NOT TRYING TO MATCH RUSSIA TANK FOR TANK" BUT PLEDGED "WE WILL DO THE THINGS THAT NEED TO BE DONE WHILE STAYING WITHIN THE ECONOMY THAT MEANS A SOUND AND PROSPEROUS AMERICA."
HE MADE THE STATEMENTS DURING AN IMPROMPTU TALK IMMEDIATELY AFTER HE FINISHED READING AN ADDRESS ON ECONOMY IN THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT.
LATER, AT A PRESS CONFERENCE, THE DEFENSE SECRETARY REPEATED THAT WAR ISN'T IMMINENT "BUT WE HAVE TO BE READY AND WE ARE READY."
ASKED TO ELABORATE ON HIS "TANK FOR TANK" STATEMENT, JOHNSON SAID SIMPLY THAT "NEW WEAPONS OF WAR HAVE BEEN DEVELOPED." HE DID NOT SAY WHAT THEY ARE.
JOHNSON TOLD AN ESTIMATED 6,000 DELEGATES THAT HIS PROGRAM WAS "SECURITY FIRST AND ECONOMY SECOND."
HIS PROMISES THAT AMERICAN ECONOMY WILL BE PRESERVED DREW THE

LOUDEST CHEERS.
"IT DOESN'T DO ANY GOOD IF OUR ARMY, NAVY AND AIR FORCE ARE PERFECT IF IN ACHIEVING IT WE BANKRUPT AMERICA," HE SAID.
HE SAID THAT IN THE PAST THE AREAS OF POSSIBLE SAVINGS WERE VISIBLE ON THE SURFACE--"DUPLICATIONS IN PORTS AND LANDING FIELDS, OVERLAPPING HOSPITAL FACILITIES, OBSOLETE MILITARY POSTS, CAMPS AND STATIONS SELECTED ORIGINALLY FOR OUTPOST SERVICE AGAINST INDIANS, AND AIR BASES AND NAVY YARDS BEYOND PRESENT NEEDS."
"FOR THE SHOCK STRATEGY OF THE PAST YEAR," JOHNSON SAID, "WE ARE NOW SUBSTITUTING THE SCALPEL TACTICS OF TODAY.
"IT WILL TAKE A SURGEON'S DELICATE PROBING AND A SURGEON'S SKILLFUL KNIFE TO FIND AND REMOVE ANY TISSUES, MALIGNANT OR OTHERWISE, THAT STILL RETARD THE DEVELOPMENT OF A HEALTHY NATIONAL DEFENSE PROGRAM."
JOHNSON'S ADDRESS WAS THE FINAL EVENT ON THE FIVE-DAY CONVENTION PROGRAM.
THE DELEGATES AGREED TO HOLD THE 1951 CONVENTION IN ST.LOUIS, NO., JUNE 17-21, AND INTRODUCED THE NEW OFFICERS ELECTED YESTERDAY.
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B106 (Q) (200)
FIRST LEAD U.N.WOMEN
LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 11-(AP)-MEMBERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN CHARGED TODAY THAT THE U.N. DISCRIMINATES AGAINST WOMEN IN FILLING ITS KEY POSTS.
THEY ALSO CRITICIZED THE 59 MEMBER NATIONS FOR NOT GIVING WOMEN A FAIR BREAK IN THEIR OWN NATIONAL DELEGATIONS.
MADAME LINA P.TSALDARIS OF GREECE SUBMITTED A RESOLUTION CALLING UPON THE COMMISSION'S PARENT BODY, THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL, TO DRAW THE ATTENTION OF THE MEMBER NATIONS TO THE DESIRABILITY OF GIVING WOMEN A GREATER PART N THEIR DELEGATIONS AND TO ASK THE SECRETARY-GENERAL TO HIRE MORE WOMEN FOR TOP U.N. JOBS.
MRSMOLIVE REMINGTON GOLDMAN, U.S.DELEGATE, SAID THE SECRETARY-GENERAL'S REPORT ON WOMEN PARTICIPATING IN THE U.N. SECRETARIAT IS "A RECORD NOT OF PARTICIPATION BUT OF NON-PARTICIPATION."
SHE SAID SOME GOVERNMENTS SEEMED TO TAKE THE ATTITUDE THAT IF THEY NAME A WOMAN DELEGATE TO THE COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN THAT TAKES CARE OF THE QUESTION OF WOMEN AS FAR AS THE NATIONAL DELEGATIONS ARE CONCERNED.
"IF THAT WERE TRUE," SHE SAID, "WE WOULD BE DEFEATING OUR OWN PURPOSE BY CONTINUING IN EXISTENCE."
THE COMMISSION, MEANWHILE, HAS BROADENED ITS AGENDA TO INCLUDE TWO HUMANITARIAN PROBLEMS IN ADDION TO THE LIST OF LONG-RANGE PROPOSALS FOR ERASING DISCRIMINATION.
THE NEW ITEMS ARE:
1. A GREEK PROPOSAL TO AID GREEK MOTHERS WHOSE CHILDREN WERE TAKEN BEHIND THE IRON CURTAIN BY GREEK GUERRILLAS AND STILL HAVE NOT BEEN REPATRIATED.
2. A FRENCH PLAN TO STUDY THE PROBLEM OF WOMEN SENT TO NAZI CONCENTRATION CAMPS AND SUBJECTED TO MEDICAL EXPERIMENTATION.
THE COMMISSION ALSO DISPOSED OF THE PROPOSAL TO SEEK AN INTER-NATIONAL CONVENTION OUTLAWING DISCRIMINATION AGAINST MARRIED WOMEN ON THE QUESTION OF NATIONALITY. SUPPORTERS OF A CONVENTION ARGUED THAT WOMEN SHOULD HAVE THE SAME RIGHTS AS MEN TO CHOOSE THEIR NATIONALITY IN THE CASES OF MARRIAGES BETWEEN PERSONS OF DIFFERENT COUNTRIES.
THE COMMISSION WILL REFER TO THE APPROPRIATE U.N. BODY THE ACTUAL JOB OF DRAFTING THE CONVENTION.
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KX (DALLAS ASKT) (230) (Q)
NIGHT LEAD U.N.--WOMEN
LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 11-(AP)-A LITTLE, GRANDMOTHERLY GREEK WOMAN DEMANDED TODAY THAT MEMBERS OF HER SEX BE GIVEN AN EVEN BREAK WITH MEN IN FILLING TOP UNITED NATIONS JOBS.
SHE WAS MRS. LINA P. TSALDARIS, GREECE'S REPRESENTATIVE ON THE U. N. COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN. THIS ALL-WOMAN COMMISSION IS SEEKING TO ERASE DISCRIMINATION AGAINST WOMEN THROUGHOUT THE WORLD.
BEFORE SUBMITTING HER RESOLUTION, MRS. TSALDARIS AND SEVERAL OTHER MEMBERS CRITICIZED U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE FOR NOT GIVING MORE IMPORTANT JOBS TO WOMEN. THEY WERE EQUALLY CRITICAL OF THE 59 NATIONS OF THE U.N. FOR NOT NAMING MORE WOMEN TO RESPONSOBLE POSTS IN THEIR NATIONAL DELEGATIONS.
THE CRITICISM WAS TOUCHED OFF BY A REPORT BY LIE ON THE PARTICIPATION OF WOMEN IN THE U.N. SECRETARIAT AND IN DELEGATIONS.
MRS. OLIVE REMINGTON GOLDMAN, U.S. DELEGATE, DESCRIBED THE REPORT AS "A RECORD NOT OF PARTICIPATION BUT OF NON-PARTICIPATION."
MRS. TSALDARIS' RESOLUTION REFERRED TO THE SMALL NUMBER OF WOMEN IN HIGH U.N. POSTS AND PROPOSED:
1. THAT THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL REMIND ALL MEMBERS OF THE U.N. OF THE DESIRABILITY OF GIVING WOMEN MORE IMPORTANT POSITIONS IN THEIR NATIONAL DELEGATIONS.
2. THAT THE COUNCIL ALSO ASK THE SECRETARY-GENERAL TO ESTALIS COMPLETE EQUALITY BE

2. THAT THE COUNCIL ALSO ASK THE SECRETARY-GENERAL TO ESTABLISH COMPLETE EQUALITY BETWEEN THE SEXES IN ALL U. N. SERVICES AND TO ASK ALL AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS TO DO LIKEWISE.
DEBATE ON THE RESOLUTION WILL BE RESUMED AFTER IT IS STUDIED BY THE SUB-COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS.
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LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 11-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS SAID TODAY FOUR PRINCIPAL OPIUM PRODUCING COUNTRIES HAD AGREED ON PRODUCTION QUOTAS TO BE SET UP UNDER A PROPOSED INTERNATIONAL OPIUM MONOPOLY. THE FOUR ARE INDIA, IRAN, TURKEY AND YUGOSLAVIA.
THE DRUG-MANUFACTURING COUNTRIES AND THE OPIUM-PRODUCING COUNTRIES WILL MEET NEXT AUGUST TO DRAW UP AN AGREEMENT ON DISTRIBUTING THE OPIUM.
THE QUOTAS WERE SET ACCORDING TO POSSIBLE WORLD NEEDS OUTSIDE THE PRODUCING COUNTRIES.
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NEW YORK, MAY 11-(AP)-GOVERNOR THOMAS E. DEWEY SAID TONIGHT ISRAEL "MUST BE ARMED SO THAT IT CAN DEFEND ITS FRONTIERS AGAINST AGGRESSION."

THE GOVERNOR'S VIEW WAS VOICED IN A SPEECH PREPARED FOR DELIVERY AT THE ZIONIST ORGANIZATION OF AMERICA'S "SALUTE TO ISRAEL," MARKING ISRAEL'S SECOND ANNIVERSARY AS A NATION AND THE FIRST ANNIVERSARY OF ITS ADMISSION TO THE UNITED NATIONS. THE EVENT WAS HELD AT MADISON SQUARE GARDEN.

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DR. ABBA HILLEL SILVER, WORLD ZIONIST LEADER, ACCUSED THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF "HELPING TO KEEP ISRAEL WEAK IN THE FACE OF THE MOUNTING REARAMAMENT THREAT OF THE SURROUNDING ARAB COUNTRIES."

SILVER SAID THE STATE DEPARTMENT IS "WITHHOLDING A REPLY TO THE REQUEST OF THE ISRAELI GOVERNMENT TO ACQUIRE ARMS IN THE UNITED STATES."

IN THAT WAY, HE SAID, THE STATE DEPARTMENT "IS ENCOURAGING, WITTINGLY OR UNWITTINGLY" THE REFUSAL OF THE ARAB STATES "TO CONCLUDE AN HONORABLE PEACE WITH ISRAEL."

DEWEY SAID:

"WE IN AMERICA WANT PEACE AND STABILITY. SOME OF THE ARAB NATIONS IN THE PAST YEAR HAVE ACQUIRED MODERN ARMS, PLANES, AND TANKS.

"THEY HAVE WEAPONS WHICH CAN SERVE NOT ONLY FOR DEFENSE, BUT FOR AGGRESSIVE OFFENSE AS WELL. ARMS IN THE HANDS OF ANY NATION SHOULD ONLY BE USED FOR DEFENSE OF THE PEACE.

"IT MAKES NO SENSE TO LEAVE THE ISRAELI'S IN A POSITION OF RELATIVE WEAKNESS. A WEAK ISRAEL, LIKE A WEAK EUROPE OR A WEAK AMERICA, IS ONLY AN INVITATION TO AGGRESSION.

"IT IS PERFECTLY CLEAR THAT ISRAEL MUST BE ARMED SO THAT IT CAN DEFEND ITS FRONTIERS AGAINST AGGRESSION. IT IS CLEAR THAT MAKING ISRAEL STRONG IS THE SUREST GUARANTEE TO PEACE IN THE NEAR EAST."

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 10:30 A.M., EST, TODAY, THURSDAY, MAY 11)

(ADVANCE) NEW YORK, MAY 11-(AP)-BERNARD M. BARUCH SAID TODAY THAT "UNLESS THIS EVER-EXPANDING GOVERNMENT ACTIVITY IS BROUGHT UNDER THE RESTRAINT OF THE BIGHEST MORAL LAWS, IT WILL WRECK OUR SOCIETY."

BARUCH, UNOFFICIAL ADVISOR TO PRESIDENTS, SAID IN A SPEECH PREPARED FOR DELIVERY AT THE CHARTER DAY CONVOCATION OF THE CITY COLLEGE SCHOOL OF BUSINESS AND CIVIC ADMINISTRATION:

"IS THERE TO BE NO LINE BEYOND WHICH GOVERNMENT SHALL NOT GO, AS IT IS IN SOVIET RUSSIA AND BECOMING SO IN SOCIALISTIC ENGLAND?

"IS GOVERNMENT ACTION TO BE PROMPTED BY EXPEDIENCY OF WHICHEVER GREEDS OR PRESSURE GROUPS APPEAR STRONGEST AT THE MOMENT? OR IS IT TO BE SUBJECT TO HIGHER ETHICAL RESTRAINTS, AND IF SO, WHAT ARE THEY TO BE?"

BARUCH SAID THAT OUR ECONOMIC HISTORY OF RECENT YEARS HAS BEEN CHARACTERIZED BY AN INFLATION CAUSED BY "GOVERNMENT-MANAGED ECONOMIES" AND "GOVERNMENT FAVORITISM TO CERTAIN GROUPS, IN DISREGARD OF THE NATIONAL INTEREST."

UNDER THE NAME OF "SECURITY," BARUCH SAID, GOVERNMENT INFLATIONARY POLICIES AND DEFICIT SPENDING HAVE CHEAPENED THE SAVINGS OF MILLIONS, MAKING THEM MORE DEPENDENT UPON GOVERNMENT AND CONSEQUENTLY MORE INSECURE.

(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 10:30 A.M., EST, TODAY, THURSDAY, MAY 11)

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NEW YORK, MAY 11-(AP)-LIAQUAT ALI KHAN, PRIME MINISTER OF PAKISTAN HERE ON AN OFFICIAL VISIT, LEFT LAGUARDIA FIELD FOR CHICAGO AT 7:05 A.M., (EST) TODAY IN A MILITARY AIR TRANSPORT PLANE.

ALI KHAN'S PARTY IS SCHEDULED TO SPEND TWO DAYS IN CHICAGO AND THEN GO TO KANSAS CITY.

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NIGHT LEAD PAKISTAN (220)

CHICAGO, MAY 11-(AP)-CHICAGO PLAYED HOST TODAY TO PAKISTAN PRIME MINISTER LIAQUAT ALI KHAN WHO IS TOURING THE UNITED STATES AT THE INVITATION OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN.

AN OVERFLOW CROWD ATTENDED A LUNCHEON MEETING AT WHICH THE PRIME MINISTER CALLED UPON THE WESTERN WORLD "TO MAINTAIN WORLD PEACE" AND GIVE ITS "TECHNICAL KNOWLEDGE AND TECHNICAL SKILL" TO AID UNDERDEVELOPED

COUNTRIES.

HE TOLD THE LUNCHEON PAKISTAN IS THE "MOST FREE AND MOST UNIFIED OF THE ASIATIC DEMOCRACIES."

LIAQUAT ALI AND HIS WIFE, BEGUM LIAQUAT ALI KHAN, AND MEMBERS OF HIS PARTY WERE GUESTS AT A JOINT MEETING OF THE CHICAGO ASSOCIATION OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY AND THE CHICAGO COUNCIL OF FOREIGN RELATIONS.

THEY WERE OFFICIALLY WELCOMED TO THE CITY BY PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSIONER OSCAR E. HEWITT, ACTING FOR MAYOR MARTIN H. KENNELLY, WHO IS IN NEW YORK.

HEWITT CITED CHICAGO'S WATER PROBLEMS, AIRPORTS AND CIVIC ENERGY AS OFFERING PARALLELS BETWEEN THIS FORMER FRONTIER CITY AND PAKISTAN.

PAKISTAN, WITH A POPULATION OF 80,000,000, WAS ESTABLISHED AS AN INDEPENDENT NATION AUG. 15, 1947.

MEMBERS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO PAKISTAN STUDENTS ASSOCIATION ALSO GREETED THE PRIME MINISTER AND HIS PARTY. THE BEGUM RECEIVED AN ORCHID FROM KANIZ ATAULLAH OF LAHORE, AND THE PRIME MINISTER GOT A BUNCH OF SPRING FLOWERS FROM MUHAMMAD RAHMATULLAK, BOTH MEMBERS OF THE STUDENT GROUP.

ON THE BUSY SCHEDULE FOR THE VISITING DIGNITARIES WERE RADIO APPEARANCES, TOURS OF BANKS AND SHOPPING CENTERS, MUSEUM EXHIBITS AND LUNCHEON TOMORROW WITH COL. ROBERT R. MCCORMICK, EDITOR AND PUBLISHER OF THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE, AND MRS. MCCORMICK.

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A101 (120)

NEW YORK, MAY 11-(AP)-BECAUSE THERE'S A RAILROAD STRIKE GOING ON, COMMUNIST LEADER EUGENE DENNIS TONIGHT CALLED OFF PLANS TO TRAVEL BY TRAIN TO WASHINGTON FOR SENTENCING ON A CONTEMPT CHARGE.

DENNIS SAID HE WOULD NOT RIDE THE TRAINS UNTIL "THE STRIKE IS SETTLED AND THE WORKERS WIN THEIR DEMANDS."

DENNIS, SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY, ARRANGED TO FLY TO WASHINGTON INSTEAD. HE IS TO BE SENTENCED TOMORROW ON A CONTEMPT CONVICTION RESULTING FROM HIS REFUSAL TO TESTIFY BEFORE THE HOUSE UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE IN 1947.

DENNIS IS ONE OF THE 11 COMMUNIST LEADERS WHO WERE CONVICTED AND SENTENCED TO PRISON LAST YEAR ON CHARGES OF CONSPIRING TO TEACH FORCIBLE OVERTHROW OF THE GOVERNMENT. ALL ARE FREE IN BAIL PENDING APPEALS.

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B74 (360)

NEW YORK, MAY 11-(AP)-MRS. FREDERICK E.BAUER, INDIANA-BORN WIFE OF AN EX-GI HELD FOR DEPORTATION, SAID TODAY THEY MAY HAVE TO GIVE UP THEIR LONG FIGHT TO REMAIN IN THE UNITED STATES.

IF THEY SHOULD HAVE TO LEAVE, THEIR TWO AMERICAN-BORN CHILDREN ALSO WOULD HAVE TO GO. THEY ARE FREDERICK VALIANT, ABOUT SIX MONTHS OLD, AND CARMEN, TWO AND ONE-HALF YEARS. THEIR ONLY HOME HAS BEEN THE IMMIGRATION STATION AT ELLIS ISLAND.

"I HAVE BEEN ON ELLIS ISLAND WITH MY HUSBAND FOR THREE AND ONE-HALF YEARS," MRS. BAUER SAID. "THE CHILDREN SHARE A ROOM WITH US. UNLESS WE CAN GET AWAY FROM THERE WITHIN A FEW WEEKS WE WILL HAVE TO GIVE UP AND LET THEM SEND US TO GERMANY.

"IT IS LIKE FACING DEATH. EVEN THE GERMANS ON ELLIS ISLAND CALLED MY HUSBAND A TRAITOR TO GERMANY. AND THOSE GERMANS, NAZIS, WERE RELEASED ON PAROLE. ONLY MY HUSBAND, WHO SERVED LOYALLY AND WELL IN THE ARMY HERE, WAS NOT ALLOWED TO BE FREE UNDER BOND ON PAROLE."

MRS. WILMA BAUER WAS BORN IN ROCKVILLE, IND., AND HAS NEVER BEEN OUT OF THIS COUNTRY.

BAUER, A NATIVE OF ALSACE, CAME HERE IN 1930 AT THE AGE OF 25. FIVE YEARS LATER HE GAVE UP HIS FRENCH CITIZENSHIP AND BECAME A NATURALIZED AMERICAN. HE HAD STUDIED LAW AND WAS ADMITTED TO PRACTICE IN FEDERAL COURTS AS A PATENT ATTORNEY. HE ALSO WAS QUALIFIED TO PRACTICE BEFORE THE UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT.

SEVERAL YEARS LATER HE WENT TO GERMANY TO WORK AS AN EXPERT ON U.S.PATENT LAWS. HE WAS DRAFTED INTO THE GERMAN ARMY, AND THE COURTS HAVE RULED THAT HE THEREBY LOST HIS AMERICAN CITIZENSHIP.

BAUER ADMITTED HE WAS APPOINTED A SPY BY THE NAZIS, BUT CONTENDED HE HAD TRICKED THE GERMANS INTO THIS SOLELY TO GET BACK TO THE UNITED STATES. HE SAID HE WAS TOLD TO GET ECONOMIC AND MILITARY INFORMATION IN THE UNITED STATES FOR NAZIS, BUT MAINTAINED HE NEVER CARRIED OUT THIS ASSIGNMENT.

HE ENLISTED IN THE AMERICAN ARMY IN 1942, AND THREE YEARS LATER, A STAFF SERGEANT, HE WAS ARRESTED AT FORT HARRISON, IND., FOR AN INVESTIGATION OF CHARGES THAT HE WAS A GERMAN SPY. THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE SAID HE WAS DISCHARGED WITHOUT HONOR.

SINCE THEN HE HAS FOUGHT IN THE COURTS TO CLEAR HIS RECORD, REGAIN HIS AMERICAN CITIZENSHIP AND ESCAPE DEPORTATION.

HIS NEXT COURT HEARING IS SCHEDULED FOR MAY 23 BEFORE FEDERAL JUDGE WILLIAM BONDY ON A PETITION FOR A HEARING BEFORE IMMIGRATION AUTHORITIES.

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NIGHT LEAD BIG THREE

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BY GLENN WILLIAMS

LONDON, MAY 12-(AP)-THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS AGREED TODAY ON JOINING WESTERN GERMANY ECONOMICALLY AND POLITICALLY TO THE REST OF A UNITED WESTERN EUROPE.

DETERMINEDLY, THEY EMPHASIZED THE DECISION OF THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE TO CONTINUE TO UPHOLD THE WESTERN ALLIED RIGHTS IN BERLIN, RIGHTS PROTECTED AT GREAT COST THROUGH A YEAR-LONG AIRLIFT WHEN SOVIET RUSSIA BLOCKADED THE BATTERED FORMER CAPITAL.

THEY ACCUSED RUSSIA OF "A GRAVE DISREGARD OF HUMAN RIGHTS" IN FAILING TO RETURN THE REST OF HER GERMAN AND JAPANESE PRISONERS OF WAR. RUSSIA HAS ANNOUNCED COMPLETION OF THE REPATRIATION PROGRAM IN EACH CASE. THE MINISTERS PLEDGED TO DO WHAT THEY COULD TO OBTAIN INFORMATION ON PRISONERS STILL HELD IN THE SOVIET UNION AND TO BRING ABOUT THE RETURN OF THE LARGEST NUMBER POSSIBLE.

FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN LAID HIS DRAMATIC PLAN FOR UNITING FRENCH, GERMAN AND POSSIBLY OTHER EUROPEAN COAL AND STEEL INDUSTRIES BEFORE U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON AND BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN.

HIS 45-MINUTE EXPLANATION ADDED FEW DETAILS TO WHAT HE DISCLOSED TUESDAY IN NOTES TO ACHESON AND BEVIN. THEY ANNOUNCED APPROVAL OF THE INTENTIONS OF HIS PLAN, BUT WITHHELD FINAL JUDGMENT PENDING DETAILED SURVEYS OF HOW IT WOULD WORK.

THE THREE MINISTERS TALKED SEVEN HOURS, ALMOST WHOLLY ABOUT GERMANY. IT IS UNDERSTOOD THEY AGREED THAT NO SITUATIONS IN EUROPE ARE VERY URGENT AND THEY WERE MORE CONCERNED WITH LONG RANGE POLICY PLANNING.

PARTICULARLY THEY WERE SAID TO BE LOOKING AHEAD TO 1952, WHEN MARSHALL AID DOLLARS ARE DUE TO CEASE FLOWING TO EUROPE.

THEY APPEARED TO BE SATISFIED WITH THEIR PRESENT GERMAN POLICY. IT IS UNDERSTOOD THE AGREEMENT ON INCORPORATION OF WEST GERMANY INTO THE WESTERN EUROPEAN SETUP WAS A PROJECTION OF PRESENT POLICY INTO THE FUTURE.

IT APPEARED PROBABLE THAT ANY DECISIONS ABOUT LOOSENING OCCUPATION CONTROLS OVER WESTERN GERMANY--KNOWN TO HAVE BEEN UP FOR DISCUSSION--WILL BE GIVEN TO THE THREE WESTERN HIGH COMMISSIONERS TO PUT INTO EFFECT. ADJUSTMENTS IN ALLIED POLICY PREVIOUSLY HAVE BEEN MADE WITHOUT ADVANCE PUBLIC FANFARE.

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THE MINISTERS ISSUED TWO COMMUNIQUES, ONE ON THE BERLIN SITUATION AND THE OTHER ON WAR PRISONERS IN RUSSIA.

IN DECLARING THE WESTERN POWERS WILL "CONTINUE TO UPHOLD THEIR RIGHTS IN BERLIN," IT WAS STATED:

"THE THREE GOVERNMENTS WILL CONTINUE TO SEEK THE REUNIFICATION OF THE CITY IN FREE ELECTIONS IN ORDER THAT BERLIN MAY TAKE ITS DUE PLACE IN A FREE AND UNITED GERMANY."

PROPOSALS TO HOLD NEW ELECTIONS IN ALL OF BERLIN HAVE BEEN ADVANCED BY BOTH THE WESTERN POWERS AND THE RUSSIANS, BUT THERE IS SUCH A SHARP CLASH IN THE TWO SUGGESTED SETS OF CONDITIONS FOR THE VOTING THAT AN AGREEMENT ON IT IS UNLIKELY.

THE MINISTERS SAID RUSSIA'S ANNOUNCEMENT LAST WEEK ON THE END OF THE GERMAN REPATRIATION PROGRAM LEFT MANY GERMAN FAMILIES "STILL AWAITING THE RETURN OF THEIR RELATIVES TAKEN PRISONER."

RUSSIA "HAS ALSO FAILED TO REPATRIATE NUMEROUS NATIONALS OF GERMAN-OCCUPIED COUNTRIES TAKEN PRISONER DURING THE WAR, AS WELL AS MORE THAN 300.000 JAPANESE NATIONALS WHO STILL REMAIN UNACCOUNTED FOR IN SOVIET TERRITORY," THEY CHARGED.

FRENCH SOURCES SAID THE TWO COMMUNIQUES WERE DESIGNED PARTLY TO HAVE AN ENCOURAGING PSYCHOLOGICAL EFFECT IN GERMANY.

THERE WAS NO DISCUSSION CONCERNING ENDING OF THE FORMAL STATE OF WAR WITH GERMANY, WHICH WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER IS STRONGLY ADVOCATING. WESTERN LEGAL EXPERTS ARE STILL SEEKING SOME WAY FOR THE WESTERN POWERS TO END THE STATE OF WAR WHILE STILL RETAINING SOME LEGAL CONTROL OVER THE COUNTRY.

AT THE END OF THE SESSION, THE MINISTERS SPENT 20 MINUTES REVIEWING THEIR VAIN EFFORTS TO REACH AN AGREEMENT WITH RUSSIA ON AN INDEPENDENCE TREATY FOR AUSTRIA. THEY DECIDED TO DISCUSS AUSTRIA AGAIN AT A SPECIAL MEETING SOMETIME BEFORE ACHESON AND SCHUMAN LEAVE LONDON NEXT WEEK.

THE REGULAR BIG THREE SESSIONS ARE TO END TOMORROW. THE MINISTERS WILL ATTEND A CONFERENCE OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY POWERS HERE MONDAY AND TUESDAY.

VARIOUS LEADERS FROM THE 12 MEMBER NATIONS BEGAN ARRIVING TONIGHT FOR THE SESSIONS, CALLED TO STUDY STRATEGY AND ECONOMICS OF THE COLD WAR. THEY WILL MEET IN LONDON'S HISTORIC LANCASTER HOUSE, WHERE THE BIG THREE CONFERENCES ARE HELD. ACHESON IS TO PRESIDE.

MEMBERS OF THE PACT, BESIDES THE BIG THREE, ARE BELGIUM, CANADA, DENMARK, ICELAND, ITALY, LUXEMBOURG, THE NETHERLANDS, NORWAY, AND PORTUGAL.

SCHUMAN'S DISCUSSION OF HIS IRON AND STEEL POOLING PLAN INCLUDED A DECLARATION THAT IT WILL NOT BE A CARTEL. EUROPEANS ARE NOT SO SENSITIVE TO THIS WORD, BUT THEY REALIZE IT HAS A BAD SMELL FOR AMERICANS.

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WESTERN SOURCES POINTED OUT THAT CARTELS ARE ORGANIZATIONS OF PRIVATE BUSINESS GENERALLY DESIGNED TO RESTRICT OUTPUT AND THUS SQUEEZE HIGH PROFITS FROM SCARCE SUPPLIES AND MONOPLY DIVISION OF MARKETS.

SCHUMAN EMPHASIZED THAT HIS IDEA OF INTERNATIONAL CONTROL OF SUCH BASIC INDUSTRIES IS TO EXPAND THEM AND KEEP MARKETS OPEN.

THE FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER SAID HE WOULD GIVE DETAILS OF HIS PROPOSAL TO THE THREE WESTERN HIGH COMMISSIONERS FOR GERMANY. A FRENCH SPOKESMAN SAID THE MEETING WILL TAKE PLACE SUNDAY.

THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF BELGIUM, THE NETHERLANDS AND LUXEMBOURG--ALREADY HERE FOR THE ATLANTIC TREATY MEETING--WILL BE CALLED IN TOMORROW FOR DISCUSSIONS ABOUT GERMANY.

A FRENCH SOURCE SAID THAT "NO DOUBT THEY WILL PUT FORWARD THEIR VIEWS ON THE SCHUMAN PLAN."

BELGIUM AND LUXEMBOURG HAVE CONSIDERABLE COAL AND STEEL INDUSTRIES OF THEIR OWN IN BASING ADJOINING THE RUHR. THEY ARE CONSIDERED PRIME POSSIBILITIES FOR JOINING SCHUMAN'S PROPOSED UNION IF IT COMES INTO EFFECT.

MEANTIME ANTHONY EDEN, DEPUTY CONSERVATIVE LEADER IN PARLIAMENT, SAID BRITAIN "SHOULD CERTAINLY PLAY A PART IN THIS IMPORTANT INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT."

BOTH STEEL AND COAL ARE TOUCHY INTERNAL POLITICAL QUESTIONS IN THIS COUNTRY AND THE NARROWLY EMPOWERED LABOR GOVERNMENT HAS SO FAR EXPRESSED A BARE MINIMUM OF ENTHUSIASM FOR SCHUMAN'S IDEA.

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LONDON,MAY 12-(AP)-THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS TODAY AGREED ON A GENERAL POLICY OF INCORPORATING GERMANY INTO WESTERN EUROPE, ECONOMICALLY AND POLITICALLY. WESTERN

NO DETAILS WERE GIVEN BUT IT WAS UNDERSTOOD TO BE A CONTINUATION OF PRESENT POLICY PROJECTED INTO THE FUTURE.

THE MINISTERS ALSO ISSUED A FORMAL STATEMENT CONDEMNING THE SOVIET UNION FOR ITS ANNOUNCEMENT THAT IT HAS REPATRIATED ALL GERMAN PRISONERS OF WAR.

THE MINISTERS "HAVE AGREED THAT THEY WILL TAKE ALL POSSIBLE STEPS TO OBTAIN INFORMATION BEARING ON THE FATE OF PRISONERS OF WAR AND CIVILIANS NOT YET REPATRIATED FROM THE SOVIET UNION AND TO BRING ABOUT REPATRIATION IN THE LARGEST POSSIBLE NUMBER OF CASES."

THE MINISTERS ALSO PROMISED TO DO WHAT THEY COULD ABOUT REPATRIATING JAPANESE PRISONERS OF WAR.

IN ANOTHER DECLARATION THE MINISTERS REITERATED THEIR DETERMINATION TO STAND FIRM IN BERLIN AGAINST SOVIET PRESSURE AND "TO SEEK THE REUNIFICATION OF THE CITY IN FREE ELECTIONS IN ORDER THAT BERLIN MAY TAKE ITS DUE PLACE IN A FREE AND UNITED GERMANY."

EASING OF RESTRICTIONS CAME UP FOR DISCUSSION AS THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS BEGAN THE SECOND SESSION OF THEIR THREE-DAY MEETING ON HOW TO BOLSTER WESTERN DEFENSES AGAINST THE THREAT OF RUSSIAN COMMUNIST EXPANSION.

THE AMERICAN AND BRITISH DELEGATIONS PRESENTED PROPOSALS FOR TURNING OVER TO THE BONN GOVERNMENT MORE CONTROL OF WEST GERMANY'S INTERNAL AND FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

AN AUTHORITATIVE SOURCE SAID THE PROPOSALS DID NOT CONTEMPLATE FORMAL REVISION OF THE PRESENT OCCUPATION STATUTE, BUT RATHER A BIG THREE AGREEMENT NOT TO EXERCISE FULL STATUTE CONTROLS PENDING FORMAL REVIEW OF THE OCCUPATION POWERS THIS FALL.

ALSO ON THE AGENDA WAS CONSIDERATION OF FRANCE'S PROPOSAL FOR MERGING THE FRENCH AND GERMAN INDUSTRY POTENTIAL. IT WAS EXPECTED THAT THE GERMAN PROBLEMS WOULD OCCUPY THE FOREIGN MINISTERS MOST OF THE DAY

THE INITIATIVE FOR RELAXING SOME OF THE GERMAN CONTROLS CAME ALMOST ENTIRELY FROM THE AMERICAN AND BRITISH SIDES. THEY DISAGREED ON SOME POINTS.

AUTHORITATIVE SOURCES SAID THE PROPOSALS COVERED:

SHIP BUILDING--THE U.S. PROPOSES TO LIFT THE PRESENT TONNAGE RESTRICTIONS ON GERMANY'S SHIP BUILDING INDUSTRY FOR EXPORT PURPOSES IN ORDER TO EASE UNEMPLOYMENT. THE BRITISH HAVE NOT YET AGREED TO THIS IN PRELIMINARY DISCUSSIONS.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS--BOTH BRITAIN AND THE UNITED STATES HAVE PROPOSALS TO GIVE THE GERMANS FULL DIPLOMATIC VOICE ABROAD. THIS WOULD MEAN GRADUALLY ELEVATING PROPOSED GERMAN CONSULATES ABROAD TO EMBASSY LEVEL. IT ALSO WOULD RETURN TO THE GERMANS PERMISSION TO ISSUE EXIT VISAS AND PASSPORTS TO THEIR CITIZENS. THIS IS NOW DONE BY A THREE POWER TRAVEL BOARD. ANOTHER PROPOSAL WOULD RETURN FRONTIER CONTROLS CUSTOMS OVER TO THE GERMANS. THESE CONTROLS NOW ARE SHARED WITH THE OCCUPATION POWERS.

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INTERNAL AFFAIRS--BRITISH AND AMERICAN PROPOSALS IN THIS FIELD CONFLICT ON SOME POINTS. GENERALLY, THE BRITISH FAVOR GIVING THE GERMANS FAR MORE LATITUTE IN INTERNAL LEGISLATION WITH THE HIGH COMMISSION EXERCISING VETOES ONLY WHEN LEGISLATION COMES IN DIRECT CONFLICT WITH THE INTERNATIONAL AIMS OF THE OCCUPATION, OR INCREASES THE DOLLAR AND POUND FINANCING OF GERMANY ECONOMY. THE PROPOSALS WOULD DO AWAY WITH RECENT VETOES, SUCH AS THE ALLIED REJECTION OF A GERMAN CIVIL SERVICE LAW.

RELAXING OF RESTRICTIONS COULD BE MADE AT THIS MEETING SIMPLY BY A BIG THREE STATEMENT OF INTENTIONS OR POLICY DIRECTIVES TO THE HIGH COMMISSION. THE FRENCH ARE REPRESENTED AS LESS INCLINED TO RELAX THESE CONTROLS.

FRANCE WAS EXPECTED TO PUT ITS EUROPEAN INDUSTRY MERGER PROPOSAL BEFORE THE MINISTERS FORMALLY AND EXPLAIN SOME OF ITS DETAILS. NO FINAL DECISION ON THE PROPOSAL IS EXPECTED AT THIS MEETING.

THE TRIO--U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON, BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN--YESTERDAY DISCUSSED THE SHOOTING WAR IN INDOCHINA AND MALAYA, AND OTHER POSSIBLE TROUBLE SPOTS. THE CONFERENCE WILL LAST THREE DAYS.

BUT IN A COMMUNIQUE AFTER THEIR FIRST MEETING, THEY EMPHASIZED THAT THE BUILDING UP OF WESTERN DEFENSES WAS THE PRIME OBJECT OF THE BIG THREE CONFERENCE.

NO SPECTACULAR ANNOUNCEMENTS CONCERNING DEFENSE WERE EXPECTED HOWEVER. AN INFORMED SOURCE SAID DISCUSSIONS WERE CENTERING ABOUT RELATIVELY LONG-TERM PROJECTS REQUIRING PLANNING NOW.

MOST WESTERN DIPLOMATS AGREED THAT A FIRM BOND TYING GERMANY TO THE ANTI-COMMUNIST FRONT WOULD BE OF IMMENSE VALUE. THE AMERICANS PLAINLY WANT THAT DEVELOPMENT, THOUGH THEY CAME TO LONDON WITH NO CONCRETE IDEA OF HOW IT COULD BE ACHIEVED.

THE FRENCH PLAN, WHICH EVENTUALLY MIGHT PUT ALL WESTERN EUROPE'S NATURAL RESOURCES UNDER AN INTERNATIONAL AUTHORITY, WAS NOT DISCUSSED YESTERDAY BY THE FOREIGN MINISTERS. FOR ONE THING, THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT STILL WAS TALKING ABOUT IT.

BEVIN WAS CALLED AWAY FROM THE BIG THREE CONFERENCE TO ATTEND A LABOR CABINET SESSION AT WHICH THE PLAN WAS CONSIDERED. PRIME MINISTER CLEMENT ATTLEE TOLD THE HOUSE OF COMMONS THE FRENCH PROPOSAL WOULD RECEIVE SYMPATHETIC CONSIDERATION, BUT ALL INDICATIONS WERE THAT THE BRITISH WOULD NOT COMMIT THEMSELVES FOR SOME TIME.

THE FOREIGN MINISTERS IN THEIR REVIEW OF POLICY AND STRATEGY ALSO WERE KEEPING IN MIND THE MEETING NEXT WEEK OF THE COUNCIL OF FOREIGN MINISTERS FROM THE 12 NORTH ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS.

AS MEMBERS OF THAT COUNCIL, THE BIG THREE MUST HELP FIND A WAY TO BALANCE MILITARY REQUIREMENTS OF THE 12 NATIONS WITH AVAILABLE RESOURCES.

FINANCIAL EXPERTS REPRESENTING THE EUROPEAN SIGNERS OF THE PACT ALREADY HAVE AGREED THAT THEIR GOVERNMENTS CAN NOT SUPPLY ALL THE ARMS AND FACILITIES REQUIRED OF THEM BY DEFENSE PLANS AS DRAWN. THE PLANNERS MUST SEEK A COMPROMISE WHICH WILL STRENGTHEN MILITARY FORCES WITHOUT HALTING THE STEADY ECONOMIC PROGRESS OF THE WEST EUROPEAN NATIONS.

THE BIG THREE MINISTERS ARE EXPECTED TO APPOINT A PERMANENT COMMITTEE TO SEEK A SOLUTION.

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WASHINGTON, MAY 12-(AP)-SENATOR KEFAUVER (D-TENN) CALLED ON SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON TODAY TO TAKE UP AT THE "BIG THREE" MEETING LONDON A PLAN FOR A UNION OF ATLANTIC NATIONS AS A BARRIER TO COMMUNISM.

ASSERTING THAT THE "PIECEMEAL POLICY OF CONTAINING COMMUNISM HAS NOT CONTAINED IT," KEFAUVER TOLD THE SENATE THAT THE COLD WAR SITUATION DEMANDS "BOLDNESS."

ACHESON IS NOW MEETING WITH THE FRENCH AND BRITISH FOREIGN

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MINISTERS IN LONDON ON MONDAY, FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE 12 NORTH ATLANTIC PACT COUNTRIES WILL START A WEEK'S DISCUSSIONS OF WAY TO STRENGTHEN TREATY OPERATIONS.

KEFAUVER SAID ACHESON CAN "SMOOTH THE WAY" FOR A CONVENTION OF THE ATLANTIC NATIONS BY DISCUSSING WITH THE BRITISH AND FRENCH MINISTERS THE "ADVANTAGES OF UNION AS A MEANS OF SOLVING SUCCESSFULLY THE PROBLEMS WHICH NOW THREATEN THE FUTURE OF OUR THREE GREAT DEMOCRACIES."

KEFAUVER AND 19 OTHER DEMOCRATIC AND REPUBLICAN SENATORS HAVE INTRODUCED A RESOLUTION THROUGH WHICH CONGRESS WOULD REQUEST PRESIDENT TRUMAN TO CALL A CONVENTION OF THE ATLANTIC TREATY NATIONS TO DISCUSS A FEDERAL UNION.

KEFAUVER COUPLED HIS REQUEST TO ACHESON WITH THE DECLARATION THAT CONGRESS SHOULD APPROVE THE RESOLUTION AT THIS SESSION AND THEREBY "STRIKE A BLOW FOR FREEDOM WHICH WILL TURN THE TIDE OF HISTORY."

APPROVAL OF THE RESOLUTION NOW, HE SAID, WOULD PUT THE DEMOCRATIC PEOPLES ON "THE POLITICAL AND PSYCHOLOGICAL OFFENSIVE IN THE 'COLD WAR.'"

THE TENNESSEE DEMOCRAT, WHO LONG HAS SUPPORTED ADMINISTRATION POLICIES, CRITICIZED THE PRESENT SYSTEM OF DIPLOMACY AS "INADEQUATE."

EVEN THE "TOTAL DIPLOMACY" CALLED FOR BY SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON, HE CONTINUED, WOULD NOT PROVE SUFFICIENT FOR THE TASK AT HAND.

HE SAID THE INNUMERABLE CONFERENCES OF DIPLOMATS HAVE "FAILED MISERABLY" AND THE METHOD OF DIPLOMACY, RELYING AS IT DOES ON THE VOLUNTARY COOPERATION OF GOVERNMENTS, "IS FAR TOO FRAGILE A REED ON WHICH TO LEAN IN THE PRESENT TENSE SITUATION."

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WASHINGTON, MAY 12-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S PLANE, THE INDEPENDENCE, WAS DAMAGED SLIGHTLY BY LIGHTNING SATURDAY WHILE ENROUTE TO PARIS WITH SECRETARY ACHESON, IT WAS LEARNED TODAY.

THE INCIDENT OCCURRED ON THE FIRST LEG OF THE EASTBOUND FLIGHT IN THE VICINITY OF NEWFOUNDLAND.

THERE WAS NO EXCITEMENT, ONE OF THOSE ABOARD SAID, AND THE SLIGHT CONTINUED ON SCHEDULE. THE INDEPENDENCE RETURNED TO WASHINGTON AND WILL BE FLOWN TO SANTA MONICA, CALIF., FOR OVERHAUL AT THE DOUGLAS AIRCRAFT COMPANY PLANT WHERE IT WAS BUILT.

WITH THE SECRETARY OF STATE IN THE PLANE WERE MRS. ACHESON AND JOHN SHERMAN COOPER, REPUBLICAN ADVISER ON FOREIGN POLICY.

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NIGHT LEAD VOGELER (260)

LONDON,MAY 12-(AP)-MRS.ROBERT A.VOGELER, BATTLING FOR THE RELEASE OF HER AMERICAN BUSINESSMAN HUSBAND FROM A 15-YEAR PRISON SENTENCE IN HUNGARY, CONFERRED WITH U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON FOR AN HOUR TODAY.

SHE ALSO HAS WRITTEN AN APPEAL TO HUNGARY'S REPUTED COMMUNIST BOSS, DEPUTY PREMIER MATYAS RAKOSI.

"MR.ACHESON WAS VERY SYMPATHETIC AND SEEMED TO HAVE THE DETAILS OF THE CASE AT HIS FINGER TIPS," MRS.VOGELER SAID. "I LEFT HIM IN A MUCH MORE HOPEFUL FRAME OF MIND. BUT I DON'T KNOW THE DETAILS OF WHAT WILL BE UNDERTAKEN IN BEHALF OF MY HUSBAND."

THE ATTRACTIVE 32-YEAR-OLD MOTHER OF TWO FLEW TO LONDON FROM THE VOGELERS' HOME IN VIENNA TO SEE ACHESON, WHO IS HERE FOR THE MEETING OF THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS.

SHE SAID SHE WROTE TO RAKOSI "AS A WIFE AND MOTHER," TELLING HIM THAT "IF HE COULD LOOK INTO MY TWO SONS' EYES HE COULD NOT FEEL IT IN HIS HEART TO DEPRIVE THEM OF THEIR FATHER ON SUCH RIDICULOUS CHARGES."

VOGELER, AN EXECUTIVE AND ROVING EUROPEAN REPRESENTATIVE OF THE INTERNATIONAL TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY, WAS SENTENCED LAST FEBRUARY ON CHARGES OF ESPIONAGE AND SABOTAGE TO WHICH HE HAD PLEADED GUILTY. DESPITE UNITED STATES PROTESTS, THE HUNGARIAN SUPREME COURT YESTERDAY UPHELD THE CONVICTION AND RULED THAT HE MUST SERVE THE SENTENCE.

THE BELGIAN-BORN MRS.VOGELER SAID THAT IF HER EFFORTS FAILED SHE WOULD GO BACK TO LIVE IN VIENNA FOR THE FULL TIME OF HER HUSBAND'S IMPRISONMENT, "IF NEED BE X X X UNTIL 1965, WHEN HE IS SUPPOSED TO BE RELEASED."

AFTER HER TALK WITH ACHESON, MICHAEL J.MCDERMOTT, THE SECRETARY'S ASSISTANT, DECLARED THE U.S. GOVERNMENT "IS CONTINUING TO GIVE CLOSEST ATTENTION TO HER HUSBAND'S FIGHT AND WILL PERSIST IN ITS EFFORTS TO ASSIST, TO GAIN ACCESS TO HIM AND TO EFFECT HIS RELEASE AND RETURN TO THE UNITED STATES."

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LONDON,MAY 12-(AP)-U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON TOOK TIME OUT TODAY FROM THE BIG THREE CONFERENCE TO BOOST THE HOPES OF MRS. ROBERT A .VOGELER, SEEKING THE RELEASE OF HER AMERICAN HUSBAND SENTENCED IN HUNGARY TO SERVE 15 YEARS IN PRISON FOR SPYING.

"MY HOPES HAVE RISEN A GREAT DEAL," SAID BELGIAN-BORN MRS.VOGELER, SMILING HAPPILY AS SHE LEFT AN INTERVIEW OF MORE THAN AN HOUR WITH THE STATE DEPARTMENT HEAD.

"THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT IS GOING TO DO ALL IT CAN. I CAN RELY ON THEM," SHE ADDED.

SHE DID NOT SAY WHAT LINES HER TALKS WITH ACHESON HAD TAKEN. AND SHE DECLINED TO SAY WHETHER THE SECRETARY HAD AGREED ON ANY PLAN TO EFFECT THE RELEASE OF HER HUSBAND, WHOSE CONVICTION AND PRISON SENTENCE LAST FEBRUARY WERE CONFIRMED YESTERDAY IN BUDAPEST BY THE HUNGARIAN SUPREME COURT OF JUSTICE.

"I AM MORE SURE THAN EVER THAT THE GOVERNMENT WILL DO THE BEST IT CAN TO HELP ME. I AM SURE THAT IT HAS DONE EVERYTHING IT COULD SO FAR."

"IF IT IS NECESSARY," SHE ADDED, "I WILL FLY TO SEE THE AMERICAN PRESIDENT."

ACHESON INTERVIEWED THE BLONDE WIFE OF THE INTERNATIONAL TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO. EXECUTIVE SHORTLY BEFORE HE RESUMED HIS TALKS WITH THE BRITISH AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTERS. SHE HAD FLOWN HERE FROM VIENNA TO SEE HIM.

ACHESON, MRS.VOGELER SAID, "WAS MOST CHARMING."

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"I WOULD NEVER HAVE THOUGHT THAT A MAN SO BUSY WITH SO MANY WORLD PROBLEMS WOULD HAVE TAKEN SO MUCH TIME TO TALK TO ME," SHE ADDED. "I EXPECTED TO SEE HIM FOR ONLY A FEW MINUTES."

LATER MICHAEL J.MC DERMOTT, SPECIAL ASSISTANT TO ACHESON, SAID THE SECRETARY OF STATE HAD ASSURED MRS.VOGELER:

"THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT, SHARING HER DEEP CONCERN, IS CONTINUING TO GIVE CLOSEST ATTENTION TO HER HUSBAND'S PLIGHT AND WILL PERSIST IN ITS EFFORTS TO ASSIST HIM, TO GAIN ACCESS TO HIM AND TO EFFECT HIS RELEASE AND RETURN TO THE UNITED STATES."

LATER MRS. VOGELER TOLD NEWSMEN SHE HAD ALSO APPEALED TO MATYAS RAKOSI, DEPUTY PREMIER AND "STRONG MAN" OF HUNGARY, TO FREE HER HUSBAND.

"I WROTE TO HIM AS A WIFE AND MOTHER," MRS. VOGELER SAID, "AND I TOLD HIM THAT IF HE COULD LOOK INTO MY TWO SONS' EYES HE COULD NOT FEEL IT IN HIS HEART TO DEPRIVE THEM OF THEIR FATHER ON SUCH

RIDICULOUS CHARGES.
"I HAVE BEEN TOLD THAT MR. RAKOSI IS AN AMIABLE GENTLEMAN WITH A SENSE OF HUMOR, AND THAT HE HAS AN UNDERSTANDING FOR SUCH LOVE AS I HAVE FOR MY HUSBAND AND CHILDREN. I HOPE THAT THIS APPEAL WILL TOUCH HIM IN THE RIGHT PLACE."
HER SONS, ROBERT, 10, AND WILLIAM, 8, ARE AT HOME IN VIENNA. MRS. VOGELER FLEW HERE FROM VIENNA IN ORDER TO SEE ACHESON.
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PRECEDE LONDON
HONG KONG,SATURDAY, MAY 13-(AP)-THE BRITISH STEAMER ETHEL MOLLER, RESCUED FROM THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS BY THE BRITISH DESTROYER COSSACK YESTERDAY, ARRIVED IN HONG KONG HARBOR TODAY.
THE FRIGATE WHITESAND BAY ESCORTED THE LITTLE STEAMER TO THE HARBOR ENTRANCE, WHERE POLICE TOOK OVER.
CREW MEMBERS OF THE ETHEL MOLLER WERE NOT ALLOWED TO TALK WITH REPORTERS.
AUTHORITIES SAID THIS STEP WAS NECESSARY DURING AN INVESTIGATION OF THE SHIP'S CAPTURE. AUTHORITIES ALSO MUST DETERMINE WHAT IS TO BE DONE WITH CHINESE NATIONALISTS CAUGHT ABOARD.
THE ETHEL MOLLER, SEIZED BY THE NATIONALISTS TWO MONTHS AGO WHILE RUNNING THE BLOCKADE TO RED CHINA, WAS RECAPTURED BY THE DESTROYER OFF THE SOUTHEAST CHINA PORT OF AMOY.
CREW MEMBERS OF A SISTER SHIP, EDITH MOLLER, SAID THAT ABOUT THE SAME TIME A NATIONALIST GUNBOAT TRIED TO STOP THEIR SHIP 30 MILES WEST OF HONG KONG.
THEY REPORTED FIVE RIFLE SHOTS WERE FIRED INTO THE AIR FROM THE GUNBOAT. THE SMALL FREIGHTER THEN EASILY OUTRAN THE WARSHIP. SHE BROUGHT 200 TONS OF GENERAL CARGO FROM INDOCHINA.
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NIGHT LEAD STEAMER (180)
LONDON,MAY 12-(AP)-THE BRITISH DESTROYER COSSACK WAS HEADED FOR HONG KONG TODAY WITH THE 564-TON BRITISH STEAMER ETHEL MOLLER, SNATCHED BACK FROM THE HANDS OF CHINESE NATIONALIST CAPTORS YESTERDAY.
THE ADMIRALTY TOLD OF THESE DEVELOPMENTS IN THE FORMOSA STRAIT:
A BRITISH BOARDING PARTY SEIZED THE VESSEL OFF THE COMMUNIST CHINA ISLAND OF AMOY, DISARMED NATIONALIST TROOPS WHO WERE ABOARD AND RAISED THE BRITISH MERCHANT NAVY FLAG. THERE WAS NO INDICATION THAT THE CHINESE RESISTED.
THE ETHEL MOLLER WAS TURNED OVER TO HER ORIGINAL CREW, FROM WHOM THE NATIONALISTS HAD CAPTURED HER OFF AMOY FEB.26 WHILE SHE WAS RUNNING THE NATIONALIST BLOCKADE.
THE ETHEL MOLLER IS OWNED BY THE ANGLO-CHINESE SHIPPING COMPANY AND REGISTERED OUT OF HONG KONG. SHE WAS LATER REPORTED BEING USED AS A TROOP CARRIER FOR NATIONALIST ATTACKS ON THE COMMUNIST CHINA MAINLAND.
THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT, WHICH HAS WITHDRAWN RECOGNITION OF THE NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT AND OFFERED IT TO THE COMMUNIST REGIME, PROTESTED THE CAPTURE OF THE VESSEL AND PRESSED FOR AN EXPLANATION.
THE STEAMER, ESCORTED BY THE COSSACK, IS EXPECTED TO ARRIVE BACK IN HONG KONG AROUND NOON TOMORROW.
TWO OTHER MOLLER SHIPS -- THE 400-TON ELSIE MOLLER AND THE 2,648-TON LOUISE MOLLER -- HAVE FIGURED IN SUCCESSFUL RUNS THROUGH THE NATIONALIST BLOCKADE TO SHANGHAI.
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FIRST LEAD BRITISH SHIP
LONDON, MAY 12-(AP)-THE BRITISH NAVY HAS RECAPTURED THE 564-TON BRITISH STEAMER ETHEL MOLLER, SEIZED BY CHINESE NATIONALISTS TWO MONTHS AGO FOR RUNNING THEIR BLOCKADE, AN ADMIRALTY SPOKESMAN DISCLOSED TODAY.
THE SPOKESMAN SAID NATIONALIST SOLDIERS--SOME OF THEM WOUNDED--AND SEVERAL CHINESE WOMEN AND CHILDREN WERE ABOARD THE ETHEL MOLLER WHEN SHE WAS RETAKEN WITHOUT A FIGHT.
THE BRITISH DESTROYER COSSACK HAILED THE CAPTURED STEAMER YESTERDAY OFF THE ISLAND OF AMOY, THEN BOARDED HER. SEAMEN FROM THE COSSACK DISARMED THE CHINESE SOLDIERS.
THE BOARDING PARTY HOISTED THE BRITISH MERCHANT NAVY FLAG TO INDICATE THE ETHEL MOLLER WAS A MERCHANT VESSEL AND NOT A NAVAL PRIZE.
THE ORIGINAL CREW WAS PUT BACK IN CHARGE OF THE VESSEL, THE SPOKESMAN SAID.
THE COSSACK THEN ESCORTED THE STEAMER TOWARD HONGKONG. IT WAS ESTIMATED THAT THE ETHEL MOLLER WOULD REACH THAT PORT ABOUT NOON TOMORROW.
THE COSSACK IS COMMANDED BY 42-YEAR-OLD CAPT. R.T.WHITE.
THE ETHEL MOLLER, OWNED BY THE ANGLO-CHINESE SHIPPING COMPANY AND REGISTERED AT HONGKONG, DISAPPEARED ON FEB.26 WHILE EN ROUTE FROM HONGKONG TO KOREA.
UNCONFIRMED REPORTS SAID SHE HAD BEEN SEIZED BY A NATIONALIST GUNBOAT AND TAKEN TO FORMOSA.
IN MARCH THERE WERE REPORTS SHE WAS BEING USED BY NATIONALISTS AS A TROOP CARRIER FOR RAIDS ON THE COMMUNIST-HELD CHINA MAINLAND.
ERNEST DAVIES, PARLIAMENTARY UNDER-SECRETARY OF STATE FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS, TOLD THE HOUSE OF COMMONS LAST MONTH THAT THE ETHEL MOLLER AND ANOTHER SHIP CALLED THE TAICHUNG SHAN WERE SEIZED BY NATIONALIST AUTHORITIES WHILE ATTEMPTING TO ENTER THE RED CHINA PORT OF AMOY. THE ADMIRALTY SAID IT ASSUMED THE TAICHUNG SHAN IS CHINESE. SHE IS NOT LISTED IN LLOYDS SHIP REGISTRY.
DAVIES SAID BRITAIN HAD INFORMED THE NATIONALISTS THAT SHE TOOK A "SERIOUS" VIEW OF THE INCIDENT. HE SAID BRITAIN WAS PRESSING FOR AN EXPLANATION.
THE SISTER SHIP OF THE ETHEL MOLLER, THE 400-TEN ELSIE MOLLER, WAS THE FIRST BRITISH SHIP TO RUN THE NATIONALIST BLOCKADE OF RED CHINA AFTER BRITAIN RECOGNIZED THE COMMUNIST REGIME.
THE ELSIE MOLLER WAS RIDDLED BY NATIONALIST PLANES WHEN SHE BROKE THROUGH THE BLOCKADE IN HINGHWA HARBOR ON THE SOUTHEAST CHINA COAST EARLY IN MARCH.
THE VESSEL ARRIVED IN HONGKONG SEVERAL DAYS LATER, HER HULL RIDDLED WITH BULLETS. CAPT. G.O.GATEHOUSE SAID THERE WERE MORE THAN 50 SHELL HOLES IN HIS CRAFT.
THERE WAS NO INDICATION OF WHETHER THE CHINESE HAD OFFERED ANY RESISTANCE TO THE CREWMEN FROM THE COSSACK. THE BRITISH DESTROYER, WHICH HAS A COMPLEMENT OF ABOUT 200 OFFICERS AND MEN, PRESUMABLY HAD GUNS TRAINED ON THE ETHEL MOLLER DURING THE BOARDING OPERATIONS. THERE WERE PROBABLY 25 MEN IN THE BOARDING PARTY.
THE ELSIE MOLLER TOOK 300 TONS OF CHEMICALS INTO SHANGHAI IN JANUARY BY USING A SHALLOW UNCHARTED CHANNEL OF THE YANGTSE. SHE ESCAPED DETENTION BECAUSE NATIONALIST GUNBOATS WERE BUSY DEALING WITH AN AMERICAN VESSEL.
SHE WAS LAST REPORTED LIMPING BACK TO HONG KONG IN MARCH, HEAVILY DAMAGED BY AIRCRAFT ATTACKS WHILE ATTEMPTING TO RUN THE NATIONALIST BLOCKADE OFF SHANGHAI.
ANOTHER MOLLER LINE SHIP, THE 2,648-TON LOUISE MOLLER, WAS SHELLED

BY A NATIONALIST WARSHIP AT THE MOUTH OF THE YANGTSE LAST NOVEMBER BUT CONTINUED INTO SHANGHAI WITHOUT SERIOUS DAMAGE. ON LEAVING SHANGHAI SHE WAS DETAINED FOR SEVERAL DAYS BUT LATER RELEASED BECAUSE SHE CARRIED NEITHER CARGO NOR PASSENGERS.

THE BRITISH HAVE WITHDRAWN RECOGNITION FROM NATIONALIST CHINA AND OFFERED IT TO COMMUNIST CHINA. THERE HAS BEEN NO EXCHANGE OF DIPLOMATIC REPRESENTATIVES WITH THE CHINESE REDS, HOWEVER.

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NIGHT LEAD ICE SHOW

LONDON,MAY 12-(AP)-PROMOTERS OF A BRITISH ICE SHOW FOUGHT THEIR OWN PRIVATE COLD WAR WITH THE RUSSIANS TODAY.

A SPOKESMAN FOR TOM ARNOLD'S ICE REVUE, WHICH IS TOURING GERMANY, SAID THE RUSSIANS HAD SEIZED £25,000 ($70,000) WORTH OF ICE-MAKING MACHINERY AND PROPS IN BERLIN.

LATER THE SPOKESMAN SAID THE RUSSIANS "CONSENTED TO SEND THE EQUIPMENT BACK TO THE WESTERN SECTOR IN PAYMENT OF 4,800 MARKS ($1,143)." HE SAID HE HAD NO IDEA WHAT THE PAYMENT WAS FOR.

THE SHOW, WHICH WAS TO HAVE OPENED IN BREMEN TONIGHT, WILL HAVE ITS FIRST PERFORMANCE THERE SUNDAY.

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LONDON, MAY 12-(AP)-PROMOTERS OF A BRITISH SHOW NOW TOURING GERMANY ACCUSED THE RUSSIANS TODAY OF SEIZING £25,000 ($70,000) WORTH OF THE TROUPE'S EQUIPMENT IN BERLIN.

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE SHOW, TOM ARNOLD'S ICE REVIEW, SAID IT COULD NOT GO ON IN BREMEN TONIGHT AS SCHEDULED BECAUSE THE RUSSIANS CONFISCATED 20 TONS OF PROPS AND ICE-MAKING MACHINERY.

A RUSSIAN EMBASSY OFFICIAL SAID: "WE HAVE NO INFORMATION ABOUT THIS IN LONDON AT ALL."

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A41 (CX BJT)

LONDON, MAY 12-(AP)-POLITICAL EXPERTS OF BRITISH COMMONWEALTH NATIONS REPORTED "CONSIDERABLE PROGRESS" TODAY IN THEIR EFFORTS TO UNITE ON A COMMONWEALTH POLICY TOWARD A PEACE TREATY WITH JAPAN.

THEIR DISCUSSIONS WERE RESUMED THIS MORNING. IT WAS EXPECTED THE STUDY OF THE MANY TECHNICAL PROBLEMS RAISED WILL KEEP THEM OCCUPIED UNTIL NEXT WEEK.

THE MEETINGS, WHICH WERE STARTED IN THE PRESENCE OF THE COMMONWEALTH HIGH COMMISSIONERS, HAVE BEEN PRIVATE AND THERE HAS BEEN NO ANNOUNCEMENT OF MATTERS UNDER DISCUSSIONS. THE NEGOTIATORS EXPECT TO PREPARE A REPORT FOR SUBMISSION TO THE HIGH COMMISSIONERS.

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LONDON,SATURDAY,MAY 13-(AP)-THIRTEEN SOVIET SCIENTISTS BROADCAST A STATEMENT OVER RADIO MOSCOW TODAY DENOUNCING THE DISMISSAL OF COMMUNIST FREDERIC JOLIOT-CURIE AS HEAD OF FRENCH ATOMIC RESEARCH.

THEY SAID "THE WARMONGERS HAVE ONCE AGAIN SHOWN THAT THEY HAVE COMPLETELY RENOUNCED ANY ATTEMPT TO UTILIZE ATOMIC ENERGY FOR PEACEFUL PURPOSES" AND PRAISED JOLIOT-CURIE AS "A STEADFAST CHAMPION OF PEACE."

JOLIOT-CURIE WAS FIRED APRIL 28 AFTER MAKING A STATEMENT THAT "COMMUNIST SCIENTISTS WILL NEVER CONTRIBUTE A PARTICLE OF THEIR SCIENCE TO A WAR AGAINST THE SOVIET UNION."

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PARIS, MAY 12-(AP)-DETROITERS GOT A FIRST HAND BRIEFING ON WHAT THE MARSHALL PLAN IS DOING TODAY.

FORTY-FOUR MEMBERS OF THE DETROIT CHAMBER OF COMMERCE HEARD KENTUCKIAN BARRY BINGHAM, MARSHALL PLAN AMBASSADOR TO FRANCE, OUTLINE THE ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF THE REVOCERY SCHEME DURING ITS FIRST TWO YEARS AND ITS AIMS FOR THE SECOND TWO.

THE DETROITERS, HERE ON A SPECIAL PAN AMERICAN FLIGHT FROM DETROIT VIA NEW YORK AND LONDON, SAW THE FAMED FOLIES BERGERE LAST NIGHT AND ARE BOOKED FOR THE MONTMARTRE NIGHT CLUB SHOW AT BAL TABARIN TONIGHT. THEY ALSO HAVE BEEN ENTERTAINED BY THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT, AND HAVE ATTENDED TWO WINE FESTIVALS.

AN AMERICAN EMBASSY SPOKESMAN, HOWEVER, SAID "SO MANY OF THEM HAVE SHOWN MORE INTEREST IN JUST SEEING PARIS THAN IN ALL THE ENTERTAINMENT THAT THE PARTY GETS SMALLER AND SMALLER." HE SAID MANY OF THEM HAD ARRANGED THEIR OWN TOURS TO THE LOUVRE AND OTHER MUSEUMS.

THE PARTY IS TO TAKE OFF SUNDAY AFTERNOON FOR THE RETURN FLIGHT TO DETROIT.

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MONTE CARLO, MAY 12-(AP)-THE TINY PRINCIPALITY OF MONACO, ON THE FRENCH RIVIERA, CRACKED DOWN TODAY ON THE COMMUNIST PARTY.

POLICEMEN TACKED A "CLOSED BY GOVERNMENT ORDER" SIGN ON PARTY HEADQUARTERS, AND THEY WENT THROUGH THE BUILDING PACKING PARTY LITERATURE INTO CASES.

THERE WERE 300 COMMUNISTS IN THIS VACATION PLAYGROUND SIX YEARS AGO. THE PARTY CLAIMS 200 MEMBERS NOW, OF WHICH 50 ARE BELIEVED ACTIVE.

THE CLOSING OF PARTY HEADQUARTERS WAS THE EQUIVALENT OF OUTLAWING THE PARTY, THOUGH THE EDICT ISSUED BY PRINCE RAINIER III DID NOT ACTUALLY SAY SO.

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ZEEBRUGGE, BELGIUM, MAY 12-(AP)-THE AMERICAN SHIP U. S. O. DOCKED HERE TODAY WITH THE FIRST CARGO OF U. S. ARMS UNDER THE MILITARY AID PACT. SQUADS OF RIFLE-ARMED GENDARMES WERE ON HAND TO PREVENT ANY COMMUNIST DEMONSTRATION.

THE SHIP HAD BEEN SCHEDULED TO DOCK AT ANTWERP BUT WAS DIVERTED TO ZEEBRUGGE WHEN THE MAYOR OF ANTWERP REFUSED TO TAKE RESPONSIBILITY FOR MAINTENANCE OF ORDER. THE PORT OF ANTWERP WAS TIED UP FOUR DAYS LAST MONTH BY COMMUNIST DEMONSTRATIONS, ACCOMPANIED BY SOME VIOLENCE.

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AMSTERDAM, THE NETHERLANDS, MAY 12-(AP)-THE FIRST SEA LORD OF THE BRITISH ADMIRALTY SAID TODAY BRITAIN HAS AN ATOM-POWERED SUBMARINE IN THE EXPERIMENTAL STAGE.

ADM. LORD FRASER OF NORTH CAPE DID NOT ELABORATE ON HIS STATEMENT, MADE AT A NEWS CONFERENCE DURING AN OFFICIAL VISIT TO THE NETHERLANDS.

LORD FRASER, WHO IS ALSO CHIEF OF THE BRITISH NAVAL STAFF, CAME TO HOLLAND ABOARD THE DESTROYER NEPAL.

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Warwick, Eng., May 12-(ap)-former britain foreign secretary anthony eden hailed france's coal-and-steel pool proposal tonight as one "which in principle we cannot fail to welcome."

Britain "should certainly play a part in this important international development," the deputy leader of winston churchill's conservatives said in an address to an audience to his home constituency here. MAY 13 1950

Britain's labor government, which had received the french proposal at first with astonished silence, appeared yesterday to have been warming up to it, [redacted] with prime minister attlee promising to give it careful study. u.s. secretary of state dean acheson has expressed approval of the idea behind french foreign minister schuman's suggestion that germany and france pool their coal and steel production and invite other nations who wish to do so to [redacted] participate in such a plan.

[redacted] said Rome dispatches [redacted] industry and commerce minister [redacted] giuseppe togni [redacted] indicated italy might seek to join such a pool. togni obtained [redacted] a delay on a government bill to bolster italy's sagging steel industry. he cited "international developments," hinting italy is awaiting possible action on schuman's plan. italian foreign minister carlo sforza, hailing the plan, has expressed hope it would be extended to include other western european nations.

[redacted] The Big three foreign ministers, [redacted] currently meeting in london, [redacted] have been expected to give the plan much study.

Eden said that a policy of "weaving germany into the pattern of the free western democracies" was going forward through her admission in the council of europe as an associate member.

"if we are to give the leadership which europe asks from us we have to be a working , not just a sleeping, partner in the european firm," eden said.

turning to the world situation in general, eden said:

"looking at the international scene as a whole, there is no doubt that america's active participation in the european struggle to maintain freedom and peace has been the supreme contribution."

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He welcomed as "heartening news" american readiness to extend military and economic aid in indochina, and urged the united states to apply the same vigor to the struggle in the ~~latter~~ far east, where he said a "war situation" exists, as it did to the european situation.

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NIGHT LEAD MUELLER

BY BRACK CURRY

FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 12-(AP)-WEST GERMANY'S NO. 2 COMMUNIST, KURT MUELLER, HAS DISAPPEARED MYSTERIOUSLY AFTER BEING EXPELLED FROM THE COMMUNIST PARTY. A COMMUNIST STATEMENT DECLARED HE WAS AN "ENEMY AGENT" FOR A FOREIGN POWER.

THE STATEMENT WAS DRAWN UP BY PARTY LEADERS WEDNESDAY.

A TERSE LETTER TO PARLIAMENT, SIGNED BY MUELLER'S NAME, ANNOUNCED YESTERDAY THAT HE WAS RESIGNING HIS SEAT AS A DEPUTY FOR PERSONAL REASONS.

PERSISTENT EFFORTS TO LOCATE MUELLER TODAY WERE FRUITLESS. A WAITER BY OCCUPATION, HE HAD AN APARTMENT IN HANNOVER. HE HAS NOT ANSWERED THE TELEPHONE SINCE THE STORY OF HIS RESIGNATION FROM PARLIAMENT BROKE LAST NIGHT.

SPECULATION OVER HIS DISAPPEARANCE TOUCHED ON TWO POSSIBILITIES--THAT HE WAS IN HIDING OR HAD BEEN WHISKED OFF TO RUSSIAN-OCCUPIED EAST GERMANY. HIS EXPULSION FROM THE COMMUNIST PARTY WAS INTERPRETED AS PRESAGING A STEPPED-UP PARTY PURGE.

THE COMMUNIST STATEMENT INDICATED AN ACCELERATED PURGE WITHIN THE PARTY BY SAYING MUELLER WAS ABLE TO CARRY ON HIS ACTIVITIES BECAUSE PARTY MEMBERS HAD "LACKED VIGILANCE."

THE PARTY IS SAID TO HAVE SUFFERED A SHARP DROP IN MEMBERSHIP IN RECENT MONTHS THROUGH DISSATISFACTION OF THOUSANDS OF MEMBERS WITH THE MOSCOW LINE AND THE EXPULSION OF OTHERS SUSPECTED OF DEVIATIONS.

GERMAN COMMUNIST CHIEF MAX REIMANN ACCUSED MUELLER OF A CHAIN OF ACTS OF SABOTAGE, PROMOTION OF HOSTILE AGENTS, CONNECTIONS WITH "THE ENEMY" AND ATTEMPTS TO DESTROY THE PARTY.

THE "ENEMY" WAS NOT IDENTIFIED, BUT REIMANN, SPEAKING AT THE PARTY MEETING WHICH EXPELLED MUELLER, DENOUNCED THE UNITED STATES. HE WAS QUOTED IN THE COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER SOZIALISTISCHE VOLKSZEITUNG:

"AMERICAN IMPERIALISM, IN THE SAME MANNER THAT IT PUSHES FORWARD ITS POLICY OF PREPARING FOR WAR, ALSO INCREASES ITS ACTIVITY TO DESTROY POWERS OF PEACE AND PARTICULARLY THE COMMUNIST PARTY."

REIMANN SAID IT WAS WELL KNOWN THAT TROTSKYITES (DEVIATIONISTS FROM THE MOSCOW LINE) EXPANDED THEIR CONNECTIONS WITH WEST GERMANY BY SUPPLYING INTERMEDIARIES WITH AMERICAN FOOD PACKAGES.

THE COMMUNIST PARTY STATEMENT INDICATED MUELLER WAS SUSPECTED OF TITOISM--INDEPENDENT COMMUNISM ON THE LINES FOLLOWED BY PREMIER MARSHAL TITO OF YUGOSLAVIA--AS WELL AS COLLABORATION EIYH YHR ERDYZM

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MARSHAL TITO OF YUGOSLAVIA--AS WELL AS COLLABORATION WITH THE WEST.

FOR THE PAST TWO YEARS, MUELLER, NOW 47, HAS BEEN REIMANN'S DEPUTY. HE WAS NAMED CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMUNIST YOUTH MOVEMENT IN GERMANY IN 1931. HE WAS ARRESTED BY GESTAPO AGENTS IN 1934 AND SPENT 11 YEARS IN CONCENTRATION CAMPS.

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FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 12-(AP)-WEST GERMANY'S COMMUNIST PARTY DISCLOSED TODAY IT HAD EXPELLED ITS NO. TWO LEADER, KURT MUELLER, AS AN "ENEMY AGENT" FOR A FOREIGN POWER.

THE FOREIGN POWER WAS NOT IDENTIFIED, BUT PARTY CHAIRMAN MAX REIMANN BITTERLY ASSAILED THE UNITED STATES AT THE SPECIAL SECRET PARTY MEETING WHICH OUSTED MUELLER.

MUELLER, A DEPUTY IN THE WEST GERMAN PARLIAMENT (BUNDESTAG), RESIGNED HIS PARLIAMENTARY SEAT YESTERDAY. HIS RESIGNATION LETTER SAID HE WAS QUITTING FOR "PERSONAL REASONS."

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SUBSEQUENTLY HE WAS NOT AVAILABLE FOR COMMENT.

A COMMUNIST PARTY STATEMENT INDICATED THAT MUELLER WAS SUSPECTED OF "TITOISM"--COMMUNISM INDEPENDENT OF MOSCOW--AS WELL AS COLLABORATION WITH THE WEST.

MUELLER, NOW 47, WAS NAMED CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMUNIST YOUTH MOVEMENT IN GERMANY IN 1931. HE WAS ARRESTED BY GESTAPO AGENTS IN 1934 AND SPENT 11 YEARS IN CONCENTRATION CAMPS. SINCE APRIL, 1948, HE HAS BEEN A DEPUTY TO WEST GERMAN COMMUNIST CHIEF MAX REIMANN.

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FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 12-(AP)-THE U.S. HIGH COMMISSION APPEALS COURT TODAY AFFIRMED THE CONVICTION AND 15-YEAR SENTENCE OF MRS. YVETTE MADSEN OF BROOKLYN IN THE SLAYING OF HER AIR FORCE HUSBAND LAST OCT. 19.

THE BRUNETTE MOTHER OF TWO CHILDREN IS SCHEDULED TO SERVE THE SENTENCE IN THE WOMEN'S REFORMATORY AT ALDERSON, WEST VIRGINIA. SHE HAS BEEN HELD IN AN AIR FORCE HOSPITAL AT WIESBADEN PENDING THE APPEALS COURT DECISION.

THE DEFENSE HAD PLEADED THAT SHE WAS TEMPORARILY INSANE WHEN SHE SHOT AND KILLED HER HUSBAND, LT. ANDREW E.MADSEN, A FORMER BERLIN AIRLIFT PILOT, IN THEIR HOME FOLLOWING A PARTY.

THE APPEALS COURT OPINION NOTED THAT THE DEFENSE HAD INTIMATED THAT MRS. MADSEN DID NOT INTEND TO KILL HER HUSBAND BUT ONLY MEANT TO FRIGHTEN HIM.

"THIS SEEMS MUCH MORE IN ACCORD WITH THE FACTS THAN ANY THEORY OF MENTAL DISEASE," THE DECISION SAID. "PEOPLE WHO SHOOT TO SCARE AND INSTEAD KILL MUST, HOWEVER, BE SEVERELY PUNISHED."

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BERLIN, MAY 12-(AP)-THE JEWISH COMMUNITY OF BERLIN TODAY PROTESTED TO THE COMMUNIST-CONTROLLED GOVERNMENT OF EAST BERLIN AGAINST THE DESECRATION OF A JEWISH CEMETERY IN THE RUSSIAN SECTOR OF THE CITY.

JEWISH HEADQUARTERS SAID NIGHT-TIME VANDALS HAD TOPPLED 16 MONUMENTS IN THE SOVIET SECTOR DISTRICT OF WEISSENSEE.

THE JEWS SAID THIS WAS THE FIRST DESECRATION OF A JEWISH CEMETERY IN BERLIN SINCE 1945.

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NIGHT LEAD MADSEN

FRANKFURT , GERMANY, MAY 12--(AP)---MRS. YVETTE MADSEN'S APPEAL FROM A [redacted]-YEAR SENTENCE FOR SLAYING HER AIR FORCE HUSBAND WAS REJECTED TODAY.

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THE U.S. HIGH COMMISSION'S APPEALS COURT AFFIRMED THE CONVICTION AND SENTENCE OF THE PRETTY BROOKLYN BRUNETTE, 22, WHO SHOT [redacted] LT. ANDREW E. MADSEN TO DEATH LAST OCTOBER AFTER A [redacted] PARTY AT WHICH THE HOST TEASED HER ABOUT HER BROOKLYN ACCENT.

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THE APPEALS COURT NOTED BOTH THE DEFENSE PLEA OF [redacted] INSANITY AND THE [redacted] DEFENSE HINT

THE APPEALS COURT SAID THE TRIAL COURT, WHICH RETURNED ITS VERDICT MARCH [redacted] 18, HAD GIVEN AMPLE CONSIDERATION TO THE DEFENSE PLEA OF INSANITY AND THAT [redacted] LIFE IMPRISONMENT--THE MAXIMUM FOR MURDER IN WEST GERMANY---WOULD SURELY NOT HAVE BEEN "AN EXCESSIVE PUNISHMENT FOR SHOOTING A LOVING, TOLERANT AND DEFENSELESS HUSBAND."

THE OPINION SAID A DEFENSE INTIMATION THAT MRS. MADSEN MEANT ONLY TO FRIGHTEN HER HUSBAND "SEEMS MUCH MORE IN ACCORD WITH THE FACTS THAT ANY THEORY OF MENTAL DISEASE."

"PEOPLE WHO SHOOT TO SCARE AND INSTEAD KILL MUST, HOWEVER, BE SEVERELY PUNISHED," IT SAID.

MADSEN FORMERLY WAS A BERLIN AIRLIFT PILOT. THE COUPLE'S [redacted] TWO SMALL CHILDREN ARE WITH HER MRS. MADSEN'S PARENTS, MR. AND MRS. ALFRED NOACK OF BROOKLYN. NOACK, A CARPENTER, QUIT HIS JOB AND SPENT HIS LIFE SAVINGS TO ATTEND THE TRIAL. HE INSISTED SHE HAD SHOWN SIGNS OF MENTAL DISEASE SINCE SHE WAS [redacted] 12.

MRS. MADSEN IS SCHEDULED TO SERVE THE SENTENCE AT ALDERSON, W. VA. SHE HAS BEEN HELD AT THE U.S. AIR FORCE HOSPITAL IN WIESBADEN.

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BERLIN, MAY 12-(AP)-A LEADING WEST GERMAN OFFICIAL TONIGHT DENIED STATEMENTS MADE BY THE COMMUNIST EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT RECENTLY THAT A 500,000-MAN ARMY IS BEING TRAINED IN WESTERN GERMANY UNDER ALLIED SUPERVISION.

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DR.ROBERT MENZEL, INTERIOR MINISTER OF THE BRITISH ZONE STATE OF NORTH RHINE-WESTPHALIA, TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THAT WEST GERMANY NOW HAS A POLICE FORCE OF 80,000 MEN, INCLUDING FIELD WATCHMEN AND CUSTOMS UNITS.

"AN ARMY OF 500,000 WOULD COST 2,500,000,000 DEUTSCHE MARKS ($625,000,000) A YEAR," HE SAID. "SUCH A SUM COULD NOT BE CONCEALED, FOR ALL THE WEST GERMAN STATE BUDGETS ARE ACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC."

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bonn, germany, may 12 -(ap)- the western allies today published west german shipbuilding regulations ~~that~~ which drew (IMMEDIATE) cries of dissatisfaction from german ship builders.

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The regulations implemented previous allied laws that the germans cannot build ships of more than ~~a~~ 7,200 tons and 12 knots speed.

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The germans have been pressing for revision of restrictions since last fall when the allies limited individual tonnage and speed of ships built for german use or for export.

The contention of german builders is that ships of 7,200 tons and 12 knots are impractical and uneconomical.

bremen's lord mayor, wilhelm kaisen, now on tour in the united states, has actively campaigned for greater freedom for shipbuilders. he claims germany HAS $42,000,000 worth of orders in export shipbuilding because of the restrictions.

The director of a large shipyard in kiel said his yard had lost

$10,000,000 because he had to refuse foreign orders to build ships of 30,000 tons.

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At the big three foreign ministers conference in london today the united states proposed a further lifting of the present tonnage restrictions for export purposes in order to ease german unemployment, however, in preliminary discussions the british have not yet agreed to the american proposal.

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Under today's directive the allied military security board retains the right of rigid inspection of shipyards and ships under construction, specifically prohibited are: jet and atomic propelled ships, warships, submarines, aircraft carriers, minesweepers and types capable of conversion to warlike use.

The buying of ships abroad for german use is in general governed by the same limits as those on building in german yards.
(end advance for use at 11 a.m. e.s.t. today, friday may 12)

NIGHT LEAD STEAMER

Rome, ~~MX~~ Saturday, May 13--(AP)--The Italian news agency Ansa ~~c~~ said today ~~that~~ guns and explosives had been planted aboard an Italian passenger steamer seized Thursday night by Yugoslav police in Trieste Free T,rritory.

The vessel, the V,ttor Pisani of the Istria-Trieste Line, ~~shortly after~~ WAS SEIZED docking at Capodistria in the Yugoslav occupation zone of the Free Territory, ~~Ansa~~ ANSA, quoting informed political circles, said Yugoslav authorities will use this incident to tighten further a blockade they have imposed on traffic between their zone and the Anglo-American zone of Trieste.

The Vettor Pisani has been plying between the ~~XXXXXXXX~~ city of Trieste in the Anglo-American zone, and Yugoslav-occupied ports along the Istrian Peninsula. Yugoslav officials said they had seized the vessel after two sub-machineguns and a case of handgrenades had been found aboard. Nine members of the crew also were reported arrested.

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Ansa said the ship's captain had been questioned at length and imprisoned at Capodistria.

Istrian sources in Trieste said it would have been impossible to hide any quantity of explosives and weapons aboard a ship leaving Trieste under the customarily strict police vigilance.

There is no information as to what formal charges, if any, the Yugoslav police have placed against the captain and crew.

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BONN, GERMANY, MAY 12-(AP)-WEST GERMAN FINANCE MINISTER FRITZ SCHAEFFER TODAY CALLED FOR A LIMIT ON GIFT PARCELS TO GERMANY AS A MEANS OF STOPPING A HUGE SMUGGLING RACKET.
SCHAEFFER SAID AN ESTIMATED ANNUAL LOSS THROUGH SMUGGLING COST THE WEST GERMAN REPUBLIC 1,000,000,000 MARKS ($238,000,000) AND COULD BE HALTED UNTIL THE GERMANS HAD FULL CONTROL OVER CUSTOMS. HE WAS ANSWERING IN PARLIAMENT A DEMAND FOR GOVERNMENT ACTION AGAINST SMUGGLING.
AT THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS CONFERENCE IN LONDON TODAY BRITAIN AND FRANCE PROPOSED RETURN FRONTIER CONTROLS OVER CUSTOMS TO THE GERMANS. THESE CONTROLS NOW ARE SHARED WITH THE OCCUPATION POWERS.
GIFT PARCELS ENTER THE COUNTRY DUTY-FREE AND THE CONTENTS, SUCH AS COFFEE AND TEA, CAN BE SOLD AT A HIGH PRICE AND STILL UNDERCUT THE HEAVILY TAXED PRODUCTS IN THE SHOPS, HE SAID.
THE FINANCE MINISTER DECLARED LUXURY GOODS FROM ABROAD WERE SHIPPED INTO THE SOVIET ZONE AND THEN CAME BACK INTO THE WEST VIA THE BLACK MARKET.
THE EAST-WEST SMUGGLING ALSO WAS USED, HE SAID, FOR "POLITICAL AIMS," APPARENTLY IMPLYING THAT THE WESTERN DEUTSCHE MARKS OBTAINED WERE USED TO FINANCE COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES IN WEST GERMANY.
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BUDAPEST,HUNGARY,MAY 12-(AP)-THE BUDAPEST CONGRESS OF THE WORLD FEDERATION OF TRADE UNIONS (WFTU) HAS ASKED THE PARENT BODY TO OUST THE YUGOSLAV TRADE UNION LEADERS.
A DRAFT RESOLUTION PROPOSED THAT THE WFTU "BREAK OFF IN A FIRM AND DEFINITE MANNER ALL RELATIONS WITH THE TRAITOR LEADERS OF THE YUGOSLAV TRADE UNIONS TO RE-AFFIRM WORLD WORKING CLASS UNITY AND REINFORCE THE STRUGGLE OF THE MAINTENANCE OF PEACE."
THE YUGOSLAV WORKERS WERE ASSURED THIS DRAFT RESOLUTION "MUST NOT BE CONSIDERED AS AN ACTION AGAINST THEM." IT VOICED THE HOPE THE "YUGOSLAV WORKERS WOULD SUCCEED IN BREAKING AWAY FROM THE TRAITORS TO PEACE AND SOCIALISM."
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ROME, MAY 12-(AP)-YUGOSLAV POLICE HAVE SEIZED A TRIESTE PASSENGER STEAMER SERVING BETWEEN THE FREE CITY AND YUGOSLAV-OCCUPIED PORTS AND ARRESTED THE CAPTAIN, THE ITALIAN NEWS AGENCY ANSA REPORTED TODAY.
THE AGENCY SAID THE SEIZURE OCCURRED LAST NIGHT, SHORTLY AFTER THE VESSEL, THE VETTOR PISANI OF THE ISTRIA-TRIESTE LINE, DOCKED AT CAPODISTRIA IN THE YUGOSLAV ZONE.
YUGOSLAV OFFICIALS WERE QUOTED AS SAYING THEY SEIZED THE SHIP AFTER TWO SUBMACHINEGUNS AND A CASE OF HAND GRENADES WERE FOUND ABOARD. NINE MEMBERS OF THE CREW ALSO WERE REPORTED ARRESTED.
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BERLIN, MAY 12-(AP)-THE FIRST CONTINGENT OF U.S. EMPLOYES OF THE EMBASSY AT PRAGUE, ORDERED OUT IN A REDUCTION FORCED BY THE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT, LEFT CZECHOSLOVAKIA TODAY FOR WESTERN GERMANY.
TEN EMBASSY STAFF MEMBERS AND THEIR DEPENDENTS -- A GROUP OF ABOUT 30 PERSONS IN ALL -- WERE IN THIS FIRST EXODUS. ABOUT 20 MORE STAFF MEMBERS AND THEIR DEPENDENTS WILL LEAVE TOMORROW.
REMAINING WILL BE A STAFF OF ONLY 15.
THE CUT IN THE AMERICAN DIPLOMATIC STAFF ALSO AFFECTS THE U.S. CONSULATE AT BRATISLAVA, SLOVAKIA. FOUR OF SIX AMERICANS STATIONED THERE ARE BEING WITHDRAWN, LEAVING ONLY CONSUL GENERAL WINTHROP GREENE AND ONE ASSISTANT.
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LONDON, MAY 12-(AP)-DOROTHY JUNE MCLEOD, OF CLEVELAND, OHIO, A CLERK AT THE AMERICAN EMBASSY IN PRAGUE, FACED THE PROSPECT OF LEAVING CZECHOSLOVAKIA TOMORROW AS A RESULT OF A TWO-THIRDS SLASH IN THE EMBASSY STAFF, IMPOSED BY THE CZECH GOVERNMENT.
THAT WOULD HAVE MEANT SEPARATION FROM HER FIANCE, TECHNICAL SGT., JAMES V.FOY, OF LOS ANGELES. FOY IS WITH THE U.S.MILITARY ATTACHE'S OFFICE.
SO DOROTHY QUIT HER JOB, WENT TO PRAGUE CITY HALL, AND MARRIED FOY, PRESS DISPATCHES FROM PRAGUE SAID.
NOW SHE'LL STAY IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA WITH HER HUSBAND.
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PRAGUE,CZECHOSLOVAKIA,MAY 12-(AP)-CZECHOSLOVAKIA RENOUNCED HER CULTURAL AGREEMENT WITH BRITAIN TODAY AND ORDERED BRITISH CULTURAL AND INFORMATION SERVICES IN THE COUNTRY TO CLOSE BY NOON TOMORROW. A SIMILAR ORDER CLOSED U.S. INFORMATION SERVICES HERE LAST MONTH.
THE GOVERNMENT ACCUSED BRITAIN OF CONTINUOUSLY VIOLATING THE CULTURAL AGREEMENT, WHICH THE TWO COUNTRIES SIGNED JUNE 16, 1947.
IT CHARGED THAT BBC BROADCASTS IN THE CZECH AND SLOVAK LANGUAGES, AS WELL AS INFORMATION SERVICE BULLETINS DISTRIBUTED IN THE COUNTRY, SPREAD HOSTILE PROPAGANDA. THE INFORMATION SERVICES WERE ALSO ACCUSED OF EMPLOYING PERSONS INVOLVED IN ANTI-STATE ACTIVITIES.
THE BRITISH INFORMATION CENTERS IN PRAGUE AND BRATISLAVA WERE ORDERED CLOSED, AS WERE THE BRITISH COUNCIL OFFICES -- WHICH SUPPLY BOOKS AND LECTURES -- IN PRAGUE, BRATISLAVA AND BRNO. THE AFFAIRS OF THE TWO ORGANIZATIONS MUST BE WOUND UP BY MAY 20.
THE MOVE CAME AS THE FIRST CONTINGENT OF U.S. EMBASSY EMPLOYES LEFT PRAGUE IN COMPLIANCE WITH A CZECH GOVERNMENT ORDER TO CUT BY TWO-THIRDS THE AMERICAN DIPLOMATIC STAFF IN THE PRAGUE EMBASSY AND THE BRATISLAVA CONSULATE GENERAL.
(THE FIRST OF THE GROUP, MAJ.J.B.GREGORY OF SAVANNAH,GA., ARRIVED AT THE U.S. ARMY'S GRAND HOTEL IN NUERNBERG,GERMANY, BY MOTOR CAR LAST (FRIDAY) NIGHT. THE ASSISTANT MILITARY ATTACHE, HE WAS ONE OF A UNITED STATES STAFF OF ABOUT 60 IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA. HE REFUSED TO TALK WITH NEWSMEN.)
AFTER CLOSING THE UNITED STATES INFORMATION SERVICE CENTERS IN PRAGUE AND BRATISLAVA, THE CZECH GOVERNMENT DEMANDED APRIL 28 THAT THE DIPLOMATIC STAFF BE CUT.
BOTH ACTIONS STEMMED FROM THE TRIAL AND CONVICTION OF SIX CZECHS CHARGED WITH WORKING WITH A SPY AND SABOTAGE RING WHICH THEY TESTIFIED WAS ORGANIZED AND DIRECTED BY MEMBERS OF THE AMERICAN EMBASSY IN PRAGUE.
-DASH-
THE UNITED STATES HAS DENIED THESE AND SIMILAR CHARGES FROM CZECHOSLOVAKIA. A WHOLESALE EJECTION OF CZECH DIPLOMATS FROM THE UNITED STATES IS EXPECTED TO BE ORDERED.
TEN OF THE EMBASSY STAFF MEMBERS LEFT PRAGUE TODAY. A STAFF OF 15 WILL BE LEFT IN THE PRAGUE EMBASSY. ONLY TWO OF THE SIX CONSULATE MEMBERS IN BRATISLAVA -- CONSUL GENERAL WINTHROP GREENE OF WORCESTER, MASS., AND AN ASSISTANT -- WILL REMAIN.
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(400) AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD CZECH
BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER

MAY 13 1950

WASHINGTON,MAY 12-(AP)-A NOTE DEMANDING A MASS OUSTER OF CZECHOSLOVAK DIPLOMATS FROM THE UNITED STATES HAS BEEN DRAFTED AT THE STATE DEPARTMENT.
THE DEMAND, AMOUNTING TO AN ORDER, IS EXPECTED TO BE GIVEN THE COMMUNIST CZECH GOVERNMENT IN THE IMMEDIATE FUTURE IN RETALIATION FOR THE EJECTION FROM CZECHOSLOVAKIA OF TWO-THIRDS OF THE AMERICAN DIPLOMATS THERE.
IF THE UNITED STATES ACTS ON THE SAME TWO-THIRDS SCALE, IT WILL MEAN THAT ABOUT 20 OF THE MORE THAN 30 CZECH DIPLOMATIC EMPLOYES IN

THIS COUNTRY WILL HAVE TO GET ONE-WAY TICKETS HOME.
STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS SAID THERE WERE ABOUT 67 U.S. DIPLOMATIC EMPLOYES IN THE EMBASSY AT PRAGUE AND THE CONSULATE AT BRATISLAVA, OF WHOM TWO-THIRDS WOULD TOTAL ABOUT 40 PERSONS.
OFFICIALS SAID THE CONTEMPLATED SLASH HERE--WHICH IS SUBJECT ONLY TO A FINAL APPROVAL BY TOP STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS--WOULD RESULT NOT ONLY IN A REDUCTION OF THE FIVE-MAN STAFF AT THE EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON BUT ALSO IN THE CLOSING OF ONE OR MORE OF THREE CZECH CONSULATES, OPERATING IN NEW YORK, PITTSBURGH AND CLEVELAND.
THE PRAGUE GOVERNMENT CRACKED DOWN ON THE U.S. DIPLOMATIC AND CONSULAR MISSIONS FOLLOWING THE TRIAL AND CONVICTION OF SIX CZECHS ON SPY CHARGES. THE DEFENDANTS GAVE THE COMMUNIST COURT TESTIMONY THAT FOUR EMBASSY OFFICIALS HAD ORGANIZED AND AIDED SPIES.
WHAT HAPPENED THEN FOLLOWED A FAMILIAR PATTERN THAT HAS DEVELOPED IN RECENT MONTHS IN EASTERN EUROPE. THE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT TOOK THE POSITION THAT THERE WERE TOO MANY AMERICAN GOVERNMENT REPRESENTATIVES IN THE COUNTRY AND THAT SOME OF THEM WOULD HAVE TO GO.
THE DEMAND FOR A SLASH WAS MADE ORIGINALLY IN A NOTE ON APRIL 28. THIS DEMAND WAS REPEATED WEDNESDAY NIGHT AND ACCORDING TO REPORTS RECEIVED HERE THE CZECH GOVERNMENT SAID IT WOULD NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE SAFETY OF AMERICAN OFFICIALS AFTER THAT.
AMBASSADOR ELLIS O.BRIGGS THEREUPON ACTED SWIFTLY TO GET THE STAFF MEMBERS WHO HAD TO LEAVE OUT OF THE COUNTRY. DISPATCHES FROM BERLIN SAID THE FIRST CONTINGENT OF AMERICAN EMBASSY EMPLOYES LEFT CZECHOSLOVAKIA TODAY FOR WESTERN GERMANY. THIS GROUP NUMBERED 10 STAFF MEMBERS AND THEIR DEPENDENTS, A TOTAL OF ABOUT 30 PERSONS IN ALL FOR THE FIRST EXODUS.
AT LONDON THE FOREIGN OFFICE ANNOUNCED THAT CZECHOSLOVAKIA HAD DIRECTED BRITAIN TO SHUT DOWN ITS LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SERVICE IN PRAGUE, BRUENN (BRNO) AND BRATISLAVA BY NOON TOMORROW.
SIMILAR ACTION HAD ALREADY BEEN TAKEN AGAINST THE UNITED STATES INFORMATION SERVICE AND WASHINGTON RETALIATED BY CLOSING THE CZECH CONSULATE IN CHICAGO SEVERAL WEEKS AGO.
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A21
PMS BUDGET (380)
ROKOSSOVSKY
WARSAW, POLAND, MAY 12-(AP)-MARSHAL KONSTANTIN ROKOSSOVSKY, FORMER SOVIET ARMY COMMANDER NOW IN CHARGE OF POLAND'S MILITARY FORCES, HAS BEEN NAMED TO THE POLISH COMMUNIST PARTY POLITBURO--THIS COUNTRY'S MOST POWERFUL POLITICAL BODY.
ANNOUNCEMENT OF ROKOSSOVSKY'S ELEVATION LAST NIGHT FOLLOWED FORECASTS OF A SHAKEUP IN COMMUNIST PARTY LEADERSHIP. THE UNCONFIRMED REPORTS CIRCULATING HERE RANGED FROM RUMORS OF SHARP CRITICISM OF PROMINENT PARTY MEMBERS TO WILD STORIES OF PURGES IN THE OFFING.
THE FORMER RED ARMY CHIEFTAIN, IN ADDITION TO BOOSING POLAND'S ARMY, IS A MEMBER OF THE STATE COUNCIL (INNER CABINET). HIS NEW APPOINTMENT WOULD APPEAR TO GIVE HIM AN EVEN LOUDER VOICE IN POLISH GOVERNMENT.
SOME DIPLOMATIC OBSERVERS PREDICTED FURTHER CHANGES IN THE PRESENT COMPOSITION OF THE POLISH GOVERNMENT WOULD BE ANNOUNCED SHORTLY.
(STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS IN WASHINGTON RECENTLY SAID THE RUSSIANS WERE PLANNING A NEW PURGE OF POLAND'S ARMY AND THE POLISH COMMUNIST PARTY.)
ROKOSSOVSKY LEFT THE SOVIET ARMY LAST NOVEMBER TO BECOME POLISH DEFENSE MINISTER AND MARSHAL OF THE POLISH ARMIES. AT THE SAME TIME HE WAS APPROVED BY THE POLISH PARLIAMENT AS A STATE COUNCIL MEMBER.
THE ANNOUNCEMENT THEN SAID PRESIDENT BOLESLAW BIERUT HAD ASKED THE RUSSIAN GOVERNMENT TO PLACE ROKOSSOVSKY IN POLAND'S SERVICE, BECAUSE HE WAS OF POLISH ORIGIN "AND VERY POPULAR WITH THE POLISH NATION."
THE 53-YEAR-OLD ROKOSSOVSKY COMMANDED ONE OF THE RUSSIAN ARMY GROUPS THAT LIBERATED WARSAW IN 1945. HE LED HIS ARMIES FROM STALINGRAD TO BERLIN, DIRECTING THEM IN MANY OF THE MOST CRUCIAL OFFENSIVES.
HE WAS MADE A MARSHAL OF THE SOVIET UNION AND RECEIVED THE ORDER OF HERO OF THE SOVIET UNION IN 1944. HE WAS ELECTED TO THE SUPREME SOVIET (RUSSIAN PARLIAMENT) IN 1946.
BORN IN POLAND WHEN THE EASTERN PART OF THE COUNTRY WAS RULED BY CZARIST RUSSIA, ROKOSSOVSKY HAS BEEN DESCRIBED IN THE POLISH PRESS AS THE SON OF A WARSAW RAILROAD WORKER.
HE WAS A CZARIST OFFICER IN WORLD WAR I, BUT JOINED THE RED GUARDS IN 1917.
LAST NIGHT'S ANNOUNCEMENT FOLLOWED A THREE-DAY SESSION OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY WHICH CLOSED WEDNESDAY NIGHT.
ELECTED WITH ROKOSSOVSKY WAS ZENON NOWAK--AN OLD-TIME COMMUNIST--THUS INCREASING POLITBURO MEMBERSHIP FROM 10 TO 12.
THE COMMUNIQUE ALSO SAID THE NUMBER OF JOINT SECRETARIES TO THE PARTY'S CENTRAL COMMITTEE HAD BEEN INCREASED FROM THREE TO SIX.
THE NEW SECRETARIES ARE NOWAK; FRANCISZEK MAZUR, WHO BECAME PROMINENT AS THE GOVERNMENT SIGNATORY OF THE CHURCH-STATE AGREEMENT SIGNED LAST MONTH; AND BRIG. GEN. EDWARD OCHAB, VICE MINISTER OF NATIONAL DEFENSE AND REGARDED AS THE PARTY'S NO.1 HATCHETMAN.
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PRECEDE LONDON TRAWLER
OSLO,NORLAY, MAY 12-(AP)-THE BRITISH FISHING TRAWLER ETRURIA ARRIVED TONIGHT AT THE LITTLE NORWEGIAN PORT OF HONNINGSVAAG, AFTER BEING RELEASED BY THE SOVIETS AT MURMANSK, RUSSIA.
CREWMEN DECLINED TO MAKE ANY STATEMENT, SAYING THEY HAD BEEN TOLD BY THE BRITISH CONSUL AT TROMSOE, NORWAY, NOT SO SAY ANYTHING.
THE TRAWLER WAS SEIZED IN THE WHITE SEA MAY 1 ON CHARGES OF ILLEGALLY OPERATING IN RUSSIA WATERS.
RELEASE OF THE ETRURIA AND HER CREW OF 21 WAS ARRANGED AFTER AN EXCHANGE OF NOTES BETWEEN THE BRITISH AND SOVIET GOVERNMENTS AND THE PAYMENT OF A 300-RUBLE ($75) FINE. THE TRAWLER'S CATCH WAS CONFISCATED.
SOVIET SAILORS HAD BOARDED THE ETRURIA AND TAKEN HER INTO MURMANSK. THE RUSSIANS, IN A NOTE TO THE BRITISH FOREIGN MINISTRY, SAID THE CAPTAIN HAD ADMITTED FISHING ONE AND A HALF MILES FROM THE SOVIET COAST.
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OSLO, NORWAY, MAY 12-(AP)-THE BRITISH TRAWLER ETRURIA, WHICH HAS BEEN DETAINED BY SOVIET AUTHORITIES, SENT A MESSAGE TODAY THAT SHE EXPECTS TO ARRIVE AT HONNINGSVAAG, NORTHERN NORWAY, SOMETIME THIS AFTERNOON, A REPORT FROM VARDOE RADIO SAID.
THE 373-TON ETRURIA, WITH A CREW OF 21, WAS PICKED UP BY THE SOVIET NAVY MAY 1 IN THE WHITE SEA FISHING GROUNDS. THE RUSSIANS CHARGED SHE HAD BEEN OPERATING INSIDE SOVIET TERRITORIAL WATERS.
THE BRITISH EMBASSY IN MOSCOW ANNOUNCED YESTERDAY THAT IT HAD PAID RUSSIA A FINE OF 200 RUBLES ($75) FOR RELEASE OF THE ETRURIA. THE EMBASSY SAID THE SHIP WOULD BE RELEASED ALONG WITH HER CREW UPON PAYMENT OF THE FINE ON BEHALF OF THE OWNERS AND CONFISCATION BY THE RUSSIANS OF THE VESSEL'S CATCH.
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HELSINKI, FINLAND, MAY 12-(AP)-TWO MORE POLISH DIPLOMATS IN FINLAND HAVE BROKEN WITH THEIR COMMUNIST-DOMINATED GOVERNMENT AND ARE PLANNING TO GO TO ARGENTINA, A DIPLOMATIC SOURCE SAID TODAY.

THE INFORMANT SAID THAT DR.J.ZETROSKI, CULTURAL ATTACHE AT THE POLISH LEGATION, AND VICE-CONSUL F.MISZKOWSKI HAD GONE TO SWEDEN AFTER POLITICAL CONTROVERSIES WITH THEIR SUPERIORS.

ZETROSKI AND MISZKOWSKI HAVE BEEN IN FINLAND ABOUT FOUR YEARS. THE DIPLOMATIC INFORMANT SAID THE POLISH LEGATION HAS ASKED THE FINNISH FOREIGN MINISTRY TO CANCEL THEIR ACCREDITATIONS.

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NIGHT LEAD LIE (160)

MOSCOW, MAY 12-(AP)-TRYGVE LIE, SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS HAD HIS FIRST MEETING WITH THE SOVIETS TODAY IN HIS EFFORTS TO COMPOSE EAST-WEST DIFFERENCES.

HE TALKED FOR AN HOUR AND A HALF WITH RUSSIAN FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI Y.VISHINSKY, WHO FORMERLY HEADED THE SOVIET DELEGATION TO THE U.N.

MIKHAIL VAVILOV, DIRECTOR OF THE U.N. INFORMATION CENTER IN MOSCOW, ANNOUNCED LIE WAS ACCOMPANIED BY HIS RUSSIAN DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY-GENERAL KONSTANTIN ZINCHENKO, AT THE CONFERENCE IN THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

NO DETAILS WERE ANNOUNCED, BUT THE LENGTH OF THE MEETING INDICATED THAT THE THREE COVERED A WIDE RANGE OF SUBJECTS.

INFORMED SOURCES SAID LIE AND VISHINSKY HAD DISCUSSED SEVERAL IMPORTANT INTERNATIONAL QUESTIONS, INCLUDING THE PRESENT STATUS OF CHINA'S U.N. REPRESENTATION. RUSSIA INSISTS THAT THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS BE OUSTED AND THAT CHINESE COMMUNISTS TAKE OVER AS THEIR COUNTRY'S DELEGATES.

BEFORE COMING TO MOSCOW, LIE SAW PRESIDENT TRUMAN, BRITISH PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE AND HIGH FRENCH OFFICIALS ON HIS SELF-APPOINTED MISSION.

THE NEWS OF HIS ARRIVAL LAST NIGHT BY PLANE FROM PRAGUE CAUSED IMMEDIATE INTEREST AMONG RUSSIAN PEOPLE.

LIE'S NAME IS WELL KNOWN TO THE RUSSIANS THROUGH THE GREAT AMOUNT OF NEWS PUBLISHED HERE ON U.N.PROCEEDINGS.

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MOSCOW, MAY 12-(AP)-UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE CONFERRED FOR AN HOUR AND A HALF TODAY WITH SOVIET FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI Y. VISHINSKY.

IT WAS HIS FIRST CONFERENCE WITH A SOVIET GOVERNMENT LEADER SINCE HIS ARRIVAL HERE YESTERDAY ON HIS MISSION TO TRY TO BRIDGE THE DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE EAST AND WEST IN THE COLD WAR AND PRESERVE THE U.N.

LIE'S PROGRAM OF APPOINTMENTS HAS NOT BEEN MADE PUBLIC.

THE SECRETARY-GENERAL'S ARRIVAL BY PLANE FROM PRAGUE WAS PUBLISHED IN TWO-PARAGRAPH STORIES TODAY ON THE BACK PAGES OF MOSCOW'S NEWSPAPERS, WITHOUT COMMENT. IT WAS THE FIRST NEWS THE RUSSIAN PEOPLE HAD OF LIE'S TRIP.

LIE SAW PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE BEFORE COMING TO MOSCOW.

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MOSCOW, MAY 12-(AP)-THE COMMUNIST PARTY NEWSPAPER PRAVDA TODAY DEPICTED OWEN LATTIMORE AND PHILIP JESSUP, BOTH CHARGED BY SEN. JOSEPH MCCARTHY (R-WIS) WITH COMMUNIST LEANINGS IN A U.S. SENATE PROBE AS "DELIBERATE, TRUE SERVANTS OF AMERICAN REACTIONARIES."

IN A NEW YORK DISPATCH, HEADLINED "TOTAL HYSTERIA," PRAVDA RIDICULED AMERICAN REACTION TO SEN.MCCARTHY'S CHARGES OF COMMUNISM IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

"OF COURSE," SAID PRAVDA, "FOR MCCARTHY AND THE SECTION OF THE REPUBLICAN PARTY BACKING HIM, IT IS NO SECRET THAT THE PERSONS SELECTED BY HIM FOR SCAPEGOATS, SUCH AS JESSUP, LATTIMORE AND OTHERS ARE DELIBERATE, TRUE SERVANTS OF AMERICAN REACTIONARIES."

"THE FACT OF THE MATTER," THE PAPER ADDED, "IS THAT REGULAR ELECTIONS TO CONGRESS ARE GOING TO BE HELD THIS AUTUMN. THEREFORE, A GROUP OF REPUBLICAN SENATORS STAGED THIS COMEDY IN CONGRESS AGAINST THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY."

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LATTIMORE, EXPERT ON THE FAR EAST, WAS ACCUSED BY MCCARTHY OF BEING THE NO.1 SOVIET SPY IN THE UNITED STATES. JESSUP, U.S. ROVING AMBASSADOR, WAS ACCUSED BY THE SENATOR OF RED LEANINGS. BOTH HAVE DENIED THE CHARGES.

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CALCUTTA, INDIA, MAY 12-(AP)-THE LEADER OF AN EIGHT-MAN DELEGATION FROM TIBET, TSEPON SHAKABPA, SAID TODAY HIS PARTY IS LEAVING FOR HONG KONG IN JUNE TO DISCUSS TIBET-CHINESE RELATIONS WITH CHINESE COMMUNISTS.

THE DELEGATION ARRIVED IN CALCUTTA THREE WEEKS AGO, CLAIMING TO REPRESENT THE GOVERNMENT OF TIBET. AT THAT TIME SHAKABPA SAID THEY WOULD NOT ENTER COMMUNIST CHINA TO DISCUSS THEIR RELATIONS BUT WERE TRYING TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS TO MEET CHINESE COMMUNIST REPRESENTATIVES IN BURMA, THAILAND OR HONG KONG.

THE DELEGATION EXPECTS TO MAKE A RENDEZVOUS WITH PEIPING GOVERNMENT REPRESENTATIVES ON THE BORDER OF HONG KONG AND RED CHINA.

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SINGAPORE, MAY 12-(AP)-THE GOVERNMENT TODAY MADE THE CARRYING OF HAND GRENADES IN SINGAPORE AND MALAYA PUNISHABLE BY DEATH. IN THE LAST FEW WEEKS, THREE GRENADES HAVE BEEN THROWN IN SINGAPORE--ONE OF THEM AT GOVERNOR SIR FRANKLIN GIMSON.

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BANGKOK, THAILAND (SIAM), MAY 12-(AP)-THAILAND'S DEFENSE MINISTRY CONFERRED WITH ARMED SERVICE CHIEFS TODAY ON MEANS TO HALT A POSSIBLE INVASION FROM THE NORTH.

REPORTS WERE CURRENT IN THE CAPITAL THAT THE BURMA AND INDOCHINA BORDERS TOUCHING THAILAND WERE FILLING WITH FOREIGN SOLDIERS CONSISTING OF BURMESE, VARIED TRIBESMEN, CHINESE NATIONALIST REMNANTS AND 200,000 CHINESE COMMUNISTS FROM YUNNAN PROVINCE IN CHINA.

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TEL AVIV, ISRAEL, MAY 12-(AP)-THE GOVERNMENT OF ISRAEL ACKNOWLEDGED TODAY THAT FARMERS IN THE HEBRON AREA HAD "EXTENDED THE CULTIVATION OF LANDS IN WITHIN ISRAEL, BUT DENIED THIS WAS DONE UNDER THE GUNS OF HEAVILY ARMED TROOPS.

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A GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN WAS COMMENTING ON A REPORT FROM BEIRUT, LEBANON, TUESDAY THAT TROOPS OCCUPIED 55,000 ACRES OF FARMLAND TILLED BY SOME 12,000 ARAB PEASANTS AND READY FOR HARVEST.

THE BEIRUT DISPATCH, QUOTING A SOURCE WELL ACQUAINTED WITH THE SITUATION, SAID THE OPERATION WAS CARRIED OUT IN THE HEBRON AREA OF SOUTHERN PALESTINE WITH MINOR OPPOSITION FROM THE ARAB PEASANTS THE NIGHT OF MAY 3-4. IT SAID THE MOVE WAS ACCEPTED BY HASHEMITE JORDAN AS IN ACCORD WITH TERRITORIAL CONCESSIONS IN THE APRIL, 1949, RHODES ARMISTICE AGREEMENT, AND THAT JORDAN KEPT NEWS OF IT OUT OF AMMAN NEWSPAPERS.

ISRAELI FARMERS USUALLY ARE ARMED WHEN THEY MOVE ABOUT THE COUNTRYSIDE, FOR PROTECTION AGAINST MARAUDERS. BUT THE GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN DENIED THAT HEAVILY ARMED TROOPS CARRIED OUT SUCH AN OPERATION OR HAD DRIVEN OUT THOUSANDS OF ARABS. HE SAID THE FARMERS IN THE COMMUNAL SETTLEMENTS AROUND BEIT JIBRIN MERELY HAD EXTENDED THEIR OPERATIONS TO AREAS NOT FAR FROM HEBRON.

EARLIER, A GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN SAID ANY ISRAELI TROOP MOVEMENTS RECENTLY HAD BEEN "WITHIN THE FRONTIERS OF ISRAEL, AND NOTHING SPECIAL HAS OCCURRED." GOVERNMENT SOURCES SAID ISRAEL AT VARIOUS TIMES IS SHIFTING TROOPS, AND THERE WAS NO REASON TO EXPLAIN "WHY WE ARE OCCUPYING OUR OWN TERRITORY."

IN CAIRO, EGYPT, THE JORDAN LEGATION DENIED THE BEIRUT STORY.

(THERE HAS BEEN NO WORD AT ALL DIRECTLY FROM JORDAN ABOUT IT.)

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BY SEYMOUR TOPPING

(360)

SAIGON, INDOCHINA, MAY 12-(AP)-ANNOUNCEMENT THAT AMERICAN AID WILL BE FURNISHED TO FRENCH VIETNAMESE FORCES FIGHTING COMMUNIST-LED VIETMINH IN INDOCHINA HAS SO FAR EVOKED NO GREAT ENTHUSIASM IN THIS VIETNAMESE CAPITAL.

CONSIDERABLE SATISFACTION HAS BEEN EXPRESSED BY BOTH THE VIETNAMESE GOVERNMENT AND IN FRENCH CIRCLES THAT DEFINITE STATE DEPARTMENT COMMITMENT HAS BEEN MADE. BUT THE FEAR HERE IN OFFICIAL QUARTERS IS THAT THE EXTENT OF AMERICAN AID WILL BE INSUFFICIENT TO AFFECT THE INCREASINGLY PRECARIOUS SITUATION.

THE SEMI-OFFICIAL FRENCH NEWSPAPER "JOURNAL DE EXTREME ORIENT" EXPRESSED THE GENERAL GOVERNMENT SENTIMENT WHEN IT DESCRIBED AS A "DROP OF WATER" PRESENT AMERICAN ALLOCATIONS.

THE NEWSPAPER NAMED $500,000,000 AS A ABSOLUTE MINIMUM NEEDED IN AMERICAN AID. THIS FIGURE COMPARES WITH ABOUT $400,000,000 WHICH FRANCE IS SPENDING ANNUALLY IN THE INDOCHINESE WAR EFFORT. THE U.S. CONGRESS HAS APPROPRIATED $75,000,000 TO FIGHT COMMUNISM IN THE FAR EAST. THE BULK OF THIS IS EARMARKED FOR INDOCHINA.

THE FRENCH ARE WELCOMING THE INITIAL MILITARY AID DESPITE ITS LIMITED NATURE. IT WILL SERVE TO MAKE UP CRITICAL SHORTAGES THE FRENCH ARMY IS SUFFERING IN SUCH MATERIAL AS COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT.

INDEPENDENT OBSERVERS REGARD THE PROMISE OF AMERICAN AID AS THE SINGLE MOST IMPORTANT FACTOR IN SUSTAINING THE FRENCH POSITION IN INDOCHINA. IT IS DEPENDED UPON TO FINANCE THE ORGANIZATION OF VIETNAM'S NATIONAL ARMY TO COOPERATE WITH THE FRENCH FORCES IN A NEW MAJOR MILITARY AND POLICE OFFENSIVE AGAINST HO CHI MINH'S MOSCOW BACKED REGIME.

POLITICAL DEVELOPMENTS IN VIETNAM HAVE FORCED THE FRENCH TO PIN ALL HOPE FOR SUCCESS AGAINST VIETMINH ON THIS MILITARY POLICE EFFORT. POLITICAL FAILURES HAVE CONVINCED FRENCH OFFICIALS THERE IS NO LONGER ANY CHANCE THAT BAO DAI'S GOVERNMENT WILL ISOLATE THE COMMUNIST ELEMENT BY WINNING OVER THE 80 PER CENT NON-COMMUNIST NATIONALIST FACTION IN THE VIETMINH CAMP.

THE NEW VIETNAMESE PREMIER, TRAN VAN HUU, WHO IS CLOSELY ALIGNED WITH THE FRENCH, HAS MADE THE FIRST OPEN DECLARATION BY A TOP BAO DAI OFFICIAL OF A STRONG WAR POLICY AGAINST VIETNMINH. THE FRENCH PLAN WITH AMERICAN AID AND CLOSE COOPERATION FROM TRAN VAN HUU TO TRY TO REDUCE VIETMINH'S STRENGTH TO A MINIMUM.

WHAT HOPE REMAINS FOR A POLITICAL SOLUTION OF THE WAR IN VIETNAM NOW WAITS UPON THE FORTHCOMING MILITARY POLICE OFFENSIVE. THE FRENCH BELIEVE THAT ONCE SECURITY FROM VIETMINH IS RESTORED THE BAO DAI GOVERNMENT WILL BE ABLE TO WIN WHAT IS DEFINITELY DOES NOT HAVE--MAJORITY POPULAR SUPPORT.

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TOKYO, SATURDAY, MAY 13-(AP)-THE PEIPING RADIO TODAY SAID THE CHINESE COMMUNIST REGIME HAD RATIFIED A TRADE AGREEMENT WITH RUSSIA. THE PACT, CALLING FOR AN EXCHANGE OF RUSSIAN EQUIPMENT FOR CHINESE RAW MATERIALS, WAS SIGNED IN MOSCOW APRIL 19. THE BROADCAST WAS HEARD HERE.

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TOKYO,MAY 12-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR TODAY AWARDED CERTIFICATES OF MERITORIOUS CIVILIAN SERVICE POSTHUMOUSLY TO FOUR MEMBERS OF AN OCCUPATION TRADE MISSION TO THE PHILIPPINES WHO WERE KILLED IN AN AIRPLANE CRASH APRIL 21.

THE FOUR WERE FRANK E.PICKELLE, CHICAGO, CHIEF OF THE FOREIGN TRADE AND COMMERCE DIVISION; JAMES G.TORRENS, BOSTON; MRS.TERESA TONOLE KROSSNER, TOKYO, AND BERNARD W.ADAMS, ENDERLIN, N.D.

MACARTHUR EARLIER HAD AWARDED A SIMILAR CERTIFICATE TO A FIFTH VICTIM OF THE CRASH, FRANCIS J.SCARR, FORMERLY OF NEW YORK AND MARIETTA, OHIO. SCARR WAS A MANAGEMENT ENGINEERING ADVISER.

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JAKARTA, U.S.I., MAY 12-(AP)-GEOLOGISTS RUSHED TO EAST JAVA FROM JOGJAKARTA TODAY TO INVESTIGATE REPORTS THAT THE VOLCANO KELOET WAS SHOWING SIGNS OF ACTIVITY. KELOET ERUPTED IN 1919 AND KILLED 5,000 PERSONS.

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B81 Q (240)

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JAKARTA, JAVA, U.S.I., MAY 12-(AP)-ABOUT 300 FOREIGN CIVILIANS, INCLUDING 10 OR 12 AMERICANS, WILL BE TAKEN OFF THE REBEL ISLAND OF AMBOINA BY TOMORROW, THE DUTCH HIGH COMMISSIONER ANNOUNCED TODAY.

THE EVACUATION WILL LEAVE NONE BUT NATIVES REMAINING ON THE ISLAND, THE ANNOUNCEMENT INDICATED.

AMBOINESE REBELS HAVE PROCLAIMED THE SOUTH MOLUCCAS AN INDEPENDENT STATE IN A REVOLT CHALLENGING THE AUTHORITY OF THE NEW UNITED STATES OF INDONESIA.

THE COMMISSIONER ISSUED A STATEMENT SAYING THAT "THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE SITUATION X X X HAS LED THE OFFICE OF THE NETHERLANDS HIGH COMMISSIONER TO TAKE THE INITIATIVE IN PREPARING THE EVACUATION OF THE NETHERLANDS CITIZENS FROM THE ISLAND."

THOSE INVOLVED IN THE ORDER ARE MOSTLY DUTCH CITIZENS. SOME ARE MISSIONARIES AND THEIR FAMILIES. THE DUTCH STEAMER KOTA INTEN, SENT TO THE ISLAND FOR THE PURPOSE, WILL LEAVE TOMORROW WITH THE EVACUEES.

THE KOTA INTEN ALSO WILL REMOVE NON-AMBOINESE INDONESIANS AND THEIR FAMILIES. THE MEN ARE THOSE WHO WERE UNDER CUTCH COMMAND IN ARMY SERVICE. AMBOINESE WHO HAD BEEN UNDER DUTCH COMMAND AND WHO BACKED THE REBELLION REFUSED AN OFFER TO LEAVE THE ISLAND.

AN EARLIER ATTEMPT OF THE DUTCH TO SEND DUTCH ARMY INDONESIANS BACK TO THEIR BARRACKS AND THUS BREAK THE REBELLION HAD FAILED. THE DUTCH ANNOUNCED THAT THOSE WHO DEFIED THE ORDER HAD FORFEITED ALL RIGHTS THEY HAD CLAIM TO AS MEMBERS OF THE NETHERLANDS ARMED FORCES. THE DUTCH SAID THAT FROM NOW ON ANY OTHER ACTION IS UP TO THE FEDERAL INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT.

THE DUTCH-OFFICERED AMBOINESE TROOPS ON THE ISLAND, CENTER OF THE REGIONAL GOVERNMENT, HAD BEEN AWAITING DEMOBILIZATION OR TRANSFER TO THE U.S.I. ARMY WHEN THE REVOLT BROKE OUT LATE IN APRIL.

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BY TOM LAMBERT

TOKYO, MAY 12-(AP)-JAPAN'S EXPORTS SOARED TO $530,000,000 (M) IN THE LAST FISCAL YEAR -- THE HIGHEST SINCE THE WAR, OFFICIAL SOURCES SAID TODAY.

THE TOTAL REPRESENTED AN INCREASE OF $180,000,000 (M) OVER THE LAST FISCAL YEAR, WHICH ENDS ON MARCH 31 IN JAPAN. BUT THE NEW TOTAL WAS BELOW THE OFFICIAL ESTIMATE OF $578,000,000 (M) FOR THE 1949-50 FISCAL YEAR.

TEXTILES AGAIN LED THE FIELD AS THE MAJOR EXPORT. SOME 50 PERCENT OF JAPANESE GOODS SOLD ABROAD WERE TEXTILES. METALS AND MACHINERY MADE UP ABOUT 20 PERCENT AND CHEMICALS, CERAMICS, MEDICINES AND MISCELLANEOUS PRODUCTS THE BALANCE.

ASIA CONTINUED TO BE JAPAN'S BEST MARKET. BUT OFFICIALS NOTED THAT TRADE WITH RED CHINA NOW IS "ALMOST NIL." BEFORE THE WAR CHINA TOOK ABOUT 20 PERCENT OF JAPAN'S EXPORTS AND SUPPLIED NIPPON WITH ABOUT 10 PERCENT OF HER IMPORTS.

JAPANESE OFFICIALS NOTED THAT COMPETITION INCREASES AS JAPAN'S TRADE EXPANDS. THEY SAID NIPPONESE PRODUCTS NOW ARE MEETING MORE OPPOSITION FROM GOODS MADE IN BRITAIN, WEST GERMANY, BELGIUM AND ITALY. BRITAIN IS A MAJOR COMPETITOR IN TEXTILES AND MACHINERY AND THE GERMANS, BELGIANS AND ITALIANS ARE BECOMING INCREASINGLY ACTIVE IN THE MACHINERY MARKETS.

JAPAN'S INCREASING TRADE IS BEGINNING TO BRING CRIES OF PAIN FROM MANUFACTURERS IN OTHER COUNTRIES. THE BRITISH ESPECIALLY SEEM WORRIED. ONE OF THEIR TEXTILE MAKERS SAID IN LONDON TODAY THE BRITISH TEXTILE INDUSTRY IS BEING THREATENED BY JAPAN. HE DECLARED IF JAPAN IS ALLOWED FREE ENTRY INTO WORLD MARKETS AGAIN "WE SHALL BRING COMMUNISM INTO BRITAIN."

SOME AMERICAN MANUFACTURERS HAVE COMPLAINED BUT NONE SEEMS AS ALARMED AS THE LONDONER. AMERICAN TEXTILE MAKERS, NEVERTHELESS, HAVE SENT A DELEGATION HERE, TOGETHER WITH BRITAIN, TO TALK OVER THE SITUATION WITH THE JAPANESE.

JAPAN'S BUSINESS UPTREND HIGHLIGHTS ONE OF THE OCCUPATION HEADACHES. IT IS THE OCCUPATION'S TASK TO BOOST NIPPON TOWARD SELF SUFFICIENCY AND REDUCE THE COST OF SUPPORTING HER. TO DO THIS THE OCCUPATION STRESSES INCREASED PRODUCTION AND EXPORTS. THOSE EXPORTS COMPETE WITH GOODS MADE BY THE ALLIES, INCLUDING THE UNITED STATES.

JAPAN STILL IMPORTS FAR MORE THAN SHE EXPORTS.

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PEARL HARBOR,MAY 12-(AP)-A TASK FORCE OF 21 (CQ) AMERICAN WARSHIPS HEADED WEST FOR THE ORIENT TODAY.

IT WILL RELIEVE SHIPS OF THE SEVENTH FLEET. BUT THE MAIN PURPOSE OF THE TASK GROUP WILL BE TO SHOW THE AMERICAN FLAG ALONG THE SHORES OF ASIA.

THE CARRIER VALLEY FORGE HEADED THE FORCE. IT HAS ABOARD 33 JET PLANES, FIRST OF THE SPEEDY AMERICAN WARPLANES TO BE SHOWN IN THE ORIENT. THERE ARE 47 OTHER PLANES ABOARD.

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REAR ADM.JOHN M.HOSKINS WILL COMMAND THE TASK FORCE, WHICH ALSO WILL INCLUDE TWO SNORKEL-TYPE SUBMARINES--THE KIND THAT CAN STAY UNDERWATER INDEFINITELY.

BESIDES THE VALLEY FORGE. OTHER SHIPS IN THE TASK FORCE ARE THE

CRUISERS JUNEAU AND ROCHESTER, THE AIRCRAFT TENDERS CURTISS AND SUISAN, THE TRANSPORT WANTUCK, THE DESTROYERS DEHAVEN, BRUSH, TAUSSIG, MANSFIELD, MADDOX, MOORE, EVERSOLE AND SHELTON, THE DESTROYER ESCORTS FLETCHER AND RADFORD, THE SUBMARINES REMORA, CATFISH AND SEGUNDO AND THE OILERS NAVASOTA AND PASSUMPSIC.

VICE ADM.CALVIN T.DURGIN, COMMANDER OF THE PACIFIC FIRST FLEET, SAID ALL MAJOR STRENGTHENING OF THE PACIFIC FLEET "FOR THE IMMEDIATE FUTURE" HAD BEEN COMPLETED.

THE VALLEY FORGE WILL RELIEVE THE CARRIER BOXER IN THE ORIENT. THE BOXER AND OTHER SHIPS OF THE SEVENTH FLEET WILL RETURN TO THE WEST COAST IN JUNE.

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HAVANA, CUBA, MAY 12-(AP)-THE INTERAMERICAN CONFERENCE FOR DEMOCRACY AND LIBERTY OPENED HERE TONIGHT IN THE CAPITOL BUILDING.

SPONSORS SAID THE AIM OF THE GROUP WAS "OPPOSITION TO COMMUNISM, TO DICTATORS AND MILITARY GOVERNMENTS, AND TO GENERALISSIMO FRANCISCO FRANCO OF SPAIN."

SINCE THE CONFERENCE IS THE FIRST OF ITS KIND EVER HELD THE DETAILED PROGRAM IS NOT YET READY. IT WILL BE ANNOUNCED AFTER CONFERENCES AMONG THE DELEGATES.

PRESIDENT CARLOS PRIO SOCARRAS OF CUBA WILL NOT ADDRESS THE MEETINGS. DIPLOMATIC CIRCLES HERE SAID HE WAS IN HEARTY AGREEMENT WITH ITS PRINCIPLES BUT WANTED TO AVOID GIVING OFFENSE TO ARGENTINA, COLOMBIA AND VENEZUELA. WELL-INFORMED CIRCLES SAID THOSE THREE COUNTRIES MIGHT BREAK RELATIONS WITH CUBA IF THE CONGRESS APPEARED TO HAVE OFFICIAL BACKING.

ROMULO BETANCOURT, WHO WAS DEPOSED AS PRESIDENT OF VENEZUELA BY THE MILITARY JUNTA NOW RULING THAT COUNTRY, IS ONE OF THE CONFERENCE'S SPONSORS.

ARGENTINA AND COLOMBIA HAVE BOTH CLAIMED ONE OF THE AIMS OF THE CONFERENCE IS TO ATTACK THEM.

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DELEGATES FROM THE UNITED STATES ARE:

REP.CHARLES R.HOWELL (D-N.J.); REP.CLIFFORD P.CASE (R-N.J.); REP.CLINTON D.MCKINNON (D-CALIF.); REP.CHET HOLIFIELD (D-CALIF); NORMAN THOMAS; ROGER BALDWIN, DIRECTOR OF THE AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION; DR.BRYN HOVDE, PRESIDENT OF THE NEW SCHOOL FOR SOCIAL RESEARCH; PROF.ARTHUR SCHLESSINGER, HARVARD; SERAFINO FOMUALDI, GEORGE DELANEY AND CHARLES ZIMMERMAN OF THE AFL; ERNEST SCHWARZ OF THE CIO; CLARENCE SENIOR, COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY; JAMES LOEB, EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OF AMERICANS FOR DEMOCRATIC ACTION; WALTER WHITE, SECRETARY OF THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF COLORED PEOPLE; WALDO FRANK; ROBERT ALEXANDER, RUTGERS UNIVERSITY; FRANCES GRANT, PRESIDENT OF THE LATIN AMERICAN SECTION OF THE INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE FOR THE RIGHTS OF MAN; S.B.LEVITAS, EDITOR OF THE NEW LEADER; FRANCINE DUNLAVY, SECRETARY OF THE PANAMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF WOMEN; OLIVE HOLMES, FOREIGN POLICY ASSOCIATION; AND A.GIARDINO, ROBERT H.LOUNSBURY, EMANUEL DEMBY AND JOHN MUNDT,JR., ALL OF NEW YORK.

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NIGHT LEAD COMMUNISTS

BY JOHN B.OWEN

WASHINGTON, MAY 12-(AP)-SENATOR CHAVEZ (D-NM), A ROMAN CATHOLIC, TODAY DENOUNCED LOUIS BUDENZ, ACCUSER OF OWEN LATTIMORE, AS A LYING PUBLICITY SEEKER WHO "ADVERTISED HIS CONVERSION TO CATHOLICISM" AND WHO "HAS BEEN USING THE CROSS AS A CLUB."

THIS WAS IMMEDIATELY CHALLENGED BY SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) WHO DEFENDED BUDENZ AS COURAGEOUS, TRUTHFUL, ACCURATE -- THE VICTIM OF AN "OUTRAGEOUS ATTEMPT TO SMEAR."

CHAVEZ ALSO ASSAILED IN A SENATE SPEECH WHAT HE TERMED THE "WILD, IRRESPONSIBLE CHARGES" OF MCCARTHY, WHO PRESENTED BUDENZ AS A STAR WITNESS IN THE SENATE'S INVESTIGATION OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

BUDENZ IS A FORMER MANAGING EDITOR OF THE COMMUNIST DAILY WORKER WHO RE-ENTERED THE CATHOLIC CHURCH FIVE YEARS AGO AND ANNOUNCED RENUNCIATION OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY. HE NOW IS A PROFESSOR AT FORDHAM UNIVERSITY, A JESUIT SCHOOL IN NEW YORK. HE COULD NOT BE REACHED AT ONCE FOR COMMENT.

CHAVEZ SAID HE STILL REGARDED BUDENZ AS A COMMUNIST.

THE SENATOR DECLARED THAT BUDENZ "POSSESSED NO EVIDENCE" WHEN HE TESTIFIED THREE WEEKS AGO. BUDENZ ASSERTED THAT LATTIMORE, A FAR EASTERN AFFAIRS EXPERT AND OCCASIONAL STATE DEPARTMENT ADVISER, HAD BEEN A MEMBER OF A COMMUNIST CELL AND HAD BEEN REFERRED TO BY PARTY LEADERS AS A COMMUNIST. LATTIMORE DENIED IT.

"I SPEAK AS A ROMAN CATHOLIC," CHAVEZ SAID, ADDING:

"BUDENZ HAS BEEN SPEAKING WITH SPECIAL EMPHASIS AS A CATHOLIC, INVESTING HIS APPEARANCES AND UTTERANCES WITH AN ADDED SANCTITY BY VIRTUE OF THE FACT THAT HE RECENTLY WENT THROUGH THE FORMS OF CONVERSION TO CATHOLICISM.

"MY ANCESTERS BROUGHT THE CROSS TO THIS HEMISPHERE. LOUIS BUDENZ HAS BEEN USING THIS CROSS AS A CLUB."

MCCARTHY, WHO WAS NOT PRESENT AS CHAVEZ SPOKE, SAID IN A STATEMENT THAT THE NEW MEXICO SENATOR "WAS APPARENTLY USED AND DUPED."

MCCARTHY PREDICTED THAT BUDENZ WOULD GO ON WITH HIS TESTIMONY, OBSERVING THAT "HE UNDOUBTEDLY EXPECTED TO BE SMEARED AND VILIFIED WHEN HE DEDICATED THE BALANCE OF HIS LIFE TO THE EXPOSURE OF COMMUNISTS IN PLACES OF DANGER TO THIS NATION."

THE MC CARTHY STATEMENT ACCUSED "THE ADMINISTRATION SPOKESMEN" OF MAKING IT "INFINITELY MORE DIFFICULT TO OBTAIN SOME OF THE WITNESSES WHO ARE LESS COURAGEOUS THAN MR.BUDENZ."

HE EXPLAINED THESE WITNESSES FEAR A "CLEVERLY PLANNED, WELL-EXECUTED, CAMPAIGN OF VILIFICATION AND SMEAR" BY THE ADMINISTRATION "THROUGH ITS SENATORIAL SPOKESMEN, WHO PLACE BLIND LOYALTY TO PARTY ABOVE LOYALTY TO THE NATION."

MCCARTHY SAID THAT THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT AND THE FBI HAD PLACED "GREAT RELIANCE ON LOUIS BUDENZ."

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CHAVEZ ACCUSED BUDENZ OF BEING GUILTY OF BIGAMY UNDER NEW YORK LAWS; OF HAVING ADMITTED ENGAGING IN CONSPIRACIES TO COMMIT MURDER AND ESPIONAGE, OF HAVING A "DEVIOUS, CONSPIRATORIAL, WARPED PERSONALITY . . . UNABLE TO GIVE A STRAIGHT ANSWER," OF "BADWY PERSONAL EXCESSES," DEPRAVITY AND "LUST FOR SENSATIONAL PUBLICITY."

IN ANSWER TO A QUESTION THAT TESTIMONY OF BUDENZ HE THOUGHT WAS FALSE OR PERJURED, CHAVEZ SNAPPED:

"EVERYTHING HE SAYS."

CHAVEZ DID NOT MENTION BY NAME SENATOR MCCARTHY, WHO STARTED THE SENATE'S INVESTIGATION BY AN ATTACK ON THE STATE DEPARTMENT AS HARBORING COMMUNISTS AND FELLOW TRAVELERS.

BUT THE DEMOCRATIC SENATOR ASSAILED THE SENATE'S METHODS OF HANDLING THE COMMUNIST PROBLEM AND APPEARED TO BE DIRECTING MUCH OF HIS CRITI-

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CISM AT MCCARTHY. HE SAID:
"WE HAVE EMBARKED UPON A COURSE THAT BREEDS HYSTERIA AND CONFUSION . . . CERTAIN ILL-CONSIDERED STATEMENTS AND ACTIONS EMANATING FROM THIS VERY BODY . . . THE DIGNITY OF THE SENATE HAS ALREADY BEEN SERIOUSLY IMPAIRED."
CHAVEZ ENDORSED A PROPOSAL OF SENATOR FLANDERS (R-VT) THAT NO MORE PUBLIC HEARINGS BE HELD BY THE INQUIRY COMMITTEE, DECLARING:
"THE AMERICAN PEOPLE DO NOT WANT, I AM CERTAIN, THE UNITED STATES SENATE TO BE TURNED INTO A PLATFORM FOR EVERY HALF-BAKED GOSSIP, EVERY SUSPICIOUS OR VENGEFUL INDIVIDUAL, EVERY MOUNTEBANK AND SCANDALMONGER . . ."
THE METHODS USED ARE FRUITLESS, HE SAID, AND COUNSELED:
"WE HAVE FOLLOWED A COURSE WHICH HAS CAUGHT NOBODY--AND I EMPHASIZE THAT NOBODY HAS BEEN PROVEN GUILTY OF ANYTHING--BUT WE HAVE PERMITTED THE SMEARING OF LOYAL CITIZENS AND SERIOUSLY IMPAIRED THE MORALE OF EFFICIENT AND PATRIOTIC GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS."
INDIVIDUAL RIGHTS AND REPUTATIONS HAVE BEEN IMPAIRED WITH THE SENATE'S PERMISSION, CHAVEZ SAID.
"EVEN IF WE MAKE RESTITUTION TO THE INDIVIDUAL VICTIMS OF THESE WILD AND IRRESPONSIBLE CHARGES, THINK OF THE FEAR THAT HAS BEEN IMPLANTED IN THE MINDS OF TEACHERS, RESEARCHERS, SCIENTISTS, GOVERNMENT WORKERS, AND IN THE MINDS OF ALL CITIZENS, SINCE EVERYONE IS AWARE OF THE PUBLIC FLOGGING AWAITING INDIVIDUALS ACCUSED OF THE RECKLESS CRIME OF THINKING," HE SAID.
SENATOR FERGUSON (R-MICH) RAISED QUESTIONS ABOUT CHAVEZ' ATTACK ON BUDENZ. HE NOTED THAT THE GOVERNMENT HAD USED BUDENZ AS A WITNESS IN ITS CONSPIRACY CASE AGAINST 11 TOP COMMUNIST LEADERS AND IN OTHER CASES. HE WANTED TO KNOW IF CHAVEZ THOUGHT THE COMMUNIST LEADERS SHOULD BE FREED.
CHAVEZ SAID HE DID NOT BUT HE ADDED THAT HE DID NOT BELIEVE BUDENZ' TESTIMONY WAS THE ONLY THING THAT LED TO THEIR CONVICTION.
TEARING INTO BUDENZ' BACKGROUND, CHAVEZ GAVE NAMES AND DATES IN SUPPORT OF HIS CONTENTION THAT THE WITNESS HAD VIOLATED NEW YORK'S BIGAMY STATUTES.
CHAVEZ SAID BUDENZ MARRIED "GIZZELLA BUDENZ IN 1916 AND WAS DIVORCED BY HER FOR DESERTION IN 1938." HE ADDED:
"BY HIS OWN ADMISSION BUDENZ ENTERED INTO RELATIONS WITH ONE MARGARET ROGERS WHILE STILL MARRIED TO GIZZELLA BUDENZ. THIS BEFORE HE BECAME A COMMUNIST. HE HAD THREE CHILDREN WITH MARGARET ROGERS IN 1934, 1937 AND 1943 AND THEN MARRIED HER IN 1945.
"UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, BUDENZ WAS GUILTY OF BIGAMY, AS HE WAS INVOLVED IN A COMMON LAW MARRIAGE WITH MARGARET ROGERS WHILE STILL LEGALLY WED TO ANOTHER WOMAN.
"FINALLY, TO AFFORD HIM SOME RELIEF FROM THE HUMDRUM DOMESTICITY OF TWO WIVES AT THE SAME TIME, HE APPEARS TO HAVE REGISTERED UNDER VARIOUS ALIASES IN HOTELS IN PENNSYLVANIA, NEW YORK AND CONNECTICUT, CONCENTRATING HIS ATTENTIONS ON A CERTAIN LOUISE GAHEN.
"LOUISE GAHEN WAS BUDENZ'S ADOPTED DAUGHTER--A RELATIONSHIP WHICH, THOUGH NOT DIRECTLY BIOLOGICAL, IS SUPPOSED TO, IN OUR SOCIETY, INVOLVE CERTAIN PROPRIETIES AND DECENCIES ON THE PART OF THE PARENT."
CHAVEZ SAID BUDENZ "LIKES TO ATTRIBUTE HIS SORDID PAST TO THE CORRUPTING INFLUENCE OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY, BUT THIS IS HARDLY CORRECT INASMUCH AS HIS DEPRAVITY REACHED ITS DEPTH BEFORE HE JOINED THE COMMUNISTS IN 1935, AT THE TENDER AGE OF 44."
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WASHINGTON,MAY 12-(AP)-SENATOR MC MAHON (D-CONN) SAID TONIGHT HE HAD FOUND NO INDICATION OF TAMPERING WITH LOYALTY FILES OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT AS CHARGED BY SENATOR MC CARTHY (R-WIS).
ANSWERING QUESTIONS ON MUTUAL'S "MEET THE PRESS" RADIO PROGRAM, MC MAHON SAID HE HAD LOOKED OVER EIGHT OF THE FILES OF 81 PERSONS MC CARTHY HAS ACCUSED OF BEING COMMUNISTS, RED SYMPATHIZERS OR SECURITY RISKS ON OTHER GROUNDS.
"MY EXAMINATION," MC MAHON ASSERTED, "SHOWS THAT EVERYTHING IS IN ORDER."
FORMERLY ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL, THE SENATOR ADDED: "WHEN YOU'VE LOOKED OVER AS MANY FEDERAL FILES AS I HAVE YOU KNOW WHAT SHOULD BE THERE. THERE HAS BEEN NO TAMPERING AS FAR AS I CAN SEE."
UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE JOHN E.PEURIFOY TOLD NEWSMEN PREVIOUSLY THERE WAS NO EVIDENCE THAT WOULD "EVEN REMOTELY" BACK UP MC CARTHY'S CHARGE THAT MATERIAL WAS MISSING FROM AT LEAST ONE FILE.
MC MAHON IS CHAIRMAN OF THE CONGRESSIONAL ATOMIC ENERGY COMMITTEE AND A MEMBER OF A SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE INVESTIGATING COMMUNISM.
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NIGHT LEAD DENNIS
BY JOHN B.OWEN
WASHINGTON,MAY 12-(AP)-EUGENE DENNIS, GENERAL SECRETARY OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY, BEGAN SERVING A YEAR'S SENTENCE IN JAIL TODAY--WITH ANOTHER FIVE YEARS HANGING OVER HIM.
FEDERAL JUDGE DAVID A.PINE ORDERED THE 44-YEAR-OLD RED LEADER COMMITTED AT ONCE TO PAY THE ONE-YEAR PENALTY HE IMPOSED ON DENNIS FOR CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS IN 1947. A $1,000 FINE GOES WITH IT.
DENNIS FOUGHT THE CASE THROUGH THE SUPREME COURT IN VAIN. NOW HE IS FIGHTING THE SECOND SENTENCE--FIVE YEARS AND $10,000 FINE HANDED HIM IN NEW YORK FOR CONSPIRACY TO OVERTHROW THE GOVERNMENT. HIS APPEAL IS PENDING THERE.
DENNIS PLEADED HE WAS ENTITLED TO REMAIN FREE IN ORDER TO PREPARE THE APPEAL IN THE NEW YORK CASE IN WHICH HE ACTED AS HIS OWN ATTORNEY.
THE DEFENDANT APPEARED WITH JOSEPH FORER, HIS LAWYER IN THE CONTEMPT CASE. FORER TOLD JUDGE PINE IT WOULDN'T BE FAIR TO SEND DENNIS TO JAIL NOW OF THE PENDING APPEAL.
"IF I FOLLOWED YOUR SUGGESTION," JUDGE PINE SAID, "A CRIMINAL COULD STAY OUT OF JAIL FOREVER BY COMMITTING ANOTHER CRIME AND THEN REPRESENTING HIMSELF." HE ADDED:
"LITIGATION AT SOME TIME MUST COME TO AN END. THE TIME FOR THE LAW TO TAKE EFFECT IS NOW."
GOVERNMENT ATTORNEYS HAD MADE NO RECOMMENDATION BUT TOLD THE COURT THEY WERE RELUCTANT TO URGE COMMITMENT OF DENNIS BECAUSE OF THE PENDING APPEAL. JUDGE PINE SAID HE COULD NOT UNDERSTAND THEIR POSITION.
DENNIS WAS TAKEN BY U.S.MARSHALS TO THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA JAIL UNTIL THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT DECIDES WHERE HE WILL SERVE HIS SENTENCE.
ABOUT 20 PERSONS WERE ON HAND. THERE WERE FRIENDLY CALLS OF "GOODBYE,GENE," AS HE LEFT THE BUILDING.

IN NEW YORK, THE NATIONAL OFFICE OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY COMPARED THE JAILING OF DENNIS TO THE CASE OF EUGENE V.DEBS, SOCIALIST LEADER WHO RAN FOR PRESIDENT WHILE IN FEDERAL PENITENTIARY IN 1920 AND RECEIVED SOME 900,000 VOTES.

"THE FRAME-UP OF GENE DEBS IN WORLD WAR I OPENED THE GATEF TO THE WAR-MAKERS, AND THE UNION-WRECKERS," THE PARTY STATEMENT SAID, ADDING:

"THE FRAME-UP OF GENE DENNIS IN 1950 WILL BE UNDERSTOOD AS HAVING MORE FAR-REACHING EVIL AIMS. THE WORLD HAS PAINFULLY LEARNED WHAT THE ARREST OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY LEADERS MEANS FOR ANY COUNTRY. IT MEANS THE ADVANCE OF FASCIST REACTION AND ATOMIC WAR.

"DENNIS IS THE FIRST MARTYR OF THE HITLER-LIKE THREAT WHICH PERILS OUR NATION. HE WILL NOT BE THE LAST UNLESS THE ENTIRE WORKING CLASS, THE ENTIRE NEGRO PEOPLE, WHO ALSO HAVE BEEN MARKED FOR ATTACK. CHALLENGE THE FORCES WHICH ARE RUSHING GENE DENNIS TO PRISON."

DENNIS IS PAYING THE PENALTY BECAUSE HE REFUSED TO ANSWER A SUBPOENA OF THE HOUSE UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE. HE HAD VOLUNTEERED TO TESTIFY AGAINST PROPOSALS TO OUTLAW THE COMMUNIST PARTY, BUT HE THEN HAD REFUSED TO ANSWER SUCH PRELIMINARY QUESTIONS AS WHERE HE WAS BORN AND NAMES HE HAD USED. SO HE WAS DISMISSED AND THE SUBPOENA FOLLOWED.

TRIED AND CONVICTED IN JULY, 1947, DENNIS REFUSED JUDGE PINE'S OFFER OF AN OPPORTUNITY TO APPEAR BEFORE THE COMMITTEE AND PURGE HIMSELF OF CONTEMPT.

HIS CONVICTION WAS UPHELD LAST MARCH 27 BY A 5 TO 2 VOTE OF THE SUPREME COURT WHICH REJECTED HIS ARGUMENT THAT HE DID NOT HAVE A FAIR TRIAL BECAUSE THE JURY INCLUDED SEVEN GOVERNMENT EMPLOYES.

THE NEW YORK CONSPIRACY CASE AROSE AGAINST DENNIS AND 10 OTHER COMMUNIST LEADERS WHILE THE APPEAL WAS PENDING IN THE CONTEMPT CASE.

DENNIS AFTER REFUSING TO ANSWER THE COMMITTEE'S QUESTIONS, TOLD A COMMUNIST PARTY RALLY A FEW DAYS LATER THAT HE WAS BORN FRANCIS WALDRON IN SEATTLE, WASH., OF IRISH-NORWEGIAN ANCESTRY. HE SAID HE TOOK THE NAME OF DENNIS ABOUT 1922--"A NAME THAT I TRY TO HONOR BY MY ACTIVITY AS A COMMUNIST."

J.EDGAR HOOVER, FBI DIRECTOR, CALLED DENNIS A MAN OF MANY ALIASES.

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(230) NIGHT LEAD RUSSIAN

WASHINGTON,MAY 12-(AP)-RUSSIA TODAY DENOUNCED A MOVE BY GENERAL DOUGLAS MACARTHUR TO PAROLE CONVICTED JAPANESE WAR CRIMINALS. THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT CALLED THE PROCEDURE ILLEGAL AND A "GROSS VIOLATION OF INTERNATIONAL LAW."

THE STATE DEPARTMENT, IN EFFECT, ALMOST IMMEDIATELY REJECTED THE FORMAL RUSSIAN PROTEST. AS SUPREME ALLIED COMMANDER IN JAPAN, IT SAID, MACARTHUR HAD AMPLE AUTHORITY FOR HIS ACTION. THE DEPARTMENT ALSO CONTENDED IN A STATEMENT THAT HE WAS ACTING "IN ACCORDANCE WITH ENLIGHTENED PRACTICE IN VARIOUS COUNTRIES."

MACARTHUR HAS BEEN A FREQUENT TARGET FOR SOVIET CRITICISM. THE LATEST ATTACK ON HIM WAS BASED ON AN ORDER ISSUED BY HIS HEADQUARTERS IN TOKYO ON MARCH 7 CREATING A THREE-MAN PAROLE BOARD AND SETTING UP PROCEDURES FOR FREEING PRISONERS HELD IN JAPAN BEFORE COMPLETION OF THEIR FULL TERMS.

THE SOVIET PROTEST, MADE PUBLIC BY THE EMBASSY, OBJECTED PARTICULARLY TO THE POSSIBILITY OF PAROLE FOR ANY OF THE 16 MAJOR JAPAN WAR LADERS WHO WERE CONVICTED OF THE "GRAVEST CRIMES AGAINST HUMANITY" BY THE FORMER 11-NATION INTERNATIONAL MILITARY TRIBUNAL.

THE 16 WERE AMONG 25 SENTENCED BY THE INTERNATIONAL COURT. SEVEN, INCLUDING PRIME MINISTER TOJO, WERE HANGED. OFFICIALS SAID 18 ARE STILL IN PRISON IN JAPAN.

OF THE 16 RUSSIA CITED. THREE WERE NAMED IN THE PROTEST SPECIFICALLY. THEY WERE MAMORU SHIGEMITSU, THE FORMER FOREIGN MINISTER WHO SIGNED THE SURRENDER ABOARD THE U.S. BATTLESHIP MISSOURI, GENERAL SADAO ARAKI, WARTIME WAR AND EDUCATION MINISTER, AND KIITSIRO HIRANUMA, A FORMER PREMIER. RUSSIA'S CONTENTION WAS THAT MACARTHUR AFTER APPROVING THE SENTENCES HAD NO FURTHER AUTHORITY TO "MAKE ALTERATIONS" IN JUDGMENTS OF THE INTERNATIONAL COURTS.

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FOLO WASHINGTON

LONDON, SATURDAY, MAY 13-(AP)-SOVIET RUSSIA HAS SENT COPIES OF HER PROTEST AGAINST THE PAROLING OF CONVICTED JAPANESE WAR CRIMINALS TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE FAR EASTERN COMMISSION EXCEPT NATIONALIST CHINA.

INSTEAD, THE RUSSIANS SENT A COPY OF THEIR U.S.-ADDRESSED NOTE TO THE COMMUNIST CHINESE GOVERNMENT, THE OFFICIAL SOVIET NEWS AGENCY TASS SAID TODAY. THE KREMLIN HAS WITHDRAWN ITS RECOGNITION OF CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S NATIONALIST REGIME AND HAS RECOGNIZED MAO TZE-TUNG'S GOVERNMENT IN PEIPING.

TASS SAID COPIES OF THE NOTE WENT ALSO TO AUSTRALIA, BURMA, GREAT BRITAIN, THE NETHERLANDS, INDIA, CANADA, NEW ZEALAND, PAKISTAN, THE PHILIPPINES AND FRANCE.

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WASHINGTON,MAY 12-(AP)-RUSSIA GOT LESS THAN $50,000 WORTH OF GOODS FROM THE UNITED STATES IN MARCH UNDER THIS COUNTRY'S POLICY OF WITHHOLDING "WAR POTENTIAL" MATERIALS FROM THE SOVIET BLOC.

THIS WAS DISCLOSED TODAY IN A CENSUS BUREAU REPORT WHICH SHOWED THAT RUSSIAN SHIPMENTS HERE AMOUNTED TO $3,500,000 THAT MONTH. FURS ACCOUNTED FOR $2,300,000 OF THE TOTAL.

RUSSIA SENT NO MANGANESE OR CHROME ORE, ESSENTIAL MATERIALS IN STEEL PRODUCTION, WHICH IT HAS SUPPLIED IN THE PAST.

THE REPORT DISCLOSED THAT THE U.S. DID MORE BUSINESS WITH YUGOSLAVIA AND FINLAND ALONE DURING MARCH THAN IT DID WITH RUSSIA AND HER NINE EASTERN EUROPEAN SATELLITES.

THE SOVIET BLOC'S TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM THE U.S. WERE $2,700,000 DURING MARCH, WITH $1,200,000 GOING TO CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND $800,000 TO POLAND.

SOVIET BLOC SHIPMENTS HERE, HOWEVER, TOTALED $4,400,000, GIVING THE RUSSIAN GROUP A $1,700,000 CASH EDGE ON THE MONTH'S TRANSACTIONS. CZECH SHIPMENTS HERE AMOUNTED TO $2,900,000, POLISH SHIPMENTS $1,000,000.

YUGOSLAVIA, WHICH THE U.S. SEEKS TO BOLSTER IN ITS QUARREL WITH THE KREMLIN, GOT $2,300,000 IN GOODS FROM THE U.S. IT SENT $3,500,000 HERE.

FINLAND ALSO GOT $2,300,000 IN GOODS FROM THE U.S. WHILE SHIPPING $3,300,000 WORTH HERE.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 9 A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, FRIDAY, MAY 12)
(NY) (ADVANCE)...BOUND BROOK, N.J., MAY 12-(AP)-WARREN R. AUSTIN, UNITED STATES DELEGATE TO THE UNITED NATIONS, SAID TODAY A COMBINATION OF FREE NATIONS CAN BE FORMED WITHOUT DESTROYING THE UNITED NATIONS AS SUGGESTED BY FORMER PRESIDENT HERBERT HOOVER.
AUSTIN SAID IN A SPEECH PREPARED FOR THE SOMERSET COUNTY COMMUNITY FORUM THAT THE SEPARATION OF THE U.N. INTO "PHALANXES" WOULD TERMINATE EXISTING OPPORTUNITIES FOR PACIFIC EFFORTS AMONG NATIONS FOR SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES. IT WAS ANOTHER REPLY TO THE SUGGESTION OF HIS OLD FRIEND, HOOVER, TO REORGANIZE THE U.N. WITHOUT THE RUSSIANS OR TO CREATE A COMBINATION OF NATIONS AGAINST COMMUNISM.
"NO ACTION OF OURS SHOULD EVER ASSIST THE SOVIET UNION TO ESCAPE FROM THE PRINCIPLES FOR PEACEFUL COOPERATION CONTAINED IN THE CHARTER OF THE UNITED NATIONS," AUSTIN SAID. "AND CERTAINLY NO ACTION OF OURS SHOULD UNDERMINE OR DISINTEGRATE THE UNITY THAT HAS BEEN ACHIEVED IN THE NON-SOVIET WORLD."
HE SAID THAT THE PRIME MINISTERS OF INDIA AND PAKISTAN HAVE INDICATED THEY WOULD NOT JOIN A FRONT OUTSIDE THE U.N. AND HAVE OPPOSED REORGANIZING THE U.N. WITHOUT THE COMMUNISTS. HE GAVE EXAMPLES OF VARIOUS COMBINATIONS WITHIN THE U.N., SUCH AS THE ATLANTIC PACT.
AUSTIN LISTED ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE U.N. IN ALL FIELDS AND THEN TOLD HIS HEARERS THAT THE UNITED STATES CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE U.N. LAST YEAR REPRESENTED ONLY 35 CENTS PER PERSON.
"IN THE FACE OF ALL THESE CONSIDERATIONS, I SAY THE UNITED STATES HAS A RESPONSIBILITY AS A MEMBER OF THE WORLD COMMUNITY TO REMAIN JOINED IN SPIRIT AS WELL AS IN WORD, WITH ALL OTHER MEMBERS, TO THE PRINCIPLES AND TO THE MACHINERY OF THE UNITED NATIONS," AUSTIN SAID.
"ON MORAL AS WELL AS ON SECURITY GROUNDS, THE UNITED STATES IS BOUND, BOTH OUTSIDE AND INSIDE THE UNITED NATIONS, TO OPPOSE ISOLATION AND EXCLUSION OF OTHER MEMBERS AND GROUPS OF MEMBERS FROM THE WORLD ORGANIZATION."
(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 9 A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, FRIDAY, MAY 12)
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B54WX (Q)
(140)
WASHINGTON, MAY 12-(AP)-THE NAVY IS SENDING A SPECIAL PLANE TO HONG KONG TO FLY HOME THE TWO AMERICAN FLYERS RELEASED BY THE CHINESE REDS MAY 9 AFTER NEARLY 19 MONTHS IN CAPTIVITY, NAVY SECRETARY MATTHEWS ANNOUNCED TODAY.
WILLIAM C. SMITH, NAVY CHIEF CONSTRUCTION ELECTRICIAN'S MATE AND MARINE CORP MASTER SGT. ELMER C. BENDER ARE EXPECTED TO ARRIVE IN HONG KONG FROM NORTH CHINA MAY 15 ON THE BRITISH STEAMER HUNAN.
IN THE BRITISH COLONY THE TWO MEN WILL BE GIVEN A COMPLETE PHYSICAL EXAMINATION BY AN AMERICAN NAVY MEDICAL OFFICER. A NAVY PLANE WILL FLY THEM DIRECT TO PEARL HARBOR, WHERE THEY WILL BE RE-OUTFITTED AND HAVE THEIR RECORDS ADJUSTED BEFORE BEING FLOWN HOME.
SMITH LIVES IN LONG BEACH AND BENDER IN CHICAGO. ON ARRIVAL AT THEIR HOMES, BOTH WILL BE GIVEN LEAVE.
THEY WERE HELD BEHIND COMMUNIST LINES IN CHINA SINCE OCTOBER 19, 1948 AFTER THEY FAILED TO RETURN FROM A ROUTINE TRAINING FLIGHT FROM TSINGTAO.
CZ900PED NM

B67
KX FOR FRISCO
NEW YORK, MAY 12-(AP)-THE TIMES TODAY CREDITED CHIANG KAI-SHEK WITH HAVING FOUND A WAY TO GET A LIMITED QUANTITY OF FOOD TO STARVING CHINESE ON THE MAINLAND. "HE IS DROPPING IT FROM PLANES, INSTEAD OF DROPPING BOMBS, AND ACCOMPANYING THE DROP WITH LEAFLETS TELLING WHERE THE FOOD COMES FROM AND WHY," SAID A TIMES' EDITORIAL.
THE PAPER SAID "IT MIGHT BE A SOUND IDEA TO EXPLORE THE POSSIBILITIES OF ENLARGING THIS OPERATION."
WHETHER THIS OR SOME OTHER METHOD OF DELIVERY OF FOOD IS EMPLOYED, THE TIMES SAID AMERICANS WANT TO HELP SAVE THE CHINESE FROM HUNGER. THE QUESTION IS HOW.
"PRESIDENT TRUMAN MUST HAVE SPOKEN WHAT WAS IN THE HEARTS OF AN OVERWHELMING MAJORITY OF AMERICANS WHEN HE STATED THIS WEEK THAT WE WANTED TO DO SOMETHING, IF WE COULD, TO RELIEVE FAMINE DISTRESS IN CHINA," THE EDITORIAL SAID, ADDING:
"THAT APPEAL IS NOT NEW TO THIS COUNTRY BUT IT IS VERY REAL. WE HAVE BEEN ABLE TO HELP IN THE PAST AND WOULD BE GLAD TO DO SO IN THE PRESENT AND IN THE FUTURE. THE CHINESE ARE OUR FRIENDS AS THEY HAVE BEEN FOR A LONG, LONG TIME."
FD907AED

B70
(150)
KX FOR FRISCO
NEW YORK, MAY 12-(AP)-THE HERALD TRIBUNE TODAY SAID IT IS GROWING NO EASIER TO RECOGNIZE THE CHINESE COMMUNIST REGIME WHICH BASED ITS RELEASE OF TWO AMERICAN NAVAL AVIATORS ON AN ALLEGED CONFESSION. ACTUALLY, IT SAID, THE RELEASE WAS AN "ORDINARY INTERNATIONAL OBLIGATION."
THE PAPER QUOTED PART OF THE COMMUNIST ANNOUNCEMENT, SAYING "IT WAS NOT UNTIL LATELY THAT BENDER AND SMITH, INFLUENCED BY OUR MAGNANIMOUS POLICY TOWARD PRISONERS, BEGAN TO CONFESS."
"APPARENTLY THEY DID NOT CONFESS VERY MUCH," SAID AN EDITORIAL, "BUT IF IT WAS ENOUGH TO GET THEM OUT, IT IS ALSO ENOUGH TO ESTABLISH THE PRINCIPLE THAT THE KEY TO WHAT PASSES FOR JUSTICE IN RED CHINA, AS EVERYWHERE IN THE RED EMPIRE, IS TO CONFESS-- TO CONFESS TO SOMETHING OR ANYTHING, JUST SO LONG AS A CONFESSION IS EXTRACTED."
THE PAPER SAID IT WAS APPARENT THE "CHINESE COMMUNISTS WERE AT LEAST LESS BRUTAL THAN THEIR RUSSIAN MENTORS, WHO SHOT THE UNARMED NAVY PLANE INTO THE BALTIC WITHOUT GIVING THE CREW EVEN A CHANCE OF SURVIVAL."
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SAN FRANCISCO, MAY 12-(AP)-PACIFIC EAST LINES REPORTED TODAY ITS FREIGHTER CALIFORNIABEAR HAD BEEN PERMITTED BY THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS TO SAIL FROM TAKU BAR, PORT FOR TIENTSIN, CHINA.

HOWEVER, CAPT. WILLIAM MURRAY REMAINED BEHIND IN TIENTSIN FOR COMPETION OF A HEARING ON A COLLISION IN WHICH A CHINESE SHIP WAS SUNK IN THE YELLOW SEA APRIL 20.

THE LINE SAID CAPTAIN MURRAY OF MENLO PARK, CALIF., WAS NOT BEING DETAINED, BUT HAD THE LINE'S PERMISSION TO STAY FOR CLEARING UP THE CASE.

THE COMMUNISTS CHARGED THE CALIFORNIA BEAR WITH RESPONSIBILITY FOR SINKING THE SHIP SINAN WITH LOSS OF 70 LIVES, AND THE SINAN'S OWNERS DEMANDED COMPENSATION.

FJ910PCS

B105CX Q
(280)
CHICAGO, MAY 12-(AP)-PAKISTAN'S PRIME MINISTER, LIAQUAT ALI KHAN, SAYS COMMUNIST INTERFERENCE IN PAKISTAN'S AFFAIRS IS UNLIKELY BECAUSE HIS COUNTRY'S PEOPLE "WOULDN'T ACCEPT ANY IDEOLOGY BUT THE ONE THAT IS INBORN IN THEM."

HE EXPRESSED THIS VIEW AT A NEWS CONFERENCE DURING HIS TWO-DAY VISIT HERE WHICH ENDS WITH HIS DEPARTURE FOR KANSAS CITY TOMORROW MORNING.

THE PPRIME MINISTER SAID PAKISTAN IS THE MOST FREE AND MOST UNIFIED OF THE ASIATIC DEMOCRACIES. ITS STABILITY RESTS CHIEFLY ON THE ISLAMIC WAY OF LIFE, HE SAID, WHICH INCLUDES A BELIEF IN GOD AND REQUIRES THAT EACH PERSON EARN HIS WAY BY HONEST WORK.

LIAQUAT ALI SAID THE UNITED STATES HUS A "MISSION" IN THE WORLD BECAUSE OF ITS TECHNICAL KNOWLEDGE, EXPERIENCE AND INVESTMENT CAPITAL.

"UNLESS YOU REALLY PLACE ALL THAT AT THE DISPOSAL OF LESS DEVELOPED NATIONS," HE DECLARED, "YOU WILL NOT BE FULFILLING YOUR MISSION OF BRINGING STABILITY, PEACE AND PROGRESS TO THE WORLD."

THE PRIME MINISTER'S WIFE, THE BEGUM, RECEIVED A TUMULTUOUS OVATION WHEN SHE VISITED HER FIRST AMERICAN SCHOOL YESTERDAY.

THREE THOUSAND CHEERING HIGH SCHOOL PUPILS STORMED HER OFFICIAL CAR AND A POLICE GUARD WAS REQUIRED TO ESCORT HER FROM THE SCHOOL.

THE BEGUM SPOKE TO THE STUDENTS AT WENDELL PHILLIPS HIGH SCHOOL, TELLING OF THE EFFORTS OF PAKISTANI YOUTH TO ACHIEVE AN EDUCATION AND BENEFIT THEIR PEOPLE.

THE VISITING PRIME MINISTER AND HIS WIFE ARRANGED TO INSPECT BANKING FACILITIES AT CONTINENTAL ILLINOIS TRUST CO., AND THEN DRIVE TO THE SUBURBAN WHEATON HOME OF COLONEL ROBERT R.MC CORMICK, EDITOR AND PUBLISHER OF THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE, FOR LUNCHEON. THE COLONEL AND HIS WIFE WERE GUESTS OF LIAQUAT ALI KHAN AND THE BEGUM AT KARACHI DURING THEIR RECENT WORLD FLIGHT.

A VISIT TO THE MUSEUM OF SCIENCE AND INDUSTRY WAS PLANNED FOR THIS AFTERNOON, TO BE FOLLOWED BY DINNER AT THE CASINO CLUB, GIVEN IN THE VISITORS' HONOR BY OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF CHICAGO.

THE PRIME MINISTER'S PARTY WILL FLY TO KANSAS CITY AT 8 A.M. SATURDAY. SUNDAY MORNING THEY WILL TAKE OFF FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

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B55
(150)
NEW YORK, MAY 12-(AP)-HIROSHIMA IS A "DEAD CITY" WHICH GRADUALLY IS BEING BROUGHT BACK TO LIFE, DR. TOMIKO KORA, MEMBER OF THE JAPANESE SENATE, SAID TODAY.

THE 54-YEAR-OLD WOMAN, WHO WAS DEPUTY MAYOR OF HIROSHIMA FOR A YEAR AFTER IT WAS HIT BY THE ATOMIC BLAST IN 1945, ARRIVED HERE BY SHIP TODAY FROM A LECTURE TOUR IN EUROPE.

SHE SAID THE PURPOSE OF HER VISIT HERE IS TO ENCOURAGE AMERICANS TO ATTEND THE UNITED WORLD FEDERALIST CONFERENCE IN HIROSHIMA LATE THIS YEAR.

ALTHOUGH THE SURVIVORS OF THE HIROSHIMA BOMBING WERE "APATHETIC FOR A LONG TIME," DR. KORA SAID, THE CITY SLOWLY IS RECOVERING, AIDED BY STUDENTS FROM ALL OVER THE WORLD WORKING ON ITS RECONSTRUCTION.

"NOBODY THOUGHT WE COULD BUILD AGAIN," SHE SAID. "CHAOTIC CONDITIONS EXISTED FOR MORE THAN A YEAR."

SHE SAID HIROSHIMA "CAN'T BE BROUGHT TO LIFE BY GOVERNMENT ALONE BUT BY YOUNG PEOPLE, NOT ONLY OF JAPAN BUT OF OTHER COUNTRIES."

DR. KORA PLANS TO VISIT WASHINGTON IN ABOUT A WEEK, AND THEN GO TO RICHMOND, IND., WHERE ONE OF HER THREE DAUGHTERS, MAKIKO, IS A STUDENT AT EARLHAM COLLEGE.

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B95CX (Q)
(APW)
NIGHT LEAD (170)
CHICAGO, MAY 12-(AP)-PAKISTAN'S PRIME MINISTER, LIAQUAT ALI KHAN, VISITED ONE OF THE WORLD'S LARGEST BANKS TODAY, THE LAST DAY OF HIS STAY IN CHICAGO.

LIAQUAT ALI DIDN'T ASK FOR A LOAN, BUT HE TOLD OFFICIALS OF THE CONTINENTAL ILLINOIS NATIONAL BANK AND TRUST COMPANY HIS COUNTRY OFFERS GOOD FIELDS FOR FOREIGN INVESTMENTS.

PAKISTAN WOULD WELCOME INVESTMENTS IN HYDRO-ELECTRIC POWER STATIONS MILLS TO PROCESS ITS WORLD MONOPOLY OF JUTE, HE TOLD WALTER J. CUMMINGS, CHAIRMAN OF THE BANK'S BOARD.

"WE WERE VERY MUCH IMPRESSED," CUMMINGS SAID.

THE PRIME MINISTER AND HIS WIFE WERE LUNCHEON GUESTS AT THE SUBURBAN WHEATON HOME OF COL. ROBERT R. MC CORMICK, EDITOR AND PUBLISHER OF THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE. THE COLONEL AND MRS. MC CORMICK WERE GUESTS OF LIAQUAT ALI AND HIS WIFE AT KARACHI DURING THEIR RECENT WORLD FLIGHT.

LATER, THE PRIME MINISTER AND HIS PARTY VISITED THE MUSEUM OF SCIENCE AND INDUSTRY. TONIGHT THEY WERE DINNER GUESTS OF THE OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF CHICAGO.

LIAQUAT ALI WILL RESUME HIS TOUR OF THE UNITED STATES TOMORROW MORNING WHEN HE LEAVES FOR KANSAS CITY. SUNDAY MORNING THE PARTY WILL GO TO SAN FRANCISCO.

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A3WX
(580) PMS BUDGET
ATOMIC

BY DOUGLAS B.CORNELL MAY 13 1950

WASHINGTON,MAY 12-(AP)-TALK OF SHARING THE ATOMIC BOMB WITH AMERICA'S NORTH ATLANTIC ALLIES BROUGHT THIS HOT REACTION FROM CONGRESS: NOT A CHANCE!

AMONG THE MEN WHO WOULD HAVE TO PASS A LAW PERMITTING SUCH A MOVE, THERE WAS CONSTERNATION AT THE MERE KNOWLEDGE THAT THE SUBJECT HAS BEEN DISCUSSED BY MILITARY OFFICIALS IN A PRELIMINARY WAY, EVEN WITHOUT APPROACHING DECISIONS OR RECOMMENDATIONS.

SENATORS AND HOUSE MEMBERS, DEMOCRATS AND REPUBLICANS, CRIED OUT AGAINST LETTING ANY A-BOMBS GET OUT OF AMERICAN HANDS.

THE LONE VOICE IN SUPPORT OF SHARING WAS THAT OF CHAIRMAN VINSON (D-GA) OF THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE--AND HE PUT IN AN "IF." VINSON SAID:

"OUR ALLIES SHOULD HAVE ALL EQUIPMENT NECESSARY TO BE IN A POSITION TO UNDERTAKE A WORTHWHILE DEFENSE AGAINST ANY AGGRESSOR. IF IT IS NECESSARY FOR THEM TO HAVE THE A-BOMB, THEY SHOULD HAVE IT."

OF COURSE, A LOT OF MINDS COULD CHANGE IF WE SEEMED TO BE GETTING DEFINITELY CLOSER TO WAR. BUT FOR THE TIME BEING THERE OBVIOUSLY IS NO POSSIBILITY THAT THE LAWMAKERS WOULD CONSENT TO ARMING OUR COLD WAR PARTNERS WITH ATOMIC WEAPONS.

KEY MEMBERS OF THE CONGRESSIONAL ATOMIC, FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEES SAID IN INTERVIEWS THAT THEY ARE AGAINST IT.

FOR THAT MATTER, SOME OF THE MILITARY EXPERTS IN THE PENTAGON ARE AGAINST IT, ON GROUNDS A-BOMBS WOULD BE SAFER IN AMERICAN HANDS, WITH LESS CHANCE FOR INFORMATION LEAKS OR FOR U.S. ATOMIC WEAPONS TO FALL INTO RUSSIA'S GRASP.

BUT ON THE OTHER SIDE IS THE ARGUMENT THAT IT MIGHT BE QUICKER AND CHEAPER TO ARM THE ALLIES WITH A-BOMBS, AND PLANES TO CARRY THEM, THAN TO EQUIP GROUND TROOPS, OR NAVAL OR AIR FORCES, WITH TANKS, GUNS, ORDINARY BOMBS AND OTHER CONVENTIONAL WEAPONS.

IF THE IDEA WERE TO STOCKPILE ATOM BOMBS AT AMERICAN BASES IN ALLIED COUNTRIES, UNDER ABSOLUTE AMERICAN CONTROL, THERE EVIDENTLY WOULD BE A LITTLE MORE BACKING IN CONGRESS. THAT WAS THE VIEW OF A SENATE DEMOCRAT AND A SENATE REPUBLICAN WHO DIDN'T WANT THEIR NAMES USED.

REP.ELSTON (R-OHIO), A MEMBER OF THE SENATE-HOUSE ATOMIC COMMITTEE, SAID HE SEES "NO GREAT URGENCY ABOUT GETTING A-BOMBS OVERSEAS, BECAUSE WE CAN GET THEM THERE QUICKLY ANY TIME. BUT IF THE MILITARY AUTHORITIES THINK THERE SHOULD BE SOME THERE, I WOULD GO ALONG WITH IT, PROVIDED THERE IS COMPLETE CONTROL BY OUR OWN ARMED FORCES."

ELSTON AND OTHERS SAID THEY WOULDN'T WANT ANY ATOMIC BOMBS STORED WHERE THERE WAS A CHANCE RUSSIAN INVADERS COULD SNATCH THEM. ENGLAND OR NORTH AFRICA MIGHT BE SAFE, HE SAID.

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SENATOR CONNALLY (D-TEX) SAID THAT "I'D WANT TO BE MIGHTY CAREFUL WHERE WE PUT OUR BOMBS." CONNALLY IS A MEMBER OF THE ATOMIC COMMITTEE AND CHAIRMAN OF SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE.

SENATOR KEFAUVER (D-TENN), A MEMBER OF THE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE, REMARKED THAT IF WE GAVE ATOMIC BOMBS TO OUR ALLIES, RUSSIA PROBABLY WOULD HAVE TO DISTRIBUTE SOME AMONG HER SATELLITES.

"THE BULGARIANS MIGHT DROP ONE ON THE YUGOSLAVS," HE CONJECTURED.

KEFAUVER SAID THE CHANCES OF ESTABLISHING INTERNATIONAL CONTROL OF ATOMIC WEAPONS WOULD BE HURT IF WE EVER CUT IN THE ALLIES FOR A SHARE.

TWO HOUSE MEMBERS OF THE ATOMIC COMMITTEE DIDN'T WANT TO BE QUOTED BUT SAID THERE JUST ISN'T A CHANCE CONGRESS WOULD OKAY ANY SHARING.

ANOTHER, REP.W.STERLING COLE (R-NY), SAID IT WOULD BE WRONG IF SHARING MEANT TURNING THE BOMB OVER TO ALLIED NATIONS TO "USE AT THEIR DISCRETION, WHERE AND WHEN THEY PLEASE." BUT HE SAID THE WEAPON HAS BEEN DEVELOPED FOR OUR INTEREST--AND ASSISTANCE TO OUR ALLIES ALSO IS FOR OUR INTEREST, SO:

"I WOULD APPROVE IT BEING MADE AVAILABLE TO OUR ALLIES PROVIDED THAT IT AND ITS USE REMAIN UNDER CONTROL OF AMERICAN AUTHORITIES AT ALL TIMES. AND THAT ISN'T BECAUSE I DON'T TRUST OUR ALLIES, BUT BECAUSE OF APPREHENSION THAT IT MIGHT FALL INTO THE HANDS OF OUR ALLIES' ENEMIES."

REP.LAWRENCE H.SMITH (R-WIS), A MEMBER OF THE HOUSE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE, SAID SHARING WOULD BE TERRIBLE AND 98 PER CENT OF CONGRESS WOULD REBEL AGAINST IT. AT LEAST FOUR OTHER COMMITTEE COLLEAGUES AGREED.

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A24WX
BABY A-BOMB (350)
BY FRANK E.CAREY
ASSOCIATED PRESS SCIENCE WRITER MAY 13 1950

WASHINGTON,MAY 12-(AP)-THIS NATION HAS PRODUCED "SMALL" ATOMIC BOMBS, OFFICIALS SAY, BUT THAT DOESN'T NECESSARILY MEAN THAT THE BOMBS PACK LESS OF A WALLOP THAN FULL SIZED ONES.

THE BOMBS ARE REPORTED SMALL ENOUGH TO BE CARRIED BY JET BOMBERS AND FIGHTER-BOMBERS SMALLER AND FASTER THAN THE B-29 WHICH DROPPED EARLY MODEL A-BOMBS ON JAPAN.

AS USUAL, THERE WASN'T A HINT AS TO HOW POWERFUL THIS "BABY BOMB" COULD BE. BUT IT MAY BE MORE POWERFUL THAN THE EARLY MODEL BOMBS DROPPED ON JAPAN OR TESTED AT BIKINI.

INDEED, THESE SMALL-SIZED A-WEAPONS MIGHT WELL HAVE BEEN THE ONES TESTED AT ENIWETOK. THESE SHOWED A "SUBSTANTIAL GAIN IN (EXPLOSIVE) ENERGY RELEASE" OVER PREVIOUS MODELS.

THE SECRET OF THESE NEW BOMBS APPARENTLY LIES IN A NON-EXPLOSIVE CASING OR ENVELOPE--CALLED A "TAMPER"--WHICH ENABLES A REDUCTION IN THE "CRITICAL SIZE" OF THE BOMB.

THE CRITICAL SIZE OF AN A-BOMB IS DEFINED AS THE AMOUNT OF FISSIONABLE MATERIAL (SUCH AS URANIUM-235 OR PLUTONIUM) WHICH MUST BE ASSEMBLED IN ORDER TO PRODUCE AN EXPLOSION.

A WAR DEPARTMENT REPORT RELEASED RIGHT AFTER THE HIROSHIMA EXPLOSION REFERRED BRIEFLY TO TAMPERS.

THAT REPORT SAID A TAMPER COULD BE USED TO REDUCE THE CRITICAL SIZE OF A BOMB. IT ALSO SAID USE OF A TAMPER "CLEARLY MAKES FOR A LONGER LASTING, MORE ENERGETIC, AND MORE EFFICIENT EXPLOSION."

PRESUMABLY THIS COMPARISON WAS WITH THE THEORETICAL POSSIBILITIES WHICH EXISTED BEFORE THE IDEA OF A TAMPER WAS CONCEIVED.

UNDOUBTEDLY A TAMPER ARRANGEMENT WAS USED IN THE ORIGINAL BOMBS.

BUT NOW, WITH THE DISCLOSURE OF "SMALL-SIZED" BOMBS, IT SEEMS CLEAR THAT IMPROVEMENTS HAVE BEEN MADE IN TAMPER TECHNIQUES AND ALSO IN THE TECHNIQUE FOR MAKING VARIETIES OF BOMB SHAPES.

DEFENSE SECRETARY JOHNSON HINTED AS MUCH WHEN HE DISCLOSED RECENTLY THAT THIS NATION IS MAKING A VARIETY OF A-WEAPONS FOR VARIOUS USES--NOT JUST A SINGLE-TYPE BOMB.

AS TO THE MATERIAL UTILIZED IN SUCH TAMPERS, ONE CAN ONLY SPECULATE. THE ORIGINAL WAR DEPARTMENT REPORT SAYS THE MOST EFFECTIVE TAMPER "IS THE ONE HAVING THE HIGHEST DENSITY."

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B101PG (ADD MUNITIONS)
(Q)
SECOND NIGHT LEAD MUNITIONS (200)
PITTSBURGH,MAY 12-(AP)-RUSSIA'S THREAT TO WORLD PEACE IS BOTH REAL AND INCREASING STEADILY, THE CHAIRMAN OF THE MUNITIONS BOARD SAID TONIGHT.

HUBERT HOWARD, MAKING HIS FIRST OFFICIAL ADDRESS SINCE BECOMING CHAIRMAN OF THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT'S BOARD FIVE MONTHS AGO, TOLD A SELECT GROUP OF INDUSTRIAL LEADERS THAT AMERICA COULD BE AT FULL STRENGTH SIX TO NINE MONTHS EARLIER THAN IN WORLD WAR II.

"AT THIS VERY MOMENT THE MILITARY ARE NEGOTIATING WITH MANAGEMENT OF OVER 30,000 PLANTS FOR PRODUCTION CAPACITY AND PRODUCTION SCHEDULES," HOWARD SAID, ADDING:

"WE ESTIMATE THAT THE THREE ARMED SERVICES WILL PLACE ORDERS FOR 41 BILLION DOLLARS WORTH OF WEAPONS AND SUPPLIES IN THE FIRST SIX MONTHS OF AN EMERGENCY. WE CAN PLACE 16.6 BILLION OR 40 PER CENT AT ONCE IF NECESSARY."

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SPEAKING OF RUSSIA, HOWARD DECLARED:

"NO THINKING MAN WILL DENY THAT A DANGER IS NOW PRESENTED TO THE SECURITY AND LIFE OF OUR NATION; AS GREAT, IF NOT GREATER, THAN AT ANY PEACETIME PERIOD IN OUR HISTORY.

"WE ARE UNANIMOUS AS TO THE DANGER STEMMING FROM RUSSIA'S BELIEFS AND INTENTIONS." X X X X

"WHILE ALL OTHER NATIONS HAVE DEMOBILIZED, THE SOVIET HAS STEADILY EXPANDED AND TODAY SPENDS TWO TO THREE TIMES AS MUCH OF HER NATIONAL INCOME FOR MILITARY PURPOSES THAN ANY OTHER NATION X X X "

AT A NEWS CONFERENCE EARLIER IN THE DAY HOWARD SAID AMERICAN PRODUCTION "OUGHT TO REACH A PEAK IN ABOUT 18 MONTHS TO TWO YEARS" AFTER HOSTILITIES BREAK OUT.

"IN THE MATTER OF EXPENDITURES THE NEXT WAR WILL MAKE THE LAST ONE LOOK LIKE A PIKER," HOWARD ADDED.

"IN VIEW OF RUSSIA'S PREPAREDNESS," HE SAID, "WHICH IS BEYOND ANYTHING NECESSARY FOR DEFENSE, WE'VE GOT TO PREPARE FOR ANY KIND OF ATTACK--ATOMIC OR OTHERWISE."

HOWARD CAME HERE TO ADDRESS A GROUP OF BUSINESS LEADERS AT A BANQUET TONIGHT. UNTIL TAKING HIS PRESENT POSITION, HE WAS CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD OF THE BINKLEY COAL COMPANY IN CHICAGO. HE WAS ONE OF THE INDUSTRY'S KEY REPRESENTATIVES IN LAST YEAR'S CONTRACT NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE UNITED MINE WORKERS.

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A163WX
SUBMARINE
WASHINGTON, MAY 12-(AP)-THE NAVY IS INVESTIGATING REPORTS THAT AN UNIDENTIFIED SUBMARINE WAS SIGHTED OFF THE NEW JERSEY COAST WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

THE DEPARTMENT SAID NO U.S. SUBMARINES WERE IN THE AREA AT THE TIME.

THE REPORTS CAME FROM THE AMERICAN TANKER MOBILE GAS. THE TANKER'S CREW SAID THAT THEY SIGHTED WHAT APPEARED TO BE A SUBMARINE IN THE ATLANTIC OFF BEACH HAVEN, N.J.

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THE NAVY'S INVESTIGATION THUS FAR HAS PRODUCED NO RESULTS.

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A164WX
PLANES (280)
WASHINGTON, MAY 12-(AP)-A RETIRED NAVY CAPTAIN SAID TODAY THE UNITED STATES IS RELATIVELY LESS PREPARED FOR AN EMERGENCY NOW THAN AT THE TIME OF PEARL HARBOR, SO FAR AS AIR TRANSPORT IS CONCERNED.

C.H.SCHILDHAUER OF OWINGS MILLS, MD., WHO SAID HE ORGANIZED THE NAVAL AIR TRANSPORT SERVICE IN THE LAST WAR, TOLD A SENATE COMMERCE SUBCOMMITTEE:

"TODAY WE ARE PLANNING A DEFENSE OF MOBILITY AND SPEED VIA THE AIR ROUTES, BUT THAT PLANNING HAS NOT PRODUCED ADEQUATE AIRLIFT CAPACITY, IN BEING, TO MEET OUR REQUIREMENTS, SHOULD WE HAVE TO MOVE ON THE DEFENSIVE IN EUROPE OR SOUTHEAST ASIA."

SCHILDHAUER SAID THE DEFICIENCY IN TRANSPORT PLANES "IS MORE THAN TWICE OUR ENTIRE PRESENT CIVILIAN AND MILITARY FLEETS COMBINED."

SO, HE SAID, HE IS STRONGLY IN FAVOR OF A BILL THAT WOULD SET UP A $100,000,000 (M) GOVERNMENT CORPORATION TO ASSIST IN DEVELOPING NEWER AND BETTER CARGO AND TRANSPORT PLANES.

THE SUBCOMMITTEE IS CONSIDERING AN ASSORTMENT OF BILLS THAT WOULD DIRECT THE GOVERNMENT TO ASSIST IN BRINGING OUT PROTOTYPE PLANES--THAT COULD BE USED AS MODELS FOR PRODUCTION.

JAMES G.RAY, WASHINGTON AIRLINE CONSULTANT, URGED EFFORTS TO FIND A REPLACEMENT FOR THE DC-3, A SMALL TRANSPORT DESIGNED IN THE EARLY THIRTIES. HE SAID IT NOW IS OBSOLETE.

RAY SAID DC-3'S FLEW NEARLY 44 PER CENT OF THE TOTAL MILEAGE MARKED UP LAST YEAR BY DOMESTIC CERTIFICATED AIRLINES. HE SAID AN AIRPLANE CAN BE BUILT NOW TO CARRY THE SAME LOAD AND OPERATE MUCH MORE CHEAPLY.

RAY SAID IT WOULD COST PERHAPS $7,500,000(M) TO DEVELOP A NEW AIRCRAFT, WHEREAS IT COSTS THE GOVERNMENT AN EXTRA $20,000,000 TO $30,000,000(M) A YEAR FOR MAIL HAULED IN DC-3'S. MAIL PAY, HE EXPLAINED, IS BASED ON OPERATING COSTS.

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A198WX
(200) AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD ROCKET
BY FRANCIS J.KELLY

MAY 13 1950

WASHINGTON,MAY 12-(AP)-A BIG ROCKET WHOOSHED UP FROM AN EXPERIMENTAL U.S.WARSHIP LAST NIGHT AND ROSE 106.4 MILES INTO THE AIR. THAT'S AS FAR AS FROM DENVER,COLO., TO CHEYENNE,WYO., OR FROM WASHINGTON, TO RICHMOND,VA.

ALTHOUGH THE ALTITUDE WAS LESS THAN HALF THE DISTANCE THAT MAN HAS PUNCHED UPWARD FROM HIS EARTH, IT SET A RECORD FOR AN AMERICAN-BUILT, SINGLE-STAGE ROCKET.

THE PROJECTILE IS CALLED A VIKING. IT IS ALMOST 50 FEET LONG AND 2 1/2 FEET THICK. IT WAS BUILT FOR THE NAVY BY THE GLENN L.MARTIN CO. OF BALTIMORE.

IT WAS FIRED IN MID-PACIFIC BY THE EXPERIMENTAL GUIDED MISSILE SHIP NORTON SOUND, NEAR CHRISTMAS ISLAND, SEVERAL HUNDRED MILES SOUTH OF HAWAII. THE DESTROYER OZBURN WAS ALONG TO HELP PHOTOGRAPH AND TRACK THE ROCKET.

THE ROCKET CARRIED INSTRUMENTS IN ITS NOSE TO CHECK ON COSMIC RAYS AT HIGH ALTITUDE. THOSE RAYS FROM OUTER SPACE ARE PARTICULARLY INTENSE AROUND THE EARTH'S EQUATOR, SITE OF THE EXPERIMENT.

THE PREVIOUS ALTITUDE RECORD FOR AN AMERICAN-BUILT SINGLE-STAGE ROCKET WAS 78 MILES, EQUIVALENT TO THE DISTANCE FROM WASHINGTON TO GETTYSBURG,PA. THAT PROJECTILE WAS AN AEROBEE, SMALLER THAN THE VIKING.

A GERMAN V-2 ROCKET FIRED AT WHITE SANDS,N.MEX., WENT UP 114 MILES (CLEVELAND TO TOLEDO). BUT A TWO-STAGE OR DOUBLE-HEADER AMERICAN BUILT MISSILE SET OFF FROM THE SAME TESTING GROUND LOOPED UP TO AN ALTITUDE OF MORE THAN 250 MILES (DETROIT TO BUFFALO).

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30.24- 11029

B38 (SEG)
(200)
NEW YORK, MAY 12-(AP)-SEN. BRIEN MC MAHON (D-CONN.) SAYS THE ATOMIC ARMS RACE PUTS PRESSURE ON THE UNITED STATES TO IMITIATE A TOTALITARIAN STATE.

MC MAHON, CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT CONGRESSIONAL ATOMIC ENERGY COMMITTEE, SPOKE LAST NIGHT AT A DINNER AT WHICH MRS. FRANKLIN D.ROOSEVELT RECEIVED THE ANNUAL FOUR FREEDOMS AWARD.

RENEWING HIS SENATE PROPOSAL OF FEB. 2 THAT THIS NATION SEEK TO NEUTRALIZE ATOMIC WEAPONS, HE SAID: "WITHOUT WORLD-WIDE CONTROL OF THE ATOM, OUR POSITION WILL BE EVEN WORSE THAN IF GERMANY HAD WON THE FIRST WORLD WAR OR THE SECOND WORLD WAR."

MC MAHON SAID THAT AS A BY-PRODUCT OF THE ATOMIC RACE THIS COUNTRY IS "PRESSURED TO IMITIATE THE TOTALITARIAN RIVAL."

"WE SEE A CLOAK OF SECRECY SHROUDING AN ENTIRE VAST FEDERAL PROJECT," HE SAID. "THIS SECRECY, WHICH IS A SUBTLE POISON IN THE WORKINGS OF A DEMOCRACY, IS SPREADING AND CAN HARDLY HELP BUT CONTINUE TO SPREAD AS THE ATOMIC DANGER WHICH JUSTIFIES IT ENLARGES AND INTENSIFIES."

MRS. ROOSEVELT WAS PRESENTED A SCROLL IN THE PRESENCE OF UNITED NATIONS REPRESENTATIVES AND OTHER NOTABLES. THE AWARD WAS BASED ON A NATION-WIDE POLL. VICE PRESIDENT ALBEN W.BARKLEY WAS LAST YEAR'S WINNER.

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NIGHT LEAD U.N.-WOMEN

LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 12-(AP)-A WOMAN TRADE UNION REPRESENTATIVE TOLD THE UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN TODAY THAT WOMEN MUST NOT PLACE TOO MUCH HOPE IN INTERNATIONAL CONVENTIONS AS A MEANS OF ERASING DISCRIMINATION AGAINST THEIR SEX.

IF WOMEN WANT TO IMPROVE THEIR STATUS, SHE SAID, THEY MUST DO IT THEMSELVES. NOBODY IS GOING TO GIVE THEM ANY RIGHTS THAT THEY DON'T WIN, SHE SAID.

THE SPEAKER WAS MISS TONY SENDER, REPRESENTATIVE OF THE INTERNATIONAL CONFEDERATION OF FREE TRADE UNIONS. SHE TOOK THE FLOOR AFTER HEARING SEVERAL DELEGATES ADVOCATE A CONVENTION PROVIDING FOR EQUAL PAY FOR EQUAL WORK REGARDLESS OF SEX.

THE ALL-WOMAN COMMISSION ALREADY HAS RECOMMENDED THAT THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL ARRANGE FOR THE DRAFTING OF A CONVENTION GIVING WOMEN THE SAME NATIONALITY RIGHTS AS MEN. IT ALSO HAS DIRECTED THE U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL TO HAVE ANOTHER CONVENTION PREPARED PROVIDING EQUAL POLITICAL RIGHTS FOR WOMEN.

MRS. OLIVE REMINGTON GODLAN, U.S. REPRESENTATIVE, SUPPORTED THE PRINCIPLE OF EQUAL PAY FOR EQUAL WORK, BUT SHE SUGGESTED THAT THE INTERNATIONAL LABOR ORGANIZATION (ILO) WAS BEST QUALIFIED TO DECIDE HOW THE PROBLEM SHOULD BE APPROACHED.

"EQUAL PAY FOR WOMEN CAN PROTECT EQUAL PAY FOR MEN," SHE SAID.

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LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 12-(AP)-DESPITE VIGOROUS UNITED STATES OBJECTIONS, THE UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN HAS ASKED U.N. EXPERTS TO DRAFT A CONVENTION PROVIDING EQUAL POLITICAL RIGHTS FOR WOMEN.

U.S. DELEGATE OLIVE REMINGTON GOLDMAN OPPOSED THE PROPOSAL ON THE GROUND THAT IT WOULD BE BETTER TO STICK TO THE PRESENT PROCEDURE OF CALLING ON ALL COUNTRIES FOR REPORTS OF PROGRESS IN WOMEN'S POLITICAL RIGHTS.

THE ISSUE WAS DISPOSED OF LATE YESTERDAY AFTER A SHARP DISCUSSION, WITH THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN LEADING THE OPPOSITION AND MEXICO AND LEBANON BACKING THE PROPOSED CONVENTION.

THE COMMISSION FINALLY ADOPTED A U.S. PROPOSAL CALLING FOR A CONTINUATION OF THE SECRETARY-GENERAL'S REPORTS ON PROGRESS AFTER APPROVING THE MODIFIED MEXICAN PROPOSAL ASKING THE SECRETARY-GENERAL TO HAVE A CONVENTION PREPARED.

UNDER AN AMENDMENT SUBMITTED BY AUSTRALIA, THE DRAFT CONVENTION WOULD BE LAID BEFORE THE COMMISSION AT ITS 1951 MEETING. MEXICO ORIGINALLY HAD PROPOSED THAT THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL BE ASKED TO PROVIDE FOR THE DRAFTING BY A SPECIAL COMMITTEE OF EXPERTS.

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THE AMENDED MEXICAN PROPOSAL WAS ADOPTED BY A VOTE OF 8 TO 1, WITH 3 ABSTENTIONS. BRITAIN CAST THE NEGATIVE VOTE. THE UNITED STATES, DENMARK AND GREECE ABSTAINED.

BOTH MRS. GOLDMAN AND MISS MARY SUTHERLAND, BRITISH DELEGATE, CONTENDED THAT A CONVENTION WOULD NOT HELP WOMEN OBTAIN POLITICAL RIGHTS SINCE SUCH RIGHTS MUST BE GIVEN BY THEIR OWN GOVERNMENTS. THEY POINTED OUT THAT ALL 59 MEMBERS OF THE U.N. HAD RATIFIED THE U.N. CHARTER AND ACCEPTED THE UNIVERSAL DECLARATION OF HUMAN RIGHTS, BUT THAT 22 COUNTRIES STILL HAVE NOT GRANTED THE POLITICAL RIGHTS GUARANTEED TO WOMEN IN THESE DOCUMENTS.

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LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 12-(AP)-MRS.FRANKLIN D.ROOSEVELT SAID TODAY THE DANGER OF WAR ALWAYS IS WITH US, BUT SHE DID NOT THINK SUCH DANGER SHOULD KEEP PEOPLE FROM DOING THINGS TO IMPROVE MUTUAL UNDERSTANDING.

MRS.ROOSEVELT, CHAIRMAN OF THE UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS, TOLD A GROUP OF VISITING LATIN AMERICAN EDITORS THAT IT IS NO USE FOR PEOPLE TO BE DOMINATED BY FEAR OF WAR. SHE SAID IF WAR COMES WE WILL HAVE TO FACE IT, BUT IN THE INTERESTS OF SELF-PRESERVATION EVERYONE SHOULD THINK BEFORE STARTING A SHOOTING WAR.

SHE SPOKE AT A NEWS CONFERENCE WITH THE EDITORS IN A U.N. CONFERENCE ROOM. IN KEEPING WITH THE PRACTICE OF THE UNITED STATES DELEGATION IN SUCH CIRCUMSTANCES, NO DIRECT QUOTATIONS WERE AUTHORIZED.

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LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 12-(AP)-CHARLES MALIK, LEBANON'S DELEGATE TO THE UNITED NATIONS, CALLED TODAY FOR EARLY COMPLETION OF PEACE TREATIES WITH GERMANY AND JAPAN. HE SAID THERE CAN BE NO EFFECTIVE WORLD ORGANIZATION WITHOUT THE CONTRIBUTION OF THE "IMMENSE GENIUS OF THE GERMAN, ITALIAN AND JAPANESE PEOPLES."

MALIK SPOKE TO MORE THAN 500 MAYORS AND THEIR WIVES ATTENDING THE UNITED STATES CONFERENCE OF MAYORS. THEY CAME TO LAKE SUCCESS FROM NEW YORK IN 15 BUSES FOR A QUICK LOOK AT THE U.N.

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NIGHT LEAD FOREIGN MINISTERS

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BY GLENN WILLIAMS

LONDON, MAY 13-(AP)-THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS ENDED A THREE-DAY COLD WAR COUNCIL TONIGHT CONFIDENT THE WEST CAN BUILD FREEDOM INTO A DYNAMIC FORCE THAT WILL SECURE DEFENSES AGAINST COMMUNISM AND WIN PROSPERITY AT THE SAME TIME.

THE WHOLE SICKLE-SHAPED REALM OF STRUGGLE RINGING THE RUSSIAN-LED COMMUNIST WORLD WAS THE FIELD OF THEIR DISCUSSIONS.

"THE MINISTERS AGREED UPON THE MAIN LINES OF THEIR POLICY IN ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD," SAID A COMMUNIQUE--THE FIFTH AND LONGEST SINCE SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON, BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN BEGAN THEIR DELIBERATIONS.

THEY EXPRESSED DETERMINATION TO FIGHT "COMMUNIST IMPERIALISM" IN SOUTHEAST ASIA WITH FIRM ENCOURAGEMENT AND SUPPORT FOR NEW INDEPENDENT STATES THERE.

THE THREE MINISTERS DECIDED TO SET UP A COMMITTEE OF EXPERTS TO CONSULT WITH OTHER INTERESTED GOVERNMENTS, PARTICULARLY GERMANY AND ITALY, ON INCREASING MIGRATION FROM OVERCROWDED EUROPE.

THEY DECLARED THEMSELVES BASICALLY IN AGREEMENT ON THE IMPORTANCE OF THE "POLITICAL DEVELOPMENT OF THE PEOPLES OF AFRICA" AND THE IMPROVEMENT OF THEIR ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL CONDITIONS.

THE DESIRE FOR AN EARLY TREATY OF PEACE AND INDEPENDENCE FOR AUSTRIA WAS REAFFIRMED.

AND FINALLY, THREE DEIPLOMATIC CHIEFS AGREED TO MEET AGAIN IN NEW YORK BEFORE THE NEXT MEETING OF THE UNITED NATIONS IN SEPTEMBER.

NO SPECTACULAR CHANGES IN POLICY WERE DISCLOSED. NONE HAD BEEN EXPECTED. IN GENERAL, MORE AND BETTER APPLICATION OF OLD POLICIES APPEARED TO BE THE GENERAL DECISION.

THE COMMUNIQUE SUMMED IT UP BY SAYING THE THREE MINISTERS BELIEVE "A CLOSER COORDINATION IN THE EMPLOYMENT OF THEIR JOINT RESOURCES" WILL ACHIEVE THE PURPOSE OF "REDUCING THE RISKS OF WAR AND ESTABLISHING THE CONDITIONS OF A LASTING PEACE."

THIS COORDINATION BY THE THREE WESTERN POWERS IS NEEDED, THE COMMUNIQUE ADDED, "TO UNDERPIN THEIR ECONOMICS IN SUCH A MANNER AS TO PERMIT THE FULL MAINTENANCE OF THEIR SOCIAL AND MATERIAL STANDARDS AS WELL AS THE ADEQUATE DEVELOPMENT OF THE NECESSARY DEFENSE MEASURES.

"THE MINISTERS ARE CONFIDENT THAT THE PEOPLES OF THE FREE WORLD, WHO COMMAND BY FAR THE GREATER PART OF THE INDUSTRIAL AND TECHNICAL RESOURCES OF MANKIND, CAN ACHIEVE BOTH OF THESE AIMS."

TO CONTEND WITH THE THREAT OF COMMUNISM TO STATES IN SOUTHEAST ASIA, THE MINISTERS DECIDED ON THREE POLICIES:

1. COORDINATION OF EFFORTS TO HALT ARMS SMUGGLING TO SUCH GUERRILLA LEADERS AS HO CHI MINH IN INDOCHINA, THE CHINESE BAND LEADERS IN MALAYA, AND THE REBEL GROUPS IN BURMA.

2. TAKE EVERY OPPORTUNITY TO EXPOSE THE AIMS OF "COMMUNIST IMPERIALISM" WHICH SEEKS TO ADVANCE ITS AIMS BY APPEALING TO NATIONALIS OF THE PEOPLE.

3. ENCOURAGE THE GOVERNMENTS IN THE AREA TO COLLABORATE ON NEW MEASU OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT TO RAISE THE GENERAL STANDARD OF LIVING.

THE BRITISH EXPRESSED CONFIDENCE THEY CAN SAVE MALAYA AND ITS RICH RUBBER AND TIN RESOURCES FROM COMMUNISM, IT WAS REPORTED. COLONIAL MINISTER JAMES GRIFFITHS AND WAR MINISTER JOHN STRACHEY ARE FLYING THERE SOON.

WHEN THE SOUTHEAST ASIA DISCUSSIONS TURNED TO INDONESIA, THE MINISTERS CALLED IN DUTCH FOREIGN MINISTER DIRK STIKKER.

THE MINISTERS. WHO YESTERDAY ANNOUNCED THEIR DETERMINATION TO HOLD TIGHTLY TO BERLIN AND TRY TO WELD WEST GERMANY FIRMLY INTO THE WESTERN FAMILY OF NATIONS, PROMISED A NEW DECLARATION ON THE GENERAL SUBJECT OF GERMANY. IT WILL BE PUBLISHED TOMORROW, AND IS BELIEVED TO INVOLVE SEVERAL DECISIONS.

THE DECLARATION WAS BEING COMMUNICATED TO THE WEST GERMAN GOVERNMENT AT BONN TONIGHT.

THE BIGGEST SENSATION OF THE MEETING WAS THE DRAMATIC INTRODUCTION OF FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER SCHUMAN' PROPOSAL TO INTEGRATE THE COAL AND STEEL INDUSTRIES OF FRANCE AND GERMANY UNDER AN INTERNATIONAL AUTHORITY AS A BASIS FOR EUROPE'S ECONOMIC ADVANCEMENT.

THE BIG THREE EXAMINED IT. BEVIN AND ACHESON EXPRESSED SYMPATHY FOR ITS PURPOSES BUT WANTED MORE TIME TO EXAMINE THE DETAILS AND IMPLICATIONS. BEVIN WAS UNDERSTOOD TO HAVE POSED SEVERAL SHARP QUESTIONS CONCERNING IT.

SOURCES CLOSE TO THE MINISTERS SAID THE GENERAL IDEA OF KEEPING UP ECONOMIC ASSOCIATIONS AFTER MARSHALL AID ENDS IN 1952 WERE AGREED ON, BUT NO SPECIFIC IDEAS FOR NEW ORGANIZATIONS TO CARRY ON WERE DISCUSSED.

A WESTERN PROPAGANDA DRIVE, WITH MORE FORCE AND DIRECTION, MAY HAVE BEEN FORESHADOWED BY THE COMMUNIQUE.

IT DECLARED A "CAMPAIGN OF MISREPRESENTATION" IS BEING WAGED BY THE "ONLY MILITARISTIC AND AGGRESSIVE POWER IN THE WORLD." AND ADDED:

"FAITH IN FREEDOM SHOULD NOT BE TAKEN FOR GRANTED, BUT SHOULD BE BUILT INTO A DYNAMIC FORCE, AND STEPS SHOULD BE TAKEN TO INCREASE PUBLIC UNDERSTANDING OF THE EXACT NATURE, METHODS AND DANGERS OF THE THREAT TO ITS EXISTENCE."

IT WAS UNDERSTOOD THAT THE MINISTERS HAD BEFORE THEM AN ESTIMATE THAT WESTERN TECHNICAL AND INDUSTRIAL STRENGTH IF FIVE TO SEVEN TIMES AS GREAT AS THAT OF RUSSIA AND HER SATELLITES.

COMMUNIST STRENGTH ALONG THESE LINES, AS WELL AS MILITARILY, IS EXPANDING, HOWEVER. U.S. STATE AND DEFENSE DEPARTMENT ESTIMATES RECENTLY SAID RUSSIA MIGHT BE IN A POSITION IN FOUR YEARS TO OVERWHELM THE UNITED STATES MILITARILY.

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THE MINISTERS BARELY MENTIONED CHINA IN THEIR DISCUSSIONS, BUT INTEND TO HAVE A TALK ABOUT IT BEFORE THE U.N. MEETING IN SEPTEMBER. RUSSIA IS NOW BOYCOTTING THE U.N. BECAUSE CHINESE NATIONALISTS INSTEAD OF COMMUNISTS ARE REPRESENTED IN THE WORLD ORGANIZATION.

THE MIDDLE EAST WAS TOUCHED UPON IN THE TALKS, BUT THE MINISTERS DECIDED NO URGENT ACTION WAS NEEDED THERE.

THE MINISTERS URGED COOPERATION IN AFRICA AMONG THE UNITED STATES, FRANCE, BRITAIN AND OTHER EUROPEAN POWERS WITH INTERESTS THERE IN ORDER TO IMPROVE POLITICAL, ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL CONDITIONS. A FEW AMERICAN TECHNICIANS ALREADY ARE HELPING THE VARIOUS GOVERNMENTS WITH SURVEYS.

A SPECIAL COMMUNIQUE ON THE MIGRATION PROBLEM SAID THE EXCESS OF POPULATION IN EUROPE WAS "ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT ELEMENTS IN THE DIFFICULTIES AND DISEQUILIBRIUM OF THE WORLD."

IT CITED WORK IN ENCOURAGING EMIGRATION BY THE INTERNATIONAL LABOR ORGANIZATION, SPECIALIZED U.N. AGENCIES AND THE ORGANIZATION FOR EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COOPERATION AND SAID A SYSTEMATIC EXPLORATION OF THE POSSIBILITIES OF "GREATER POPULATION MOBILITY" COULD HAVE SIGNIFICANT RESULTS. THE COMMITTEE OF EXPERTS TO BE NAMED BY THE FOREIGN MINISTERS IS TO MAKE A GENERAL REVIEW OF THE PROBLEM.

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LONDON, MAY 13-(AP)-THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS EXPRESSED TODAY THEIR FIRM INTENTION OF ENCOURAGING AND SUPPORTING GOVERNMENTS IN SOUTHEAST ASIA WHICH OPPOSE "THE ADVANCE OF COMMUNIST IMPERIALISM."

THE FOREIGN MINISTERS IN TWO COMMUNIQUES ALSO SET UP A SPECIAL COMMITTEE OF EXPERTS TO STUDY THE PROBLEM OF INCREASING THE MIGRATION FROM OVERCROWDED COUNTRIES IN EUROPE, "PARTICULARLY ITALY AND GERMANY, IN VIEW OF THEIR MAJOR INTERESTS IN THE PROBLEM."

THE MAIN COMMUNIQUE SAID "THE THREE GOVERNMENTS ARE BASICALLY IN AGREEMENT AS TO THE IMPORTANCE OF THE POLITICAL DEVELOPMENT OF THE PEOPLES OF AFRICA AND THE ACHIEVEMENT OF IMPROVED ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL CONDITIONS."

THE MINISTERS SAID A SPECIAL DECLARATION ON GERMAN POLICY WAS BEING COMMUNICATED TO THE GERMAN FEDERAL GOVERNMENT AND WOULD BE RELEASED PUBLICLY IN MONDAY MORNING NEWSPAPERS.

THE MINISTERS, WHILE CLOSING THEIR FORMAL BIG THREE CONFERENCE, SAID THEY WOULD HAVE A FURTHER EXCHANGE OF VIEWS ON THE AUSTRIAN INDEPENDENCE TREATY IN THE NEXT FEW DAYS.

THEY DECIDED TO MEET AGAIN IN NEW YORK BEFORE THE NEXT MEETING OF THE UNITED NATIONS.

IN ADDITION TO THIS WIDE RANGE OF SUBJECTS, THE MINISTERS ALSO REAFFIRMED THEIR DESIRE FOR AN AUSTRIAN INDEPENDENCE TREATY.

THEIR COMMUNIQUE SUMMED IT UP:

"THE MINISTERS AGREED UPON THE MAIN L[illegible] OF THEIR POLICY IN ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD."

THEY NOTED THAT IT WAS NECESSARY, "IN [illegible] FACE OF THE CALCULATED CAMPAIGN OF MISREPRESENTATION OF OUR PUR[illegible] AND POLICIES CONDUCTED BY THE ONLY MILITARISTIC AND AGGRESSIVE [illegible] IN THE WORLD" (RUSSIA), TO RESTATE THAT "THE STRENGTH OF THE FR[illegible]RLD WILL NEVER BE USED FOR AGGRESSIVE PURPOSES."

IN THEIR FINAL DAY OF CONFERENCES BEFORE THE MEETING OF ATLANTIC PACT FOREIGN MINISTERS, THE DIPLOMATS--DEAN ACHESON OF THE UNITED STATES, ERNEST BEVIN OF GREAT BRITAIN AND ROBERT SCHUMAN OF FRANCE -- DROPPED THE PROBLEMS OF THE GERMANS AND EUROPE TEMPORARILY TO TAKE UP EASTERN AFFAIRS.

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OFFICIALS OF THE CONFERENCE SAID THE MINISTERS FELT "FAR EAST PROBLEMS ARE URGENT AND DEFINITE DECISIONS ARE NEEDED AND MUST BE TAKEN QUICKLY."

IT WAS EXPECTED THAT COMMUNIQUES TO BE ISSUED LATER TODAY WOULD LAY DOWN GENERAL POLICIES FOR FUTURE BIG THREE MOVES IN EUROPE, BUT MIGHT BE MORE PRECISE AND DECISIVE ON FAR EASTERN PROBLEMS, PARTICULARLY INDOCHINA.

IT WAS CONSIDERED POSSIBLE THAT THE UNITED STATES MIGHT AID ANTI-COMMUNIST FORCES IN BURMA AS WELL AS INDOCHINA.

IT WAS UNLIKELY ANYTHING WOULD BE DONE ON THE CHINA QUESTION SINCE GREAT BRITAIN HAS RECOGNIZED THE COMMUNIST REGIME AND FRANCE AND THE UNITED STATES HAS NOT.

ANOTHER QUESTION EXPECTED TO COME UP WAS THE JAPANESE PEACE TREATY.

MIDDLE EAST PROBLEMS TO BE CONSIDERED WERE MAINLY ECONOMIC, RATHER THAN MILITARY. THE UNITED STATES REPORTEDLY FEELS CONSIDERABLE CONCERN FOR EXAMPLE, ABOUT STRENGTHENING THE ECONOMIC POSITION OF IRAN'S GOVERNMENT.

WHILE THE MINISTERS CONSIDERED EASTERN SUBJECTS, GERMAN EXPERTS OF THE THREE DELEGATIONS CONFERRED ON EFFECTING POLICIES AGREED UPON YESTERDAY BY THE FOREIGN MINISTERS.

THE MINISTERS FORMALIZED AN AGREEMENT ON FULL INCORPORATION OF WEST GERMANY INTO THE WESTERN EUROPEAN FAMILY. THIS LEFT THE PROBLEMS OF EXACTLY HOW TO DO IT AND HOW FAST.

IT WAS LEFT UP TO THE OCCUPATION POWERS' HIGH COMMISSIONERS AND THEIR AIDES TO WORK OUT DEFINITE DETAILS ON METHODS. THE COMMISSIONERS WILL REPORT TO THE MINISTERS AGAIN LATER TODAY.

IT WAS LIKELY THAT MOST DECISIONS ON GERMANY WOULD NOT BE MADE PUBLIC, BUT WOULD BE LEFT TO THE HIGH COMMISSIONERS TO COMMUNICATE TO CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER'S GOVERNMENT IN BONN.

BEFORE THE CONFERENCE OPENED THIS MORNING, ITALIAN FOREIGN MINISTER COUNT CARLO SFORZA CONFERRED WITH BEVIN FOR A HALF HOUR. IT WAS BELIEVED HE BROUGHT UP THE PROBLEM OF TRIESTE AND ITALIAN-YUGOSLAV RELATIONS.

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ACHESON HAD MADE THE GERMAN PLAN ONE OF HIS TOP PROJECTS FOR THE MEETING WHICH HAS REVIEWED THE PROGRESS MADE BY THE ANTI-COMMUNIST WORLD IN ECONOMIC. POLITICAL AND MILITARY SPHERES.

THE FRENCH, WHO BROUGHT TWO DRAMATIC SURPRISE PROPOSALS TO THE CONFERENCE, HAVE HAD ONE TURNED DOWN AND THE INTENTIONS OF THE OTHER APPROVED.

ALTHOUGH NO OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT HAS BEEN MADE, IT WAS LEARNED FROM AN INFORMED SOURCE THAT SCHUMAN BROUGHT UP PREMIER GEORGES BIDAULT'S PROPOSAL FOR A "SUPREME ATLANTIC COUNCIL FOR PEACE."

BRITAIN AND THE UNITED STATES TURNED THUMBS DOWN ON THE PLAN BECAUSE IT WOULD SUPERIMPOSE ANOTHER ORGANIZATION ON THE MANY ALREADY LINKING THE NATIONS OF WESTERN EUROPE, AN INFORMED SOURCE SAID.

THIS INFORMANT SAID BEVIN AND ACHESON FELT THE NEW ORGANIZATION WOULD ONLY COMPLICATE THE INTERNATIONAL SCENE.

THE SCHUMAN PLAN FOR POOLING THE COAL AND STEEL RESOURCES OF FRANCE AND GERMANY UNDER INTERNATIONAL AUTHORITY, WHICH OTHER NATIONS WOULD BE INVITED TO JOIN, WON GUARDED APPROVAL IN PRINCIPLE, A WESTERN SPOKESMAN SAID.

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THE SPOKESMAN SAID THE MINISTERS COULD NOT TAKE ANY DEFINITE STAND ON THE PLAN, HOWEVER, UNTIL ALL THE DETAILS WERE SURVEYED.

SCHUMAN WILL DISCUSS THE DETAILS OF HIS PROPOSAL WITH THE THREE ALLIED HIGH COMMISSIONERS FOR GERMANY ON SUNDAY, A FRENCH INFORMANT SAID.

OTHER VIEWS ON THE SCHUMAN PLAN ARE EXPECTED TO BE GIVEN WHEN THE BIG THREE MEET WITH THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF BELGIUM, THE NETHERLANDS AND LUXEMBOURG TO DISCUSS QUESTIONS RELATING TO THOSE COUNTRIES AND GERMANY.

THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS ISSUED TWO FORMAL STATEMENTS ON GERMANY. ONE REAFFIRMED THEIR INTENTION TO STAY IN BERLIN AND TO SEEK FREE ELECTIONS IN THE CITY SO THAT IT "MAY TAKE ITS DUE PLACE IN A FREE AND UNITED GERMANY."

THE OTHER ACCUSED RUSSIA OF "GRAVE DISREGARD FOR HUMAN RIGHTS," CHARGING SHE HAD FAILED TO RETURN ALL GERMANS AND JAPANESE TAKEN PRISONERS OF WAR BY SOVIET TROOPS.

THE CHOICE OF THE PHRASE "HUMAN RIGHTS" WAS AN INDICATION THE WESTERN POWERS MIGHT BRING THE QUESTION UP AT THE NEXT UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY, CHARGING RUSSIA WITH VIOLATING THE U.N. APPROVED DECLARATION ON HUMAN RIGHTS.

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LONDON, MAY 13-(AP)-DEAN ACHESON, U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE, AND MRS. ACHESON HURRIED TO THE THEATER TONIGHT, ONLY A FEW MINUTES AFTER HE HAD WOUND UP THE LAST SESSION OF A BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS' CONFERENCE.

THEY SAW A PLAY IN VERSE BY CHRISTOPHER FRY, BRITISH PLAYWRIGHT, CALLED "VENUS OBSERVED." IT IS A STORY OF AN OLD MAN AND HIS SON WHO ARE BOTH IN LOVE WITH THE SAME GIRL.

THE ACHESONS WERE ACCOMPANIED TO THE PLAY BY AMBASSADOR AND MRS. LEWIS W. DOUGLAS. THEY VISITED THE STAR OF THE SHOW, SIR LAWRENCE OLIVIER, IN HIS DRESSING ROOM.

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LONDON, MAY 13-(AP)-TWO LONDON NEWSPAPERS SPECULATED TONIGHT THAT GEN. OMAR N. BRADLEY, CHAIRMAN OF THE U.S. JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF, MAY HEAD THE NEW SUPREME WESTERN DEFENSE COMMAND.

AMERICAN, BRITISH AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTERS, WHO HAVE JUST CONCLUDED A THREE-DAY CONFERENCE HERE ON WESTERN AIMS IN THE COLD WAR, WERE NOT AVAILABLE FOR COMMENT. THEIR COMMUNIQUE TONIGHT DID NOT MENTION THE SUPREME DEFENSE COMMAND. THE BRITISH FOREIGN OFFICE DECLINED TO CONFIRM OR DENY THE NEWSPAPERS' SPECULATIONS.

A DIPLOMATIC CORRESPONDENT FOR THE SUNDAY DISPATCH WROTE:

"A NEW SUPREME DEFENSE COMMAND WILL BE CREATED. AT ITS HEAD WILL BE U.S. GEN. OMAR BRADLEY."

THIS CORRESPONDENT ADDED THAT FIELD MARSHAL LORD MONTGOMERY, NOW CHAIRMAN OF THE BRUSSELS TREATY DEFENSE GROUP, WILL LEAVE HIS HEADQUARTERS AT FONTAINEBLEU, NEAR PARIS, AND RETURN TO LONDON IN ANTICIPATION OF BEING SUPERSEDED BY BRADLEY.

BOTH THE DISPATCH AND THE SUNDAY CHRONICLE REPORTED THAT BRITISH DEFENSE MINISTER EMMANUEL SHINWELL HAD FLOWN TO PARIS YESTERDAY TO DISCUSS THE NEW PLANS WITH FRENCH DEFENSE MINISTER RENE PLEVIN. ON HIS RETURN TONIGHT, SHINWELL SAID HIS VISIT HAD BEEN IN CONNECTION WITH THE ATLANTIC DEFENSE PACT CONFERENCE OPENING NEXT WEEK.

THE CHRONICLE PREDICTED THAT BRADLEY WILL BECOME "VIRTUALLY SUPREME COMMANDER OF THE ATLANTIC ALLIES."

THE SUNDAY TIMES' DIPLOMATIC CORRESPONDENT SPOKE OF A "PROPOSAL TO APPOINT A THREE-MAN COMMITTEE TO INTEGRATE DEFENSE MEASURES NOW BEING CARRIED OUT BY THE VARIOUS GEOGRAPHICAL SUBDIVISIONS OF THE (NORTH ATLANTIC) TREATY AREA AND TO APPOINT AS CHAIRMAN OF THIS COMMITTEE A SUPREME AND TESTED FIGURE OF THE STATURE OF GEN.EISENHOWER, WHOSE NAME SEEMS TO HAVE BEEN UNDER DISCUSSION."

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LONDON, MAY 13-(AP)-BRITISH COMMONWEALTH OFFICIALS NEGOTIATING TO ARRIVE AT AGREED POLICIES ON A JAPANESE PEACE TREATY SPEEDED THEIR WORK TODAY, HOPING TO COMPLETE A COMPREHENSIVE PLAN SOME TIME NEXT WEEK.

IT WAS UNDERSTOOD THAT ALL PHASES OF JAPAN'S FUTURE POSITION WERE UNDER CONSTRUCTION AND THAT MUCH ATTENTION WAS BEING DEVOTED TO THE BROAD ECONOMIC QUESTIONS CONFRONTING THE WHOLE PACIFIC REGION.

IT WAS EMPHASIZED THAT THE STUDIES BEING MADE WOULD NOT IMMEDIATELY BECOME HARD AND FAST COMMONWEALTH POLICIES. REPORTS, WHICH PROBABLY WILL NOT BE MADE PUBLIC IMMEDIATELY, WILL BE IN THE FORM OF RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE HIGH COMMISSIONERS OF THE COMMONWEALTH NATIONS.

THE HIGH COMMISSIONERS, WHILE PARTICIPATING IN THE OPENING OF THE CONFERENCE, WERE NOT FOLLOWING THE DETAILED WORK OF THE NUMEROUS EXPERTS BUT WERE KEEPING IN GENERAL TOUCH WITH THE BROAD PROGRESS OF THE NEGOTIATORS.

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LONDON, MAY 13-(AP)-EIGHTEEN MILLION OUT OF THE 20 MILLION PEOPLE OF VIETNAM, PART OF INDOCHINA, "NOW LIVE ON LIBERATED TERRITORY," MOSCOW RADIO SAID TODAY.

"LIBERATED TERRITORY," IN THE SOVIET VIEW, IS THAT HELD BY PRESIDENT HO CHI MINH'S VIETNAM GOVERNMENT, WHICH OPPOSES A FRENCH-SPONSORED GOVERNMENT OF THE SAME NAME.

THE MOSCOW BROADCAST, HEARD IN LONDON, SAID ONLY COASTAL CITIES OF VIETNAM WITH A TOTAL POPULATION OF 2,000,000 "ARE STILL IN THE HANDS OF THE FRENCH COLONIZERS WHO SEIZED THEM BY FORCE."

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COAL-STEEL

BY PRESTON GROVER.

PARIS, MAY 13-(AP)-FRANCE'S PROPOSAL TO PUT HER OWN COAL AND STEEL UNDER A JOINT MANAGEMENT WITH WEST GERMANY'S HAS CHANGED THE POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC PICTURE IN EUROPE RADICALLY---AND EVIDENTLY FOR THE BETTER.

WEST GERMANY'S CHANCELLOR, KONRAD ADENAUER, PLEDGED IN A POLITICAL SPEECH AT DORTMUND TONIGHT THAT THE GERMANS WILL COOPERATE "WITH ALL OUR STRENGTH AND AS FAST AS POSSIBLE." HE SAID FRENCH AND GERMAN TECHNICIANS WILL MEET SOON TO DISCUSS TECHNICAL DETAILS OF THE PROPOSAL.

IT HAS EASED THE DISPUTES BETWEEN FRANCE AND WEST GERMANY OVER THE SAAR COAL BASIN. NOW THEY CAN JOIN IN ASKING THAT NEITHER BRITAIN NOR THE UNITED STATES GET IN THE WAY OF AN ARRANGEMENT THE SPONSORS REGARD AS RICH WITH PROMISE.

FOR BOTH WEST GERMANY AND FRANCE, IT OFFERS MUTUAL AID IN SOLVING UNEMPLOYMENT AND RECONSTRUCTION PROBLEMS.

IF THE PLAN WORKS AS FRANCE HOPES, BOTH WEST GERMANY AND FRANCE WILL BE SEEKING A LARGER SHARE OF WORLD MARKETS, AIDED BY LOWER PRICES. FRANCE HOPES BRITAIN AND OTHER NATIONS WILL COME INTO THE PROGRAM.

THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT FEELS IT HAS MADE A BUSINESSMAN'S APPROACH TO UNIFICATION OF EUROPE WHERE THE POLITICAL APPROACH HAD BOGGED DOWN.

WHEN ROBERT SCHUMAN, FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER, FIRST MADE KNOWN THE PROPOSAL AT A NEWS CONFERENCE TUESDAY THERE WAS A WIDESPREAD ASSUMPTION THAT IT WAS AT LEAST 50 PER CENT INTENDED FOR POLITICAL EFFECT ON THE EVE OF THE MEETING OF THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS IN LONDON. IT HAS DEVELOPED SINCE THAT THIS PROBABLY WAS NOT SO.

THE PROPOSAL WAS NOT HATCHED IN SCHUMAN'S FOREIGN OFFICE, BUT FIVE BLOCKS AWAY IN THE ORGANIZATION CREATED AFTER THE WAR FOR "MODERNIZATION AND EQUIPMENT OF FRANCE." THIS ORGANIZATION IS HEADED BY JEAN MONNET. IT DOES LONG RANGE INDUSTRIAL AND RECOVERY PLANNING.

THIS FACT MAKES IT NECESSARY TO LOOK AT THE THING MORE FROM AN

INDUSTRIAL AND ECONOMIC STANDPOINT THAN FROM A DIPLOMATIC STANDPOINT.
THE MEN WHO FRAMED IT SUPPORT SCHUMAN STRONGLY IN HIS INSISTENCE THAT IT IS NOT JUST A NEW TYPE OF CARTEL, UNDER WHICH PRICES WOULD BE KEPT HIGH AND MARKET TERRITORY APPORTIONED SECRETLY BY A LITTLE CLUSTER OF INDUSTRIALISTS. THEY ARE TRYING HARD TO PREVENT THE NAME OF CARTEL BEING EVEN ASSOCIATED WITH IT. CARTEL IS A BAD WORD IN AMERICA.
HERE IS ONE PHASE OF THE SITUATION WITH WHICH IT IS PROPOSED TO DEAL: AT PRESENT, WEST GERMANY SELLS HER GOOD COKING COAL TO GERMAN STEEL PLANTS AT A PRICE 50 PER CENT UNDER THE PRICE SHE CHARGES TO FOREIGN BUYERS. THAT AMOUNTS TO A SUBSIDY FOR GERMAN STEEL. FRANCE BUYS MUCH OF HER COKING COAL FROM WEST GERMANY. THERE IS VERY LITTLE IN FRANCE.

IN TURN, FRANCE SELLS CONSIDERABLE IRON ORE TO WEST GERMANY. SHE CHARGES ABOUT 50 PER CENT MORE FOR THE ORE THAN SHE CHARGES FRENCH MILLS. IT IS THE AGE-OLD MOVEMENT OF COAL FROM THE RUHR AND ORE FROM LORRAINE ABOUT WHICH WARS HAVE BEEN FOUGHT.
UNDER THE PROPOSED AGREEMENT, FRANCE AND WEST GERMANY WOULD CUT OUT THE SPECIAL CHARGES TO FOREIGN BUYERS. FRANCE WOULD GET CHEAPER COAL, WEST GERMANY CHEAPER ORE. IT WOULD ALLOW BOTH TO LOWER THE PRICES OF STEEL.
THE SCOPE OF THE AGREEMENT IS EASY TO SEE WHEN PRODUCTION FIGURES ARE STOOD SIDE BY SIDE. WEST GERMANY AND FRANCE PRODUCE ALMOST AS MUCH STEEL AS THE REST OF WESTERN EUROPE AND BRITAIN PUT TOGETHER.
THE PRODUCTION FIGURES FOR 1949, PROVIDED BY ECA TABULATORS, ARE: FRANCE AND THE SAAR, 10,880,000 TONS; WEST GERMANY 9,152,000 TONS; BELGIUM AND LUXEMBOURG 6,121,000 TONS; BRITAIN 15,806,000 TONS.
JUST FOR COMPARISON, RUSSIA PRODUCES BETWEEN 21,000,000 AND 22,000,000 TONS, AND THE UNITED STATES MORE THAN 70,000,000.
FRANCE DOESN'T PLAN TO REDUCE STEEL PRICES ALL AT ONCE. THE PROCESS WILL BE GRADUAL, PERHAPS SPREAD OVER A COUPLE OF YEARS. THE REASON IS THAT FRANCE FOR A LONG TIME HAS BEEN PROTECTING A FLOCK OF INEFFICIENT, HIGH-COST PRODUCERS BY KEEPING PRICES HIGH.
IF PRICES WERE CUT ARBITRARILY, A NUMBER OF FRENCH MILLS WOULD BE FORCED TO STOP. NOW THE PLAN IS TO GIVE SUBSIDIES TO THE HIGH-COST PRODUCERS TO HELP THEM MODERNIZE. IF THEY CAN'T MODERNIZE, THEY WILL BE HELPED TO SWITCH INTO SOME OTHER TYPE OF PRODUCTION. BY THAT MEANS FRANCE HOPES TO AVOID THROWING A LOT OF MEN OUT OF WORK.
THE SHAKEDOWN WILL BE POLITICALLY DIFFICULT. SOME YELLS WILL GO UP TO THE FRENCH ASSEMBLY AND TO THE NEW GERMAN PARLIAMENT. IN EACH THE BALANCE OF VOTES IS SO DELICATE THAT A SWITCH OF ONE OR TWO VOTES COULD CAUSE A CABINET CRISIS.

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FOLLOW PARIS COAL-STEEL

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BY SYDNEY MIRKIN

LONDON, MAY 13-(AP)-DIPLOMATIC INFORMANTS AGREED TODAY BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN HAD POSED SEVERAL SERIOUS QUESTIONS ABOUT THE FRENCH PLAN FOR POOLING THE COAL AND STEEL OUTPUT OF FRANCE AND GERMANY.
THE INFORMANTS DIFFERED ON WHETHER THE QUESTIONS WERE ASKED FOR INFORMATION OR IN AN ATTEMPT TO SHOOT HOLES IN THE SCHEME.
THERE ALSO WAS A DIFFERENCE OF OPINION ABOUT WHETHER FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN WAS BEING SERIOUS OR SARCASTIC IN A STATEMENT HE WAS SAID TO HAVE MADE AFTER HEARING BEVIN'S QUESTIONS IN THE BIG THREE CONFERENCE YESTERDAY.
SCHUMAN IS REPORTED TO HAVE SAID HE ASSUMED THE QUESTIONS WERE ANIMATED BY THE SAME SYMPATHY WITH WHICH PRIME MINISTER CLEMENT ATTLEE HAD DESCRIBED THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT'S ATTITUDE TOWARD THE AIMS OF THE PLAN.
U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON, WHOSE INTEREST IN THE PLAN IS NOT AS DIRECT AS BEVIN'S SINCE THERE IS AS YET NO QUESTION OF JOINING U.S. RESOURCES IN THE POOL, DID NOT ASK ANY QUESTIONS.
AS PIECED TOGETHER FROM A VARIETY OF DIPLOMATS AND OFFICIAL SPOKESMEN:
BEVIN ASKED WHETHER THE INTERNATIONAL AUTHORITY WHICH WOULD CONTROL THE COMBINED OUTPUT OF FRANCE AND GERMANY, PLUS ANY OTHER WEST EUROPEAN NATION WHICH CARED TO JOIN, WOULD NOT BE SIMILAR TO THE PREWAR STEEL CARTEL.
SCHUMAN REPLIED THAT THIS AUTHORITY WOULD CONSIST OF MEMBER GOVERNMENTS, RATHER THAN INDIVIDUAL FIRMS, AND THE AIM WOULD BE TO INCREASE OUTPUT AND EFFICIENCY RATHER THAN TO RESTRICT THEM TO CONTROL PRICES AND PROFITS.
ANOTHER BEVIN QUESTION ALONG THE SAME LINE WAS WHETHER THE FRENCH PLAN MIGHT RESTRICT PRODUCTION AND THUS AFFECT THE LABOR GOVERNMENT'S POLICY OF FULL EMPLOYMENT.
SCHUMAN REPLIED THAT HE SAW THE PLAN AS A MEANS TO BOOST PRODUCTION AND INCREASE EMPLOYMENT.
BEVIN ALSO ASKED WHETHER TRADE UNIONS WOULD HAVE ANY VOICE IN DETERMINING THE POLICIES OF THE INTERNATIONAL AUTHORITY.
SCHUMAN'S ANSWER TO THIS, IF ANY, WAS NOT LEARNED.
MIXED REASONS ARE GOING TO MAKE UP THE BRITISH REACTION TO THE PLAN.
AMONG THEM IS THE STRICT SOCIALIST PLANNING OF THE LABOR GOVERNMENT, WHICH MIGHT BE UPSET BY SUBMITTING COAL AND STEEL PRODUCTION TO THE REGULATIONS OF AN INTERNATIONAL AUTHORITY.
ANOTHER IS THE INEFFICIENCY OF MANY BRITISH COAL MINES AND STEEL PLANTS. PRESUMABLY, INTERNATIONAL PRODUCTION WOULD ATTEMPT TO MAKE THE BEST USE OF THE MOST EFFICIENT PLANTS. THIS MIGHT CENTER PRODUCTION IN GERMANY, WHERE PLANT MODERNIZATION HAS BEEN CARRIED FURTHER THAN IN BRITAIN.
THE GREATEST PROBLEM CONFRONTING BRITAIN IS: EVEN IF WE DON'T LIKE THE PLAN, CAN WE AFFORD TO STAY OUT?
MOUNTING BRITISH PRODUCTION IS EXPECTED TO PROVIDE A SURPLUS FOR EXPORT SOON. BUT BRITAIN MIGHT NOT BE ABLE TO COMPETE WITH THE PRODUCTS OFFERED BY A FRENCH-GERMAN COMBINATION WHICH WOULD HAVE THE ADVANTAGE OF A SLIGHTLY CHEAPER LABOR FORCE AND MORE EFFICIENT PLANTS.

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COAL-STEEL

DORTMUND, GERMANY, MAY 13-(AP)-CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER SAID TONIGHT FRENCH AND WEST GERMAN EXPERTS WILL MEET IN THE NEAR FUTURE TO DISCUSS TECHNICAL DETAILS OF FRANCE'S PLAN FOR POOLING COAL AND STEEL PRODUCTION OF THE TWO COUNTRIES. HE INDORSES THE PLAN.
ADENAUER TOLD A RALLY OF HIS CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATIC PARTY THAT THE PROPOSAL, ADVANCED TUESDAY BY FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN, IS AN "HISTORICAL DEED."
"IT IS OUR TASK TO COLLABORATE," THE 73-YEAR-OLD GERMAN EXECUTIVE SAID. "WE WILL DO THIS WITH ALL OUR STRENGTH AND AS FAST AS POSSIBLE."

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BY JOSEPH E.DYNAN (160)
ST.JEAN-DE-LUZ, FRANCE, MAY 13-(AP)-INDALECIO PRIETO, ONETIME STRONG MAN OF THE SPANISH REPUBLIC AND CHIEF OF THE SPANISH SOCIALIST PARTY, WARNED THE WEST TODAY IT MAY CREATE A RUSSIAN FIFTH COLUMN IN SPAIN IF IT DOES BUSINESS WITH GENERALISSIMO FRANCISCO FRANCO.

THE 67-YEAR-OLD POLITICAL VETERAN, LIVING IN EXILE SINCE THE FALL OF THE REPUBLIC A DECADE AGO, PREDICTED IN AN INTERVIEW THAT CIVIL WAR WILL AGAIN ENGULF SPAIN UNLESS FRANCO AND HIS REGIME QUIT THE COUNTRY.

PRIETO, KNOWN AS A LEADER OF HIS PARTY'S RIGHT WING, ASSERTED RUSSIA WANTS FRANCO TO REMAIN IN POWER FOR THE TIME BEING TO MAINTAIN A TROUBLE SPOT IN THE WESTERN WORLD. HE EXPLAINED THIS DOES NOT MEAN SPANIARDS ARE TURNING TO COMMUNISM.

"THE SPANISH PEOPLE HATE FRANCO, AND SO THEY HATE THOSE WHO HELP FRANCO, AND THEY WILL TURN TO THOSE WHO HELP THEM OVERTHROW FRANCO," PRIETO SAID.

PRIETO CALLED ON THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE TO FOLLOW THROUGH ON THEIR JOINT STATEMENT OF MARCH, 1946, IN WHICH THE THREE NATIONS DECLARED THEMSELVES READY TO DEAL WITH A PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT, REFLECTING OPINIONS WHICH MIGHT REESTABLISH ESSENTIAL LIBERTIES.

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NIGHT LEAD MUELLER (380)
BY BRACK CURRY

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FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 13-(AP)-THE COMMUNIST EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT TODAY SOLVED THE MYSTERY OF THE DISAPPEARANCE OF KURT MUELLER, LONG THE NO. 2 COMMUNIST IN WEST GERMANY, BY ANNOUNCING HIS ARREST.

HIGH AMERICAN OFFICIAL EXPRESSED BELIEF THE ARREST SIGNALLED A SWEEPING NEW PURGE OF "TITOISTS" IN THE WEST GERMAN PARTY. THEY SAID THEY HAD INFORMATION THAT 31,000 MEMBERS OF THE PARTY HAVE DESERTED OR BEEN EXPELLED SINCE JUNE, 1949, CUTTING THE ROLL TO 185,000.

SOON AFTER THE BERLIN PRESS PRINTED THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE ARREST, HANNOVER POLICE DISCLOSED THAT A GIRL FRIEND OF MUELLER HAS BEEN MISSING TWO DAYS. HANNOVER POLICE DIRECTOR PAUL BRUNKE SAID HE WAS INVESTIGATING THE DISAPPEARANCE OF THE GIRL, HEDWIG FISCHER, AN EMPLOYE OF COMMUNIST PARTY HEADQUARTERS IN THAT CITY.

COMMUNIST AUTHORITIES DID NOT DISCLOSE HOW OR WHEN THEY ARRESTED THE 47-YEAR-OLD MUELLER. SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC PARTY OFFICIALS HERE SAID THEY BELIEVED HE HAD BEEN KIDNAPED AND SPIRITED INTO THE EASTERN ZONE.

SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC PARTY OFFICIALS IN FRANKFURT SAID THEY BELIEVED MUELLER, 47, WAS KIDNAPED AND SPIRITED INTO THE EASTERN ZONE. A SPOKESMAN FOR THE SOCIALIST UNITY (COMMUNIST) PARTY IN BERLIN DECLARED, HOWEVER, MUELLER WENT TO THAT CITY TO PLEAD HIS CASE WITH EAST ZONE LEADERS AND WAS ARRESTED FRIDAY NIGHT AFTER A CONFERENCE WITH A COMMUNIST DEPUTY CHANCELLOR, WALTER ULBRICHT.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID HE WAS CHARGED WITH BEING AN "AGENT FOR A FOREIGN POWER" AND COMMITTING "OTHER CRIMES."

MUELLER, DEPUTY CHAIRMAN OF THE WEST GERMAN COMMUNIST PARTY AND DIRECTOR OF ORGANIZATION, WAS EXPELLED FROM THE PARTY WEDNESDAY AND RESIGNED FROM THE WEST GERMAN PARLIAMENT BY LETTER THURSDAY.

MAX REIMANN, WHOSE OWN POSITION AS CHIEF OF THE PARTY IS REPORTED SHAKY, ACCUSED MUELLER OF LINKS WITH "HOSTILE AGENTS" AND ATTEMPTS TO SABOTAGE COMMUNISM.

HOW LONG MUELLER HAS BEEN IN THE HANDS OF RUSSIAN ZONE COMMUNISTS IS NOT KNOWN. GERMAN OFFICIALS AT BONN SAID HE LAST ATTENDED A PARLIAMENTARY SESSION MARCH 17 AND DREW HIS SALARY APRIL 27. SOME TIME AFTER THAT HE VANISHED.

THE OFFICIALS SAID HIS FALL FROM GRACE MAY HAVE RESULTED FROM A SECRET MEETING OF COMMUNIST LEADERS REPORTED HELD IN DUESSELDORF APRIL 10.

GERMAN PRESS REPORTS OF THAT MEETING SAID SOME COMMUNIST LEADERS DEMANDED THAT THE PARTY PURSUE A POLICY IN THE INTEREST OF THE GERMAN PEOPLE, RATHER THAN OF THE SOVIET UNION.

HIGH AMERICAN OFFICIALS SAID THEY WERE INFORMED A NEW WAVE OF RESENTMENT AGAINST RUSSIA IS SWEEPING THE PARTY AS A RESULT OF THE RECENT ANNOUNCEMENT THAT ALL GERMAN WAR PRISONERS HAVE BEEN RETURNED. GERMANS BELIEVE HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS STILL LANGUISH IN SOVIET CAMPS.

"MUELLER AS DEPUTY CHAIRMAN HAD BUILT UP A LARGE PERSONAL FOLLOWING IN THE PARTY," ONE OFFICIAL SAID. "MANY OF THESE CERTAINLY WILL GET THE AXE."

AT LEAST 50 PARTY LEADERS HAVE BEEN DISCARDED DURING THE LAST YEAR, AND AN EQUAL NUMBER SUSPENDED FROM THEIR POSITIONS OR DEMOTED.

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LONDON, MAY 13-(AP)-THE SUPREME SOVIET OF THE U.S.S.R., RUSSIA'S PARLIAMENT, WAS SUMMONED TODAY TO MEET JUNE 12, THE MOSCOW RADIO ANNOUNCED.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID THE LEGISLATIVE BODY WAS SUMMONED "ON THE STRENGTH OF ARTICLE 55 OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE U.S.S.R." THIS ARTICLE PROVIDES THAT THE OUTGOING PRESIDIUM OF THE SUPREME SOVIET, WHICH ACTS AS THE SUPREME STATE AUTHORITY WHEN ITS PARENT ORGANIZATION IS NOT MEETING, MUST CALL THE SUPREME SOVIET TOGETHER WITHIN THREE MONTHS AFTER NATIONAL ELECTIONS. RUSSIAN ELECTIONS WERE IN MID-MARCH.

THE SUPREME SOVIET CONSISTS OF TWO HOUSES, THE COUNCIL OF UNION, COMPOSED OF 682 MEMBERS, AND THE COUNCIL OF NATIONALITIES, WITH 657 MEMBERS.

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BERLIN, MAY 13-(AP)-THE COMMUNIST-DOMINATED EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT TODAY ANNOUNCED THE ARREST OF KURT MUELLER, WEST GERMANY'S NO.2 RED.

MUELLER WAS CHARGED WITH BEING AN "AGENT FOR A FOREIGN POWER" AND OF HAVING "COMMITTED OTHER CRIMES."

THE BRIEF ANNOUNCEMENT PRINTED IN THE BERLIN COMMUNIST PRESS DID NOT DISCLOSE WHERE THE ARREST TOOK PLACE.

WEST GERMANY'S COMMUNIST PARTY DISCLOSED YESTERDAY THAT IT HAD EXPELLED MUELLER. THE PARTY CHARGED HIM WITH SUSPICION OF TITOISM, "BETRAYAL OF THE PARTY IN THE MEANEST MANNER X X X CONSTANT CONNECTION WITH THE SECRET SERVICE OF A FOREIGN POWER X X X AND BRINGING HOSTILE ELEMENTS INTO THE PARTY AND PROMOTING THEM."

MUELLER EARLIER RESIGNED HIS SEAT IN THE WEST GERMAN PARLIAMENT FOR "PERSONAL REASONS."

THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF MUELLER'S ARREST BY THE EAST GERMAN MINISTRY OF STATE SECURITY WAS PRINTED INCONSPICUOUSLY BY "NEUES DEUTSCHLAND" ORGAN OF THE SOCIALIST UNITY (COMMUNIST) PARTY.

SOVIET ZONE AUTHORITIES HERE DID NOT REVEAL HOW THEY SEIZED MUELLER.

POLITICAL CIRCLES HERE SPECULATED THAT HE EITHER ANSWERED A SUMMONS TO THE RUSSIAN ZONE TO ANSWER THE CHARGES LEVELLED AGAINST HIM, OR THAT HE WAS KIDNAPPED.

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BERLIN, MAY 13-(AP)-THE OFFICIAL RUSSIAN NEWSPAPER HERE, IN ITS BITTEREST ATTACK AGAINST THE WEST IN MANY MONTHS, TODAY ACCUSED THE WESTERN ALLIES OF AIMING TO PROLONG THE OCCUPATION TO MAKE WEST GERMANY AN "ADVANCE BASE FOR A NEW WAR."

THE SOVIET BROADSIDE APPEARED TIMED AS A REBUFF TO THE ACTION OF THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS IN LONDON, WHO ARE INTEGRATING GERMANY WITH A UNITING WESTERN EUROPE.

THE RUSSIAN MOUTHPIECE, TAEGHLICHE RUNDSCHAU, SAID: "THE BRITISH, AMERICAN AND FRENCH IMPERIALIST OCCUPIERS DON'T WANT TO LEAVE GERMANY BECAUSE THEY ARE PLUNDERING IT." IT ADDED:

"A PROLONGED OCCUPATION OF GERMANY SERVES THE IMPERIALIST PURPOSE OF CONVERTING WEST GERMANY INTO AN ADVANCE BASE FOR A NEW WAR IN WHICH THEY AIM TO CHAIN EUROPE AND LEAD WEST GERMANY TO THE SLAUGHTER."

THE NEWSPAPER CLAIMED THE WESTERN POWERS OPPOSED SOVIET PROPOSALS FOR THE EARLY WITHDRAWAL OF OCCUPATION FORCES AND CONCLUSION OF A PEACE TREATY WITH GERMANY.

ANOTHER RUSSIAN-CONTROLLED NEWSPAPER, DER MORGEN, ACCUSED THE EVANGELICAL (PROTESTANT) CHURCH OF EXERTING A "DICTATORIAL" PRESSURE ON THE CONSCIENCE OF EAST GERMANS. THE PAPER IS THE ORGAN OF THE LIBERAL-DEMOCRATIC PARTY.

IT CHARGED THAT THE "SAME CHURCH LEADERS WHO WERE TOP RESISTANCE FIGHTERS AGAINST THE NAZIS ARE TODAY EXERTING A DICTATORIAL PRESSURE ON THE CONSCIENCE OF EAST GERMANS BY NOT TOLERATING ANY OTHER SPIRITUAL OUTLOOK THAN THEIR OWN."

THE PAPER QUOTED UNNAMED CHURCH SOURCES AS COMPLAINING THAT THEIR LEADERS SHOWED A "RATHER RELUCTANT ATTITUDE" TOWARD THE COMMUNIST NATIONAL FRONT ORGANIZATION.

"INSTEAD, THE CHURCH OUGHT TO BE GLAD THAT SUCH POLITICAL MOVEMENT'S CALL ON THE CHURCH FOR SUPPORT," THE ARTICLE SAID.

ONLY TWO WEEKS AGO BOTH EVANGELICAL AND ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH LEADERS PROTESTED SHARPLY TO THE SOVIET ZONE GOVERNMENT AGAINST "SPREADING MATERIALISTIC IDEOLOGY AND FORCING PASTORS TO JOIN COMMUNIST FRONT ORGANIZATIONS."

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BERLIN,MAY 13-(AP)-THE FOREIGN MINISTER OF EAST GERMANY'S COMMUNIST-CONTROLLED GOVERNMENT TONIGHT WARNED THE WEST GERMAN REPUBLIC NOT TO JOIN THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL LEST A CATASTROPHE BE BROUGHT ABOUT.

GEORG BERTINGER, A CHRISTIAN DEMOCRAT, TOLD A CONFERENCE OF PARTY OFFICIALS HERE THAT THE DIVISION OF GERMANY WOULD BE "FINALLY EXECUTED AND RATIFIED,UNDER STATE AS WELL AS INTERNATIONAL LAW," BY A BONN PARLIAMENT VOTE TO ENTER THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL.

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BARCELONA, SPAIN,MAY 13-(AP)-POLICE ANNOUNCED TONIGHT ARREST OF 13 MEMBERS OF A SPANISH UNDERGROUND MOVEMENT IN CATALONIA, NORTHEASTERN SPANISH PROVINCE.

AMONG THOSE ARRESTED WAS A MAN IDENTIFIED BY POLICE AS JOSE IGLESIAS PAZ, CHIEF OF THE GROUP AND NATIONAL DELEGATE OF CNT, AN OUTLAWED LABOR ORGANIZATION.

A LARGE QUANTITY OF EXPLOSIVES, ARMS AND AMMUNITIONS ALSO WERE REPORTED SEIZED.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID THE 13 HAD BEEN OPERATING UNDER ORDERS RECEIVED DIRECTLY FROM ANARCHIST HEADQUARTERS IN PARIS. THE GROUP IS CHARGED WITH COMMITTING SEVERAL HIGHWAY ROBBERIES AND ASSASSINATIONS IN THE BARCELONA AREA.

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GENEVA, MAY 13-(AP)-THE 67-NATION LEAGUE OF RED CROSS SOCIETIES FORMALLY REPORTED TODAY THAT IT HAD FAILED IN ITS 17-MONTH LONG EFFORTS TO ARRANGE THE REPATRIATION OF GREEK CHILDREN FROM COMMUNIST EASTERN EUROPE.

A RESOLUTION UNANIMOUSLY ADOPTED BY THE LEAGUE'S EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE SAID THE "MISSION OF THE RED CROSS CANNOT BE ACCOMPLISHED X X X UNLESS THE OBSTACLES OVER WHICH THE RED CROSS HAS NO CONTROL ARE REMOVED.

THE RESOLUTION LISTED THE VAIN EFFORTS MADE BY THE LEAGUE SINCE JANUARY, 1949, TO HAVE THE GREEK CHILDREN RETURNED TO THEIR HOMES.

"THE COMMITTEE REPORTS WITH DEEP REGRET," IT SAID, "THAT DESPITE THESE EFFORTS NO GREEK CHILD AS SO FAR RETURNED TO GREECE AND THAT EVEN ELEMENTARY INDICATIONS, INDISPENSABLE FOR THE SOLUTION OF THE PROBLEM, HAVE NOT BEEN FURNISHED BY THE GOVERNMENTS CONCERNED."

THE COMMITTEE SAID THE RED CROSS WAS PREPARED TO CONTINUE ITS EFFORTS TO REPATRIATE THE ESTIMATED 20,000 CHILDREN TO GREECE, BUT ADDED THAT "WITHOUT A GREATER SENSE OF SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY ON THE PART OF THE GOVERNMENTS CONCERNED, THE RED CROSS CANNOT FULFIL THE TASK PASSED ON TO IT" BY THE UNITED NATIONS.

THE COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN, BASIL O'CONNOR OF THE AMERICAN RED CROSS, TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THE YUGOSLAV RED CROSS HAD NOTIFIED THE LEAGUE IT WAS PREPARED TO "DO EVERYTHING POSSIBLE" TO SPEED THE RETURN OF THE CHILDREN TO THEIR PARENTS.

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"THIS IS A NEW FACTOR ON THE RED CROSS SIDE," O'CONNOR SAID, "BUT WE HAVE RECEIVED NO FURTHER ASSURANCE FROM THE YUGOSLAV GOVERNMENT."

O'CONNOR SAID THAT SOME 9,000 OF THE CHILDREN WERE IN YUGOSLAVIA, WHILE ABOUT 3,000 EACH WERE IN BULGARIA, ROMANIA, CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND HUNGARY. THE CHILDREN, NOW AGED BETWEEN FIVE AND 20, WERE REMOVED TO THESE COUNTRIES BY THE COMMUNIST REBELS DURING THE GREEK CIVIL WAR.

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COPENHAGEN, DENMARK, MAY 13-(AP)-THE 7,808-TON AMERICAN FREIGHTER MORMACWAVE ARRIVED TODAY AT AARHUS, JUTLAND PENINSULA PORT, WITH THE FIRST SHIPMENT OF AMERICAN ARMS AID FOR DENMARK.

ABOUT 50 COMMUNISTS DEMONSTRATING WITH POSTERS ON THE DOCKS TRIED IN VAIN TO PERSUADE DOCKWORKERS TO STRIKE. UNLOADING WAS COMPLETED WITHOUT DISTURBANCE.

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PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, MAY 13-(AP)-THE BRITISH CULTURAL AND INFORMATION SERVICES TODAY HAD THE SAME MARCHING ORDERS THAT THE CZECH GOVERNMENT GAVE TO THE U.S. INFORMATION SERVICES A MONTH AGO.

ACCUSING THE BRITISH OF CONTINUOUSLY VIOLATING A 1947 CULTURAL AGREEMENT BY SPREADING HOSTILE PROPAGANDA, THE CZECHS ORDERED THE AGENCIES TO CLOSE BY NOON TODAY.

THE BRITISH ALSO WERE ACCUSED OF EMPLOYING PERSONS INVOLVED IN ANTI-STATE ACTIVITIES. THE CZECH GOVERNMENT ORDERED CLOSURE OF BRITISH INFORMATION CENTERS IN PRAGUE AND BRATISLAVA AS WELL AS BRITISH COUNCIL OFFICES, SUPPLYING BOOKS AND LECTURES, IN PRAGUE, BRATISLAVA AND BRNO.

A GOVERNMENT NOTE TO THE BRITISH EMBASSY CHARGED THAT INFORMATION

SERVICE BULLETINS AND BBC BROADCASTS IN THE CZECH AND SLOVAK LANGUAGES HAD SPREAD HOSTILE PROPAGANDA. THE BRITISH COUNCIL, THE NOTE SAID, HAD BECOME "A TOOL OF THE INIMICAL ATTITUDE TOWARDS THE PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AND A CENTER OF ANTI-STATE ELEMENTS."

THE GOVERNMENT-ORDERED CLOSURE OF THE U.S. INFORMATION SERVICE OFFICES IN APRIL WAS FOLLOWED BY A DEMAND THAT THE U.S. DIPLOMATIC STAFF IN THE COUNTRY BE CUT BY TWO-THIRDS. THE FIRST CONTINGENT OF U.S. EMPLOYES MOVED OUT OF PRAGUE YESTERDAY IN RESPONSE TO THE ORDER.

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ATHENS, GREECE, MAY 13-(AP)-FOREIGN MINISTRY UNDER SECRETARY JOHN POLITIS SAID TODAY THE DETAILS OF YUGOSLAVIA'S PROPOSED RETURN OF ABDUCTED GREEK CHILDREN ARE "NOT SATISFACTORY" AT THIS TIME.

THE GREEKS CLAIM THERE ARE 12,000 CHILDREN IN YUGOSLAVIA WHO WERE ABDUCTED DURING THE RECENT CIVIL WAR. OFFICIAL YUGOSLAV FIGURES PLACE THE TOTAL AT ONLY 9,000. OF THESE ONLY 123 HAVE BEEN CLASSIFIED BY YUGOSLAVIA AS BEING CHILDREN OF PARENTS IN GREECE.

POLITIS SAID, HOWEVER, THAT HE HOPED AGREEMENT IN PRINCIPLE WILL BE FOLLOWED BY CLOSE COLLABORATION BETWEEN GREEK AND YUGOSLAV REPRESENTATIVES SO THAT THE WAY CAN BE CLEARED FOR QUICK RETURN OF THE CHILDREN.

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HELSINKI, FINLAND, MAY 13-(AP)-TWO MORE POLISH DIPLOMATS HERE ARE REPORTED TO HAVE BROKEN WITH THEIR COMMUNIST-LED GOVERNMENT AND LEFT FOR SWEDEN.

A DIPLOMATIC INFORMANT SAID VICE CONSUL F. MISZKOWSKI AND DR. J. ZETROSKI, CULTURAL ATTACHE AT THE POLISH LEGATION HERE, HAD GONE TO SWEDEN AFTER A POLITICAL SQUABBLE WITH THEIR SUPERIORS AND PLAN TO GO ON TO ARGENTINA.

DR.WLODZIMIERZ UMIASTOWSKI, FORMER POLISH CHARGE D'AFFAIRES, BROKE WITH THE WARSAW GOVERNMENT APRIL 14 AND TOOK HIS WIFE AND TWO CHILDREN TO SWEDEN EN ROUTE TO ARGENTINA.

THE INFORMANT SAID THE POLISH LEGATION HAS ASKED THE FINNISH FOREIGN MINISTRY TO CANCEL THE ACCREDITATIONS OF MISZKOWSKI AND ZETROSKI.

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BUDAPEST, HUNGARY, MAY 13-(AP)-THE TRADE UNION INTERNATIONAL, PART OF THE WORLD FEDERATION OF TRADE UNIONS (WFTU), ADOPTED THREE RESOLUTIONS SPONSORED BY E.V.ELLIOTT OF AUSTRALIA TODAY.

THEY WERE:

1. A PORTEST AGAINST THE "UNJUST PERSECUTION" OF HARRY BRIDGES, PRESIDENT OF THE INTERNATIONAL LONGSHOREMEN'S UNION, CONVICTED OF PERJURY IN SAN FRANCISCO.

2. AND 3. GREETING TO THE DOCK WORKERS OF AUCKLAND, NEW ZELAND; SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE, AUSTRALIA, CONGRATULATING THEM FOR REFUSING TO LOAD WAR MATERIALS "AIMED AT OVERWHELMING THE FREEDOM MOVEMENTS IN COLONIAL AND DEPENDENT COUNTRIES."

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BY ALEX H.SINGLETON

BELGRADE, YUGOSLAVIA, MAY 13-(AP)-YUGOSLAVIA'S OFFICIAL PRESS ACCUSED RUSSIA TODAY OF TALKING PEACE BUT PRACTISING AN "UNPEACEFUL POLICY OF PRESSURE" DESIGNED TO CREATE AND MAINTAIN A WAR PSYCHOSIS.

THE NEWSPAPER BORBA, VOICE OF PREMIER MARSHAL TITO'S GOVERNMENT, SAID RUSSIA RESENTS AND RESISTS YUGOSLAVIA'S RECENT MOVES TO IMPROVE ITS RELATIONS WITH NEIGHBORS TO THE SOUTH AND WEST AND THUS "NORMALIZE" THE BALKANS.

A FRONT PAGE EDITORIAL UNDERSCORED THE NEWLY INTENSIFIED CAMPAIGN OF TITO'S GOVERNMENT AGAINST KREMLIN TACTICS AND REFLECTED THE GOVERNMENT'S CONFIDENCE TO WITHSTAND THREATS OF RETALIATION FROM THE EAST.

THE ARTICLE WAS WRITTEN AROUND RELATIONS WITH GREECE, WHICH IT SAID OBVIOUSLY HAD IMPROVED SINCE THE RECENT GREEK ELECTIONS. THE EDITORIAL WENT ON TO SAY RUSSIA RESENTS THE IMPROVED RELATIONS BETWEEN YUGOSLAVIA AND GREECE BECAUSE THE IMPROVEMENT REMOVES "A SIGNIFICANT FIELD FOR THE CREATION OF INTRIGUES" AND VARIOUS OTHER MANEUVERS.

IT ASSERTED RUSSIAN MOVES WERE MAPPED TO "JUSTIFY THE NATIONALISTIC POLICY OF THE U.S.S.R. AND THE INCREASING SUBORDINATION OF SATELLITES."

BORBA SAID IMPROVEMENT IN BALKAN RELATIONS WOULD MAKE IT DIFFICULT FOR THE SOVIETS TO CARRY ON INTRIGUES IN THIS PART OF EUROPE.

PREVIOUSLY, THE PAPER SAID, ABNORMAL RELATIONS MADE POSSIBLE "ALL SORTS OF BLACKMAIL, PRESSURE, BARGAINING AND DIPLOMACY WHICH ARE USED BY SOVIET FOREIGN POLICY."

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BELGRADE, YUGOSLAVIA, MAY 13-(AP)-YUGOSLAVIA CAUTIONED ALBANIA TONIGHT AGAINST ANY ATTEMPT TO PUSH AROUND THIS COUNTRY'S DIPLOMATS STATIONED IN TIRANA.

A STATEMENT ISSUED BY THE FOREIGN MINISTRY THROUGH THE DIRECTOR OF INFORMATION SAID:

"THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF THE FEDERATED PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF YUGOSLAVIA WARNS THE ALBANIAN GOVERNMENT THAT IT WILL BEAR FULL RESPONSIBILITY AND SOLE RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE RESULTS."

THE NOTE DEMONSTRATED A NEW TOUGHNESS ON THE PART OF PREMIER MARSHAL TITO'S GOVERNMENT IN ITS FEUD WITH THE COMINFORM WHICH CHARGED TITO HAD DEPARTED FROM THE CAUSE OF MOSCOW.

THE YUGOSLAV NOTE SAID THAT SINCE 1948, ABOUT THE DATE WHEN THE RUSSIAN-LED COMINFORM HAD BEGUN ITS CAMPAIGN, LITTLE ALBANIA, ONE OF THE SOVIET SATELLITE STATES, HAD BEEN CARRYING OUT "DISCRIMINATORY MEASURES AGAINST DIPLOMATIC AND OTHER PERSONNEL OF THE YUGOSLAV LEGATION" IN TIRANA.

THE NOTE SAID THAT UNDER ALBANIAN PREMIER ENVER HOXHA'S REGIME, THE MOVEMENT OF YUGOSLAV DIPLOMATIC PERSONNEL HAS BEEN STERNLY RESTRICTED, DESPITE A FORMAL PROTEST FROM YUGOSLAVIA.

ELECTIONS SET FOR MAY 28 IN THE ALBANIAN CAPITAL MAY REFLECT ANY INFLUENCE TITO HAS HAD UPON HIS WESTERN NEIGHBOR.

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~~PRECEDE TRIESTE DAY (300)~~

~~BY ALEX H.SINGLETON~~

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~~BELGRADE, YUGOSLAVIA, MAY 13-(AP)-~~YUGOSLAVIA DECLARED TODAY "A GREAT AMOUNT OF MACHINEGUNS, HAND GRENADES AND PROPAGANDA MATERIAL" WAS FOUND ON THE ITALIAN SHIP, VETTOR PISANI, SEIZED BY YUGOSLAV AUTHORITIES.

THE OFFICIAL RADIO, IN MAKING THE ANNOUNCEMENT, ADDED THAT THE SHIP'S CAPTAIN AND NINE CREW MEMBERS WERE ARRESTED AT CAPODISTRIA, A SMALL PICTURESQUE ADRIATIC PORT IN THE YUGOSLAV-OCCUPIED ZONE B OF TRIESTE TERRITORY. THE YUGOSLAVS CALL THE PORT KOPAR.

(THE BROADCAST CONFIRMED A REPORT OF ANSA, ITALIAN NEWS AGENCY, THAT THE SMALL STEAMER HAD BEEN SEIZED THURSDAY NIGHT WHEN SHE DOCKED AT CAPODISTRIA. ANSA ASSERTED GUNS AND EXPLOSIVES HAD BEEN PLANTED ON THE SHIP SO YUGOSLAVIA COULD CREATE AN INCIDENT AND TIGHTEN CONTROL OF TRAFFIC BETWEEN THE BRITISH-AMERICAN ZONE OF TRIESTE AND THE YUGOSLAV ZONE.

(ANSA QUOTED TRIESTE SOURCES AS SAYING THE CUSTOMARY POLICE VIGILANCE AT TRIESTE WOULD PREVENT ARMS BEING LOADED ON THE SHIP. THE CAPODISTRIA RADIO, HEARD AT THE CITY OF TRIESTE, SAID THE ARMS CONSISTED OF TWO BRITISH-MADE MACHINEGUNS AND 22 ITALIAN-MADE GRENADES.)

THE RADIO ANNOUNCEMENT SAID STATE SECURITY POLICE SEIZED THE SHIP BECAUSE THE ARMS WERE BEING SMUGGLED FROM TRIESTE "FOR TERRORISTIC ACTIVITIES PLANNED BY ITALIAN REACTIONARIES."

THE VETTOR PISANI REGULARLY PLIES THE SHORT DISTANCE BETWEEN THE CITY OF TRIESTE AND ZONE B.

TENSION BETWEEN YUGOSLAVIA AND ITALY OVER TRIESTE HAS INCREASED SHARPLY IN THE LAST FEW WEEKS, ESPECIALLY SINCE THE ELECTION IN ZONE B APRIL 16 WHICH WAS WON OVERWHELMINGLY BY MARSHAL TITO'S PEOPLE'S FRONT TICKET.

ITALIAN FOREIGN MINISTER COUNT CARLO SFORZA, WHO WANTS ALL OF TRIESTE RETURNED TO ITALY, WAS IN LONDON TODAY CONFERRING WITH WESTERN FOREIGN MINISTERS ON THE TRIESTE PROBLEM AND RELATIONS WITH YUGOSLAVIA. YUGOSLAVIA SHOWS NO INCLINATION TOWARD GIVING UP HER ZONE. MARSHAL TITO RECENTLY ADVOCATED DIRECT NEGOTIATIONS WITH ITALY ON THE QUESTION, HOWEVER.

THE ISSUE WAS COMPLICATED BY RUSSIA'S DEMAND LAST WEEK THAT OCCUPATION TROOPS BE WITHDRAWN FROM THE TERRITORY AS A CONDITION TO COMPLETION OF AN AUSTRIAN INDEPENDENCE TREATY.

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~~PRECEDE ROME (A47)~~

~~TRIESTE, MAY 13-(AP)-~~THE YUGOSLAV-CONTROLLED RADIO AT CAPODISTRIA CONFIRMED TODAY THAT THE ITALIAN STEAMER, THE VETTOR PISANI, HAD BEEN SEIZED AND THE SHIP'S CAPTAIN AND NINE CREW MEMBERS ARRESTED.

THE SHIP WAS SECLUDED IN CAPODISTRIA HARBOR IN THE YUGOSLAV OCCUPATION ZONE OF TRIESTE FREE TERRITORY, BECAUSE TWO YUGOSLAV MILITIAMEN HAD DISCOVERED TWO BRITISH-MADE MACHINE GUNS, 22 ITALIAN-MADE HAND GRENADES AND A QUANTITY OF PROPAGANDA MATERIAL ABOARD, THE RADIO SAID.

THE RADIO REPORT WAS THE FIRST OFFICIAL NEWS OF THE YUGOSLAV ACTION WHICH COINCIDED WITH A RENEWAL OF RESTRICTIONS ON TRAFFIC BETWEEN YUGOSLAV-OCCUPIED TERRITORY OF TRIESTE AND THE BRITISH-AMERICAN ZONE.

SOURCES HERE SAID IT WOULD BE IMPOSSIBLE TO HIDE ARMS ON THE SHIP BECAUSE OF POLICE VIGILANCE AT THE TRIESTE PORT. THE YUGOSLAV RADIO CHARGED THE ARMS WERE BEING SMUGGLED "FOR TERRORISTIC ACTIVITIES PLANNED BY ITALIAN REACTIONARIES" IN TRIESTE.

CAPTAIN GIORGIO VARDABASSO OF THE VETTO PISANI AND HIS CREW ARE RESIDENTS OF THE BRITISH-AMERICAN ZONE.

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~~ROME, MAY 13-(AP)-~~THE ITALIAN NEWS AGENCY ANSA SAID TODAY GUNS AND EXPLOSIVES HAD BEEN PLANTED ABOARD AN ITALIAN STEAMER, SEIZED BY YUGOSLAV POLICE THURSDAY IN TRIESTE FREE TERRITORY, SO THAT YUGOSLAVIA COULD CREATE AN INCIDENT.

ANSA DECLARED YUGOSLAV AUTHORIIES WILL USE THE INCIDENT TO TIGHTEN A BLOCKADE THEY HAVE IMPOSED ON TRAFFIC BETWEEN THEIR ZONE AND THE BRITISH-AMERICAN ZONE OF TRIESTE.

THE PASSENGER VESSEL, THE VETTOR PISANI OF THE ISTRIA-TRIESTE LINE, WAS SEIZED SHORTLY AFTER DOCKING AT CAPODISTRIA IN THE YUGOSLAV OCCUPATION ZONE OF THE FREE TERRITORY.

YUGOSLAV AUTHORITIES SAID THEY HAD SEIZED THE VESSEL AFTER TWO SUB-MACHINE GUNS AND A CASE OF HAND GRENADES HAD BEEN FOUND ABOARD. THE CAPTAIN AND NINE CREWMEN WERE REPORTED ARRESTED.

ISTRIAN SOURCES IN TRIESTE SAID IT WOULD HAVE BEEN IMPOSSIBLE TO HIDE ANY QUANTITY OF ARMS ABOARD A SHIP LEAVING TRIESTE UNDER THE CUSTOMARILY STRICT POLICE VIGILANCE.

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~~NIGHT LEAD LIE~~

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~~MOSCOW, MAY 13-(AP)-~~UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE CONFERRED FOR AN HOUR TODAY WITH SOVIET DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI A. GROMYKO.

LIE IS HOLDING A ROUND OF CONFERENCES WITH TOP RUSSIAN OFFICIALS IN AN EFFORT TO EASE EAST-WEST TENSION. AFTER MEETING WITH GROMYKO, FORMER SOVIET DELEGATE TO U.N., LIE SAW ARKADY A.SOBOLEV, A FORMER U.N. ASSISTANT SECRETARY-GENERAL NOW WORKING IN THE KREMLIN.

THE U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL CONFERRED WITH RUSSIAN FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI Y. VISHINSKY YESTERDAY.

WELL INFORMED SOURCES HERE BELIEVE LIE'S MEETING WITH GROMYKO PROBABLY WAS CONCERNED WITH CLARIFICATION OF PROPOSALS LIE HAD MADE TO VISHINSKY.

THERE HAS BEEN MUCH SPECULATION AMONG LOCAL DIPLOMATS OVER THE PROBABLE SUCCESS OF THE U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL'S VISIT. THESE DIPLOMATS GENERALLY APPLAUD HIS EFFORTS. CAUTIOUS OBSERVERS SAID

DIPLOMATS GENERALLY APPLAUD HIS EFFORTS. CAUTIOUS OBSERVERS SAID HIS MAIN OBJECTIVES ARE STILL AHEAD OF HIM BUT THAT GIVEN A CHANCE, HE MAY GET SOMETHING DONE OR LAY THE GROUNDWORK FOR IT.

LIE'S MISSION TO MOSCOW, ORIGINALLY PLANNED FOR ONLY A FEW DAYS, WILL BE EXTENDED INTO NEXT WEEK.

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~~MOSCOW, MAY 13-(AP)-~~UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE WORKED FAR INTO THE NIGHT AFTER A 90-MINUTE TALK YESTERDAY WITH SOVIET FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI VISHINSKY.

HERE TO CONFER WITH RUSSIAN OFFICIALS IN AN EFFORT TO EASE TENSION BETWEEN THE EAST AND WEST, THE U.N. OFFICIAL MAY VISIT MOSCOW FOR A LONGER PERIOD THAN HE HAD ORIGINALLY PLANNED, A RELIABLE SOURCE REPORTED.

WHEN HE ARRIVED THURSDAY, LIE INDICATED HE WOULD BE IN THE RUSSIAN CAPITAL ONLY TWO OR THREE DAYS. BUT AN INFORMANT SAID A MEMBER OF LIE'S PARTY HAD INQUIRED ABOUT MOSCOW RESTAURANTS WHICH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL MIGHT LIKE TO VISIT NEXT WEEK.

LIE DECLINED MANY INVITATIONS FROM FOREIGN DIPLOMATS IN FAVOR OF HIS WORK. AN OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT SAID HE HAD RECEIVED A NUMBER OF CABLES FROM U.N. HEADQUARTERS AT LAKE SUCCESS AND FROM GENEVA, WHERE THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION (WHO) IS MEETING.

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TEL AVIV, ISRAEL, MAY 13-(AP)-ELIAHU ELATH, ISRAEL'S AMBASSADOR TO THE UNITED STATES, HAS BEEN NAMED MINISTER TO BRITAIN, AN OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT SAID TODAY.

IN LONDON HE WILL SUCCEED DR.MORDECAI ELIASH, WHO DIED MARCH 11.

AUBREY EBAN, ISRAELI CHIEF DELEGATE TO THE UNITED NATIONS, IS EXPECTED TO BE NAMED AMBASSADOR TO WASHINGTON, IN ADDITION TO HIS PRESENT POST.

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AMMAN, HASHEMITE JORDAN, MAY 13-(AP)-THE MAYOR OF TULKARM, IN ARAB-HELD PALESTINE, TODAY REPORTED TO THE HASHEMITE JORDAN GOVERNMENT THAT A GROUP OF ARMED ISRAELI'S ON THURSDAY KIDNAPPED FOUR OF THE NATIONAL GUARDS FROM FAROUN, A VILLAGE TWO MILES SOUTH OF TULKARM.

THE MAYOR TOLD PRIME MINISTER SAID PASHA MUFTI THAT THE ISRAELIS DISARMED THE GUARD, FORCED THEM INTO A JEEP AND DROVE THEM INTO ISRAEL.

THE DEFENSE MINISTRY SAID IT HAS TAKEN STEPS TO AVOID FURTHER SUCH ATTACKS IN ARAB PALESTINE, WHICH HASHEMITE JORDAN HAS ANNEXED. IT SAID THE ARAB LIASON OFFICER WOULD TAKE UP THE MATTER AT THE NEXT MEETING OF THE JORDAN -ISRAEL ARMISTICE COMMITTEE.

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TEHRAN, IRAN, MAY 15-(AP)-IRAN HAS PROTESTED TO RUSSIA AND SEVERAL SOVIET SATELLITES AGAINST THEIR NON-PARTICIPATION IN RECENT BURIAL CEREMONIES FOR THE LATE REZA SHAH, FATHER OF THE COUNTRY'S PRESENT RULER, A GOVERNMENT SOURCE SAID TODAY.

THE INFORMANT SAID THAT, ACCORDING TO INTERNATIONAL ETIQUETTE, THE SOVIET EMBASSY SHOULD HAVE PARTICIPATED IN IRAN'S STATE MOURNING, BUT THAT THEY REFUSED TO EVEN DROP THEIR FLAG TO HALF STAFF.

THE SOURCE SAID A VERBAL PROTEST WAS MADE TO SATELLITE REPRESENTATIVES.

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JAKARTA, U.S.I., MAY 13-(AP)-UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY PRESIDENT CARLOS P. ROMULO ARRIVED HERE TODAY FOR A FIVE-DAY COURTESY VISIT TO INDONESIA.

THE PHILIPPINE DIPLOMAT WAS GREETED AT THE AIRPORT BY PRIME MINISTER MOHAMAD HATTA, THE THREE-MAN U.N. COMMISSION FOR INDONESIA, THE PHILIPPINE AMBASSADOR AND OTHER FOREIGN DIPLOMATS AND GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS.

ROMULO SAID AS GENERAL ASSEMBLY PRESIDENT HE WAS "DEEPLY GRATIFIED THAT THE REALIZATION OF INDONESIAN FREEDOM IS GENERALLY RECOGNIZED TO BE THE RESULT OF THE GREATEST SUCCESS SO FAR ACHIEVED BY THE UNITED NATIONS IN THE FIELD OF MEDIATION."

"THE INDONESIAN PEOPLES' INSISTENT CLAMOR FOR LIBERTY DID NOT FALL ON DEAF EARS," HE CONTINUED. "IT WAS HEARD FIRST BY IMMEDIATE NEIGHBORS IN SOUTHEAST ASIA WHO RELAYED IT TO THE WHOLE WORLD UNTIL THE FORCE OF WORLD OPINION THROUGH THE UNITED NATIONS COULD NO LONGER BE DENIED.

QUESTIONED ON INDONESIA'S PENDING APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION TO THE U.N.. ROMULO SAID THE "PHILIPPINES NOT ONLY WILL VOTE BUT WILL FIGHT FOR INDONESIA'S ADMISSION."

THE PHILIPPINES AND INDONESIA, ROMULO SAID, IN THE LAST DECADE HAD FOLLOWED PARALLEL ROADS TO FREEDOM. THE WARMEST FRATERNAL FEELINGS EXIST BETWEEN THE TWO NEW NATIONS, HE DECLARED.

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NIGHT LEAD CHINESE (320)

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BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI, FORMOSA, SUNDAY, MAY 14-(AP)-A NEW COMMANDO-TYPE RAID ON THE COMMUNIST MAINLAND 140 MILES SOUTH OF SHANGHAI WAS REPORTED TODAY IN OFFICIAL CHINESE NATIONALIST DISPATCHES.

THE ACCOUNTS SAID NATIONALIST GUERRILLAS LANDED FRIDAY AT SHIHPU AND STRUCK INLAND. NO DETAILS WERE GIVEN BUT THE ACTION APPARENTLY WAS INTENDED TO DIVERT SOME OF THE COMMUNISTS WHO ARE MASSING FOR AN INVASION OF CHUSHAN, NATIONALIST ISLAND 50 MILES NORTHEAST OF SHIHPU.

NATIONALIST DISPATCHES ALSO SAID NEW NAVAL AND AIR ATTACKS WERE MADE FRIDAY ON CHINTANG AND TAOHUA, COMMUNIST-HELD ISLANDS IN THE CHUSHAN GROUP ONLY THREE TO SEVEN MILES FROM CHUSHAN ITSELF.

THE AIR FORCE REPORTED IT SANK MORE THAN 40 RED SMALL CRAFT AND KILLED MORE THAN 300 TROOPS.

ALL INDICATIONS IN THIS NATIONALIST CAPITAL WERE THAT THE EXPECTED RED INVASION OF CHUSHAN WAS STILL HANGING FIRE. SOME REPORTS SAID THE ATTACK MIGHT COME AT ANY OMENT, BUT OTHERS SAID THE COMMUNISTS WERE NOT READY YET.

GEN.CHIANG CHING-KUO, OLDEST SON OF GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK, ASSERTED THAT THE REDS PLANNED TO INVADE BOTH CHISHAN AND THE ISLAND OF QUEMOY (CHINMEN), NEAR AMOY, DURING MAY. HE SAID THIS DECISION WAS TAKEN AT A CONFERENCE WITH A RUSSIAN GENERAL IN SHANGHAI IN APRIL. HE ALSO WARNED THE PUBLIC THAT INVASION OF FORMOSA ITSELF WAS COMING.

WHILE HE WARNED AGAINST COMMUNIST INFILTRATION TACTICS, THE DEFENSE MINISTRY ISSUED A STATEMENT THAT A SERIES OF ARRESTS STARTING LAST DECEMBER HAD SMASHED A COMMUNIST WORKING COMMITTEE ON FORMOSA AND FOILED PLANS FOR AN INTERNAL RISING.

THE STATEMENT ACKNOWLEDGED THAT NINE PERSONS IN THE DEFENSE MINISTRY ITSELF WERE AMONG THOSE ARRESTED. NO NAMES WERE GIVEN BUT IT IS COMMON KNOWLEDGE THAT ONE WAS GEN.WU SHIH, WHO WAS VICE MINISTER OF DEFENSE.

(THE COMMUNISTS CONFINED THEIR WAR NEWS TO A RADIO ATTACK ON THE NATIONALIST AIR DROPPING OF RICE ON THE MAINLAND.

(A PEIPING BROADCAST HEARD IN SAN FRANCISCO BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS CHARGED THAT ON MAY 8 TWO NATIONALIST PLANES DROPPED 30 TO 40 SACKS OF RICE IN FOOCHOW. THEN, IT SAID, HAVING LULLED THE POPULACE, THREE PLANES NEXT DAY DROPPED BOMBS AND KILLED 70 PERSONS.)

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FIRST LEAD CHINESE

TAIPEI, FORMOSA, SUNDAY, MAY 14-(AP)-OFFICIAL DISPATCHES TODAY SAID NATIONALIST GUERRILLAS FRIDAY LANDED AT SHIHPU, 140 MILES SOUTH OF SHANGHAI, AND STRUCK INLAND.

NO DETAILS WERE GIVEN, BUT THE ATTACK ON THE COMMUNIST MAINLAND APPARENTLY WAS A COMMANDO-TYPE RAID, OF WHICH THE NATIONALISTS HAVE MADE SEVERAL IN RECENT MONTHS.

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IT COULD HAVE BEEN DESIGNED TO DIVERT COMMUNIST FORCES MASSING FOR AN EXPECTED INVASION OF CHUSHAN ISLAND, NATIONALIST BASE 50 MILES NORTHEAST OF SHIHPU.

THE NATIONALISTS ALSO REPORTED CONTINUING NAVAL AND AIR ACTION AGAINST RED-HELD ISLANDS NEAR CHUSHAN.

GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S ELDER SON SAID SATURDAY THE REDS DECIDED AT AN APRIL MEETING WITH A RUSSIAN GENERAL TO INVADE CHUSHAN AND QUEMOY (CHINMEN) ISLANDS IN MAY.

THE TWO ISLANDS WITHIN A FEW MILES OF THE EAST CHINA COAST ARE NATIONALIST BLOCKADE BASES. CHUSHAN IS 70 AIR MILES SOUTHEAST OF SHANGHAI; QUEMOY IS OPPOSITE FORMOSA.

CHIANG CHING-KUO SAID PAPERS TAKEN FROM RED PRISONERS SHOW STRONG INVASION FORCES ARE MASSING AT TSINGTAO, OLD U.S. NAVAL BASE ON THE SHANTUNG PENINSULA; LIENYUNKANG, 100 MILES SOUTH, AND SWATOW, A PORT OPPOSITE FORMOSA.

YOUNG CHIANG SAID THE REDS ARE BUILDING NEW AIRFIELDS IN THE NINGPO AREA 90 MILES SOUTH OF SHANGHAI FOR USE OF RUSSIAN JET PLANES.

"WE ARE HOPING THE COMMUNISTS WILL COME SO WE CAN WIPE OUT THE IMMENSE STRENGTH THEY ARE BUILDING UP FOR THE INVASION AND START OUR OWN COUNTEROFFENSIVE," YOUNG CHIANG SAID.

DISPATCHES SAID NATIONALIST PLANES ATTACKED COMMUNIST CRAFT AND SHORE INSTALLATIONS ON KINTANG (CHINTANG), THREE MILES FROM CHUSHAN.

THE DEFENSE MINISTRY SAID IT HAD BROKEN THE COMMUNIST PARTY ON FORMOSA IN A SERIES OF ARRESTS STARTING LAST DECEMBER.

IT ASSERTED IT HAS A SIGNED STATEMENT BY FOUR KEY COMMUNIST PARTY MEMBERS URGING ALL PARTY AGENTS TO SURRENDER. THERE WERE 80 PARTY GROUPS ON FORMOSA, THE MINISTRY SAID, WITH A MEMBERSHIP OF MORE THAN 900 PERSONS.

THE MINISTRY SAID THE REDS' MAIN INTELLIGENCE CONTACT WAS IN THE DEFENSE MINISTRY ITSELF. NINE OFFICIALS THERE WERE ARRESTED.

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~~NITE LEAD ETHEL~~ MOLLER (280)

~~HONG KONG,SUNDAY,MAY 14-(AP)-QUICK~~ THINKING BY THE SKIPPER OF THE LITTLE BRITISH FREIGHTER ETHEL MOLLER WAS CREDITED TODAY WITH HELPING THE DESTROYER COSSACK WREST IT FROM CHINA'S NATIONALISTS.

THE AUSTRALIAN SKIPPER, CAPT.A.L.WAITES, AND THE 564-TON SHIP ARE SAFE IN HONG KONG HARBOR AFTER BEING HELD FOR 10 WEEKS BY THE NATIONALISTS OFF THE SOUTHEAST CHINA PORT OF AMOY.

THE AUTHORITATIVE SOUTH CHINA SUNDAY POST SAID IT OBTAINED THE STORY OF THE RESCUE FROM LT.CMDR.H.J.BARTLETT, WHO HEADED A 15-MAN CONTINGENT THAT BROUGHT THE MOLLER BACK.

THIS IS THE STORY:

THE COSSACK FIRST SIGHTED THE MOLLER NEAR AMOY EARLY FRIDAY AND RECOGNIZED THE FREIGHTER BY ITS SILHOUETTE.

"WE CLOSED IN," BARTLETT SAID. "CAPT. WAITES KNEW BY OUR SHAPE THAT WE WERE THE COSSACK, BUT WHEN THE NATIONALISTS ASKED HIM WHAT WE WERE HE SAID CHINESE.

"OUR WHITE ENSIGN (ROYAL NAVY) WAS FLYING BUT THEY STILL THOUGHT WE WERE NATIONALIST. IT WAS ABOUT 8:30 A.M. NOW, AND WE MADE A MENACING MOVE WITH OUR GUNS AND PUT OUT OUR ARMED BOARDING PARTY.

"LT.CMDR.T.G.RIDGEWAY WAS IN CHARGE OF THEM AND THE COSSACK'S RAILS WERE CROWDED AS THEIR BOAT MOVED UP TO THE ETHEL MOLLER. AS THEY BOARDED HER THE NATS DROPPED THEIR ARMS IN A GREAT HEAP ON THE DECK--BAZOOKAS, HAND GRENADES, RIFLES--AND WE SAW THE NATS FLAG HAULED DOWN AND THE RED ENSIGN (BRITISH MERCHANT MARINE) FLUTTER UP.

"CAPTAIN WAITES AND HIS CREW WERE DELIGHTED TO SEE US. THEY HAD HAD A PRETTY ROUGH TIME AND HAD BEEN LIVING MAINLY ON RICE."

BARTLETT SAID THE ONLY EVENT ON THE TRIP TO HONG KONG CAME FRIDAY NIGHT WHEN A PLANE CIRCLED THE SHIP SEVERAL TIMES. HE SAID THE CHINESE GOT VERY EXCITED BUT THE PLANE TURNED OUT TO BE A BRITISH ONE FROM HONG KONG.

BARTLETT REPORTED THERE WERE 170 NATIONALIST SOLDIERS CAUGHT ABOARD THE MOLLER, INCLUDING TWO GENERALS. ALL WILL BE HELD INCOMMUNICADO UNTIL A CHINESE SHIP CAN BE FOUND TO TAKE THEM TO FORMOSA.

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HONG KONG,MAY 13-(AP)-THE BRITISH COASTAL STEAMER ETHEL MOLLER, RETAKEN BY A DARING BRITISH NAVY CREW AFTER 10 WEEKS IN CHINESE NATIONALIST HANDS, RODE AT QUARANTINE ANCHOR TODAY IN KOWLOON BAY.

STILL ABOARD WERE 170 NATIONALIST SOLDIERS, 12 WOMEN AND FOUR CHILDREN. THEY WERE ON THE 564 TON VESSEL YESTERDAY WHEN IT WAS INTERCEPTED BY THE BRITISH FRIGATE COSSACK.

POLICE SAID THE SHIP WOULD BE "KEPT UNDER WRAPS" UNTIL IMMIGRATION OFFICERS CLEARED IT. THIS WAS EXPECTED TO TAKE SEVERAL DAYS.

NAVY SOURCES SAID THE CHINESE WILL BE HELD INCOMMUNICADO UNTIL A CHINESE MERCHANT SHIP CAN BE FOUND TO TAKE THEM TO FORMOSA.

POLICE MEANWHILE REMOVED 150 RIFLES, 50 GRENADES AND THREE MACHINE GUNS.

A SOURCE SAID THE NATIONALISTS USED THE ETHEL MOLLER TO FERRY TROOPS BETWEEN FORMOSA, CHUSHAN AND THE PESCADORES.

THEY SEIZED THE VESSEL IN MARCH WHILE IT WAS ATTEMPTING TO RUN THE NATIONALIST BLOCKADE INTO THE RED PORT OF AMOY. THE NATIONALISTS RENAMED IT TSAI CHEUNG, MEANING "REBIRTH."

THE COSSACK INTERCEPTED THE ETHEL MOLLER SOUTHEAST OF AMOY. A CREW OF 15 UNDER A LT. CMDR. BARTLETT BOARDED THE VESSEL AND BROUGHT IT BACK TO HONG KONG. THE FRIGATE WHITESAND BAY ESCORTED THE CRAFT.

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HONG KONG, MAY 13-(AP)-RETIRED U.S. MAJ. GEN. CLAIRE L. CHENNAULT TODAY LOST ANOTHER ROUND IN HIS FIGHT FOR 71 FORMER CHINESE NATIONALIST TRANSPORT PLANES.

THE SUPREME COURT OF THIS BRITISH CROWN COLONY DISMISSED AN APPEAL THAT HIS DELAWARE CORPORATION, CIVIL AIR TRANSPORT, INC., (CAT) BE NAMED RECEIVER.

BUT POLICE THURSDAY UNLOADED 50 CRATES OF PLANE EQUIPMENT FROM A SHIP DESTINED FOR THE CHINESE COMMUNIST PORT OF TSINGTAO. THE ACTION CAME ONE HOUR AFTER KING GEORGE VI IN LONDON HAD SIGNED AN ORDER DETAINING ASSETS OF THE TWO FORMER NATIONALIST LINES UNTIL THE COURT RULES ON OWNERSHIP.

POLICE SAID SUCH SHIPMENTS WERE LEGAL BEFORE THE ROYAL ORDER. THE COURT RULED IN EFFECT LAST FEBRUARY THAT THE PLANES BELONGED TO THE REDS, BUT THE LEGAL BATTLE HAS CONTINUED.

THEY FORMERLY WERE OPERATED BY NATIONALIST AIRLINES, CHINESE NATIONAL AVIATION CORP. (CNAC) AND CENTRAL AIR TRANSPORT CORP. (CATC.)

MOST HONG KONG EMPLOYES OF THE TWO AIRLINES LAST DECEMBER CLAIMED THE PLANES FOR THE REDS. A FEW EMPLOYES REMAINED LOYAL TO THE NATIONALISTS. CHENNAULT SAID HIS AIRLINE HAD PURCHASED THE PLANES.

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HONG KONG, MAY 13-(AP)-A CHINESE DISPATCH REPORTED TODAY MORE THAN 500 CHINESE COMMUNIST TROOPS HAD GONE OVER TO THE NATIONALISTS AT SUNGMEN, ON THE EAST C

500 CHINESE COMMUNIST TROOPS HAD GONE OVER TO THE NATIONALISTS AT SUNGMEN, ON THE EAST CHINA COAST 200 MILES SOUTH OF SHANGHAI.
THE DISPATCH, TO THE INDEPENDENT NEWSPAPER SING TAO JIH PAO, SAID RED POLITICAL WORKERS ASSIGNED TO SUNGMEN WERE KILLED BEFORE THE GARRISON DEFECTED. THE NATIONALISTS STAGED A COMMANDO RAID ON SUNGMEN EARLIER THIS YEAR.
THE DISPATCH CAME FROM CHUSHAN ISLAND, THE NATIONALIST BLOCKADE BASE 100 MILES SOUTH OF SHANGHAI.
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HONG KONG, MAY 13-(AP)-A ROYAL AIR FORCE VAMPIRE JET FIGHTER PLANE WAS ADDED TODAY TO THE 80TH SQUADRON STATIONED AT THIS BRITISH CROWN COLONY. PILOT D.K.FREEMAN OF LONDON SAID IT TOOK A LITTLE OVER TWO HOURS TO FLY THE APPROXIMATELY 950 AIR MILES FROM CHOLON, INDOCHINA.
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NEW DELHI, INDIA, MAY 13-(AP)-THE NEWSPAPER STATESMAN REPORTED TODAY THE SEVEN-MAN TIBETAN DELEGATION TO COMMUNIST CHINA LEFT CALCUTTA YESTERDAY FOR GANGTOK TO ESCAPE CALCUTTA'S HEAT, FROM WHICH THEY HAVE SUFFERED AFTER COMING FROM THE EXTREME COLD OF TIBET.
IN GANGTOK THE DELEGATION WILL DISCUSS INDO-TIBETAN AFFAIRS WITH PROVINCIAL SIKKIM OFFICIALS BEFORE LEAVING FOR HONG KONG IN JUNE TO MEET REPRESENTATIVES OF THE PEIPING GOVERNMENT FOR CONFERENCES ON COMMUNIST CHINESE-TIBETAN RELATIONS.
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SRINAGAR, Kashmir, MAY 13-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER JAWAHARLAL NEHRU HELD A TWO-HOUR CLOSED-DOOR CONFERENCE TODAY WITH KASHMIR STATE PRIME MINISTER SHEIKH ABDULLAH AND HIS CABINET. SIR GRIJA SHANKAR BAJAPAI, SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE INDIAN FOREIGN MINISTRY, ACCOMPANIED NEHRU. INFORMED SOURCES SAID THEY HAD "FREE AND FRANK DISCUSSION OVER THE WHOLE FUTURE OF KASHMIR." THOUGH NEHRU'S TWO-DAY VISIT TO KASHMIR IS DESCRIBED AS PRIVATE, POLITICAL CIRCLES ATTACH GREAT SIGNIFICANCE TO IT IN VIEW OF THE IMPENDING VISIT OF UNITED NATIONS MEDIATOR SIR OWEN DIXON.
HINDU INDIA AND MOSLEM PAKISTAN NOW ARE DISPUTING THE FUTURE STATUS OF KASHMIR, WHICH HAS A POPULATION PREDOMINANTLY MOSLEM AND A HINDU MAHARAJAH.
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RANGOON, BURMA, MAY 13-(AP)-COMMUNIQUE SAID THE BURMESE ARMY OPENED A MAIN OFFENSIVE AGAINST THE IRRAWADDY RIVER CITY OF PROME TODAY BY RECAPTURING TWO RAIL TOWNS EN ROUTE TO THE OBJECTIVE.
THE TROOPS ARE NOW WITHIN 69 MILES OF THE COMMUNIST-HELD CITY, ALREADY UNDER PROBING BY LOYAL GUERRILLA FORCES.
SPOKESMAN SAID THE TROOPS WERE DELAYED BY WRECKED BRIDGES WHICH MUST BE REPAIRED BEFORE HEAVY ARMY TRANSPORT CAN START MOVING. HE PREDICTED THE ARMY SHOULD BE IN PROME EARLY NEXT WEEK.
MEANWHILE, OFFICIAL QUARTERS DENIED REPORTS HERE THAT BURMESE TRIBESMEN WERE AMONG FOREIGN TROOPS REPORTED MASSING NEAR THE BURMESE-INDOCHINA BORDER FOR A POSSIBLE INVASION OF THAILAND.
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SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA, MAY 13-(AP)-DELEGATES FROM INDIA AND PAKISTAN TO COMMONWEALTH TALKS ON ECONOMIC AID TO SOUTHEAST ASIA ARRIVED IN SYDNEY BY AIR THIS MORNING.
THE TALKS START MONDAY.
LEADER OF THE PAKISTAN DELEGATION IS MINISTER FOR INDUSTRY CHAUDHRI NAZIR AHMAD KHAN. THE INDIAN DELEGATION IS LED BY SIR RAMASWANI MUDALIAR.
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B38KX (Q)
(APW)
TOKYO, MAY 13-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED TODAY THE INDEFINITE EXTENSION OF A $5,000,000 (M) INTERIM TRADE AGREEMENT BETWEEN JAPAN AND URUGUAY.
THE TRADE PACT WAS SET UP MAY 19, 1949, AT MONTEVIDEO. JAPAN BUYS WOOL, LINSEED, LACTIC CASEIN AND ANIMAL BY-PRODUCTS. IT SELLS TEXTILES, PORCELAIN, IRON AND STEEL MANUFACTURED ITEMS.
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TOKYO, MAY 13-(AP)-THE LATE U.S. AUTHOR AGNES SMEDLEY WILLED ALL HER POSSESSIONS TO GEN.CHU TEH, COMMANDER OF RED CHINA'S ARMIES, THE PEIPING RADIO SAID TODAY.
A BROADCAST HEARD HERE SAID SHE HAD ASKED THAT HER ASHES BE SENT TO PEIPING, THE COMMUNIST CAPITAL. SHE DIED MAY 6 AT OXFORD, ENGLAND.
A U.S. ARMY REPORT FROM TOKYO IN FEBRUARY OF 1949 NAMED MISS SMEDLEY, A WRITER ON FAR EAST SUBJECTS, AS "A SPY AND AGENT OF THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT." SHE VIGOROUSLY DENIED IT, AND LATER THE ARMY SAID IT HAD NO PROOF TO BACK UP THE CHARGE.
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TOKYO,SUNDAY,MAY 14-(AP)-ONE OF THE WORLD'S LARGEST BUDDHAS, THE GREAT STATUE AT NARA, WILL BE MORTGAGED.
TODAIJI TEMPLE COULDN'T RAISE MONEY FOR ITS 1,200TH ANNIVERSARY NEXT YEAR. SO THE PRIESTS PUT UP THE GREAT BUDDHA AS COLLATERAL FOR A 20,000,000-YEN LOAN FROM THE GOVERNMENT.
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TALISMAN (100)
TOKYO, MAY 13-(AP)-A U.S. NAVY TANKER TODAY SAVED 47 PERSONS FROM THE FLAMING NORWEGIAN MOTORSHIP TALISMAN AT SEA SOUTH OF YOKOHAMA.
IMMEDIATELY THEREAFTER, SAILORS FROM A SHIP OF THE JAPANESE MARITIME SAFETY COMMISSION GOT THE FIRE UNDER CONTROL EVERYWHERE ESXCEPT IN THE ENGINE ROOM. THAT'S WHERE IT STARTED.

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BROUGHT OFF BY THE NAVY TANKER SHAWNEE TRAIL WERE THE MASTER, THE CREW OF 40 AND SIX WOMEN.

THE 6,700-TON TALISMAN WAS BEING TOWED TO SHIMIZU, ON SURUGA BAY 70 MILES SOUTHWEST OF YOKOHAMA, THE SHIP WAS EN ROUTE TO HONG KONG WHEN THE FIRE BROKE OUT YESTERDAY.

ONE OF THE WOMEN WAS IDENTIFIED BY THE ARMY AS MRS. C.P. REUSCH, WIFE OF THE NORWEGIAN DIPLOMATIC CHIEF HERE.

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TOKYO, MAY 13-(AP)-FIFTH AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS TODAY SAID THESE TWO AIRMEN WERE KILLED WEDNESDAY NIGHT IN THE RICE PADDY CRASH OF THEIR F-82 MUSTANG FIGHTER NEAR ITAZUKE AIRBASE ON NORTHERN KYUSHU:

LT.JOHN R.HAMRIN, 27, PILOT, SON OF MRS.AMELIA K.HAMRIN, (1095 CARYL AVE.) MELROSE PARK, ILL., AND SECOND LT.EUGENE C.PAULSGROVE, 27, RADAR OBSERVER, SON OF MR. AND MRS.MORRIS S.PAULSGROVE, CHEWSVILLE, MD.

HAMRIN'S WIDOW, JULIET, IS AT ITAZUKE.

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OSAKA, SUNDAY, MAY 14-(AP)-THE MAN WHO COMMANDED JAPANESE NAVY PLANES ON THE PEARL HARBOR RAID TONIGHT WILL MEET ONE OF THE DOOLITTLE FLIERS WHO MADE THE FIRST AERIAL ATTACK ON TOKYO.

THE JAPANESE, FORMER CAPT.MITSUO FUCHIDA, AND THE AMERICAN, THE REV.JACOB DESHAZER, BOTH WILL SPEAK AT A TESTAMENT LEAGUE RALLY AT THE CENTRAL PUBLIC HALL HERE.

FORMER AIR GUNNER DESHAZER RETURNED AS A MISSIONARY TO THE COUNTRY WHICH ONCE HELD HIM A WAR PRISONER. FUCHIDA TURNED FARMER AFTER THE SURRENDER AND RECENTLY BECAME A CHRISTIAN.

BOTH WILL SPEAK ON THEIR CONVERSION TO CHRISTIANITY.

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NITE LEAD (120)

SEOUL,SUNDAY,MAY 14-(AP)-THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH KOREA TODAY INCREASED THE SIZE OF ITS BABY AIR FORCE BY 50 PER CENT. IT ADDED 10 ADVANCED TRAINERS BOUGHT BY PUBLIC SUBSCRIPTION.

PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE CHRISTENED THE AMERICAN-BUILT PLANES AT SEOUL'S AIRPORT, DECLARING THAT MORE PLANES WERE NEEDED AS PROTECTION FROM COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA.

"I WANT EVERYONE TO KNOW," HE SAID, "THAT THESE AIRPLANES ARE THE PROOF OF THE WILL POWER AND LIFE FORCE OF ABOUT 30,000,000 PEOPLE... WE ARE WILLING TO SACRIFICE LIFE AND ALL MATERIAL THINGS FOR DEMOCRACY."

EVERETT V.DRUMRIGHT, U.S. CHARGE D'AFFAIRES, SAID IN ANOTHER SPEECH "I BELIEVE THAT THIS AIR FORCE CAN ALREADY GIVE A GOOD ACCOUNT OF ITSELF IF AND WHEN CALLED UPON TO DO SO."

SOUTH KOREA'S 30 PLANES COMPARE WITH 200 WHICH INTELLIGENCE REPORTS SAY THE NORTH KOREAN AIR FORCE HAS.

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SEOUL,MAY 13-(AP)-TWO NORTH KOREANS WHO FLED THAT COMMUNIST STATE TODAY JOINED THE ARMED FORCES OF THE SOUTH KOREAN REPUBLIC. THEY ARE MAJ.CHANG NAM AND LT.LEE KUN SOON.

LEE FLEW A RUSSIAN STORMOVIK IL-10 FIGHTER TO SOUTH KOREA LAST MONTH.

PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE WILL CHRISTEN TOMORROW 10 AT-6 PLANES PURCHASED PRIVATELY BY THE SOUTH KOREAN GOVERNMENT. THEY BRING THE AIR STRENGTH TO 30 PLANES, COMPARED WITH NEARLY 200 WHICH INTELLIGENCE REPORTS SAY ARE IN THE NORTH KOREAN AIR FORCE.

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NIGHT LEAD (160)

HAVANA, CUBA, MAY 13-(AP)-THE INTERAMERICAN CONFERENCE FOR DEMOCRACY AND LIBERTY VOTED TODAY TO MAKE ITSELF A PERMANENT BODY DEDICATED TO FIGHTING COMMUNISM AND DICTATORSHIP.

THE GROUP, WHICH IS HAVING ITS FIRST MEETING HERE, SET UP THREE COMMITTEES; ONE, TO STRENGTHEN DEMOCRACY IN THE AMERICAS, TWO, TO DEFINE THE ROLE OF THE WESTERN HEMISPHERE IN THE MAINTAINANCE OF PEACE AND, THREE, TO ESTABLISH A CONTINUING ORGANIZATION.

DELEGATES FROM BOTH NORTH AND SOUTH AMERICA ARE ATTENDING THE CONFERENCE. THEY INCLUDE FOUR MEMBERS OF THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS AND OTHER DISTINGUISHED FIGURES. THE CONFERENCE HAS NO OFFICIAL STANDING.

ELECTED TO THE EXECUTIVE BOARD WERE EX-PRESIDENT ROMULO BETANCOURT OF VENEZUELA, EX-PRESIDENT JOSE FIGUERES OF COSTA RICA, SENATOR EDUARDO RODRIGUEZ LARRETA OF URUGUAY, CUBAN EDUCATION MINISTER AURELIANO SANCHEZ ARANGO, EXILED ARGENTINE DEPUTY ERNESTO SAN MARTINO, ROGER BALDWIN, PRESIDENT OF THE AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION, AND FRANCES GRANT, PRESIDENT OF THE LATIN-AMERICAN SECTION OF THE INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE FOR THE RIGHTS OF MAN.

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BY BEN F.MEYER (420)

HAVANA,CUBA, MAY 13-(AP)-THE INTER-AMERICAN CONFERENCE FOR DEMOCRACY AND LIBERTY WENT TO WORK TODAY WITH SHARP ATTACKS ON ALLEGED U.S. AID TO DICTATORS IN THE AMERICAS.

AS THE CONFERENCE OPENED, A NICARAGUAN IN EXILE, GUILLERMO URBINA VASQUEZ, ATTACKED THE LATE PRESIDENT FRANKLIN D.ROOSEVELT FOR A "POLICY OF HELPING DICTATORS IN THE AMERICAS" AND FOR GIVING "THE DICTATOR ANASTASIO SOMOZA OF NICARAGUA THE SAME HONORS IN WASHINGTON THEY TENDERED THE KING OF ENGLAND."

URBINA VASQUEZ SPOKE IN OPPOSITION TO A PROPOSAL TO PAY HOMAGE TO ROOSEVELT FOR HIS GOOD NEIGHBOR POLICY. THE RESOLUTION WAS AMENDED TO PAY TRIBUTE TO "ALL GREAT MEN OF THE AMERICAS."

AT THE OPENING CONFERENCE SESSION LAST NIGHT DELEGATES APPLAUDED URUGUAYAN SEN.JUAN GUICHEN WHEN HE REFERRED TO U.S. "FINANCIAL OR TECHNICAL AID TO DICTATOR GOVERNMENTS" WHICH HE SAID "HELPS THE DESPOTS AND IS IN FACT A FORM OF INTERVENTION."

THE UNITED STATES, GUICHEN DECLARED, "SAVED THE DESTINY OF THE WORLD TWICE AND IS A NATION WHICH CAN SAVE US FROM COMMUNISM. WE IN TURN CAN SAVE THE UNITED STATES FROM GRAVE TROUBLES BY SEEING THAT NO FIFTH COLUMN FORMS IN OUR COUNTRIES."

THERE WERE NO ATTACKS AGAINST ANY SPECIFIC LATIN-AMERICAN GOVERNMENTS. RUMORS HAVE CIRCULATED THAT ARGENTINA, COLOMBIA AND VENEZUELA MIGHT BREAK DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH CUBA, IF THE CONFERENCE BECAME A FORUM FOR VIOLENT ATTACKS ON THEIR GOVERNMENTS.

THE CUBAN GOVERNMENT HAS DENIED REPORTS THAT IT IS BACKING THE THREE-DAY CONFERENCE BUT CUBAN PRESIDENT CARLOS PRIO SENT WORD TO THE OPENING SESSION THAT HIS "DEMOCRATIC AND RELIGIOUS IDEAS ARE IN

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AGREEMENT WITH THE PURPOSES ANIMATING THE CONFERENCE."
AT THE OPENING SESSION LAST NIGHT MISS FRANCES GRANT OF NEW YORK, PRESIDENT OF THE LATIN-AMERICAN SECTION OF THE INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE FOR THE RIGHTS OF MAN, SAID "MILLIONS OF OUR OWN FELLOW AMERICANS ARE UNABLE TO SPEAK OUT BECAUSE IN AN ALARMING NUMBER OF AMERICAN COUNTRIES ALL CIVIL AND POLITICAL LIBERTY HAS BEEN SUPPRESSED."

"ACTUALLY IN THESE COUNTRIES CONDITIONS ARE IN NO WAY DIFFERENT THAN THOSE WHICH OBTAIN IN COUNTRIES OF THE IRON CURTAIN, OR IN NAZI GERMANY," SHE DECLARED, ASSERTING THAT "THE EVIL MIASMA OF DICTATORSHI IS SPREADING OVER THE EARTH."

REP.HOLIFIELD (D-CALIF) URGED THE CONFERENCE TO TACKLE "WITHOUT DELAY THE PROBLEM OF REVERSING WHAT SEEMS TO BE A PRESENT TREND OF REGIMES COMING INTO POWER THROUGH MILITARY VIOLENCE."

SPONSORS OF THE CONFERENCE SAID IT WAS OPPOSED TO "COMMUNISM, TO DICTATORS AND MILITARY GOVERNMENTS, AND TO GENERALISSIMO FRANCISCO FRANCO OF SPAIN." THE GOVERNMENTS OF ARGENTINA, COLOMBIA AND VENEZUEL OPPOSE THE MEETING AND HAVE BEEN REPORTED READY TO BREAK RELATIONS WIT CUBA IF THE CONGRESS APPEARED TO HAVE OFFICIAL BACKING.

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NIGHT LEAD CZECH

BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON,MAY 13-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES TODAY ORDERED A WHOLESALE OUSTER OF CZECH DIPLOMATS FROM THIS COUNTRY AND CHARGED THAT CZECHO-SLOVAKIA'S SOVIET SATELLITE GOVERNMENT IS UNABLE TO CONTROL ITS OWN FOREIGN POLICY.

THE AMERICAN COUNTERSTROKE, FOLLOWING A CZECH EJECTION OF ABOUT 40 U.S.DIPLOMATS THIS WEEK, WILL SEND AN ESTIMATED 22 OUT OF THE 33 CZECH REPRESENTATIVES HOMEWARD "WITHIN A REASONABLE TIME."

THE PRAGUE GOVERNMENT WAS ORDERED TO CLOSE ITS CONSULATES IN PITTSBURGH AND CLEVELAND, LEAVING ONLY THE WASHINGTON EMBASSY AND THE NEW YORK CONSULATE TO OPERATE AT A REDUCED LEVEL.

FURTHERMORE, THE STATE DEPARTMENT DECLARED IN A COLDLY ANGRY STATEMENT "THIS GOVERNMENT IS EXAMINING THE SITUATION NOT ONLY WITH RESPECT TO THE PRESENT BUT ALSO FOR THE FUTURE"--A CLEAR HINT OF POSSIBLE FURTHER MOVES AGAINST THE CZECHS.

THE ACTION WAS ANNOUNCED BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT AS THE LATEST IN A SERIES OF CLASHES WITH THE EASTERN EUROPEAN STATE WHICH, IN ITS PRE-COMMUNIST DAYS, WAS CLOSELY TIED TO THE UNITED STATES IN FRIENDSHIP ANI TRADE.

PREVIOUSLY THE UNITED STATES HAD CLOSED THE CZECH CONSULATE AT CHICAGO AFTER THE CZECH GOVERNMENT HAD CRACKED DOWN ON THE UNITED STATI INFORMATION SERVICE OFFICES AT PRAGUE AND BRATISLAVA AND FORCED THE RECALL OF AMERICAN PRESS ATTACHE JOSEPH C.KOLAREK.

THE CZECH GOVERNMENT MADE THE USUAL CHARGES OF SPY ACTIVITIES ON THE PART OF THE UNITED STATES, WHICH HOTLY DENIED THEM.

AMBASSADOR ELLIS O.BRIGGS CALLED AT THE PRAGUE FOREIGN OFFICE TODAY AND PRESENTED A NOTE, WHICH WAS ALSO HANDED TO THE CZECH AMBASSADOR, DR. VLADIMIR OUTRATA, HERE.

THE NOTE EMPLOYED THE STANDARD DIPLOMATIC FORMULA OF "REQUESTING" THAT THE CZECH GOVERNMENT SLASH ITS PERSONNEL IN THE UNITED STATES. THE CZECHS HAVE NO ALTERNATIVE BUT TO COMPLY. THE REDUCTION WHICH THE UNITED STATES HAS IN MIND IS A TOTAL OF TWO-THIRDS--OR 22 OUT OF 33 CZECH EMPLOYES AND DIPLOMATS HERE ACCORDING TO STATE DEPARTMENT FIGURES.

THE DEPARTMENT SAID THE TOTAL OF 33 BREAKS DOWN THIS WAY--13 CZECH DIPLOMATS AND STAFF EMPLOYES IN THE EMBASSY AT WASHINGTON, 15 IN THE CONSULATE AT NEW YORK, TWO IN THE CONSULATE AT PITTSBURGH AND TWO IN THE CONSULATE AT CLEVELAND. THE 33RD CZECH IS ACCOUNTED FOR, A STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL SAID, BY THE FACT THAT WHEN THE CHICAGO CONSULATE WAS CLOSED THE MAN STATIONED THERE WAS ORDERED TRANSFERRED TO ANOTHER POST BUT IS STILL IN THIS COUNTRY.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT ISSUED A STATEMENT WHICH REVIEWED ALL THE RECENT ACTIONS BY THE CZECHS AGAINST THIS COUNTRY AND ASSERTED:

"IT IS ALL TOO APPARENT THAT SUCH ACTIONS OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT ARE NOT DICTATED BY THE INTERESTS OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK PEOPLE OR FOR THAT MATTER BY THE INTERESTS OF THE PRESENT REGIME IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA. THEY FOLLOW A SET COURSE WHICH APPEARS TO HAVE BEEN PRESCRIBED FOR THE STATES OF EASTERN EUROPE AND INDICATE THE INABILITY OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT TO FOLLOW AN INDEPENDENT POLICY."

IN THESE WORDS, WITHOUT DIRECTLY MENTIONING RUSSIA, THE DEPARTMENT GAVE EXPRESSION TO A CONVICTION WIDELY HELD BY TOP OFFICIALS HERE. THIS IS THAT THE KREMLIN IS TRYING TO MAKE THE IRON CURTAIN AIR TIGHT AGAINST WESTERN IDEAS AND CONTACTS AND THAT THE SATELLITE GOVERNMENTS HAVE TO GO ALONG.

THE SHUTOUT IS NOT DIRECTED AGAINST THE UNITED STATES ALONE ALTHOUGH THIS COUNTRY IS THE PRIMARY TARGET. TODAY IN PRAGUE THE BRITISH CULTURAL AND INFORMATION SERVICE WAS ORDERED CLOSED BY NOON.

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SECOND LEAD CZECH

BY JOHN M. HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON, MAY 13-(AP)-A MASS OUSTER OF 22 OF THE 33 (CORRECT) CZECH DIPLOMATIC CORPS EMPLOYES IN THE UNITED STATES WAS ORDERED BY THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT TODAY. THE ACTION WAS TAKEN IN RETALIATION FOR THE EJECTION OF ABOUT 40 AMERICANS FROM COMMUNIST CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

IN ADDITION, THE UNITED STATES ORDERED THE CZECHS TO CLOSE THEIR CONSULATES IN CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH.

THE CZECH EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON AND THE CONSULATE IN NEW YORK WILL CONTINUE TO OPERATE BUT OBVIOUSLY WITH REDUCED STAFFS.

THE AMERICAN NOTE--DELIVERED IN PRAGUE AND TO THE CZECH AMBASSA-DOR HERE--AMOUNTED TO AN ORDER BUT WAS COUCHED IN THE USUAL DIPLOMATIC LANGUAGE OF A REQUEST.

THE UNITED STATES ALSO HINTED IT MAY TAKE NEW AND POSSIBLY MORE DRASTIC ACTION AGAINST THE CZECHS IN THE FUTURE. A STATEMENT ISSUED BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID THIS GOVERNMENT "IS EXAMINING THE SITUATION NOT ONLY WITH RESPECT TO THE PRESENT BUT ALSO FOR THE FUTURE."

THE MASS EJECTION OF CZECH REPRESENTATIVES AND THEIR STAFF EMPLOYES MUST OCCUR WITHIN A "REASONABLE TIME" THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID. OFFICIALS ADDED THAT THEY HAVE NOT TOLD THE PRAGUE GOVERNMENT JUST WHAT IS MEANT BY THAT. THE CZECHS PRESUMABLY WILL HAVE SEVERAL WEEKS TO SETTLE THEIR AFFAIRS AND GET OUT OF THE COUNTRY.

AT THE PITTSBURGH CONSULATE, A SPOKESMAN SAID:

"WE DO NOT KNOW ANYTHING OFFICIAL YET. IF IT (THE CONSULATE) IS CLOSED, WE WOULD GO HOME, OF COURSE."

THE SPOKESMAN WAS ZDENEK PALENICEK, A CLERK IN THE THREE-MAN OFFICE. HE SPOKE FOR CZECH CONSUL JOHN KOST WHO SPEAKS LITTLE ENGLISH.

KOST BECAME CONSUL SIX MONTHS AGO. HE SUCCEEDED ZDENEK PALMA WHO DIED.

OFFICIALS TOLD A REPORTER THE ORDER MEANS A TWO-THIRDS CUT IN THE 33 CZECH DIPLOMATS AND STAFF OFFICIALS IN THIS COUNTRY.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCED ORIGINALLY THAT THERE WERE 52 SUCH OFFICIALS IN THE U.S., AND THAT 35 HAD BEEN ORDERED TO LEAVE. LATER THE DEPARTMENT CORRECTED THESE FIGURES WITH THE FOLLOWING BREAKDOWN AS TO THEIR LOCATION:

WASHINGTON 13, NEW YORK 15, PITTSBURGH 2, CLEVELAND 2, AND ONE IN THE PROCESS OF BEING TRANSFERRED FROM THE CHICAGO CONSULATE WHICH PREVIOUSLY HAD BEEN ORDERED CLOSED. THE DEPARTMENT ORIGINALLY HAD ERRED IN LISTING 33 IN WASHINGTON INSTEAD OF 13.

MOST OF THE CZECHS ARE STAFF EMPLOYES. ONLY FIVE ARE LISTED AS DIPLOMATS IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S OFFICIAL DIPLOMATIC LIST.

THE U.S.NOTE WAS DELIVERED TO THE CZECH FOREIGN OFFICE AT PRAGUE BY AMBASSADOR ELLIS O.BRIGGS.

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IN WASHINGTON, THE CZECH AMBASSADOR, DR.VLADIMIR OUTRATA, WAS CALLED TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT. HE WAS GIVEN THE NOTE BY LLEWELLYN THOMPSON, ACTING CHIEF OF THE DIVISION OF EUROPEAN AFFAIRS.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT DID NOT RELEASE THE TEXT OF THE FORMAL NOTE. IT DID ISSUE A STATEMENT WHICH PRESS OFFICER LINCOLN WHITE SAID CLOSELY APPROXIMATED THE CONTENTS OF THE MESSAGE.

THE STATEMENT REVIEWED CZECH ATTACKS OF A POLITICAL OR PROPAGANDA NATURE ON THE UNITED STATES DURING THE PAST SIX WEEKS. IT SUGGESTED THAT THESE ARE PART OF A PATTERN FOR ALL SOVIETIZED EASTERN EUROPE, AIMED AT ISOLATING THE EASTERN EUROPEAN PEOPLES FROM THE WESTERN WORLD.

THE LATEST OF THE INCIDENTS CAME THIS WEEK. THE CZECH GOVERNMENT FORCED THE REMOVAL FROM THE AMERICAN EMBASSY AT PRAGUE AND THE CONSULATE AT BRATISLAVA OF ABOUT 40 OF THE 66 AMERICAN OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYES STATIONED IN THE TWO PLACES.

IN PRAGUE TODAY THE CZECHS GAVE IMMEDIATE CLOSE-DOWN ORDERS TO THE BRITISH CULTURAL AND INFORMATION SERVICES. THE CZECHS ACCUSED THE BRITISH OF CONTINUOUSLY VIOLATING A 1947 CULTURAL AGREEMENT BY SPREADING HOSTILE PROPAGANDA. THEY ALSO ACCUSED THE BRITISH OF EMPLOYING PERSONS INVOLVED IN ANTI-STATE ACTIVITIES.

THE AMERICAN NOTE TO THE CZECHS TODAY SAID THAT "IN VIEW OF RECENT ACTIONS OF THE CZECH AUTHORITIES WITH REFERENCE TO THE UNITED STATES, THE CZECH GOVERNMENT IS REQUESTED WITHIN A REASONABLE TIME TO CLOSE ITS CONSULATES IN CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH AND REDUCE THE NUMBER OF ITS TOTAL PERSONNEL IN THE UNITED STATES, INCLUDING ALL CATEGORIES EXCEPT REPRESENTATION AT THE UNITED NATIONS, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PRESENT REDUCED SCOPE OF RELATIONS BETWEEN THE TWO GOVERNMENTS."

IN ADDITION TO THE ACTIONS ORDERED TODAY, THE AMERICAN STATEMENT ISSUED HERE HELD A POSSIBLE HINT OF FURTHER STEPS TO BE TAKEN IF THE CZECHS CREATE MORE DIFFICULTIES FOR AMERICANS THERE.

THE STATEMENT REVIEWED CZECHOSLOVAK CHARGES OF MISTREATMENT BY AMERICANS IN GERMANY OF 58 PERSONS WHO ESCAPED FROM THE COMMUNIST COUNTRY IN MARCH, THE ENFORCED CLOSING OF THE U.S.INFORMATION SERVICE OFFICES AT PRAGUE AND BRATISLAVA IN APRIL, THE OUSTER OF THE AMERICAN PRESS ATTACHE AT PRAGUE, AND THE FORCED SLASH IN AMERICAN TOTAL PERSONNEL THIS WEEK.

THE STATEMENT SAID:

"IT IS ALL TOO APPARENT THAT SUCH ACTIONS OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT ARE NOT DICTATED BY THE INTERESTS OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK PEOPLE OR FOR THAT MATTER BY THE INTEREST OF THE PRESENT REGIME IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA. THEY FOLLOW A SET COURSE WHICH APPEARS TO HAVE BEEN PRESCRIBED FOR THE STATES OF EASTERN EUROPE AND INDICATE THE INABILITY OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT TO FOLLOW AN INDEPENDENT POLICY.

"IN VIEW OF THESE MANY EVIDENCES THAT CZECHOSLOVAKIA UNDER THE PRESENT GOVERNMENT WILL NOT OR CANNOT CONDUCT ITSELF IN ITS RELATIONS WITH THE UNITED STATES AND OTHER DEMOCRACIES IN A MANNER COMPATIBLE EITHER WITH THE TRADITIONS AND CULTURE OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA, OR WITH A DECENT REGARD FOR THE CONVENTIONS OF THE COMMUNITY OF NATIONS, THIS GOVERNMENT IS EXAMINING THE SITUATION NOT ONLY WITH RESPECT TO THE PRESENT BUT ALSO FOR THE FUTURE.

"IT IS NOW REDUCING THE SIZE OF ITS OFFICIAL REPRESENTATION.

"SINCE THE UNITED STATES CANNOT CONDUCT NORMAL DIPLOMATIC AND CONSULAR FUNCTIONS IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AND SINCE THE RELATIONS BETWEEN THE TWO GOVERNMENTS ARE BEING RESTRICTED IN SCOPE THROUGH THE FOREGOING ACTIONS OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT, THE LATTER HAS BEEN REQUESTED WITHIN A REASONABLE TIME TO CLOSE ITS CONSULATES IN CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH AND TO MAKE A REDUCTION IN ITS OFFICIAL PERSONNEL IN THE UNITED STATES SIMILAR TO THAT DEMANDED OF THE UNITED STATES IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA."

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~~SUB INTRO CZECH TEXT~~

~~WASHINGTON, MAY 13-(AP)~~-FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF A STATE DEPARTMENT STATEMENT TODAY ANNOUNCING ITS DEMAND FOR A TWO-THIRDS REDUCTION IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA U.S. DIPLOMATIC CORPS:

THE DEMAND OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT FOR THE DRASTIC REDUCTION OF UNITED STATES OFFICIAL PERSONNEL AT THE AMERICAN EMBASSY AND CONSULATE GENERAL IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA IS THE MOST RECENT IN A SERIES OF EFFORTS ON THE PART OF THAT GOVERNMENT, SIMILAR TO THE EFFORTS OF OTHER EASTERN EUROPEAN GOVERNMENTS, TO ISOLATE THE PEOPLE IN THOSE COUNTRIES FROM CONTACT WITH THE OUTSIDE WORLD. THESE ACTIONS INDICATE THAT THE CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT IN DEALING WITH THE UNITED STATES AND OTHER DEMOCRACIES HAS DELIBERATELY FAILED TO OBSERVE STANDARDS OF CONDUCT LONG ACCEPTED BY THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY AS NECESSARY FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF NORMAL RELATIONS BETWEEN NATIONS.

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THE FIRST OF THESE ACTIONS DURING THE PAST SIX WEEKS TOOK PLACE IN CONNECTION WITH THE UNAUTHORIZED LANDING AT ERDING FIELD NEAR MUNICH ON MARCH 24 OF THREE CZECHOSLOVAK AIRLINES PLANES, BEARING TWENTY-SIX CZECHOSLOVAK NATIONALS WHO SOUGHT POLITICAL ASYLUM AND FIFTY-EIGHT OTHERS WHO INDICATED THEIR WISH TO RETURN TO CZECHOSLOVAKIA. THE CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT SEIZED THIS OCCASION TO SEND TWO NOTES ASKING FOR THE EXTRADITION AS "COMMON CRIMINALS" OF THE PERSONS WHO PLANNED THE ESCAPE AND CHARGING UNITED STATES AUTHORITIES WITH MISTREATMENT OF THE FIFTY-EIGHT PERSONS TO WHOM OUR MILITARY AUTHORITIES IN GERMANY EXTENDED TEMPORARY HOSPITALITY. IN CONTRAST WITH RECENT CZECHOSLOVAK PRACTICE IN DEALING WITH A NUMBER OF AMERICAN CITIZENS IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA, THE FIFTY-EIGHT PERSONS WERE PERMITTED ACCESS TO THE CZECHOSLOVAK CONSUL GENERAL AT MUNICH AND ARRANGEMENTS MADE FOR THEIR RETURN TO CZECHOSLOVAKIA AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT REJECTED THE DEMAND FOR EXTRADITION AND REFUTED THE UNWARRANTED CHARGES OF MISTREATMENT. THE CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT HAS FAILED TO COMPLY WITH THE REQUEST OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT TO PUBLISH ITS NOTES REFUTING THE FALSE CHARGES.

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THIS WAS FOLLOWED DURING THE SEOND WEEK IN APRIL BY A CAMPAIGN AGAINST THE UNITED STATES INFORMATION SERVICE LIBRARIES OF THE EMBASSY IN PRAGUE AND THE CONSULATE GENERAL IN BRATISLAVA. THESE ATTACKS FALSELY ALLEGED THAT THE LIBRARIES WERE CENTERS OF ESPIONAGE ACTIVITIES. AS PART OF THIS CAMPAIGN STATEMENTS WERE OBTAINED FROM TWO LOCAL EMPLOYEES OF THE LIBRARY IN PRAGUE THROUGH POLICE PRESSURE AFTER THEIR ARREST.

"CONFESSIONS" WERE MADE BY TWO OTHERS IN A PUBLIC TRIAL AFTER THEY HAD BEEN DETAINED BY POLICE FOR A MONTH. THE CZECHOSLOVAK AUTHORITIES, IN THE EFFORT TO BUILD A PROPAGANDA CASE, EVEN TRIED TO INTIMIDATE THE AMERICAN LIBRARIAN AND EXPLOIT A PERSONAL RELATIONSHIP. THIS ATTACK WAS FOLLOWED BY A REQUEST ON APRIL 19 TO CLOSE THE LIBRARIES AND RECALL THE AMERICAN PRESS ATTACHE, JOSEPH C.KOLAREK.

THE CHARGES OF IMPROPER ACTIVITIES AGAINST THE UNITED STATES LIBRARIES AND THE UNITED STATES PRESS ATTACHE WERE CLEARLY UNFOUNDED. THE CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT HAD NO BASIS WHATEVER TO ASK THE UNITED STATES THROUGH THE CLOSING OF ITS LIBRARIES TO ELIMINATE THOSE NORMAL CULTURAL FUNCTIONS OF THE DIPLOMATIC REPRESENTATIVES OF ONE COUNTRY TO ANOTHER. THE CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT THEREBY REVEALED NOT ONLY ITS FEAR OF TRUTH AND OF CONTACTS WITH THE FREE WORLD, BUT ALSO ITS UNWILLINGNESS OR INABILITY TO MAINTAIN NORMAL RELATIONS WITH THE UNITED STATES.

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THIS SERIES OF EVENTS CULMINATED IN A DEMAND BY THE CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT ON APRIL 28 THAT THE UNITED STATES WITHIN A REASONABLE TIME REDUCE THE OFFICIAL PERSONNEL OF ITS EMBASSY AND CONSULATE GENERAL BY TWO-THIRDS. ON MAY 10, WHILE THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT WAS ENGAGED IN THE CAREFUL CONSIDERATION OF THIS PROBLEM, A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS ABRUPTLY DEMANDED THAT THE REDUCTION BE COMPLETED BY MAY 17.

IT IS ALL TOO APPARENT THAT SUCH ACTIONS OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT ARE NOT DICTATED BY THE INTERESTS OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK PEOPLE OR FOR THAT MATTER BY THE INTERESTS OF THE PRESENT REGIME IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA. THEY FOLLOW A SET COURSE WHICH APPEARS TO HAVE BEEN PRESCRIBED FOR THE STATES OF EASTERN EUROPE AND INDICATE THE INABILITY OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT TO FOLLOW AN INDEPENDENT POLICY.

IN VIEW OF THESE MANY EVIDENCES THAT CZECHOSLOVAKIA UNDER THE PRESENT GOVERNMENT WILL NOT OR CANNOT CONDUCT ITSELF IN ITS RELATIONS WITH THE UNITED STATES AND OTHER DEMOCRACIES IN A MANNER COMPATIBLE EITHER WITH THE TRADITIONS AND CULTURE OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA, OR WITH A DECENT REGARD FOR THE CONVENTIONS OF THE COMMUNITY OF NATIONS THIS GOVERNMENT IS EXAMINING THE SITUATION NOT ONLY WITH RESPECT TO THE PRESENT BUT ALSO FOR THE FUTURE. IT IS NOW REDUCING THE SIZE OF ITS OFFICIAL REPRESENTATION. SINCE THE UNITED STATES CANNOT CONDUCT NORMAL DIPLOMATIC AND CONSULAR FUNCTIONS IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AND SINCE THE RELATIONS BETWEEN THE TWO GOVERNMENTS ARE BEING RESTRICTED IN SCOPE THROUGH THE FOREGOING ACTIONS OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT, THE LATTER HAS BEEN REQUESTED WITHIN A REASONABLE TIME TO CLOSE ITS CONSULATES IN CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH AND TO MAKE A REDUCTION IN ITS OFFICIA PERSONNEL IN THE UNITED STATES SIMILAR TO THAT DEMANDED OF THE UNITED STATES IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

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WASHINGTON, MAY 13-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES MAY ACT TODAY TO FORCE A DRASTIC SLASH IN THE DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS OF COMMUNIST CZECHOSLOVAKIA IN THIS COUNTRY.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAS PREPARED A NOTE IN EFFECT ORDERING THE RECALL OF A HIGH PERCENTAGE OF THE 30-ODD CZECH DIPLOMATS STATIONED AT THE EMBASSY HERE AND AT CONSULATES IN NEW YORK, PITTSBURGH AND CLEVELAND.

ONE OR MORE OF THE CONSULATES IS EXPECTED TO BE CLOSED.

THE AMERICAN ACTION WAS PLANNED AS A RETALIATORY STROKE BECAUSE OF THE CZECH GOVERNMENT'S OUSTER OF TWO-THIRDS OF THIS COUNTRY'S EMBASSY AND CONSULAR STAFFS IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

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(CO) CLEVELAND, O., MAY 13-(AP)-STANISLAV DVORAK, CZECHOSLOVAKIAN COUNSUL IN CLEVELAND, SAID TODAY HE WOULD "AWAIT INSTRUCTIONS FROM PRAGUE" ON A U.S. DEMAND TO CLOSE CONSULATES HERE AND IN PITTSBURGH.

DVORAK, 50, SAID THE CLEVELAND CONSULATE SERVES OHIO, MICHIGAN AND KENTUCKY. NO FIGURES ARE AVAILABLE ON THE NUMBER OF CZECH NATIONALS IN THE AREA, HE SAID, BUT THE THREE STATES HAVE 60,000 FAMILIES OF CZECH ORIGIN WHO ARE CITIZENS OF THE UNITED STATES.

DVORAK HAS ONE ASSISTANT, MILOSLAV BARCAL.

THE CONSUL CAME HERE FOUR YEARS AGO FROM PRAGUE, WITH HIS WIFE AND TWO CHILDREN. THE CHILDREN BECAME STUDENTS AT WESTERN RESERVE UNIVERSITY. A PROFESSIONAL DIPLOMAT, DVORAK HELD POSTS IN BULGARIA AND GERMANY BEFORE WORLD WAR II.

WHEN HE ARRIVED HERE, HE SAID HE BELONGED TO NONE OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA'S POLITICAL PARTIES.

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BY MARVIN L.ARROWSMITH

WASHINGTON, MAY13-(AP)-SENATOR CHAVEZ (D-NM) DECLARED TODAY THAT HIS BITTER ATTACK ON EX-COMMUNIST LOUIS BUDENZ WAS STRICTLY HIS OWN IDEA, WITH NO PROMPTING FROM THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION.

REPLYING TO A CONTENTION BY SENATOR MC CARTHY (R-WIS) THAT THE NEW MEXICO DEMOCRAT WAS DUPED BY ADMINISTRATION SPOKESMEN INTO "THIS OUTRAGEOUS ATTEMPT TO SMEAR BUDENZ," CHAVEZ TOLD REPORTERS:

"JOE MC CARTHY NEED NOT FEEL SORRY FOR ME. I'LL BE HERE IN THE SENATE A LOT LONGER THAN HE WILL BE. NOBODY DUPES ME. I DO THINGS ON MY OWN VOLITION AND I TAKE THE RESPONSIBILITY."

CHAVEZ LIT INTO BUDENZ IN A SENATE SPEECH YESTERDAY. HE SAID BUDENZ, ONE TIME MANAGING EDITOR OF THE COMMUNIST DAILY WORKER, HAS BEEN USING THE CROSS OF THE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH "AS A CLUB" IN THE SENATE INQUIRY INTO MC CARTHY'S CHARGES OF COMMUNISM IN THE GOVERNMENT.

CHAVEZ, A CATHOLIC HIMSELF, ALSO DISCUSSED IN DETAIL WHAT HE CALLED BUDENZ' "SORDID PAST."

BUDENZ, WHO RENOUNCED COMMUNISM IN 1945 AND REJOINED THE CATHOLIC CHURCH, MADE NO IMMEDIATE REPLY TO CHAVEZ.

AT MC CARTHY'S REQUEST, BUDENZ TESTIFIED UNDER SUBPOENA LAST MONTH BEFORE THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE INVESTIGATING MC CARTHY'S CHARGES THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT EMPLOYES A LOT OF COMMUNISTS AND

RED SYMPATHIZERS.

BUDENZ SWORE THEN THAT HIGH COMMUNIST OFFICIALS TOLD HIM WHEN HE STILL BELONGED TO THE PARTY THAT OWEN LATTIMORE, FAR EASTERN AFFAIRS EXPERT AND JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY PROFESSOR, WAS A MEMBER OF A COMMUNIST CELL.

LATTIMORE, SOMETIMES A CONSULTANT TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT, DENIED THE CHARGE UNDER OATH. HE ALSO DENIED MC CARTHY'S CONTENTION THAT HE IS RUSSIA'S NO. 1 SPY IN THIS COUNTRY.

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CHAVEZ TOLD THE SENATE THAT BUDENZ, NOW ON THE FACULTY AT CATHOLIC FORDHAM UNIVERSITY IN NEW YORK, STILL IS A COMMUNIST SO FAR AS HE IS CONCERNED. HE ADDED:

"FOR THE FIRST TIME IN MY 19 YEARS IN CONGRESS, I MAKE A DELIBERATE POINT OF REFERRING TO MY RELIGION. I SPEAK AS A ROMAN CATHOLIC."

THEN CHAVEZ SAID OF BUDENZ:

"HE HAS BEEN SPEAKING NOT JUST AS A PRIVATE CITIZEN. BUDENZ HAS BEEN SPEAKING WITH SPECIAL EMPHASIS AS A CATHOLIC, INVESTING HIS APPEARANCES AND UTTERANCES WITH AN ADDED SANCTITY BY VIRTUE OF THE FACT THAT HE RECENTLY WENT THROUGH THE FORMS OF CONVERSION TO CATHOLICISM.

"MY ANCESTORS BROUGHT THE CROSS TO THIS HEMISPHERE. LOUIS BUDENZ HAS BEEN USING THIS CROSS AS A CLUB."

MC CARTHY WAS NOT IN THE SENATE WHEN CHAVEZ SPOKE, BUT HE GOT OUT A STATEMENT LATER INDICATING BELIEF THAT CHAVEZ WAS PUT UP TO HIS ATTACK ON BUDENZ BY SENATOR TYDINGS (D-MD), CHAIRMAN OF THE INQUIRY COMMITTEE, AND SENATOR LUCAS (D-ILL), THE MAJORITY LEADER.

MC CARTHY SAID THE "EXHIBITION ON THE SENATE FLOOR WAS, SO FAR AS I KNOW, WITHOUT PRECEDENT IN SENATE HISTORY. X X X

"THE PERSONAL ATTACK ON MR.BUDENZ, I AM SURE, WILL NOT DETER HIM FROM COMPLETING HIS TESTIMONY. HE UNDOUBTEDLY EXPECTED TO BE SMEARED AND VILIFIED WHEN HE DEDICATED THE BALANCE OF HIS LIFE TO THE EXPOSURE OF COMMUNISTS IN PLACES OF DANGER TO THIS NATION."

MC CARTHY ADDED THAT ADMINISTRATION SPOKESMEN, "UNDER THE DIRECTION OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S PUBLICITY MEN," ARE ACCOMPLISHING A "DIABOLICALLY CLEVER PURPOSE" BY MAKING IT IMPOSSIBLE TO OBTAIN WITNESSES WHO ARE "LESS COURAGEOUS THAN MR.BUDENZ."

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CHAVEZ TOLD REPORTERS:

"I HAVE NOT SEEN OR TALKED TO ANYONE FROM THE STATE DEPARTMENT OR CONNECTED WITH THE ADMINISTRATION ON THIS MATTER. I DO THINGS ON MY OWN."

WHEN CHAVEZ CONTENDED IN THE SENATE THAT BUDENZ HAS GIVEN PERJURED OR FALSE TESTIMONY, SENATOR FERGUSON (R-MICH) DEMANDED THAT CHAVEZ BE SPECIFIC.

"EVERYTHING HE SAYS," CHAVEZ RETORTED.

CHAVEZ ENDORSED A PROPOSAL BY SENATOR FLANDERS (R-VT) TO FORBID THE SENATE INQUIRY COMMITTEE TO HOLD ANY MORE PUBLIC HEARINGS.

"THE AMERICAN PEOPLE," SAID CHAVEZ, "ARE ENTITLED TO KNOW THE FACTS. BUT THE AMERICAN PEOPLE DO NOT WANT, I AM CERTAIN, THE UNITED STATES SENATE TO BE TURNED INTO A PLATFORM FOR EVERY HALF-BAKED GOSSIP, EVERY SUSPICIOUS OR VENGEFUL INDIVIDUAL, EVERY MOUNTEBANK AND SCANDALMONGER WHO REVELS IN THE GLORY OF PRATTLING PUBLICLY."

OF BUDENZ' PAST, CHAVEZ HAD THIS TO SAY:

"HE MARRIED GIZZELLA BUDENZ IN 1916 AND WAS DIVORCED BY HER FOR DESERTION IN 1938.

"BY HIS OWN ADMISSION BUDENZ ENTERED INTO RELATIONS WITH ONE MARGARET ROGERS WHILE STILL MARRIED TO GIZZELLA BUDENZ. THIS BEFORE HE BECAME A COMMUNIST. HE HAD THREE CHILDREN WITH MARGARET ROGERS IN 1934, 1937 AND 1943 AND THEN MARRIED HER IN 1945.

"UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, BUDENZ WAS GUILTY OF BIGAMY, AS HE WAS INVOLVED IN A COMMON LAW MARRIAGE WITH MARGARET ROGERS WHILE STILL LEGALLY WED TO ANOTHER WOMAN.

"FINALLY, TO AFFORD HIM SOME RELIEF FROM THE HUM-DRUM DOMESTICITY OF TWO WIVES AT THE SAME TIME, HE APPEARS TO HAVE REGISTERED UNDER VARIOUS ALIASES IN HOTELS IN PENNSYLVANIA, NEW YORK AND CONNECTICUT, CONCENTRATING HIS ATTENTIONS ON A CERTAIN LOUISE GAHEN.

"LOUISE GAHEN WAS BUDENZ' ADOPTED DAUGHTER--A RELATIONSHIP WHICH, THOUGH NOT DIRECTLY BIOLOGICAL, IS SUPPOSED TO, IN OUR SOCIETY, INVOLVE CERTAIN PROPRIETIES AND DECENCIES ON THE PART OF THE PARENT.

"BUDENZ LIKES TO ATTRIBUTE HIS SORDID PAST TO THE CORRUPTING INFLUENCE OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY, BUT THIS IS HARDLY CORRECT INASMUCH AS HIS DEPRAVITY REACHED ITS DEPTH BEFORE HE JOINED THE COMMUNISTS IN 1935, AT THE TENDER AGE OF 44."

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WASHINGTON, MAY 13-(AP)-U.S. DIPLOMAT JOHN CARTER VINCENT, WHO IS REPORTED TO BE "CASE NO. 2" IN SENATOR MC CARTHY'S [redacted] RED INFLUENCE IN GOVERNMENT, SAID TODAY THE STATE DEPARTMENT WOULD MAKE A STATEMENT ON THE MATTER WHEN WARRANTED.

VINCENT, WHO IS MINISTER TO SWITZERLAND, MADE THAT REPLY IN A CABLE TO THE ASSOCIATED PRESS, WHICH HAD SENT A MESSAGE TO BERN ASKING HIM FOR COMMENT.

MC CARTHY HAS SAID THAT "CASE NO 2" WAS THAT OF A "FOREIGN AGENT" WHO SLIPPED SECRET GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS TO RUSSIA. HE DID NOT PUT VINCENT'S NAME ON THE PUBLIC RECORD BUT IT HAS BEEN WIDELY KNOWN IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND OTHER GOVERNMENT CIRCLES FOR WEEKS THAT IT WAS TO VINCENT HE REFERRED.

AND IT WAS OF VINCENT THAT DEPUTY UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE JOHN E. PEURIFOY WAS SPEAKING THREE DAYS AGO WHEN HE TOLD NEWSMEN THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAS NO EVIDENCE WHICH WOULD "EVEN REMOTELY SUBSTANTIATE" MC CARTHY'S CHARGE AGAINST THE VETERAN DIPLOMAT.

TOLD OF VINCENT'S CABLE, MC CARTHY SAID:

"THE NAMES IN ALL 81 CASES HAVE BEEN GIVEN TO THE SENATE COMMITTEE AND ARE KNOWN TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

"I WOULD PREFER NOT TO HAVE TO DISCLOSE THE IDENTITY OF ANY OF THEM. HOWEVER, IF THE COMMITTEE AND THE STATE DEPARTMENT DO NOT CONDUCT A REAL INVESTIGATION OF CASE NO. 2, I WILL HAVE TO TAKE THE SENATE FLOOR AND NAME THE MAN.

"I HOPE THE COMMITTEE WON'T FORCE ME TO DO THAT."

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HE REFERRED TO A SENATE SUBCOMMITTEE INVESTIGATING HIS CHARGES THAT THE DEPARTMENT IS INFESTED WITH COMMUNISTS AND THEIR SYMPATHIZERS.

MC CARTHY MADE HIS CHARGES IN A SENATE SPEECH LAST FEB. 20. HE ELABORATED ON THE ACCUSATIONS IN A SPEECH AND AT A NEWS CONFERENCE IN JANESVILLE, WIS., LAST SUNDAY.

IT ALSO IS KNOWN THAT MC CARTHY HAS HANDED VINCENT'S NAME TO THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE INVESTIGATING THE SENATOR'S CHARGES THAT THERE ARE MANY COMMUNISTS AND FELLOW TRAVELERS IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

VINCENT'S LOYALTY FILE IS AMONG THE 81 THE COMMITTEE BEGAN STUDYING THIS WEEK WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S APPROVAL.

LAST THURSDAY REPORTER ALFRED FRIENDLY OF THE WASHINGTON POST WROTE OF MC CARTHY'S CASE NO. 2:

"THE DESCRIPTION--ALTHOUGH NOT THE ACCUSATIONS--MC CARTHY HAS GIVEN OF THE MAN COULD APPLY TO JOHN CARTER VINCENT, AMERICAN MINISTER TO SWITZERLAND."

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS THEN CABLED VINCENT IN BERN, SWITZERLAND, TELLING HIM OF THE POST'S STORY AND ASKING FOR COMMENT.

VINCENT ACKNOWLEDGED THE CABLE AND REPLIED THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT "WILL MAKE STATEMENT WHEN WARRANTED."

DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS DECLINED TO COMMENT TODAY, BUT THEY LET IT BE

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KNOWN THAT THE DEPARTMENT HAS COMPLETE CONFIDENCE IN VINCENT.
VINCENT, 49, HAS BEEN A FOREIGN SERVICE OFFICER SINCE 1924 AND HAS SPENT MANY YEARS IN CHINA FOR THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

HE BECAME ASSISTANT CHIEF OF THE DEPARTMENT'S DIVISION OF FAR EASTERN AFFAIRS IN AUGUST 1943, CHIEF OF THE DIVISION OF CHINESE AFFAIRS IN JANUARY 1944, AND DIRECTOR OF THE OFFICE OF FAR EASTERN AFFAIRS IN SEPTEMBER 1945.

HE WAS NAMED MINISTER TO SWITZERLAND IN JULY 1945.

MC CARTHY HAS LINKED VINCENT TO OWEN LATTIMORE, FAR EASTERN AFFAIRS EXPERT, AND OTHERS HE CONTENDS SHAPED AN AMERICAN POLICY ON THE ORIENT WHICH BETRAYED CHINA TO THE RUSSIANS.

THERE HAVE BEEN REPORTS THAT MC CARTHY HAS HESITATED ABOUT PRESSING HIS CHARGES AGAINST VINCENT BECAUSE HE RECEIVED WORD, THE STORY GOES, THAT GEN. GEORGE C. MARSHALL, FORMER SECRETARY OF STATE, IS READY TO COME TO VINCENT'S DEFENSE IF MC CARTHY PERSISTS.

MC CARTHY SAID FRIDAY, HOWEVER, THAT HE HAS PROOF OF HIS CASE NO. 2 CHARGES WHICH HE WILL PRODUCE "AT THE PROPER TIME." HE ALSO HAS SAID HE WOULD PUT A NAME TO CASE NO. 2 IN THE SENATE IF THE INQUIRY COMMITTEE FAILED TO LOOK INTO IT THOROUGHLY.

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(230) FINANCE CENTER

WASHINGTON, MAY 13-(AP)-REP.MC CARTHY (D-MINN) SAID TODAY HE DOES NOT BELIEVE HOUSE INVESTIGATORS FOUND ANY REAL EVIDENCE OF COMMUNIST INFILTRATION AT THE ARMY FINANCE CENTER IN ST.LOUIS.

MC CARTHY IS A MEMBER OF A HOUSE CIVIL SERVICE SUBCOMMITTEE PROBING CHARGES OF COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES AND IRRREGULARITIES IN ACCOUNTS AT THE CENTER, WHICH HANDLES DEPENDENT ALLOTMENTS FOR THE ARMY AND AIR FORCE.

THE SUBCOMMITTEE, HEADED BY REP. KARST (D-MO), HAS JUST MADE PUBLIC A PRELIMINARY REPORT IN WHICH IT ACCUSES THE ARMY OF MAKING OVERPAYMENTS IN ALLOTMENTS, KEEPING MUDDLED RECORDS, AND PERMITTING ERRONEOUS EXPENSE ACCOUNTS.

THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE HAS ANNOUNCED AN INVESTIGATION OF THE CENTER--THE SIXTH IT HAS UNDERGONE.

THE KARST REPORT SAID THAT DURING THE PAST THREE YEARS 63 PERSONS HAVE BEEN INVESTIGATED AS SECURITY RISKS AT THE CENTER, OF WHOM 44 PER CENT QUIT OR WERE FIRED WHILE UNDER INVESTIGATION.

BUT MC CARTHY SAID THAT ALL OCCURED BEFORE THE SUBCOMMITTEE BEGAN ITS PROBE. HE ADDED THAT EVIDENCE DEVELOPED BY THE COMMITTEE WAS "QUITE SERIOUS" BUT SO FAR HAS NOT BEEN "ALARMING."

THE REPORT SAYS THAT THE SUBCOMMITTEE TURNED UP "AT LEAST THREE" ADDITIONAL SECURITY RISK CASES. BUT MC CARTHY SAID NONE OF THESE WERE CONNECTED WITH COMMUNISM.

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(220) ARMY FINANCE CENTER

WASHINGTON, MAY 13-(AP)-REP.KILDAY (D-TEX) PLANS TO BEGIN PUBLIC HEARINGS MONDAY ON ALLEGED IRREGULARITIES AT THE ARMY FINANCE CENTER IN ST.LOUIS.

KILDAY HEADS THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICES SUBCOMMITTEE WHICH WILL BE THE SIXTH GROUP TO CONDUCT AN INVESTIGATION OF THE CENTER. THE MANY INQUIRIES INVOLVE CHARGES OF "COMMUNIST INFILTRATION," ERRONEOUS EXPENSE ACCOUNTS, OVERPAYMENTS OF MILITARY ALLOTMENTS AND TAMPERING WITH PERSONAL FILES.

THESE CHARGES ALREADY HAVE BEEN REVIEWED IN A REPORT OF A HOUSE CIVIL SERVICE SUBCOMMITTEE. THE ARMY, FI, GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE AND THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION HAVE CONDUCTED SEPARATE INQUIRIES.

KILDAY SAID YESTERDAY HIS SUBCOMMITTEE WILL CONCERN ITSELF WITH MILITARY PASSES AND MILITARY PERSONNEL. HE SAID NO FACTS WILL BE WITHHELD AND THE "INVESTIGATION WILL PROCEED ON THE THEORY OF LETTING THE CHIPS FALL WHERE THEY MAY."

HE SAID "ANY AND ALL IRREGULARITIES WILL BE DISCLOSED AND RECOMMENDATIONS WILL BE MADE TO THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY WITH RESPECT TO ANY MILITARY PERSONNEL WHO MAY BE FOUND CULPABLE."

THE ARMY HAS PROMISED "APPROPRIATE ACTION" AFTER ITS OWN INQUIRY IS COMPLETED.

THE CIVIL SERVICE SUBCOMMITTEE, HEADED BY REP.KARST (D-MO) WILL CONTINUE ITS PROBE OF CIVILIAN ANGLES. KARST, IN A PRELIMINARY REPORT, RECOMMENDED PUBLIC HEARINGS BE HELD. HE SAID VERY FINE WORK IS BEING DONE BY PERSONNEL IN GENERAL AT THE CENTER AND THEY SHOULD NOT BE DISCREDITED BY THE ACTIONS OF A FEW IN KEY POSTS.

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GERMANY

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(ADVANCE)-WASHINGTON,MAY 13-(AP)-FIVE SENATORS HAVE APPEALED TO SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON TO OPPOSE INCREASED GERMAN STEEL PRODUCTION AND "ANY FURTHER INDEPENDENCE" FOR THE WEST GERMAN GOVERNMENT AT THIS TIME.

THEY SAID ANY MOVES TO STRENGTHEN GERMANY MIGHT WEAKEN WESTERN UNITY AND AID THE RUSSIANS IN "THEIR ATTEMPTS TO ABSORB ALL OF GERMANY WITHIN THE EASTERN BLOC OF NATIONS."

THE APPEAL WAS CONTAINED IN A LETTER THE FIVE SENATORS SENT TO ACHESON IN LONDON, WHERE THE SECRETARY IS ATTENDING THE WESTERN POWERS' FOREIGN MINISTERS CONFERENCE.

SENATOR GILLETTE (D-IOWA) RELEASED THE LETTER TODAY. BESIDES GILLETTE, ITS SIGNERS INCLUDED SENATORS HENDRICKSON (R-NJ), IVES (R-NY), KILGORE (D-WVA), AND LEHMAN (D-LIB-NY).

THE LETTER WAS DATED MAY 9, BEFORE THE RECENT DEVELOPMENTS INVOLVING GERMANY IN THE TALKS BETWEEN ACHESON, BRITISH FOREIGN MINISTER BEVIN AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER SCHUMAN.

THE BIG THREE MINISTERS HAVE BEEN DISCUSSING WAYS OF DRAWING WESTERN GERMANY MORE CLOSELY INTO WESTERN EUROPE'S ECONOMIC AND MILITARY DEFENSE PATTERN.

THE LETTER SAID CHANCES OF UNIFYING THE NATIONS OF EUROPE WILL FAIL "IF ONCE AGAIN THEIR PEOPLE BEGIN TO FEAR THE RESURGENCE OF GERMAN INDUSTRIAL AND MILITARY MIGHT."

"GIVEN THE ALREADY EXISTING SURPLUS OF STEEL ABOVE MARKET REQUIREMENTS THIS YEAR IN WESTERN EUROPE," THE SENATORS SAID, "NO INCREASE IN THE PRESENT LEVEL OF GERMAN STEEL PRODUCTION CAN BE JUSTIFIED."

THEY REFERRED TO REPORTS THAT GERMANY'S PRESENT STEEL PRODUCTION OF 11,200,000 TONS ANNUALLY MAY BE INCREASED TO 12,500,000 TONS OR MORE THIS YEAR AND TO 14,500,000 TONS BY 1952.

BEFORE GIVING THE GERMAN GOVERNMENT GREATER INDEPENDENCE, IT WAS ARGUED, THE ALLIES SHOULD CONCENTRATE ON LARD REFORMS, CONSUMER GOODS PRODUCTION [illegible]ING, OUTLAWING CARTELS, AND RAISING GERMAN PURCHASING POWER.

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~~BABY A-BOMBS~~

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WASHINGTON, MAY 13-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES HAS BABY A-BOMBS SMALL ENOUGH TO BE CARRIED BY JET FIGHTER-BOMBERS YET POSSIBLY AS POWERFUL AS THEIR KING-SIZED BROTHERS.

DETAILED INFORMATION ON THE BOMBS IS A CAREFULLY GUARDED SECRET. IN FACT, THERE HAS BEEN NO OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT AS YET THAT THEY EXIST.

THE FIRST DEFINITE INDICATION THAT SUCH WEAPONS ARE IN PRODUCTION WAS GLEANED BY A REPORTER SEEKING INFORMATION ON DISCUSSIONS AMONG MILITARY LEADERS OVER THE POSSIBILITY OF ARMING THIS COUNTRY'S NORTH ATLANTIC ALLIES WITH ATOMIC WEAPONS.

THE DISCUSSIONS WERE SAID TO BE BASED ON THE POSSIBILITY OF USING "LIGHTWEIGHT" BOMBS AS TACTICAL WEAPONS TO REPLACE EXPENSIVE GROUND FORCES IN EUROPE.

WHILE THE SIZE OF THE "BABY" A-BOMBS IS SECRET, THE FACT THAT THEY CAN BE CARRIED BY JET FIGHTER-BOMBERS GIVES SOME HINT OF THEIR WEIGHT. THE REPUBLIC F-84 THUNDERJET, A TYPICAL JET FIGHTER-BOMBER NOW IN USE BY THE AIR FORCE, CAN CARRY TWO 1,000-POUND BOMBS, ONE UNDER EACH WING.

IN WHAT MAY HAVE BEEN THE FIRST VEILED REFERENCE TO THE NEW BOMBS, SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON SAID IN A REPORT TO CONGRESS A FEW WEEKS AGO:

"ATOMIC WEAPONS ARE NO LONGER A SMALL NUMBER OF BOMBS OF A SINGLE SIZE AND TYPE TO BE USED ONLY STRATEGICALLY ON A CAREFULLY SELECTED TARGET. A VARIETY OF WEAPONS IS UNDER DEVELOPMENT WHICH MAY IN THE NEAR FUTURE HAVE MILITARY SIGNIFICANCE BOTH TACTICALLY AND STRATEGICALLY."

TACTICAL USE OF THE A-BOMB TO SUPPORT GROUND [redacted] SEA SURFACE ACTION IS AN OFTEN-MENTIONED GOAL OF MILITARY PLANNERS. EXPERTS AGREE THAT SUCH USE HINGES ON MAKING AVAILABLE LARGE QUANTITIES OF SMALL BOMBS TO SWIFT, HIGHLY MANEUVERABLE PLANES.

IN THE RECENT MANEUVERS IN THE CARIBBEAN SEAT AREA, A NAVY PLANE STAGED A STIMULATED A-BOMB ATTACK ON FLEET UNITS, DROPPING A FLARE INSTEAD OF BOMBS.

SCIENTISTS AGREE THAT THE A-BOMB CAN BE REDUCED IN SIZE WITHOUT REDUCING THE POWER. RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN BOMB CASINGS, ALONG WITH INCREASED KNOWLEDGE OF ATOMIC MATERIALS, MAKE IT HIGHLY PROBABLE THAT THE NEW BOMB IS MORE POWERFUL THAN EARLY MODELS DROPPED ON JAPAN OR TESTED AT BIKINI.

BOMB SIZE IS BASED BOTH ON THE AMOUNT OF FISSIONABLE MATERIAL NECESSARY TO PRODUCE AN EXPLOSION AND ON THE TYPE OF NON-EXPLOSIVE SHELL REQUIRED TO CONTAIN THE MATERIAL FOR SAFE HANDLING AND DELIVERY.

DISCLOSURE OF THE SMALL-SIZED BOMBS COULD INDICATE IMPROVED TECHNIQUES IN SHELL PRODUCTION OR DEVELOPMENT OF LIGHTER WEIGHT MATERIAL FOR CONTAINING THE EXPLOSIVES.

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BY DOUGLAS B. CORNELL

WASHINGTON, MAY 13-(AP)-ONE OF THE BIG QUESTIONS CONFRONTING W. STUART SYMINGTON AS THE NEW MOBILIZATION BOSS IS WHETHER TO TOOL UP NOW FOR WARTIME RATIONING AND WAGE AND PRICE CONTROLS.

THE CONTROLS WOULD BE ON A STANDBY BASIS, FOR USE IF AND WHEN WAR CAME. ALONG WITH THEM WOULD GO A LOT OF OTHER CONTROLS--OVER EMPLOYMENT, PROFITS, STRIKES AND ALL THE MUSCLES, MONEY AND MATERIALS NEEDED FOR A WAR EFFORT.

A BILL TO AUTHORIZE AGAIN THE CURBS AND SCRIMPING THAT WENT ON IN THE LAST WAR, AND PERHAPS SOME OTHERS, IS READY. THE NATIONAL SECURITY RESOURCES BOARD (NSRB) OF WHICH SYMINGTON HAS JUST BECOME CHAIRMAN, HAS DRAFTED A ONE-PACKAGE BILL A QUARTER OF AN INCH THICK.

THE BILL HAS BEEN REVISED FOUR TIMES AND MIGHT BE CHANGED SOME MORE. IT COULD BE SPLIT INTO SEVERAL BILLS.

BUT IT COULD BE SENT TO CONGRESS TOMORROW IF SYMINGTON, AND PRESIDENT TRUMAN GAVE THE SIGNAL.

THE MAIN QUESTION IS ONE OF TIMING. AND IT LOOKS AS IF MOBILIZATION LEGISLATION WON'T BE ONE OF THE WORRIES THRUST ON THE PRESENT CONGRESS. FOR ONE THING THERE WOULDN'T BE TIME TO ACT ON IT BEFORE THE SESSION ENDS THIS SUMMER. UNQUESTIONABLY THERE WOULD BE PLENTY OF SCRAPPING BEFORE CONGRESS ACTED ON THE WARTIME POWERS.

A BETTER BET IS THAT THE PRESIDENT MIGHT INCLUDE STAND-BY MOBILIZATION LEGISLATION IN HIS PROGRAM FOR THE 82ND CONGRESS WHEN IT MEETS NEXT JANUARY. THAT WOULD ALLOW FOR A THOROUGH STUDY BOTH BY CONGRESS AND SYMINGTON, WHO WAS AIR FORCE SECRETARY UNTIL HIS TRANSFER.

SEVEN CABINET OFFICERS, OFTEN REPRESENTED BY ASSISTANTS, ARE THE MEMBERS OF NSRB. THE BOARD WAS ESTABLISHED TO ADVISE THE PRESIDENT ABOUT "THE COORDINATION OF MILITARY INDUSTRIAL AND CIVILIAN MOBILIZATION"--DECIDING WHAT THE PROBLEMS ARE AND WHAT SHOULD BE DONE TO GET THE COUNTRY READY FOR A POSSIBLE FUTURE WAR.

DIFFERENCES OF OPINION HAVE BEEN REPORTED AMONG THE CABINET MEMBERS FROM TIME TO TIME. AND OUTSIDE THE NSRB THERE ARE ARGUMENTS ABOUT WHAT SHOULD BE DONE.

SOME PEOPLE SAY WE OUGHT TO HOLD OFF FOR A WHILE, THAT THE COUNTRY AND THE REST OF THE WORLD MIGHT BECOME NEEDLESSLY ALARMED IF ANY MOBILIZATION LEGISLATION WERE PUSHED NOW.

OTHERS SAY THAT EVEN WITH LAWS ON THE BOOKS THERE STILL WOULD BE ALAG IN MOBILIZING AND WE OUGHT TO PULL IN ALL THE SLACK WE CAN AHEAD OF TIME.

IN ITS PRESENT FORM, THIS BILL STILL WOULD LEAVE MANY DETAILS TO BE HANDLED BY REGULATIONS AND PRESIDENTIAL ORDERS. FOR INSTANCE, THE DATES ON WHICH PRICES AND WAGES WOULD BE FROZEN WOULD NOT BE NAMED DEFINITELY.

BUT THE PRESIDENT WOULD BE GIVEN DEFINITE AUTHORITY TO DO THE FREEZING, AND THE NECESSARY ORDERS AND REGULATIONS WOULD BE KEPT READY FOR SIGNING.

TO ATTACK PROFITEERING, THE PROPOSED BILL WOULD CALL FOR AN EXCESS PROFITS TAX ON BUSINESS PATTERNED AFTER THAT OF WORLD WAR II.

THERE WOULD BE PROVISIONS FOR:

CENSORSHIP OF NEWS, MAIL AND OTHER FORMS OF COMMUNICATION.

EMPLOYMENT CONTROLS AND SETTLING OF LABOR DISPUTES.

EMERGENCY CONTRACTS; CONTRACT RENEGOTIATION.

PLANT SEIZURE, BUYING AND SELLING REAL ESTATE, REQUISITION POWERS, IMPORT AND EXPORT CONTROLS, PRIORITIES AND ALLOCATIONS, SOME EXEMPTIONS FROM THE ANTI-TRUST LAWS.

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CROMMELIN

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, MAY 13-(AP)-CAPTAIN JOHN G. CROMMELIN, OUTSPOKEN CRITIC OF DEFENSE DEPARTMENT UNIFICATION MOVES, ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT HE HAS REQUESTED RETIREMENT FROM THE NAVY.

THE REQUEST, HE SAID, WAS A "REQUIRED FOLLOWUP" TO HIS DECISION TO RUN FOR THE U.S. SENATE FROM ALABAMA. CROMMELIN ENTERED THE SENATE RACE AS AN INDEPENDENT MAY 1 AFTER THE NAVY PLACED HIM ON ENFORCED FURLOUGH.

A TOP NAVAL AIR ACE, HE WAS FURLOUGHED AFTER CHARGING IN A SERIES OF PUBLIC ADDRESSES THAT THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT WAS SCUTTLING NAVAL AIR POWER AND SHOWING UNDUE FAVOR TO THE AIR FORCE.

"AS A REQUIRED FOLLOWUP TO MY OFFICIAL CANDIDACY FOR THE U.S. SENATE FROM ALABAMA, I HAVE SUBMITTED MY REQUEST FOR RETIREMENT FROM THE U. S. NAVY AFTER ALMOST 31 YEARS OF NAVAL SERVICE INCLUDING FOUR YEARS AS A MIDSHIPMAN," CROMMELIN SAID IN A STATEMENT.

"I HAVE REQUESTED TO BE PLACED ON THE NAVY'S RETIRED LIST AS OF JUNE 1, 1950. THIS WILL GIVE ME FIVE MONTHS IN WHICH TO CAMPAIGN ACTIVELY BEFORE THE NOVEMBER ELECTION.

"I AM NOW ON ENFORCED FURLOUGH AND DENIED THE PRIVILEGE OF SERVICE IN THE ARMED FORCES. RETIREMENT PROVIDES THE MEANS TO SERVE MY COUNTRY BEST IN THESE CRITICAL TIMES," HE SAID.

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(250) WASHINGTON, MAY 13-(AP)-A GROUP OF REPUBLICAN SENATORS TODAY MADE THE OPENING MOVE IN AN ATTEMPT TO CUT ANOTHER QUARTER BILLION DOLLARS OR MORE FROM THE FOREIGN AID BILL.

THEY CALLED FOR NEW REPORTS FROM THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION ON THE DOLLAR NEEDS OF ENGLAND AND OTHER NATIONS.

THE REQUEST FOR NEW AMMUNITION IN THE ECONOMY DRIVE WENT TO ECA ADMINISTRATOR PAUL HOFFMAN IN A LETTER FROM SENATOR BRIDGES (R-NH).

BRIDGES LED THE SUCCESSFUL SENATE EFFORTS BY REPUBLICANS AND DEMOCRATS THAT CUT $250,000,000 FROM THE $3,100,000,000 BILL AUTHORIZING A THIRD YEAR OF THE MARSHALL PLAN.

HE IS THE TOP-RANKING GOP MEMBER OF THE SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE WHICH SOON WILL PASS UPON ACTUAL MONEY TO CONTINUE ECA AND OTHER GLOBAL AID PROGRAMS. (THE "AUTHORIZATION" BILL CARRIED NO ACTUAL FUNDS; IT MUST BE FOLLOWED BY AN APPROPRIATION BILL).

SENATOR BREWSTER (R-ME) TOLD A REPORTER HE IS CONFIDENT THAT IF CONGRESS CAN "GET ALL THE FACTS ON THE SO-CALLED 'DOLLAR SHORTAGE' OR 'TRADE GAPS' OF ENGLAND AND OTHER MARSHALL PLAN COUNTRIES, WE CAN AT LEAST DOUBLE THE SAVINGS ALREADY VOTED."

BREWSTER SAID HOFFMAN'S ESTIMATES FOR FUNDS NEEDED IN THE FISCAL YEAR THAT BEGINS JULY 1 WERE MADE SIX MONTHS OR MORE AGO AND "THERE HAS BEEN A REMARKABLE RECOVERY IN PRODUCTION, TRADE AND FINANCIAL STATUS OF ENGLAND AND OTHER EUROPEANTEPOT

STATUS OF ENGLAND AND OTHER EUROPEAN NATIONS REPORTED SINCE THEN."

BRIDGES AND BREWSTER ARE ASSURED THE SUPPORT OF KEY GOP SENATE LEADERS, INCLUDING MINORITY LEADER WHERRY (NEB); TAFT (OHIO), CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE PARTY POLICY COMMITTEE; AND MILLIKIN (COLO), CHAIRMAN OF THE CONFERENCE OF ALL REPUBLICAN SENATORS.

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WASHINGTON, MAY 13-(AP)-THE WHITE HOUSE SAID TODAY PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS SIGNED A CONGRESSIONAL RESOLUTION REQUESTING HIM TO ISSUE A PROCLAMATION DESIGNATING MAY 30, MEMORIAL DAY, AS A DAY FOR A NATIONWIDE PRAYER FOR PEACE.

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FOREIGN AID

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, MAY 13-(AP)-THE U.S. CHAMBER OF COMMERCE PLUGGED TODAY FOR THE HOUSE VERSION OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S POINT FOUR PROGRAM FOR AID TO UNDERDEVELOPED COUNTRIES.

IN A LETTER TO HOUSE AND SENATE CONFEREES ATTEMPTING TO WRITE A COMPROMISE $3,000,000,000 FOREIGN AID BILL, THE CHAMBER SAID THAT PROVISIONS IN THE HOUSE MEASURE SHOULD BE ADOPTED BECAUSE THEY WOULD:

(1) PERMIT AMERICAN CAPITAL AND TECHNOLOGY TO MAKE MAXIMUM CONTRIBUTIONS TO DEVELOPMENT OF BACKWARD AREAS;

(2) MAKE GOVERNMENTS SEEKING AID RESPONSIBLE FOR PROVIDING FAVORABLE INVESTMENT CONDITIONS, AND CALL ON THEM FOR ADEQUATE CONTRIBUTIONS OF THEIR OWN, AND

(3) PROVIDE AN ADVISORY BOARD TO GIVE GUIDANCE IN AID PROGRAMS.

THESE PROVISIONS, THE CHAMBER SAID, DID NOT APPEAR IN THE SENATE VERSION OF

(3) PROVIDE AN ADVISORY BOARD TO GIVE GUIDANCE IN AID PROGRAMS.

THESE PROVISIONS, THE CHAMBER SAID, DID NOT APPEAR IN THE SENATE VERSION OF THE FOREIGN AID BILL WHICH INCLUDES THE POINT FOUR PLAN.

CONFEREES ARE STILL TIED UP ON THE BILL, WHICH INCLUDES A $2,850,-000,000 AUTHORIZATION FOR A THIRD YEAR OF THE MARSHALL PLAN. FAILING TO REACH A SETTLEMENT AT AN ALL-DAY DISCUSSION YESTERDAY, THE COMMITTEE SET ANOTHER MEETING FOR MONDAY.

THE POINT FOUR PROGRAM IS ONE OF THE MAIN POINTS OF CONTROVERSY. THE SENATE HAS VOTED $45,000,000 TO START THE PROGRAM, THE EXACT AMOUNT ASKED BY MR.TRUMAN. THE HOUSE CUT THIS TO $25,000,000.

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BY MAX HARRELSON

LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 13-(AP)-WANTED BY UNITED NATIONS: GOOD BILL COLLECTOR, PREFERABLY ONE WHO SPEAKS CHINESE AND SPANISH.

THAT AD HASN'T APPEARED IN PRINT YET AND PROBABLY WON'T, BECAUSE THINGS ARE NOT DONE THAT WAY IN THE DIPLOMATIC WORLD. U.N. OFFICIALS, HOWEVER, ACKNOWLEDGE THEY ARE WORRIED ABOUT THE UNPAID 1949 ASSESSMENTS OF SEVERAL COUNTRIES, ESPECIALLY THE LARGE SUMS OWED BY CHINA AND ARGENTINA.

THIS YEAR IS THE FIRST TIME THE U.N. HAS HAD ANY SERIOUS PROBLEM ARISING OUT OF OVERDUE ASSESSMENTS. THERE USUALLY ARE TWO OR THREE SMALL COUNTRIES WHO LAG A LITTLE BEHIND, BUT THE BALANCE DUE FOR 1949 IS $2,735,000.

THIS IS ABOUT 6 1/2 PER CENT OF THE TOTAL BUDGET OF $41,651,000 AS COMPARED TO LESS THAN 1 1/2 PER CENT OVERDUE AT THIS TIME LAST YEAR ON THE 1948 ASSESSMENTS.

U.N. OFFICIALS ARE NOT SURPRISED THEY ARE NOT GETTING THE

$1,475,000 DUE FROM CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S HARD-PRESSED CHINESE GOVERNMENT, BUT THEY DON'T KNOW WHAT TO MAKE OF ARGENTINA'S DELAY. PRESIDENT JUAN D.PERON HASN'T PAID ANYTHING AT ALL ON HIS ASSESSMENT OF $750,000 FOR 1949.

THESE TWO COUNTRIES ACCOUNT FOR MOST OF THE OVERDUE FUNDS, BUT 11 OTHER COUNTRIES STILL OWE VARIOUS AMOUNTS, RANGING FROM $2,768 BY LIBERIA TO $140,000 BY INDIA. THE OTHERS IN ARREARS ARE BOLIVIA, CHILE, COSTA RICA, CUBA, GUATEMALA, IRAQ, NICARAGUA, PARAGUAY AND URUGUAY.

U.N. OFFICIALS TAKE THE POSITION THAT NO MATTER WHAT HAPPENS IN THE FIGHT OVER CHINA REPRESENTATION IN THE WORLD PEACE ORGANIZATION, CHINA'S U.N. ASSESSMENTS MUST BE PAID. IN OTHER WORDS, THEY SAY THAT IF THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS GET THE SEATS THEY WILL INHERIT THE OBLIGATION TO PAY THE OVERDUE ASSESSMENTS. THESE BILLS, INCLUDING THE AMOUNTS OWED TO THE SPECIALIZED AGENCIES, NOW RUN WELL OVER $10,000,000.

RUSSIA AND THE SATELLITE COUNTRIES ARE PAID UP FULLY FOR 1949, BUT NONE OF THEM HAS MADE ANY SUBSTANTIAL PAYMENT YET ON THE 1950 BUDGET. U.N. OFFICIALS FORESEE POSSIBLE COMPLICATIONS ON SOVIET PAYMENTS IF THE RUSSIAN BOYCOTT OVER THE CHINA QUESTION CONTINUES BEYOND THE OPENING OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY MEETING IN SEPTEMBER. RUSSIA AND THE OTHER EASTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES HAVE TAKEN THE POSITION THAT ALL U.N. ACTIONS ARE ILLEGAL AS LONG AS THE CHINESE NATIONALIST DELEGATES CONTINUE TO BE RECOGNIZED.

PAYMENTS ON THE 1950 BUDGET OF $[illegible]7,000 ARER RUNNING ABOUT THE SAME AS LAST YEAR'S AT THIS DATE. [illegible]TLE OVER $7,000,000 HAS BEEN PAID SO FAR. THE BIG JUMP WILL COME [illegible]IN THE SUMMER WHEN THE UNITED STATES PAYS ITS $13,596,000.

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NEW YORK, MAY 13-(AP)-THE PRESIDENT OF FORDHAM UNIVERSITY, THE REV. LAURENCE J.MC GINLEY, TODAY DENOUNCED AS "SLANDEROUS AND COWARDLY" AN ATTACK MADE AGAINST LOUIS F.BUDENZ BY SEN.DENNIS CHAVEZ (D-NM).

CHAVEZ ACCUSED BUDENZ LAST FRIDAY OF USING THE CATHOLIC CHURCH AS A "SHIELD AND CLOAK" IN THE SENATE'S PROBE OF CHARGES OF COMMUNISM IN THE GOVERNMENT.

BUDENZ, NOW ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF ECONOMICS AT FORDHAM, ONCE WAS MANAGING EDITOR OF THE COMMUNIST DAILY WORKER. HE RENOUNCED COMMUNISM IN 1945 AND RETURNED TO CATHOLICISM.

FATHER MC GINLEY SAID THE ATTACK MADE BY CHAVEZ ON THE SENATE FLOOR BROUGHT "PERSONAL VILIFICATION OF PROFESSOR BUDENZ TO A POINT EVEN LOWER THAN THAT REACHED IN THE COLUMNS OF THE DAILY WORKER."

THE FORDHAM PRESIDENT SAID THAT BUDENZ "MUCH TO HIS OWN INCONVENIENCE AND THE OCCASIONAL INCONVENIENCE OF THE UNIVERSITY" HAS BEEN SUBPOENAED AT VARIOUS TIMES BY THE GOVERNMENT TO TESTIFY ON COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES.

SINCE BUDENZ JOINED THE FORDHAM FACULTY IN 1946, FATHER MC GINLEY SAID, "HE HAS GIVEN COMPLETE SATISFACTION IN THE DISCHARGE OF HIS ACADEMIC DUTIES."

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NEW YORK, MAY 13-(AP)-MRS.FRANKLIN D.ROOSEVELT SAYS SHE DOES NOT BELIEVE THERE IS VERY MUCH "ACTUAL DISLOYALTY" IN OUR COUNTRY.

THE FORMER FIRST LADY, SPEAKING ON HER CBS TELEVISION SHOW LAST NIGHT, ALSO SAID SHE IS "VERY UNHAPPY" ABOUT THE KIND OF TESTIMONY BEING USED BY THE GOVERNMENT IN CASES OF SUSPECTED SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITY.

MRS.ROOSEVELT WAS IN A FORUM-TYPE DEBATE WITH SEN. OWEN BREWSTER (R-ME) ON THE SUBJECT "WHAT DOES DISLOYALTY TO THE UNITED STATES MEAN?"

AT ONE POINT IN THE DEBATE SEN. BREWSTER RECALLED THAT MRS. ROOSEVELT HAD EXPRESSED DOUBT OF ALGER HISS' GUILT AFTER HE WAS CONVICTED OF PERJURY FOR DENYING HE HAD GIVEN PRE-WAR SECRETS TO THE SOVIET UNION.

"ALGER HISS WAS NEVER A FRIEND OF MINE," SHE REPLIED. "I HARDLY KNEW HIM...I KNEW HIM FAIRLY WELL, BUT IN A PERFECTLY OBJECTIVE WAY."

SHE SAID SHE ALSO DIFFERENTIATED BETWEEN MATURE PEOPLE WHO HAVE TRIED COMMUNISM AND "THINKERS WHO ARE CONSTANTLY PROBING."

"IF YOU ARE GOING TO MAKE IT DIFFICULT TO BE A PROBER, IT IS HARMFUL TO THE PEOPLE," SHE SAID.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 9 A.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, SATURDAY, MAY 13)
HOFFMAN
(ADVANCE) (WX) NEW YORK, MAY 13-(AP)-PAUL G.HOFFMAN SAID TODAY THE FREE NATIONS OF THE WORLD MUST WAGE A "FOUR-FRONT COLD WAR" TO STOP THE GLOBAL THREAT OF COMMUNISM: MILITARY, ECONOMIC, POLITICAL AND INFORMATIONAL.

THE MARSHALL PLAN CHIEFTAIN ASSERTED THAT SUCH A PROGRAM IS NECESSARY TO WIN WHAT HE CALLED THE "STRUGGLE BETWEEN THE FREE WORLD AND THE SLAVE WORLD OF THE KREMLIN."

IN A SPEECH PREPARED FOR THE CONFERENCE OF MAYORS MEETING, HOFFMAN SAID THAT IF WESTERN EUROPE AND THE UNITED STATES WILL ACT TOGETHER ON THE "FOUR FRONTS" RUSSIA ULTIMATELY WILL CRUMBLE WITHOUT ENGAGING IN A SHOOTING WAR.

THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATOR EMPHASIZED THAT THE USE OF THE MILITARY BY THE WESTERN WORLD "IS TO SEE THAT THE RED ARMY DOES NOT MARCH AGAINST ITS NEIGHBORS."

ON THE ECONOMIC FRONT, HE SAID, THE UNITED STATES SHOULD CONTINUE THROUGH THE MARSHALL PLAN TO HELP WESTERN EUROPE ACHIEVE RECOVERY.

AS FAR AS INFORMATION IS CONCERNED, HOFFMAN SAID THE WEST MUST PUT ACROSS THE STORY OF DEMOCRACY AND FREEDOM. POLITICALLY, HE SAID, FREE ELECTIONS ARE A MUST AND IN THIS CONNECTION "COMMUNISM HAS MET WITH SHARP REVERSES" EVERYWHERE IN EUROPE.

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NEW YORK, MAY 13-(AP)-PAUL G.HOFFMAN, HEAD OF THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION, SAID TODAY THAT COMMUNISM WILL PROVE TO BE NOTHING BUT A "PASSING STORM" IF AMERICA WAGES A "FOUR-FRONT COLD WAR" AGAINST IT.

THE ECA CHIEF TOLD THE U.S. CONFERENCE OF MAYORS THAT 90 PER CENT OF THE PEOPLE OF POLAND AND CZECHOSLOVAKIA "DETEST THE SYSTEM UNDER WHICH THEY ARE FORCED TO LIVE." AND, HE ADDED, IF GIVEN A REASONABLE CHANCE OF SUCCESS, THEY WILL BREAK AWAY FROM COMMUNISM.

HOFFMAN ADDRESSED THE CLOSING SESSION OF THE THREE-DAY CONFERENCE ATTENDED BY 250 MAYORS, INCLUDING A SPRINKLING OF OFFICIALS FROM FOREIGN CITIES.

DAVID L.LAWRENCE, MAYOR OF PITTSBURGH, WAS ELECTED PRESIDENT OF THE CONFERENCE FOR THE COMING YEAR TO SUCCEED MAYOR W.COOPER GREEN OF BIRMINGHAM. MAYOR MARTIN H.KENNELLY OF CHICAGO WAS ELECTED VICE-PRESIDENT, SUCCEEDING LAWRENCE.

"THIS IS A COLD WAR, NOT A SHOOTING WAR," HOFFMAN SAID, "YET NO SHOOTING WAR IN HISTORY HAS EVER BROUGHT SO MUCH TERRITORY OR SO MANY PEOPLE UNDER THE YOKE OF A CONQUEROR AS THESE COLD WARS HAVE WON FOR RUSSIA WITHIN FIVE YEARS."

RUSSIA, HE SAID, WAS WAGING ITS COLD WAR ON FOUR FRONTS: MILITARY ECONOMIC, POLITICAL AND INFORMATIONAL.

AMERICA MUST CARRY ON ITS OWN COLD WAR ON THESE SAME FRONTS BUT MUST NOT ADOPT RUSSIA'S METHODS, HOFFMAN SAID, ADDING:

"IN WAGING THIS FOUR FRONT COLD WAR OUR MILITARY HAS A VITAL ROLE. IT'S TASK IS TO SEE THAT THE RED ARMY DOES NOT MARCH AGAINST ITS NEIGHBORS."

THE FOREIGN AID ADMINISTRATOR SAID THE MARSHALL PLAN HAD HELPED WESTERN EUROPE REESTABLISH ITSELF ON A SOUND FOOTING. DISCUSSING COST OF THE PLAN, HOFFMAN SAID IT HAD BEEN ORIGINALLY ESTIMATED AT $17,000,000,000(B) BUT THAT NOW IT WAS HIS BELIEF THE PROGRAM CAN BE COMPLETED FOR $15,000,000,000(B).

AMERICA'S COLD WAR, IF WAGED VIGOROUSLY, CAN HALT RUSSIA, HE SAID, ADDING THAT ONCE CHECKED THE KREMLIN WILL BE FACED WITH "INTERNAL TURBULENCE."

"AND IN SOME PERIOD OF TURBULENCE, THE SATELLITE COUNTRIES WILL START BREAKING AWAY. WHEN THAT ONCE STARTS, ANYTHING CAN HAPPEN."

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NEW YORK, MAY 13-(AP)-FORMER U.S. ATTORNEY GENERAL FRANCIS BIDDLE SAID TODAY SEN.JOSEPH MCCARTHY (R-WIS) IS "INCREDIBLE" AND THAT SEN. ROBERT TAFT (R-OHIO) LET HIS "MANTLE OF INTEGRITY" SLIP WHEN HE BACKED MCCARTHY.

BIDDLE, NATIONAL CHAIRMAN OF AMERICANS FOR DEMOCRATIC ACTION (CAPS), TOLD THE ADA'S THIRD ANNUAL NEW YORK STATE CONVENTION THAT ANYONE WHO KNEW MCCARTHY "COULD HAVE PROPHESIED THAT HE WOULD ACT THE WAY HE DID."

BUT, BIDDLE SAID, WHEN TAFT BACKS UP MCCARTHY IN THE WISCONSIN SENATOR'S ATTEMPT TO PROVE THE STATE DEPARTMENT IS RIDDLED WITH COMMUNISTS, TAFT "IS DELIBERATELY ENCOURAGING A CALCULATED CAMPAIGN OF CONFUSION AND HYSTERIA."

"FOR MANY YEARS," BIDDLE SAID, "MR.TAFT HELD THE REPUTATION OF BEING OLD FASHIONED, BUT HONEST, GENUINE AND HARD WORKING.

"EVEN THOUGH MILLIONS OF AMERICANS HAVE OPPOSED HIS ISOLATIONISM AND HIS DOMESTIC CONSERVATISM, MANY HAVE FELT THAT TAFT'S POSITION WAS THAT OF A MAN OF INTEGRITY."

BIDDLE SAID TAFT COULD HAVE BEEN GUILTY OF "POOR JUDGMENT" WHEN HE

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SAID IN 1941 THAT IT WAS "FANTASTIC" TO THINK JAPAN WOULD ATTACK THIS COUNTRY.

HIS SPONSORSHIP OF THE TAFT-HARTLEY LABOR LAW, BIDDLE SAID, MIGHT BE ATTRIBUTED TO "ASSOCIATION WITH THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MANUFACTURERS."

BUT TAFT'S ADVICE TO MCCARTHY TO "BRING UP ONE CASE, AND IF THAT DOES NOT WORK OUT, TO BRING UP ANOTHER," CAN BE ATTRIBUTED ONLY TO "RUTHLESS AMBITION," BIDDLE SAID.

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BALTIMORE,MAY 13 (AP)-OWEN LATTIMORE WILL BE GUEST OF HONOR TUESDAY AT A DINNER GIVEN BY JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY FACULTY MEMBERS TO SHOW THEY "SOLIDLY SUPPORT HIM."

LATTIMORE IS DIRECTOR OF THE WALTER HINES PAGE SCHOOL OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS AT THE UNIVERSITY. HE HAS BEEN THE CENTRAL FIGURE IN THE SENATE INVESTIGATION OF CHARGES THAT COMMUNISTS HAVE INFILTRATED THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

DR.GEORGE BOAS, PROFESSOR OF HISTORY OF PHILOSOPHY, SAID THE DINNER WAS PLANNED TO SHOW LATTIMORE "THE FACULTY MEMBERS SOLIDLY SUPPORT HIM, AND THAT THE FEELING IS GENERAL THAT THE ATTACK ON HIM IS A MORE THAN A PERSONAL ATTACK--IT IS AN ASSAULT ON FREE SPEECH AND ACADEMIC FREEDOM."

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NITE LEAD LIAQUAT ALI

KANSAS CITY,MAY 13-(AP)-LIAQUAT ALI KHAN, PRIME MINISTER OF PAKISTAN, SAID TONIGHT THE ONLY WAY THE MENACE TO WORLD PEACE FROM A BACKWARD ASIA CAN BE CORRECTED IS THROUGH INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION.

"PEACE OF THE WORLD IS DIFFICULT TO MAINTAIN WITHOUT STABILITY IN ASIA," HE SAID IN A DINNER SPEECH. EARLIER THE UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS CITY CONFERRED UPON HIM AN HONORARY DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF LAWS.

"TO MAINTAIN STABILITY IN ASIA, PAKISTAN WITH THE BEST GOOD-WILL IN THE WORLD CAN ONLY GO A CERTAIN DISTANCE AND NO FURTHER--THAT IS TO SAY NO FURTHER WITHOUT INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION," THE OXFORD-EDUCATED PRIME MINISTER SAID.

THE PRIME MINISTER EXPLAINED THAT HIS NATION STARTED ECONOMIC LIFE UNDER EXTREME DIFFICULTIES; THAT AN ADMINISTRATIVE MACHINERY HAD TO BE SET UP FOR 80,000,000 PEOPLE OVER AN AREA EQUAL TO FRANCE, ITALY, BELGIUM AND HOLLAND WHICH HAD PRACTICALLY NO MAJOR INDUSTRIES OR ELECTRICAL POWER SOURCES WITHIN ITS BORDERS.

BUT, HE SAID, IN THREE YEARS "OUR IMPORT AND EXPORT TRADE REVIVED SO QUICKLY THAT OUR INTERNAL ECONOMY AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE POSITION WERE REHABILITATED WITH SURPRISING EASE."

LIAQUAT ALI POINTED OUT HIS NATION IS AGRICULTURAL WITH 80 PER CENT OF ITS POPULATION LIVING ON THE LAND. FARMING METHODS ARE SO OUTDATED THAT ONLY TWO-FIFTHS OF THE LAND IS UNDER CULTIVATION, HE SAID.

THE PRIME MINISTER SAID THAT THROUGH IRRIGATION PROJECTS HIS GOVERNMENT HOPED TO BRING ANOTHER 6,500,000 ACRES UNDER THE PLOUGH.

LIAQUAT ALI ALSO REPORTED HIS COUNTRY WAS DEVELOPING ELECTRICAL POWER AND MANUFACTURING SOURCES, PARTICULARLY JUTE AND TEXTILE MILLS.

HE SAID PAKISTAN PRIVATE CAPITAL WAS INADEQUATE AND THAT FOREIGN MONEY HAD BEEN SLOW IN FINANCING THE INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT. THIS FORCED THE NATION TO SET UP AN INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION TO PROMOTE KEY INDUSTRIES SUCH AS JUTE MILLS, PAPER MILLS, FERTILIZERS AND SHIPBUILDING.

LIAQUAT ALI WAS THE THIRD MAN TO RECEIVE AN HONORARY DEGREE FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS CITY. THE COLLEGE ALSO HAS HONORED PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND PRESIDENT MIGUEL ALEMAN OF MEXICO.

DR.CLARENCE R.DECKER, PRESIDENT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS CITY, MET LIAQUAT ALI IN PAKISTAN LAST YEAR WHILE HE AND MRS.DECKER WERE ON A AROUND-THE-WORLD TRIP.

LIAQUAT ATTENDED A SPECIAL SESSION OF THE CITY COUNCIL. IN THE AFTERNOON HE VISITED WHAT CIVIC LEADERS HAD CHOSEN AS A TYPICAL MIDWESTERN HOME. IT WAS A THREE-BEDROOM RANCH TYPE HOUSE IN A SUBURBAN JOHNSON COUNTY, KAS., JUST ACROSS THE STATE LINE FROM KANSAS CITY. HIS SCHEDULE TONIGHT CALLED FOR A VISIT TO THE AMERICAN ROYAL RODEO AND DAIRY COW SHOW.

LIAQUAT ALI WAS ACCOMPANIED HERE BY HIS WIFE, BEGUM LIAQUAT ALI, AND A NUMBER OF PAKISTAN OFFICIALS AS WELL AS STATE DEPARTMENT REPRESENTATIVES. THE PARTY WILL LEAVE TOMORROW BY PLANE FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

THE PRIME MINISTER CAME HERE EARLY TODAYFROM CHICAGO AFTER VISITS IN NEW YORK AND WASHINGTON. THEY ARE FLYING IN THE SACRED COW, THE AIRPLANE USED BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN BEFORE HE GOT THE INDEPENDENCE.

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FIRST LEAD LIAQUAT ALI KHAN (300)

KANSAS CITY,MAY 13 (AP)-LIAQUAT ALI KHAN, PRIME MINISTER OF PAKISTAN SAID TODAY A TRUE PARALLEL IN IDEALS OF INDIVIDUAL FREEDOM EXISTS BETWEEN HIS NATION AND THE UNITED STATES.

LIAQUAT ALI RECEIVED AN HONORARY DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF LAWS FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS CITY--THE THIRD SUCH DEGREE THE UNIVERSITY HAS AWARDED. PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND PRESIDENT MIGUEL ALEMAN OF MEXICO RECEIVED THE OTHERS.

THE PRIME MINISTER OF THE THREE-YEAR-OLD ASIATIC NATION TOLD THE 2,000 PERSONS GATHERED BENEATH CLOUDY SKIES FOR THE CONVOCATION CEREMONY THAT PAKISTAN STANDS TODAY IN THE SAME CIRCUMSTANCES THE UNITED STATES STOOD IMMEDIATELY AFTER ITS FREEDOM FROM FOREIGN RULE.

"THERE IS A TIME WHEN YOUR COUNTRY X X X WAS A YOUNG DEMOCRACY AND THE MEMORY OF YOUR STRUGGLE FOR INDEPENDENCE WAS FRESH IN THE MINDS OF MEN," HE SAID. "IF YOU CAN RECONSTRUCT THESE TIMES FOR A LITTLE WHILE YOU WILL IN MANY WAYS BE READING THE HISTORY OF PAKISTAN.

"THE PEOPLE OF PAKISTAN BELIEVE IN THE SUPREME SOVEREIGNTY OF GOD, THE EQUALITY OF MAN, BELIEVE IN DEMOCRACY, AND THE RIGHT OF PEOPLE TO BE GOVERNED BY THEIR OWN FREELY CHOSEN REPRESENTATIVES X X X THE RIGHT OF EVERY INDIVIDUAL TO THE FRUITS OF HIS OWN HONEST EFFORT X X X IN THE RIGHT OF PRIVATE OWNERSHIP FOR EVERYONE."

AS WE SPOKE, 42 PLANES FROM THE NAVAL AIR STATION AT NEARBY OLATHE, KAS., FLEW OVERHEAD IN SALUTE.

PRESIDENTS OF 40 COLLEGES IN THE NEARBY AREA OF KANSAS AND MISSOURI PARTICIPATED IN THE CEREMONY AT WHICH DR.CLARENCE R.DECKER, PRESIDENT OF THE UNIVERSITY, CONFERRED THE DEGREE.

LIAQUAT ALI SAID PAKISTAN IS AN EXAMPLE OF THE DISCOVERY OF ASIA AND STANDS ALONE UNITED IN AN ATMOSPHERE FILLED WITH TURMOIL AND STRIFE. AID FROM THE WESTERN WORLD, HE SAID, WILL HELP THE DEVELOPMENT OF DEMOCRACY IN PAKISTAN.

REPEATEDLY LIAQUAT ALI REFERRED TO PERSONAL FREEDOM SAYING THAT THE IDEA THAT FREEDOM MEANS FREEDOM ONLY FROM FOREIGN DOMINATION IS A WORN-OUT IDEA.

"IT IS NOT MERELY GOVERNMENTS THAT SHOULD BE FREE BUT THE PEOPLE THEMSELVES WHO SHOULD BE FREE," HE SAID. "NO FREEDOM HAS ANY REAL VALUE FOR THE COMMON MAN OR WOMAN UNLESS IT ALSO MEANS FREEDOM FROM WANT, FREEDOM FROM DISEASE, FREEDOM FROM IGNORANCE. THAT IS THE MAIN TASK THAT CONFRONTS US IF WE ARE TO TAKE OUR RIGHTFUL PLACE IN THE MODERN WORLD."

DR.DECKER'S GREETING TO LIAQUAT ALI TODAY WAS A RENEWAL OF A FRIENDSHIP WHICH BEGAN WHEN HE VISITED THE PRIME MINISTER LAST YEAR ON AN AROUND-THE-GLOBE FLIGHT.

LIAQUAT ALI ALSO WILL VISIT WHAT CIVIC OFFICIALS HERE HAVE CHOSEN A TYPICAL AMERICAN HOME.

THE PRIME MINISTER CAME HERE TODAY FROM CHICAGO.

HIS PLANE, THE SACRED COW WHICH FORMERLY WAS PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S PRIVATE PLANE, WAS 27 MINUTES LATE ON ITS ARRIVAL FROM CHICAGO BECAUSE OF A HEAVY OVERCAST.

A CROWD OF SEVERAL HUNDRED GREETED LIAQUAT ALI AND HIS WIFE, BEGUM LIAQUAT ALI.

HE APPEARED A BIT TIRED AFTER A WHIRLWIND TOUR IN CHICAGO, WASHINGTON AND NEW YORK.

MAYOR WILLIAM E.KEMP WELCOMED HIM TO KANSAS CITY.

DR.CLARENCE R.DECKER, PRESIDENT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS CITY WHERE THE PRIME MINISTER WILL RECEIVE AN HONORARY DEGREE THIS AFTERNOON, AND MRS.DECKER MET THE PLANE.

THE PAKISTAN PRIME MINISTER VISITED THE CITY HALL AND WILL ATTEND A DINNER AND AMERICAN ROYAL RODEO TONIGHT.

THEY LEAVE TOMORROW FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

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FORT WORTH,TEX.,MAY 13-(AP)-EIGHT B-36S OF THE 7TH BOMBARDMENT WING AT CARSWELL AIR BASE WILL FAN OUT ACROSS THE UNITED STATES NEXT SATURDAY OVER MORE THAN 200 CITIES ON FLIGHT ROUTES TOTALING MORE THAN 25,000 MILES, TO GIVE MILLIONS OF PERSONS A "LOOK-SEE" AT THE WORLD'S LARGEST BOMBER ON ARMED FORCES DAY.

AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS IN WASHINGTON CONFIRMED TODAY THAT THE EIGHT FLIGHT ROUTES HAVE BEEN SCHEDULED TENTATIVELY, DEPENDING ON THE LONG-RANGE WEATHER FORECAST FOR NEXT WEEK-END WHICH WILL BE AVAILABLE WEDNESDAY.

TENTATIVE ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE B-36 FLIGHTS INCLUDE ONE THAT

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WOULD START OVER PIERRE, S.D., PROCEED OVER SIOUX CITY, IOWA, LINCOLN, AND OMAHA, NEB., DES MOINES, CHICAGO, GARY, IND., MILWAUKEE, ST.PAUL, AND MINNEAPOLIS, FARGO, BISMARCK AND MANDAN, N.D.

ANOTHER WOULD TAKE UP ITS FLIGHT PATH AT AUGUSTA, ME., SWING WESTWARD OVER ALBANY AND BUFFALO, N.Y., CLEVELAND, TOLEDO, DETROIT, GRAND RAPIDS, SOUTH BEND, INDIANAPOLIS, ST.LOUIS, AND JEFFERSON CITY, MO.

BEGINNING OVER MEMPHIS, A THIRD B-36 WOULD COURSE OVER NASHVILLE, LOUISVILLE, CINCINNATI, COLUMBUS, PITTSBURGH, ELMIRA, N.Y., HARRISBURG, PA., WASHINGTON, CHARLESTON, W.VA., KNOXVILLE, AND CHATTANOOGA.

OTHER ROUTES INCLUDE:

ONE OVER CONCORD, N.H., BOSTON, NEW YORK, PHILADELPHIA, BALTIMORE, RICHMOND, NORFOLK, RALEIGH, COLUMBIA, S.C., AUGUSTA, GA., ATLANTA, BIRMINGHAM, MONTGOMERY, JACKSON, MISS., AND LITTLE ROCK.

ONE FROM CHERRY POINT, N.C., OVER SAVANNAH, JACKSONVILLE, PALM BEACH, MIAMI, TAMPA, TALLAHASSEE, MOBILE, NEW ORLEANS, BATON ROUGE, ALEXANDRIA, ELIZABETH AND LAKE CHARLES WOULD HEAD BACK ACROSS TEXAS OVER PORT ARTHUR AND BEAUMONT.

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~~SAN FRANCISCO, MAY~~ 12-(AP)-THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS HAVE RELEASED THE U.S. FREIGHTER CALIFORNIA BEAR, WHICH THEY HAD HELD SINCE IT COLLIDED WITH AND SUNK A SMALL CHINESE SHIP IN THE YELLOW SEA APRIL 20.

THE OWNERS, PACIFIC FAR EAST LINES, REPORTED YESTERDAY THAT CAPT. WILLIAM MURRAY, THE SKIPPER, REMAINED BEHIND AT TIENTSIN ON HIS OWN VOLITION FOR AN INQUIRY INTO THE COLLISION.

THE COMMUNISTS HELD THE FREIGHTER RESPONSIBLE FOR THE ACCIDENT AND DEMANDED COMPENSATION. THE CHINESE SHIP, THE SINAN SANK WITH THE LOSS OF AN ESTIMATED 70 LIVES.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TONIGHT SUNDAY MAY 14)
(ADVANCE) LONDON, MAY 14-(AP)-AMERICA, BRITAIN AND FRANCE WILL KEEP THEIR TROOPS IN GERMANY AND REFUSE TO WRITE A PEACE TREATY AS LONG AS RUSSIAN POLICY DIVIDES THE COUNTRY, THE THREE WESTERN FOREIGN MINISTERS ANNOUNCED TONIGHT.
NEVERTHELESS, WESTERN GERMANY WILL BE FULLY INTEGRATED INTO WESTERN EUROPE, AND GRADUALLY FREED OF CONTROLS TO THE MAXIMUM POSSIBLE UNDER THE OCCUPATION REGIME.
THESE WERE THE MAIN LINES OF A DECLARATION ON GERMANY PREPARED BY U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON, BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN IN THREE DAYS OF CONFERENCES WHICH ENDED YESTERDAY. THEIR STATEMENT ON GERMANY WAS MADE PUBLIC TONIGHT.
FOR THE FIRST TIME SINCE THE WAR THE ROLE OF AMERICAN, BRITISH AND FRENCH FORCES IN GERMANY WAS STRESSED AS A MEANS OF DEFENSE AGAINST RUSSIA, NOT AS A POLICE FORCE TO HOLD DWN GERMANY.
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RUSSIA, NOT AS A POLICE FORCE TO HOLD DOWN GERMANY.
THE THREE WESTERN POWERS OFFICIALLY REFERRED TO THEMSELVES AS "THE ALLIES", AND TO WESTERN GERMANY AS "GERMANY."
THE THREE ALLIES DO NOT RECOGNIZE THE EAST GERMAN COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT.
THE STRESS ON THE DEFENSE MISSION OF ALLIED TROOPS IN WESTERN GERMANY MAY BE PARTICULARLY SIGNIFICANT IN VIEW OF THE FACT THAT FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE 12-NATION ATLANTIC PACT OPEN A SESSION HERE TOMORROW.
THERE HAVE BEEN REPORTS THAT CONSIDERATION MAY BE GIVEN TO ENLARGING THE PACT INTO A WESTERN DEFENSE AND ECONOMIC ORGANIZATION TO INCLUDE NOT ONLY GERMANY BUT FA- 574

INCLUDE NOT ONLY GERMANY BUT SWEDEN, TURKEY AND OTHER NATIONS AS WELL.
UNCONFIRMED REPORTS PUBLISHED HERE ALSO SAID A NEW SUPREME WESTERN DEFENSE COMMAND MAY BE PLACED UNDER AN AMERICAN, PRESUMABLY GEN. OMAR BRADLEY, PRESENT CHAIRMAN OF THE U.S. JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF. THIS COMMAND WOULD REPLACE THE PRESENT FIVE-NATION BRUSSELS PACT DEFENSE ORGANIZATION HEADED BY BRITISH FIELD MARSHAL LORD MONTGOMERY.
THE TRANSITION FROM THE PRESENT ATLANTIC PACT SETUP TO A NEW ONE WOULD BE IN STAGES, WITH ONLY PRELIMINARY DECISIONS TAKEN AT THIS CONFERENCE, IT WAS REPORTED. GERMANY WOULD BE INCLUDED ONLY ON AN ECONOMIC BASIS, NOT AS A MILITARY PARTNER.

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THE DECLARATION ISSUED TODAY DASHED ANY HOPES ENTERTAINED BY GERMANS THAT THE WESTERN POWERS WOULD ENTER INTO A SEPARATE PEACE TREATY FOR THE WEST GERMAN GOVERNMENT AT BONN.
"IN VIEW OF THE CONTINUED REFUSAL OF THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT TO PERMIT INHABITANTS OF THEIR ZONE OF OCCUPATION TO REJOIN THEIR FELLOW COUNTRYMEN IN A DEMOCRATIC AND UNIFIED GERMANY, IT HAS NOT BEEN POSSIBLE, AND WILL NOT BE AS LONG AS THIS SOVIET POLICY PERSISTS, TO PROCEED TO CONCLUSION OF A TREATY OF PEACE WITH GERMANY," THE WESTERN MINISTERS SAID.
"IN THE PRESENT SITUATION OF EUROPE SUPREME AUTHORITY MUST REMAIN IN THE HANDS OF THE ALLIED POWERS," THEY ADDED.
THE OCCUPATION REGIME, IT WAS STATED, IS IMPOSED ON GERMANY "BY THE CONSEQUENCES OF THE DIVISION OF GERMANY AND OF THE INTERNATIONAL POSITION: UNTIL THIS SITUATION IS MODIFIED IT MUST BE RETAINED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE COMMON INTERESTS OF GERMANY AND OF EUROPE."
BUT AT THE SAME TIME THEHMTARS DECLARED THEIR INTENTION TO DRAW GERMANY INTO THE CIRCLE OF WESTERN EUROPE AND "WHEN THAT SITUATION HAS BEEN FULLY REACHED SHE WOULD BE LIBERATED FROM CONTROLS TO WHICH SHE IS STILL SUBJECT AND ACCORDED HER SOVEREIGNTY TO THE MAXIMUM EXTENT COMPATIBLE WITH THE BASIS OF THE OCCUPATION REGIME."

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THE PACE OF THE LIFTING OF CONTROLS, THE DECLARATION SAID, WOULD DEPEND ON THE DEGREE OF COOPERATION OF THE BONN REGIME, THE PROGRESS OF THE GERMAN PEOPLE TOWARD "TRUE DEMOCRACY" AND THE EXTENT TO WHICH THE ALLIES ARE SATISFIED THEIR OWN SECURITY IS SAFEGUARDED.
THE THREE MINISTERS REFUSED TO REVISE THE PRESENT OCCUPATION STATUTE UNTIL THE APPOINTED TIME THIS FALL.
BUT WITH A VIEW TO RELAXING CONTROLS PROGRESSIVELY, THEY AGREED TO SET UP A STUDY GROUP IN LONDON. THE GROUP WILL MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR ELIMINATING THE MAJOR PRACTICAL INCONVENIENCES TO GERMANY AND HER NEIGHBORS ARISING FROM THE CONTINUING TECHNICAL STATE OF WAR.
ONE OFFICIAL SOURCE EXPLAINED THE PROGRESSIVE LIFTING OF CONTROLS THIS WAY:
"IT IS NOT NECESSARY IMMEDIATELY TO REVISE THE OCCUPATION STATUTE TO GIVE THE GERMANS MORE POWERS. WE CAN JUST NOT EXERCISE CERTAIN POWERS THAT WE HAVE. THE GERMANS WILL BE ENCOURAGED TO TAKE OVER IN THESE FIELDS."
THE HIGH COMMISSIONERS WILL DEAL CHIEFLY WITH "ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS OF SECURITY AND FUNDAMENTAL DEMOCRATIC ISSUES OF REAL IMPORTANCE," THE DECLARATION SAID, LEAVING THE REST TO THE GERMANS.
OUTSIDE THE CONFERENCE, IT WAS REPORTED AUTHORITATIVELY, THE THREE MINISTERS WERE NEAR AGREEMENT ON TWO PROBLEMS:
1. LIFTING THE BAN ON FOREIGN INVESTMENTS IN GERMANY AND UNBLOCKING OF FOREIGN ACCOUNTS.
2. RELAXATION OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S BLACK LIST OF ITEMS WHICH CANNOT BE SHIPPED TO EASTERN EUROPE, AND THUS AIDING EAST-WEST TRADE.
AMONG RESULTS OF THE CONFERENCE NOT OFFICIALLY ANNOUNCED BUT UNDERSTOOD TO BE AGREED UPON WERE THESE POINTS:
1. SPEED UP THE GERMAN GOVERNMENT'S CONTROL OF ITS FOREIGN AFFAIRS BY PARTICIPATION IN THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE, TAKING OVER MORE FRONTIER CONTROLS, ASSUMING THE ISSUANCE OF TRAVEL PERMITS TO ITS OWN NATIONALS AND BROADENING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF ITS CONSULAR SERVICE.
2. EXTEND GERMAN CONTROL OVER INTERNAL LEBISLATION, THE ALLIED HIGH COMMISSIONERS EXERCISING VETOES ONLY IN EXTREME CASES.
3. ENCOURAGE THE GERMANS TO LEGISLATE IN FIELDS THE ALLIES HAVE RESERVED TO THEMSELVES, SUCH AS FOREIGN AFFAIRS, DISPLACED PERSONS AND DECARTELIZATION.
4. GIVE THE GERMANS MORE LEEWAY IN SHIPBUILDING. AGREEMENTS IN PRINCIPLE MAY ALLOW THEM TO BUILD SHIPS OF LARGER TONNAGE THAN THE CURRENT 7,200-TON LIMIT.
DISCUSSIONS ON LIFTING THE GERMAN STEEL PRODUCTION LIMITATION WERE NOT GONE INTO DEEPLY, PENDING DIRECT NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN FRANCE AND GERMANY ON THE SCHUMAN PROPOSAL TO INTEGRATE THE TWO COUNTRIES' COAL AND STEEL INDUSTRIES UNDER AN INTERNATIONAL AUTHORITY.

THE MINISTERS CLOSED THEIR DECLARATION WITH A STATEMENT OF WILLINGNESS TO NEGOTIATE WITH RUSSIA ON REUNITING GERMANY BUT ONLY ON THE PRINCIPLES OF FREE ELECTIONS, FREE POLITICAL PARTIES, FREE ACCESS TO THE EAST ZONE, AND OTHER FUNDAMENTAL LIBERTIES.

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(ADVANCE)-LONDON, MAY 14-(AP)-FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS' COMMUNIQUE ON GERMANY, ISSUED TONIGHT: (ABOUT 800)

1. FOLLOWING THE LONDON AGREEMENTS OF JUNE, 1948, AND THE WASHINGTON AGREEMENTS OF APRIL, 1949, THE U.S.A., FRANCE AND THE U.K. (UNITED KINGDOM) REPLACED THE MILITARY AUTHORITY AND THE DIRECT ADMINISTRATION OF THE OCCUPIED TERRITORIES IN FORCE SINCE 1945 BY A CIVILIAN REGIME SIMPLY OF SUPERVISION.

BY VIRTUE OF THIS REGIME GERMANY WAS ABLE TO PRODUCE A CONSTITUTION, PROCEED TO FREE ELECTIONS, CALL A PARLIAMENT, FORMA GOVERNMENT, AND ELECT A FEDERAL PRESIDENT. THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT AND THE GOVERNMENTS OF THE LAENDER (STATES) WERE ABLE TO TAKE OVER THE ADMINISTRATION AND CONTROL OF INTERNAL GERMAN AFFAIRS.

FURTHERMORE BY THE AGREEMENT OF THE 13TH APRIL 1949, THE ALLIES DECIDED TO EASE THE BURDEN OF REPARATIONS ON GERMANY. SOME MONTHS LATER UNDER THE PETERSBERG PROTOCOL AN AGREEMENT WAS REACHED FOR A FINAL SETTLEMENT IN REGARD TO THE DELIVERY OF PLANTS BY WAY OF REPARATIONS.

IN THE DOMAIN OF FOREIGN RELATIONS THE PETERSBERG PROTOCOL MADE PROVISION FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF GERMAN CONSULAR AND COMMERCIAL REPRESENTATIVES ABROAD.

DURING THE LAST FEW MONTHS STEPS HAVE BEEN TAKEN BY THE WESTERN POWERS TO SECURE THE ACCESSION OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC TO A NUMBER OF INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS, INCLUDING THE ORGANIZATION FOR EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COOPERATION. FINALLY, SHE HAS BEEN INVITED TO JOIN THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE. THE PROGRESS MADE HAS BEEN ACCOMPLISHED IN LARGE MEASURE THANKS TO THE ACTION AND THE INFLUENCE OF THE THREE ALLIED HIGH COMMISSIONERS IN WHOM THE THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS ARE HAPPY AGAIN TO EXPRESS THEIR FULL CONFIDENCE.

2. THE ALLIES ARE RESOLVED TO PURSUE THEIR AIM LAID DOWN IN THE WASHINGTON AGREEMENT OF APRIL, 1949, AND REAFFIRMED AT PETERSBERG THAT GERMANY SHALL RE-ENTER PROGRESSIVELY THE COMMUNITY OF FREE PEOPLES OF EUROPE. WHEN THAT SITUATION HAS BEEN FULLY REACHED SHE WOULD BE LIBERATED FROM CONTROLS TO WHICH SHE IS STILL SUBJECT AND ACCORDED HER SOVEREIGNTY TO THE MAXIMUM EXTENT COMPATIBLE WITH THE BASIS OF THE OCCUPATION REGIME.

THIS REGIME IS IMPOSED ON THE GERMANS AND ON THE ALLIES BY THE CONSEQUENCES OF THE DIVISION OF GERMANY AND OF THE INTERNATIONAL POSITION; UNTIL THIS SITUATION IS MODIFIED IT MUST BE RETAINED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE COMMON INTERESTS OF GERMANY AND OF EUROPE.

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THE WESTERN POWERS DESIRE TO SEE THE PACE OF PROGRESS TOWARDS THIS END AS RAPID AS POSSIBLE. PROGRESS WILL DEPEND UPON THE DEGREE OF CONFIDENT AND FRANK COOPERATION DISPLAYED BY THE GOVERNMENT AND THE PEOPLE OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC.

IN THE FIRST PLACE THE PACE WILL BE DETERMINED BY THE EXTENT TO WHICH THE ALLIES CAN BE SATISFIED THAT THEIR OWN SECURITY IS SAFEGUARDED BY THE DEVELOPMENT IN GERMANY OF A DESIRE FOR PEACE AND FRIENDLY ASSOCIATION WITH THEMSELVES.

IN THE SECOND PLACE THE PACE WILL BE SET BY THE RATE AT WHICH GERMANY ADVANCES TOWARD A CONDITION IN WHICH TRUE DEMOCRACY GOVERNS AND THE JUST LIBERTIES OF THE INDIVIDUAL ARE ASSURED. THEREFORE, THE WESTERN POWERS WISH TO EMPHASIZE MOST STRONGLY THAT THE NATURAL DESIRE OF THE GERMAN PEOPLE TO SECURE A RELAXATION OF CONTROLS AND THE RESTORATION OF THE SOVEREIGNTY OF THEIR COUNTRY DEPENDS FOR ITS SATISFACTION ONLY UPON THE EFFORTS OF THE GERMAN PEOPLE THEMSLEVES AND OF THEIR GOVERNMENT.

THEY EARNESTLY HOPE THAT THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC WILL FULFILL IN THIS RESPECT THE HOPES PLACED IN THE WISDOM OF HER PEOPLE AND HER LEADERS. MEANWHILE, THE HIGH COMMISSIONERS IN EXERCISING THE POWERS RESERVED TO THEM WILL CONTINUE TO PLACE THEIR MAIN EMPHASIS UPON ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS OF SECURITY AND FUNDAMENTAL DEMOCRATIC ISSUES OF REAL IMPORTANCE.

3. IN VIEW OF THE CONTINUED REFUSAL OF THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT TO PERMIT INHABITANTS OF THEIR ZONE OF OCCUPATION TO REJOIN THEIR FELLOW COUNTRYMEN IN A DEMOCRATIC AND UNITED GERMANY, IT HAS NOT BEEN POSSIBLE, AND WILL NOT BE AS LONG AS THIS SOVIET POLICY PERSISTS, TO PROCEED TO CONCLUSION OF A TREATY OF PEACE WITH GERMANY.

THE MINISTERS ACCORDINGLY AGREED TO SET UP A STUDY GROUP IN LONDON TO UNDERTAKE NECESSARY PREPARATORY WORK TO ENABLE THE OCCUPATION STATUTE TO BE REVISED AT AN APPOINTED TIME AND TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR ELIMINATING THE MAJOR PRACTICAL INCONVENIENCES ARISING IN THE COUNTRIES CONCERNED FROM THE STATE OF WAR, ON THE UNDERSTANDING THAT IN THE PRESENT SITUATION OF EUROPE THE SUPREME AUTHORITY MUST REMAIN IN THE HANDS OF THE ALLIED POWERS.

4. WHILE RETAINING THE FRAMEWORK OUTLINED ABOVE, THE ALLIES INTEND TO GIVE GERMANY THE POSSIBILITY OF DEVELOPING FREELY, WHILE, AT THE SAME TIME, SAFEGUARDING THE POSSIBILITY OF PEACEFUL RE-UNIFICATION OF GERMANY, WHICH REMAINS THE ULTIMATE OBJECT OF THEIR POLICY.

THE THREE GOVERNMENTS REAFFIRM THE OFFERS WHICH WERE FORMULATED DURING THE MEETING OF THE COUNCIL OF FOREIGN MINISTERS LAST JUNE, AND EXPRESS THE HOPE THAT THE NECESSARY CONDITIONS FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF A GOVERNMENT FOR ALL GERMANY MAY BE ACHIEVED WHICH WOULD GUARANTEE TO ALL GERMANS RESPECT FOR THEIR LAWS AND FUNDAMENTAL LIBERTIES AND THEY HAVE AGREED UPON CONDITIONS WHICH ARE NECESSARY, IN THEIR OPINION, FOR THIS PURPOSE.

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LIVERPOOL, ENG., MAY 14-(AP)-GROUPS CARRYING ANTI-WAR BANNERS TODAY PICKETED A CHURCH PARADE REVIEWED BY FIELD MARSHAL VISCOUNT MONTGOMERY. EIGHT PERSONS WERE ARRESTED.

LORD MONTGOMERY IS COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF THE FIVE-POWER EUROPEAN DEFENSE UNION SET UP BY THE BRUSSELS PACT.

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COPENHAGEN, MAY 14-(AP)-THE INTERNATIONAL OLYMPIC COMMITTEE COMPLAINED TODAY THAT IT CAN'T FIND OUT IF THE RUSSIANS ARE INTRESTED IN TAKING PART IN THE OLYMPIC GAMES.

"WE HAVE INVITED THEM THREE TIMES SINCE 1947," SAID OTTO MAYER, CHANCELLOR OF THE I.O.C. "THE LAST TIME WE WROTE TO THEM WE USED A TYPEWRITER THAT WROTE RUSSIAN CHARACTERS SO THEY WOULD BE SURE TO UNDERSTAND. BUT WE HAVEN'T HAD ONE REPLY."

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DORTMUND, GERMANY, MAY 14-(AP)-MAX REIMANN, WEST GERMAN COMMUNIST LEADER, TODAY ATTACKED FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN'S PROPOSAL FOR POOLING THE FRENCH AND GERMAN COAL AND STEEL INDUSTRIES. HE ALSO OPPOSED WEST GERMANY'S ENTRY INTO THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE.

REIMANN SAID SCHUMAN'S PROPOSAL WOULD SET UP "A GIGANTIC WAR POTENTIAL AND A GIANT WAR CARTEL." HE ADDRESSED A COMMUNIST RALLY ATTENDED BY ABOUT 4,000 PERSONS.

WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER SAID LAST WEEK HIS CABINET HAD ACCEPTED AN INVITATION FOR HIS COUNTRY TO ENTER THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE AS AN ASSOCIATE MEMBER. REIMANN CHARGED THIS WOULD MEAN "UNION WITH THE WAR BLOC OF THE ATLANTIC PACT AND RAISES THE DANGER OF A THIRD WORLD WAR."

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BY JOSEPH E.DYNAN

PARIS, MAY 14-(AP)-TWO COMMUNIST-DOMINATED UNIONS TODAY DENOUNCED THE SCHUMAN PLAN FOR POOLING FRENCH AND GERMAN STEEL AND COAL PRODUCTION.

A SPOKESMAN FOR GEN. CHARLES DE GAULLE, LEADER OF THE RIGHTWING FRENCH PEOPLE'S RALLY (RPF) GAVE THE IDEA QUALIFIED APPROVAL. BOTH THE RPF AND THE COMMUNISTS OPPOSE THE PRESENT MIDDLEROAD COALITION WHICH INCLUDES ROBERT SCHUMAN AS FOREIGN MINISTER.

THE METAL WORKERS UNION AND THE SUBSURFACE WORKERS UNION, BOTH PARTS OF THE COMMUNIST-LED GENERAL LABOR CONFEDERATION (CGT) ASSAILED SCHUMAN'S PROPOSAL AS A "CAPITALIST IDEA" DATING BACK TO 1900. IT WAS SIMPLY A MEANS OF ESTABLISHING A RUHR-LORRAINE CARTEL, THEY SAID.

THE PROJECT WOULD PUT FRANCE UNDER THE DOMINATION OF WESTERN GERMANY

THE PROJECT WOULD PUT FRANCE UNDER THE DOMINATION OF WESTERN GERMANY AND WOULD MEAN ALMOST A COMPLETE SHUTDOWN OF MINES AND MILLS IN THE CENTRAL LOIRE VALLEY, IN SOUTHERN FRANCE AND IN THE PYRENEES, THE UNIONS ASSERTED.

GASTON PALEWSKI, ONE OF DEGAULLE'S CHIEF LIEUTENANTS, ADDRESSING AN RPF MEETING IN A PARIS SUBURB, SAID:

"THE RPF WORKED OUT THIS PROPOSAL ITSELF, SUBORDINATING IT TO CERTAIN CONDITIONS, IT IS TRUE, WHICH THE SCHUMAN PROJECT UNFORTUNATELY LEAVES VAGUE. X X X

"BUT WE DO NOT HESITATE TO DECLARE THAT THIS FUSION, WHEN IT SHALL BE ACHIEVED BY GOVERNMENTS TRULY REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TWO COUNTRIES, WILL CONSTITUTE AN INDISPENSABLE CONSTRUCTIVE ELEMENTS FOR THE CONSOLIDATION OF THE EUROPEAN AND INTERNATIONAL SITUATION."

THE CGT UNIONS DECLARED THEY WOULD TAKE COMMON ACTION AGAINST "THIS MONSTROUS PROPOSAL." THEY SAID THEY WOULD HOLD PROTEST MEETINGS IN VARIOUS SECTORS OF THE COUNTRY NEXT SUNDAY AGAINST THIS "WARMONGER'S" IDEA.

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PARIS, MAY 14-(AP)-FOUR AMERICAN FARM LEADERS ARRIVED TODAY ON THEIR SURVEY OF THE EFFECT THE MARSHALL PLAN IS HAVING ON EUROPEAN FARMERS.

THEY ARE ALLAN B.KLINE, PRESIDENT OF THE AMERICAN FARM BUREAU FEDERATION, CHICAGO; JAMES G.PATTON, PRESIDENT OF THE NATIONAL FARMERS UNION, DENVER; JOSS SANDERS, LEGISLATIVE COUNSELLOR OF THE NATIONAL GRANGE, WASHINGTON, D.C., AND JOHN H.DAVIS, EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OF THE NATIONAL COUNCIL OF FARMER COOPERATIVES, WASHINGTON, D.C.

THEY ARE MEETING WITH OFFICIALS OF THE ECA AND FARM AND GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS OF FRANCE, GREECE, ITALY AND GERMANY ON THEIR TRIP.

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COPENHAGEN, DENMARK, MAY 14-(AP)-HERMOD LANNUNG, A DASNISH REPRESENTATIVE TO THE 1949 UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY, DECLARED YESTERDAY THE UNITED STATES SHOULD GIVE UP ITS BASES IN GREENLAND.

CONTINUED AMERICAN OCCUPATION OF GREENLAND IS TROUBLING DENMARK'S INTERNATIONAL POSITION, LANNUNG SAID IN A SPEECH AT AARHUS, JUTLAND.

HE SAID THAT IF MILITARY BASES ON GREENLAND ARE NECESSARY, THEY SHOULD BE STAFFED BY DANES.

LANNUNG SAID HE WAS EXPRESSING THE VIEW OF THE LIBERAL PARTY. THIS IS A MINORITY GROUP WITH CONSIDERABLE INFLUENCE IN DENMARK. THE COUNTRY IS GOVERNED BY THE SOCIAL DEMOCRATS.

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A22
WITH WARSAW (150)

BERLIN, MAY 14-(AP)-THE RULING SOCIALIST UNITY (COMMUNIST) PARTY OF SOVIET-OCCUPIED EAST GERMANY CALLED TODAY FOR AN INTENSIFIED PURGE OF TITOISTS AND TROTSKYITES IN ITS RANKS.

IT PARALLELED AN APPARENTLY SIMILAR PURGE IN WESTERN GERMANY'S COMMUNIST PARTY, WHOSE NO.2 MAN, KURT MUELLER, WAS EXPELLED FROM THE PARTY AND LATER WAS ARRESTED IN EAST GERMANY ON CHARGES OF BEING A FOREIGN AGENT.

THE EAST GERMAN COMMUNISTS WERE SUMMONED TO AN UNCOMPROMISING FIGHT AGAINST "SPIES AND AGENTS" IN A DECLARATION OF PARTY TASKS PUBLISHED IN THE PARTY NEWSPAPER, NEUES DEUTSCHLAND.

IT CITED THE COMMUNIST PURGES IN HUNGARY AND BULGARIA, WHICH RESULTED IN THE EXECUTIONS OF SUCH FORMER PARTY LEADERS AS LASZLO RAJK AND TRAICHO KOSTOV, AS MODELS FOR THE WEEDING OUT OF "ANGLO-AMERICAN AGENTS."

THE DECLARATION ATTACKED EAST GERMAN CHURCH LEADERS AS "REACTIONARIES AND WARMONGERS," CALLED FOR AN INTENSIFIED CAMPAIGN AGAINST "THE INFLUENCE OF ANGLO-AMERICAN IMPERALISTS," AND URGED THE "CLOSEST" TIES WITH SOVIET RUSSIA.

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KULMBACH, GERMANY, MAY 14-(AP)-DR. JOHANNES SEMLER, BACKED BY WEST GERMANY'S RULING RIGHT-WING COALITION, BEAT HIS SOCIALIST, COMMUNIST AND EXTREME RIGHT WING OPPONENTS TODAY AND WON A SEAT IN PARLIAMENT.

THE ELECTION FILLED A VACANCY LEFT BY THE DEAT OF A SOCIALIST DEPUTY. IT WAS CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER'S GOVERNMENT'S FIRST TEST AT THE POLLS SINCE THE GENERAL ELECTIONS OF LAST AUGUST.

SEMLER, A CHRISTIAN DEMOCRAT, GOT 32,100 VOOVTES; SOCIALIST WENZEL JAKSCH, 30,807; ECONOMIC RECONSTRUCTIONIST ALFRED LORITZ, 18,141; AND COMMUNIST MAX KUSS, 1,939.

THE COMMUNIST TALLY WAS LESS THAN HALF OF WHAT THE REDS POLLED LAST AUGUST.

THE CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATS, FREE DEMOCRATS AND THE BAVARIAN PARTY JOINED FORCES TO SUPPORT SEMLER. WITH A MAJORITY OF ONLY SIX IN THE PARLIAMENT, ADENAUER'S SUPPORTERS TOOK NO CHANCES OF SPLITTING THEIR STRENGTH AT THE POLLS.

ALTHOUGH THEY MANAGED TO SUPPLANT A SOCIALIST WITH A CONSERVATIVE BY POOLING THEIR VOTES, SEMLER GOT ABOUT 30 PER CENT FEWER VOTES THAN THE TOTAL RUN UP BY THE THREE CONSERVATIVE CANDIDATES LAST AUGUST.

SEMLER WAS ONCE KNOWN AS ONE OF WEST GERMANY'S MOST OUTSPOKEN CRITICS OF THE OCCUPYING POWERS. HE WAS FIRED IN JAN. 1948 AS DIRECTOR OF THE ANGLO-AMERICAN ZONE'S ECONOMICS DEPARTMENT FOR TERMING "CHICKENFEED" CORN SENT FROM THE UNITED STATES TO FEED THE HUNGRY, AND MAKING OTHER SUCH STATEMENTS.

YESTERDAY HE TOLD A REPORTER: "LET'S FORGET THOSE SPEECHES. I AM THANKFUL FOR MARSHALL PLAN AID FROM AMERICA, FAVOR COOPERATION WITH THE ALLIES AND GERMANY'S UNRESERVED ENTRY INTO THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL."

SEMLER, STOUT AND BALD, IS 51 AND BY PROFESSION A COUNSELOR FOR INDUSTRIAL ENTERPRISES.

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WITH LONDON

(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY SUNDAY MAY 14)

(ADVANCE) BONN, GERMANY, MAY 14-(AP)- WEST GERMAN LEADERS TODAY DECLARED THEMSELVES SATISFIED WITH THE OUTCOME OF THE LONDON FOREIGN MINISTERS CONFERENCE.

"IN EVERY RESPECT THE DECLARATION OF THE FOREIGN MINISTERS IS SATISFACTORY FOR GERMANY," SAID CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER.

HE SAID THE REFERENCE IN THE DECLARATION OF THE THREE WESTERN FOREIGN MINISTERS TO THE NEED FOR SPEEDY PROGRESS SHOWED THE ALLIES WERE "PREPARED FOR QUICK AND GREAT CONCESSIONS."

ADENAUER HIMSELF HAD SUGGESTED THE CREATION OF A STUDY GROUP TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR REVISION OF THE OCCUPATION STATUTE, WHICH DEFINES THE RESPECTIVE POWERS OF THE ALLIES AND THE BONN GOVERNMENT, AND WHICH PROVIDES FOR REVISION AT THE END OF ITS FIRST YEAR. THAT YEAR IS UP IN SEPTEMBER. THE FOREIGN MINISTERS CREATED JUST SUCH A GROUP.

VICE CHANCELLOR FRANZ BLUECHER SAID THE LONDON DECLARATION SHOWS A "CLEAR APPRECIATION OF THE NECESSITY TO CREATE EUROPE AS A WHOLE. THIS STEP FOR A GROWING SELF-DETERMINATION OF GERMANY IS A STEP FOR A CONSOLIDATION OF WORLD PEACE SINCE BY IT EUROPE WILL BE STRENGTHENED."

(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., E.S.T., TODAY SUNDAY MAY 14)

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POLISH (550)

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BY ORMONDE GODFREY

WARSAW, POLAND, MAY 14-(AP)-A WIDESPREAD PURGE OF PROMINENT MEMBERS OF THE POLISH COMMUNIST PARTY HAS BEGUN, DIPLOMATIC INFORMANTS SAID TODAY.

THEY MADE THIS REPORT IN SUMMING UP A THREE-DAY MEETING OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE COMMUNIST POLISH UNITED WORKERS PARTY WHICH ENDED WEDNESDAY.

THEIR RESUME OF THE COMMITTEE'S DECISIONS CAME UNDER THESE HEADINGS:

1. THE TIGHTENING OF LINKS BINDING INDIVIDUALS TO THE PARTY.
2. THE SPEEDING OF THE COMMUNIZATION OF THE COUNTRY.
3. AN INTENSIFICATION OF ATTACKS FOR POLITICAL PURPOSES UPON THE WESTERN WORLD.

THESE SOURCES CLAIMED THAT THE ELECTION OF ZENON NOWAK AS A MEMBER OF THE PARTY'S POLITBURO AND AS A JOINT SECRETARY TO THE PARTY'S CENTRAL COMMITTEE WAS A SIGNAL THAT HEADS WOULD ROLL.

NOWAK'S ELECTION TO THE POLITBURO, ALONG WITH THAT OF FORMER SOVIET MARSHAL KONSTANTIN ROKOSSOVSKY, WAS ANNOUNCED THURSDAY NIGHT. THE POLITBURO'S MEMBERSHIP WAS THUS INCREASED FROM 10 TO 12.

AT THE TIME, DIPLOMATIC OBSERVERS SPECULATED THAT CHANGES IN THE HIGHER RANKS OF THE POLISH GOVERNMENT MIGHT BE ANNOUNCED SOON.

(RUMORS THAT THE RUSSIANS WERE PLANNING A NEW PURGE OF POLAND'S ARMY AND THE POLISH COMMUNIST PARTY REACHED AMERICAN GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS IN WASHINGTON NEARLY TWO WEEKS AGO. THE RUMORS WERE LINKED TO ROKOSSOVSKY, AS HEAD OF POLAND'S MILITARY FORCES, AND WERE SAID TO REFLECT HIS DESIRE TO TIGHTEN UP SOVIET-COMMUNIST CONTROL OF THE PARTY AND THE ARMY.

(STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS ARE CONVINCED THAT THE SOVIETS ALREADY HAVE SO ENTRENCHED THEIR POLITICAL AGENTS AND SECRET POLICE IN POLAND, AND IN OTHER IRON CURTAIN COUNTRIES, THAT THERE IS NO POSSIBILITY OF AN OVERTHROW OF SOVIET POWER THERE. OFFICIALS BELIEVED A PURGING PROCESS WOULD GO ON UNTIL THE SOVIETS ROOT OUT ALL CONSIDERED UNRELIABLE, FRIENDLY TO THE WEST OR POTENTIAL NATIONALISTS.)

NOWAK -- A VETERAN COMMUNIST -- WAS FORMERLY PARTY SECRETARY IN CHARGE OF PERSONNEL IN THE VITALLY IMPORTANT INDUSTRIAL PROVINCE OF UPPER SILESIA AND IS NOW CHIEF PERSONNEL OFFICER AT PARTY HEADQUARTERS.

HE CLAIMED HE WOULD BE RESPONSIBLE FOR RIDDING THE PARTY OF THOSE DEVIATIONISTS FROM THE ORTHODOX LENINIST STALINISM WHO HAD BEEN UNMASKED IN THE THREE-DAY MEETING OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE.

IT WAS REPORTED THAT EVEN MINISTERS WERE BITTERLY CRITICIZED BY MEMBERS OF THE PARTY HIERARCHY FOR MISMANAGEMENT OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS AND FAILURE TO OBEY PARTY DIRECTIVES.

BOLESLAW BIERUT, POLAND'S PRESIDENT AND COMMUNIST PARTY CHAIRMAN, CALLED FOR INCREASED VIGILANCE AND CLOSER ADHERENCE TO THE PARTY PROGRAM.

HE TOLD THE MEETING IT HAD BEEN DECIDED TO INCREASE THE TEMPO OF THE SIX-YEAR PLAN AND DECLARED THE FIGHT AGAINST SPECULATORS AND CAPITALIST ELEMENTS HAD BEEN SHARPENED AND WOULD SYSTEMATICALLY CONTINUE.

BIERUT MAINTAINED THAT REACTIONARY CIRCLES IN POLAND AND ABROAD WERE MARKED BY SERVICES TO AMERICAN, BRITISH AND FRENCH INTELLIGENCE SERVICES.

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HE ASSERTED THAT THE MARSHALL PLAN WAS AN "OBVIOUS FAILURE" AND CLAIMED THAT A BUSINESS DEPRESSION AND BUDGET DEFICITS COMPELLED THE UNITED STATES TO REDUCE AID TO FOREIGN COUNTRIES. IN THE WEST, HE SAID, LIVING STANDARDS WERE BECOMING LOWER THAN EVER AND UNEMPLOYMENT WAS SPREADING.

"THE POTENTATES OF WALL STREET HAVE MISCALCULATED, AS FAR AS THE WESTERN COUNTRIES ARE CONCERNED," HE ADDED.

A FURTHER ADAPTATION OF GOVERNMENT MACHINERY TO THE SOVIET PATTERN WAS DISCLOSED LAST NIGHT IN AN ANNOUNCEMENT THAT A NEW PRESIDIUM OF THE PEOPLE'S COUNCILS HAD BEEN FORMED.

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NICOSIA, CYPRUS, MAY 14-(AP)-A NATIONALIST DELEGATION HEADED BY BISHOP KYPRIANOS OF KYRENIA LEFT TONIGHT FOR ATHENS ON A MISSION SEEKING UNION OF THIS BRITISH ISLAND WITH GREECE.
DELEGATES SAID THEY WOULD GO TO LONDON AFTER TALKING WITH THE GREEK GOVERNMENT AND IF THEY GOT NO SATISFACTION THEY WOULD GO TO THE UNITED NATIONS.
(THE UNITED NATIONS IS NOT EMPOWERED TO CONSIDER COMPLAINTS OF COLONIES AGAINST THEIR RULERS).
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MOSCOW, MAY 14-(AP)-THE RUSSIAN GOVERNMENT'S NEWSPAPER CAME TO THE SUPPORT TODAY OF THE INTERNATIONAL RED CROSS COMMITTEE'S WORLDWIDE APPEAL TO OUTLAW ATOM BOMBS.
THE PAPER, IZVESTIA, AT THE SAME TIME CONDEMNED THE UNITED STATES STATE DEPARTMENT FOR "A NEGATIVE ATTITUDE TOWARD THE RED CROSS PROPOSAL."
IZVESTIA'S EDITORIAL DECLARED: "THIS APPEAL OF THE INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE OF THE RED CROSS REPRODUCES, ALTHOUGH IN LESS DEFINITE FORM, THE PROPOSAL OF THE SOVIET DELEGATION MADE IN 1949 AT THE GENEVA CONFERENCE ON A REVIEW OF THE CONVENTION ON DEFENSE DURING WAR OF CIVILIAN POPULATIONS, WOUNDED, ILL AND WAR PRISONERS."
(THE UNITED STATES AND OTHER WESTERN NATIONS TURNED DOWN THE GENEVA PROPOSAL LAST YEAR, CONTENDING THAT THE PROPER PLACE TO DISCUSS ATOMIC WEAPONS WAS IN THE UNITED NATIONS ATOMIC ENERGY COMISSION. THAT COMMISSION HAS BEEN DEADLOCKED ON EAST-WEST LINES FOR YEARS.
(THE MAY 2 APPEAL OF THE IRC COMMITTEE--WHICH IS COMPOSED ENTIRELY OF SWISS CITIZENS--REPRODUCED ALSO A 1948 APPEAL BY THE INTERNATIONAL RED CROSS CONFERENCE IN STOCKHOLM.)
IZVESTIA VOICED HARSH WORDS OF CRITICISM OF WESTERN SPOKESMEN WHO BLAMED ON RUSSIA THE FAILURE OF U.N. ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION TO AGREE. THE PAPER THEN ADDED:
"THE ATTEMPTS OF THE SLANDERERS, HOWEVER, ARE DOOMED TO FAIL. THE PEOPLES OF THE WHOLE WORLD KNOW WELL THAT ANY MEASURE IF ONLY DIRECTEI AT THE PROHIBITION OF ATOMIC WEAPONS--THAT WEAPON OF AGGRESSION AND MASS DESTRUCTION OF A PEACEFUL POPULATION--WILL ALWAYS FIND SUPPORT IN THE SOVIET UNION.
"THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT DEMANDED FULL AND UNCONDITIONAL PROHIBITION OF ATOMIC WEAPONS AND THE ESTABLISHMENT OF STRICT INTERNATIONAL CONTROL OVER THE FULFILLMENT OF THE PORHIBITION WHILE THE U.S.S.R. STILL DID NOT HAVE THE ATOMIC WEAPON. THE SOVIET UNION STANDS ON THE SAME POSITION PRESENTLY, WHEN IT HAS THE ATOMIC WEAPON."
IT CONCLUDED WITH A WARNING THAT PARTISANS OF PEACE ALL OVER THE WORLD WERE ETITIONING FOR CONDEMNATION AS A WAR CRIMINAL THAT GOVERNMENT WHICH FIRST USES AN ATOMIC WEAPON.
"THIS AWFUL WARNING IS THE RESPONSIBILITY WHICH AWAITS WARMONGERS FOR THEIR CRIMES."
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MOSCOW, MAY 14-(AP)-IZVESTIA DECLARED TODAY GENERAL MACARTHUR HAS AFFIRMED RUSSIAN CHARGES THAT THE UNITED STATES IS REBUILDING NAVAL AND AIR BASES IN JAPAN FOR AGGRESSIVE PURPOSES.
IZVESTIA, ORGAN OF THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT, DECLARED EDITORIALLY THAT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S MAY 4 REPLY TO ACCUSATIONS BY SOVIET LT. GEN. KUZMA DEREVYANKO "SIMPLY CONFIRMED THAT HE IS REBUILDING JAPANESE NAVAL AND AIR BASES FOR PURPOSES AND PREPARATION OF AGGRESSION IN THE FAR EAST (AND SO) USING JAPAN AS A WAR BASE FOR AMERICAN IMPERIALISM."
-- DASH --
GEN. DEREVYANKO ASKED GEN. MACARTHUR ON MAY 3 TO EXPLAIN MILITARY AND NEWS REPORTS THAT THE UNITED STATES WAS REBUILDING KEY NAVAL AND AIR BASES IN JAPAN AND OKINAWA. HE SAID SUCH REBUILDING WAS IN VIOLATION OF ALLIED OCCUPATION POLICY.
THE NEXT DAY, MACARTHUR SNAPPED THAT DEREVYANKO'S REQUEST WAS "PROPOVOCATIVE IMPERTINENCE." HE ADDED: "THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT IS ENTIRELY FREE TO TAKE SUCH MILITARY MEASURES THEREIN (OMINAWA) AS IT MAY DEEM ADVISABLE."
HE TOLD DEREVYANKO THAT HIS "PROFESSED ANXIETY" ABOUT JAPAN ITSELF WAS "QUITE GROUNDLESS."
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FIRST LEAD CHINESE WAR
TAIPEI,FORMOSA, MONDAY, MAY 15-(AP)-THE OFFICIAL CENTRAL DAILY NEWS SAID TODAY 10,000 TROOPS OF TURNCOAT GOV. LU HAN OF YUNNAN PROVINCE HAD JOINED NATIONALIST GUERRILLAS.
THE NEWSPAPER SAID THREE REGIMENTS, FORMERLY NATIONALIST SOLDIERS, WERE SENT TO SUPPRESS GUERRILLAS IN THE SOUTHWEST CHINA PROVINCE BUT INSTEAD JOINED THEM. NO OTHER DETAILS WERE GIVEN.
LU SWITCHED TO THE REDS LAST DECEMBER.
THE NATIONALISTS REPORTED LAST NIGHT THEIR FORCES REPULSED COMMUNISTS IN A SMALL REHEARSAL OF THE EXPECTED INVASION OF CHUSHAN, NATIONALIST BASE 100 MILES SOUTHEAST OF SHANGHAI.
THE NATIONALIST DISPATCHES SAID 20 RED BOATS ATTACKED ONE OF THE NUMEROUS SMALL ISLANDS NEAR CHUSHAN FRIDAY, BUT EVERY ONE WAS SUNK.
THE NATIONALISTS GAVE NO FURTHER WORD OF THEIR OWN COMMANDO-TYPE RAID OF FRIDAY ON THE MAINLAND TOWN OF SHIHPU, 50 MILES SOUTHWEST OF CHUSHAN. BELATED ACCOUNTS, HOWEVER, DISCLOSED A SIMILAR RAID HAD BEEN MADE ON TWO VILLAGES IN THE SAME AREA TEN DAYS AGO. THE RAIDERS WERE SAID TO HAVE WITHDRAWN AFTER INFLICTING HEAVY LOSSES ON THE RED GARRISONS.
THE NATIONALIST ARMY PAPER SAO TANG PAO SAID THE RED INVASION PROGRAM MAY HAVE BEEN UPSET BY THE RAIDS.
FORMOSA, ITSELF, PROTECTED BY 100 MILES OF OPEN SEA FROM THE MAINLAND, REGARDS A RED "INSIDE JOB" AS A THREAT AS GREAT AS AN ACTUAL INVASION.
THE NATIONALIST DEFENSE MINISTRY MADE THIS CLEAR IN A STATEMENT SATURDAY ASSERTING THAT A COMMUNIST FIFTH COLUMN HAD BEEN BROKEN UP.
HOWEVER, IT ACKNOWLEDGED THAT THE PLOT HAD REACHED INTO THE DEFENSE MINISTRY ITSELF, AND GEN. CHIANG CHING-KUO, CHIEF OF THE MINISTRY'S POLITICAL SESSION, INFORMED TO RED AGENTS STILL UNCAUGHT THAT THEY COULD KEEP THEIR JOBS IF THEY WOULD SEND IN "LETTERS OF REPENTANCE."
(HONG KONG CHINESE PAPERS MEANWHILE REPORTED THE REDS HAD SMASHED AN ANTI-COMMUNIST UNDERGROUND IN THE CANTON AREA, ARRESTING MORE THAN 50 PERSONS.
(A BROADCAST BY THE NATIONALIST CENTRAL NEWS AGENCY, HEARD IN SAN FRANCISCO BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS, ALSO REFERRED VAGUELY TO COMMUNIST OCCUPATION OF THE PARACEL ISLANDS. THE NATIONALISTS HAVE SAID THEY DID NOT INTEND TO DEFEND THOSE TINY DOTS OF LAND 150 MILES SOUTHEAST OFHAINAN BUT THERE HAS BEEN NO NEWS OF THE REDS MOVING IN.
(SUCH A DEVELOPMENT WOULD BE LOGICAL, HOWEVER, SINCE THE REDS CONQUERED HAINAN A FORTNIGHT AGO.

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(SUMMING UP THE HAINAN CAMPAIGN, THE PEIPING RED RADIO TODAY ASSERTED MORE THAN 30,000 NATIONALISTS WERE "PUT OUT OF ACTION," 5,416 OF THESE BEING KILLED AND MOST OF THE OTHERS CAPTURED.

(THIS HAS THE COLOR OF ACCURACY, SINCE INDEPENDENT ESTIMATES SAID THE NATIONALISTS HAD ABOUT 100,000 REGULARS ON HAINAN, AND THE NATIONALISTS HAVE SAID THEY EVACUATED MORE THAN 60,000.)

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FIRST LEAD

HONG KONG, MONDAY, MAY 15-(AP)-THE BRITISH COASTAL STEAMER HUNAN CARRYING TWO U.S. AIRMEN RELEASED BY THE CHINESE REDS APPROACHED KOWLOON BAY ANCHORAGE SHORTLY AFTER NOON TODAY.

U.S. NAVAL OFFICERS SCHEDULED A NEWS CONFERENCE THIS AFTERNOON ABOARD THE STATION SHIP HORACE BASS. THE AIRMEN, MARINE MASTER SGT. ELMER C. BENDER OF CINCINNATI AND NAVY CHIEF ELECTRICIAN WILLIAM C. SMITH OF LONG BEACH, CALIF., WILL LEAVE BY NAVY PLANE FOR PEARL HARBOR IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE CONFERENCE AND MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

THEY WERE SEIZED BY THE CHINESE REDS OCT. 19, 1948, WHEN THEIR PLANE WAS FORCED DOWN NEAR TSINGTAO, THEN A U.S. NAVY BASE. THE REDS ANNOUNCED LAST MONDAY THAT THEY WERE FREEING THE MEN AFTER FINALLY INDUCING THEM TO "CONFESS" THAT THEY WERE "SPYING" ON TROOP MOVEMENTS. ACTUALLY, THE MEN WERE ON A ROUTINE TRAINING FLIGHT WHEN CAPTURED.

ABOARD THE PATROL PLANE FROM MANILA WAS A U.S. NAVY DOCTOR. A SPOKESMAN SAID SMITH AND BENDER WOULD BE GIVEN PHYSICAL EXAMINATIONS "TO DETERMINE WHETHER THEY HAVE BEEN SUBJECTED TO ANY MALTREATMENT DURING THEIR IMPRISONMENT."

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HONG KONG, MONDAY, MAY 15-(AP)-THE HONG KONG STANDARD SAID TODAY A HEAVY ARTILLERY UNIT OF JAPANESE VETERANS PASSED THROUGH CANTON LAST WEEK ENROUTE TO FUKIEN PROVINCE OPPOSITE FORMOSA.

THE STANDARD SAID THE JAPANESE TROOPS, "WHICH TOOK PART IN THE BATTLE OF HAINAN," ARE BEING TRANSFERRED TO CHINESE COMMUNIST GEN. CHEN YI'S THIRD ARMY.

EARLIER REPORTS SAID AS MANY AS 30,000 JAPANESE VETERANS FROM MANCHURIA FOUGHT IN RED GEN. LIN PIAO'S VAUNTED "STEEL CORPS" IN SOUTH CHINA.

OCCUPATION AND JAPANESE OFFICIALS HAVE COMPLAINED THAT THE RUSSIANS HAVE NOT ACCOUNTED FOR 375,000 JAPANESE PRISONERS OF WAR.

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BY STANLEY RICH

HONG KONG, MAY 14-(AP)-AS A LIKELY SIGN OF THINGS TO COME, THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS HAVE SUDDENLY STEPPED UP THEIR PROPAGANDA CAMPAIGN ON TIBET.

THE PEIPING RADIO SAYS THAT STARTING MAY 22 IT WILL BEAM BROADCASTS TO THAT REMOTE MOUNTAIN TERRITORY, THREE HALF-HOUR BROADCASTS THREE TIMES WEEKLY IN THE TIBETAN LANGUAGE.

SEVERAL MONTHS AGO THE REDS ANNOUNCED THAT A SMALL COLUMN OF THEIR ARMY HAD REACHED THE TIBET BORDER. THEY HAVE REPEATEDLY VOWED TO "LIBERATE" THE REGION, BUT HAVE MENTIONED NO MILITARY OPERATIONS.

A PEIPING BROADCAST YESTERDAY ALLEGED THAT THE UNITED STATES HAD OBTAIN INDIAN GOVERNMENT PERMISSION TO SHIP AMERICAN ARMS TO BIET. THE INDIAN FOREIGN MINISTRY SAID THIS WAS UNTRUE.

THE TIBETANS THEMSELVES SEEM TO BE ON THE FENCE. THE DALAI LAMA, TEMPORAL AND SPIRITUAL RULER OF THE PRIESTLY LAND, IN THE PAST HAS CONDUCTED ANTI-COMMUNIST PRAYER SERVICES.

LAST JULY, HOWEVER, HE KICKED OUT THE CHINESE NATIONALIST MISSION WHICH REPRESENTED THE INEFFECTUAL SUZERAINTY CHINA LONG HAS CLAIMED OVER TIBET. THIS WAS PRESENTED AT THE TIME AS AN OPPORTUNISTIC MOVE TO GET RID OF THE CHINESE, OF WHATEVER IDEOLOGY, RATHER THAN A PRO-COMMUNIST STEP.

NEVERTHELESS, A SEVEN-MAN TIBETAN DELEGATION NOW IS IN INDIA AND HAS ANNOUNCED PLANS TO COME TO HONG KONG IN JUNE TO CONFER WITH CHINESE RED REPRESENTATIVES ON FUTURE RELATIONS.

THE REDS MEANWHILE ARE SIGNIFICANTLY POURING ON THE PROPAGANDA.

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BY RUSSELL BRINES

TOKYO, MAY 14-(AP)-HISATSUNE SAKOMIZU, A MEMBER OF THE LAST JAPANESE WAR TIME CABINET, SAYS THE ATOMIC BOMB SHORTENED THE PACIFIC WAR BY MONTHS.

HE SAYS THE BOMB HELPED "MAKE UP A LOT OF UNDECIDED MINDS."

EVEN SO, HE ADDED IN AN INTERVIEW, THE FINAL DECISION TO QUIT HAD TO BE MADE BY EMPEROR HIROHITO BECAUSE THE CABINET WAS EVENLY SPLIT ON WHETHER TO ACCEPT THE POTSDAM DECLARATION. HE SAID THE WAR MINISTER AND HIS BACKERS WANTED TO CONTINUE FIGHTING.

SAKOMIZU, AS CHIEF CABINET SECRETARY, HANDLED MOST OF THE CONFIDENTIAL WORK OF THE LATE KANTARO SUZUKI, THEN PRIME MINISTER.

COMMENTING ON RECURRENT DISCUSSION OF THIS QUESTION IN THE UNITED STATES, SAKOMIZU SAID:

"MANY JAPANESE LEADERS WANTED TO FIND SOME MEANS OF SUING FOR PEACE EVEN BEFORE THE ATOM BOMB FELL. AS EARLY AS JUNE 22, 1945, I HAD PREPARED A MEMORANDUM THAT JAPAN MUST TERMINATE HOSTILITIES EVEN BY ACCEPTING HARSH ALLIED TERMS."

BUT THE CABINET WAS SO SPLIT, HE ADDED, THAT NO DECISION WAS REACHED ON WHETHER TO ACCEPT THE POTSDAM DECLARATION IMMEDIATELY AFTER ITS ANNOUNCEMENT JULY 28, 1945.

"THE ATOM BOMB ON HIROSHIMA SHOCKED MANY OF THESE LEADERS INTO ACCEPTING AN UNCONDITIONAL SURRENDER AND ALSO GAVE STRENGTH TO THE LATENT PEACE PARTY TO SPEAK OUT MORE OPENLY," SAKOMIZU SAID.

THE FINAL DECISION WAS MADE AT AN IMPERIAL CONFERENCE ATTENDED BY THE EMPEROR. OTHER SOURCES HAVE SAID THAT THE EMPEROR, FACED WITH A CONTINUED DEADLOCK, SPOKE OUT FOR THE FIRST TIME IN FAVOR OF PEACE, SAYING:

"I DO NOT WANT TO SEE MY PEOPLE SUFFER MORE."

SAKOMIZU SAID THAT HE THOUGHT WITHOUT THE ATOMIC BLASTS MONTHS WOULD HAVE BEEN REUIRED BEFORE THE CABINET REACHED THE BALANCE THAT PERMITTED THIS DECISION.

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TOKYO, MAY 14-(AP)-THE NORWEGIAN FREIGHTER TALISMAN, SMOKE STILL POURING FROM HER ENGINE ROOM, ANCHORED TODAY THREE MILES OFF SHIMIZU, ABOUT 100 MILES SOUTHWEST OF HERE.

AN ASSOCIATED PRESS PHOTOGRAPHER AT SHIMIZU SAID THE U.S. NAVY TANKER SHAWNEE TRAIL, WHICH TOOK 47 PERSONS OFF THE TALISMAN AND HELPED TOW THE BURNING VESSEL, WAS PREPARING TO DEPART FOR TOKYO BAY.

THE TALISMAN DEVELOPED FIRE IN HER ENGINE ROOM AT SEA LAST WEEK. SHE WAS TAKEN UNDER TOW BY THE SHAWNEE TRAIL AND A JAPANESE MARITIME SAFETY COMMISSION VESSEL.

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THE PERSONS TAKEN ABOARD THE SHAWNEE TRAIL INCLUDED 40 MALE CREWMEN, FIVE WIVES, THE VESSEL'S MASTER AND A LONE PASSENGER, MRS. C.P. REUSCH, WIFE OF THE CHIEF OF THE NORWEGIAN MISSION IN JAPAN.

A REPORT FROM SHIMIZU SAID JAPANESE FIRE-FIGHTING AND RESCUE VESSELS WERE BATTLING THE BLAZE ON THE TALISMAN.

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TOKYO, MAY 14-(AP)-A SEVEN-MAN INDONESIAN TRADE MISSION HEADED BY RABEN SOEBJONO ARRIVED TODAY TO DISCUSS WITH GENERAL MACARTHUR'S STAFF AND JAPANESE OFFICIALS A PROVISIONAL TRADE AGREEMENT BETWEEN INDONESIA AND JAPAN.

THE INDONESIANS WERE SCHEDULED TO VISIT MACARTHUR TOMORROW AND PRESENT HIM A LETTER FROM THEIR PRESIDENT SOEKERNO.

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B58KX (Q)
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TOKYO, MONDAY, MAY 15-(AP)-SADAR PANIKKA, INDIA'S FIRST AMBASSADOR TO COMMUNIST CHINA, ARRIVED IN PEIPING LAST NIGHT, PEIPING RADIO SAID TODAY.

THE BROADCAST, MONITORED HERE, SAID PANIKKA, HIS WIFE AND TWO OTHERS WERE MET BY CHINESE RED OFFICIALS AS WELL AS REPRESENTATIVES OF THE POLISH, ROMANIAN, HUNGARIAN, BRITISH, NETHERLANDS AND BURMESE GOVERNMENTS.

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SEOUL, SOUTH KOREA, MAY 14-(AP)-THERE ARE MANY CANDIDATES BUT LITTLE EXCITEMENT IN CAMPAIGNING FOR THE MAY 30 NATIONAL ASSEMBLY ELECTION.

THE REASON IS THAT THERE ARE 2,230 CANDIDATES FOR THE 210 SEATS IN SOUTH KOREA'S ONE-HOUSE ASSEMBLY. ONLY A SIMPLE PLURALITY IS REQUIRED. IN ANY GIVEN DISTRICT AS FEW AS 3,000 VOTES WILL BE ENOUGH TO WIN. THERE ARE 15 PARTIES AND 1,465 NONPART

SANS IN THE RACE.

PERSONNEL OF A UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION WHICH WILL OBSERVE THE ELECTION WILL VISIT ALL DISTRICTS IN THE NEXT TWO WEEKS TO BECOME ACQUAINTED IN ADVANCE WITH THEIR INSPECTION TERRITORIES.

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FIRST LEAD COMMONWEALTH (150)

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BY GORDON TAIT

SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA, MONDAY, MAY 15-(AP)-AUSTRALIAN FOREIGN MINISTER PERCY SPENDER TODAY INVITED NATIONS OUTSIDE THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH TO JOIN IN PROVIDING ECONOMIC AID TO SOUTHEAST ASIA.

SPENDER ADDRESSED THE OPENING SESSION OF A 10-DAY MEETING HERE OF A BRITISH COMMONWEALTH COMMITTEE CONFERENCE SEEKING MEANS TO STEM COMMUNISM IN SOUTHEAST ASIA.

SEVENTY DELEGATES ARE PRESENT, REPRESENTING AUSTRALIA, BRITAIN, CANADA, NEW ZEALAND, INDIA, PAKISTAN AND CEYLON.

SPENDER DECLARED PRESENT CONDITIONS IN THE AREA ARE "FAVORABLE TO THOSE WHOSE EFFORTS ARE DIRECTED TO DISRUPTION."

ALTHOUGH HE DID NOT INVITE THE UNITED STATES DIRECTLY TO JOIN IN EFFORTS TO AID SOUTHEAST ASIA, HE SAID THE U.S. ALREADY HAS INDICATED A GREAT INTEREST IN ECONOMIC AID FOR THE AREA. HE IMPLIED A HOPE THAT AMERICA MAY YET JOIN THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH TO THIS END.

HE CONTINUED:

"A RESPONSE ON THE PART OF OTHER NATIONS WOULD BE AN INDICATION THAT THE UNITED STATES IS NOT ALONE IN ITS ENDEAVOR TO CONCENTRATE ON THIS REGION A PROPORTION OF EFFORT COMMENSURATE WITH ITS HIGH IMPORTANCE."

SPENDER PROPOSED TWO PLANS FOR THE AREA, ONE FOR IMMEDIATE ACTION AND THE OTHER A LONG-TERM PLAN.

AT THE BEGINNING, HE SAID, REQUIREMENTS ARE FOR A FAIRLY LIMITED RATE OF ASSISTANCE BASED ON THE LEVEL OF INTERNAL INVESTMENTS. IN ITS EARLY STAGES, HE ADDED, THE PROGRAM MAY INCLUDE "TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE FROM THE OUTSIDE, HELP IN ESTABLISHING INDIGENOUS TRAINING INSTITUTIONS AND IN TECHNIQUES OF ADMINISTRATION--WHEN ASKED FOR BY GOVERNMENTS--STEPS BY GOVERNMENTS THEMSELVES TO OVERCOME BY INSTITUTIONAL MEANS THE AGE-OLD PROBLEM OF MOBILIZING SAVINGS FOR DEVELOPMENTAL PURPOSES."

OF THE FUTURE OUTLOOK, HE SAID IT IS "REASONABLE TO ASSUME THAT INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITIES AND THE NEED FOR INTERNATIONAL INVESTMENT CAPITAL WILL GROW. THAT WILL DEPEND PARTLY ON THE RAPIDITY WITH WHICH POLITICAL STABILITY AND GENERAL ECONOMIC PROSPERITY CAN BE ACHIEVED.

"EVEN AT THE EARLY STAGES, THE LEVEL OF ASSISTANCE REQUIRED IS UNDOUBTEDLY WELL BEYOND THE CAPACITY OF THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH ALONE TO PROVIDE."

HE EMPHASIZED THAT THE AID PROGRAM SHOULD NOT BE SOMETHING IMPOSED FROM THE OUTSIDE AND THAT "IT SHOULD BE BASED UPON THE NATIONAL PLANS OF EACH COUNTRY, AND IT SHOULD PROVIDE FOR THE GREATEST FEASIBLE DEGREE OF MUTUAL ASSISTANCE WITHIN THE AREA."

NEW ZEALAND'S FOREIGN MINISTER FREDERICK DOIDGE SAID "THE MAGNITUDE OF THE TASK IS FRIGHTENING."

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"THE MERE SPENDING OF MONEY IS NOT THE SOLUTION OF THE PROBLEM," HE CONTINUED. "GREAT BRITAIN, SINCE THE WAR ENDED, HAS SPENT £500,000,000 STERLING ($1,400,000,000 AT THE PRESENT DEVALUED EXCHANGE RATE FOR THE POUND) IN ASIA. THE UNITED NATIONS ORGANIZATION AND THE INTERNATIONAL BANK (WORLD BANK) HAVE PROVIDED VAST SUMS. THE RESULTS HAVE BEEN LIMITED."

DOIDGE POINTED OUT THAT THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH FOREIGN MINISTERS' CONFERENCE IN CEYLON LAST JANUARY, OF WHICH THE PRESENT MEETING IS A CONTINUATION, RECOGNIZED THAT THE URGENT NEED IS TO STEM THE TIDE OF COMMUNISM WHICH THREATENS TO ENGULF ASIA. IF THIS IS TO BE DONE BY MEANS OTHER THAN MILITARY, LIVING STANDARDS IN ASIA MUST BE LIFTED, HE SAID.

THE TALKS, [redacted] HELD AT THE MINISTERIAL LEVEL AND CONTINUE FOR AT LEAST 10 DAYS, HAVE THESE OBJECTIVES:

1. A LONG-TERM ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM FOR SOUTH AND SOUTHEAST ASIA, ON THE ASSUMPTION THAT INTERNATIONAL AID WILL BE FORTHCOMING.

are being held

2. IMMEDIATE BUT MORE LIMITED MEASURES BY COMMONWEALTH COUNTRIES.
3. A METHOD OF APPROACH TO THE UNITED STATES, FRANCE AND THE NETHERLANDS TO TAKE PART IN AID TO SOUTHEAST ASIA.

NEW ZEALAND FOREIGN MINISTER FREDERICK DOIDGE, WHO OUTLINED THE OBJECTIVES, SAID THE UNITED STATES SHOULD BE INTERESTED BECAUSE OF HER INTEREST IN THE PHILIPPINES; FRANCE BECAUSE OF INDOCHINA, AND THE NETHERLANDS BECAUSE OF INDONESIA.

SOME WELL-INFORMED OBSERVERS TOOK A PESSIMISTIC VIEW OF THE TALKS WHICH THEY CONSIDER ARE BEING HELD ON TOO LOW A LEVEL TO MAKE FAR-REACHING DECISIONS. THEY DOUBT WHETHER THE COMMONWEALTH COUNTRIES ALONE CAN AFFORD THE HELP NEEDED TO BUILD UP THE PROSPERITY OF COMMUNIST-THREATENED COUNTRIES.
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(190)
SINGAPORE, MAY 14-(AP)-BERTHA DE HARTOGH, 13-YEAR-OLD DAUGHTER OF A DUTCH ARMY SERGEANT WHO HAD BEEN GIVEN UP FOR LOST FOR EIGHT YEARS, HAS BEEN FOUND.
WHEN THE JAPANESE INVADED JAVA IN 1942, BERTHA'S PARENTS GAVE THEIR DAUGHTER TO HER AMAH (NATIVE NURSE) BECAUSE THEY FEARED FOR HER SAFETY. THE PARENTS WERE CAPTURED AND INTERNED. WHEN THEY WERE LIBERATED IN 1945, THEY BEGAN A SEARCH FOR BERTHA BUT COULD FIND NO TRACE. THEY WENT BACK TO HOLLAND.
RECENTLY, A DISTRICT OFFICER AT KEMAMAN IN TRENGGANU STATE, DUE NORTH OF SINGAPORE IN MALAYA, REPORTED FINDING A FAIR-HAIRED GIRL LIVING IN A MALAY VILLAGE. A CHECK ESTABLISHED THAT IT WAS BERTHA. HER AMAH, AMINAH AMINAH, HAD TAKEN HER THERE FROM JAVA. FOR NEARLY EIGHT YEARS THE BLONDE, BLUE-YED GIRL HAD BEEN LIVING ASA MALAY CHILD IN SARONG AND BOLERO, ATTENDING A MALAY SCHOOL.
NOW, SHE SPEAKS ONLY MALAY, DOES NOT KNOW HOW TO USE A KNIFE AND FORK AND DOES NOT WANT TO LEAVE HER AMAH, UPON WHOM SHE LOOKS AS HER MOTHER. AND AMINAH AMINAH DOES NOT WANT TO BE PARTED FROM THE CHILD.
BUT, BERTHA WILL SAIL SOON FOR HOLLAND IN THE CARE OF TWO DUTCH ARMY NURSES.
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CAIRO, MAY 14-(AP)-THE INTERIOR MINISTRY ANNOUNCED TONIGHT THE ARREST OF 16 MEMBERS OF A COMMUNIST CELL IN A LIGHTNING RAID DURING THE DAY.
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HAIFA, ISRAEL, MAY 14-(AP)-THE ROMANIAN SHIP TRANGILVANIA (CORRECT) ARRIVED TODAY WITH 1,027 JEWISH IMMIGRANTS FROM ROMANIA.
THE IMMIGRANTS REPORTED THAT ALTHOUGH DIFFICULTIES IN EXIT FORMALITIES STILL EXIST FOR THOSE LEAVING FOR ISRAEL, ROMANIAN AUTHORITIES RECENTLY HAVE SHOWN A MORE SYMPATHETIC ATTITUDE TOWARD JEWISH EMIGREES.
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(350)
BY SEYMOUR TOPPING
LANGSON, NORTHERN INDOCHINA, MAY 14-(AP)-AN AMERICAN KILLED IN COMBAT WHILE SERVING WITH THE FOREIGN LEGION LIES BURIED IN THE CEMETERY OF CAOBANG, AN ISOLATED FRENCH POST ON THE NORTH INDOCHINA FRONTIER.
HE DIED IN A WAY WELL KNOWN TO FRENCH TROOPS WHO HAVE FOUGHT FOR MORE THAN THREE YEARS IN THE SAVAGE INDOCHINA WAR. HE WAS KILLED WHEN HIS UNIT WAS AMBUSHED BY HO CHI MINH'S VIETMINH GUERRILLA FIGHTERS A FEW MILES SOUTH OF CAOBANG ON THE BLOODIED ROUTE COLONIALE (HIGHWAY) ,9. 4.
CAOBANG IS ENCIRCLED BY THE COMMUNIST-LED VIETMINH, WHO ARE REBELLING AGAINST FRENCH OCCUPATION OF VIETNAM, THE MAIN STATE OF INDOCHINA. IT IS 55 MILES NORTHWEST OF THIS PRINCIPAL FRENCH FRONTIER HEADQUARTERS AND IS SUPPLIED ENTIRELY BY AIR.
THE INSCRIPTION IN FRENCH ON THE CROSS AT THE HEAD OF THE AMERICAN'S GRAVE IS THE EPITAPH FOR ALL FOREIGN LEGIONNAIRES KILLED IN ACTION: "DEAD ON THE FIELD OF HONOR."
LIKE MANY WHO JOIN THE FOREIGN LEGION, THE AMERICAN TOOK A "LEGION NAME." IT WAS "VAN." FEW QUESTIONS ARE ASKED IN THE LEGION, BUT VAN MENTIONED A LITTLE TO HIS FRIENDS ABOUT HIS BACKGROUND. HE WAS ABOUT 27 YEARS OLD WHEN HE WAS KILLED LAST YEAR. HE HAD BEEN WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN EUROPE DURING THE WAR. AFTER DISCHARGE HE WENT TO NEW ORLEANS AND THERE, AMONG OTHER THINGS, HE BECAME A PROFESSIONAL GAMBLER. LATER HE RE-ENLISTED IN THE ARMY AND WAS SENT TO THE U.S. OCCUPATION FORCE IN GERMANY.
THERE HE GOT INTO TROUBLE OVER A GIRL. HE WENT AWOL. ONE MORNING HE APPEARED IN THE FRENCH OCCUPATION ZONE AND ENLISTED IN THE FOREIGN LEGION. THEREAFTER HIS STORY WAS ONE COMMON TO THE LEGION--RECRUIT TRAINING AT MARSEILLE, FURTHER TRAINING AT STATIONS IN NORTH AFRICA, THEN ASSIGNMENT TO INDOCHINA'S JUNGLES, MOUNTAINS AND SWAMPS FOR A TWO-YEAR STRETCH.
ABOUT HALF OF THE LEGION'S TOTAL FORCE F 30,000 MEN NOW IS FIGHTING IN IN

ABOUT HALF OF THE LEGION'S TOTAL FORCE OF 30,000 MEN NOW IS FIGHTING IN INDOCHINA. THE NUMBER OF AMERICANS LIKE VAN IS NEGLIGIBLE. THERE ARE A FEW FROM ITALY, A FEW FROM SPAIN, AND MANY FROM SOVIET SATELLITE COUNTRIES WHO CAN NOT BEAR THE THOUGHT OF GOING HOME NOW. MORE THAN HALF ARE GERMANS, ARMY VETERANS. THEY ARE THE TOUGH, DISCIPLINED CORE OF THE LEGION.
THE LEGIONNAIRES ACT AS TROOPS TO BE RUSHED IN FOR REINFORCING A MAIN POST OR TO BE PARACHUTED DOWN ON COMBAT POINTS. THEY RIDE SECURITY WITH SUPPLY CONVOYS; THEY GARRISON FRONTIER OUTPOSTS OR LONELY HILL FORTS. THEY FIGHT BESIDE REGULAR FRENCH TROOPS AND COLONIAL UNITS WHICH INCLUDE AFRICAN SENEGALESE AND MOROCCANS.
IT WAS IN THAT KIND OF FOREIGN LEGION, IN THIS MOUNTAINOUS, JUNGLED LAND, THAT VAN DIED "ON THE FIELD OF HONOR."
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AP11 (140)
RANGOON, BURMA, MAY 14-(AP)-THE BURMESE ARMY ROLLED UP TODAY TO WITHIN 44 MILES OF THE COMMUNIST STRONGHOLD OF PROME, THE MAJOR OBJECTIVE IN ITS CURRENT NORTHWARD DRIVE. A COMMUNIQUE ANNOUNCED THE CAPTURE OF ZIGON, A RAILTOWN 44 MILES FROM PROME, WITHOUT SERIOUS OPPOSITION.
NORTH OF PROME, THE GOVERNMENT REPORTED, SERIOUS FIGHTING HAS BROKEN OUT BETWEEN WHITE BAND PVOS (PEOPLES VOLUNTEER ORGANIZATION) AND COMMUNISTS IN THE YAMETHIN DISTRICT.
FIGHTING ALSO WAS REPORTED IN SOUTH BURMA'S BASSEIN DISTRICT BETWEEN THE SGAW (CHRISTIAN) AND THE PWO (BUDDHIST) KAREN TRIBESMEN. THIS FIGHTING, THE GOVERNMENT SAID, BEGAN MAY 1 AFTER SGAW GROUPS KIDNAPED A BUDDHIST KAREN PREACHER, THU DAW, AND THREATENED TO KILL HIM.
THE PWO'S SENT AN ULTIMATUM THAT IF THU DAW WAS NOT RELEASED UNHARMED THEY'D KILL EVERY SGAW THEY COULD FIND. THAT ULTIMATUM EXPIRES TUESDAY. THE KARENS HAVE BEEN FIGHTING FOR AN INDEPENDENT STATE OF KARENISTAN, WITHIN BURMA.
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BY JOSEPH F.MCEVOY (270)
MONTEVIDEO, URUGUAY, MAY 14-(AP)-EXPERTS FROM 12 COUNTRIES START HERE TOMORROW ON A TWO-WEEK STUDY OF OBSTACLES THAT BLOCK FREE FLOW OF NEWS OVER THE WORLD.

THEY ARE THE UNITED NATIONS SUB-COMMISSION ON FREEDOM OF INFORMATION AND OF THE PRESS. MANY SHADES OF EDITORIAL OPINION FROM EAST AND WEST ARE REPRESENTED, BUT THE DELEGATES SIT AS TECHNICAL EXPERTS IN THEIR RESPECTIVE FIELDS, AND NOT AS REPRESENTATIVES OF THEIR GOVERNMENTS.

DESPITE POLITICAL DIFFERENCES, THEY HOPE TO DRAFT A SERIES OF RECOMMENDATIONS WHICH, ALTHOUGH LACKING MEANS OF ENFORCEMENT, MAY LAY THE GROUNDWORK FOR AN INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENT EASING ACCESS TO AND DISTRIBUTION OF NEWS.

THE DELEGATES ARE: CARROLL BINDER OF THE UNITED STATES; PHILIP JORDAN, BRITAIN; ALFREDO SILVA CARVALLO, CHILE; P.H.CHANG, CHINA; MAHMOUD AZMI, EGYPT; ANDRE GERAUD, FRANCE; DEVADAS GANDHI, INDIA; KARIM AZKOUL, LEBANON; MELCHOR AQUINO, PHILIPPINES; STEVEN DEDIJER, YUGOSLAVIA; ROBERTO FONTANA, URUGUAY; PAVEL KOTIK, RUSSIA.

OBSERVERS GENERALLY EXPECT THE SOVIET EXPERT TO FOLLOW THE PRACTICE OF THE RUSSIANS AT U.N. SESSIONS ELSEWHERE BY WALKING OUT RATHER THAN SIT WITH A NATIONALIST CHINESE DELEGATE. HOWEVER, THE CONFERENCE SECRETARIAT REPORTED THAT KOTIK HAD SAID HE WILL BE PRESENT WHEN THE MEETING OPENS TOMORROW.

RUSSIA CONTENDS THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS SHOULD REPRESENT CHINA IN ALL U.N. BODIES.

FIRST ITEM OF BUSINESS CALLS FOR CONSIDERATION OF THE "ADEQUACY OF NEWS AVAILABLE TO THE PEOPLES OF THE WORLD AND THE OBSTACLES TO THE FREE FLOW OF INFORMATION."

OTHER PROBLEMS TO BE TAKEN UP INCLUDE A CLASSIFICATION OF THE EXISTING AGREEMENTS IN THE FIELD OF FREEDOM OF INFORMATION, A STUDY OF LEGISLATION AND OTHER PRACTICES AFFECTING THE SPREADING OF NEWS, AND PROMOTION OF THE DISSEMINATION OF TRUE INFORMATION TO COUNTERACT NAZI, FASCIST AND OTHER PROPAGANDA ADVOCATING RACIAL AND RELIGIOUS DISCRIMINATION.

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HAVANA, CUBA, MAY 14-(AP)-THE INTERAMERICAN CONFERENCE FOR DEMOCRACY AND FREEDOM ADOPTED A 10-POINT CHARTER TONIGHT TO SUPPORT DEMOCRACY IN THE WESTERN HEMISPHERE.

THE DOCUMENT, KNOWN AS THE "HAVANA CHARTER", ALSO CALLED FOR A FIGHT AGAINST COMMUNISM, FACISM AND IMPERIALISM. IT URGED IMPROVEMENT OF LIVING CONDITIONS IN LATIN AMERICCA AND DEPLORED RECOGNITION OF LATIN AMERICAN GOVERNMENTS WHICH SEIZED POWER BY FORCE.

THE CONFERENCE IS AN UNOFFICIAL BODY SUPPORTED BY POLITICAL AND INTELLECTUAL LEADERS IN BOTH THE AMERICAS. THE AMERICAN DELEGATION INCLUDES FOUR MEMBERS OF CONGRESS.

THESE ARE THE 10 POINTS THE CHARTER SAID WERE NECESSARY FOR DEMOCRATIC GOVERNMENT:

1. FULL POLITICAL RIGHTS, CONSISTING OF FREEDOM OF EXPRESSION, OF THOUGHT, OF BELIEF, OF THE PRESS, OF ASSEMBLY, AND OF PETITION.
2. ELECTION OF GOVERNMENTS BY THE WILL OF THE PEOPLE THROUGH UNIVERSAL SUFFRAGE.
3. RESPONSIBILITY FOR, AND PUBLICITY ON, ALL ACTS OF GOVERNMENTS AND GUARANTEES FOR PUBLIC JUDGMENT OF SUCH ACTS.
4. RESPECT FOR RACIAL, RELIGIOUS AND POLITICAL MINORITIES AND FREE ACCESS TO CULTURAL AND ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES AND TO GOVERNMENT EMPLOYMENT BY SUCH GROUPS.
5. LIBERTY AND AUTONOMY FOR ASSOCIATIONS, UNIONS AND OTHER ECONOMIC AND CULTURAL GROUPS WHICH RESPECT THE RIGHTS OF DEMOCRACY.
6. PERIODIC ELECTIONS FOR A CHANGE IN GOVERNMENT.
7. PROTECTION AND ASYLUM AGAINST ARBITRARY ARREST.
8. COURTS OF JUSTICE FREE FROM POLITICAL PRESSURE.
9. FREEDOM FROM ALL OPPRESSION AND PERSECUTION, DIRECT OR INDIRECT, OF THE PRESS, RADIO AND OTHER MEANS OF COMMUNICATION.
10. GUARANTEES FOR THE FORMATION OF MORE THAN ONE POLITICAL PARTY, ACCORDING TO THE FREE INITIATIVE OF THE CITIZENS.

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ATOMIC WEAPONS (650)
BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER

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WASHINGTON, MAY 14-(AP)-INFORMAL AMERICAN DISCUSSION OF SUPPLYING ATOMIC WEAPONS TO OTHER ATLANTIC PACT ALLIES IS CONCERNED WITH THE USE OF SUCH WEAPONS AGAINST TROOPS RATHER THAN IN LONG DISTANCE "STRATEGIC" RAIDS BEHIND THE LINES.

THIS TACTICAL USE OF ATOMIC FORCE IS A NEW AND UNTRIED PHASE OF WARFARE WHICH MAY PROVE TO BE OF ENORMOUS IMPORTANCE, ESPECIALLY IN THE DEFENSE OF WESTERN EUROPE IN EVENT OF GROUND INVASION FROM THE EAST.

IT IS IN THIS CONNECTION, IN FACT, THAT THE PROBLEM OF SENDING ATOMIC WEAPONS ABROAD HAS ARISEN AMONG MILITARY PLANNERS HERE. THEY ARE CONCERNED WITH PRODUCING THE CHEAPEST AND STRONGEST POSSIBLE DEFENSES FOR WESTERN EUROPE--AND THE UNITED STATES. SOME ARE BEGINNING TO BELIEVE NEW ATOMIC WEAPONS WILL BE OF GREAT SIGNIFICANCE IN THIS EFFORT.

THE WEAPONS WHICH THESE AUTHORITIES HAVE IN MIND, ACCORDING TO RESPONSIBLE INFORMANTS, ARE THOSE WHICH COULD BE EMPLOYED IN DIRECT, TACTICAL SUPPORT OF WESTERN EUROPEAN GROUND FORCES WHICH WOULD INEVITABLY BEAR THE FIRST BLOWS OF ANY SOVIET ATTACK.

A CLUE TO WHAT THE PLANNERS PRESUMABLY HAVE IN MIND IS TO BE FOUND IN UNOFFICIAL REPORTS THAT THE UNITED STATES HAS PRODUCED RELATIVELY SMALL ATOMIC BOMBS. THESE BOMBS ARE SAID TO BE LIGHT ENOUGH TO BE CARRIED BY JET BOMBERS AND FIGHTER-BOMBERS.

UNDER THE GRAND STRATEGY BEING WORKED OUT BY THE MILITARY CHIEFS OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY NATIONS, THE UNITED STATES IN THE OPENING PHASE OF ANY CONFLICT WOULD HAVE PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITY FOR STRATEGIC BOMBING--THAT IS, FOR THE LONG RANGE BLOWS AGAINST PRODUCTION CENTERS AND TRANSPORTATION NETWORKS OF AN ENEMY.

ATOMIC WEAPONS USED SOLELY FOR THIS PURPOSE WOULD BE DESIGNED TO CRIPPLE THE ENEMY'S TOTAL WAR CAPACITY AFTER A TIME. THEY WOULD NOT IMMEDIATELY AND DIRECTLY AID GROUND DEFENSE OF FRIENDLY NATIONS.

ANOTHER PART OF THE SECRET DEFENSE PLANS--ABOUT WHICH SOME GENERAL FACTS ARE PUBLICLY KNOWN--PLACES PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITY FOR PROTECTION OF WESTERN EUROPE IN THE FIRST PHASE OF A CONFLICT ON THE WESTERN EUROPEAN NATIONS THEMSELVES. THE AMERICAN ARMS AID PROGRAM IS DESIGNED TO HELP THEM BUILD UP THEIR OWN STRENGTH.

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SO FAR THIS PROGRAM CALLS ONLY FOR NON-ATOMIC, CONVENTIONAL WEAPONS. UNDER THE LAW, IN FACT, THOSE ARE ALL THAT CAN BE DELIVERED. THE ATOMIC ENERGY ACT OF 1946 SPECIFICALLY FORBIDS THE PRESIDENT TO TRANSFER ATOMIC WEAPONS OR ATOMIC FUELS TO ANY FOREIGN POWER.

THE PROBLEM WITH WHICH THE AMERICAN JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFFS ARE NOW FACED, OFFICIALS SAID, IS THIS:

IF THE WESTERN EUROPEAN ARMIES ARE TO HAVE MAXIMUM POWER AGAINST A POTENTIAL ENEMY ARMED WITH ATOMIC WEAPONS, WILL THEY ALSO REQUIRE ATOMIC WEAPONS? IF THE ANSWER IS YES, SHOULD THE UNITED STATES UNDERTAKE TO FURNISH SUCH WEAPONS? IF SO, UNDER WHAT CONDITIONS?

EVENTUALLY THE PROBLEM COVERED IN THESE QUESTIONS IS EXPECTED TO REQUIRE A POLICY DECISION BY THE STATE AND DEFENSE DEPARTMENTS, IN THE FORM OF A RECOMMENDATION TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN.

SPECULATIVELY, SOME INFORMED OFFICIALS SAY THE UNITED STATES COULD TAKE EITHER OF TWO LINES OF ACTION:

1. THE PRESIDENT COULD ASK CONGRESS TO MODIFY THE LAW TO PERMIT HIM TO SUPPLY ATOMIC WEAPONS TO NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY POWERS. THIS WOULD UNDOUBTEDLY KICK UP A MAJOR ROW AT THE CAPITOL, PARTICULARLY AS RESPECTS THE SECURITY OF AMERICA'S ATOMIC SECRETS.

2. THE AMERICAN ARMED FORCES, WITH THE PRESIDENT'S APPROVAL, COULD DEVELOP SPECIAL COMBAT UNITS TRAINED IN THE USE OF ATOMIC WEAPONS AND ASSIGN THOSE UNITS TO DUTY WITH THE FIGHTING FORCES IN WESTERN EUROPE. THIS WOULD KEEP THE SPECIAL WEAPONS IN AMERICAN HANDS UNDER CONDITIONS DESIGNED TO SAFEGUARD THE SECRETS OF THEIR CONSTRUCTION AND USE.

RESPONSIBLE OFFICIALS EMPHASIZE THIS WHOLE PROBLEM IS FAR FROM SOLUTION. THE NATURE OF IT MAY BE CHANGED BY CHANGING CONDITIONS IN OTHER FIELDS OF ATLANTIC TREATY DEVELOPMENT.

FOR EXAMPLE, IF THE ATLANTIC ALLIANCE EVENTUALLY PRODUCES AN INTERNATIONAL HIGH COMMAND WITH AMERICAN MILITARY FORCES CLOSELY JOINED WITH FRENCH, BRITISH AND OTHER ARMIES IN WESTERN EUROPE, THE QUESTIONS OF WHERE AND HOW TO EMPLOY ATOMIC WEAPONS IN WESTERN DEFENSE PREPARATIONS MIGHT BECOME MUCH LESS POTENTIALLY CONTROVERSIAL THAN THEY NOW ARE.

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(160) FIRST LEAD COMMUNISTS

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BY MARVIN L. ARROWSMITH

WASHINGTON, MAY 14-(AP)-THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND SENATOR MCCARTHY EXCHANGED VERBAL BLOWS TONIGHT OVER WHAT THE DEPARTMENT CALLED "SOME OF THE INACCURACIES" OF HIS COMMUNISTS-IN-GOVERNMENT CHARGES.

THE DEPARTMENT HAD THE FIRST WORD. IT WAS A REPLY BY EDWARD A. BARRETT, ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE FOR PUBLIC AFFAIRS, TO THE WISCONSIN REPUBLICAN'S APRIL 20 SPEECH TO THE AMERICAN SOCIETY OF NEWSPAPER EDITORS.

~~MCCARTHY RETORTED THAT WHILE HE HAD NOT SEEN "THE ENTIRE STATE~~ DEPARTMENT WHITE PAPER," HE COULD TELL FROM NEWSPAPER ACCOUNTS THAT "IT CONTAINS AT LEAST SEVERAL GLARING AND APPARENTLY DELIBERATE MIS-STATEMENTS OF FACT AND A NUMBER OF DECEITFUL ATTEMPTS TO PLAY UPON WORDS."

MCCARTHY TELEPHONED HIS STATEMENT FROM NEW YORK CITY TO THE ASSOCIATED PRESS BUREAU IN WASHINGTON.

THE SENATOR MADE A DETAILED REPLY TO ONLY TWO OF THE POINTS COVERED IN BARRETT'S LETTER, WHICH THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID WAS MAILED OUT TO SOME 500 MEMBERS OF THE ASNE, MANY OF WHOM HEARD MCCARTHY'S APRIL 20 SPEECH.

IN THAT SPEECH MC CARTHY ASSAILED SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON AS INCOMPETENT AND PRESSED HIS CHARGES THAT COMMUNISTS AND THEIR FRIENDS HAVE INFILTRATED THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

ADDRESSING THE SAME GROUP OF EDITORS TWO NIGHTS LATER, ACHESON TERMED MC CARTHY'S ACCUSATIONS AGAINST THE DEPARTMENT "MAD AND VICIOUS.. FILTHY BUSINESS." HE SAID MC CARTHY WAS TRYING TO "DESTROY THE CONFIDENCE OF THE PEOPLE IN THEIR FOREIGN OFFICE AND IN THEIR GOVERNMENT IN ONE OF THE MOST CRITICAL HOURS OF THE NATION'S HISTORY."

SENATOR TYDINGS (D-MD) PROMISED A FULL REPORT TO THE PEOPLE ON THE CONTENTS OF DEPARTMENT LOYALTY FILES BEING EXAMINED BY SENATE COMMUNIST INVESTIGATORS. Meanwhile

THE FILES COVER 81 PERSONS ACCUSED BY MC CARTHY OF BEING REDS, COMMUNIST SYMPATHIZERS, OR SECURITY RISKS FOR OTHER REASONS.

A SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE HEADED BY TYDINGS IS STUDYING THE FILES, WHICH WERE MADE AVAILABLE TO THE GROUP BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN. REFERRING TO THE STUDY IN A BROADCAST (WBAL, BALTIMORE), TYDINGS SAID:

"WE'RE READING THEM AND WE'LL TELL THE PEOPLE WHAT THE FILES CONTAIN WHEN WE GET THROUGH THE LAST CASE, I HOPE. I WILL, ANYWAY. X X X.

"IF THERE'S ONE COMMUNIST, TWO COMMUNISTS, 10 COMMUNISTS, 57 COMMUNISTS, OR NONE AT ALL, IT WILL BE MY DUTY TO SAY SO AND I'LL BE READY TO SAY SO ON OATH WHAT I THINK THE FACTS ARE."

TYDINGS SAID HE HOPES THE FIVE-MAN INQUIRY COMMITTEE--THREE DEMOCRATS AND TWO REPUBLICANS--WILL BE ABLE TO DECIDE UNANIMOUSLY AS TO JUST WHAT THE FACTS ARE.

TYDINGS REITERATED THAT "THERE'S EVERYTHING IN THE FILES THAT EXISTS IN THE GOVERNMENT TOUCHING ON LOYALTY" SO FAR AS THE 81 CASES ARE CONCERNED.

BARRETT'S ATTACK ON MC CARTHY WAS IN A LETTER TO MORE THAN 500 MEMBERS OF THE EDITORS' SOCIETY BEFORE WHOM MC CARTHY SPOKE. THE DEPARTMENT MADE IT PUBLIC TONIGHT.

IN HIS ANALYSIS OF "INACCURACIES" IN THE SPEECH, BARRETT PRESENTED FIRST WHAT MC CARTHY TOLD THE ASNE, THEN WHAT BARRETT TERMED "THE FACTS." FOLLOWING IS PART OF BARRETT'S EXTENSIVE REBUTTAL:

"SENATOR MC CARTHY SAID TO THE ASNE: 'FIRST AS TO THE FIGURE 205.' HE (MC CARTHY) THEN WENT ON TO ASSERT THAT HE HAD MADE IT CLEAR THAT HE NEVER CLAIMED TO HAVE THE NAMES OF 205 KNOWN COMMUNISTS ALLEGEDLY WORKING IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT."

"THE FACTS: IN A RADIO ADDRESS AT WHEELING, W.VA., ON FEB. 9, 1950, SENATOR MC CARTHY STATED: 'AND, LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, WHILE I CANNOT TAKE TIME TO NAME ALL THE MEN IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT WHO HAVE BEEN NAMED AS ACTIVE MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY AND MEMBERS OF A SPY RING, I HAVE HERE IN MY HAND A LIST OF 205 X X X A LIST OF NAMES THAT WERE MADE KNOWN TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE AS BEING MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY AND WHO NEVERTHELESS ARE STILL WORKING AND CHAPING POLICY IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT.'

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"HE (MC CARTHY) WAS QUOTED TO THIS EFFECT BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS, AND SUBSEQUENTLY TWO OFFICIALS OF THE RADIO STATION OVER WHICH HE SPOKE SIGNED AFFIDAVITS SAYING THEY FOLLOWED SENATOR MC CARTHY'S SPEECH AND THAT THIS WAS WHAT HE SAID."

"SENATOR MC CARTHY SAID TO THE ASNE: TWO HUNDRED AND FIVE PERSONS WERE 'NAMED AS BAD SECURITY RISKS' AND WERE 'LISTED BY THE PRESIDENT'S OWN SECURITY BOARD AND THE FORERUNNER OF THE PRESENT LOYALTY BOARD AS DANGEROUS TO OUR GOVERNMENT.'"

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BARRETT SAID THE FACTS ARE THAT IN 1945 THOSE 205 EMPLOYES, ALONG WITH 80 OTHERS, WERE TENTIATIVELY DISAPPROVED "IN CATEGORIES RANGING ALL THE WAY FROM AUTOMATIC DISAPPROVAL OF ALIENS TO DISAPPROVALS ON THE BASIS OF DEROGATORY INFORMATION."

BARRETT SAID THAT AT PRESENT THE 205 ARE EITHER NO LONGER IN THE DEPARTMENT "OR HAVE BEEN THOROUGHLY INVESTIGATED AND CLEARED FOR EMPLOYMENT." HE ADDED THAT 46 OF THE TOTAL OF 280 STILL ARE ON THE DEPARTMENT'S PAYROLL.

BARRETT'S ANALYSIS WENT ON:

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"SENATOR MC CARTHY SAID TO THE ASNE: 'FIRST, LET'S TAKE A LOOK AT THAT PERENNIAL JOINER, DR. PHILIP JESSUP, OUR AMBASSADOR-AT-LARGE. X X X WHY DOES HE ALWAYS JOIN COMMUNIST FRONTS? WHY NOT ANTI-COMMUNIST ORGANIZATIONS?'

"THE FACTS: DR. JESSUP TESTIFIED X X X THAT HE HAD JOINED NO COMMUNIST-FRONT ORGANIZATIONS, WHEREAS THE ORGANIZATIONS TO WHICH HE DID BELONG INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING: THE AMERICAN LEGION, THE AMERICAN PHILOSOPHICAL SOCIETY, THE FOREIGN POLICY ASSOCIATION, THE AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION."

MCCARTHY'S REPLY TO THAT WAS THAT HE HAD GIVEN THE COMMITTEE PHOTOGRAPHIC PROOF THAT JESSUP HAS BEEN AFFILIATED WITH FIVE ORGANIZATIONS LISTED AS COMMUNIST FRONTS EITHER BY THE ATTORNEY GENERAL OR BY CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

MCCARTHY SAID THAT JESSUP "WAS A DIRECTOR OF ONE OF THE WORST OF SUCH ORGANIZATIONS NAMED BY THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, NAMELY, THE CHINA AID COUNCIL OF THE AMERICAN LEAGUE FOR PEACE AND DEMOCRACY."

THE SENATOR SAID BARRETT HAD GLOSSED OVER JESSUP'S CONNECTION WITH THE INSTITUTE OF PACIFIC RELATIONS. LISTING JESSUP'S ACKNOWLEDGED POSITIONS IN THE ORGANIZATION, MCCARTHY SAID THE SENATE COMMITTEE HAS EVIDENCE THAT THE INSTITUTE "HAD A COMMUNIST CELL WHICH X X X USED AT LEAST 17 COMMUNIST WRITERS IN ITS CAMPAIGN TO SELL THE COMMUNIST PARTY LINE ON CHINA."

BARRETT ALSO REFERRED TO MCCARTHY'S APRIL 20 STATEMENT THAT A DEPARTMENT LOYALTY BOARD ONCE REJECTED GEORGE S.WHEELER FOR DEPARTMENT EMPLOYMENT, THEN REVERSED ITSELF AND CLEARED HIM.

BARRETT SAID THE FACTS ARE THAT WHEELER ONCE WORKED FOR ANOTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCY IN GERMANY, WAS TRANSFERRED TEMPORARILY TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT PAYROLL, BUT WAS NEVER UNDER JURISDICTION OF THE DEPARTMENT LOYALTY BOARD. BARRETT SAID THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION HAD JURISDICTION IN HIS CASE.

MCCARTHY COMMENTED THAT WHEELER RECENTLY "RENOUNCED AMERICAN DEMOCRACY IN FAVOR OF SOVIET COMMUNISM AND RETIRED BEHIND THE IRON CURTAIN." WHEELER ANNOUNCED IN PRAGUE EARLY LAST MONTH THAT IN PROTEST AGAINST U.S.FOREIGN POLICY HE HAD ASKED THE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA FOR ASYLUM FOR HIMSELF AND HIS FAMILY.

MCCARTHY SAID BARRETT FAILED TO MAKE CLEAR THAT: "FIRST, THE STATE DEPARTMENT HIRED WHEELER AND ASSIGNED HIM TO VERY IMPORTANT WORK; SECOND, HE WAS ON THE STATE DEPARTMENT PAYROLL; THIRD, HE WAS CLEARED BY WHATEVER BOARD THEY WERE USING AT THAT TIME; FOURTH, THE FACTS WHICH WERE PRESENTED TO THAT BOARD WERE KNOWN TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND WERE SUCH AS TO CONVINCE ANYONE WHO COULD ADD TWO AND TWO THAT HE WAS THE FULL-FLEDGED COMMUNIST HE LATER PUBLICLY PROCLAIMED HIMSELF TO BE."

BARRETT ALSO LISTED AS INACCURATE MC CARTHY'S CONTENTION THAT OWEN LATTIMORE, FAR EASTERN AFFAIRS EXPERT AND SOMETIMES CONSULTANT TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT, WAS THE ARCHITECT OF THIS COUNTRY'S FAR EASTERN POLICY. BARRETT SAID THAT STATEMENT HAD BEEN REFUTED BY ACHESON AND THREE OF HIS PREDECESSORS AS SECRETARY OF STATE: GEN.GEORGE C.MARSHALL, CORDELL HULL AND JAMES F.BYRNES.

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BY HAROLD W.WARD

WASHINGTON, MAY 14-(AP)-OFFICIALS OF AMERICAN LABOR CONVERGE ON EUROPE THIS WEEK FOR FOUR MEETINGS OF MAJOR IMPORTANCE IN THE COLD WAR IN WHICH IT IS PLAYING AN INCREASINGLY STRONG ROLE.

GEORGE MEANY, SECRETARY-TREASURER OF THE AFL, AND PHILIP DELANEY, IN CHARGE OF THE AFL'S INTERNATIONAL DEPARTMENT, EMBARK WEDNESDAY TO HEAD THAT ORGANIZATION'S PARTICIPATION IN THESE AFFAIRS--ONCE ALIEN TO THE LABOR CONSERVATIVES IN THE AFL. THEY'LL BE JOINED BY IRVING BROWN, EXPERT AT FIGHTING COMMUNIST INFILTRATION OF EUROPEAN TRADE UNIONS.

THE CIO ALREADY HAS ITS REPRESENTATIVES IN EUROPE. THEY INCLUDE RESEARCH DIRECTOR STANLEY RUTTENBERG, INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS DIRECTOR MICHAEL ROSS, AND EUROPEAN DIRECTOR ELMER COPE.

THE AMERICAN DELEGATION TO THE INTERNATIONAL LABOR ORGANIZATION (ILO) ALSO WILL LEAVE THIS WEEK FOR GENEVA FOR MEETINGS OF THE ILO GOVERNING BODY AND THE ANNUAL INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE. THE ILO IS HEADED BY AN AMERICAN, DAVID A.MORSE, FORMERLY ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF LABOR.

THEN THERE IS PHILIP KAISER, 36-year-old ~~YOUTHFUL~~ ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF LABOR IN CHARGE OF A MUSHROOMING OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL LABOR AFFAIRS (OILA). HE LEAVES FOR PARIS TUESDAY FOR VITAL TALKS, INCLUDING A HUDDLE WITH AMERICAN LABOR ATTACHES FROM KEY WESTERN EUROPEAN NATIONS.

FEW PEOPLE MAY HAVE HEARD OF KAISER'S OFFICE. IT IS GROWING BY LEAPS AND BOUNDS, AND IS VERY HUSH-HUSH IN ITS OPERATIONS. CHIEFLY IT COOPERATES ON INTERNATIONAL LABOR MATTERS WITH THE STATE AND DEFENSE DEPARTMENTS.

KAISER IS KEPT INFORMED BY AN ARMY OF LIEUTENANTS AND DIPLOMATS IN KEY NATIONS--AND HE HAS AT HIS ELBOW, FIGURATIVELY SPEAKING, THE BEST BRAINS OF THE AFL AND CIO ON INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS.

KAISER--AND SECRETARY OF LABOR TOBIN--HAVE A TRADE UNION ADVISORY COMMITTEE WHICH INCLUDES THE LEADERS OF THE TWO MAJOR LABOR ORGANIZATIONS. HE HAS THE COOPERATION, TOO, OF THE POWERFUL INDEPENDENTS LIKE THE MACHINISTS AND JOHN L.LEWIS' UNITED MINE WORKERS.

BIG AND LITTLE UNIONS OF THE AFL AND CIO, AS WELL AS THE INDEPENDENTS, SOMETIMES HAVE BEEN DESCRIBED AS THE INFANTRY BATALLIONS IN THE COLD WAR ON COMMUNIST SYMPATHIZERS IN THIS COUNTRY.

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GLOBALLY THEY ARE HELPING TO TRAIN LIKE-MINDED "INFANTRY TROOPS" IN FREE TRADE UNIONS OF WESTERN EUROPE AND FRIENDLY ASIATIC AND LATIN POWERS.

KAISER WILL ATTEND THE MEETING OF LABOR ATTACHES IN PARIS BEGINNING MAY 22. THEY ARE IMPORTANT IN THE COLD WAR AT THE DIPLOMATIC LEVEL. THE U.S., WHICH HAS LEARNED THE VALUE OF TRADE UNION COOPERATION IN COMBATTING ANTI-AMERICAN PROPAGANDA, HAS INCREASED THESE AIDES FROM 14 IN 1946 TO 34 TODAY.

KAISER KEEPS A CLOSE LIAISON WITH THEM, AS WELL AS WITH THE U.S. UNION REPRESENTATIVES ABROAD LIKE IRVING BROWN OF THE AFL, ELMER COPE OF THE CIO, AND THOMAS LANE IN ITALY.

SECRETARY OF LABOR TOBIN SAYS LANE, A FORMER BRICKLAYER AND SOLDIER IN ITALY DURING THE WAR HAS HAD MORE TO DO WITH ORGANIZING THE FREE TRADE UNION MOVEMENT IN ITALY THAN ANY OTHER INDIVIDUAL.

MEANY AND DELANEY ARE HEADED FOR MEETINGS IN BRUSSELS OF THE INTER-

NATIONAL CONFEDERATION OF FREE TRADE UNIONS--ANTI-COMMUNIST. THEY'LL BE JOINED THERE BY CIO'S MIKE ROSS AND OTHER OFFICIALS OF THE ICFTU. IMPORTANT SESSIONS REGARDING THE DISMANTLING OF GERMAN FACTORIES AND THE FUTURE OF RUHR INDUSTRIES ARE TO BE DISCUSSED AT MEETINGS THERE AND AT DUSSELDORF.

THE ICFTU IS GATHERING TOGETHER A MISSION, WITH AMERICAN TRADE UNION REPRESENTATIVES ON IT, TO TACKLE THE JOB OF TRAINING TRADE UNIONISTS IN INDIA AND OTHER ASIATIC OUTPOSTS OF DEMOCRACY TO HOLD THE LINE AGAINST THE COMMUNIST THRUSTS THERE.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 5 P.M.EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY, SUNDAY, MAY 14)

(150) WASHINGTON,MAY 14-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS "STILL OFFERS THE MECHANISM FOR PEACE" ALTHOUGH "CONCESSIONS TO RUSSIA" HAVE WEAKENED IT, SENATOR DWORSHAK (R-IDAHO) SAID TODAY.

HE TOLD THE AMERICAN WAR MOTHERS THAT "WE MUST SEEK TO WORK THROUGH THE U.N." FOR PEACE.

DWORSHAK WAS PRINCIPAL SPEAKER AT THE 26TH ANNUAL MOTHERS DAY PILGRIMAGE OF THE ORGANIZATION TO THE TOMB OF THE UNKNOWN SOLDIER IN ARLINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY.

"THE LEADERSHIP OF THIS NATION AS A CHAMPION FOR THE BASIC RIGHTS OF FREE MEN NOW IS CHALLENGED BY THE DESPOTIC TYRANNY OF A NATION THAT ACKNOWLEDGES NEITHER GOD NOR THE RIGHTS OF MAN," HE SAID.

HE CONTINUED:

"IN HIGH PLACES OF GOVERNMENT AND IN EVERY SEGMENT OF OUR NATIONAL LIFE, SOME MEN HAVE GIVEN PRIMARY ALLEGIANCE TO THE THEORIES OF COMMUNISM WHICH NOW THREATENS THE EXISTENCE OF FREE INSTITUTIONS OF OUR LAND."

SUCH GATHERINGS AS THAT OF THE WAR MOTHERS, HE SAID, OFFER AN OPPORTUNITY TO RENEW FAITH IN "THE DEVOTION WHICH AMERICAN MEN AND WOMEN HAVE GIVEN AND WILL CONTINUE TO GIVE" TO MAKE AMERICA FREE AND STRONG.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M.EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY SUNDAY MAY 14)

(200) ECONOMIC

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON,MAY 14-(AP)-A FOREIGN POLICY ASSOCIATION REPORT SAID TODAY THE UNITED STATES WILL HAVE TO CHANGE ITS FOREIGN ECONOMIC POLICY BEFORE IT CAN EXPECT BRITAIN TO GIVE UP TRADING PRIVILEGES.

"AMERICAN ECONOMIC POLICY IS CRUCIAL TO THE SOLUTION OF THE STERLING PROBLEM, AND THE BRITISH OFTEN FIND CONTRADICTIONS BETWEEN WASHINGTON'S ADVOCACY OF A FREER, MULTILATERAL TRADE AND ITS PRACTICES BOTH AT HOME AND ABROAD," SAID THE REPORT BY WILLIAM W.WADE, A MEMBER OF THE FPA RESEARCH STAFF.

THE FOREIGN POLICY ASSOCIATION IS A PRIVATE-NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION DEVOTED TO THE STUDY OF INTERNATIONAL MATTERS.

ITS REPORT ON BRITAIN'S ECONOMIC PLIGHT SAID THAT RELATIVELY MINOR REDUCTIONS IN U.S.TARIFFS MIGHT SWING THE BALANCE IN BRITISH EFFORTS TO BOOST EXPORTS TO THIS COUNTRY.

WADE SAID IT IS QUESTIONABLE WHETHER A CUT IN THE AUTOMOBILE IMPORT DUTY, WOULD DAMAGE DETROIT'S INDUSTRY, WHILE IT "MIGHT MEAN THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN SUCCESS AND FAILURE IN THE BRITISH MOTOR INDUSTRY'S ATTEMPT TO WIN A NEW DOLLAR MARKET."

WADE SAID THAT WHILE THIS COUNTRY OBJECTS TO BRITISH TRADE DISCRIMINATION, THE UNITED STATES CONTINUES TO SUBSIDIZE SHIPBUILDING, SHIPPING OPERATIONS AND THE PRODUCTION OF WOOL AND SYNTHETIC RUBBER.

THESE SUBSIDIES, HE SAID, "UNDOUBTEDLY CURTAIL DOLLAR MARKETS FOR GOODS AND SERVICES IN WHICH THE STERLING AREA HAS REAL COMPETITIVE ADVANTAGES."

IT ADDED THAT LOANS AND THE MARSHALL PLAN FAIL TO MEET BRITAINS STERLING PROBLEM BECAUSE THEY ARE SHORT TERM PLANS FOR "20 YEAR PROBLEMS."

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DULLES (220)

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, MAY 14-(AP)-JOHN FOSTER DULLES CALLED TODAY FOR DEVELOPMENT OF NEW U.S. COLD WAR TECHNIQUES TO REVERSE WHAT HE SAID IS A LOSING BATTLE IN WHICH THE RUSSIANS "CAN WIN EVERYTHING X X X THEY COULD WIN BY A HOT WAR -- PERHAPS MORE."

DULLES, THE FORMER NEW YORK REPUBLICAN SENATOR WHO RECENTLY ACCEPTED A POST AS SPECIAL CONSULTANT TO SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON, SAID HE DOES NOT THINK THE RUSSIANS WANT A SHOOTING WAR NOW, IF EVER.

"I DON'T THINK WE NECESSARILY FACE WAR, BUT I DO THINK THAT WE MUST DEVELOP BETTER TECHNIQUES AND MORE STRENGTH TO FIGHT SUCCESSFULLY THE COLD WAR."

DULLES DID NOT EXPAND ON HIS CALL FOR BETTER TECHNIQUES. HE GAVE HIS VIEWS IN AN INTERVIEW FOR BROADCAST BY THE GANNETT NEWS SERVICE.

ACKNOWLEDGING THAT THE WEST HAS BEEN AT LEAST HOLDING ITS OWN IN WESTERN EUROPE, DULLES SAID THAT RUSSIA HAS MADE NET GAINS IN THE COLD WAR LARGELY THROUGH SUCCESSES IN ASIA WHERE, HE DECLARED, "THEY HAVE WON VICTORIES FAR GREATER THAN ANY JAPAN WOULD HAVE WON IF THEY HAD WON THE SHOOTING WAR."

HE ATTRIBUTED SOVIET SUCCESS IN CHINA TO LONG PREPARATION AT A TIME WHEN THIS COUNTRY LET THINGS DRIFT, TAKING IT FOR GRANTED THAT CHINA ALWAYS WOULD BE FRIENDLY.

"WE JUST MISCALCULATED," DULLES SAID. "THEY WERE BUSY AT WORK ON LONG RANGE PLANS WELL IMPLEMENTED, AND WHEN IT CAME TO THE END OF THE WAR, WE SUDDENLY WOKE UP TO THE FACT THEY HAD CONTROL OF THE MOST DYNAMIC INFLUENCES THAT WERE IN CHINA."

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CHICAGO, MAY 14-(AP)-A NEW NATIONAL ORGANIZATION FORMED TO COMBAT COMMUNISM TODAY SET AS ITS FIRST GOAL THE BOLSTERING OF GOVERNMENT MACHINERY FOR PROSECUTING DEFENDANTS CHARGED WITH SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES.

DR. DAN A. POLING OF NEW YORK, EDITOR OF THE CHRISTIAN CENTURY, WAS NAMED PERMANENT CHAIRMAN OF THE ALL-AMERICAN CONFERENCE TO COMBAT COMMUNISM.

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THE FOUNDING SESSIONS, YESTERDAY AND TODAY, WERE CONDUCTED UNDER CHAIRMANSHIP OF GEORGE N. CRAIG, BRAZIL, IND., NATIONAL COMMANDER OF THE AMERICAN LEGION. CRAIG SAID THAT 51 ORGANIZATIONS REPRESENTING A COMBINED MEMBERSHIP OF 80,000,000 (M) PERSONS PARTICIPATED.

IMMEDIATELY AFTER POLING WAS INSTALLED, AND CRAIG NAMED AS HONORARY CHAIRMAN, THE NEW GROUP BEGAN CONSIDERATION OF MEANS TO PROTECT GOVERNMENT WITNESSES FROM ECONOMIC REPERCUSSIONS OF TESTIFYING AT COMMUNIST TRIALS.

THE ACTION TO PROTECT WITNESSES WAS PROPOSED BY FRANK GUILOTTI OF LA MESA, CALIF., DELEGATE FROM THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF EVANGELICAL CHURCHES, AFTER AN ADDRESS YESTERDAY BY F. JOSEPH DONOHUE, A SPECIAL ASSISTANT TO U.S. ATTORNEY GENERAL MCGRATH.

DONOHUE TOLD THE MEETING THAT SIX OF 10 IMPORTANT GOVERNMENT WITNESSES IN THE TRIAL OF HARRY BRIDGES, RECENTLY CONVICTED OF CONCEALING HIS COMMUNIST PARTY CONNECTIONS IN APPLYING FOR U.S. CITIZENSHIP, ARE JOBLESS BECAUSE OF THEIR TESTIMONY.

DONOHUE SAID THE VICTIMS WERE MEMBERS OF BRIDGES' INTERNATIONAL LONGSHOREMEN'S UNION AND THAT THEY HAVE BEEN KEPT FROM GETTING JOBS BY UNION OFFICIALS.

"WHAT CHANCE DO YOU THINK THE GOVERNMENT WILL HAVE TO GET THE NECESSARY WITNESSES WHEN WE INDICT THE NEXT CANDIDATE FOR THE PENITENTIARY?" DONOHUE ASKED.

THE MEETING ALSO WAS ADDRESSED BY BENJAMIN GITLOW, SELF-ADMITTED FORMER COMMUNIST PARTY OFFICIAL, WHO PRAISED THE MAY DAY SIMULATED COMMUNIST UPRISING AT MOSINEE, WIS., AS "THE FIRST EFFECTIVE STEP TAKEN BY THE AMERICAN PEOPLE IN A PSYCHOLOGICAL WAR AGAINST COMMUNISM."

CRAIG SAID THE 51 ORGANIZATIONS PARTICIPATING IN THE ANTI-COMMUNIST CONFERENCE INCLUDED LABOR, MANAGEMENT, RELIGIOUS, EDUCATIONAL, FRATERNAL. WOMEN'S. PROFESSIONAL. CIVIC AND PATRIOTIC GROUPS.

THE CONFERENCE SET ITS NEXT MEETING FOR BUFFALO, N.Y., NOV. 18 AND 19. THE CONFERENCE ALSO AUTHORIZED A $50,000 INTERIM BUDGET FOR ITS IMMEDIATE ACTIVITIES.

CHAIRMAN POLING TOLD THE GROUP THAT ITS ORGANIZATION "MARKS THE FIRST DYNAMIC NEW UNITY OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE TO CARRY THE FIGHT TO COMMUNISM EVERYWHERE IN THE UNITED STATES."

HE SAID "WE HAVE MOBILIZED HERE TODAY A MIGHTY TASK FORCE TO WIPE OUT EVERY COMMUNIST BEACHHEAD IN OUR LAND."

IN ADDITION TO DR. POLING AND CRAIG, OFFICERS NAMED WERE: NATIONAL VICE-CHAIRMEN -- MRS. MARIE L. SHEEHE OF ROCKFORD, ILL., NATIONAL PRESIDENT OF THE AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY; THE REV. JOHN A. CRONIN, WASHINGTON, D.C., OF THE NATIONAL CATHOLIC WELFARE CONFERENCE; DR. FREDERICK C. FOWLER OF PITTSBURGH, PA., PRESIDENT OF THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF EVANGELICS; LEWIS HINES, WASHINGTON, D.C., AMERICAN FEDERATION OF LABOR DELEGATE, AND ALEXANDER T. WELLS OF NEW YORK, PAST PRESIDENT OF LIONS INTERNATIONAL.

W.C. SAWYER OF TUCSON, ARIZ., WAS NAMED SECRETARY, AND J. GEORGE FRIEDMAN OF UNION CITY, N.J., TREASURER.

AN EXECUTIVE COUNCIL CHOSEN INCLUDED OLIVE H. HUSTON, NEW YORK; ROBERT W. HANSEN, MILWAUKEE; PAUL WAMSLEY, BUFFALO, N.Y.; RABBI BENJAMIN SCHULTZ, NEW YORK; STATE SEN. JACK B. TENNEY OF LOS ANGELES; REAR ADMIRAL CHARLES S. STEPHENSON, (USN, RETIRED), WASHINGTON, D.C., AND GERARD M. CAHILL, WASHINGTON, D.C. SEN. MUNDT (R-SD) WAS NAMED AN ASSOCIATE MEMBER.

THE GROUP ADOPTED A STATEMENT OF POLICY CALLING FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF A GRASS ROOTS EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM; EXPOSURE OF COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES COUNTER-PROPAGANDA; ESTABLISHMENT OF A "KNOW YOUR AMERICA" WEEK, AND OTHER MEASURES.

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CHICAGO, MAY 14-(AP)-A SPEECH BY THE U.S. ASSISTANT HIGH COMMISSIONER OF GERMANY WAS CANCELLED TODAY BY THE ANTI-DEFAMATION LEAGUE OF B'NAI BRITH BECAUSE OF DISAGREEMENT WITH DENAZIFICATION POLICIES ADVOCATED IN THE PROPOSED ADDRESS.

THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER, BENJAMIN J. BUTTENWEISER, HAD BEEN INVITED BY THE LEAGUE TO SPEAK AT ITS ANNUAL MEETING ON "THE REORIENTATION OF GERMANY."

THE LEAGUE'S 35-MEMBER NATIONAL COMMISSION WITHDREW THE INVITATION A FEW HOURS BEFORE BUTTENWIESER WAS TO HAVE APPEARED. THE ACTION WAS TAKEN AFTER LEAGUE OFFICIALS HAD READ AN COPY OF THE TALK SUBMITTED TO THEM IN ADVANCE OF ITS DELIVERY.

BUTTENWIESER SAID HE HAD RECEIVED THE CANCELLATION NOTICE FROM MEYER STEINBRINK OF NEW YORK, NATIONAL CHAIRMAN OF THE LEAGUE, STATING THAT HAVING READ THE ADVANCE COPY OF THE ADDRESS "WE CANNOT LEND OUR PLATFORM TO ITS DELIVERY."

A STATEMENT ISSUED BY THE LEAGUE'S NATIONAL COMMISSION, SAID, IN PART:

"X X X THE SPEECH REVEALED CONTENT AND PROPOSALS WHICH CAN ONLY BE INTERPRETED AS AN EFFORT TO JUSTIFY THE READMISSION OF FORMER NAZIS TO POSITIONS OF IMPORTANCE IN THE ECONOMIC, POLITICAL, SOCIAL AND EDUCATIONAL LIFE OF GERMANY.

"X X X THE GENERAL TENOR OF THE SPEECH, WHOSE KEYNOTE IS THAT 'NAZIISM IN GERMANY -- HAS BEEN DESTROYED, NEVER TO RISE AGAIN,' IS AN APOLOGIA FOR THE LIMITED JOB THAT HAS BEEN DONE TO DENAZIFY GERMANY, AND GIVES AID AND ENCOURAGEMENT TO THOSE VICIOUS ELEMENTS IN 'THE NEW GERMAN NATIONALISM' WHICH BUTTENWIESER, HIMSELF, ADMITS ARE REEMERGING TODAY."

BUTTENWIESER TOLD REPORTERS HE WOULD STAND ON THE STATEMENTS CONTAINED IN THE SPEECH HE HAD PREPARED.

IN THE PREPARED ADDRESS, THE ASSISTANT HIGH COMMISSIONER NOTED THAT THERE ARE CRITICS WHO BELIEVE THE DENAZIFICATION PROGRAM FAILED.

HE CITED 953,292 TRIALS IN WAR CRIMES CASES. SOME CRIMINALS ESCAPED PUNISHMENT, HE SAID IN THE MANUSCRIPT, BUT "IF WE DID ERR X X X IT WAS FAR BETTER TO ERR ON THE SIDE OF FAIRNESS AND LENIENCY RATHER THAN ARBITRARINESS AND RUTHLESSNESS."

BUTTENWIESER'S PROPOSED ADDRESS SAID THAT "JUSTICE AND ETHICS REQUIRE THAT THE PENITENT BE RECEIVED BACK INTO THE FOLD OF SOCIETY AND BE PERMITTED TO FUNCTION AS A MEMBER OF HIS COMMUNITY.

"PREDICATED ON THIS CONCEPT, I SUBMIT THAT IT IS PROPER TO HAVE FORMER NAZIS, WHO HAVE BEEN TRIED AND EITHER ACQUITTED OR FOUND GUILTY AND SERVED THEIR SENTENCES, FUNCTION WHEREVER THEIR SKILLS AND ABILITY PERMIT."

HE SAID MANY FORMER NAZIS HOLD PUBLIC POSITIONS IN WESTERN GERMANY.

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BEDFORD SPRINGS, PA., MAY 14-(AP)-SENATOR HARRY F.BYRD (D-VA.) TONIGHT QUOTED A STATE DEPARTMENT MEMBER AS SAYING NO ONE IN THE DEPARTMENT ANTICIPATES WAR IN THE DISCRENIBLE FUTURE BECAUSE RUSSIA HAS FAILED AT MASS PRODUCTION.

THE VIRGINIA SENATOR TOLD A DISTRICT ROTARY CONVENTION THE STATE DEPARTMENT MEMBER MADE THE STATEMENT DURING A RECENT CONFERENCE IN WASHINGTON. HE DID NOT IDENTIFY THE MEMBER.

BYRD SAID:

"A MEMBER OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT DECLARED NEITHER SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON NOR ANYONE ELSE IN THE DEPARTMENT ANTICIPATES WAR IN THE NEAR FUTURE.

"THE REASON IS THAT RUSSIA HAS FAILED IN EFFORTS AT MASS PRODUCTION. RUSSIA REALIZES WE CAN OUT PRODUCE HER IN STEEL 7 TO 1."

MORE THAN 1,000 ROTARIANS FROM CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA, MARYLAND AND WEST VIRGINIA, HEARD BYRD TALK ON "THE RISE OF SOCIALISM IN AMERICAM"

BYRD TOLD THE GROUP THE FREE ENTERPRISE SYSTEM CAN BE DESTROYED BY EXCESSIVE TAXATION, GOVERNMENT COMPETITION AND REGIMENTATION. HE SAID:

"IF CONGRESS ADOPTS AN UNBALANCED BUDGET THIS YEAR IT IS POSSIBLE WE WILL NEVER HAVE A BALANCE BUDGET AGAIN UNTIL WE GO OVER THE PRECIPICE OF FINANCIAL DISASTER."

BYRD ALSO SPOKE OUT AGAINST THE MARSHALL PLAN OF AIDING EUROPE.

HE SAID THE "BUSINESS OF HANDING OVER MONEY TO EUROPE AT THE RATE OF FIVE BILLIONS A YEAR IS EQUIVALENT TO HANDING OVER A STATE LIKE VIRGINIA EVERY YEAR." THEN HE ASKED:

"HOW LONG CAN WE CONTINUE TO CARRY THE WORLD ON OUR SHOULDERS ABOARD AND THE NEW DEAL ON OUR BACKS AT HOME?"

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HILLSIDE,N.J.,MAY 14-(AP)-JOHN HVASTA, 23, AN AMERICAN CITIZEN, MUST SERVE ANOTHER 10 YEARS IN A COMMUNIST PRISON IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA, HIS FAMILY DISCLOSED HERE TODAY.

THE YOUTH, WHO WENT TO CZECHOSLOVAKIA TO STUDY AT THE UNIVERSITY OF BRATISLAVA, WAS SENTENCED IN 1948 TO THREE YEARS IN PRISON ON A CHARGE OF "SPYING FOR A FOREIGN POWER." HIS TRIAL WAS SECRET.

THEN THE COMMUNIST AUTHORITIES TOLD HIS WIFE, GABRIELLA, A CITIZEN OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA, THAT JOHN WOULD GET A YEAR OFF FOR GOOD BEHAVIOR, SINCE HE HAD NO PREVIOUS "RECORD." HE WAS DUE TO GET OUT NEXT OCTOBER.

ON APRIL 27, HVASTA'S FAMILY HERE RECEIVED A LETTER FROM GABRIELLA TELLING THEM THAT THE YOUTH HAD BEEN HANDED AN ADDITIONAL SENTENCE OF 10 YEARS. THE COUPLE WERE MARRIED IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

THE LETTER DID NOT SAY ON WHAT CHARGES HE WAS GIVEN THE ADDITIONAL SENTENCE. HIS WIFE DIDN'T KNOW. SHE HAD APPEALED THE ORIGINAL SENTENCE, BUT NOW IS AFRAID TO APPEAL THE ADDITIONAL ONE, SHE TOLD THE FAMILY.

THE FAMILY HAS ASKED THEIR CONGRESSMAN, REP.PETER RODINO OF NEWARK, N.J., FOR HELP. RODINO HAS BEEN TRYING TO GET HIM RELEASED SINCE HE WAS IMPRISONED IN OCTOBER OF 1948.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID TODAY IT HAS HAD NO DIRECT WORD FROM THE PRAGUE EMBASSY ON THE ADDITIONAL SENTENCE IMPOSED ON HVASTA.

STEVE HVASTA, JOHN'S BROTHER, SAID HERE TODAY THE FAMILY LAST SAW HIM ON JAN. 21, 1948 WHEN HE SAILED FOR EUROPE ON THE S.S.AMERICA. THE FAMILY, ALL BORN IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA, HAD COME TO THE UNITED STATES IN 1939.

ALL NEWS OF THE YOUTH'S TRIAL AND IMPRISONMENT HAS BEEN KEPT FROM HIS MOTHER, STEVE SAID.

JOHN BECAME AN AMERICAN CITIZEN BY SERVING IN THE U.S.NAVY DURING THE WAR.

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ALI KHAN (380)
SAN FRANCISCO,MAY 14-(AP)-LIAQUAT ALI KHAN, PRIME MINISTER OF PAKISTAN, REACHED THE WEST COAST TODAY ON HIS GOOD WILL TOUR OF THE UNITED STATES AND PRONOUNCED IT "A GREAT COUNTRY."

"THE AMERICANS HAVE MADE TRULY PHENOMENAL PROGRESS. I HOPE PAKISTAN WILL MAKE AS GREAT OR GREATER PROGRESS," DECLARED THE 55-YEAR-OLD LEADER OF THE WORLD'S LARGEST, YOUNGEST, MOSLEM NATION.

LIAQUAT ALI TOLD A PRESS CONFERENCE THAT HE HAD BEEN PARTICULARLY IMPRESSED WITH THE PROGRESS AMERICA HAD MADE THROUGH FREE ENTERPRISE.

"THAT'S OUR BIG IDEA, TOO," HE SAID. "WE HAVE ONLY TWO OR THREE ROJECTS IN PAKISTAN WHICH ARE STATE-OWNED, AND THEY WERE THAT WAY WHEN WE BECAME A NATION."

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SAN FRANCISCO, MAY 14-(AP)-THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS SAID TODAY THEY HAD SENT NEW TELEGRAMS TO UNITED NATIONS EXECUTIVES DEMANDING EXPULSION OF NATIONALIST DELEGATES AND SEATING OF CHINESE REDS.

A BROADCAST BY THE PEIPING RADIO, HEARD IN SAN FRANCISCO BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS, SAID THE MESSAGES WERE SENT FRIDAY BY PREMIER AND FOREIGN MINISTER CHOU EN LAI TO TRYGVIE LIE, U.N. SECRETARY GENERAL; NORRIS E.DODD, DIRECTOR OF THE FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION; BROCK CHISHOLM, DIRECTOR OF THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION; J.T.BODET, DIRECTOR OF THE EDUCATION, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL ORGANIZATION; AND G.SWOBODA, CHIEF OF THE SECRETARIAT OF THE WORLD METEOROLOGICAL ORGANIZATION.

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NEW YORK, MAY 14-(AP)-JOSEPH C.KOLAREK, FORMER U.S. PRESS ATTACHE IN PRAGUE, SAID TODY THE CZECH GOVERNMENT'S CHARGES AGAINST HIM WERE "DISTORTED AND TWISTED."

KOLAREK ARRIVED WITH HIS WIFE BY PLANE AFTER BEING ASKED TO LEAVE CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

THE CZECHS HAD ACCUSED HIM OF ESPIONAGE AND OF SLANDERING THE CZECHOSLOVAKIAN REPUBLIC.

A NOTE SENT TO THE U.S. EMBASSY IN PRAGUE APRIL 19 DEMANDED HIS WITHDRAWAL "IN A REASONABLE TIME" AND ORDERED THE CLOSING OF THE U.S. INFORMATION SERVICE THERE ON APRIL 22.

KOLAREK SAID THE CZECH GOVERNMENT HAD GIVEN "A FALSE PICTURE" OF THE WORK OF THE U.S. INFORMATION SERVICE, WHICH MERELY WAS DOING ITS JOB OF "TELLING THE PEOPLE OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA HOW AMERICA WORKS AND THINKS."

BUT, HE ADDED, "WE STILL HAVE A STRONG WEAPON IN THE VOICE OF AMERICA."

KOLAREK, WHO LIVES AT (2547 FREDERICK AVE.), BALTIMORE, SAID HE AND HIS WIFE WOULD FLY TO WASHINGTON AND HE WOULD CONSULT WITH THE STATE DEPARTMENT ON A POSSIBLE REASSIGNMENT.

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NEW YORK, MAY 14-(AP)-A SMILING, BLONDE, 12-YEAR-OLD LATVIAN GIRL RECEIVED AN EXCITING WELCOME TODAY WHEN SHE ARRIVED ABOARD THE GENERAL BALLOU.
SHE WAS THE 150,000TH DISPLACED PERSON TO COME TO THE UNITED STATES.
THE GIRL, DACE EPERMANIS, SPENT FIVE YEARS IN D.P. CAMPS.
THE INTERNATIONAL REFUGEE ORGANIZATION ARRANGED A WELCOMING CEREMONY BY OFFICIALS OF THE CITY AND STATE, OF THE U. S. DISPLACED PERSONS COMMISSION, AND THE NATIONAL CAPITAL SESQUICENTENNIAL COMMISSION.
DACE WILL BE AN HONORED GUEST AT THE 150TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION OF WASHINGTON, D. C.
HER FATHER, MOTHER AND 15-YEAR-OLD BROTHER ARRIVED WITH HER FROM BREMERHAVEN ABOARD THE GENERAL BALLOU, WHICH, INCIDENTALLY, WAS THE 150TH SHIP TO ARRIVE IN THE U.S. WITH REFUGEE IMMIGRANTS.
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NEW YORK, MAY 14-(AP)-HAYATO IKEDA, JAPANESE MINISTER OF FINANCE, WILL END HIS THREE WEEKS' STUDY OF AMERICAN FINANCE WITH TALKS TOMORROW WITH PROF. CARL S. SHOUP OF COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY.
SHOUP DRAFTED A FINANCIAL PLAN FOR THE JAPANESE GOVERNMENT WHILE SERVING WITH GEN. MACARTHUR'S OCCUPATION STAFF AND SINCE HAS RETURNED TO HIS UNIVERSITY POST.
IKEDA CAME TO NEW YORK YESTERDAY AFTER SPENDING MORE THAN TWO WEEKS IN WASHINGTON.
HE WILL HAVE A CONFERENCE TOMORROW WITH MEMBERS OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE BOARD BEFORE HIS TALK WITH SHOUP.
HE PLANS TO FLY TUESDAY TO LOS ANGELES, REMAIN THERE OVERNIGHT AND LEAVE THERE WEDNESDAY BY PLANE FOR TOKYO. K.28
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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, SUNDAY, MAY 14)
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(ADVANCE) LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 14-(AP)-A NEW UNITED NATIONS VOLUME ON ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ADDS FURTHER EVIDENCE THAT THERE IS HARDLY A COUNTRY TODAY--COMMUNIST OR NON-COMMUNIST--THAT DOESN'T HAVE ITS ECONOMIC PLAN.
THE NEW VOLUME IS THE SECOND OF A SERIES PREPARED BY U.N. ECONOMIC EXPERTS SHOWING WHAT IS BEING DONE IN THE FIELD OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND WHAT IS PLANNED. THE PRESENT STUDY DEALS WITH AUSTRALIA, BULGARIA, COLOMBIA, NEW ZEALAND, THE PHILIPPINES, PUERTO RICO, SOUTHERN RHODESIA AND THE UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA.
THE SURVEY OUTLINES THE FIVE-YEAR PLAN OF COMMUNIST BULGARIA AND THE FIVE-YEAR PLAN OF THE PHILIPPINES. IT TELLS ABOUT THE SIX-YEAR PROGRAM IN PUERTO RICO AND THE FIVE-YEAR AGRICULTURAL PROGRAM IN SOUTHERN RHODESIA. IT SHOWS THAT THE OTHERS HAVE DEFINITE LONG-RANGE PLANNING, ALTHOUGH NOT ALL HAVE PLACED A TIME-LIMIT ON THEM.
THIS SAME TREND WAS SHOWN IN LAST YEAR'S VOLUME. THIS DEALT WITH TWO COMMUNIST COUNTRIES--YUGOSLAVIA AND POLAND--AND WITH SEVERAL LATIN AMERICAN AND MIDDLE EASTERN COUNTRIES, AS WELL AS SOME DEPENDENT TERRITORIES IN AFRICA.
(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EST, SUNDAY, MAY 14).
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WASHINGTON, MAY 12-(AP)-MARSHALL PLAN CHIEF PAUL HOFFMAN SAID TODAY THE PROPOSED INTERNATIONAL TRADE ORGANIZATION WOULD HELP SPEED WESTERN EUROPE'S ECONOMIC RECOVERY.

THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATOR TOLD THE HOUSE FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE THAT ECA'S GOAL OF PUTTING EUROPE ON A SELF-SUPPORTING BASIS BY 1952 CANNOT BE ACHIEVED "UNLESS THERE IS A VERY RAPID DEWELOPMENOF RADE."

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BASIS BY 1952 CANNOT BE ACHIEVED "UNLESS THERE IS A VERY RAPID DEVELOPMENT OF TRADE."

TRADE COULD BE BUILT UP QUICKER, HE SAID, WITH THE HELP OF THE ITO WHICH IS DESIGNED TO WIPE OUT TRADE BARRIERS.

HOFFMAN SAID RESTRICTIONS OF ALL KINDS--"CONTROLS, QUOTAS, TARIFFS, CARTELS,"--HAVE "PRACTICALLY STRANGLED" TRADE IN MANY AREAS OF THE WORLD HE CONTINUED:

"A GOOD SHARE OF THE REASON FOR THE DIFFICULTIES OF THE WESTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES WITH WHICH WE IN ECA ARE CONCERNED IS A DIRECT RESULT OF THIS SINISTER NETWORK OF RESTRICTIONS."

HOFFMAN SAID THERE ARE SOME UNSATISFACTORY PROVISIONS IN THE ITO CHARTER DRAWN AT HAVANA BY 54 NATIONS. BUT, HE SAID, "WE SHOULD TAKE IT OR LEAVE IT NOW" RATHER THAN ATTEMPT TO DRAFT A NEW PLAN AS SUGGESTED BY SOME OPPONENTS.

THE COMMITTEE IS CONSIDERING LEGISLATION TO PERMIT UNITED STATES MEMBERSHIP IN THE ITO.

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(2507 WASHINGTON,MAY 12--(AP)--SENATOR JENNER (R-IND) TODAY DENOUNCED THE AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT FOR WHAT HE CALLED A DEAL THAT WILL SNATCH 60,000 TONS OF MANCHURIAN SOYBEANS FROM THE MOUTHS OF THE "STARVING CHINESE."

HE TOLD THE SENATE THAT THE DEPARTMENT HAD ANNOUNCED ITS APPROVAL YESTERDAY OF TRADING ABOUT 45,000 BALES OF SURPLUS COTTON HELD BY THE COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION TO THE CHINESE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT FOR THE SOYBEANS.

JENNER NOTED THIS COINCIDED WITH ACTION BY HOUSE AND SENATE CONFEREES ON THE FOREIGN AID BILL TO EARMARK $5,000,000 (M) TO AID FLOOD AND FAMINE VICTIMS IN COMMUNIST CHINA.

"HOW CAN OUR OWN GOVERNMENT WITH ONE HAND OFFER $5,000,000 WORTH OF FOOD TO THESE FAMINE VICTIMS AND WITH THE OTHER HAND TAKE AN EQUIVALENT AMOUNT OF NUTRITIOUS SOYBEANS FROM THESE SAME PEOPLE?" ASKED JENNER.

"WAS THIS CRUEL JOKE WHAT MR. TRUMAN HAD IN MIND EARLIER THIS WEEK IN HIS SPEECH AT LARAMIE, WYOMING, WHEN HE PROPOSED THAT WE OFFER AID TO THE PEOPLE OF CHINA?" THE GOP SENATOR CONTINUED.

ALTHOUGH THE AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT DID NOT STATE THE PRICE TO BE PAID FOR THE SOYBEANS--TO BE MOVED TO JAPAN FOR DISTRIBUTION BY THE ARMY--JENNER SAID THE COST WOULD BE ABOUT $3.28 A BUSHEL ON THE BASIS OF THE VALUE OF THE COTTON BEING TRADED.

YET, HE SAID, THERE ARE PLENTY OF SOYBEANS ON HAND IN THE UNITED STATES AND THEY ARE SELLING IN THE DOMESTIC MARKET FOR ABOUT $3.05 A BUSHEL.

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JENNER NOTED THAT HIS OWN STATE RANKS SECOND IN SOYBEAN PRODUCTION AND SAID HE FAILED TO UNDERSTAND WHY THIS COUNTRY SHOULD BUY FROM COM-MUNIST CHINA FARM COMMODITIES AVAILABLE HERE--ESPECIALLY WHEN IT MEANS FURTHER STARVATION FOR THE CHINESE PEOPLE."

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FIRST LEAD REPARATIONS (290)

LONDON,TUESDAY,MAY 16-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER STALIN HAS TOLD EAST GERMANY THAT RUSSIA IS CUTTING REPARATIONS DEMANDS ON GERMANY BY HALF, MOSCOW RADIO SAID EARLY TODAY.

IN WASHINGTON, A STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL IMMEDIATELY CHARACTERIZED THE SOVIET ACTION AS "A SORT OF EMPTY GESTURE" BECAUSE IT "IS JUST BEING DONE FOR POLITICAL PROPAGANDA EFFECT." HE SAID RUSSIA HAS "BEEN LOOTING EAST GERMANY FOR SEVERAL YEARS, SO THERE'S NOTHING MUCH TO REPARATE."

THE MOSCOW BROADCAST, QUOTING A TASS DISPATCH, SAID STALIN'S ACTION LEAVES GERMANY OWING $3,171,000,000 (B). BY THE END OF 1950, IT ADDED, GERMANY WILL HAVE PAID TO RUSSIA $3,658,000,000 (B) OF THE SOVIETS' ORIGINAL CLAIM OF $10,000,000,000 (B).

THE WEST GERMAN SOCIALIST PARTY SAID JAN.26, 1949, THAT THE RUSSIANS ALREADY HAD TAKEN $7,000,000,000 IN REPARATIONS.

STALIN, IN A LETTER TO EAST GERMAN PREMIER OTTO GROTEWOHL, SAID THE NEW FIGURE HAD BEEN REACHED AFTER "AGREEMENT WITH THE GOVERNMENT OF THE POLISH REPUBLIC." UNDER THE 1945 POTSDAM AGREEMENT, POLISH REPRATIONS ARE MET OUT OF RUSSIA'S COLLECTIONS.

THE REMAINING GERMAN REPARATIONS TO RUSSIA ARE TO BE PAID OVER 15 YEARS, FROM 1951 TO 1965, "WITH GOODS FROM CURRENT PRODUCTION," STALIN SAID.

TODAY'S ANNOUNCEMENT CAME AFTER A WEEKEND STATEMENT BY THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS IN LONDON TO THE EFFECT THE U.S., BRITAIN AND FRANCE HAD AGREED TO RELAX CONTROLS ON WESTERN GERMANY BUT HAD NO EXPECTATIONS OF A FORMAL PEACE TREATY AS LONG AS THE SOVIET POLICY REMAINS UNCHANGED.

THE POLITBURO OF THE EAST GERMAN SOCIALIST UNITY (COMMUNIST) PARTY MAY 10 ASKED THE RUSSIANS TO REDUCE REPARATIONS IN "ORDER TO SPEED OUR RECONSTRUCTION AND RAISE THE LIVING STANDARD OF OUR PEOPLE."

OBSERVERS IN BERLIN REGARDED THE REQUEST AS A PROPOGANDA MEASURE AND PREDICTED THAT THE WIDELY-ADVERTISED COMMUNIST REQUEST WOULD BE GRANTED BY THE RUSSIANS AS A NEW MEANS OF WOOING THE GERMANS.

MOSCOW RELEASED THE TEXT OF BOTH STALIN'S LETTER AND A LETTER IT SAID HE HAD RECEIVED FROM GROTEWOHL REQUESTING THE REDUCTION IN REPARATIONS.

grotewohl's letter to stalin, as broadcast by radio moscow:

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"to the chairman of the council of ministers of the union of soviet socialist republics,'

"generalissimo j.v.stalin,

"the kremlin,

"moscow:

"on may 11, 1950 the government of the german democratic republic examined the petition of the socialist unity party of germany for reduction of germany's reparations deliveries. the grounds for the petition are that 'until now reparation obligations have been fulfilled punctually and [redacted] the working people of the german democratic republic have always regarded the fulfillment of reparation deliveries as their duty.' the government of the [redacted] german democratic republic considers the proposal of [redacted] the socialist unity party of germany as timely.

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"the policy of consolidatio of the democratic system and the peaceful eco omic construction pursued by the provisional government of the german democratic republic impels it to ask the government of the union of soviet socialist republics to examine the question as to whether it regards it as possible to reduce reparations deliveries and to what extent.

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"with profound respect,

"grotewohl

"may 11,1950."

stalin's reply, as broadcast by radio moscow:

"to the prime minister of the german democratic republic,

"mr. otto grotewohl,

"berlin:

"esteemed sir:

"the prime minister of the soviet government has examined the request of the government of the german democratic republic for reduction of the sum paid by germany on account of reparations.

"in doing so the soviet government has taken into account that the ge man democratic republic is conscientiously fulfilling its reparations obligations calculated in the amount of $10,000,000,000 and that by the end of 1950 a substantial part of these obligations in the sum of $3,658,000,000 will have been fulfilled.

"guided by the desire to facilitate the efforts of the german people for the restoration and develop ent of their national economy of germany and taking into account the friendly relations which have been established between the soviet union and the german democratic republic, the soviet government, upon agreement with the government of the polish republic, has taken the decision to re reduce the sum of the reparations payments still to be paid by 50 per cent i.e. to $3,171,000,000.

"in conformity with the statement of the government of the u.s.s.r. at the moscow x session of the council of foreign ministers in march, 1947, on establishing a twenty year term for the payment of reparations, the soviet government has also taken the decision to spread the payment by germany of the remaining part of reparatio s payments (in the sum of $3,171,000,000) over 15 years beginning from 1951 until 1965 inclusive with goods from curre t production.

"with profound estime,

"j.j. stalin,

"chairman of the council of ministers of the u.s.s.r.

"may 15. 1950." (END TEXT)

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LONDON, TUESDAY, MAY 16-(AP)-THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT HAS DECIDED TO CUT GERMAN REPARATIONS PAYMENTS, MOSCOW RADIO SAID EARLY TODAY.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT CAME AFTER A WEEKEND STATEMENT BY THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS IN LONDON THAT THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE HAD AGREED TO RELAX CONTROLS ON WESTERN GERMANY BUT THAT NO PEACE TREATY IS POSSIBLE WHILE SOVIET POLICY REMAINS UNCHANGED.

(A STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL IN WASHINGTON CHARACTERIZED THE SOVIET ACTION AS "A SORT OF EMPTY GESTURE."

("THEY'VE BEEN LOOTING EAST GERMANY FOR SEVERAL YEARS SO THERE'S NOTHING MUCH TO REPARATE," HE ADDED.

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TODAY'S BROADCAST, HEARD IN LONDON BY THE SOVIET MONITOR, SAID THE SOVIET UNION HAD DECIDED TO CUT REPARATIONS IN HALF TO MAKE THEM $3,171,000,000.

IT SAID SOVIET PRIME MINISTER STALIN HAD INFORMED EAST GERMAN PREMIER OTTO GROTEWOHL OF THIS DECISION IN A LETTER.

THE WEST GERMAN SOCIALIST PARTY SAID JAN.26, 1949, THAT THE RUSSIANS HAD TAKEN $7,000,000,000 IN REPARATIONS OUT OF GERMANY AT THAT TIME.

AT POTSDAM, PREMIER STALIN DEMANDED $10,000,000,000 IN REPARATIONS.

THE BROADCAST, REPEATING A TASS DISPATCH, QUOTED A LETTER FROM GROTEWOHL TO STALIN CONVEYING THE EAST GERMAN REQUEST. GROTEWOHL SAID HIS GOVERNMENT HAD DECIDED AT A MEETING THURSDAY TO PETITION FOR THE REDUCTION THROUGH THE GOVERNING SOCIALIST UNITY PARTY.

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BY SYDNEY MIRKIN

LONDON, MAY 15-(AP)-THE 12 NATIONS OF THE ATLANTIC PACT TOOK STOCK TODAY ON HOW THEIR POLITICAL DEFENSES ARE STANDING UP TO COMMUNIST PRESSURE.

THE SECRET DAY-LONG SESSION WAS AN OPENER TO IMPORTANT DECISIONS TO BE MADE IN VIEW OF A REPORTED GENERAL AGREEMENT THAT THERE MUST BE QUICK ACTION TO BOLSTER THE ARMED FORCES OF THE WEST.

THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE 12 NATIONS WERE FACED WITH THE DELICATE TASK OF BALANCING THE PURSES OF THE MEMBERS AGAINST THE REPORTED VIEWS OF THEIR MILITARY MEN THAT FULL-SCALE DEFENSES SHOULD BE SET UP BY 1952. IN THE VIEW OF THE GENERALS, RUSSIA MAY BE AT A PEAK IN HER EXPANDING ARMAMENT PROGRAM BY THAT TIME OR SHORTLY AFTERWARD, AND MAY BE TEMPTED INTO AGGRESSIVE VENTURES IF THE WEST IS UNPREPARED.

FINANCE MINISTERS OF THE PACT NATIONS HAVE EXPRESSED DISMAY AT THE LIST OF GUNS, DIVISIONS, BASES AND OTHER INSTALLATIONS AND EQUIPMENT SUBMITTED BY THE DEFENSE COMMITTEE. THEY FEAR THE COST WOULD WRECK ECONOMIC RECOVERY AND OPEN THEIR COUNTRIES TO COMMUNIST POLITICAL INFILTRATION.

SOME OF THE PACT COUNTRIES HAVE SAID THEY LOOKED TO THE UNITED STATES, ALREADY PUMPING OUT A BILLION DOLLARS WORTH OF GUNS, TANKS AND B-29'S TO ITS PARTNERS, FOR EVEN GREATER HELP.

SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON WAS EXPECTED TO COUNTER THESE SUGGESTIONS BY POINTING OUT THAT AMERICA IS SPENDING A GREATER PERCENTAGE OF ITS NATIONAL INCOME FOR DEFENSE THAN IS ANY OTHER NORTH ATLANTIC NATION.

ACHESON, BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN ENDED A THREE-POWER CONFERENCE SATURDAY BY EXPRESSING FIRM BELIEF THAT PREPONDERANT RESOURCES OF THE WESTERN WORLD ALLOW IT TO SET UP STRONG ENOUGH DEFENSES WITHOUT HALTING ECONOMIC PROGRESS.

THEY ALSO RESOLVED TO DRAW WESTERN GERMANY FIRMLY INTO THE WALL OF WESTERN FAMILY OF NATIONS AND KEEP THEIR OCCUPATION TROOPS IN THE FIRST LINE OF DEFENSE THERE.

ACHESON PRESIDED AT TODAY'S SESSION AT LANCASTER HOUSE. TWO GIRLS AND A YOUNG MAN WITH PLACARDS PARADED IN FRONT AS THE DELEGATES GATHERED, URGING THEM TO "PREVENT THE THIRD WORLD WAR." THEY SAID THEY WERE NOT COMMUNISTS.

AFTER THE SESSION A BRIEF COMMUNIQUE SAID THE MINISTERS REVIEWED THE "PROGRESS ACHIEVED" BY THE TREATY POWERS IN THE PAST YEAR AND HAD "AN EXCHANGE OF VIEWS ON WORLD POLITICAL DEVELOPMENTS" AFFECTING THEIR SECURITY AND WELL BEING.

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EACH MINISTER WAS SAID TO HAVE GIVEN A REPORT ON THE WORLD SITUATION AS HE SAW IT. A DIPLOMATIC INFORMANT SAID THERE WERE SOME DIFFERENCES OF OPINION, BUT THEY WERE MINOR.

ACHESON, BEVIN AND SCHUMAN FILLED IN THE OTHER MEMBERS ON THE BIG THREE TALKS OF LAST WEEK.

THE FOREIGN MINISTERS WILL NOT MEET TOMORROW MORNING. INSTEAD COMMITTEES WILL EXAMINE THE CONFLICTING REPORTS OF THE TWO SUBSIDIARYX

COMMITTEES WILL EXAMINE THE CONFLICTING REPORTS OF THE TWO SUBSIDIARY GROUPS, THE DEFENSE COMMITTEE AND THE FINANCE COMMITTEE. THEY WILL TRY TO DRAFT A RESOLUTION FOR CONSIDERATION IN THE AFTERNOON BY THE MINISTERS.

THE REPORT OF THE DEFENSE COMMITTEE HAS NOT BEEN MADE PUBLIC, BUT DIPLOMATIC INFORMANTS SAY IT CALLS FOR A STANDING FORCE IN WESTERN EUROPE OF SOME 30 DIVISIONS, WITH FRANCE MAKING THE MAJOR MANPOWER CONTRIBUTION. AIR SUPPORT WOULD BE SUPPLIED MOSTLY BY BRITAIN AND THE UNITED STATES.

ADM. RICHARD CONOLLY, COMMANDER OF THE LONDON-BASED EASTERN ATLANTIC AND MEDITERRANEAN FLEET OF THE U.S. NAVY, JOINED THE MEETING OF MINISTERS. SO DID SIR HAROLD PARKER AND AIR MARSHAL SIR WILLIAM ELLIOTT OF THE BRITISH MINISTRY OF DEFENSE.

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BY WES GALLAGHER

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LONDON, MAY 15-(AP)-BRITAIN, FRANCE AND AMERICA--DETERMINED TO KEEP TROOPS IN GERMANY ON GUARD AGAINST POSSIBLE SOVIET AGGRESSION--MET WITH THE OTHER ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS TODAY TO TRY TO LINE UP WEST EUROPE'S DEFENSES.

THE MAIN PROBLEM CONFRONTING THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE 12 NATIONS AS THEY OPEN THEIR THREE-DAY MEETING, IS HOW THEY CAN AFFORD TO SPEND ON DEFENSE WITHOUT STIFLING ECONOMIC RECOVERY.

SOME OF THE NATIONS' MILITARY CHIEFS HAVE RECOMMENDED IN SECRET REPORTS FAR MORE TROOPS AND EQUIPMENT THAN THEIR ECONOMIC EXPERTS SAY THEY CAN PAY FOR.

THE BIG THREE DECISION TO KEEP WEST GERMANY AN ARMED CAMP WAS ANNOUNCED LAST NIGHT. IT STRESSED FOR THE FIRST TIME THE DEFENSIVE NATURE OF THE OCCUPATION TROOPS, RATHER THAN THEIR POLICE DUTIES.

ANOTHER UPSHOT OF THE THREE-DAY MEETING BETWEEN AMERICA'S SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON, BRITAIN'S ERNEST BEVIN AND FRANCE'S ROBERT SCHUMAN WAS THEIR REFUSAL TO GIVE THE GO-AHEAD ON GERMAN PEACE TREATY NEGOTIATIONS NOW. BUT THEY SAID OCCUPATION CONTROLS WOULD BE RELAXED STILL FURTHER.

THE MINISTERS SAID IN A COMMUNIQUE:

"IN VIEW OF THE CONTINUED REFUSAL OF THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT TO PERMIT INHABITANTS OF THEIR ZONE OF OCCUPATION TO REJOIN THEIR FELLOW COUNTRYMEN IN A DEMOCRATIC AND UNIFIED GERMANY, IT HAS NOT BEEN POSSIBLE, AND WILL NOT BE AS LONG AS THIS SOVIET POLICY PERSISTS, TO PROCEED TO CONCLUSION OF A TREATY OF PEACE WITH GERMANY."

THE BIG THREE MADE CLEAR, HOWEVER, THAT WESTERN GERMANY WILL BE FULLY INTEGRATED INTO WESTERN EUROPE AND GRADUALLY FREED OF CONTROLS TO THE MAXIMUM POSSIBLE UNDER THE OCCUPATION REGIME.

CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER AND OTHER WEST GERMAN LEADERS IN BONN DECLARED THEMSELVES SATISFIED WITH THE OUTCOME OF THE BIG THREE TALKS AND HAILED THE DECLARATION AS A STEP TOWARD GROWING SELF-GOVERNMENT IN GERMANY.

OBSERVERS FELT THE BIG THREE STRESS ON THE DEFENSE MISSION OF ALLIED TROOPS IN WESTERN GERMANY MAY HAVE A SIGNIFICANT BEARING ON THE ATLANTIC PACT NATION TALKS COMING UP TODAY.

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THERE HAVE BEEN REPORTS THAT CONSIDERATION MAY BE GIVEN TO ENLARGING ATLANTIC PACT INTO A WESTERN DEFENSE AND ECONOMIC ORGANIZATION TO INCLUDE, NOT ONLY GERMANY, BUT POSSIBLY SWEDEN, TURKEY AND OTHER NATIONS AS WELL.

OTHER REPORTS SAID A NEW SUPREME WESTERN DEFENSE COMMAND MAY BE PLACED UNDER AN AMERICAN, PRESUMABLY GEN. OMAR BRADLEY, PRESENT CHAIRMAN OF THE U.S. JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF. SUCH A COMMAND WOULD REPLACE THE PRESENT FIVE-NATION BRUSSELS PACT DEFENSE ORGANIZATION HEADED BY BRITISH FIELD MARSHAL LORD MONTGOMERY.

THE SPEED WITH WHICH THE CONTROLS NOW PLACED ON GERMANY ARE LIFTED WILL DEPEND ON THE COOPERATION OF THE BONN REGIME, THE DECLARATION SAID. IT ALSO WILL DEPEND ON THE PROGRESS OF THE GERMAN PEOPLE TOWARD "TRUE DEMOCRACY" AND THE EXTENT TO WHICH THE ALLIES ARE SATISFIED THEIR OWN SECURITY IS SAFEGUARDED.

AS A RESULT OF THE CONFERENCE THE BIG THREE WERE REPORTED BY INFORMED SOURCES AS AGREEING ON THESE POINTS:

1. SPEED UP OF THE WEST GERMAN GOVERNMENT'S CONTROL OF ITS FOREIGN AFFAIRS BY PARTICIPATION IN THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE.
2. EXTENSION OF GERMAN CONTROL OVER INTERNAL LEGISLATION.
3. GIVE THE GERMANS MORE LEEWAY IN SHIPBUILDING.

OUTSIDE THE CONFERENCE THE MINISTERS WERE REPORTED IN AGREEMENT ON LIFTING THE BAN ON FOREIGN INVESTMENTS IN GERMANY AND RELAXATION OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S BLACK LIST OF ITEMS WHICH CANNOT BE SHIPPED TO EASTERN EUROPE, THUS AIDING EAST-WEST TRADE.

OTHERS AT THE ATLANTIC PACT MEETING INCLUDE NORWAY'S HALVARD LANGE, DENMARK'S GUSTAV RASMUSSEN, ITALY'S CARLO SFORZA, BELGIUM'S PAUL VAN ZEELAND, HOLLAND'S DIRK U.STIKKER, LUXEMBOURG'S JOSEPH BECH, CANADA'S LESTER PEARSON, PORTUGAL'S JOSE CAEIRO DE MATA, AND ICELAND'S BJARNI BENDEIKTSSON.

DISCUSSION OF WEST EUROPEAN DEFENSE IS EXPECTED TO DOMINATE THE MEETING. SECRET PLANS FOR DEFENSE OF THE WEST WERE FINISHED FIVE WEEKS AGO BY DEFENSE MINISTERS AND GENERALS OF THE ATLANTIC PACT POWERS.

AT THE SAME TIME THE FINANCE MINISTERS OF THE COUNTRIES INVOLVED EXPRESSED DISMAY AT THE COST AND WERE DOUBTFUL IT COULD BE PAID WITHOUT BRINGING ON ECONOMIC MISERY.

THE GENERALS WANT FULL SCALE DEFENSES SET UP BY 1952 IN THE BELIEF THAT RUSSIA WILL REACH THE PEAK OF HER POWER THEN AND MAY BE TEMPTED TO MILITARY CONQUEST. THE U.S. ALREADY IS PUMPING $1,000,000,000 WORTH OF GUNS, TANKS AND B-29 BOMBERS INTO WEST EUROPEAN DEFENSES.

THERE HAVE BEEN SUGGESTIONS THE U.S. SHOULD CARRY MORE OF THE BURDEN--A TOUCHY POLITICAL QUESTION AT A TIME WHEN PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS PROMISED TO SEEK ECONOMIES IN AMERICAN DEFENSE SPENDING.

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BERLIN, MAY 15-(AP)-COMMUNIST DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER WALTER ULBRICHT OF EAST GERMANY CHARGED TONIGHT THAT THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS HAD AGREED AT THEIR LONDON CONFERENCE TO "INTENSIFY THE COLD WAR."

ULBRICHT SAID IN A SPEECH:

"IN LONDON THE IMPERIALIST FOREIGN MINISTERS AGREED TO MAKE WESTERN GERMANY AN ARMAMENT SHOP AND A MILITARY BASE TO HELP CARRY OUT THE AVOWED GOAL OF ANGLO-AMERICAN IMPERIALISM--AGGRESSION. THEY DECIDED TO INTENSIFY THE COLD WAR."

THIS IS THE FIRST OFFICIAL COMMENT BY ANY MEMBER OF THE EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT ON THE FOREIGN MINISTERS' MEETING JUST CONCLUDED IN LONDON.

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london, may 15-(ap)-text of a communique issued after today's meeting of the north atlantic council:

the north atlantic council met for its fourth session at lancaster house today. the foreign ministers of the 12 signatory countries were present.

the foreign ministers took part in a general review of the progress achieved by the north atlantic treaty powers in the course of the last year and had an exchange of view on world political developments as they affect the

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security and the well being of the parties in the light of the objectives of the north atlantic treaty.

The council will proceed tomorrow to the detailed consideration of the reports presented to it by the defense committee and the defense, financia and economic committee. (end text).

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SATELLITE PURGES
BY EDWIN A.SHANKE

LONDON, MAY 15-(AP)-A REPORTED PURGE OF POLISH COMMUNIST PARTY LEADERS IS THE LATEST DEVELOPMENT IN A CAMPAIGN IN ALL THE SOVIET SATELLITE COUNTRIES TO TIGHTEN COMMUNIST CONTROL AND SHUT OUT WESTERN INFLUENCE.

DIPLOMATIC SOURCES IN WARSAW SAID YESTERDAY GOVERNMENT MINISTERS WERE BITTERLY CRITICIZED AT LAST WEEK'S MEETING OF THE POLISH COMMUNIST PARTY CENTRAL COMMITTEE. COMPLAINTS RANGED FROM MISMANAGEMENT OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS TO FAILURE TO OBEY PARTY DIRECTIVES.

SOVIET INFLUENCE IN POLAND WAS BELIEVED STRENGTHENED BY THE APPOINTMENT TO THE PARTY'S RULING POLITBURO OF MARSHAL KONSTANTIN ROKOSSOVSKY, A FORMER RUSSIAN ARMY COMMANDER WHO NOW BOSSES POLAND'S ARMY. ANOTHER POLITBURO APPOINTEE WAS ZENON NOWAK, A VETERAN COMMUNIST BELIEVED TO BE HEADING THE DRIVE TO RID THE PARTY OF POLISH COMMUNISTS WHO DISLIKE DICTATION FROM MOSCOW.

POLITICAL OBSERVERS HERE BELIEVE THE POLISH SHAKE-UP IS FOLLOWING THE PATTERN ESTABLISHED IN SUCH OTHER SATELLITE STATES AS CZECHOSLOVAKIA, ROMANIA, HUNGARY AND BULGARIA. THE PURGES AIM AT:

1. TIGHTENING OF PARTY DISCIPLINE OVER GOVERNMENT MINISTERS AND OTHER PARTY MEMBERS.
2. SPEEDING OF COMMUNIZATION OF THE SATELLITE COUNTRIES.
3. INTENSIFICATION OF ATTACKS FOR POLITICAL PURPOSES ON THE WESTERN WORLD.

WESTERN DIPLOMATS SUM UP THE DEVELOPMENTS IN EASTERN EUROPE AS FOLLOWS:

THE AIM OF THE COMMUNIST LEADERS IN GENERAL IS TO BLIND THEIR PEOPLES TO THE WEST AND DIRECT THEM INTO THE COMMUNIST TRAIL BLAZED BY MOSCOW. AT THE SAME TIME THEY ARE SEALING OFF THEIR COUNTRIES FROM INQUISITIVE WESTERN EYES.

THE METHOD IS SIMPLE.

MEASURES ARE ENFORCED TO CHOKE OFF ALL INDEPENDENT, INCOMING INFORMATION, ESPECIALLY FROM THE OFFICIAL WESTERN INFORMATION SERVICES. THE RESULT IS A CAREFULLY-CAPSULED COMMUNIST VERSION OF THE WORLD FOR HOME CONSUMPTION.

THE OTHER SIDE OF THE PATTERN BRINGS EXPULSION OR BARRING OF WESTERN CORRESPONDENTS UNTIL THE POINT IS REACHED WHERE VIRTUALLY THE ONLY NEWS TO THE WORLD AT LARGE COMES THROUGH CAREFULLY SCREENED OFFICIAL HANDOUTS AND BROADCASTS STUDDED WITH PROPAGANDA.

WESTERN DIPLOMATIC STAFFS IN THE SATELLITE COUNTRIES ARE BEING WHITTLED DOWN. THIS FURTHER REDUCES THE CHANCES OF THE WEST IN STUDYING AND INTERPRETING PROPERLY ECONOMIC, POLITICAL AND MILITARY DEVELOPMENTS.

WHAT WAS ONCE A NORMAL DIPLOMATIC AND NEWS GATHERING FUNCTION--TO REPORT CURRENT OPINION, ECONOMIC OR POLITICAL EVENTS HAS COME TO BE REGARDED IN EASTERN EUROPE AS A FORM OF SPYING.

POLAND HAS STOPPED THE IMPORTATION OF BRITISH BOOKS ON SCIENTIFIC, RELIGIOUS, ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL SUBJECTS.

"WHAT IT ALL BOILS DOWN TO," ONE WESTERN DIPLOMATIC OFFICIAL OBSERVED, "IS THAT THE COMMUNIST COUNTRIES ARE AFRAID OF ANY ALTERNATIVE TO THEIR OWN PROPAGANDA BECAUSE IT MIGHT UNDERMINE THEM.

"THEY JUST CAN'T STAND THE COMPETITION."

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NIGHT LEAD CZECH (320)
BY EDWARD CURTIS

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LONDON, MAY 15-(AP)-BRITAIN TODAY ORDERED THE INFORMATION ACTIVITIES OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK EMBASSY AND THE CZECH CULTURAL INSTITUTE TO CLOSE DOWN IN A "MEASURE OF RETALIATION."

ERNEST DAVIES, UNDERSECRETARY IN THE FOREIGN OFFICE, TOLD THE HOUSE OF COMMONS THAT CZECHOSLOVAKIA'S CLOSING OF THE BRITISH INFORMATION SERVICE AND CULTURAL COUNCIL IN PRAGUE AND OTHER CZECH CITIES LAST WEEK WAS A BASELESS AND ONE-SIDED ACTION.

DAVIES REVIEWED BRITISH PROTESTS TO RUSSIA AND ITS SATELLITES DURING THE PAST TWO YEARS OVER THE TREATMENT ACCORDED 38 BRITISH SUBJECTS AND EMPLOYES IN ITS DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS. IN ALMOST ALL CASES, HE SAID, THE REPLIES OF RUSSIA AND ITS SATELLITES WERE CONSIDERED UNSATISFACTORY.

CZECHOSLOVAKIA RECENTLY CHARGED BRITISH AGENCIES WERE CARRYING ON ANTI-STATE ACTIVITIES.

DAVIES SAID THE CHARGES WERE A "TRANSPARENT PRETEXT ON THE PART OF THE CZECH GOVERNMENT FOR CARRYING A STAGE FURTHER ITS AIM OF SHUTTING OFF THE CZECH PEOPLE FROM ALL KNOWLEDGE OF THE FREE WORLD AND DEPRIVING THEM OF THEIR INTELLECTUAL INDEPENDENCE."

THE CZECH ACTION AGAINST BRITAIN FOLLOWED ORDERS TO THE UNITED STATES INFORMATION SERVICE TO CLOSE ITS OFFICES IN PRAGUE AND BRATISLAVA AND TO CUT ITS DIPLOMATIC STAFF AT PRAGUE BY TWO-THIRDS.

IN RETALIATION, THE U.S. SATURDAY ORDERED CZECHOSLOVAKIA TO CLOSE CONSULAR OFFICES IN CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH AND TO SEND HOME 22 OF 33 DIPLOMATIC PERSONNEL. THE CZECH CONSULATE AT CHICAGO ALREADY HAD BEEN ORDERED CLOSED.

THE CZECH CULTURAL INSTITUTE HERE CLOSED TODAY IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE BRITISH ORDER HAD BEEN RECEIVED AT THE CZECH EMBASSY. A CZECH SPOKESMAN SAID:

"I THINK IT WILL BE THE BRITISH PEOPLE WHO WILL MISS IT BECAUSE THERE IS STILL A DEMAND FOR THE USE OF THE LIBRARY. THERE ARE STILL ENGLISH PEOPLE WHO WANT TO CONSULT THE LIBRARY FOR REFERENCE. IN FACT, MAINLY ENGLISH PEOPLE USE IT."

DAVIES, CATALOGUING COMPLAINTS OVER TREATMENT OF BRITISH NATIONALS AND EMPLOYES IN THE COMMUNIST BLOC COUNTRIES, SAID PROTESTS HAD

BEEN MADE TO RUSSIA CONCERNING SEVEN RUSSIANS WHO WORKED AT THE BRITISH EMBASSY IN MOSCOW. SOME OF THESE DISAPPEARED, OTHERQ LEFT THEIR JOBS UNDER PRESSURE FROM RUSSIAN POLICE, AND ONE ATTEMPTED SUICIDE, THE UNDERSECRETARY SAID.

HE ADDED THAT RUSSIA HAD FAILED TO COMPLY WITH A BRITISH PROTEST OVER THE ARREST AND IMPRISONMENT OF A BRITISH SOLDIER. DAVIES SAID THE SOLDIER WAS ARRESTED IN THE SOVIET ZONEOF GERMANY IN 1946 AND SENTENCED TO 10 YEARS IN PRISON AS A SPY.

HE LISTED THESE OTHER CASES:

BULGARIA--PROTESTS WERE MADE OVER THE TREATMENT OF FOUR MEMBERS OF THE BRITISH DIPLOMATIC STAFF AND OVER THE IMPRISONMENT OF A BRITISH MISSIONARY.

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CZECHOSLOVAKIA--BRITISH PROTESTS OVER THE EXPULSION OF TWO CORRESPONDENTS FOR LONDON NEWSPAPERS WERE REJECTED. PROTESTS ALSO WERE MADE OVER INCIDENTS INVOLVING FIVE BRITISH DIPLOMATIC PERSONNEL, AND A "PARTIAL APOLOGY" WAS RECEIVED IN ONE CASE. FOUR OF THE DIPLOMATS EITHER WERE EXPELLLED OR WITHDRAWN. TWO BRITISH SUBJECTS WERE ARRESTED, AND THE GOVERNMENT PROTESTED. BOTH OF THESE WERE RELEASED LATER, BUT ONE WAS EXPELLED FROM CZECHOSLOVAKIA SUBSEQUENTLY.

HUNGARY--THE ARREST, IMPRISONMENT OR DISAPPEARANCE OF FOUR BRITONS HAVE BEEN PROTESTED. ONE OF THESE CASES WAS THAT OF EDGAR SANDERS, BRITISH BUSINESSMAN SENTENCED TO 15 YEARS' IMPRISONMENT AS A SPY. AN AMERICAN BUSINESS ASSOCIATE, ROBERT A.VOGELER, WAS TRIED AT THE SAME TIME AND SENTENCED TO 15 YEARS. PROTESTS ALSO WERE MADE IN CONNECTION WITH THREE BRITISH EMBASSY OFFICIALS.

POLAND--BRITAIN HAS MADE THREE PROTESTS OVER THE TREATMENT OF BRITISH SUBJECTS. ONE WAS A WOMAN, A BRITISH SUBJECT BY MARRIAGE AND AN EMPLOYE OF THE BRITISH EMBASSY IN WARSAW. SHE WAS SENTENCED TO THREE YEARS IN PRISON ON A CHARGE OF AIDING AN ESCAPED PRISONER.

ROMANIA--THE DEMAND FOR RECALL OF THREE MEMBERS OF BRITAIN'S LEGATION AT BUCHAREST WAS PROTESTED. ROMANIA REJECTED THIS PROTEST. BRITAIN ALSO PROTESTED THE ARREST OF THREE ROMANIAN EMPLOYES OF THE LEGATION. THE THREE LATER WERE CONVICTED OF TREASON AND IMPRISONED.

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LONDON, MAY 15-(AP)-BRITAIN HAS ORDERE THE CZECHOSLOVAK EMBASSY IN LONDON TO HALT ITS INFORMATION ACTIVITIES. IT WAS DISCLOSED TODAY.

ERNEST DAVIES, PARLIAMENTARY UNDERSECRETARY FOR THE FOREIGN OFFICE, TOLD THE HOUSE OF COMMONS THE ACTION WAS A "MEASURE OF RETALIATION" FOR THE RECENT CZECH STEP IN SHUTTING DOWN THE BRITISH INFORMATION SERVICE AND BRITISH COUNCIL IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

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LONDON, MAY 15-(AP)-POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC EXPERTS OF BRITISH COMMONWEALTH COUNTRIES STARTED TODAY ON WHAT THEY THOUGHT WOULD BE THE CULMINATING WEEK IN THEIR STUDIES OF PROBLEMS RELATING TO THE JAPANESE PEACE TREATY.

THEIR RECOMMENDATION WILL NOT BE ANNOUNCED PUBLICLY, BUT WILL GO TO THE COMMONWEALTH HIGH COMMISSIONERS IN LONDON. THEY WILL GIVE FINAL FORM TO WHAT IS HOPED TO BE THE ALL-COMMONWEALTH ATTITUDE TOWARD FUTURE RELATIONS WITH JAPAN.

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LONDON, MAY 15-(AP)-MRS. ROBERT VOGELER DECIDED TODAY TO TRY TO SEE PRESIDENT TRUMAN ABOUT THE CHANCES OF GETTING HER HUSBAND FREED FROM THE HUNGARIAN PRISON TO WHICH HE WAS SENTENCED AS AN AMERICAN SPY.

"I THINK I MUST SEE MR. TRUMAN," SHE TOLD REPORTERS.

A BUDAPEST COURT SENTENCED VOGELER LAST WINTER TO 15 YEARS IMPRISONMENT ON ESPIONAGE CHARGES. HE IS AN OFFICIAL OF INTERNATIONAL TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY AND HAD BEEN STATIONED IN BUDAPEST, WHERE THE FIRM HAS INTERESTS.

MRS. VOGELER CAME HERE LAST WEEK FROM HER HOME IN VIENNA TO CONSULT SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON, HERE FOR BIG THREE CONFERENCES. SHE SAID ACHESON HAD BEEN "MOST HELPFUL" BUT DECLINED TO SAY IN WHAT WAY.

"I HOPE TO LEAVE NORTHOLT AIRPORT FOR VIENNA ON WEDNESDAY," SHE SAID. "I WANT TO SEE MY CHILDREN BEFORE FLYING TO AMERICA."

AFTER SPENDING A WEEK WITH HER YOUNG SONS IN VIENNA, SHE SAID, SHE WILL FLY TO WASHINGTON.

"YOU KNOW THE THOUGHT OF FLYING THE OCEAN SCARES ME MORE THAN THE THOUGHT OF SEEING MR.TRUMAN," THE 32-YEAR-OLD MOTHER SAID.

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OXFORD,ENG.,MAY 15-(AP)-BRITISH WAR MINISTER JOHN STRACHEY TOLD AMERICAN STUDENTS AT OXFORD UNIVERSITY TODAY "THE PRESENT UNITED STATES ADMINISTRATION IS ONE OF THE MORE LEFT-WING GOVERNMENTS OF THE WORLD TODAY."

HE SAID THE LEFT WING OF THE BRITISH LABOR PARTY WAS ONLY GRADUALLY DROPPING ITS BELIEF THAT THE UNITED STATES WAS THE CENTER OF WORLD REACTIONARY THOUGHT AND SAID:

"I WOULD SAY THAT OUTSIDE THE UNITED KINGDOM. AND THE SCANDINAVIAN COUNTRIES THE U.S. ADMINISTRATION TODAY IS PROBABLY MORE TO THE LEFT IN GENERAL ECONOMIC POLICY AND POINT OF VIEW THAN ANY OF THE GOVERNMENTS OF WESTERN EUROPE.

"IT IS, I THINK, HIGH TIME THAT THE BRITISH LABOR MOVEMENT REALIZES THIS IS THE CASE.

"I THINK THE TENDENCY OF THE PRESENT PREDOMINANT FORCES WITHIN THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY IN AMERICA IS PROCEEDING IN THE SAME DIRECTION, BUT NOT ON THE SAME LINES, AS THE LABOR GOVERNMENT."

STRACHEY LAST MARCH WAS UNDER FIRE FROM THE CONSERVATIVE PRESS IN ENGLAND WHICH DECLARED HE NEVER HAD RENOUNCED COMMUNIST SYMPATHIES SHOWN IN HIS WRITINGS OF THE 1930'S. STRACHEY SAID HE HAD.

STRACHEY ALSO TOLD THE STUDENTS THAT WORLD CAPITALISM MUST REFORM OR FACE THE COLLAPSE RUSSIA PREDICTS FOR IT.

"THERE MUST BE NOT AN ENORMOUS BUT A COMPLETELY NEW DISTRIBUTION OF INCOME IN THE COMMUNITY," HE DECLARED.

TO DO THIS, STRACHEY SAID, THERE MUST BE "FINANCIAL CONTROLS TO INSURE RELATIVELY FULL EMPLOYMENT" AND PUBLIC OWNERSHIP OF UTILITIES AND BASIC INDUSTRIES.

"IF WE CAN PULL IT OFF AND CREATE WORKABLE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL SYSTEMS WHICH RUN STABLY WITHOUT RUNNING INTO CRISES WITH MASS UNEMPLOYMENT, MASS BUSINESS FAILURES AND SO ON THEN I BELIEVE WE HAVE WON THE WORLD STRUGGLE," HE SAID.

"THE SUPERIORITY OF A DEMOCRATIC POLITICAL SYSTEM WHICH HAS LEARNED TO CONTROL ITS ECONOMY REASONABLY WELL WITHOUT MAJOR DISLOCATIONS, COMPARED WITH THE COMMUNIST SYSTEM, IS IMMENSE," STRACHEY DECLARED.
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PARIS, MAY 15-(AP)-JAMES G. PATTON OF DENVER, PRESIDENT OF THE NATIONAL FARMERS UNION, SAID TODAY THE U.S. MUST EXPORT BETWEEN $5,000,000,000 AND $15,000,000,000 A YEAR "ON A MORE OR LESS PERMANENT BASIS" TO MAINTAIN WORLD PROSPERITY.

PATTON, HERE WITH A GROUP OF AMERICAN FARM LEADERS FOR AN INSPECTION OF THE MARSHALL PLAN'S AGRICULTURAL OPERATIONS, TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THAT THESE EXPORTS MUST BE IN THE FORM OF CAPITAL INVESTMENT ABROAD.

"WE MUST HELP REBUILD THE OLD COLONIAL TRADE ON A MORE STABLE FOUNDATION," PATTON SAID, REFERRING TO THE LOSS OF COLONIAL MARKETS BY VARIOUS EUROPEAN NATIONS SINCE THE WAR.

JOHN H.DAVIS, EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OF THE NATIONAL COUNCIL OF FARMER COOPERATIVES, WASHINGTON, D.C., SAID THE U.S. MUST PROMOTE A "BASIC ADJUSTMENT" OF WORLD TRADE BY ENCOURAGING INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT OF ASIATIC COUNTRIES.

DAVIS SAID THERE MUST BE A MORE EQUITABLE DISTRIBUTION OF THE WORLD'S GOODS IF PEACE AND PROSPERITY WERE TO BE MAINTAINED.

PATTON AND DAVIS WERE ACCOMPANIED BY ALLAN B. KLINE OF CHICAGO, PRESIDENT OF THE AMERICAN FARM BUREAU FEDERATION, AND JESS T. SANDERS, LEGISLATIVE COUNSELLOR FOR THE NATIIONAL GRANGE, WASHINGTON, D.C. THE GROUP ARRIVED YESTERDAY FOR A SWING THROUGH FRANCE, GREECE, ITALY AND GERMANY BEFORE ATTENDING AN INTERNATIONAL FARM MEETING IN STOCKHOLM LATE THIS MONTH.

ALL FOUR SAID THEY WERE NOT WORRIED BY THE MARSHALL PLAN'S PROGRAM FOR INCREASING EUROPEAN AGRICULTURAL YIELDS--THROUGH THE INTRODUCTION OF AMERICAN TECHNIQUES AND MACHINERY.

"THE PLANS FOR INCREASED AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION IS JUST ABOUT ENOUGH TO KEEP PACE WITH POPULATION GROWTH, AND IT STILL LEAVES MUCH TO BE DESIRED ON A NUTRITIONAL BASIS," SAID PATTON.
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Liverpool, Eng., May 14--(AP)--Groups carrying anti-war banners picketed a church parade here today reviewed by Field Marshal Viscount Montgomer

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Eight persons were arrested.

Lord Montgomery is commander-in-chief of the five-power European Defense Union set up by the Brussels pact.

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ROME, MAY 15-(AP)-PREMIER MARSHAL TITO TOLD ITALIAN RADIO LISTENERS LAST NIGHT HE HAS NO INTENTION OF ANNEXING THE YUGOSLAV ZONE OF THE TRIESTE FREE TERRITORY.

THE YUGOSLAV CHIEF DENIED CHARGES, MADE BY MANY ITALIAN POLITICANS, IN AN INTERVIEW BROADCAST OVER THE ITALIAN NATIONAL RADIO.

IN THE INTERVIEW WHICH RADIO ITALY SAID WAS RECORDED IN BELGRADE, THE INTERVIEWER TOLD TITO THE ITALIAN PRESS WAS CONCERNED OVER THE RESTRICTIONS RECENTLY SET UP BY YUGOSLAVIA ON CROSSING THE FRONTIER IN THE TRIESTE FREE TERRITORY.

"ARE THESE," THE INTERVIEWER ASKED, "A PRELUDE TO IMMINENT ANNEXATION BY YUGOSLAVIA OF ZONE B (THE ZONE OCCUPIED BY YUGOSLAVIA)?"

"I CAN ONLY SAY," REPLIED TITO, "THAT THERE IS NO INTENTION BY YUGOSLAVIA TO ANNEX ZONE B. WE MUST OPEN THE "ZONE FOR BETTER ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT BETWEEN TRIESTE AND YUGOSLAVIA. ALL THAT HAS BEEN DONE HAS BEEN ONLY TO HELP THIS ZONE. THAT IS ALL."
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FIRST LEAD OLYMPICS

BY BEN PHLEGAR

COPENHAGEN, MAY 15-(AP)-THE OLYMPIC COMMITTEE OF WEST GERMANY WAS ACCEPTED PROVISIONALLY TODAY BY THE INTERNATIONAL OLYMPIC COMMITTEE.

CERTAIN UNANNOUNCED RESERVATIONS WERE MADE. THESE CONDITIONS WERE HANDED TO A FIVE-MAN COMMITTEE WHICH IS TO REPORT TOMORROW.

THE PROVISIONAL ACCEPTANCE IS THE FIRST STEP TOWARD ALLOWING THE GERMANS TO TAKE PART AGAIN IN THE OLYMPIC GAMES. THEY STILL MUST AFFILIATE WITH THE INDIVIDUAL SPORTS FEDERATIONS.

THE GERMAN QUESTION WAS DISCUSSED FOR MORE THAN FOUR HOURS BY THE I.O.C.

THE COMMITTEE, WHICH IS TO REPORT TOMORROW, INCLUDES AVERY BRUNDAGE OF CHICAGO, VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE I.O.C.; LORD BURGHLEY OF ENGLAND; ERIC VON FRENCKELL OF FINLAND; ARMAND MASSARD OF FRANCE AND R.W.SEELDRAYERS OF BELGIUM.

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GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, MAY 15-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS PALESTINE CONCILIATION COMMISSION HAS CALLED ON ISRAEL AND HER FOUR ARAB NEIGHBORS TO GIVE THEIR DELEGATES HERE FULL POWERS TO OPEN DIRECT PEACE NEGOTIATIONS, THE COMMISSION ANNOUNCED TODAY.

DIRECT JEWISH-ARAB PEACE TALKS UNDER A NEW PROCEDURE SUGGESTED BY THE COMMISSION "COULD BEGIN IN GENEVA AT AN EARLY DATE," THE COMMISSION'S ANNOUNCEMENT SAID.

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NIGHT LEAD POLICE (310)

BY THOMAS A.REEDY

BERLIN,MAY 15-(AP)-THE RUSSIAN ZONE PEOPLE'S POLICE WAS CONDEMNED BY A UNITED STATES COURT TODAY AS A MILITARY FORCE IMBUED WITH HATRED AND FANATICISM TYPICAL OF THE HITLER ERA.

THE COURT SENTENCED SIX OF ITS TROOPERS TO TWO-YEAR PRISON TERMS AFTER CONVICTING THEM OF WEARING MILITARY UNIFORMS AND CARRYING ARMS IN THE U.S. SECTOR OF BERLIN ON APRIL 13.

PRONOUNCING SENTENCE, JUDGE JOHN A.SABO OF GARY, IND. ASSAILED THE WHOLE POLICE SYSTEM IN EAST GERMANY AS "A DEFINITE MENACE TO THE PEACE OF THE WORLD." HE ACCUSED SOVIET ZONE AUTHORITIES OF ORGANIZING A FULL-FLEDGED ARMY UNDER THE GUISE OF A POLICE FORCE, IN VIOLATION OF FOUR-POWER RULES AGAINST REARMING GERMANY.

SHORTLY AFTERWARD, WEST GERMANY'S SOCIALIST LEADER, DR.KURT SCHUMACHER, SPEAKING OVER THE AMERICAN RADIO IN BERLIN, CHARGED THE SOVIET ZONE IS BUILDING UP AN ARMY OF 400,000 "FOR AGGRESSION" THAT THREATENS EUROPE'S PEACE.

HE SAID THE "PEOPLE'S ARMY" IS BEING ERECTED TO REPLACE SOVIET OCCUPATION TROOPS EVENTUALLY.

THE TRIAL YIELDED EVIDENCE OF INFANTRY FORCES NOW IN TRAINING WITH TANKS, CANNON, GRENADES AND TRENCH MORTARS. THE EVIDENCE PLACED THE FORCE AT 36,000 TO 40,000 MEN.

SCHUMACHER PLACED THE PRESENT FIGURE AT 50,000 AND THE IMMEDIATE GOAL AT 150,000. HE BASED THIS, HE SAID, ON KNOWLEDGE THAT OFFICER CANDIDATE SCHOOLS HAVE AN ENROLLMENT OF 8,400 TO 8,600.

THE ULTIMATE GOAL, SCHUMACHER SAID, IS BETWEEN 350,000 AND 400,000, TO BE ATTAINED BY RECRUITING 50,000 YOUNG TROOPERS EVERY SIX MONTHS.

SCHUMACHER URGED EAST GERMANS "TO TURN BACK BEFORE IT IS TOO LATE" AND TO INDULGE IN AT LEAST PASSIVE RESISTANCE TO THE SOVIET-COMMUNIST GAME.

JUDGE SABO IMPOSED SENTENCES ON HORS ESTERMANN, 18; FRITZ KALLWITZ, 20; GUSTAV KLEIN, 20; RUDY PHILIP, 21; WILHELM MUELLER, 20, AND KARL HEINZ, 20. HE ORDERED THEM STRIPPED OF THEIR UNIFORMS AND THE UNIFORMS DESTROYED.

THE COURT DISMISSED A DEFENSE PLEA THAT THE EAST ZONE POLICE ORGANIZATION WAS DESIGNED ONLY TO PRESERVE ORDER. JUDGE SABO CONCLUDED THE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT HAD CREATED TWO UNITS--ONE A REGULAR POLICE FORCE AND THE OTHER, A WELL-EQUIPPED INFANTRY ORGANIZATION.

JUDGE SABO OBSERVED THAT THE WITHDRAWAL OF THE RUSSIANS FROM THE ALLIED CONTROL COUNCIL AND THE BERLIN KOMMANDATURA DID NOT INVALIDATE FOUR-POWER LAWS AGAINST MILITARY TRAINING AND EQUIPMENT FOR GERMANS.

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BY THOMAS A.REEDY (320)

BERLIN, MAY 15-(AP)-A UNITED STATES COURT TODAY BRANDED THE SOVIET ZONE'S "PEOPLE'S POLICE" A MILITARY ORGANIZATION TRAINED ON HATRED AND FORMING PART OF A POLICE SYSTEM THAT IS "A DEFINITE MENACE TO THE PEACE OF THE WORLD."

JUDGE JOHN A.SABO OF GARY, IND., LASHED OUT AT THE PEOPLE'S POLICE IN SENTENCING SIX OF ITS YOUNG TROOPERS TO TWO YEARS EACH IN JAIL. THEY HAD BEEN CONVICTED OF WEARING SEMI-MILITARY UNIFORMS AND CARRYING AND TRANSPORTING MACHINE GUNS WHILE TRYING TO CROSS THE U.S. SECTOR IN BERLIN LAST APRIL 13.

THE SENTENCES WERE IMPOSED ON HORS ESTERMAN, 18; FRITZ KALLWITZ, 20; GUSTAV KLEIN, 20; RUDY PHILIP, 21; WILHELM MUELLER, 20; KARL HEINZ SCHMIDT, 20. THE JUDGE ORDERED THAT THE SIX BE STRIPPED OF THEIR PEOPLE'S POLICE UNIFORMS AND THE UNIFORMS DESTROYED.

THE JUDGE CHARGED THE SOVIET ZONE AUTHORITIES WITH ERECTING A FULL-FLEDGED ARMY IN VIOLATION OF ALL FOUR-POWER RULES AGAINST REARMING GERMANY. HE COMPLIMENTED SEVEN FORMER PEOPLE'S POLICEMEN WHO DESERTED AND TESTIFIED IN THE CASE AS "BEING ABLE TO SEE THROUGH THE SHAM AND PERFIDY" OF THE SOVIET SYSTEM.

HE SAID THE SIX DEFENDANTS "ARE VICTIMS OF A WELL-LAID PLAN, CUNNINGLY CONCEIVED AND DISGUISED. IT IS A REVIVAL OF THE SAME TYPE OF BLIND MILITARISTIC FANATACISM SO RAMPANT IN THE HITLER ERA."

THE JUDGE SAID PEOPLE'S POLICE INFANTRY UNITS WERE TRAINED APPARENTLY DAILY "WITH HATRED AS THEIR CREDO."

HE DISMISSED A CONTENTION BY DEFENSE COUNSEL THAT THE EAST ZONE POLICE IS DESIGNED ONLY TO PRESERVE ORDER. THE JUDGE SAID THIS IS

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DISPROVED BY THE FACT THAT THE EAST ZONE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT HAS CREATED TWO SEPARATE UNITS--ONE A REGULAR POLICE FORCE AND THE OTHER PROVED BY WITNESSES IN HIS COURT TO BE A 40-BATTALION INFANTRY FORCE EQUIPPED WITH TANKS, ARTILLERY, TRENCH MORTARS AND OTHER ASSAULT WEAPONS.

HE COMMENTED THAT WITHDRAWAL OF RUSSIANS FROM THE ALLIED CONTROL COUNCIL AND THE BERLIN KOMMANDATURA DID NOT INVALIDATE FOUR-POWER LAWS PROHIBITING MILITARY TRAINING AND EQUIPMENT FOR GERMANS.

TWO OTHER PEOPLE'S POLICEMEN WHO WERE ARRESTED WITH THE SIX HAD PLEADED GUILTY PREVIOUSLY AND WERE SENTENCED TO A YEAR EACH IN JAIL. THEY AND THE SEVEN POLICE WHO DESERTED GAVE EVIDENCE THAT THE RUSSIAN ZONE IS TRAINING BETWEEN 36,000 AND 40,000 YOUNG MEN WITH FULL-FLEDGED INFANTRY AND ARMORED EQUIPMENT.

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STUTTGART,GERMANY,MAY 15-(AP)-AN OFFICIAL GERMAN SURVEY DISCLOSED TODAY THAT THREE FOURTHS OF THE OFFICIALS IN THE WUERTTEMBERG-BADEN STATE GOVERNMENT ARE FORMER NAZIS.

THE SURVEY WAS MADE BY THE STATE DENAZIFICATION MINISTRY. WUERTTEMBERG-BADEN IS IN THE AMERICAN OCCUPATION ZONE.

THE SURVEY COVERS 11,004 OFFICIALS IN FIVE MAJOR MINISTRIES. OF THESE 8,457 OR 76 PER CENT WERE ONE TIME NAZIS.

AMERICAN OFFICIALS DECLINED TO COMMENT, BUT IT WAS LEARNED A SIMILAR SURVEY HAD BEEN FORWARDED TO WASHINGTON BY U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J.MCCLOY.

ACTIVE NAZI LEADERS ARE BARRED FROM PUBLIC OFFICE BY THE ALLIED OCCUPYIQ

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ACTIVE NAZI LEADERS ARE BARRED FROM PUBLIC OFFICE BY THE ALLIED OCCUPYING POWERS, BUT MINOR FOLLOWERS AND LEADERS WHO HAVE BEEN PARDONED CAN SERVE.

THE CURRENT SURVEY SAID 2,027 OF THOSE SERVING IN THE NEW GOVERNMENT WERE OF THE HIGH RANKING NAZI TYPE WHO ARE LEGALLY BARRED.

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FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 15-(AP)-THE U.S.ARMED FORCES ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT THEY WILL STAGE A "SPECTACULAR" SHOW OF POWER IN BERLIN AND WEST GERMANY MAY 20--JUST EIGHT DAYS BEFORE THE BIG COMMUNIST YOUTH RALLY IN BERLIN.

THE OCCASION FOR THE DISPLAY OF ARMED MIGHT WILL BE THE FIRST COM-

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BINED OBSERVANCE OF "ARMED FORCES DAY" BY THE AMERICAN ARMY, NAVY AND AIR FORCE.

"THIS OBSERVANCE HAS NO RELATION TO THE COMMUNISTS' WHITSUN RALLY IN BERLIN MAY 28," AN ARMY SPOKESMAN TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE.

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BELGRADE, YUGOSLAVIA, MAY 15-(AP)-THE COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER BORBA TODAY QUOTED BULGARIAN TANK TROOPS AS SAYING THEY WERE MOVING TOWARD THE FRONTIER BECAUSE "YUGOSLAVIA INTENDS TO ATTACK BULGARIA ONE OF THESE DAYS."

THE NEWSPAPER -- OFFICIAL VOICE OF PREMIER MARSHAL TITO'S GOVERNMENT-- SAID THIS WAS PART OF THE SOVIET-LED COMINFORM'S "OPEN WARMONGERING CAMPAIGN" AGAINST YUGOSLAVIA. THE REPORT SAID TANK TROOPERS QUERIED ON THE STREETS OF SOFIA TOLD OF THEIR WESTERN DESTINATION. BORBA SAID ANY TALK OF YUGOSLAVIA ATTACKING BULGARIA WAS "ABSURD" AND PART OF THE COMINFORM'S FALSE "PEACE" PROPAGANDA CAMPAIGN.

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BELGRADE, MAY 15-(AP)-THE HIGH COUNCIL OF YUGOSLAVIA'S TRADE UNIONS DECIDED TODAY TO BREAK TIES WITH THE COMMUNIST-DOMINATED WORLD TRADE UNION FEDERATION BECAUSE OF THE RUSSIAN-LED COMINFORM'S HOSTILE POLICY AGAINST THIS COUNTRY.

AT THE SAME TIME, THE COUNCIL DECIDED AGAINST JOINING ANY OTHER INTERNATIONAL LABOR ORGANIZATION -- PROBABLY AS A DEMONSTRATION OF ITS INDEPENDENCE WHILE KEEPING ITS OFT-PROCLAIMED ALLEGIANCE TO COMMUNISM.

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WARSAW, POLAND, MAY 15-(AP)-THE CATHOLIC DAILY SLOWO POWSZECHNE SAYS A CATHOLIC CONFERENCE HERE YESTERDAY ASKED ALL CHURCH MEMBERS TO FULFILL THEIR OBLIGATIONS TO THE STATE UNDER AN AGREEMENT RECENTLY ANNOUNCED.

THE PUBLICATION SAYS 133 REPRESENTATIVES AT THE CONFERENCE THANKED THE CHURCH AND STATE FOR REACHING THE ACCORD.

THE OFFICIAL POLISH NEWS ATENCY ANNOUNCED APRIL 16 THAT THREE CATHOLIC BISHOPS, INCLUDING THE SUFFRAGAN BISHOP OF WARSAW, HAD SIGNED WITH GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS A 19-POINT ACCORD BY WHICH RELIGIOUS FREEDOM IN POLAND WAS PROMISED IN RETURN FOR A CHURCH PLEDGE TO FIGHT ENEMIES OF THE COMMUNIST-CONTROLLED WARSAW REGIME.

ABOUT TWO WEEKS LATER A CATHOLIC WEEKLY IN KRAKOW SAID ALL THE ROMAN CATHLIC BISHOPS IN THE COUNTRY HAD SIGNED WITH THE GOVERNMENT TWO ANNEXES TO THE ACCORD. THE NATURE OF THESE ANNEXES HAS NOT BEEN DISCLOSED.

(THE VATICAN PRESS OFFICE HAS DENIED THAT THE POLISH CATHLIC HIERARCHY HAS SIGNED ANY AGREEMENT WITH THE GOVERNMENT.

IN ADDITION TO CALLING FOR SUPPORT OF THE REPORTED CHURCH-STATE PACT, YESTERDAY'S RESOLUTION URGED SUPPORT OF THE RECENT "PEACE APPEAL" BY A COMMUNIST-SPONSORED INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE IN STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN.

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YESTERDAY'S MEETING ALSO WAS REPORTED TO HAVE APPROVED CATHLICS' TAKING AN ACTIVE PART IN THE WORK OF A CHURCH WELFARE ORGANIZATION, CARITAS, PLACED UNDER STATE CONTROL LAST JANUARY.

SLOWO POWSZECHNE ALSO REPORTED THE RETURN TO KRAKOW OF ADAM STEFAN CARDINAL SAPIEHA, WHO WAS AT THE VATICAN WHEN POLISH AUTHORITIES ANNOUNCED THEY HAD REACHED AGREEMENT WITH THE CHURCH. THE CARDINAL HAD BEEN EXPECTED TO SPEND A VACATION WITH HIS BROTHER, PRINCE SAPIEHA, AT THE LATTER'S VILLA NEAR NICE, FRANCE.

THE NEWSPAPER REPORTED THE CARDINAL HAD FOREGONE HIS VACATION BUT HAD TAKEN PART IN HOLY YEAR CELEBRATIONS IN ROME AND BEEN RECEIVED BY POPE PIUS XII ON THREE OCCASIONS. NO EXPLANATION WAS GIVEN FOR HIS EARLY RETURN TO POLAND.

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PRECEDE LONDON
MOSCOW, TUESDAY, MAY 16-(AP)-THE SOVIET UNION HAS ACCUSED IRAN OF CONDUCTING ACTIVITIES ALONG THE IRANIAN-SOVIET FRONTIER "INCOMPATIBLE WITH GOOD NEIGHBORLY RELATIONS."
(EDITORS: THE FIRST LEAD RUSSIAN-IRANIAN (A58) MAY BE PICKED UP UNDER DASH.)
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A58
FIRST LEAD RUSSIAN-IRANIAN (110)
LONDON,MAY 15-(AP)-RUSSIA HAS PROTESTED IN A NOTE TO THE TEHRAN GOVERNMENT THAT IRAN IS USING AMERICAN EXPERTS TO TAKE AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHS ALONG THE IRANIAN-SOVIET FRONTIER, MOSCOW RADIO SAID TONIGHT.
IT SAID BORDER SURVEYS MADE DURING OIL PROSPECTING OPERATIONS ARE OF "MILITARY SIGNIFICANCE" AND OBJECTED STRENUOUSLY TO THEIR BEING CARRIED OUT BY FOREIGNERS.
(A STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL IN WASHINGTON SAID THE SOVIET CLAIM WAS "JUST ANOTHER FANTASTIC SOVIET STORY WITH NO BASIS IN FACT.")

THE BROADCAST, RECORDED HERE BY THE SOVIET MONITOR, SAID THE KREMLIN HAD ACCUSED IRAN OF "PURSUING IN THIS AREA AIMS WHICH ARE INCOMPATIBLE WITH GOOD NEIGHBORLY RELATIONS BETWEEN THE U.S.S.R. AND IRAN." IT CALLED ON THE TEHRAN GOVERNMENT TO "TAKE THE NECESSARY MEASURES TO ELIMINATE THE ABNORMAL POSITION THAT HAS BEEN CREATED."

RUSSIA CHARGED THAT AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHS, TOPOGRAPHICAL SURVEYS AND GEOLOGICAL RESEARCH ARE BEING CARRIED OUT BY THE IRANIAN OIL CO., LTD., WHICH IT SAID HAS BEEN ORGANIZED TO PROSPECT FOR OIL IN NORTHERN IRAN.

MOSCOW SAID THE OIL COMPANY HAS BROUGHT IN AMERICAN EQUIPMENT AND CONTRACTED FOR AMERICAN EXPERTS. IT SAID RUSSIA HAD PROTESTED THAT SUCH WORK SHOULD BE DONE BY IRANIANS.

THE BROADCAST CONTINUED:

"MEANWHILE THE IRANIAN GOVERNMENT CONTINUES TO CARRY OUT IN THE AREAS OF THE SOVIET-IRANIAN FRONTIER MEASURES WHICH, AS IS EVIDENT, X X X ARE OF MILITARY SIGNIFICANCE AND WHAT IS MORE FOR THE CARRYING OUT OF THESE MEASURES, FOREIGNERS ARE BEING BROUGHT IN AND, IN PARTICULAR, AMERICAN EXPERTS."

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MOSCOW ADDED THAT RUSSIA'S PROTEST WAS MADE IN A NOTE DELIVERED BY THE SOVIET EMBASSY IN TEHRAN YESTERDAY.

THE BROADCAST SAID PHOTOGRAPHIC AND SURVEY WORK IS BEING DONE "FIRST AND FOREMOST IN THE SO-CALLED ZONE NO.1, WHICH INCLUDES THE NORTH PART OF KHOROSAN, GURGAN, MAZANDERAN AND GILYAN; I.E., IN AREAS BORDERING ON THE SOVIET UNION."

IT ADDED THAT THE RUSSIAN NOTE OF PROTEST HAD CALLED IRAN'S ATTENTION TO A PREVIOUS RUSSIAN COMMUNICATION OF JAN.31, 1948, TO THE EFFECT THAT THIS TYPE OF ACTIVITY BY FOREIGN REPRESENTATIVES "IN IRAN CAN CREATE A DANGER TO THE FRONTIERS OF THE U.S.S.R."

THE BROADCAST RUSSIAN NOTE CONCLUDED:

"THE MEASURES BEING CARRIED OUT AT THE PRESENT TIME IN THE NORTHERN PARTS OF IRAN IN CONNECTION WITH THE WORK OF THE IRANIAN OIL,LTD.,CO. SHOW THAT THE IRANIAN GOVERNMENT IS PURSUING IN THIS AREA AIMS WHICH ARE INCOMPATIBLE WITH GOOD NEIGHBORLY RELATIONS BETWEEN THE U.S.S.R. AND IRAN AS ENVISAGED IN THE PROVISIONS OF THE SOVIET-IRANIAN AGREEMENT ON FEB.26, 1921.

"THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT EXPECTS THAT THE IRANIAN GOVERNMENT WILL TAKE THE NECESSARY MEASURES TO ELIMINATE THE ABNORMAL POSITION THAT HAS BEEN CREATED."

IRAN'S RICH PRODUCING OIL FIELDS ARE IN THE SOUTH, TOWARD THE PERSIAN GULF. THESE ARE OPERATED UNDER A CONCESSION HELD BY THE ANGLO-IRANIAN OIL CO., A BRITISH COMPANY. SOME YEARS AGO AMERICAN INTERESTS PRESSED FOR AN OIL CONCESSION IN NORTHERN IRAN, BUT THIS PROJECT WAS ABANDONED.

THE NOTE SAID THE PLANNING ORGANIZATION FOR IRAN'S SEVEN-YEAR DEVELOPMENT PLAN NOTIFIED THE SOVIET EMBASSY LAST MARCH IT WAS CALLING FOR BIDS FOR AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY TO MAP DISTRICTS IN NORTHERN IRAN.

"THE NOTICE POINTED OUT THAT THE DISTRICTS FOR AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY MUST BE CHARTERED FOR GEOLOGICAL INDUSTRIAL AND MILITARY PURPOSES AND ONLY TO A SMALL DEGREE FOR A FOREST STATION IRRIGATION AND TOWN PLANNING," THE SOVIET NOTE CONTINUED.

"IN REPLY TO THIS NOTICE THE SOVIET EMBASSY INFORMED THE IRANIAN GOVERNMENT THAT CALLING FOR THE ABOVE TENDERS (BIDS) WAS INCOMPREHENSIBLE AND THAT IN THE EMBASSY'S OPINION ALL THESE OPERATIONS SHOULD BE CARRIED OUT NOT BY FOREIGNERS, BUT BY IRAN ITSELF."

THE NOTE SAID IRAN HAS NOT YET REPLIED TO THE SOVIET STATEMENT.

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FIRST LEAD LIE-STALIN

MAY 16 1950

BY EDDY GILMORE

MOSCOW,MAY 15-(AP)-SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE CLIMAXED HIS PEACE MISSION TO MOSCOW TONIGHT IN A 90-MINUTE TALK WITH PRIME MINISTER JOSEPH STALIN AT THE KREMLIN.

THE UNITED NATIONS CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER, TOURING EUROPE CAPITALS IN HOPES OF ENDING THE COLD WAR, MET THE SOVIET LEADER IN HIS OFFICE AT 10 P.M., MOSCOW TIME.

AMONG THOSE PRESENT BESIDES LIE AND STALIN WERE VICE-PREMIER V.M. MOLOTOV AND FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI Y.VISHINSKY.

LIE IS ON A SAVE-THE-U.N. TOUR OF EUROPEAN CAPITALS. BEFORE SAILING FROM NEW YORK APRIL 22, LIE TALKED AT THE WHITE HOUSE WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN.

THE AVOWED PURPOSE OF LIE'S MISSION IS TO EASE EAST-WEST TENSIONS.

THE MEETING TOOK PLACE FOUR DAYS AFTER LIE'S ARRIVAL IN MOSCOW.

IT CAME AFTER LIE HAD MET ONE TIME EACH WITH FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI Y.VISHINSKY AND DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI A.GROMYKO, FORMER CHIEF SOVIET DELEGATE TO THE UNITED NATIONS.

EARLIER TODAY LIE WAS VISHINSKY'S GUEST AT A FORMAL LUNCHEON.

FEW DETAILS OF THE LIE-STALIN MEETING WERE ANNOUNCED TONIGHT. IT WAS SUGGESTED LIE WOULD DISCUSS IT MORE FULLY AT A NEWS CONFERENCE TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED FOR WEDNESDAY.

THERE WAS IMMEDIATE SPECULATION AS TO JUST WHAT LIE AND STALIN TALKED ABOUT. AS IT WAS LIE'S IDEA TO SEE THE SOVIET LEADER, THE PRESUMPTION IS THAT HE OPENED THE CONVERSATION WITH EITHER SOME SUGGESTIONS OR EVEN A PLAN.

ONE MAY ASSUME THAT LIE HAD A WILLING LISTENER. (THIS REFERENCE WAS NOT AMPLIFIED IN THE DISPATCH, WHICH HAD TO PASS RUSSIAN CENSORSHIP).

ALTHOUGH HE CAME HALF-WAY AROUND THE WORLD TO SEE STALIN, LIE DID NOT HAVE TO GO FAR ON THE FINAL LEG OF HIS JOURNEY TO THE KREMLIN. THE NATIONAL HOTEL WHERE LIE IS STAYING IS ACROSS A WIDE SQUARE FROM THE KREMLIN.

GREAT ROSY STARS ON THE KREMLIN TOWERS GLOWED IN THE SOFT SPRING RAIN AS LIE'S LONG BLACK SHINY AUTOMOBILE--FURNISHED BY RUSSIA FOR HIS VISIT HERE--SWEPT FROM THE NATIONAL THROUGH THE HIGH ANCIENT KREMLIN GATES.

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BY EDDY GILMORE AND THOMAS P.WHITNEY

MOSCOW,MAY 15-(AP)-GUNNAR MYRDAL, UNITED NATIONS TRADE OFFICIAL, SAID TONIGHT HE HAS HAD "LONG FULL TALKS" WITH TOP SOVIET OFFICIALS, BUT DECLINED TO SAY WHETHER THEY HAD HEEDED HIS PLEAS TO LOOSEN UP EAST-WEST TRADE.

THE SWEDISH EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OF THE U.N. ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR EUROPE WOULD NOT SAY WHETHER HE WAS OPTIMISTIC OVER THE POSSIBILITIES OF INCREASING EAST-WEST TRADE BECAUSE THAT INFORMATION WAS CONFIDENTIAL.

HE SAID, HOWEVER: "I AM NOT ANY MORE DISCOURAGED THAN WHEN I CAME HERE."

MYRDAL TOLD RUSSIAN AND FOREIGN REPORTERS AT A NEWS CONFERENCE HE HAD SEEN POLITBURO MEMBER ANASTAS MIKOYAN, FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI VISHINSKY, AND FOREIGN TRADE MINISTER M.A.MENSHIKOV.

"I HAVE ALSO SEEN OTHER HIGH SOVIET OFFICIALS," HE SAID, "INCLUDING MR.ZORIN, THE DEPUTY MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS."

MYRDAL SAID HE HAD DISCUSSED RESULTS OF HIS NEGOTIATIONS WITH U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE, WHO IS HERE.

MYRDAL SAID HIS TALK WITH MIKOYAN WAS IN THE KREMLIN, BUT SAID HE DID NOT WANT TO DISCUSS THE RESULT OF THE CONVERSATION BECAUSE "I WOULD NOT BE SERVING THE BEST PURPOSES OF MY VISIT IF I WERE TO GIVE YOU AN EMOTIONAL APPRAISAL WHICH MIGHT BE CONSTRUED ONE WAY OR ANOTHER.

"THIS STATEMENT SHOULD NOT BE CONSTRUED PESSIMISTICALLY," HE ADDED.

"I SHOULD LIKE TO SAY," MYRDAL SAID, "THAT I HAVE BEEN VERY WARMLY RECEIVED AND BEEN ABLE TO SEE EVERYONE I SOUGHT TO SEE."

MYRDAL PLANS TO LEAVE TOMORROW, SPEND ONE DAY IN WARSAW AND THEN GO ON TO GENEVA AND LONDON. FROM LONDON HE EXPECTS TO GO TO PARIS TO SEE W.AVERILL HARRIMAN, ROVING AMBASSADOR FOR THE MARSHALL PLAN.

ASKED FOR HIS IMPRESSIONS OF MOSCOW, MYRDAL SAID THERE WAS OBVIOUSLY MORE FOOD AND CLOTHES, AND THAT MANY TREES HAD BEEN PLANTED, SINCE HIS LAST VISIT HERE THREE YEARS AGO.

SPEAKING OF EASTERN EUROPE HE SAID "COURAGEOUS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENTS SEEM TO BE GOING ON THERE."

MYRDAL HAS BEEN IN MOSCOW EIGHT DAYS.

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MOSCOW, MAY 13-(AP)-UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE, HERE TO CONFER WITH RUSSIAN OFFICIALS IN AN EFFORT TO EASE EAST-WEST TENSION, MAY STAY IN MOSCOW MOST OF THIS WEEK, AN INFORMED SOURCE SAID TODAY.

THE INFORMANT SAID LIE HAD ACCEPTED AN INVITATION TO ATTEND A RECEPTION AT THE NORWEGIAN EMBASSY WEDNESDAY HONORING NORWEGIAN NATIONAL DAY. HE ADDED THAT THERE WERE INDICATIONS HIS BUSINESS MIGHT KEEP HIM UNTIL THE END OF THE WEEK.

WHEN HE ARRIVED LAST THURSDAY LIE INDICATED HE WOULD BE IN THE RUSSIAN CAPITAL ONLY TWO OR THREE DAYS.

THE U.N. CHIEF ALREADY HAS CONFERRED WITH SOVIET FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI Y. VISHINSKY.

THE MOSCOW U.N. INFORMATION OFFICE SAID LIE IS PLANNIG SEVERAL CONFERENCES TONIGHT BUT GAVE NO INDICATION AS TO THEIR NATURE OR WHAT PERSONAGES ARE INVOLVED. THERE WAS SPECULATION HE MIGHT BE SEEING HIGH RANKING SOVIET OFFICIALS.

THE INFORMATION OFFICE SAID LIE IS EXPECTED TO HOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE ON WEDNESDAY BUT THE TIME IS NOT DEFINITE.

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NIGHT LEAD LIE

MOSCOW, MAY 15-(AP)-SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE, HERE ON A MISSION TO EASE THE COLD WAR, WAS SAID BY THE UNITED NATIONS INFORMTION CENTER TO HAVE SEVERAL APPOINTMENTS FOR TONIGHT. THERE WAS NO INDICATION AS TO THEIR NATURE OR WHAT PERSONS WERE INVOLVED.

LIE WENT OFF EARLY IN THE EVENING TO SEE RUSSIAN DANCING AT CHAIKOVSKY HALL.

EARLIER IN THE DAY HE WAS A GUEST AT LUNCHEON GIVEN BY FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI VISHINSKY.

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BULLETIN

LONDON,MAY 15-(AP)-SOVIET PRIME MINISTER STALIN RECEIVED UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE TONIGHT, THE MOSCOW RADIO REPORTED.

IN A BROADCAST RECORDED HERE BY THE SOVIET MONITOR, MOSCOW SAID DEPUTY PREMIER VYACHESLAV M.MOLOTOV WAS PRESENT WHEN STALIN AND LIE MET.

LIE IS IN MOSCOW ON A MISSION TO EASE TENSION BETWEEN THE EAST AND WEST.

ALSO PRESENT AT THE MEETING, THE BROADCAST SAID, WAS SOVIET FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI Y.VISHINSKY. NO FURTHER DETAILS ON THE CONFERENCE WERE GIVEN ON THE BROADCAST.

BEFORE GOING TO MOSCOW, THE U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL CALLED ON PRESIDENT TRUMAN IN WASHINGTON AND GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS IN SEVERAL EUROPEAN CAPITALS.

HIS PRESENT TRIP HAS BEEN DESCRIBED AS A "SAVE THE U.N." MISSION IN THE FACE OF RUSSIAN WITHDRAWAL FROM U.N. ORGANS BECAUSE OF REFUSAL TO OUST CHINESE NATIONALIST DELEGATES AND REPLACE THEM WITH CHINESE REDS.

EARLIER TONIGHT LIE ATTENDED A RUSSIAN DANCING PROGRAM AT MOSCOW'S TSCHAIKOWSKI HALL. DURING THE DAY HE WAS A LUNCHEON GUEST OF VISHINSKY.

LIE ARRIVED IN MOSCOW LATE LAST WEEK. REPORTS FROM MOSCOW SAID THAT UP TO TODAY HE HAD MET ONLY VISHINSKY AND GROMYKO AMONG THE TOP SOVIET OFFICIALS.

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FIRST LEAD AIRMEN (400)

BY WILLIAM H.MOORE

HONG KONG, MAY 15-(AP)-TWO AMERICAN AIRMEN, PRISONERS OF THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS FOR 18 MONTHS, TOOK OFF LATE TODAY IN A NAVY PLANE FOR MANILA AFTER RECEIVING A ROUSING WELCOME FROM U.S.SAILORS.

THEY WERE LANDED HERE FROM A DESTROYER WHICH PICKED THEM UP AT SEA.

BOTH MARINE MASTER SGT. ELMER C.BENDER OF CINCINNATI AND NAVY CHIEF ELECTRICIAN WILLIAM C.SMITH OF LONG BEACH, CALIF., APPEARED RELIEVED TO GET BACK TO THE NAVY.

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THEY WORE ILL FITTING UNIFORMS THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS HAD GIVEN THEM. BOTH APPEARED IN GOOD HEALTH BUT WERE TO UNDERGO PHYSICAL CHECKUPS.

NEWSMEN WERE NOT PERMITTED BY THE NAVY TO INTERVIEW THEM.

LT.CMDR. MERLE MCBAIN, WHO TALKED TO THEM, REPORTED: BOTH WERE TOLD BY THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS THAT A REVOLUTION WAS IMMINENT IN THE UNITED STATES AND "YOU WOULD HAVE BEEN RELEASED SOON ANYWAY."

THEIR CAPTORS, WHO TOOK THEM ON OCT. 19,1948, TOLD THE FLIERS THAT THE UNITED STATES HAD MADE NO EFFORT TO OBTAINTHEIR RELEASE.

SMITH AND BENDER WERE HELD IN VARIOUS NORTH CHINA VILLAGES BY THE REDS AFTER THEIR CAPTURE ON A FLIGHT OVER NORTH CHINA FROM TSINGTAO. THEIR PLANE WAS FORCED DOWN NEAR TSINGTAO, A U.S. NAVAL BASE IN 1948.

THE COMMUNISTS ANNOUNCED LAST MONDAY THE TWO HAD BEEN RELEASED AFTER "CONFESSING TO SPYING" ON COMMUNIST TROOP MOVEMENTS.

MCBAIN SAID THE TWO WERE RELEASED MAY 3. THEY BOARDED THE BRITISH STEAMER HUNNAN AT TSINGTAO WEDNESDAY.

THE DESTROYER FLOYD B. PARKS MADE AN UNANNOUNCED RUN OFF HONG KONG TODAY TO PICK UP THE TWO MEN FROM THE HUNNAN.

THEY BOARDED THE DESTROYER FROM A WHALEBOAT AS SAILORS JAMMED THE RAILS TO GREET THEM. THEY THANKED THE SHIP'S COMPANY FOR THEIR ROARING WELCOME.

THEN THE WEARY PAIR SAT DOWN TO A PORK CHOP LUNCH.

HERE THEY WERE PLACED ABOARD A RECEIVING SHIP, THE HORACE BASS, FOR A BRIEF MEETING WITH NEWSMEN. BUT NAVAL OFFICIALS PREVENTED THEM FROM RELATING THEIR EXPERIENCES.

AFTER THEIR MEDICAL CHECKUP THEY ARE TO BE FLOWN TO MANILA BY A NAVY PLANE. THERE THE SEVENTH FLEET COMMANDER, REAR ADM. WALTER F.BOONE, WILL TALK WITH THEM. LATER THEY ARE TO BE FLOWN TO GUAM AND ON TO PACIFIC FLEET HEADQUARTERS AT PEARL HARBOR, HAWAII, WHERE NEWSMEN ARE SCHEDULED TO GET THEIR FIRST INTERVIEW.

BOTH WERE PERMITTED IMMEDIATELY TO SEND MESSAGES TO THEIR FAMILIES.

MCBAIN, WHO REPRESENTED ADMIRAL BOONE HERE, DISTRIBUTED THIS MIMEOGRAPHED MESSAGE TO SMITH AND BENDER FROM THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF OF THE PACIFIC FLEET, ADM. ARTHUR W.RADFORD AT PEARL HARBOR:

"ALL HANDS IN THE PACIFIC FLEET JOIN ME IN WELCOMING YOUR RETURN. SPECIAL FLIGHT WILL BE PROVIDED TO YOUR HOMES AND WE WILL DO ALL POSSIBLE TO PERMIT YOU TO JOIN YOUR FAMILIES AS EARLY AS PRACTICABLE. WELCOME HOME!"

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HONG KONG -- FIRST LEAD -- AIRMEN (A72FX) FOURTH GRAF FROM END BEGINNING "AFTER THEIR MEDICAL, ETC" READ:

THE TRIP TO MANILA WAS STARTED AFTER THE TWO HAD BEEN GIVEN A MEDICAL CHECKUP. THERE SEVENTH, ETC.

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HONG KONG,MAY 15-(AP)-TWO AMERICAN AIRMEN RELEASED BY THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS AFTER 18 MONTHS IN PRISON WERE GIVEN A ROUSING WELCOME BACK INTO THE U.S. NAVY TODAY.

THE DESTROYER FLOYD B. PARKS MADE AN UNANNOUNCED RUN OFF HONG KONG HARBOR EARLY TODAY TO REMOVE NAVY CHIEF ELECTRICIAN WILLIAM C. SMITH, LONG BEACH, CALIF., AND MARINE MASTER SGT. ELMER C. BENDER, CINCINNATI, FROM THE BRITISH COASTAL STEAMER HUNAN.

SAILORS JAMMED THE DESTROYER'S RAILS AS A WHALEBOAT BROUGHT THE PAIR ALONGSIDE.

SMITH AND BENDER, WEARING ILL-FITTING SUITS THEY SAID THE COMMUNISTS GAVE THEM, CLAMBERED UP THE SHIP'S LADDER.

THEY THANKED THE PARKS' SEAMEN OVER THE SHIP'S LOUDSPEAKER FOR THE ROARING WELCOME.

SOON AFTERWARD THEY WERE PUT ABOARD THE U.S. NAVY STATION SHIP HORACE BASS FOR A BRIEF MEETING WITH NEWSMEN.

BOTH APPEARED IN FAIR CONDITION. AFTER A MEDICAL CHECKUP, THE TWO WERE TO BOARD A FLYING BOAT FOR MANILA, GUAM, PEARL HARBOR AND HOME.

SMITH AND BENDER WERE CAPTURED BY THE CHINESE REDS OCT. 19, 1948, WHEN THEIR PLANE WAS FORCED DOWN NEAR TSINGTAO, THEN A U.S. NAVAL BASE.

THE REDS ANNOUNCED LAST MONDAY THEY WERE FREEING THE MEN AFTER FINALLY INDUCING THEM TO "CONFESS" TO SPYING ON CHINESE COMMUNIST TROOP MOVEMENTS.

NAVY OFFICERS PREVENTED THE TWO FROM TELLING THEIR EXPERIENCES. A NEWS CONFERENCE WAS PLANNED WHEN THEY REACH PEARL HARBOR.

HOWEVER, LT. CMDR. MERLE MACBAIN SAID THE TWO ERE "DETAINED IN VARIOUS VILLAGES" BY THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS.

MACBAIN FLEW HERE FROM MANILA AS REPRESENTATIVE OF REAR ADM. WALTER F. BOONE, U.S. SEVENTH FLEET COMMANDER.

MACBAIN SAID SMITH AND BENDER WERE RELEASED MAY 3 AND BOARDED THE HUNAN MAY 10.

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A167KX (CAGNEY, TAKEOFF)
FIRST LEAD SMITH-BENDER
MANILA, TUESDAY, MAY 16-(AP)-RACING HOMEWARD AT HIGH SPEED AFTER BEING CAPTIVES OF THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS FOR MORE THAN 19 MONTHS, THE AMERICAN AIRMEN ELMER C BENDER AND WILLIAM G. SMITH TOOK OFF IN A SPECIAL NAVY PLANE EARLY TODAY FOR GUAM AND PEARL HARBOR.

IT WAS LATE MONDAY THAT MARINE MASTER SGT. BENDER AND NAVY CHIEF ELECTRICIAN'S MATE SMITH ARRIVED BY SHIP AT HONG KONG. ALMOST IMMEDIATELY THEY WERE WHISKED TO MANILA.

THE TWO WERE BROUGHT HERE IN A NAVY FLYING BOAT AFTER MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS IN HONG KONG WHERE THEY WERE LANDED EARLIER IN THE DAY BY A DESTROYER.

BOTH SEEMED HAPPY TO BE FREE OF THE COMMUNISTS. THEY WERE NOT PERMITTED BY THE NAVY TO RELATE THEIR EXPERIENCES IN THE VARIOUS CHINESE VILLAGES WHERE THEY WERE HELD BY THE REDS.

ORIGINAL PLANS CALL FOR THE PAIR TO BE FLOWN TO GUAM AND THEN PEARL HARBOR BEFORE THEY WILL BE PERMITTED TO TALK FOR PUBLICATION.
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A83KX (SMITH-BENDOR)
NIGHT LEAD SMITH-BENDER (130)
MANILA, TUESDAY, MAY 16-(AP)-TWO U.S. SERVICEMEN WERE SPEEDING TODAY BY PLANE TO PEARL HARBOR, WHERE THEY WILL BE ALLOWED TO TELL NEWSMEN THEIR STORY OF 18 MONTHS HELD CAPTIVE BY CHINESE COMMUNISTS.

THE U.S. NAVY USED A DESTROYER AND A PLANE TO HASTEN THE RETURN OF MARINE MASTER SGT. ELMER C. BENDER OF CINCINNATI, OHIO, AND NAVY CHIEF ELECTRICIAN'S MATE WILLIAM C. SMITH OF LONG BEACH, CALIF.

THEIR NAVY PATROL PLANE PAUSED HERE ONLY LONG ENOUGH TO REFUEL, THEN TOOK OFF JUST AFTER MIDNIGHT FOR PEARL HARBOR.

NOT UNTIL THEY REPORT THERE TO ADM. ARTHUR W. RADFORD, PACIFIC FLEET COMMANDER, WILL THEY HAVE A CHANCE TO TELL PUBLICY OF THEIR LONG CAPTIVITY.

NAVY MEN WITH WHOM THE PAIR TALKED SAID THEY WERE IN GOOD HEALTH AND HAD BEEN TOLD BY THE COMMUNISTS THAT A REVOLUTION WAS BREWING IN THE UNITED STATES.
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A95KX
(WEST OUT)
WITH FLIERS (140)
BY STANLEY RICH
MAY 16 1950
HONG KONG, MAY 15 (AP)-CAPT. ALEXANDER H. FINNIE OF THE BRITISH STEAMER HUNNAN SAID TODAY THE TWO AMERICAN FLIERS FREED FROM COMMUNIST CHINA WERE IN "BLOODY GOOD HEALTH AND EXCELLENT SPIRITS."

THE FLIERS, MARINE MASTER SGT. ELMER C. BENDER OF CINCINNATI AND NAVY CHIEF ELECTRICIAN WILLIAM C. SMITH OF LONG BEACH, CALIF., WERE BROUGHT OUT OF TSINGTAO, CHINA, ABOARD THE HUNNAN.

FINNIE, A RESIDENT OF SUNDERLAND, ENGLAND, SAID HE ALREADY HAD 22 MORE PASSENGERS THAN THE HUNNAN COULD ACCOMODATE WHEN THE SINO REDS ASKED IF HE COULD ACCOMODATE TWO MORE. HE REPLIED IN THE NEGATIVE.

THE NEXT DAY THE CHINESE REDS INFORMED HIM THE TWO PASSENGERS WERE AMERICAN FLIERS WHO HAD BEEN HELD PRISONER. FINNIE TOOK THEM ABOARD.

THEY ATE DOUBLE PORTIONS AT EVERY MEAL.

THE CAPTAIN SAID THEY APPEARED IN GOOD HEALTH AND WERE HAPPY AND RELIEVED TO GET OUT OF COMMUNIST CHINA.
GG742ACS

A90KX
(WEST OUT)
HONG KONG, MAY 15-(AP)-TEXAS CO., LTD. (CALTEX) OFFICIALS SAID TODAY THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS HAVE APPROPRIATED SEVEN OF ITS OIL TANKS IN A SOUTH NANKING SUBURB. THE COMPANY SAID IT HAD MADE NO OBJECTION.
VR711ACS NM

A89KX
(WEST OUT)
HONG KONG, MAY 15-(AP)-POLICE ARRESTED 19 MEN AFTER UNCOVERING AN ARMS CACHE YESTERDAY IN BRITISH TERRITORY OPPOSITE HONG KONG.

POLICE ARRESTED 12 MEN FRIDAY ON SUSPICION OF COMMITTING ACTS OF TERRORISM.
VR711ACS

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A104KX
WITH CHINESE WAR (160)
BY SPENCER MOOSA
TAIPEI, FORMOSA, MAY 15-(AP)-EIGHTEEN MONTHS AGO GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK PLANNED TO FIGHT A DECISIVE BATTLE AGAINST THE COMMUNISTS ON THE SHANGHAI-NANKING RAILWAY AND COMMIT SUICIDE IF HE LOST.

THE CHINESE NATIONALIST LEADER HIMSELF IS THE SOURCE OF THIS ACCOUNT, JUST DIVULGED BY THE OFFICIAL CENTRAL NEWS AGENCY.

THE AGENCY PUBLISHED THE FIRST PART OF THE TEXT OF A SPEECH CHIANG MADE TO HIGH OFFICERS AT A POLITICAL TRAINING CENTER APRIL 16. IT DID NOT SAY WHY HE CHANGED HIS MIND BUT SAID THAT WOULD BE RELATED IN A SUBSEQUENT CHAPTER.

IN THE PART PUBLISHED TODAY, CHIANG SAID HE MADE HIS SECRET VICTORY-OR-SUICIDE DECISION WHEN HE WAS DEPRESSED BY THE FALL OF SUCHOW, BIG CENTRAL CHINA BASTION, AT THE END OF NOVEMBER, 1948.

OTHER PORTIONS OF THE SPEECH INCLUDED A VOW NOW TO FIGHT A DECISIVE BATTLE FROM FORMOSA AND A STRONG CRITICISM OF NATIONALIST GENERALS WHO WERE CAPTURED BY OR DESERTED TO THE REDS.

CHIANG SAID HE HAD INSTRUCTED THE DEFENSE MINISTRY THAT SUCH PERSONS MUST NEVER BE REINSTATED AND THAT THE SAME ORDER APPLIED TO ANY WHO WERE "DERELICTS OR COMMITTED CRIMES."

HE ENJOINED HIS HEARERS TO KNOW WHAT SHAME IS AND TO DIE WHEN LOYALTY REQUIRED IT.
JM750PCS

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A172KX
(WEST OUT) (150)
NIGHT LEAD CHINESE
TAIPEI, FORMOSA, TUESDAY, MAY 16-(AP)-CHIANG KAI-SHEK PROMISED TODAY TO RETURN TRIUMPHANT TO MAINLAND CHINA OR DIE IN THE DEFENSE OF FORMOSA.

"I DON'T EASILY TALK ABOUT DEATH BUT I HAVE IT IN MIND IF ANYTHING UNFORTUNATE HAPPENS IN FORMOSA," THE PRESIDENT OF NATIONALIST CHINA SAID, ADDING:

"AND I SHALL KEEP MY WORD.

"WE CAN ONLY AVOID DEATH IF WE DEFEAT THE ENEMY AND RETURN TO THE MAINLAND.

"IF FORMOSA FALLS WE WILL ALL FIGHT TO THE FINISH AND DIE HERE."
CHIANG SAID HE EXPECTED OTHER NATIONALIST LEADERS TO JOIN HIM IN THE DEATH PACT.
THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS EXPECT THE REDS TO INVADE FORMOSA BEFORE THE END OF AUGUST. CHIANG HAS CALLED ANEW FOR A DECISIVE BATTLE.
THE OFFICIAL CENTRAL NEWS AGENCY DISCLOSED CHIANG HAD VOWED IN DECEMBER, 1948, TO MAKE A STAND ON THE LINE OF THE SHANGHAI-NANKING RAILWAY AND TO COMMIT SUICIDE IF HE FAILED.
THE AGENCY SAID HE TOLD THAT APRIL 16 IN A SPEECH TO HIS OFFICERS. IT DID NOT SAY WHY THE GENERALISSIMO CHANGED HIS MIND.
FJ1118PCS NM

A75FX
TAIPEI, MAY 15-(AP)-PRO-NATIONALIST CHINESE REPORTS TODAY SAIE MANY SOVIET HELD GERMAN PRISONERS OF WAR ARE SERVING WITH CHINESE COMMUNISTS AS TECHNICIANS.
THE REPORTS WERE ATTRIBUTED TO ARRIVALS FROM RED SHANGHAI.
OTHER NATIONALIST REPORTS SAID THE REDS WERE ENLARGING WHITE CLOUD AIRPORT AT CANTON, SOUTH CHINA METROPOLIS.
SOVIET BUILT PLANES MADE TEST FLIGHTS FROM TWO FIELDS ON MAY 10, THE REPORTS SAID.
JL501APD NM

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B31KX (Q)
(480)
BY TOM LAMBERT
TOKYO, MAY 15-(AP)-MRS.HANNAH REICHENBERG FUJIKAWA, 43, NEW YORK BORN WIFE OF A JAPANESE COMMUNIST LABOR UNIONIST, HAS JOINED THE JAPAN COMMUNIST PARTY.
IN AN INTERVIEW TODAY SHE SAID SHE DID SO BECAUSE SHE BELIEVES THE REDS ARE WORKING FOR PEACE.
SHE SAID SHE KNEW PEOPLE MIGHT "SAY I AM BETRAYING MY BELOVED FATHERLAND BUT I TAKE DELIGHT IN SERVING THE PEOPLE OF THE WORLD, NOT MERELY AMERICANS."
THE GRAYING MRS.FUJIKAWA SAID GENERAL MACARTHUR'S STATEMENT OF MAY 3 MADE HER DECIDE TO JOIN THE PARTY HERE. IN THAT STATEMENT MACARTHUR ASKED IF THE COMMUNIST PARTY SHOULD BE ALLOWED TO EXIST LEGALLY.
THE SLIGHT AMERICAN BORN WOMAN, SPEAKING RAPIDLY AND GLANCING OFTEN AT HER HUSBAND WHO SAT WITH HER THROUGHOUT THE INTERVIEW, SAID "SUPPRESSION OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY HERE MEANS WAR NOT PEACE."
MRS.FUJIKAWA REFLECTED FAITHFULLY THE PARTY LINE ON JAPAN, PEACE AND THE WORLD IN GENERAL. PHRASES AND WORDS LIKE "FASCIST, THE PEOPLE, AMERICAN BIG BUSINESS," FLAVORED HER SPEECH.
SHE DECLARED, HOWEVER, "I HAVE NEVER RENOUNCED MY AMERICAN CITIZENSHIP." ASKED IF SHE INTENDED TO DO SO, SHE REPLIED:
"IN THE EVENT I AM PRESSED."
THEN HER VOICE TRAILED OFF INTO A SERIES OF QUALIFICATIONS WHICH LEFT THE ISSUE CLOUDED.
SHE SAID HER AMERICAN PASSPORT HAD BEEN REVOKED BECAUSE OF A DISPUTE AS TO WHETHER SHE HAD VOTED IN A JAPANESE ELECTION. SHE DENIED VOTING. SHE SAID SHE IS CONTESTING THE REVOCATION.
THE TINY NEW YORKER, WHO WEIGHS 85 POUNDS, INDICATED SHE HAD BEEN THINKING FOR SOME TIME OF JOINING THE REDS. SHE SAID SHE HAD TOYED WITH THE IDEA OF HOOKING UP WITH THE AMERICAN COMMUNIST PARTY.
SHE CAME HERE IN 1938 AND WAS MARRIED THE FOLLOWING YEAR TO FUJIKAWA.
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FUJIKAWA.
THEY MET ON A SHIP COMING HERE. HE WAS RETURNING FROM MANCHESTER, ENGLAND, WHERE HE HAD WORKED AS AN APPRENTICE IN AN ELECTRIC PLANT.
AFTER SHE MARRIED FUJIKAWA, AUTOMATICALLY BECOMING A JAPANESE CITIZEN, SHE BEGAN WORKING HERE AS A MILLINER. SHE SAID MRS.JOSEPH GREW, WIFE OF THE THEN AMBASSADOR TO JAPAN, WAS ONE OF HER CUSTOMERS.

B32KX (Q)
WHEN THE WAR STARTED SHE SAID SHE TRIED TO RETURN TO THE UNITED STATES. SHE DIVORCED HER HUSBAND, THINKING THAT WOULD HELP HER, BUT THE MOVE PROVED FRUITLESS. SHE REMARRIED FUJIKAWA.
MRS.FUJIKAWA SAID SHE DID "UNDERGROUND WORK" IN JAPAN DURING THE WAR. SHE DECLINED TO ELABORATE SAYING "IT IS TOO EARLY TO TELL." SHE SAID A FRENCHWOMAN WORKED WITH HER.
AFTER THE WAR SHE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES ON AN AMERICAN HOSPITAL SHIP. SHE CAME BACK TO JAPAN IN OCTOBER OF 1946.
MRS.FUJIKAWA TALKED WITH TWO ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORTERS AT HER HOUSE AGAINST A BACKGROUND OF MUSIC BROADCAST BY THE U.S.ARMY'S RADIO NETWORK HERE. BOOKENDS WITH A LIKENESS OF ABRAHAM LINCOLN SUPPORTED A NUMBER OF VOLUMES. A BIRTHDAY CARD FROM HER FATHER IN NEW YORK STOOD ON A SHELF.
MRS.FUJIKAWA SAID SHE WAS BORN MAY 16, 1907, ON CHERRY STREET IN NEW YORK CITY'S EAST SIDE. HER PARENTS WERE NATURALIZED POLISH EMIGRANTS. SHE SAID SHE AND HER FATHER ARE THE ONLY LIVING MEMBERS OF THE FAMILY WHICH ONCE INCLUDED FOUR BROTHERS AND SISTERS.
VR624ACS NM

B109KX Q
(100)
TOKYO,TUESDAY, MAY 16-(AP)-BRAZIL HAS NOTICIED JAPAN IT MAY OPEN OVERSEAS AGENCY OFFICES IN THE SOUTH AMERICAN COUNTRY. OTHER NATIONS ARE REPORTED EAGER TO CLIMB ABOARD THE TRADE BANDWAGON.
GESTAO DO RIO BRANCO, HEAD OF THE BRAZILIAN MISSION TO JAPAN, SAID TODAY HE EXTENDED THE INVITATION THROUGH GENERAL MACARTHUR'S DIPLOMATIC SECTION.
JAPANESE FOREIGN OFFICE SOURCES SAID THEY "UNDERSTAND" SWEDEN, FRANCE, PAKISTAN AND ITALY FAVOR THE OPENING OF JAPANESE OVERSEAS AGENCY OFFICES.
SUCH OFFICES ARE PERMITTED NOW ONLY IN THE UNITED STATES. THEY HANDLE TRADE AND CERTAIN MATTERS OF CONSULAR NATURE. THEY HAVE NO DIPLOMATIC STATUS.
FJ1046PCS NM

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A88KX
(WEST OUT)
TOKYO,MAY 15-(AP)-FOUR HUNDRED ENRAGED FANS STORMED THE JUDGES STAND YESTERDAY WHEN A LONG SHOT WON AND THE FAVORITE NAG WHEEZED IN NINTH AT OIL RACETRACK.

DESPITE A HAIL OF STONES, THE JUDGES REFUSED THEIR DEMAND TO ORDER THE RACE RERUN.

POLICE ARRESTED THREE PERSONS AND THE MOB DISPERSED.

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B30KA

TOKYO, MAY 15-(AP)-INFORMED SOURCES SAID TONIGHT TWO JAPANESE ENVOYS, NOW IN THE UNITED STATES, HAD TOLD PRIME MINISTER SHIGERU YOSHIDA THAT JAPAN HAS A GOOD CHANCE OF JOINING THE INTERNATIONAL MONETARY FUND.

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THESE SOURCES SAID THE INFORMATION CAME FROM FINANCE MINISTER HAYATO IKEDA AND JIRO SHIRASU, THE PRIME MINISTER'S PERSONAL REPRE SENTATIVE.

UPON RECEIPT OF THE MESSAGE, JAPANESE INFORMANTS SAID YOSHIDA CABLED IKEDA TO RETURN TO JAPAN AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE.

VR613ACS

B27 (170)

PRECEDE TOKYO DAY (B30KX)

NEW YORK, MAY 15-(AP)-A SPOKESMAN FOR JAPAN'S FINANCE MINISTER TODAY DENIED ANY JAPANESE ENVOYS HAD TOLD PRIME MINISTER SHIGERU YOSHIDA THAT JAPAN HAS A GOOD CHANCE OF JOINING THE INTERNATIONAL MONETARY FUND.

INFORMED SOURCES IN TOKYO HAD SAID THE INFORMATION WAS RECEIVED BY THE PRIME MINISTER FROM FINANCE MINISTER HAYATO IKEDA AND JIRO SHIRASU, YOSHIDA'S PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE.

THE TWO ARE MAKING A STUDY OF THE UNITED STATES FINANCE AND TAX-ING.

IKEDA'S SECRETARY, KEECA MIYASAWA, SAID HE WAS SPEAKING FOR BOTH IKEDA AND SHIRASU IN DENYING THEY HAD CABLED ANY SUCH INFORMATION TO THE JAPANESE GOVERNMENT. NOR HAS ANY REPRESENTATIVE OF THE GOVERNMENT, MIYASAWA SAID.

HE ADDED JAPANESE INFORMANTS IN TOKYO WERE CORRECT IN SAYING YOSHIDA HAD URGED IKEDA AND SHIRASU TO RETURN TO JAPAN AS SOON AS POSSIBLS.

THE PURPOSE OF THIS, HE SAID, IS TO ENABLE THEM TO PARTICIPATE IN CAMPAIGNS FOR THE JUNE 4 ELECTIONS.

THE JAPANESE PARTY PLANS TO LEAVE BY PLANE AT 9 A.M. TOMORROW FOR LOS ANGELES AND LEAVE THERE WEDNESDAY BY PLANE FOR JAPAN.

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B49KX Q

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MANILA, MAY 15 (AP)-THE PHILIPPINES GENERAL MILITARY COUNCIL TODAY DECIDED ON "A DEFINITE LINE OF ACTION" TO PREVENT CHINESE COMMUNIST INFILTRATION INTO THE ISLANDS.

THE COUNCIL, COMPOSED OF HIGH MILITARY MEN, IS REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN CONCERNED ONLY WITH A CHINESE RED THREAT TO THE PARACEL ISLANDS. THE PARACELS LIE 600 MILES WEST OF THE PHILIPPINES AND WOULD OFFER THE CHINESE AN EASY JUMP TO THE UNDEFENDED COAST OF PALAWAN ISLAND IN THE PHILIPPINES.

DEFENSE SECRETARY RUPERTO K. KANGLEON SAID THE PHILIPPINES AIR FORCE AND NAVY HAD BEEN INSTRUCTED TO INCREASE PATROLS FROM PALAWAN TO MINDORO ISLAND. HE SAID DEPORTATION OF KNOWN CHINESE COMMUNISTS WOULD BE RECOMMENDED.

THE DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR, KANGLEON SAID, WILL BE ASKED TO TIGHTEN CONTROL OVER TEMPORARY POLICEMEN, SOME OF WHOM ARE THOUGHT TO HAVE SUPPLIED RED LED HUKBALAHAP GUERRILLAS WITH GUNS. THE NAVY WILL ESTABLISH A BASE IN SAN VICENTE, CAGAYAN PROVINCE IN NORTHERN LUZON, TO PROTECT THE NORTHERN APPROACHES OF THE PHILIPPINES.

SEARCH WAS STARTED FOR A GROUP OF JAPANESE COMMUNISTS REPORTED LANDED IN NORTHERN LUZON A FEW DAYS AGO.

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B34 (Q)

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SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA, MAY 15-(AP)-A BRITISH COMMONWEALTH CONFERENCE INDICATED TODAY IT WOULD APPEAL DIRECTLY TO THE UNITED STATES TO GIVE SPEEDY ECONOMIC AID TO ALL SOUTHEAST ASIA, NOW FIGHTING OFF A THREAT OF COMMUNIST EXPANSION.

ONLY ONE DELEGATE--THE REPRESENTATIVE OF PAKISTAN--EXPRESSED THIS OUTRIGHT, BUT THE OTHER DELEGATES EITHER SAID OR IMPLIED THAT BRITISH COMMONWEALTH RESOURCES ALONE WOULD NOT BE SUFFICIENT FOR SPEEDY AND EFFECTIVE ECONOMIC AID TO THE AREA AND THAT SUPPORT FOR SOUTHEAST ASIA MUST BE SOUGHT OUTSIDE THE COMMONWEALTH, TOO.

THIS WAS THE MAIN THEME OF THIS MORNING'S OPENING SESSION OF A MEETING WHICH IS CALLED OFFICIALLY "THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE CONFERENCE." IT IS BEING ATTENDED BY 70 DELEGATES FROM AUSTRALIA, BRITAIN, CANADA, NEW ZEALAND, INDIA, PAKISTAN AND CEYLON, AND IS A CONTINUATION OF THE CONFERENCE LAST JANUARY OF THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH FOREIGN MINISTERS IN CEYLON.

THE PAKISTANI DELEGATE, INDUSTRY MINISTER GHAUDHRY NAZIR AHMED KHAN, TOLD THE OTHER DELEGATES: "WE EARNESTLY SEEK THE COOPERATION AND ASSISTANCE OF COUNTRIES OUTSIDE THE COMMONWEALTH, ESPECIALLY OF THE UNITED STATES."

THE LEADER OF THE CANADIAN DELEGATION, FISHERIES MINISTER R. W. MAYHEW, TOLD THE CONFERENCE:

"WE (CANADA) HAVE HAD TO BUILD A NATION. IN ADDITION OUR OLDEST TIES HAVE BEEN WITH EUROPE. WE HAVE UNDERTAKEN HEAVY RESPONSIBILITIES IN THE NORTH ATLANTIC AREA. THESE RESPONSIBILITIES ARE A FIRST CHARGE ON WHATEVER RESOURCES WE MAY BE ABLE TO DEVOTE TO ASSISTANCE ABROAD."

AFTER THE OPENING SESSION OF THE CONFERENCE, THE DELEGATES SPLIT UP INTO COMMITTEE MEETINGS. THESE WILL BE HELD THROUGHOUT THE WEEK, TO EXAMINE THE POLICIES OF THE RESPECTIVE COMMONWEALTH NATIONS TOWARD AID TO AREAS OF SOUTHEAST ASIA. AT THESE CLOSED MEETINGS THE DELEGATES WILL PUT FORWARD PRACTICAL PROPOSALS REGARDING WAYS AND MEANS OF CONTRIBUTING TO A GENERAL PLAN FOR SOUTH AND SOUTHEAST ASIA.

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B28 (Q)

KARACHI, PAKISTAN, MAY 15-(AP)-PAKISTAN HAS AGREED TO JOIN OTHER SOUTHWEST ASIAN COUNTRIES IN TALKS ON ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL PROBLEMS SCHEDULED FOR MAY 26 AT BAGUIO, SUMMER CAPITAL OF THE PHILIPPINES, IT WAS OFFICIALLY ANNOUNCED TODAY.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID DR.NAZIR AHMAD, PRESIDENT OF THE PAKISTAN TARIFF COMMISSION, AND PROF. AHMAD ALI, DEPUTY SECRETARY OF THE FOREIGN MINISTRY WILL REPRESENT THEIR GOVERNMENT. THE TWO DELEGATES ARE PRESENTLY ATTENDING A BRITISH COMMONWEALTH CONFERENCE IN SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA, AND WILL PROCEED FROM THERE DIRECTLY TO THE PHILIPPINES.

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B27 (Q)

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JAKARTA, JAVA, U.S.I., MAY 15-(AP)-THE EVACUATION SHIP KOTA INTEN SAILED FROM AMBOINA YESTERJAY WITH 230 DUTCH, A FEW AMERICANS AND SEVERAL HUNDRED INDONESIANS OF THE DUTCH ARMED FORCES (KNIL) WHO DID NOT JOIN THE REBELLION ON THE ISLAND.

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE NETHERLANDS HIGH COMMISSIONER SAID 45 DUTCH MEN AND TWO AMERICAN MISSIONARIES CHOSE TO REMAIN BEHIND. THE TWO MISSIONARIES PUT THEIR FAMILIES ABOARD THE SHIP.

THE AMBOINESE OF THE KNIL-BACKED REBELLION REFUSED TO LEAVE THE ISLAND. THE KOTAN INTEN IS DUE AT SOERABAJA TOMORROW OR WEDNESDAY.

AMBOINESE LEADERS WHO CLAIMED TO HEAD THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH MOLUCCAS HAVE RUN UP THE OUTLAW REPUBLIC'S FLAG ON AMBOINA. THE U.S.I. GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED IT HAD SEALED OFF AMBOINA FROM SHIP, AIR OR CABLE COMMUNICATIONS.

THE U.S.I. DEFENSE MINISTRY ISSUED A STATEMENT SAYING RECENT ANNOUNCEMENTS OF THE DUTCH HIGH COMMISSIONER "HAVE GIVEN THE IMPRESSION THAT THE NETHERLANDS GOVERNMENT NO LONGER IS ABLE TO ACQUIT ITSELF OF ITS RESPONSIBILITIES AND DUTY TOWARD THE KNIL PERSONNEL AND MATERIEL ON AMBOINA."

IT SAID THAT BECAUSE THE DUTCH WERE UNABLE TO CARRY OUT THEIR OBLIGATIONS UNDER THE NETHERLANDS-INDONESIA PACT, THE U.S.I. HAS BEEN CONFRONTED "WITH PROBLEMS, THE SOLUTION OF WHICH WILL BE COSTLY AND PROBABLY CAUSE SUFFERING AND LOSS OF LIFE AND PROPERTY."

THE STATEMENT ADDED THAT U.S.I. OFFICIALS WILL DISCUSS THE AMBOINA CASE WITH THE DUTCH AS SOON AS THE NETHERLANDS GOVERNMENT POSITION HAS BEEN MADE KNOWN. IT ADDED THAT DUTCH-INDONESIAN AGREEMENTS ON INDEPENDENCE OF THE U.S.I. MADE THE DUTCH RESPONSIBLE FOR THE KNIL UNTIL SUCH TIME AS IT WAS TRANSFERRED TO U.S.I. CONTROL.

A NETHERLANDS STATEMENT SAID EARLIER THAT HOLLAND WAS CUTTING HER TIES WITH THE KNIL MUTINEERS ON AMBOINA AND THAT ACTION AGAINST THEM NOW WAS UP TO THE U.S.I.

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CAIRO, MAY 15-(AP)-SIX MEMBER STATES OF THE ARAB LEAGUE DECLARED TODAY THAT HASHEMITE JORDAN VIOLATED THE LEAGUE CHARTER BY ANNEXING ARAB PALESTINE APRIL 24.

EGYPT, SYRIA, LEBANON AND SAUDI ARABIA RECOMMENDED THAT JORDAN BE OUSTED FROM THE LEAGUE BUT YEMEN AND IRAQ ASKED FOR A DELAY.

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B58 Q (290)

BANGKOK, THAILAND, MAY 15-(AP)-A NEW PREPAREDNESS ALERT HAS BEEN ISSUED TO THE POLICE AND THE ARMY, GIVING RISE TO A NEW CROP OF RUMORS THAT A COUP D'ETAT IS BEING PLANNED BY OPPONENTS OF PREMIER P. PIBULSONGGRAM.

THESE RUMORS HAVE IT THAT FORMER PREMIER PRIDI PHANAOMYONG AND HIS FOLLOWERS HAVE BEEN SIGHTED IN CHONBURI PROVINCE, ABOUT 60 MILES EAST OF HERE. PRIDI IS WANTED IN CONNECTION WITH THE INVESTIGATION INTO THE SLAYING OF KING ANANDA MAHIDOL IN 1946. PRIDI ATTEMPTED A COUP IN FEBRUARY, 1949, BUT IT WAS SUPPRESSED BY PIBULSONGGRAM'S FORCES.

A TOP THAI OFFICIAL RELAYED REPORTS THAT A COUP IS PLANNED TO DISRUPT THE TRIAL OF THREE PALACE SERVANTS CHARGED WITH CONSPIRING IN THE ASSASSINATION OF THE BOY KING. THE PRESENT KING, RAMA (PHUMIPHON ADULET), BROTHER OF ANANDA, TESTIFIED LAST WEEK IN THE TRIAL, BUT HIS TESTIMONY WAS NOT MADE PUBLIC.

SOME SOURCES, HOWEVER, EXPLAINED THE ALERT TO THE ARMY AS A SECURITY MEASURE BECAUSE THE DEMOBILIZATION OF SOME 9,000 SOLDIERS MIGHT DEVELOP INTO TROUBLE THROUGH CELEBRATIONS OF THOSE AFFECTED.

THE ARMY COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, LT.GEN. PHIN CHUNHAWAN, URGED PREMIER PIBULSONGGRAM TO REMAIN IN HIS PALACE OVER THE WEEKEND, BUT THE PREMIER IS REPORTED TO HAVE SAID HE THOUGHT THAT UNNECESSARY.

THE PREMIER CRACKED DOWN ON A PALACE PLOT LAST JANUARY AND EXILED LT.GEN.KACH SONGGRAM, DEPUTY COMMANDER OF THE THAI ARMY. SEVEN HIGH RANKING ARMY OFFICERS WERE ARRESTED THEN. THIS FOLLOWED A RASH OF RUMORS SIMILAR TO THOSE CIRCULATING TODAY.

JOCKEYING FOR POWER HAS BEEN GOING ON FOR A LONG TIME IN THAILAND. IT HAS NOTHING TO DO WITH ANY COMMUNIST THREAT TO THE COUNTRY'S STABILITY, EVEN THOUGH THAILAND HAS BECOME A PROPAGANDA TARGET FOR THE CHINESE COMMUNIST RADIO. PIBULOSONGGRAM HAS BEEN REMOVING OPPOSITION LEADERS FROM GOVERNMENT RANKS FOR MONTHS, AND HAS SUPPRESSED A NUMBER OF REVOLT ATTEMPTS, MOST OF THEM BEFORE THEY EVEN GOT STARTED.

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SAN JUAN, PUERTO RICO, MAY 15-(AP)-A UNITED NATIONS GROUP BEGAN A THREE-WEEK MEETING TODAY TO PLAN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT OF UNDER-DEVELOPED AREAS.

DELEGATES REPRESENT BRAZIL, COLOMBIA, FRANCE, INDIA, MEXICO, BRITAIN, TURKEY AND THE UNITED STATES.

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By Joseph F. McEvoy

Montevideo, Uruguay, May 14--(AP)--Experts from 12 countries will inaugurate here tomorrow a two-week study of obstacles blocking the free flow of news throughout the world.

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They are members of the United Nations Sub-Commission on Freedom of Information and the Press. Many shades of editorial opinion from East and West are represented, but the delegates sit as technical experts in their respective fields, and not as representatives of their governments.

Despite ideological and political differences, they hope to draft a series of recommendations which, although lacking the force of authority, may lay the groundwork for an international agreement facilitating access to and distribution of news. At the same time, the proponents will attempt also to create in the minds of newsgatherers the idea that if they have liberty of access to information, they should assume responsibility for writing and distributing news accurately and honestly.

The delegates, who will begin their deliberations at 9 a. m., EST, tomorrow, include Carroll Binder, of the United States; Philip Jordan, of Britain; Alfredo Silva Carvallo, Chile; P. H. Chang, China; Mahmoud Azmi, Egypt; Andre Geraud, France; Devadas Gandhi, India; Karim Askoul, Lebanon; Hector Aquino, Philippines; Steven Dedijer, Yugoslavia; Roberto Fontana, Uruguay; Pavel Kotik, Russia.

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Observers generally expect the Soviet member to follow the practice of the Russians by walking out rather than sit with a nationalist Chinese delegate. However, the conference secretariat reported that Kotik will be present when the meeting opens tomorrow.

Some observers feel that since the Montevideo conference is a gathering of experts rather than of government representatives, the Russian could attend the sessions without compromising the Kremlin's stand against the Chinese nationalists. The Soviets have recognized the Chinese Communists and insist that their delegates should represent China in all U.N. bodies.

In a separate temporary meeting, that of a U.N. sub-commission on discrimination against minorities, also a gathering of technicians, the Russian delegate sat for three days before walking out.

Binder, as vice-president of the sub-commission, will open the meeting. It is expected that Fontaine, delegate of the host country, will be named permanent chairman.

The delegates will confer tomorrow with Uruguayan President Luis Batlle Berres and Foreign Minister Cesar Charlone. First item on the business agenda calls for consideration of the "adequacy of news available to the peoples of the world and the obstacles to the free flow of information."

Other problems to be taken up include a classification of the existing agreements in the field of freedom of information, a study of legislation and other practices affecting the dissemination of news, and the promotion of the diss emination of true information to counteract nazi, fascist and other propaganda advocating racial and religious discrimination.

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NIGHT LEAD PRESS FREEDOM (160)
MONTEVIDEO,URUGUAY,MAY 15-(AP)-RUSSIA WALKED OUT OF A UNITED NATIONS MEETING TODAY, A FEW MINUTES BEFORE THE SOVIET UNION WAS DENOUNCED FOR JAMMING VOICE OF AMERICA BROADCASTS.
THE EXIT--FROM A U.N. SUBCOMMISSION ON FREEDOM OF INFORMATION AND OF THE PRESS--WAS THE 26TH RUSSIA HAS TAKEN BECAUSE OF THE PRESENCE OF A NATIONALIST CHINA DELEGATE.
AFTER SOVIET DELEGATE PAVEL KOTIK LEFT, U.S. DELEGATE CARROLL BINDER LASHED OUT AT "DULY AUTHORIZED RADIO OPERATING AGENCIES" IN RUSSIA FOR DELIBERATELY INTERFERING WITH VOICE OF AMERICA BROADCASTS.
SUCH JAMMING, HE SAID, WAS DESIGNED TO PREVENT PEOPLE LIVING BEHIND THE IRON CURTAIN FROM HEARING INFORMATION FROM OUTSIDE THEIR AREA.
BINDER PRESENTED A RESOLUTION CALLING ON THE SUB-COMMISSION TO DECLARE SUCH INTERFERENCE A VIOLATION OF LIBERTY, AND FREEDOM OF INFORMATION.
BINDER ALSO LED A FIGHT WHICH SUCCEEDED IN BEATING DOWN A PROPOSAL BY EGYPT, LEBANON AND CHINA WHICH WOULD SET UP A CODE OF ETHICS FOR NEWSPAPERMEN TO GUARANTEE THEY TELL THE "TRUTH."
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MONTEVIDEO, URUGUAY, MAY 15-(AP)-RUSSIA TODAY STAGED HER 26TH WALKOUT FROM A UNITED NATIONS BODY. HER DELEGATE WALKED OUT OF THE U.N. SUBCOMMISSION ON FREEDOM OF INFORMATION AND OF THE PRESS BECAUSE OF THE PRESENCE OF A DELEGATE FROM NATIONALIST CHINA.
EXPERTS FROM 12 COUNTRIES ARE MEETING HERE IN A TWO-WEEKS STUDY OF OBSTACLES BLOCKING THE FLOW OF NEWS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD. OBSERVERS HAD EXPECTED THE SOVIET DELEGATE, PAVEL KOTIK, WOULD WALK OUT, AS THE RUSSIANS DID FROM THE OTHER U.N.BODIES, OVER THE CHINA ISSUE.
THE MEETING IS SCHEDULED TO TAKE UP "ADEQUACY OF NEWS AVAILABLE TO THE PEOPLES OF THE WORLD," CLASSIFICATION OF EXISTING AGREEMENTS IN THE FIELD OF FREEDOM OF INFORMATION, A STUDY OF LEGISLATION AND OF OTHER FACTORS AFFECTING THE FLOW OF NEWS. THE UNITED STATES IS REPRESENTED BY CARROLL BINDER, EDITORIAL EDITOR OF THE MINNEAPOLIS TRIBUNE.
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HAMILTON,ONT.,MAY 15-(AP)-THE VERY REV.HEWLETT JOHNSON, DEAN OF CANTERBURY, WAS PELTED WITH EGGS AND TOMATOES HERE TONIGHT AS HE MOVED FROM ONE HALL TO ANOTHER IN THE COURSE OF A SPEAKING ENGAGEMENT.
THE SO-CALLED "RED DEAN," WHO HAS BEEN BANNED FROM THE UNITED STATES, SPOKE IN ONE HALL TONIGHT WHILE THE REV.DR.JAMES ENDICOTT, CHAIRMAN OF THE CANADIAN "PEACE CONGRESS," SPOKE AT ANOTHER HALL FARTHER DOWN THE STREET.

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A LARGE CROWD GATHERED ON JAMES STREET AND WHEN DEAN JOHNSON FINISHED HIS SPEECH AND EMERGED TO GO TO DR.ENDICOTT'S MEETING BYSTANDERS THREW THE MISSILES AT HIM. POLICE WERE OUT IN FORCE TO KEEP THE CROWDS MOVING.

THE TOMATOES AND EGGS STRUCK SEVERAL MEMBERS OF THE "PEACE CONGRESS" BUT THE DEAN, PROTECTED BY A CIRCLE OF FRIENDS, DODGED THEM.

WHEN HE ARRIVED AT THE SECOND HALL SOMEONE THREW A ROCK THROUGH THE WINDOW AND OTHERS THREW FIRECRACKERS IN THROUGH THE DOOR.

POLICE BLAMED THE TROUBLE ON HOODLUMS AND ARRESTED SEVERAL PERSONS.

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WASHINGTON, MAY 15-(AP)-SENATE AND HOUSE CONFEREES TODAY AGREED TO A $3,121,450,000 PROGRAM OF AMERICAN ECONOMIC AID TO EUROPE AND OTHER NON-COMMUNIST AREAS IN THE FISCAL YEAR STARTING JULY 1.

BREAKING A WEEK-LONG DEADLOCK, THE CONFEREES SET THE STAGE FOR FINAL VOTES IN BOTH CHAMBERS ON THE HUGE GLOBAL AID PROGRAM.

THE AGREEMENT MARKED A PARTIAL VICTORY BOTH FOR ADMINISTRATION LEADERS AND FOR MEMBERS OF AN ECONOMY BLOC WHO HAVE FOUGHT TO TRIM THE OUTPOURING OF U. S. DOLLARS OVERSEAS.

BESIDES PROVIDING FOR THE THIRD YEAR OF THE FOUR-YEAR THE MARSHALL PLAN FOR EUROPE'S ECONOMIC RECOVERY, HOWEVER THE COMPROMISE BILL CALLS FOR AID TO KOREA AND FOR THE LAUNCHING OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S "POINT FOUR" PROGRAM OF TECHNICAL AID TO THE WORLD'S UNDERDEVELOPED AREAS.

CHAIRMAN KEE (D-W.VA) OF THE HOUSE FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE SAID HE WOULD BRING THE MEASURE BEFORE THE HOUSE FOR A VOTE ON WEDNESDAY. KEE PREDICTED PASSAGE WITHOUT DIFFICULTY.

THE BILL IS KNOWN AS AN AUTHORIZATION. CASH MUST BE PROVIDED IN A SEPARATE ACT.

THE BILL PROVIDES $2,850,000,000 FOR EUROPEAN RECOVERY -- OR $250,000,000 LESS THAN THE ADMINISTRATION HAD REQUESTED -- COMPARED WITH $3,778,000,000 VOTED LAST YEAR.

BOTH HOUSES MUST APPROVE THE JOINT CONFERENCE COMMITTEE'S DECISIONS BEFORE THE BILL GOES TO THE WHITE HOUSE FOR PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S SIGNATURE. THE CONFEREES, HEADED BY CHAIRMAN CONNALLY (D-TEX) OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE, HAD BEEN APPOINTED TO COMPROMISE DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE SENATE AND HOUSE VERSIONS OF THE MEASURE.

THE CONFEREES CLEARED UP POINTS IN DISPUTE BY AGREEING ON:

1. AN AUTHORIZATION OF $35,000,000 FOR THE PRESIDENT'S "POINT FOUR" PROGRAM. MR. TRUMAN HAD ASKED $45,000,000, AS APPROVED BY THE SENATE. THE HOUSE VOTED ONLY $25,000,000.

2. LIMITED GUARANTEES TO AMERICAN OVERSEAS INVESTORS TO PROTECT THEM AGAINST LOSS FROM CONFISCATION BY FOREIGN GOVERNMENTS.

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HOUSE MEMBERS HAD INSISTED THAT THE GUARANTEES BE EXTENDED TO AMERICAN INVESTORS IN ANY COUNTRY--WITH THE INSURANCE TO COVER LOSSES FROM REVOLUTION, RIOT AND OTHER RISKS. BUT THE SENATE CONFEREES SUCCEEDED IN HAVING THE PROGRAM LIMITED TO SEIZURE BY A MARSHALL PLAN COUNTRIES.

BESIDES THE $2,850,000,000 FOR EUROPEAN RECOVERY, THE BILL NOW PROVIDES:

$100,000,000 FOR THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA;

$94,000,000 FOR POSSIBLE AID TO NON-COMMUNIST FORCES IN CHINA, FORMOSA, AND THE GENERAL CHINA AREA;

$27,450,000 FOR PALESTINE REFUGEE AID;

$15,000,000 FOR THE INTERNATIONAL CHILDREN'S EMERGENCY FUND;

$35,000,000 FOR THE POINT FOUR PROGRAM.

OF THE TOTAL $3,121,450,000 AUTHORIZATION, APPROXIMATELY $259,000,000 WILL NOT HAVE TO BE APPROPRIATED BY CONGRESS BECAUSE THE MONEY IS ALREADY ON HAND FROM LEFT-OVER FUNDS AND OTHER RESOURCES.

THE LEFT-OVER MONEY INCLUDES $150,000,000 IN ECA FUNDS, $94,000,000 IN CHINA AREA FUNDS, $15,000,000 FOR CHILDREN AND $10,000,000 FOR THE "POINT FOUR" PROGRAM WHICH HAS ALREADY BEEN ALLOTTED TO OTHER FEDERAL AGENCIES.

THE INVESTMENT GUARANTEE PROPOSAL OFFERS INSURANCE TO U.S. INVESTORS AGAINST LOSSES "BY REASON OF EXPROPRIATION OR CONFISCATION BY ACTION OF A GOVERNMENT OF A PARTICIPATING COUNTRY." AND IT CONTINUES TO OFFER GUARANTEES TO INVESTORS FOR THE CONVERSION OF FOREIGN CURRENCIES INTO DOLLARS. THE PROGRAM IS LIMITED TO MARSHALL PLAN COUNTRIES.

ECA CHIEF PAUL HOFFMAN WOULD HAVE $200,000,000 AVAILABLE TO COVER POSSIBLE LOSSES FROM CONFISCATION.

CHAIRMAN CONNALLY SAID OVERSEAS INVESTORS WOULD BE ABLE TO INSURE THEIR PROPERTY FOR A PREMIUM RATE OF FOUR PERCENT OR LESS. THE PRECISE RATE WILL BE FIXED BY HOFFMAN.

ALSO, THE COST OF INSURING CURRENCY CONVERTIBILITY WILL BE ONE PERCENT OF THE AMOUNT TO BE INSURED.

THERE WAS SOME DISAGREEMENT AMONG CONFEREES AS TO WHETHER THE NEW GUARANTEES AGAINST CONFISCATION WOULD BE EXTENDED TO AMERICAN COMPANIES NOW DOING BUSINESS ABROAD.

SOME HOUSE MEMBERS SAID THE PROVISION COVERS ONLY FUTURE OVERSEAS INVESTMENTS. BUT CONNALLY SAID THERE WAS NOTHING IN THE ACT TO PREVENT HOFFMAN FROM EXTENDING THESE SAME GUARANTEES TO INVESTORS NOW DOING BUSINESS IN THE MARSHALL PLAN COUNTRIES.

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NIGHT LEAD SUPREME COURT

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BY DON SANDERS

WASHINGTON,MAY 15-(AP)-THE SUPREME COURT AGREED TODAY TO HEAR A NEW TEST OF THE GOVERNMENT'S LOYALTY PROGRAM AND TO REVIEW THE CONVICTION OF THREE PERSONS WHO REFUSED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS ABOUT COMMUNIST PARTY ACTIVITIES.

THE DECISIONS MAY HAVE AN IMPORTANT BEARING ON GOVERNMENT EFFORTS TO SUPPRESS THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN THIS COUNTRY.

THE COURT HAS NEVER MADE A POSITIVE RULING ON EITHER ISSUE.

THBTWOKSES WHICH THE COURT AGREED TO REVIEW:

1. CONVICTION OF THREE PERSONS GIVEN JAIL SENTENCES BY FEDERAL DISTRICT COURT AT DENVER BECAUSE THEY DECLINED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS BEFORE A U.S.GRAND JURY. THEY SAID THE PURPOSE APPEARED TO BE TO DETERMINE THE IDENTITY OF OFFICIALS AND MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN THE DENVER AREA.

2. AN ATTACK BY THE NATIONAL COUNCIL OF AMERICAN-SOVIET FRIENDSHIP, INC., ON THE GOVERNMENT'S LOYALTY PROGRAM. THE PROGRAM IS DESIGNED TO WEED SUBVERSIVE PERSONS OUT OF FEDERAL EMPLOYMENT.

THE COUNCIL HAS BEEN CITED BY THE ATTORNEY GENERAL AS A SUBVERSIVE ORGANIZATION. TWO MONTHS AGO THE COURT AGREED TO HEAR A SIMILAR ATTACK BY ANOTHER GROUP SO LABELED, THE JOINT ANTI-FACIST REFUGEE COMMITTEE.

DECISIONS BY THE COURT WILL NOT BE FORTHCOMING UNTIL THE NEXT TERM STARTING IN OCTOBER. UNDER PRESENT PLANS THE COURT WILL RECESS FOR THE SUMMER ON JUNE 5.

THE PERSONS INVOLVED IN THE DENVER CASE ARE JANE ROGERS, SENTENCED TO FOUR MONTHS FOR CONTEMPT; IRVING BLAU, SIX MONTHS; AND BLAU'S WIFE, PATRICIA, ONE YEAR.

THE COURT DECLINED TO REVIEW CASES OF THREE OTHERS CONVICTED IN THE SAME CASE. THEY WERE NOT GIVEN JAIL TERMS, BUT WERE ORDERED HELD UNDER BOND UNTIL THEY PURGED THEMSELVES OF CONTEMPT.

THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT HAD SAID NOTHING THE COURT MIGHT DO IN THEIR CASES WOULD HAVE ANY PRACTICAL EFFECT, SINCE THE GRAND JURY HAS BEEN DISCHARGED AND THE THREE COULD NOT APPEAR BEFORE IT EVEN IF THEY DESIRE TO DO SO. THE THREE ARE NOW AT LIBERTY, AND THEIR BONDS HAVE BEEN CANCELLED.

ALL SIX CONTENDED THAT THE CONSTITUTION ASSURES THEM "THE RIGHT OF PRIVACY AND SILENCE AGAINST ANY EFFORT TO COMPEL DISCLOSURE OF POLITICAL ASSOCIATIONS AND BELIEFS."

WHILE THE COURT HAS NEVER RULED AFFIRMATIVELY ON THIS QUESTION, IT DID DECLINE TO REVIEW CONTEMPT CONVICTIONS OF JOHN HOWARD LAWSON AND DALTON TRUMBO, HOLLYWOOD SCREEN WRITERS WHO REFUSED TO TELL THE HOUSE UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE WHETHER THEY WERE EVER COMMUNISTS.

THE ACTION HAD THE EFFECT OF LETTING THE TWO CONVICTIONS STAND. THE COURT HAS NOT YET ACTED ON A REQUEST FROM LAWSON AND TRUMBO THAT IT RECONSIDER.

IN TWO CASES WHICH IT DECIDED TODAY, THE HIGH TRIBUNAL REVERSED THE U.S. CIRCUIT COURT AT NEW ORLEANS AND DIRECTED IT TO ISSUE ENFORCEMENT DECREES WHICH THE NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD (NLRB) HAD SOUGHT.

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and the Pool Mfg. Co. of Sherman, Texas.

THE BOARD HAD ORDERED TWO TEXAS COMPANIES TO BARGAIN WITH TWO UNIONS AS AGENTS FOR THEIR WORKERS. BOTH COMPANIES SAID THEY DID BARGAIN WITH THE UNIONS BUT WERE UNABLE TO REACH ANY AGREEMENT.

THE NLRB THEN ASKED THE NEW ORLEANS COURT TO ISSUE ORDERS DIRECTING THE COMPANIES TO CONTINUE TO BARGAIN. IN BOTH CASES THE COURT ASKED THE NLRB FOR ADDITIONAL FACTS BECAUSE THE FIRMS SAID THE UNIONS NO LONGER REPRESENTED MAJORITIES OF THEIR WORKERS.

SOLICITOR GENERAL PHILIP B. PERLMAN, FOR THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT, SUPPORTED THE NLRB'S ARGUMENT THAT THE COURT SHOULD BE REVERSED. HE AND THE BOARD SAID THE COMPANIES HAD NO AUTHORITY TO QUESTION WHETHER A NEW BARGAINING ELECTION SHOULD BE HELD.

LAST OCTOBER PERLMAN TOLD THE TRIBUNAL THAT THE NEW ORLEANS COURT WAS NOT GIVING THE NLRB A FAIR DEAL. HE CITED FIVE CASES TO SUPPORT WHAT HE CALLED A "PATTERN OF DENIAL" OF THE BOARD'S RIGHTS. THE HIGH COURT LAST JANUARY REFUSED TO HEAR THREE OF THESE CASES, THUS IN EFFECT UPHOLDING THE CIRCUIT COURT.

IT SPLIT 7-2 IN UPHOLDING THE NLRB IN TODAY'S CASES.

JUSTICE CLARK SAID FOR THE MAJORITY THAT THE CIRCUIT COURT HAS A DUTY TO ISSUE ENFORCEMENT DECREES SOUGHT BY THE NLRB UNLESS THERE ARE "EXTRAORDINARY CIRCUMSTANCES" WHICH HE DID NOT FIND IN THE RECORD.

JUSTICE FRANKFURTER WROTE A DISSENT, IN WHICH JUSTICE JACKSON JOINED. FRANKFURTER SAID THAT HE COULD NOT FIND ANY EVIDENCE THAT THE NEW ORLEANS COURT HAD BEEN GUILTY OF "AN ABUSIVE EXERCISE OF DISCRETION" WHEN IT ASKED THE NLRB FOR FURTHER INFORMATION.

IN OTHER CASES ON WHICH IT ACTED TODAY, THE HIGH COURT:

1. AFFIRMED THE DISMISSAL BY A SPECIAL THREE-JUDGE FEDERAL COURT OF AN ATTACK ON VALIDITY OF NEW YORK LAWS WHICH PERMIT WIRE TAPPING WHEN SUPERVISED BY JUDGES. THE ATTACK WAS FILED BY HERMAN HOFFMAN AND THE NEW YORK COURTS CRIMINAL BAR ASSOCIATION. THEY ARGUED THAT WIRE TAPPING VIOLATES THE CONSTITUTION. THE SPECIAL COURT SAID NO ACTUAL CONTROVERSY OR GRIEVANCE WAS AT ISSUE AND THREW OUT THE COMPLAINT. THE SUPREME COURT AFFIRMED THIS ACTION.
2. REFUSED TO REVIEW THE CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS CONVICTION OF JOSEPH P. KAMP, EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT OF THE CONSTITUTIONAL EDUCATIONAL LEAGUE, INC., OF NEW YORK CITY. KAMP IS UNDER SENTENCE TO SERVE FOUR MONTHS FOR REFUSING TO PRODUCE LEAGUE RECORDS FOR A HOUSE COMMITTEE ON CAMPAIGN EXPENDITURES.
3. AGREED TO HEAR THE ATTACK OF A NEW YORK CITY PREACHER, CARL JACOB KUNZ, ON AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING POLICE PERMITS TO SPEAK IN PUBLIC. STATE COURTS UPHELD REVOCATION OF HIS PERMIT BECAUSE OF THE WAY HE ATTACKED THE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH AND THE JEWISH FAITH. HE WAS FINED $10 FOR CONDUCTING A PUBLIC MEETING AFTER HIS PERMIT WAS REVOKED.

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BY G.MILTON KELLY

WASHINGTON, MAY 15-(AP)-REP.ELSTON (R-OHIO) SAID TODAY HE DOESN'T BELIEVE RUSSIA EVER WILL BE ABLE TO LAUNCH A MASS ATOMIC ATTACK ON THE UNITED STATES.

ELSTON IS A MEMBER OF THE SENATE-HOUSE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMITTEE.

HE SAID HE DOESN'T BELIEVE EITHER THE SOVIET UNION OR THIS COUNTRY WOULD BE EAGER TO DROP THE FIRST A-BOMB IN EVENT OF WAR. AN ATOMIC ATTACK ON THE UNITED STATES WOULD BE A SUICIDE MISSION, HE SAID, AND THE RUSSIANS KNOW IT.

"IF THE RUSSIANS THOUGHT THEY COULD WIN A QUICK WAR IN A MATTER OF DAYS BY SENDING WAVE AFTER WAVE OF PLANES AT US WITH ATOM BOMBS IN A SNEAK ATTACK, I HAVE NO DOUBT THEY WOULD DO SO," HE TOLD A REPORTER.

"BUT I DON'T BELIEVE RUSSIA IS, OR EVER WILL BE, PREPARED TO DELIVER A SUBSTANTIAL LOAD OF ATOM BOMBS ON TARGETS IN THIS COUNTRY AT ONE TIME."

ELSTON SAID HE BELIEVES THE RUSSIANS "PROBABLY RECOGNIZE THE TRUTH OF THIS," AND THEREFORE WOULD HESITATE TO INVITE RETALIATORY A-BOMBING BY A POWER THAT MIGHT BE CAPABLE OF INFLICTING MORE PUNISHMENT.

ON THE OTHER HAND, HE SAID, THE UNITED STATES VIEWS ITS A-BOMBS ONLY AS INSURANCE AGAINST ATTACKS ON THIS COUNTRY.

"INTERCEPTION, OF COURSE, IS THE BEST DEFENSE AGAINST AN ATOMB BOMB AIR RAID," ELSTON SAID. "WE DON'T HAVE ALL THE INTERCEPTION POWER WE WANT, BUT WHAT WE HAVE IS VERY GOOD. AN ENEMY RAID WOULD BE A SUICIDE MISSION."

HE SAID CONGRESS IS MOVING TO STRENGTHEN THESE DEFENSES, AND "BY THE TIME THE RUSSIANS HAVE INCREASED THEIR SUPPLY OF ATOM BOMBS, WE'LL BE STRONGER, TOO."

ELSTON RECENTLY SAID THE UNITED STATES HAS LEARNED HOW RUSSIAN ATOM BOMBS ARE MANUFACTURED, AND THAT THE SOVIETS ARE NO FARTHER ADVANCED TOWARD CREATING A HYDROGEN BOMB THAN THIS COUNTRY.

HE ALSO CONTENDS THAT THERE HAS BEEN "TOO MUCH HYSTERIA" ABOUT A-BOMBS AND H-BOMBS. HE SAID HE CONSIDERS IT WOULD BE QUITE A TASK FOR ANY COUNTRY TO BEAT ANOTHER ONE TO PIECES WITH BOMBS THAT AT BEST HAVE A DAMAGE RADIUS OF 10 MILES.

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AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE

WASHINGTON,MAY 15-(AP)-PAUL HOFFMAN, ECA ADMINISTRATOR, HAS BEEN ASKED BY SENATOR BUTLER (R-NEBR) WHETHER ANY MORE MARSHALL PLAN MONEY WILL BE USED BY PARTICIPATING COUNTRIES TO BUY WHEAT FROM SOURCES OUTSIDE THE UNITED STATES.

IN A LETTER MADE PUBLIC TODAY, BUTLER SAID THE BRITISH-CANADIAN WHEAT AGREEMENT EXPIRES THE END OF THIS JULY.

"THIS AGREEMENT," BUTLER WROTE HOFFMAN, "WAS USED AS AN EXCUSE BY THE BRITISH FOR GIVING PREFERENCE TO CANADA OVER THE U.S. AS A SOURCE FOR WHEAT."

HE SAID AS A RESULT AMERICAN FARMERS "HAVE BEEN FORCED TO RESTRICT PRODUCTION OF WHEAT UNDER ACREAGE ALLOTMENTS WHILE IN CANADA FARMERS HAVE BEEN ENCOURAGED TO EXPAND."

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(ADVANCE TO BE HELD FOR RELEASE UPON ADOPTION EXPECTED ABOUT MIDNIGHT, EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY, MONDAY, MAY 15)

(ADVANCE) CHICAGO, MAY 15-(AP)-THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY TOOK A STAND TONIGHT AGAINST GOVERNMENT EMPLOYMENT OF COMMUNISTS.

BUT IT SAID IT "WILL NEVER ADVOCATE FIGHTING COMMUNISM WITH POLICE STATE TACTICS."

A POLICY STATEMENT ADOPTED BY THE PARTY'S NATIONAL COMMITTEE FOLLOWING PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S CHICAGO STADIUM SPEECH DID NOT MENTION SPECIFICALLY THE CHARGES OF SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS.)

HOWEVER, THE COMMITTEE PLAINLY HAD IN MIND MCCARTHY'S CLAIM THAT COMMUNISTS HAVE INFILTRATED THE STATE DEPARTMENT WHEN IT DECLARED:

"IT IS THE DUTY OF EVERY CITIZEN WHO HAS EVIDENCE OF DISLOYALTY TO FURNISH ANY SUCH EVIDENCE TO THE GOVERNMENT, AND WE CONDEMN EFFORTS TO GAIN PARTISAN ADVANTAGE BY SMEARS AND INNUENDOES WHICH HAMPER OUR GOVERNMENT AND BLACKEN THE CHARACTER OF INNOCENT CITIZENS.

"WE REAFFIRM OUR BELIEF IN FAIR PLAY AND HONEST FACTUAL INVESTIGATION AND WE BELIEVE THAT DEVELOPMENT OF FACTS BETTER SERVES THE INTERESTS OF OUR PEOPLE THAN DEVELOPMENT OF HEADLINES BASED ON RUMOR AND DISTORTION.

"THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY WILL NEVER ADVOCATE FIGHTING COMMUNISM WITH THE POLICE STATE TERRORISM WHICH COMMUNISM IMPOSES UPON ITS OWN VICTIMS."

THE COMMITTEE RENEWED ITS BACKING OF MR.TRUMAN'S FAIR DEAL PROGRAM AND THE "SOUND, LIBERAL PLATFORM" ADOPTED BY THE 1948 DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL CONVENTION.

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IT SAID THE PARTY'S FUNDAMENTAL GOALS ARE:

"TO EXERT THE LEADERSHIP OF OUR IDEAS AND OUR IDEALS SO THAT THE SINEWS OF OUR FREE ENTERPRISE ECONOMY WILL CONTINUE TO WORK FOR A LASTING AND JUST PEACE BASED UPON THE FREEDOM OF THE INDIVIDUAL TO ENJOY THE RIGHTS AND LIBERTIES OF WHICH HE IS DEPRIVED UNDER COMMUNISM OR OTHER FORMS OF TOTALITARIANISM;

"TO MAINTAIN OUR DEFENSES SO THAT NO FOE OF THE AMERICAN WAY OF LIFE--A DEMOCRACY OF FREE CITIZENS AND A FREE ENTERPRISE ECONOMY--SHALL DARE TO SEEK TO CONQUER US BY MILITARY FORCE.

"TO MAKE OUR DEMOCRATIC GOVERNMENT AND OUR FREE ENTERPRISE ECONOMY DYNAMIC SO THAT WE SHALL CONTINUE TO IMPROVE THE LOT OF ALL OF OUR CITIZENS AND TO INCREASE OUR NATIONAL PRODUCTION TO PROVIDE JOBS FOR AN EXPANDING POPULATION, AND BY CREATING A CONSTANTLY EXPANDING ECONOMY TO AVOID THE OLD CYCLE OF BOOM AND BUST."

THE COMMITTEE SAID IT IS "PROUD OF AN ADMINISTRATION UNDER WHICH NATIONAL INCOME HAS MORE THAN TRIPLED IN 17 YEARS," ADDING:

"WE OFFER IT AS PROOF THAT WISE, LIBERAL GOVERNMENT CONTRIBUTES GREATLY TO THE GROWTH AND PROSPERITY OF OUR FREE ENTERPRISE ECONOMY."

THE COMMITTEE TOOK NOTE OF A REPUBLICAN CHARGE THAT THE DEMOCRATS ARE A "WELFARE PARTY" AND ASSERTED:

"WE ARE PROUD THAT WE HAVE MEASURED UP TO THE AUTHORITY AND DUTY OF THEGOVERNMENT AS SET FORTH IN OUR CONSTITUTION TO PROMOTE THE GENERAL WELFARE X X X .

"WE ARE PROUD THAT THIS HAS BEEN DONE WITHOUT DEPRIVING ONE SINGLE AMERICAN OF ONE SINGLE LIBERTY AND WITHOUT THE SOCIALIZING OF ANY ASPECT OF AMERICAN LIFE."

(END ADVANCE FOR RELEASE EXPECTED UPON ADOPTION EXPECTED AT ABOUT MIDNIGHT, EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, MONDAY, MAY 15)

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CHICAGO, MAY 15-(AP)-THE ANTI-DEFAMATION LEAGUE OF B'NAI B'RITH CANCELLED A SPEECH BY THE U.S. ASSISTANT HIGH COMMISSIONER OF GERMANY YESTERDAY BECAUSE IT DISAGREED WITH HIS DENAZIFICATION POLICIES.

BENJAMIN J. BUTTENWIESER, THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER, HAD BEEN INVITED TO SPEAK AT THE LEAGUE'S ANNUAL MEETING ON "THE REORIENTATION OF GERMANY."

THE LEAGUE'S 35 MEMBER NATIONAL COMMISSION CANCELLED HIS SPEECH ABOUT THREE HOURS BEFORE IT WAS TO BE GIVEN. A STATEMENT BY THE NATIONAL COMMISSION, SIGNED BY MEYER STEINBRINK, CHAIRMAN AND NEW YORK SUPREME COURT JUSTICE, SAID IN PART:

"X X X THE SPEECH REVEALED CONTENT AND PROPOSALS WHICH CAN ONLY BE INTERPRETED AS AN EFFORT TO JUSTIFY THE READMISSION OF FORMER NAZIS TO POSITIONS OF IMPORTANCE IN THE ECONOMIC, POLITICAL, SOCIAL AND EDUCATIONAL LIFE OF GERMANY."

IT ADDED THAT THE TALK "GIVES AID AND ENCOURAGEMENT TO THOSE VICIOUS ELEMENTS IN 'THE NEW GERMAN NATIONALISM' WHICH BUTTENWIESER, HIMSELF, ADMITS ARE REEMERGING TODAY."

BUTTENWIESER TOLD NEWSMEN HE WOULD STAND ON THE STATEMENTS CONTAINED IN THE SPEECH HE HAD PREPARED.

IN IT HE SAID THAT "JUSTICE AND ETHICS REQUIRE THAT THE PENITENT BE RECEIVED BACK INTO THE FOLD OF SOCIETY AND BE PERMITTED TO FUNCTION AS A MEMBER OF HIS COMMUNITY."

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FOLLOW CHICAGO (A33)

FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 15-(AP)-JOHN J.MCCLOY, U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR GERMANY, SAID TODAY HE WAS "ASTOUNDED" AT THE ACTION OF B'NAI B'RITH IN CANCELLING A SPEECH SCHEDULED IN CHICAGO LAST NIGHT BY HIS ASSISTANT, BENJAMIN J. BUTTENWIESER.

MCCLOY, ARRIVING HERE FROM THE LONDON FOREIGN MINISTERS' CONFERENCE, SAID HE HAD SEEN THE PREPARED SPEECH AND IT SEEMED TO HIM TO EXPRESS AN OPTIMISTIC VIEW ON RIDDING GERMANY OF NAZISM.

"IT APPEARED TO ME A MEASURED AND OJECTIVE STATEMENT," MCCLOY SAID. "I AM ASTOUNDED THAT THEY WOULD INVITE HIM AND THEN CANCEL HIS SPECH."

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NIGHT LEAD DRAPER-ADLER (350)
(NY) HARTFORD, CONN., MAY 15-(AP)-THE REV. WILLIAM HOWARD MELISH, A PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CLERGYMAN AND A LEADER IN THE NATIONAL COUNCIL OF AMERICAN-SOVIET FRIENDSHIP, TODAY WAS CALLED A COMMUNIST PARTY MEMBER BY EX-COMMUNIST LOUIS BUDENZ.

TESTIFYING IN THE TRIAL OF A $200,000 LIBEL SUIT BROUGHT BY HARMONICA PLAYER LARRY ADLER AND DANCER PAUL DRAPER AGAINST MRS. HESTER MCCULLOUGH OF GREENWICH, CONN., BUDENZ SAID OF MELISH:

"I KNOW THAT HE IS A COMMUNIST PARTY MEMBER."

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IN NEW YORK, MELISH SCOFFED AT BUDENZ' STATEMENT.

ADLER AND DRAPER CLAIM MRS.MCCULLOUGH DAMAGED THEIR REPUTATIONS BY ACCUSING THEM OF BEING PRO-COMMUNIST.

BOTH HAVE ADMITTED AIDING THE AMERICAN-SOVIET FRIENDSHIP COUNCIL, WHICH MELISH FORMERLY HEADED.

BUDENZ, FORMER MANAGING EDITOR OF THE COMMUNIST DAILY WORKER AND NOW A FORDHAM UNIVERSITY PROFESSOR, SAID THAT ON ORDERS FROM THE U.S. COMMUNIST POLITBURO HE QUESTIONED MELISH BEFORE HE BECAME HEAD OF THE COUNCIL. BUDENZ SAID HE REPORTED TO THE POLITBURO--THE PARTY'S GOVERNING GROUP--THAT MILISH WAS "THOROUGHLY SOUND AND LOYAL" TO COMMUNISM.

WHEN MELISH WAS TOLD OF BUDENZ' TESTIMONY, HE REPLIED:

"THAT'S THE SAME OLD STORY. IT HAS ALL BEEN SAID AND DENIED BEFORE."

BECAUSE OF MELISH'S WORK WITH THE COUNCIL, HIS FATHER, THE REV. JOHN HOWARD MELISH, WAS OUSTED LAST YEAR AS RECTOR OF BROOKLYN'S HOLY TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH. THE SON WAS ASSISTANT RECTOR.

THE YOUNG MELISH RESIGNED AS HEAD OF THE COUNCIL, BUT REMAINED A DIRECTOR. THE COUNCIL IS ON THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT'S "SUBVERSIVE" LIST.

BUDENZ TESTIFIED THAT THE COUNCIL WAS DESIGNED TO ESTABLISH "A CORE OF SUPPORTERS OF SOVIET RUSSIA UNDER ANY OR ALL CIRCUMSTANCES."

FREDERICK H.WIGGIN, ATTORNEY FOR THE ENTERTAINERS, QUOTED BUDENZ AS TELLING A SENATE INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE LAST APRIL 20 THAT MRS.MCCULLOUGH WILL LOSE $55,000 DEFENDING HERSELF IN THE LIBEL ACTION, "EVEN IF SHE WINS."

THE ATTORNEY ASKED: "DID YOU WANT THE SENATE COMMITTEE TO BELIEVE THAT JUST BECAUSE A PERSON SUES FOR LIBEL HE IS A COMMUNIST?"

"NOT NECESSARILY," BUDENZ REPLIED.

ASKED WHY HE HAD NOT TOLD THE FBI FOUR YEARS AGO OF FAR EASTERN EXPERT OWEN LATTIMORE'S ALLEGED COMMUNIST LINKS, BUDENZ SAID: "MY HUNDREDS OF HOURS GIVEN TO THE FBI SPEAK FOR ITSELF."

HE SAID THE FBI HAS "KEPT ME VERY BUSY" AND THAT HE NOW IS "IN THE FRONT LINE TRENCHES" DEFENDING CONSTITUTIONAL JUSTICE.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 7PM EST TONIGHT MONDAY MAY 15)

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(ADVANCE)-NEW HAVEN, MAY 15-(AP)-OTTO, SON OF THE LAST MONARCH OF THE AUSTRIAN-HUNGARIAN EMPIRE, FORECAST TONIGHT THAT CHINESE COMMUNIST TROOPS SOON WOULD MARCH INTO TIBET.

HE TOLD A YALE AUDIENCE THAT THE MARCH WOULD SERVE AS THE FIRST STEP IN SOVIET RUSSIA'S PLANS TO GAIN A FOOTHOLD ON THE BORDER OF INDIA.

SAID OTTO, IN A PREPARED ADDRESS:

"THE SOVIETS ARE NOW GETTING READY TO FAN OUT FROM CHINA INTO TWO DIRECTIONS--CENTRAL ASIA AND SOUTHWEST ASIA."

HE PREDICTED THE MARCH INTO CENTRAL ASIA WOULD COME FIRST AND DECLARED:

"TIBET IS SLATED FOR OBLITERATION, POSSIBLY IN THE SUMMER OF 1950."

THE AUSTRIAN NOBLEMAN DISCUSSED THE THREAT OF SOVIET RUSSIA TO WORLD PEACE IN A TALK IN YALE'S PIERSON COLLEGE WHICH WAS SPONSORED BY THE COLLEGE'S INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS CLUB.

HE STRESSED THAT THE COMMUNIST DRIVE AGAINST TIBET WAS PART OF RUSSIA'S LONG-RANGE PLANS TO EXTEND THEIR CONTROL INTO INDIA.

STALIN, ACCORDING TO OTTO, HAS ALREADY STARTED THE SECOND STAGE OF RUSSIA'S PLANS FOR WORLD REVOLUTION. THE FIRST STAGE, HE SAID, WAS THE STRENGTHENING AND MILITARIZATION OF THE SOVIET UNION, AND NOW THE SECOND IS THE COMPLETE CONQUEST OF EASTERN EUROPE, CHINA AND CENTRAL ASIA.

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD MCCARTHY
BY JAMES P. HACKETT

(WX) ATLANTIC CITY, N.J., MAY 15-(AP)-REPUBLICAN SENATOR MCCARTHY DEMANDED TODAY THAT PRESIDENT TRUMAN FIRE SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON AND SAID HIS FIGHT TO EXPOSE ALLEGED COMMUNISM IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT "HAS ONLY STARTED."

IN A QUICK COUNTER MOVE, THE STATE DEPARTMENT UNLEASHED ITS THIRD BLAST IN 24 HOURS AGAINST MCCARTHY, DIGGING UP AN EPISODE IN THE WISCONSIN SENATOR'S EARLY POLITICAL CAREER AND HURLING A REBUTTAL TO MCCARTHY'S CHARGE THAT THE DEPARTMENT'S LOYALTY FILES HAVE BEEN "RIFLED."

THE DEPARTMENT SAID IN WASHINGTON TONIGHT IT HAS EVIDENCE THAT WHEN MCCARTHY WAS A WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE NINE YEARS AGO HE WAS HIMSELF JUDICIALLY REBUKED FOR "DISTRUCTION OF EVIDENCE."

THE 1941 EPISODE HAS BEEN DISCUSSED PUBLICLY BY OTHERS.

IN A SPEECH HERE TODAY, MCCARTHY SAID:

"SOME HOME, MR.TRUMAN, AND FIRE THE PIED PIPERS OF THE POLITBURO. FIRE THE HEADMASTER WHO BETRAYS US IN ASIA. FIRE THE COLLECTORS OF CORRUPTION, THOSE PRANCING MIMICS OF THE MOSCOW PARTY LINE IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT."

MCCARTHY SAID HIS BATTLE TO UNCLOAK REDS IN THE GOVERNMENT IS THE TOUGHEST IN HIS LIFE, BUT THE EX-MARINE DECLARED:

"IT HAS ONLY STARTED. AS WE CUT NEARER TO THE QUICK AND MORE SERIOUSLY THREATEN THE PLANS OF THOSE TRAITORS TO AMERICA, THE SQUEALING WILL BECOME LOUDER AND THE FIGHT WILL BECOME TOUGHER."

MCCARTHY ALSO CALLED ON MR.TRUMAN TO OUST U.S. AMBASSADOR-AT-LARGE PHILIP C. JESSUP.

THE WISCONSIN SENATOR MENTIONED NO NEW NAMES IN AN ADDRESS TO THE GOLDEN JUBILEE CONVENTION OF THE SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION.

HE TOLD A REPORTER HE WOULD NAME HIS NO. 2 CASE IN A LIST OF 81 ON THE SENATE FLOOR "IF I AM FORCED TO DO IT."

IT HAD BEEN REPORTED IN WASHINGTON THAT MCCARTHY WOULD NAME HIS NO. 2 MAN IN HIS SPEECH HERE. MCCARTHY HAS DESCRIBED THE NO. 2 MAN AS AN AMERICAN ENVOY TO EUROPE WHO ALLEGEDLY SLIPPED SECRET GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS TO A KREMLIN SPY.

MCCARTHY HAS NOT PUT THE ENVOY'S NAME ON THE PUBLIC RECORD, BUT HE IS REPORTED TO BE JOHN CARTER VINCENT, CAREER DIPLOMAT WHO NOW IS MINISTER TO SWITZERLAND. VINCENT HAS TOLD THE ASSOCIATED PRESS THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT WOULD MAKE A STATEMENT ON HIS BEHALF "WHEN WARRANTED."

IN HIS SPEECH, MCCARTHY LINKED HIS NO. 1 MAN, OWEN LATTIMORE, WITH ACHESON. LATTIMORE, A JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY PROFESSOR AND SPECIALIST ON THE FAR EAST, HAS DENIED HE IS A COMMUNIST OR A SYMPATHIZER.

MCCARTHY SAID LATTIMORE "MASTERMINDED" AMERICAN STRATEGY IN THE PACIFIC AND "MR. ACHESON HAS BOUGHT IT AND APPLIED IT TO THE ENTIRE FAR EAST."

THE LATTIMORE PLAN, MCCARTHY SAID, COINCIDES WITH RUSSIAN STRATEGY TO MAKE THE PACIFIC A "RED LAKE."

SOME 300 DELEGATES AND THEIR WIVES CHEERED MCCARTHY WHEN HE SAID "MR. TRUMAN, THE TIME HAS COME TO STOP YOUR WHISTLE STOP CAMPAIGNING AND COME HOME."

THE SENATOR SAID:

"COME ON HOME, MR. TRUMAN, YOU HAVE A LOT TO DO. TELL MR. JESSUP, FOR INSTANCE, THAT THIS GOVERNMENT NO LONGER HAS A PLACE FOR MEN WHOSE ORGANIZATION TAKES MONEY FROM COMMUNISTS."

MCCARTHY SAID HE WAS SENDING MR. TRUMAN PHOTOSTATS OF CHECKS MADE OUT BY COMMUNISTS TO ORGANIZATIONS WITH WHICH MR. JESSUP HAS BEEN ASSOCIATED.

"THEY TOTAL MORE THAN $6,000 AND WE HAVEN'T COMMENCED THE SEARCH FOR MORE," MCCARTHY SAID.

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"MR. JESSUP MAY BE A COMPLETE DUPE," MCCARTHY SAID. "IF HE WAS, THE COMMUNISTS KNEW WHAT THEY WERE DOING. HIS ORGANIZATION WAS GETTING THE MONEY AND THEY WERE GETTING A DOLLAR OF INFORMATION FOR EVERY DOLLAR SPENT."

MCCARTHY'S REFERENCE WAS TO THE INSTITUTE OF PACIFIC RELATIONS, AN ORGANIZATION SET UP SOME 25 YEARS AGO FOR BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF THE PACIFIC AREA.

JESSUP HAS DENIED THE SENATOR'S PREVIOUS CHARGE THAT HE WAS IN CHARGE OF THE INSTITUTE WHEN IT ACCEPTED DONATIONS WHICH MCCARTHY CALLED COMMUNIST IN ORIGIN. HE SAID THAT THE COUNCIL'S EXPENSES OF $200,000 FOR THE PERIOD MCCARTHY MENTIONED WERE MET IN HALF BY THE ROCKEFELLER INSTITUTE AND THE CARNEGIE CORPORATION, AND THAT LARGE INDUSTRIAL CONCERNS PAID MUCH OF THE REMAINDER.

MCCARTHY WAS CHEERED WHEN HE DEFENDED EX-COMMUNIST LOUIS BUDENZ AS A RELIABLE WITNESS. BUDENZ TESTIFIED BEFORE A SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE THAT COMMUNIST PARTY LEADERS TOLD HIM LATTIMORE WAS A MEMBER OF A COMMUNIST CELL. THE LEADERS HAVE DENIED GIVING BUDENZ SUCH INFORMATION.

MCCARTHY SAID:

"HAD IT NOT BEEN FOR THE HUNDREDS OF HOURS OF HELP GIVEN BY LOUIS BUDENZ TO THE FBI AND THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE MANY OF THE COMMUNIST CONSPIRATORS NOW IN JAIL WOULD STILL BE FREE TO DO THEIR DIRTY WORK OF UNDERMINING THE UNITED STATES."

THE SENATOR ALSO DREW "HOORAYS" WHEN HE SAID "A MUCH MORE DANGEROUS AND SMELLIER BREED OF SKUNK IS NOW BEING DUG OUT IN WASHINGTON."

HE PREFACED THAT REMARK BY SAYING AS A BOY HE AND HIS BROTHERS KILLED SKUNKS, SNAKES AND WEASELS THAT PREYED ON CHICKENS.

"IT WAS NOT A PLEASANT JOB--AND SOMETIMES WE DIDN'T SMELL TOO WELL WHEN THE JOB WAS FINISHED," HE SAID. "BUT THE SKUNKS WERE DEAD AND THE CHICKENS ALIVE."

IN WASHINGTON, THE STATE DEPARTMENT PUT OUT TWO COUNTER BLASTS DURING THE DAY IN ITS RUNNING VERBAL DUEL WITH MCCARTHY.

NO. 1 CAME WHEN PRESS OFFICER LINCOLN WHITE ACCUSED MCCARTHY OF COMMITTING "A FURTHER RAPE OF THE FACTS" IN ALLUDING TO THE SENATOR'S STATEMENT YESTERDAY THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAD ISSUED "APPARENTLY DELIBERATE MISSTATEMENTS OF FACT."

THIS CENTERED ON MCCARTHY'S CONTENTION THAT IN 1945 A STATE DEPARTMENT LOYALTY BOARD CLEARED GEORGE S.WHEELER, FORMER DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL WHO HAS SINCE RENOUNCED HIS AMERICAN CITIZENSHIP AND GONE OVER TO THE SOVIET CAMP.

WHITE TOLD NEWSMEN THAT WHEELER WAS "ONLY TEMPORARILY" ON THE STATE DEPARTMENT PAYROLL IN 1945. THIS WAS TWO YEARS BEFORE THE START OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S LOYALTY PROGRAM, WHITE SAID, AND

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PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S LOYALTY PROGRAM, WHITE SAID, AND WHEELER WAS NEVER CLEARED BY ANY BOARD.

WHITE ALSO DECLARED THAT AMBASSADOR JESSUP WAS NEVER A "SPONSOR" OF THE AMERICAN-RUSSIAN INSTITUTE, AS CHARGED BY MCCARTHY, ALTHOUGH WHITE SAID JESSUP WAS ON A LIST OF SPONSORS OF TWO DINNERS GIVEN BY THE INSTITUTE IN 1944 AND 1946.

THEN TONIGHT THE DEPARTMENT REVIVED THE ISSUE OF MCCARTHY'S CONDUCT AS A WISCONSIN JUDGE IN 1941.

PRESS OFFICER WHITE READ TO REPORTERS AN OPINION HE SAID WAS DELIVERED BY CHIEF JUSTICE ROSENBERRY OF THE WISCONSIN SUPREME COURT ON JUNE 18, 1941, CITING MCCARTHY FOR "HIGHLY IMPROPER" CONDUCT IN ORDERING THE DESTRUCTION OF A RECORD OF HIS OWN ORAL REMARKS IN A COURT CASE.

WHITE SAID JUSTICE ROSENBERRY REFERRED TO MCCARTHY'S ACTION AS "DESTRUCTION OF EVIDENCE" AND "ABUSE OF JUDICIAL POWER."

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MCCARTHY

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(ADVANCE) (WX) ATLANTIC CITY, N.J., MAY 15-(AP)-SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) TODAY ACCUSED SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON OF BETRAYING THE UNITED STATES IN ASIA. HE ASKED THAT PRESIDENT TRUMAN FIRE ACHESON.

CONTENDING AMERICAN POLICIES PLAYED INTO THE HANDS OF THE COMMUNISTS IN CHINA, MCCARTHY SAID THAT ACHESON HAD "BOUGHT" A PLAN FOR THE FAR EAST DEVISED BY OWEN LATTIMORE WHICH IS "GIGANTIC IN ITS FRAUD AND COMPLETE IN ITS DECEIT."

HE SAID THAT PHILIP JESSUP, U.S. ROVING AMBASSADOR, WAS A "THIRD MEMBER OF THE LATTIMORE-ACHESON AXIS" AND ASKED THAT MR. TRUMAN FIRE JESSUP, TOO.

MCCARTHY HIT OUT AT ACHESON, JESSUP AND LATTIMORE IN AN ADDRESS PREPARED FOR THE DIAMOND JUBILEE CONVENTION OF THE SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION.

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LATTIMORE IS A JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY PROFESSOR AND SPECIALIST ON THE FAR EAST WHO HAS BEEN AN OCCASIONAL CONSULTANT TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

MCCARTHY HAS CONCENTRATED MUCH OF HIS FIRE ON LATTIMORE IN CONTENDING THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT HARBORS COMMUNISTS AND RED SYMPATHIZERS.

LATTIMORE HAS DENIED HE IS A COMMUNIST OR A SYMPATHIZER.

ACHESON AND OTHER LIVING SECRETARIES OF STATE HAVE DECLARED ALSO THAT LATTIMORE WAS NOT THE AUTHOR OF AMERICAN POLICIES IN THE FAR EAST.

MCCARTHY SAID IN HIS PREPARED SPEECH THAT THE STRATEGY OF THE ACHESON-LATTIMORE AXIS IN ASIA IS THAT "OF HITTING COMMUNISTS AT THE FRONT DOOR WITH A SILK HANDKERCHIEF WHILE THEY BEAT THE BRAINS OUT OF YOUR FRIENDS AT THE BACK DOOR."

HE SAID IT WAS "MASTERMINDED" BY LATTIMORE AND "MR.ACHESON HAS BOUGHT IT AND APPLIED IT TO THE ENTIRE FAR EAST."

HE WOUND UP WITH THIS DIRECT PLEA TO MR.TRUMAN, NOW EN ROUTE BACK TO WASHINGTON FROM A TRIP TO THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST:

"COME HOME, MR.TRUMAN, AND FIRE THE PIED PIPERS OF THE POLITBURO. FIRE THE HEADMASTER WHO BETRAYS US IN ASIA. FIRE THE COLLECTORS OF CORRUPTION, THOSE PRANCING MIMICS OF THE MOSCOW PARTY LINE IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT."

MCCARTHY ALSO MADE A PASSING REFERENCE TO THE SENATE SPEECH LAST WEEK BY SENATOR CHAVEZ (D-NM), WHO SAID THAT LOUIS BUDENZ, EX-COMMUNIST EDITOR, WAS A LIAR.

BUDENZ TESTIFIED BEFORE A SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE THAT PARTY LEADERS TOLD HIM LATTIMORE WAS A MEMBER OF A COMMUNIST CELL. THE SENATE GROUP IS INVESTIGATING MCCARTHY'S CHARGES OF SUBVERSIVES IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

DENIALS THAT THEY EVER TOLD BUDENZ ANY SUCH THING ABOUT LATTIMORE HAVE COME FROM SOME OF THE COMMUNIST LEADERS HE SAID GAVE HIM THAT WORD

MCCARTHY SAID OF CHAVEZ' SPEECH:

"CHAVEZ WAS SUPPORTED ON THE SENATE FLOOR IN HIS ATTACK ON LOUIS BUDENZ BY THE ADMINISTRATION LEADER, SENATOR LUCAS (ILL), AND THE CHAIRMAN OF THE INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE, SENATOR TYDINGS.

"OBVIOUSLY, IN THIS RUGGED FIGHT, THE KREMLIN IS REACHING INTO HIGH PLACES FOR DUPES TO SPEW ITS MALIGNANT SMEAR."

MCCARTHY SAID THE FIGHT IN WHICH HE NOW IS ENGAGED IS THE ROUGHEST HE HAS EVER BEEN IN "AND IT HAS ONLY STARTED."

"AS WE CUT NEARER TO THE QUICK AND MORE SERIOUSLY THREATEN THE PLANS OF THOSE TRAITORS TO AMERICA, THE SQUEALING WILL BECOME LOUDER AND THE FIGHT WILL BECOME TOUGHER," HE ASSERTED.

HE SAID THAT WHEN HE WAS A BOY ON A WISCONSIN FARM ONE OF THE JOBS HE AND HIS BROTHERS HAD WAS TO DESTROY SKUNKS, WEASELS AND SNAKES WHICH PREYED UPON CHICKENS.

"IT WAS NOT A PLEASANT JOB," HE SAID, "AND SOMETIMES WE DID NOT SMELL TOO WELL WHEN THE JOB WAS FINISHED. BUT THE SKUNKS WERE DEAD AND THE CHICKENS ALIVE.

"A MUCH MORE DANGEROUS AND SMELLIER BREED OF SKUNK IS NOW BEING DUG OUT IN WASHINGTON."

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MCCARTHY PREFACED HIS LATEST ATTACK ON ACHESON, LATTIMORE AND JESSUP BY SAYING THAT GENERALISSIMO JOSEPH STALIN OF RUSSIA INTENDED TO TURN THE PACIFIC OCEAN INTO A "RED LAKE."

BUT BEFORE THIS CAN BE DONE, HE SAID, IT IS NECESSARY TO CONQUER THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS WHO NOW HAVE BEEN DRIVEN OFF THE MAINLAND AND ARE MAKING A LAST-DITCH STAND ON FORMOSA.

"THE COMMUNISTS HAVE OFFICIALLY DECLARED THAT THE TOTAL DESTRUCTION-THE MOPPING UP OF THOSE ANTI-COMMUNIST FORCES ON THE ISLAND OF FORMOSA IS THE NUMBER ONE PLANK IN THEIR PLATFORM," HE SAID.

"AND, INCIDENTALLY, AS YOU KNOW, THIS IS THE NUMBER ONE PLANK IN THE WRITTEN PLATFORM OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT ADVISOR; ITS ARCHITECT OF OUR FAR EASTERN POLICY, OWEN LATTIMORE."

MCCARTHY SAID THAT LATTIMORE, IN A MEMORANDUM TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT LAST FALL, RECOMMENDED THAT THE UNITED STATES WITHDRAW ITS SUPPORT OF SOUTH KOREA, LET IT FALL TO THE RUSSIANS, BUT NOT TO LET IT LOOK AS THOUGH WE PUSHED IT. MCCARTHY INTERPRETED LATTIMORE'S POSITION THIS WAY:

"WITH MY LEFT HAND SAYS LATTIMORE, I WILL PUSH KOREA TOWARDS ITS DOOM INTO THE HANDS OF THE COMMUNIST MASTERS IN THE KREMLIN, BUT WITH MY RIGHT HAND, I WILL EXTEND ENOUGH AID TO CAMOUFLAGE THE SELL-OUT--TO MAKE IT LOOK GOOD ENOUGH TO FOOL THE SUCKERS X X X."

"THIS, GENTLEMEN, IS THE PLAN CONCEIVED BY MR.ACHESON'S ARCHITECT, MR.LATTIMORE, CONCEIVED AND PUBLICLY ADVOCATED BY HIM FOR PART OF THE PACIFIC AREA. MR.ACHESON HAS BOUGHT IT AND APPLIED IT TO THE ENTIRE FAR EAST."

MCCARTHY CRITICIZED THE ADMINISTRATION FOR NOT SENDING AID TO FORMOSA WHILE ANNOUNCING PLANS TO SEND AID TO FRENCH-CONTROLLED INDO-CHINA.

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PRESS OFFICER LINCOLN WHITE, IN ACCUSING MCCARTHY OF "A FURTHER RAPE OF THE FACTS," WAS REFERRING TO A STATEMENT MCCARTHY MADE YESTERDAY. IN THIS MCCARTHY COMMENTED ON A STATE DEPARTMENT PAPER AND SAID IT CONTAINED "APPARENTLY DELIBERATE MISSTATEMENTS OF FACT."

WHITE TOLD REPORTERS THAT:

1. GEORGE WHEELER, FORMER AMERICAN ECONOMIC OFFICIAL WHO NOW SUPPORTS COMMUNIST CZECHOSLOVAKIA, WAS "ONLY TEMPORARILY" ON THE STATE DEPARTMENT PAYROLL IN 1945. THIS WAS TWO YEARS BEFORE THE START OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S LOYALTY PROGRAM, WHITE SAID, AND WHEELER NEVER WAS CLEARED BY ANY LOYALTY BOARD.

2. JESSUP WAS ON A LIST OF SPONSORS OF TWO DINNERS OF THE AMERICAN-RUSSIAN INSTITUTE IN 1944 AND 1946, BUT WAS NEVER A "SPONSOR" OF THE ORGANIZATION. WHITE SAID JESSUP NEVER WAS A MEMBER OF THE AMERICAN LAW STUDENTS ASSOCIATION BUT WAS A FACULTY ADVISER IN 1937-38.

IN DISCUSSING JESSUP, MCCARTHY STRESSED AGAIN CONTRIBUTIONS MADE TO THE INSTITUTE OF PACIFIC RELATIONS BY FREDERICK VANDERBILT FIELD AT A TIME WHEN JESSUP WAS CONNECTED WITH THE INSTITUTE.

JESSUP HAS SAID HE DID NOT HOLD A POSITION IN WHICH IT COULD REJECT FIELD'S CONTRIBUTIONS. FURTHER, HE SAID FIELD'S CONTRIBUTION WAS A SMALL PERCENTAGE OF THE MONEY GIVEN TO THE INSTITUTE AND CITED THAT MANY CONTRIBUTIONS CAME FROM HIGHLY CONSERVATIVE SOURCES.

MC CARTHY NOTED HE HAD SUBMITTED TO THE SENATE SUBCOMMITTEE PHOTOGRAPHIC REPRODUCTIONS OF CHECKS TOTALLING $3,500 WHICH HE SAID REPRESENTED "COMMUNIST MONEY" PAID TO THE INSTITUTE BY FIELD.

SINCE THEN, HE SAID, HE HAS OBTAINED FURTHER PHOTOGRAPHIC REPRODUCTIONS SHOWING THAT A TOTAL OF $6,500 WAS PAID TO THE INSTITUTE BY FIELD.

BUDENZ NAMED FIELD TO THE COMMITTEE AS A "SOVIET AGENT," A CHARGE WHICH FIELD DENIED UNDER OATH. BUT FIELD REFUSED TO ANSWER COMMITTEE QUESTIONS AS TO WHETHER HE IS, OR EVER HAS BEEN A COMMUNIST.

AT ONE TIME HE WAS CONNECTED WITH THE INSTITUTE, A NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION FORMED TO DO RESEARCH AND PUBLICITY ON PACIFIC AREAS.

MCCARTHY SAID THAT WHEN HE CALLED MR.TRUMAN'S ATTENTION TO THE FACT THAT FIELD HAD PAID $6,500 TO THE INSTITUTE WHILE JESSUP WAS IDENTIFIED WITH IT, THE PRESIDENT'S ANSWER WAS TO GIVE JESSUP TOP CLEARANCE TO ATOMIC AND HYDROGEN BOMB INFORMATION.

MCCARTHY URGED THE PRESIDENT TO TELL JESSUP THAT "THIS GOVERNMENT NO LONGER HAS A PLACE FOR MEN WHOSE ORGANIZATION TAKES MONEY FROM COMMUNISTS."

HE LIKEWISE URGED THAT MR.TRUMAN "HALT MR.ACHESON'S VETO OF EVERYTHING AMERICA STANDS FOR."

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new york, may 15—(ap)—owen lattimore writes that the red china regime probably will have more authority in her provinces bording on russia than "any chinese government has had for many decades."

this is in [redacted] almost direct contradiction to statements made by secretary of state dean acheson said last january that russia was detaching and taking over north china's provinces of manchuria, inner mongolia and sinkiang. But Lattimore,

only today senator mccarthy (R-wis) said in a speech in atlantic city that lattimore was part of a "lattimore-acheson axis" which mapped u. s. far east policies that played into the hands of the chinese communists.

writing in the spring issue of the quarterly magazine pacific affairs, lattimore said: "the probability is that the chinese communists will, as chinese, renounce NO sovereignty in lands long claimed as

[redacted] chinese. he [redacted] obviously referring to the north china provinces [redacted]

have long been ruled by china although the majority of their peoples are NOT chinese.

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the johns hopkins university professor, number-one target of mccarthy's charges the state department is shot with russian spies, makes his predictions in an analysis of the historic and political development of sinkiang, which he describes as having the "pivotal position in the heart of asia." Lattimore's article was written in [redacted] mccarthy, [redacted] speaking at the diamond jubilee convention of the sons of the american revolution, said acheson had "bought" from lattimore a far east plan which is "gigantic in its fraud and complete in its deceit."

acheson and other government officials have denied that lattimore wrote america's china policy, but have said he has been consulted as a

specialist who has spent many years in asia.

lattimore's article appeared in February for the magazine published by the institute of pacific relations which mccarthy also has charged with having communi[st] sympathies. the institue describes itself as an "unofficial and non-partisan organization, founded x x x to facilitate the scientific study of the peoples of the pacific area."

in the article lattimore pictured sinkiang as the new crossroads where various nationalisms and the policies of china and russia meet.

lattimore suggested that, although the general aims of the two great communist-led nations are the same, their internal policies with relation to such backward and isolated territories as sinkiang may conflict. nevertheless, he said, the chinese communists probably will model their policies in those areas after the soviet policy in her asian republics.

"there is the question whether, in the soviet union, the interests of the russians are to override the interests of other people," lattimore said, "and the question whether, in the (communist) chinese republic, the interests of the chinese are to override those of all others

"in addition, there is now the new problem of the relationship between the soviet union and china: are the interests of the soviet union as a state to be made paramount over those of china as a state?"

he said the "natural orientation" of sinkiang -- the feelings and attachments of the non-chinese nationalities that live there -- is toward russia; but that "the material and sentimental interests of china x x x are real."

lattimore said china probably will NOT renounce her sovereignty "in lands long claimed as chinese," but that the chinese communist regime most likely will model its policies in singkiang, manchuria and inner mongolia after the russian pattern in her asian republics.

in its strategic position, lattimore said, sinkiang probably will most rapidly transmit the news of great political changes there and in china to the rest of non-communist asia -- india, pakistan, afghanistan and iran.

"once more, as in the days of the rise of the han empire more than

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2,000 years ago," said lattimore, "sinkiang has become in fact a pivot around which revolve politics, and power, and the fates of men."

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PORTLAND, ORE., MAY 15-(AP)-BASEBALL FAN CLEMENT RODOPLOS IS GOING TO VISIT HIS HOMETOWN IN GREECE---WITH A TRUNK FULL OF BALLS, BATS AND GLOVES.
RODOPLOS, NOW 42, ADMITS HE HAS LOVED BASEBALL SINCE HE FIRST CAME HERE 29 YEARS AGO. HE HOPES THE BASEBALL GEAR---WITH FIVE DOZEN BASEBALLS---WILL FIELD ENOUGH SANDLOT TEAMS IIN BRAHNEIKA, NEAR PATRAS, TO GET THE SPORT ENTRENCHED AMONG THE YOUNGSTERS. BY THEN, RODOPLOS WILL BE BACK HERE---READY TO SHIP SOME MORE BALLS OVERSEAS.
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SAN FRANCISCO, MAY 15-(AP)-THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS CHARGED GENERAL MACARTHUR TODAY WITH LEADING "U. S. INTRIGUES TO BRING ABOUT A SEPARATE PEACE WITH JAPAN AND TO TURN JAPAN INTO AN AMERICCAN MILITARY BASE FOR USE AGAINST CHINA AND THE U. S. S. R."
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THE PEIPING RADIO, HEARD IN SAN FRANCISCO BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS, BROADCAST WHAT IT SAID WAS A SPECIAL ARTICLE IN THE PEOPLE'S DAILY, OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE PEIPING RED REGIME.
IN SUPPORT OF ITS THEME, THE ARTICLE GAVE ITS OWN VERSION OF THE OCCUPATION COMMANDER'S MAY 3 AND 4 EXCHANGE WITH THE RUSSIAN ALLIED COUNCIL MEMBER OVER AMERICAN BASES; MACARTHUR'S TALK WITH VISITING AUSTRALIAN NEWSMEN ON BASES APRIL 29; HIS SUGGESTION THAT IT MIGHT BE WISE TO OUTLAW THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN JAPAN; AND, LASTLY, FRIDAY'S RUSSIAN COMPLAINT ABOUT PAROLES FOR SOME JAPANESE WAR CRIMINALS.
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SAN FRANCISCO, MAY 15-(AP)-THE PRIME MINISTER OF PAKISTAN MET THE GOVERNOR OF CALIFORNIA TODAY, HEARD ABOUT SUCH TECHNIQUES AS SOWING RICE FROM A PLANE---AND WAS PICKETED.
THE PICKETING, BY REPRESENTATIVES OF DISSIDENTS WITHIN THE PRIME MINISTER'S OWN ASIATIC STATE, OCCURRED AT SACRAMENTO AFTER HIS HALF HOUR VISIT WITH GOVERNOR EARL WARREN.
FIFTY PATHANS, CARRYING BANNERS, WALK SILENTLY IN FRONT OF THE CROCKER ART GALLERY, WHERE PRIME MINISTER LIAQUAT ALI KHAN ADDRESSED AN OVERFLOW AUDIENCE. THE PATHANS ARE NATICES OF PAKHTUNISTAN, A PROVINCE ON THE NORTHWEST FRONTIER OF PAKISTAN WHICH IS AGITATING FOR SEPARATION.
WHEN THE PICKETS APPEARED, AN EXTRA CORDON OF POLICE WAS STATIONED AROUND THE GALLERY. THERE WAS NO DISTURBANCE.
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NEW YORK, MAY 15-(AP)-VLADIMIR POPOVIC, YUGOSLAVIA'S NEW AMBASSADOR TO THE UNITED STATES, PREDICTED EVER-INCREASING FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN HIS COUNTRY AND AMERICA, UPON HIS ARRIVAL HERE TODAY.
YUTOSLAVIA, POPOVIC SAID, IS EAGER TO COOPERATE WITH ANY NATION THAT RESPECTS HIS COUNTRY'S "SOVEREIGNTY AND INDEPENDENCE." THIS INCLUDES RUSSIA, HE ADDED, BUT "RUSSIA DOESN'T WANT TO COOPERATE."
POPOVIC ARRIVED WITH 1,586 OTHER PASSENGERS ON THE LINER QUEEN ELIZABETH.
HE SAID HIS GOVERNMENT WAS CONFIDENT OF GROWING "UNDERSTANDING AND EVER BROADER AND GREATER SUPPORT AND ASSISTANCE OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE." HIS GOVERNMENT IS SEEKING ADDITIONAL ECONOMIC AID FROM THE U.S., HE SAID.
POPOVIC DEPLORED THE RISE OF "ANY BLOC SYSTEM" IN THE WORLD, SAYING THAT BLOCS OF NATIONS LEAD TO WAR. HE URGED "FREE COOPERATION" AMONG ALL NATIONS FOR "THE PRESERVATION OF PEACE."
POPOVIC, FORMER YUGOSLAV FIRST DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER AND ONETIME AMBASSADOR TO MOSCOW, SUCCEEDS SAVA KOSANOVIC, WHO LEFT HIS WASHINGTON ASSIGNMENT THREE WEEKS AGO.
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NIGHT LEAD COPLON (260)
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NEW YORK,MAY 15-(AP)-JUDITH COPLON, FACING UP TO 25 YEARS IN PRISON FOR ESPIONAGE, SAID TODAY SHE WILL BE MARRIED SOON.
IT WAS HER TROUBLES, SHE SAID, THAT BROUGHT HER AND HER HUSBAND-TO-BE TOGETHER.
THE 28-YEAR-OLD FORMER JUSTICE DEPARTMENT EMPLOYE, FREE ON BAIL WHILE APPEALING HER SPY CONVICTIONS, SAID THE MAN SHE WILL WED "WITHIN THE NEXT FEW WEEKS" IS ALBERT H.SOCOLOV, 29, A NEW YORK ATTORNEY AND WAR VETERAN.
"I'M VERY MUCH IN LOVE WITH HIM," MISS COPLON SAID.
SHE MET HIM ONLY LAST JANUARY, SHE SAID, WHILE SHE WAS SEEKING LEGAL ADVICE AT THE OFFICES OF A NEW YORK LAW FIRM OF WHICH HE IS A MEMBER.
THAT WAS SHORTLY BEFORE MISS COPLON WAS CONVICTED OF PLOTTING TO SLIP U.S. SECRETS TO VALENTIN A.GUBITCHEV, RUSSIAN ENGINEER. PREVIOUSLY, SHE WAS CONVICTED IN WASHINGTON OF STEALING GOVERNMENT PAPERS.
SOCOLOV, WHO WAS PRESENT IN COURT AT THE TIME OF MISS COPLON'S CONVICTION HERE, CONFIRMED HER ANNOUNCEMENT.
"I BELIEVE JUDY IS INNOCENT," HE SAID. "I AM CONFIDENT SHE WILL BE VINDICATED BY THE COURTS. WE ARE VERY MUCH IN LOVE."
UNDER TERMS OF MISS COPLON'S BAIL, SHE IS CONFINED TO THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK.
"WE CAN HONEYMOON AS FAR NORTH AS ALBANY," SHE SAID.
MEANTIME, THE BARNARD-EDUCATED BROOKLYN GIRL IS LOOKING FOR A JOB.
"ANYTHING--CLERICAL, WRITING--I'M A PRETTY GOOD WRITER, THEY TELL ME--TYPING, RESEARCH, ANYTHING THAT PAYS," SHE SAID. "I'M PRETTY BUSTED FINANCIALLY."
SHE SAID HER FAMILY "IS VERY HAPPY" ABOUT HER PLANS TO MARRY SOCOLOV.
"HE IS MUCH TALLER THAN I AM, ABOUT FIVE-FOOT-TEN," SHE SAID. "I GUESS YOU CAN CALL HIM VERY GOOD-LOOKING."
A NATIVE OF BROOKLYN, HE IS A GRADUATE OF OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY AND NEW YORK UNIVERSITY LAW SCHOOL. HE WON FIVE COMBAT STARS AS AN ARMY LIEUTENANT IN THE NORMANDY LANDINGS AND BATTLE OF THE BULGE IN EUROPE.
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NEW YORK,MAY 15-(AP)-VICE ADM.RUSSELL S.BERKEY, NAVY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INFORMATION, SAID TODAY THAT ARMS DESTINED FOR NATIONALIST CHINA WERE DELAYED BECAUSE "SOMEBODY SLIPPED UP, BOGGED DOWN, OR WAS INTERFERED WITH."

BERKEY SPOKE AT AN ARMED FORCES DAY PROGRAM OF THE ADVERTISING MEN'S POST OF THE AMERICAN LEGION.

HE SAID THAT TWO YEARS AGO, AFTER CONGRESS PASSED A BILL AUTHORIZING ARMS FOR CHIANG KAI SHEK,"FOR SOME REASON OR OTHER IT TOOK NINE MONTHS TO GET SPECIFIC ITEMS TO CHINA."

"IT HAS NEVER BEEN MADE PLAIN," HE SAID, "WHY THIS MATERIEL DID NOT ARRIVE ON TIME."

IF IT HAD, HE ADDED, HE BELIEVED THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS "WOULD STILL BE NORTH OF THE GREAT WALL."

AT ANOTHER POINT BERKEY SAID WE GAVE THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS "TOO MUCH, NOT TOO LITTLE."

HE SAID THEY GOT "MOUNTAINS OF MATERIEL THEY WERE INCAPABLE OF USING."

"AS LATE AS A YEAR AGO," HE SAID, "THE NATIONALISTS REQUESTED 1,000 AND 2,000-POUND BOMBS, BUT THERE WAS NOT A TARGET IN CHINA THEY COULD BE USED AGAINST."

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B17 SEGC (200)

NEW YORK, MAY 15-(AP)-A FORMER U.S. PRESS ATTACHE IN PRAGUE, FORCED TO LEAVE CZECHOSLOVAKIA, SAYS THE CZECH GOVERNMENT'S CHARGES AGAINST HIM WERE "DISTORTED AND TWISTED."

THE AMERICAN, JOSEPH C.KOLAREK, MADE THE STATEMENT YESTERDAY AS HE ARRIVED HERE BY PLANE WITH HIS WIFE.

THE CHARGES AGAINST HIM WERE ESPIONAGE AND SLANDERING THE CZECHOSLOVAKIAN GOVERNMENT.

THE CZECH GOVERNMENT, HE TOLD NEWSMEN, GAVE "A FALSE PICTURE" OF THE WORK OF THE U.S. INFORMATION SERVICE. HE SAID THE SERVICE MERELY HAD BEEN DOING ITS JOB OF "TELLING THE PEOPLE OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA HOW AMERICA WORKS AND THINKS."

THE CZECH GOVERNMENT SENT A NOTE TO THE U.S. EMBASSY AT PRAGUE APRIL 19 DEMANDING KOLAREK'S WITHDRAWAL "IN A REASONABLE TIME" AND ORDERING THE CLOSING OF THE U.S. INFORMATION SERVICE THERE ON APRIL 22.

DESPITE THE CLOSING OF THE INFORMATION SERVICE, KOLAREK SAID YESTERDAY, "WE STILL HAVE A STRONG WEAPON IN THE VOICE OF AMERICA."

KOLAREK SAID HE AND HIS WIFE WOULD FLY TO WASHINGTON, WHERE HE WOULD CONSULT WITH THE STATE DEPARTMENT ON A POSSIBLE REASSIGNMENT. THE FAMILY HOME IS IN BALTIMORE (2547 FREDERICK AVENUE).

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NEW YORK, MAY 15-(AP)-THE TIMES SAID TODAY THE MAY 13 COMMUNIQUE OF THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF GREAT BRITAIN, FRANCE AND THE UNITED STATES RECOGNIZED THE DANGER OF COMMUNISM IN SOUTHEAST ASIA AND TOOK SOME POSITIVE STEPS TOWARD MEETING IT.

IN AN EDITORIAL, THE PAPER SAID ALTHOUGH NO DETAILED PLAN OF ACTION WAS GIVEN, "THERE WAS A SUBSTANTIAL AREA OF AGREEMENT" BETWEEN THE MINISTERS ON GENERAL POLICY."

THE TIMES SAID THE THREE WESTERN POWERS WILL ENCOURAGE AND SUPPORT THE NEWLY INDEPENDENT STATES IN THE REGION.

"THIS OBVIOUSLY REFERS TO BURMA, INDONESIA AND THE PHILIPPINES AND CERTAINLY, IN THE FRENCH VIEW, WOULD EXTEND ALSO TO THE BAO DAI GOVERNMENT IN INDO-CHINA AND THE NEW STATES OF LAOS AND CAMBODIA."

THE PAPER NOTED ALSO THE AGREEMENTS FOR REGIONAL COLLABORATION, INTERCHANGE OF INFORMATION, AND ATTEMPTS TO PREVENT ILLEGAL DISTRIBUTION OF WEAPONS AND INTENSIFY ANTI-COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA IN THE AREA.

WHILE THESE STEPS ARE GENERAL, SAID THE TIMES, "UPON THEM MUCH CAN BE BUILT," ALTHOUGH "THERE IS MUCH BUILDING TO DO."

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NIGHT LEAD COMMUNISTS (240)

NEW YORK, MAY 15-(AP)-THE CONVICTED COMMUNIST LEADERS AND THEIR LAWYERS LOST TWO COURT ACTIONS TODAY.

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A FEDERAL JUDGE DENIED THE PLEA OF 10 OF THE COMMUNISTS, CONVICTED OF CONSPIRACY, THAT THEY BE ALLOWED TO TOUR THE COUNTRY TO RAISE MONEY.

THE U.S. COURT OF APPEALS TURNED DOWN THE REQUEST OF ONE DEFENDANT AND FIVE LAWYERS WHO DEFENDED THE COMMUNISTS FOR A REHEARING ON CONTEMPT OF COURT SENTENCES.

PERMISSION TO TOUR THE COUNTRY, TO GET FUNDS FOR APPEALS, WAS SOUGHT BY ALL THE COMMUNIST LEADERS EXCEPT EUGENE DENNIS, PARTY GENERAL SECRETARY.

HE WITHDREW A SIMILAR PLEA AFTER HE WAS COMMITTED TO PRISON BY A WASHINGTON, D.C., COURT FOR CONTEMPT OF THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES FEDERAL

WASHINGTON, D.C., COURT FOR CONTEMPT OF THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE.

FEDERAL JUDGE HENRY W.GODDARD RULED THAT HE COULD NOT GRANT PERMISSION TO THE COMMUNISTS TO GO ABOUT THE COUNTRY AND "CARRY ON ACTIVITIES SIMILAR TO THOSE CONDEMNED BY THE JURY" WHICH CONVICTED THEM.

IN THE COURT OF APPEALS, JUDGES AUGUSTUS N.HAND, CHARLES E.CLARK AND JEROME N.FRANK REFUSED TO RE-HEAR THE CONTEMPT SENTENCES AGAINST THE LAWYERS.

THEY ARE DENNIS, WHO ACTED AS HIS OWN ATTORNEY, HARRY SACHER, RICHARD GLADSTEIN, ABRAHAM J.ISSERMAN, GEORGE W.CROCKETT,JR., AND LOUIS F.MCCABE.

JUDGE HAROLD R.MEDINA, AT THE END OF THE CONSPIRACY TRIAL, SENTENCED DENNIS, SACHER AND GLADSTEIN TO SIX MONTHS, ISSERMAN AND CROCKETT TO FOUR MONTHS AND MCCABE TO 30 DAYS FOR CONTEMPT DURING THE LENGTHY TRIAL.

THE COURT OF APPEALS GAVE THE LAWYERS A STAY OF EXECUTION OF THE CONTEMPT SENTENCES UNTIL THE SUPREME COURT DECIDES WHETHER IT WILL REVIEW THEM.

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(DALLAS ASKED)

U.N.--WOMEN

LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 15-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN IS ABOUT READY TO GIVE ITS FINAL APPROVAL TO A WORLDWIDE INQUIRY INTO THE PROPERTY RIGHTS OF MARRIED WOMEN.

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WHAT THE ALL-WOMAN COMMISSION WANTS TO KNOW IS HOW MUCH DISCRIMINATION THERE IS AND WHERE IT IS. AT ITS SESSION IN BEIRUT, LEBANON, LAST YEAR THE COMMISSION DECIDED TO HAVE THE U.N. SECRETARIAT DRAFT A DETAILED QUESTIONNAIRE ON THIS SUBJECT.

WHEN THE QUESTIONNAIRE FINALLY TURNED UP AT THIS SESSION, SOME OF THE DELEGATES SHUDDERED AT ITS LENGTH. AMONG THESE WERE BRITISH DELEGATE MARY SUTHERLANDS AND MRS.OLIVE REMINGTON GOLDMAN OF THE UNITED STATES. THEY CONTENDED IT WOULD ANNOY AND IRRITATE GOVERNMENTS.

OTHER DELEGATES ARGUED THAT ALL THE 22 PAGES OF QUESTIONS DEALT WITH SUBJECTS OF INTEREST TO THE COMMISSION. THEY OPPOSED ANY CHANGES.

THEN A COMPROMISE PROPOSAL WAS ADVANCED. WHY NOT ASK GOVERNMENTS TO ANSWER ONLY THOSE QUESTIONS WHICH WOULD SHOW DISCRIMINATION AGAINST WOMEN?

THAT'S THE WAY THE QUESTION STOOD LAST WEEK WHEN IT WAS SENT TO THE SUB-COMMITTEE ON QUESTIONNAIRES, HEADED BY INDIAN DELEGATE HANNAH SEN. THE SUB-COMMITTEE WAS TOLD TO RECOMMEND WHAT SHOULD BE DONE. A REPORT WAS EXPECTED FRIDAY BUT WAS POSTPONED UNTIL TODAY.

THIS IS THE SECOND WEEK OF THE COMMISSION'S 1950 SESSION.

IT STILL HAS SEVERAL IMPORTANT QUESTIONS TO DISCUSS, INCLUDING WHAT TO DO ABOUT ALLEGED DISCRIMINATION AGAINST WOMEN IN THE U.N. SECRETARIAT. GREECE HAS SUBMITTED A RESOLUTION CALLING ON SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE TO FILL TOP U.N. POSTS WITHOUT DISCRIMINATION.

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THE WOMEN ALSO WILL DISCUSS THE PART WOMEN CAN PLAY IN THE PROPOSED TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM TO AID BACKWARD AREAS.

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NIGHT LEAD U.N.--WOMEN (DALLAS ASKED)

LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 15-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS WAS ASKED TODAY TO GIVE WOMEN AN EVEN BREAK IN THE PROPOSED PROGRAMS FOR TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE TO BACKWARD AREAS.

THIS REQUEST WAS LAID BEFORE THE U.N. COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN BY MISS RUTH TOMLINSON, REPRESENTATIVE OF THE INTERNATIONAL FEDERATION OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL WOMEN.

MISS TOMLINSON REFERRED PARTICULARLY TO THE PROGRAM OF INTERNATIONAL FELLOWSHIPS SPONSORED BY THE U.N. AND ITS SPECIALIZED AGENCIES, AS WELL AS INTERNATIONAL FELLOWSHIPS OFFERED BY INDIVIDUAL NATIONS.

THESE FELLOWSHIPS, SHE SAID, "SHOULD BE DISTRIBUTED ON THE MERIT SYSTEM, WITHOUT DISCRIMINATION AS TO SEX."

"THIS IS AN UNIQUE OPPORTUNITY," MISS TOMLINSON SAID, "FOR GIVING MEN AND WOMEN EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES AS TO VOCATIONAL GUIDANCE, TRAINING, EDUCATION ACCESS TO POSITIONS IN ALL FIELDS OF ECONOMIC, SOCIAL, EDUCATIONAL AND PUBLIC LIFE, AND THIS SHOULD BE STRESSED IN THE PROGRAMS OF TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE."

MISS TOMLINSON SPOKE DURING DEBATE ON EQUAL EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES FOR MEN AND WOMEN. SHE URGED THE COMMISSION TO SEE THAT VOCATIONAL GUIDANCE FOR WOMEN SHOULD NOT PLACE TOO MUCH EMPHASIS ON TRADITION.

"THERE IS A DANGER," SHE SAID, "THAT VOCATIONAL GUIDANCE MAY BE TOO CONSERVATIVELY OPERATED, SO THAT WOMEN ARE 'GUIDED' INTO THE MORE TRADITIONAL OCCUPATIONS."

SHE ADDED:

"ENCOURAGEMENT SHOULD BE GIVEN TO GIRLS TO CHOOSE THEIR BUSINESS OR PROFESSION NOT ONLY WITHIN THE TRADITIONAL FIELDS OF WOMEN'S WORK, BUT IN OCCUPATIONS GIVING SCOPE TO THEIR QUALIFICATIONS, INTEREST AND LEADERSHIP."

MRS.OLIVE REMINGTON GOLDMAN, U.S. DELEGATE, TOLD THE COMMISSION ABOUT A RECENT STUDY BY THE U.S.GOVERNMENT OF WOMEN'S OPPORTUNITIES FOR HIGH LEVEL POSITIONS IN DEPARTMENT STORES, BANKS, INSURANCE COMPANIES AND SELECTED MANUFACTURING COMPANIES. THIS STUDY, SHE SAID, HIGHLIGHTS THE IMPORTANCE OF "IN-SERVICE TRAINING."

"THE EFFECTIVENESS OF IN-SERVICE TRAINING FOR WOMEN IS ILLUSTRATED BY THE EXPERIENCE OF DEPARTMENT STORES," SHE SAID. "THERE ARE NOW, I BELIEVE, AS MANY WOMEN AS MEN IN EXECUTIVE JOBS, INDICATING THAT IN-SERVICE TRAINING IN THIS FIELD IS FINDING THE RIGHT PERSON FOR THE JOB REGARDLESS OF SEX."

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LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 15-(AP)-ACTING SECRETARY-GENERAL BYRON PRICE RECEIVED TODAY MESSAGES FROM RED CHINA DEMANDING THAT FOUR UNITED NATIONS SPECIALIZED AGENCIES KICK OUT NATIONALIST CHINA. PRICE IMMEDIATELY TRANSMITTED THE DEMANDS TO THE AGENCIES.

THE SOVIET UNION HAS WALKED OUT OF OR BOYCOTTED 26 U.N. ORGANIZATIONS BECAUSE IT INSISTS THAT COMMUNIST CHINA BE SEATED IN THE U.N. IN PLACE OF NATIONALIST CHINA. THE MESSAGES RECEIVED TODAY WERE THE FIRST FROM RED CHINA HITTING AT THE NATIONALISTS IN THE SPECIALIZED AGENCIES.

THE AGENCIES CONCERNED ARE THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION(WHO), FROM WHICH NATIONALIST CHINA WITHDREW LAST WEEK AFTER FAILING TO PAY HER DUES; THE UNITED NATIONS EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL ORGANIZATION (UNESCO); THE UNITED NATIONS FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION (FAO) AND THE WORLD METEOROLOGICAL ORGANIZATION.

RUSSIA LAST YEAR SERVED NOTICE SHE WAS LEAVING THE WHO. SHE DOES NOT BELONG TO FAO AND UNESCO. SHE HAS RATIFIED THE AGREEMENT ON THE WORLD METEOROLOGICAL ORGANIZATION BUT IT IS NOT YET FUNCTIONING.

EACH SPECIALIZED AGENCY HAS THE AUTHORITY TO SETTLE ITS OWN MEMBERSHIP. THEY ARE ALLIED TO THE U.N. AND GENERALLY FOLLOW THE POLICIES OF THE U.N. SO INDICATIONS ARE NOTHING WILL BE DONE IN THE AGENCIES ON THE CHINESE REPRESENTATION ISSUE UNTIL THE U.N. SETTLES IT.

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LAKE SUCCESS,MAY 15-(AP)-NATIONALIST CHINA HAS DROPPED FIVE MEMBERS OF ITS PERMANENT DELEGATION TO THE UNITED NATIONS TO SAVE MONEY, ITS CHIEF U.N. DELEGATE, T.F.TSIANG, SAID TODAY. A SIXTH RESIGNED LAST MONTH RATHER THAN OBEY ORDERS TO GO TO FORMOSA.

THESE CHANGES IN THE NATIONALIST CHINESE DELEGATION BECAME KNOWN AS THE SOVIET UNION RAN TO 26 ITS WALKOUT-STRIKES AGAINST U.N. ORGANS OVER THE ISSUE OF CHINESE REPRESENTATION.

IN MONTEVIDEO,URUGUAY, THE SOVIET REPRESENTATIVE WALKED OUT OF THE U.N. SUB-COMMISSION ON FREEDOM OF INFORMATION AND OF THE PRESS BECAUSE THE NATIONALIST CHINESE REMAINED IN THE MEETING.

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LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 15-(AP)-EXPECTANT MOTHERS IN POLYKASTRON, GREECE, WOULD NOT TOUCH POWDERED MILK WHEN IT FIRST WAS BROUGHT TO THEIR VILLAGE. FINALLY AGENTS OF THE UNITED NATIONS INTERNATIONAL CHILDREN'S EMERGENCY FUND PERSUADED THEM TO USE IT BY SAYING IT HAD SPECIAL INGREDIENTS.

LATER THE FIRST TWO WOMEN WHO USED POWDERED MILK GAVE BIRTH TO TWINS ON THE SAME DAY. THE TWINS WERE HE FIRST BORN IN POLYKASTRON IN 10 YEARS.

NOW THE EXPECTANT MOTHERS OF POLYKASTRON WON'T TOUCH POWDERED MILK. AND THIS TIME THE ICEF AGENTS ARE TRYING TO PERSUADE THEM THAT TWINS AND POWDERED MILK ARE NOT RELATED.

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TAIPEI, MAY 15-(AP)-LIKE AMERICAN ENLISTED MEN, CHINESE NATIONALIST SOLDIERS HAVE BEEN CALLED GIS.

BUT NO MORE.

TROOPS ON CHUSHAN ISLAND, EXPECTING CHINESE COMMUNIST INVASION, MET TODAY AND DECIDED THEY WILL BE KNOWN AS "FRIENDLY WARRIORS."

THAT DESIGNATION, THEY SAID, WOULD "ELEVATE THE POSITION OF ARMY MEN," WHO HAVE NEVER BEEN HELD IN HIGH ESTEEM IN CHINA.

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NIGHT LEAD ATLANTIC PACT (580)

LONDON,MAY 17-(AP)-A DEFENSE CONCEPT WHICH WOULD PLACE THE WESTERN WORLD'S ECONOMIC AND MILITARY AFFAIRS UNDER A SUPREME CIVILIAN CHIEF IS BEING ADVANCED BEHIND LOCKED DOORS OF THE LONDON ATLANTIC PACT MEETING.

BECAUSE OF THE UNITED STATES' ECONOMIC STRENGTH AND ITS GREATER CONTRIBUTION IN ARMS, IT IS EXPECTED THAT--IF THE PLAN IS APPROVED--THE SUPREME CHIEF WILL BE AN AMERICAN.

A DECISION ON THE CHOICE OF SUCH A CHIEF AND A STAFF OF ADVISERS WAS ENVISIONED AS A POSSIBLE OUTCOME OF THE PRESENT CONFERENCE OF THE ATLANTIC PACT MINISTERS.

THIS CHIEF AND HIS STAFF WOULD TAKE CHARGE OF THE ECONOMIC AND MILITARY BUILDUP OF THE 12 ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS. HIS MAIN JOB WOULD BE THE BOLSTERING OF WEST EUROPE'S DEFENSES. IT IS UNDERSTOOD THE UNITED STATES WOULD LIKE TO SEE THE BASIS OF THE PACT BROADENED TO INCLUDE WEST GERMANY'S ECONOMIC POWER.

THE DEFENSE CHIEF, WITH A YEAR AROUND DEFENSE COMMITTEE, WOULD FUNCTION IN SOMEWHAT THE MANNER SUPREME HEADQUARTERS DID DURING THE WAR EXCEPT, BEING CIVILIAN AND IN PEACE TIME, IT PROBABLY WOULD NOT HAVE THE SAME ABSOLUTE AUTHORITY.

THE OLD CONCEPT OF DEFENSE WAS BASED ON THE PRINCIPLE THAT WESTERN EUROPE WOULD BE A THIRD BALANCE FORCE BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND THE COMMUNIST WORLD.

THE NEW CONCEPT IS THAT THERE CAN BE NO THIRD FORCE, ONLY A SINGLE WESTERN DEFENSE AGAINST RUSSIA. THIS CONCEPT LINKS WESTERN EUROPE AND THE WESTERN HEMISPHERE IN ONE CAMP.

THE PLANS PLACE THE MAIN EMPHASIS ON BUILDING UP EUROPE WHILE HOLDING GROUND IN ASIA.

REGARDING THE CIVILIAN CHIEF'S JOB, IT IS AN AMERICAN VIEW THAT EACH FEW MONTHS RUSSIA DRAWS FARTHER AWAY FROM THE WEST THROUGH HER VAST REARMAMENT PROGRAM AND IT IS NECESSARY TO SPEED UP WESTERN REARMAMENT TO WIPE OUT THIS GAP.

THE PRESENT ATLANTIC PACT MACHINERY IS MAKING LITTLE PROGRESS TOWARD REARMAMENT AND THE AMERICANS FEEL A STEADY EFFORT IS NECESSARY UNDER ONE DIRECTION.

THE SUPREME DEFENSE CHIEF WOULD BE CONCERNED WITH COORDINATING ECONOMIC MATTERS WITH REARMAMENT MOVES.

IT IS EXPECTED THAT A COORDINATING BODY WITH A DEFENSE CHIEF WILL EMERGE FROM THE PRESENT MEETING, BUT HOW MUCH POWER THE MEMBER NATIONS WILL BE WILLING TO GRANT HIM REMAINS IN QUESTION.

IT IS NOT CONSIDERED WISE TO USE GERMAN MANPOWER IN ANY OF THE PRESENT MILITARY ARRANGEMENTS FOR WEST EUROPE. WHEN WEST GERMANY IS ECONOMICALLY AND DIPLOMATICALLY INTEGRATED WITH WEST EUROPE, IT IS CONSIDERED STEPS MUST BE TAKEN FOR HER SECURITY AND WEST GERMANY WOULD HAVE TO MAKE A CONTRIBUTION TO THE DEFENSE PLAN.

THE DEFENSE OF WEST EUROPE UNDER THE PLANS PUT FORTH IS THAT EACH COUNTRY SHOULD CONTRIBUTE WHAT IT IS BEST ABLE TO AFFORD, WITH THE SUPREME DEFENSE GROUP DECIDING WHAT EACH SHOULD GIVE IN THE WAY OF ARMS AND HOW MUCH.

THE FOREIGN MINISTERS FAILED TODAY TO AGREE ON PROGRAMS TO REARM AND PAY FOR THE ARMAMENT, BUT ANNOUNCED DISCUSSION OF THESE MATTERS "AND OF THE ACTION TO BE TAKEN IN REGARD TO THEM WILL BE CONTINUED TOMORROW."

PLANS DRAWN UP BY THE GENERALS AND DEFENSE MINISTERS ARE REPORTED TO CALL FOR 10 ARMORED AND 20 INFANTRY DIVISIONS, BACKED BY AMERICAN AND BRITISH AIR AND SEA POWER. THE COST IS ESTIMATED AT NEARLY $2,500,000,000, EXCLUSIVE OF UPKEEP.

FINANCE MINISTERS OF PACT COUNTRIES HAVE CONTENDED THAT RECOVERY WOULD BE WRECKED BY FINANCING SUCH AN ARMY.

U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON, PRESIDENT OF THE FOREIGN MINISTERS' COUNCIL, IS KNOWN TO FEEL BOTH ADEQUATE DEFENSE AND ECONOMIC RECOVERY CAN BE ACHIEVED. HE IS SAID TO BE URGING SPEEDY MEASURES TO ACCOMPLISH BOTH.

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FIRST LEAD ATLANTIC PACT
BY GLENN WILLIAMS

LONDON, MAY 16-(AP)-THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE 12 ATLANTIC TREATY ALLIES TODAY DISCUSSED REARMAMENT AND HOW TO PAY FOR IT, BUT DID NOT REACH AGREEMENT. THE DISCUSSIONS WILL BE CONTINUED TOMORROW, A COMMUNIQUE SAID.

THE MINISTERS CONSIDERED A PROGRAM DRAWN UP BY THEIR GENERALS AND DEFENSE MINISTERS. IT IS REPORTED TO CALL FOR LAND FORCES OF 30 DIVISIONS, BACKED BY BRITISH AND AMERICAN SEA AND AIR POWER.

THE FINANCE MINISTERS OF THE ATLANTIC NATIONS HAD DISSENTED FROM THIS PROGRAM, SAYING THEIR COUNTRIES WOULD BE UNABLE TO FINANCE IT WITHOUT WRECKING THEIR RECOVERY.

U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON IS KNOWN TO HOLD THE VIEW THAT BOTH AN ADEQUATE DEFENSE AND ECONOMIC RECOVERY CAN BE ACHIEVED, AND TO BE URGING SPEEDY MEASURES TO ACCOMPLISH BOTH.

THE BRIEF COMMUNIQUE SAID (TEXT):

"THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY COUNCIL MET AGAIN THIS AFTERNOON AT LANCASTER HOUSE.

"THE FOREIGN MINISTERS CONSIDERED REPORTS FROM THE DEFENSE COMMITTEE AND THE DEFENSE, FINANCIAL AND ECONOMIC COMMITTEE.

"DISCUSSIONS OF THESE REPORTS AND OF THE ACTION TO BE TAKEN IN REGARD TO THEM WILL BE CONTINUED TOMORROW MORNING." (END TEXT).

THE RISK OF A DEPRESSION IF TOO MUCH IS SPENT ON DEFENSE LIES BEFORE THE ATLANTIC MINISTERS.

THE FATEFUL QUESTIONS WHOSE ANSWERS MAY MEAN THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN WAR AND PEACE BOIL DOWN TO THESE:

HOW MANY GUNS MUST THE WEST MUSTER TO BE CONFIDENT OF KNOCKING BACK ANY RUSSIAN AGGRESSION WHICH THEY FEAR MAY COME?

IF THEY BUILD AND PAY FOR A SAFE NUMBER OF GUNS, WILL THE GUN-MAKING BRING ON ECONOMIC MISERY WHICH COMMUNISM CAN USE TO CAPTURE THE ALLIES ONE AT A TIME FROM WITHIN?

COMMITTEES OF EXPERTS MEET TODAY TO WRITE RESOLUTIONS ATTEMPTING TO ANSWER BOTH THESE QUESTIONS SAFELY AND TRANSLATE THEIR ANSWERE INTO A PLAN OF ACTION.

LATER TODAY THE FOREIGN MINISTERS, WITH U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON PRESIDING, WILL TAKE UP THE RESOLUTIONS. TWO OR THREE SESSIONS STRETCHING THROUGH WEDNESDAY PROBABLY WILL BE NEEDED TO IRON OUT CONFLICTING VIEWS AND TO DECIDE ON A COURSE OF ACTION.

THE ATLANTIC ALLIES ALREADY HAVE TWO SUGGESTED PLANS SUMMARIZING THEIR DILEMMA.

THEIR GENERALS AND DEFENSE MINISTERS, MEETING LAST MONTH, LAID PLANS FOR LARGE-SCALE REARMAMENT WHICH DIPLOMATIC FORCES SAY INCLUDES A TOTAL GROUND FORCE OF 30 DIVISIONS BACKED BY BRITISH AND AMERICAN AIR POWER.

THE FINANCE MINISTERS AT THE SAME TIME CONTENDED THEIR ECONOMIES COULD NOT STAND SUCH DRAINS ON MANPOWER, MATERIALS AND MONEY.

YESTERDAY THE MINISTERS TOOK INVENTORY OF HOW RUSSIAN EXPANSION

HAS AFFECTED THEIR COUNTRIES AND OF THE PROGRESS MADE IN MEETING THAT EXPANSION SINCE THE SIGNING OF THE ATLANTIC PACT 13 MONTHS AGO.

THE MINISTERS WERE UNDERSTOOD TO BE GENERALLY AGREED THAT QUICK ACTION WAS NECESSARY TO BOLSTER BOTH THE ARMED FORCES AND THEIR NATIONAL ECONOMIES BUT THERE WERE DIFFERENCES OVER DETAILS.

MEMBERS OF THE ALLIANCE ARE THE UNITED STATES, CANADA, GREAT BRITAIN, FRANCE, ITALY, HOLLAND, BELGIUM, LUXEMBOURG, NORWAY, DENMARK, PORTUGAL AND ICELAND.

THE UNITED STATES, PRESSED IN SOME QUARTERS AT HOME TO CUT MILITARY EXPENSES, MAY BE ASKED TO INCREASE THEM ABROAD. SEVERAL NATIONS, INCLUDING FRANCE, APPEAR TO FEEL THEY ARE IN NO POSITION TO INCREASE THEIR OWN ARMS BUDGETS WITHOUT ENDANGERING THEIR GOVERNMENTS.

MANY IN THE U.S.DELEGATION HERE FEEL THAT EUROPE, HOWEVER, MUST MAKE SOME FINANCIAL SACRIFICES FOR MUTUAL DEFENSE.

AT PRESENT THE UNITED STATES DEVOTES ABOUT A THIRD OF ITS TOTAL BUDGET EXPENDITURE TO DEFENSE. HARD-PRESSED BRITAIN, WITH ONE OF THE HIGHEST DEFENSE BUDGETS IN WESTERN EUROPE, SPENDS UNDER A FOURTH OF HER TOTAL BUDGET FOR DEFENSE.

MILITARY MEN ESTIMATE THAT DURING THE WAR IT TOOK ABOUT $100,000,000 TO EQUIP AN ARMORED DIVISION WITH PRIMARY EQUIPMENT, AND FROM HALF TO THREE QUARTERS OF THIS AMOUNT TO EQUIP AN INFANTRY DIVISION. THESE COSTS ARE MUCH HIGHER NOW AND THE LOWEST ESTIMATE FOR THE DEFENSE OF EUROPE IS REPORTED TO BE 10 ARMORED AND 20 INFANTRY DIVISIONS.

THUS, GROUND FORCES ALONE WOULD COST NEARLY $2,500,000,000, EXCLUSIVE OF UPKEEP WHICH IS A BIG ITEM. SOME EUROPEAN NATIONS HAVE EXPRESSED DOUBT THEY COULD MAINTAIN SUCH HEAVY STANDING FORCES, EVEN IF THEY ALREADY HAD THE PRIMARY WEAPONS.

SOME NATIONS HAVE MANPOWER SHORTAGES FOR DEFENSE. BRITAIN, FOR INSTANCE, IS MAKING FULL USE OF HER MANPOWER IN HER RECOVERY DRIVE. TO DIVERT THESE MEN INTO THE SERVICES WOULD ULTIMATELY MEAN A GREATER BRITISH DOLLAR SHORTAGE.

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ATLANTIC COUNCIL (220)

LONDON, MAY 16-(AP)-A CIVILIAN DEFENSE CHIEF FOR THE WESTERN WORLD WAS ADVANCED TODAY AS ONE POSSIBLE OUTCOME OF THE CURRENT ATLANTIC PACT CONFERENCE HERE.

SUCH A CHIEF, WITH A STAFF OF ADVISERS, WOULD TAKE OVERALL CHARGE OF BUILDING UP THE 12 ATLANTIC ALLIANCE NATIONS MILITARILY AND ECONOMICALLY. HIS MAIN JOB WOULD BE TO SPEED EUROPE'S DEFENSES. WITH A YEAR-ROUND DEFENSE COMMITTEE, HE WOULD FUNCTION IN SOMEWHAT THE SAME MANNER AS GEN.EISENHOWER'S SUPREME HEADQUARTERS DID DURING THE WAR, EXCEPT THAT IN PEACETIME, UNDER A CIVILIAN CHIEF, HEADQUARTERS PROBABLY WOULD NOT HAVE SUCH ABSOLUTE AUTHORITY.

THIS CONCEPT WOULD SUPPLANT THE ONE BASED ON THE PRINCIPLE THAT WESTERN EUROPE CAN BE A THIRD FORCE BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND THE COMMUNIST WORLD. THE NEW CONCEPT NOW BEING ADVANCED BEHIND THE LOCKED DOORS OF THE ATLANTIC CONFERENCE IS THAT THERE CAN BE NO THIRD FORCE--ONLY A SINGLE WESTERN DEFENSE AGAINST THE SOVIET UNION.

THE DEFENSE PLANS UNDER DISCUSSION PLACE THE MAIN EMPHASIS ON BUILDING UP EUROPE WHILE HOLDING GROUND IN ASIA. THIS STRATEGY IS THE SAME AS THAT USED IN WORLD WAR II.

THE PRESENT ATLANTIC PACT MACHINERY IS MAKING LITTLE PROGRESS TOWARD REARMAMENT AND THE AMERICANS FEEL A ROUND-THE-CLOCK EFFORT IS NEEDED UNDER A SINGLE DIRECTION. BECAUSE OF THE U.S. ECONOMIC STRENGTH AND HER HEAVY CONTRIBUTION IN ARMS, IT WOULD BE EXPECTED THAT SUCH A SUPREME CHIEF WOULD BE AN AMERICAN.

IT IS ALSO UNDERSTOOD THE U.S. WOULD LIKE TO SEE THE BASIS OF THE ATLANTIC TREATY BROADENED TO INCLUDE WESTERN GERMANY'S ECONOMIC STRENGTH.

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WITH PACT BUDGET

LONDON, MAY 16-(AP)-SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON CONFERRED TODAY WITH HIGH BRITISH AND CANADIAN OFFICIALS ON ECONOMIC ANGLES OF THE COLD WAR.

HE MET PRIME MINISTER CLEMENT ATTLEE, FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN AND CANADIAN FOREIGN MINISTER LESTER PEARSON AT BEVIN'S APARTMENT THIS MORNING.

THE MEETING WAS PRIVATE. BUT PEARSON WAS BELIEVED TO HAVE RAISED RATHER INSISTENTLY HIS VIEW THAT SOME NEW ORGANIZATION FOR ECONOMIC COOPERATION MUST BE PREPARED TO CARRY ON AFTER THE MARSHALL PLAN EXPIRES IN 1952.

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B84 (Q)

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LONDON, MAY 16-(AP)-SAMUEL REBER, U.S. REPRESENTATIVE IN THE DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTERS' TALK ON AUSTRAIA, SOON WILL BECOME TOP AMERICAN POLITICAL ADVISER IN GERMANY, AUTHORITATIVE SOURCES SAID TODAY.

THE INFORMANTS SAID REBER WOULD REPLACE JAMES RIDDLEBERGER ON THE STAFF OF HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN MCCLOY SOME TIME IN JUNE. RIDDLEBERGER WILL RECEIVE A NEW ASSIGNMENT, THE SOURCES SAID.

REBER IS EXPECTED TO GO TO GERMANY NEXT WEEK, BUT RIDDLEBERGER IS NOT EXPECTED TO LEAVE UNTIL SOME TIME IN JUNE.

REBER HAS BEEN ONE OF THE TOP STATE DEPARTMENT TROUBLE SHOOTERS, BOTH DURING AND AFTER THE WAR. HE HAS BEEN REPRESENTING THE UNITED STATES IN THE LONG AND FRUITLESS FOUR-POWER DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTERS' CONFERENCES ON AN AUSTRIAN TREATY OF INDEPENDENCE.

THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF BRITAIN, FRANCE AND THE UNITED STATES, MEANWHILE, ARE EXPECTED TO MEET THURSDAY ON THE AUSTRIAN SITUATION, AND TO TAKE STEPS TO REPLACE WESTERN MILITARY GOVERNORS IN AUSTRIA WITH CIVILIAN HIGH COMMISSIONERS SIMILAR TO THOSE IN GERMANY.

THE UNITED STATES HAS BEEN PRESSING BRITAIN AND FRANCE TO RELIEVE THE OCCUPATION BURDEN ON THE AUSTRIANS BY HAVING WESTERN ARMED FORCES PAY THEIR WAY IN THE SAME MANNER AS U.S. FORCES AVE BEEN DOING. NO AGREEMENT HAS YET BEEN REACHED ON THIS POINT! BUT THE MINISTERS WERE REPORTED VIRTUALLY AGREED ON CHANGING THE TOP OCCUPATION CHIEFS FROM MILITARY TO CIVILIAN STATUS.

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A133

FIRST LEAD RUSSIAN FRENCH (170)

LONDON, WEDNESDAY, MAY 17-(AP)-RUSSIA HAS ASKED FRANCE TO LET HER REOPEN HER REPATRIATION MISSION IN PARIS WHICH THE FRENCH CLOSED IN 1947. IT WAS SHUT ON GROUNDS THAT IT WAS THE CENTER OF SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES.

THE SOVIET REQUEST WAS MADE IN A NOTE REPORTED BY TASS IN A MOSCOW DISPATCH DISTRIBUTED IN LONDON.

TASS SAID THE NOTE ACCUSED FRANCE OF KEEPING SOVIET CITIZENS FROM GOING HOME FROM FRANCE AND FROM THE FRENCH ZONES OF GERMANY AND AUSTRIA. IT SAID THIS VIOLATED THE REPATRIATION AGREEMENTS OF JUNE

29, 1945.
IT SAID THAT WHILE ALL FRENCH CITIZENS IN THE SOVIET UNION HAVE BEEN REPATRIATED, 20,000 SOVIET CITIZENS ARE STILL IN FRANCE.
"BY VIRTUE OF WHICH," THE NOTE ADDED, "THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT DEEMS IT NECESSARY TO REESTABLISH THE SOVIET REPATRIATION MISSION IN PARIS."
SOVIET DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER BOGOMOLOV HANDED THE NOTE TO THE FRENCH AMBASSADOR IN MOSCOW MONDAY, TASS SAID.
IN IT RUSSIA REJECTED A FRENCH PROPOSAL FOR A NEW REPATRIATIONS CONFERENCE ON THE GROUNDS THAT REPATRIATION MATTERS MAY BE FULLY SETTLED ON THE BASIS OF THE EXISTING AGREEMENT.
SHE ALSO TURNED DOWN A FRENCH REQUEST FOR MORE DETAILS ABOUT THE ALLEGED WAR CRIMINALS WHOM RUSSIA HAS DEMANDED FRANCE TURN OVER.

TASS SAID THE NOTE FOLLOWED A FRENCH REPLY TO A SOVIET MEMORANDUM OF NOV. 28, 1949 DEMANDING THE REPATRIATION OF DISPLACED SOVIET CITIZENS AND THE EXTRADITION OF WAR CRIMINALS.
"THE FACTS," TASS SAID, "SHOW THAT THE FRENCH AUTHORITIES ARE DEPRIVING SOVIET CITIZENS SUBJECT TO REPATRIATION OF THE POSSIBILITY OF LEAVING FOR HOME AND THAT THEY ARE RESORTING TO VARIOUS UNLAWFUL ACTIONS WITH THAT OBJECT IN VIEW.
"THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT CANNOT REGARD THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT'S REPLY AS SATISFACTORY AND EXPECTS THAT THE FRENCH AUTHORITIES WILL TAKE EFFECTIVE MEASURES WITH REGARD TO QUESTIONS PUT FORWARD BY THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF THE U.S.S.R. IN ITS MEMORANDUM OF NOV. 28, 1949."
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B59 Q
LONDON, MAY 16-(AP)-EX-KING PETER OF YUGOSLAVIA WAS REPORTED TODAY TO BE PLANNING TO SETTLE DOWN IN BRITAIN.
WHEN HE FLEW IN HERE FROM PARIS LAST NIGHT, HIS SECRETARY SAID HE HAD COME OVER TO GO HOUSE HUNTING IN NEARBY BUCKINGHAMSHIRE.
PETER, 26, HAS BEEN WANDERING AROUND SINCE YUGOSLAVIA WAS PROCLAIMED A COMMUNIST-LED REPUBLIC IN NOVEMBER, 1945. LATELY HE HAS SPENT MOST OF HIS TIME IN PARIS.
HE AND FORMER QUEEN ALEXANDRA HAVE A FOUR-YEAR-OLD SON, ALEXANDER.
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B36 Q
LONDON, MAY 16-(AP)-EXPERTS OF THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH NATIONS DEVOTED THEIR ATTENTION TODAY TO JAPAN'S PROSPECTIVE PLACE IN THE ECONOMY OF THE FAR EAST.
THE COMMONWEALTH NEGOTIATORS ARE STRIVING TO HARMONIZE THEIR VIEWS ON THE JAPANESE PEACE TREATY. THEY ARE EXPECTED TO FINISH THEIR SESSIONS THIS WEEK.
THE REPORTS OF THE VARIOUS EXPERTS WILL BE PRESENTED TO THE COMMONWEALTH HIGH COMMISSIONERS IN LONDON. THEY IN TURN WILL PASS THE REPORTS, WITH THEIR OWN RECOMMENDATIONS, TO THEIR RESPECTIVE GOVERNMENTS.

A89
LONDON,MAY 16-(AP)-BRITAIN'S "MR.AUSTERITY"--SIR STAFFORD CRIPPS--TOLD THE HOUSE OF COMMONS TONIGHT HE COULD THINK OF GOOD REASONS FOR REPEALING EVERY TAX LAW ON THE BOOKS.
"NOBODY LIKES TAXES," HE SAID DURING A DEBATE ON THE BUDGET, "THEY'RE A HARSH NECESSITY OF CIVILIZATION, THAT'S ALL."
THE CONSERVATIVE OPPOSITION DID NOT CHALLENGE THIS SECOND READING OF THE CONTROVERSIAL BUDGET, BUT SAID THEY WOULD FIGHT IT WHEN IT REACHES COMMITTEE.
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A12
LONDON, MAY 16-(AP)-YUGOSLAVIA CHARGED TODAY THAT CZECHOSLOVAK POLICE TORTURED A YUGOSLAV CITIZEN TO DEATH APRIL 28.
A YUGOSLAV NOTE OF PROTEST TO THE CZECH FOREIGN MINISTRY WAS BROADCAST BY TANJUG, THE OFFICIAL YUGOSLAV NEWS AGENCY. IT DEMANDED THAT CZECHOSLOVAKIA PUNISH THOSE RESPONSIBLE.
THE NOTE SAID DIMITRIJE DIMITRIJEVIC, PRESIDENT OF THE PEOPLE'S FRONT OF YUGOSLAVIA, WAS ARRESTED FOUR MONTHS AGO AND "SUCCUMBED TO TORTURES ON APRIL 28 THIS YEAR" IN A CZECH PRISON.
IT DEMANDED A DEATH CERTIFICATE FROM CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND A CERTIFICATE FROM A MEDICAL COMMISSION GIVING THE CAUSES OF DIMITRIJEVIC'S DEATH.
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A13
(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, TUESDAY, MAY 16)
(ADVANCE) LONDON, MAY 16-(AP)-WINSTON CHURCHILL'S UNITED EUROPE MOVEMENT HAILED THE FRENCH COAL-STEEL POOL PROPOSAL TONIGHT AND PRAISED ITS ORIGINATOR, FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN, FOR HIS "HISTORIC INITIATIVE."
THE STATEMENT SAID THE EUROPEAN UNITY MOVEMENT HAS "LONG ADVOCATED AN APPROACH OF THIS KIND AS A CONTRIBUTION NOT ONLY TO ECONOMIC EQUILIBRIUM BUT TO THE POLITICAL STABILITY AND UNITY OF EUROPE."
(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 PM E.S.T. TODAY, TUESDAY, MAY 16)
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A86 (220)
OXFORD, ENGLAND,MAY 16-(AP)-BRITISH WAR MINISTER JOHN STRACHEY, AN ARDENT SOCIALIST WHO ONCE FLIRTED WITH COMMUNISM, SAYS THE PRESENT U.S. ADMINISTRATION "IS ONE OF THE MORE LEFT-WING GOVERNMENTS OF THE WORLD TODAY."
SPEAKING TO AMERICAN STUDENTS AT OXFORD, STRACHEY SAID "OUTSIDE THE UNITED KINGDOM AND THE SCANDIANVIAN COUNTRIES, THE U.S. ADMINISTRATION TODAY IS PROBABLY MORE TO THE LEFT IN GENERAL ECONOMIC POLICY AND POINT OF VIEW THAN ANY OF THE GOVERNMENTS OF WESTERN EUROPE."
THE MINISTER ADDED HE THOUGHT THE "PRESENT PREDOMINANT FORCES WITHIN THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY IN AMERICA" ARE "PROCEEDING IN THE SAME DIRECTION, BUT NOT ON THE SAME LINES," AS BRITAIN'S LABOR GOVERNMENT.
STRACHEY WAS ATTACKED LAST MARCH BY BRITAIN'S CONSERVATIVE PRESS AND CERTAIN CIRCLES IN THE U.S. WHICH SAID HE HAD NEVER RENOUNCED COMMUNIST SYMPATHIES SHOWN IN HIS WRITINGS DURING THE 1930'S. STRACHEY SAID HE HAD CHANGED HIS VIEWS AND WAS BACKED UP BY PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE.
HE TOLD THE STUDENTS HERE YESTERDAY THAT A DEMOCRATIC POLITICAL SYSTEM "WHICH HAS LEARNED TO CONTROL ITS ECONOMY REASONABLY WELL WITHOUT MAJOR DISLOCATIONS" WAS IMMENSELY SUPERIOR TO THE COMMUNIST SYSTEM.
BUT WORLD CAPITALISM, HE CONTINUED, WILL FACE THE COLLAPSE RUSSIA PREDICTS FOR IT UNLESS IT REFORMS BY "NOT AN ENORMOUS, BUT A COMPLETELY NEW DISTRIBUTION OF INCOME IN THE COMMUNITY."
TO REFORM CAPITALISM, STRACHEY ADVOCATED FINANCIAL CONTROLS INSURING "RELATIVELY FULL EMPLOYMENT" AND PUBLIC OWNERSHIP OF UTILITIES AND BASIC INDUSTRIES.
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B82 (Q)
(240)
BY NEL SLIS
THE HAGUE, THE NETHERLANDS, MAY 16-(AP)-SOUTH AFRICA CONTENDED BEFORE THE WORLD COURT TODAY SHE HAS A RIGHT TO ANNEX SOUTHWEST AFRICA, THE FORMER GERMAN COLONY SHE HAS HELD UNDER A LEAGUE OF NATIONS MANDATE SINCE 1919.
THE CLAIM WAS DISPUTED BY THE UNITED STATES, EGYPT, INDIA AND POLAND. THEY ARGUED THAT THE TERRITORY--AS LARGE AS FRANCE WITH 340,000 INHABITANTS-- IS STILL SUBJECT TO INTERNATIONAL CONTROL.
THE CASE WAS GIVEN TO THE INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL BY THE UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY, WHICH ASKED FOR AN ADVISORY OPINION ON THE DISPUTED TERRITORY CAPTURED BY UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA TROOPS IN WORLD WAR I.
SOUTH AFRICA CONTENDS THAT SINCE THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS, WHICH GRANTED THE MANDATE, IS DEFUNCT, SHE HAS NO FURTHER INTERNATIONAL OBLIGATIONS.
THE UNITED STATES, TAKING A DIRECTLY OPPOSING POSITION, DECLARED THAT THE MANDATE IS STILL IN FORCE, THAT SOUTHWEST AFRICA IS STILL A NON-SELF GOVERNING TERRITORY AND THAT THE SOUTH AFRICAN GOVERNMENT HAS NO RIGHT TO CHANGE THE MANDATE UNILATERALLY.
EGYPT CONTENDED THAT ANY CHANGE IN THE MANDATE REQUIRED THE APPROVAL OF THE U.N. TRUSTEESHIP COUNCIL AND THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.
POLAND ACCUSED SOUTH AFRICA OF SEEKING TO REDUCE SOUTHWEST AFRICA TO THE STATUS OF AN "ANNEXED COLONY." POLAND DEMANDED THE TERRITORY BE PLACED UNDER THE TRUSTEESHIP SYSTEM.
DR. IVAN KERNO, U.N. ASSISTANT SECRETARY GENERAL OPENED THE HEARINGS BEFORE THE 14 JUDGES WITH A HISTORICAL REVIEW OF THE CASE. HE WILL BE FOLLOWED BY JOSE INGLES, MEMBER OF THE PERMANENT DELEGATION OF THE PHILIPPINES TO THE U.N., AND DR. L.C. STEYN FOR THE SOUTH AFRICAN GOVERNMENT.
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BULLETIN
LEAD DAY OLYMPICS
BY BEN PHLEGAR
COPENHAGEN, MAY 16-(AP)-THE INTERNATIONAL OLYMPIC COMMITTEE TODAY POSTPONED FOR A YEAR FINAL DECISION ON WHETHER GERMANY AND JAPAN SHOULD BE PERMITTED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE 1952 OLYMPIC GAMES.
THE NATIONAL OLYMPIC COMMITTEE OF WESTERN GERMANY WAS INVITED TO MEET WITH THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL OF THE I.O.C. LATER THIS SUMMER.
THE MEETING PROBABLY WILL TAKE PLACE IN LAUSANNE, SWITZERLAND, IN AUGUST.
THE FULL INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE AT ITS 1951 MEETING THEN WILL DECIDE ON GERMANY AND JAPAN.
THE COMMITTEE TODAY REAFFIRMED RECOGNITION OF THE JAPANESE OLYMPIC COMMITTEE AND ELECTED RUYTARO AZUMA OF TOKYO A MEMBER OF THE I.O.C. FOR JAPAN. IT ALSO ACCEPTED THE RESIGNATION OF MATSUZO NAGAI OF JAPAN. THE COMMITTEE SAID NAGAI WAS NOT WELL.
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OLYMPICS
BY AAGE GRAUBALLES
COPENHAGEN, MAY 16-(AP)-WHEN THE OLYMPIC FLAG IS HOISTED IN FINLAND IN THE SUMMER OF 1952, GERMAN AND JAPANESE ATHLETES PROBABLY WILL BE AMONG APPROXIMATELY 6,000 MEN AND WOMEN TAKING THE OLYMPIC OATH IN HELSINKI'S NEW STADIUM.
JAPAN'S PARTICIPATION IN THE 1952 SUMMER AND WINTER GAMES IS ALMOST ASSURED. JAPAN, UNLIKE GERMANY, NEVER WAS BANNED BY THE INTERNATIONAL OLYMPIC COMMITTEE (CAPS I,O,C), AND THE ONLY THING STANDING IN THE WAY OF JAPANESE PARTICIPATION PROBABLY IS THAT COUNTRY'S AFFILIATION WITH VARIOUS INTERNATIONAL SPORTS FEDERATIONS.
GERMAN PARTICIPATION IS A MORE DELICATE PROBLEM. THE IOC COMMITTEE DEBATED THE MATTER FOR MORE THAN FOUR HOURS YESTERDAY.
THE IOC DECIDED TO ACCEPT AN OLYMPIC COMMITTEE FROM WESTERN GERMANY —"PROVISIONALLY AND UNDER CERTAIN RESERVATIONS."
THOSE RESERVATIONS WERE KEPT A TOP SECRET.
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MAY 17 1950

B57 Q
GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, MAY 16-(AP)-THE ASSEMBLY OF THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION FORMALLY DEPRIVED BYELORUSSIA OF HER SEAT ON THE UNITED NATIONS AGENCY'S EXECUTIVE BOARD TODAY.
BYELORUSSIA, TOGETHER WITH THE UKRAINE AND THE SOVIET UNION, WALKED OUT OF THE ORGANIZATION IN JANUARY 1949 AND HAS NOT TAKEN ANY PART IN ITS WORK SINCE THAT TIME.
BYELORUSSIA'S SEAT ON THE 18-NATION EXECUTIVE BOARD WAS DUE TO LAPSE IN 1951. THE ASSEMBLY TODAY REJECTED BY 23 VOTES TO 17 A NORWEGIAN PROPOSAL TO HOLD OPEN BYELORUSSIA'S SEAT TILL NEXT YEAR IN THE HOPE OF A BELATED SOVIET CHANGE OF MIND.
BYELORUSSIA IS TO BE REPLACED BY ANOTHER NATION LATER IN THE CURRENT SESSION. THE SOVIET UNION'S SEAT ON THE BOARD LAPSED AUTOMATICALLY THIS YEAR AND IS ALSO TO BE FILLED BY ANOTHER MEMBER NATION.
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MAY 17 195

B42 (Q)

GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, MAY 16-(AP)-THE LEGAL COMMITTEE OF THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION'S ANNUAL ASSEMBLY REJECTED 16 TO 2 TODAY A YUGOSLAV PROPOSAL TO INVITE THE CHINESE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT TO THE MEETING.

PROF.ANDREJ STAMPAR OF YUGOSLAVIA SAID HIS PROPOSAL WAS "NOT A POLITICAL QUESTION BUT ONLY ONE CONCERNED WITH THE INTERESTS OF HEALTH." ONLY INDIA VOTED WITH YUGOSLAVIA FOR THE RESOLUTION. THE UNITED STATES OPPOSED IT AND THE UNITED KINGDOM ABSTAINED.

THE COMMITTEE DECIDED THAT "NO FURTHER ACTION" SHOULD BE TAKEN ON THE WITHDRAWAL FROM W H O OF THE SOVIET UNION, SIX OF THE SOVIET SATELLITES AND THE NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT OF CHINA.

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MAY 17 1950

Montreux, Switzerland, May 16-(ap)-Russia has taken her 27th w alk

from a united nations agency.

the soviet and the czechoslovak delegates walked out

yesterday
of a meeting of the executive committee of the universal postal union

over the issue of chinese nationalist representation, the union,

a specialized u.n. agency, announced today.

the 19-nation committee had invited the communist chinese to the meetin

but the russian and czech delegates

walked out anyway, the announcement said.

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NIGHT LEAD REPARATIONS (370)

BY THOMAS A. REEDY

MAY 17 1950

BERLIN, MAY 16-(AP)-THE U.S. HIGH COMMISSION DECLARED IN A STATEMENT TONIGHT SOVIET RUSSIA HAS FUNNELED $18,000,000,000 (B) WORTH OF GOODS FROM EAST GERMANY SINCE 1945.

THAT WAS ONE ANSWER FROM THE WEST TO PRIME MINISTER STALIN'S ANNOUNCEMENT THAT RUSSIA WILL HALVE REPARATIONS SHE STILL CLAIMS FROM EAST GERMANY. LEAVING $3.171.000.000 TO BE PAID OVER A

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15-YEAR PERIOD FROM 1951 "WITH GOODS FROM CURRENT PRODUCTION."

A TASS DISPATCH BROADCAST BY MOSCOW SAID EAST GERMANY WILL HAVE PAID BY THE END OF THIS YEAR $3,658,000,000 OF THE ORIGINAL CLAIM OF $10,000,000,000. THE PROPAGANDA MACHINERY OF THE COMMUNIST EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT IMMEDIATELY WENT TO WORK TO SELL THIS TO THE PEOPLE AS A GENEROUS ACT. THE EASTERN PRESS EXTOLLED THE ACTION AS A JUST REWARD FOR GERMAN-SOVIET FRIENDSHIP.

BOTH WEST GERMAN AND ALLIED SOURCES CHALLENGED THE FIGURES.

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE U.S. HIGH COMMISSION SAID STALIN'S ANNOUNCEMENT MEANS SOVIET-OCCUPIED EAST GERMANY WILL BE SO POOR FOR SO MANY YEARS THAT UNITY WITH THE WEST WILL BE IMPOSSIBLE. THE REPARATIONS PLAN IS A CALCULATED STEP TO ACCOMPLISH JUST THAT, THIS AUTHORITY DECLARED.

THE COMMISSION STATEMENT SAID EARLY DISMANTLING AND LOOTING, SEIZURES FROM PRODUCTION AND ACTUAL LEGITIMATE REPARATIONS MADE UP THE TOTAL OF $18,000,000,000.

THE SOVIET MOVE, DESCRIBED AS A "GESTURE OF GOOD WILL" IN THE EAST, WAS CALLED A DEMAND BY WESTERN SOURCES WITH THIS ESTIMATE:

1--TWO MONTHS PAY FROM EVERY WAGE EARNER IN THE SOVIET ZONE WILL BE ALLOCATED TO SOVIET REPARATIONS ANNUALLY UNTIL 1965.

2--EVERY WORKER WILL HAVE TO PRODUCE $4,500 MORE THAN HIS NORMAL OUTPUT TO MAKE UP WHAT THE RUSSIANS HAVE ALREADY TAKEN.

JAKOB KAISER, WEST GERMANY'S MINISTER FOR ALL-GERMAN AFFAIRS, TOOK A GLOOMY VIEW OF THE SITUATION. HE ASSERTED THE RUSSIANS THEMSELVES HAVE ADMITTED TAKING $50,000,000 MONTHLY OUT OF CURRENT PRODUCTION ALONE IN THE EAST ZONE. HE INSISTED THEIR REPARATIONS GOAL WAS ALREADY REACHED.

NO ROUND FIGURE ON WEST GERMAN REPARATIONS WAS AVAILABLE, BUT SUCH PAYMENTS STOPPED LONG AGO. EXCEPT FOR ISOLATED DISMANTLING OF WAR PLANTS, RUSSIA HAS OBTAINED ONLY ABOUT $188,000,000 (M) WORTH OF CAPITAL EQUIPMENT AND SMALL INDUSTRIAL PLANTS FROM WEST GERMANY.

THE UNITED STATES HAS PUMPED BACK INTO GERMANY MORE THAN $2,000,000,000 (B) WORTH OF AID AND, ALONG WITH THE OTHER WESTERN ALLIES, HAS HELPED FEED THE AMERICAN, BRITISH AND FRENCH ZONES SINCE THE WAR ENDED.

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B5 (270)

REPARATIONS

BY RICHARD KASISCHKE

MAY 17 1950

BERLIN,MAY 16-(AP)-RUSSIA ANNOUNCED A SHARP CUT IN EAST GERMANY'S WAR REPARATIONS BILL TODAY. THE NEWS TOUCHED OFF A BIG COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA CAMPAIGN EXTOLLING SOVIET "GENEROSITY AND HELPFULNESS."

ANTI-COMMUNIST GERMANS AND ALLIED OFFICIALS PROMPTLY LABELED PRIME MINISTER STALIN'S REPARATIONS CUT AN EMPTY GESTURE AND "PHONY BOOK-KEEPING" AIMED AT COUNTERING THE RECENT ANNOUNCEMENT THAT OCCUPATION CONTROLS WOULD BE RELAXED IN WESTERN GERMANY.

MOSCOW RADIO DISCLOSED STALIN INFORMED EAST GERMAN PREMIER OTTO GROTEWOHL THAT RUSSIA WAS CUTTING THE BALANCE OF THE SOVIET OCCUPATION ZONE'S REPARATIONS BILL IN HALF, LEAVING $3,171,000,000 TO BE PAID IN THE NEXT 15 YEARS. MOSCOW'S ORIGINAL DEMAND MADE AT POTSDAM IN 1945 WAS FOR $10,000,000,000 (B) IN WAR REPARATIONS.

STALIN'S LETTER WAS IN REPLY TO AN EAST GERMAN REQUEST FOR A REDUCTION TO "AID DEMOCRATIC RECONSTRUCTION" IN THE SOVIET ZONE OF OCCUPIED GERMANY.

RADIO BERLIN AND OTHER SOVIET-CONTROLLED STATIONS SPEEDILY BRAODCAST THE MOSCOW ANNOUNCEMENT AND HAIELD IT AS A GENEROUS GESTURE

OF ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE.
THE OFFICIAL AMERICAN NEWSPAPER NEUE ZEITUNG CALLED IT "PROPAGANDA SOUGHT AT A CHEAP PRICE."
"LET THE RUSSIANS GIVE THE GERMANS AN HONEST ACCOUNTING OF WHAT ALREADY HAS BEEN TAKEN AND IT WILL BE SHOWN THAT THE SOVIET ZONE HAS ALREADY PAID THE ORIGINAL RUSSIAN DEMANDS IN FULL," THE NEWSPAPER ADDED.
STALIN'S LETTER SAID THAT BY THE END OF 1950 THE GERMANS WILL HAVE PAID $3,568,000,000 (B) TO RUSSIA ON HER REPARATIONS BILL.
ANTI-COMMUNIST GERMAN LEADERS INSIST THAT THE RUSSIANS HAVE TAKEN MUCH MORE IN DISMANTLED EQUIPMENT, ROLLING STOCK, MANUFACTURED GOODS AND EVEN FOOD.
A STATE DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN IN WASHINGTON CALLED THE SOVIET ACTION EMPTY GESTURE AND ADDED THAT RUSSIA HAS BEEN "LOOTING EAST GERMANY FOR SEVERAL YEARS, SO THERE'S NOTHING MUCH LEFT TO REPARATE."

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MAY 17 1950

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BERLIN, MAY 16-(AP)-GERHART EISLER, EAST GERMANY'S COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA CHIEF, UNCOVERED TODAY A PURPORTED FORMER GERMAN ARMY MAJOR WHO CHARGED THAT WEST GERMANY IS BUILDING UP A "POGROM ARMY" ON LINES CHARTED BY NAZI GESTAPO CHIEF HEINRICH HIMMLER.

EISLER INTRODUCED TO A NEWS CONFERENCE IN EAST BERLIN A MAN HE IDENTIFIED AS WALTER BRUCKER, AN IRON CROSS HOLDER FROM HITLER'S ARMY. BRUCKER SAID HE WAS APPROACHED TO JOIN WHAT HAD BEEN DESCRIBED AS A "CRUSADE AGAINST RUSSIA." THIS GROUP, HE SAID, WAS MADE UP OF FORMER GERMAN S.S. (ELITE GUARD) AND GENERAL STAFF OFFICERS WITH HEADQUARTERS IN HAMBURG. HE SAID COL. GEN. FRANZ HALDER, FIRED BY HITLER IN 1943 AS CHIEF OF STAFF, WAS DRAFTING AN OPERATION PLAN "FOR A FUTURE WAR."

THE CHARGE LOOKED LIKE PART OF A PLANNED COUNTER-BARRAGE IN GERMANY AGAINST WESTERN ALLIED CHARGES LEVELLED AT THE EAST GERMAN "PEOPLE'S POLICE."

APART FROM THE GENERAL PROPAGANDA WAR IN GERMANY, THE NEWS CONFERENCE AMOUNTED TO AN EAST ZONE RETORT TO THE RECENT TRIAL IN WEST BERLIN OF SIX OF THEIR POLICE, WHICH YIELDED TESTIMONY THAT THE COMMUNIST-CONTROLLED EAST ALREADY HAS BUILT AN ARMED INFANTRY EXCEEDING THREE FULL DIVISIONS, GEARED TO OBEY MOSCOW.

BRUCKER, IDENTIFYING HIMSELF AS A JOURNALIST, SAID HE WAS ORIGINALLY FROM EAST PRUSSIA (NOW RUSSIAN-POLISH TERRITORY). HE SAID HE FLED TO THE WEST WHEN THE WAR ENDED AND RETURNED TO WHAT IS NOW THE SOVIET ZONE OF GERMANY LAST SEPTEMBER.

BRUCKER SAID HIMMLER, BEFORE HE COMMITTED SUICIDE BY TAKING POISON IN 1945, HAD DRAWN UP A PLAN FOR AN EVENTUAL "ANTI-SOVIET" GERMAN ARMY WHEN HE SAW SURRENDER WAS INEVITABLE. EISLER INTERPOLATED THE REMARK THAT THIS WAS A "PROGROM ARMY."

BRUCKER SAID WORD OF THE ORGANIZATION WAS SPREAD IN 1946-47 BY TWO FORMER S.S. OFFICERS HE IDENTIFIED AS MAJ. ARNDT HEINRICH ERZEN AND A COL. BRUNZ. BOTH BRUCKER AND EISLER SAID SUCH A FORCE IS SPONSORED BY THE AMERICAN, BRITISH AND FRENCH OCCUPATION POWERS, A RECURRENT COMMUNIST CHARGE WHICH HAS BEEN DENIED REPEATEDLY.

BRUCKER SAID HE COULD NOT ESTIMATE THE SIZE OF THIS "ARMY," BUT EISLER INTERJECTED THE REMARK THAT 450,000 WEST GERMANS, INCLUDING POLICE, NOW ARE UNDER ARMS. THE WEST LONG HAS SAID THIS FIGURE IS EXAGGERATED BY 500 PER CENT.

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A53

NIGHT LEAD SCHUMAN PLAN

BONN, GERMANY, MAY 16-(AP)-CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER SAID TONIGHT HE IS FULLY DETERMINED TO CARRY OUT FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN'S PLAN TO POOL COAL AND STEEL PRODUCTION OF FRANCE AND GERMANY.

THE STATEMENT OF THE WESTERN GERMAN LEADER CAME AFTER HIS DISCUSSION OF THE PLAN WITH FORMER FRENCH PREMIER PAUL REYNAUD.

ADENAUER TOLD REPORTERS HE WOULD NOT LET TECHNICALITIES STAND IN THE WAY OF THE PLAN.

HE SAID MATTERS LIKE WEST GERMANY'S STEEL PRODUCTION STILL BEING LIMITED BY OCCUPATION ADMINISTRATORS WOULD TAKE SECOND PLACE TO THE POLITICAL AIM OF BRINGING THE GREAT POSSIBLE UNITY BETWEEN THE OLD ENEMIES.

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BONN, GERMANY, MAY 16-(AP)-FORMER FRENCH PREMIER PAUL REYNAUD ARRIVED HERE TODAY TO SEE ALLIED AND GERMAN OFFICIALS ON FRANCE'S PLAN FOR POOLING FRENCH AND GERMAN COAL AND STEEL.

REYNAUD LUNCHED WITH THE THREE ALLIED HIGH COMMISSIONERS AT THEIR PETERSBERG HEADQUARTERS. THIS EVENING HE WILL BE RECEIVED BY GERMAN FEDERAL PRESIDENT THEODOR HEUSS. LATER HE WILL MEET CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER AND MEMBERS OF THE CABINET.

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BONN, GERMANY, MAY 16-(AP)-THE WESTERN ALLIES LIFTED THEIR VETO ON A WEST GERMAN CIVIL SERVICE LAW TODAY. THIS IS IN LINE WITH THE POLICY ANNOUNCED BY THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF INTERFERING AS LITTLE AS POSSIBLE WITH WEST GERMANY'S INTERNAL AFFAIRS.

THE ALLIES VETOED THE LAW ORIGINALLY BECAUSE THEY SAID IT DID NOT REFORM THE CIVIL SERVICE ENOUGH.

THE VETO CAUSED STRAINED RELATIONS BETWEEN THE OCCUPYING POWERS AND CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER'S GOVERNMENT. SEVERAL CABINET MINISTERS THREATENED TO RESIGN.

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LUNEBERG, GERMANY, MAY 17-(AP)-WEST GERMAN BORDER OFFICIALS TONIGHT REPORTED 59 BARGES LOADED WITH SCRAP ARE BEING HELD INSIDE THE RUSSIAN ZONE BORDER ON THE ELBE RIVER. THEY WERE ENROUTE FROM BERLIN TO HAMBURG.

THE RUSSIANS SUDDENLY CLAMPED DOWN ON BARGE TRAVEL ON THE ELBE LAST WEEK AND GAVE NO EXPLANATION. LATER THEY PERMITTED SOME TO GO ON AND PUT ON THE BLOCKADE AGAIN SUNDAY.

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STUTTGART, GERMANY, MAY 16-(AP)-THREE FOURTHS OF THE OFFICIALS IN THE WUERTTEMBERG-BADEN STATE GOVERNMENT ARE FORMER NAZIS, THE STATE DENAZIFICATION MINISTRY HAS REVEALED IN AN OFFICIAL SURVEY.

THE MINISTRY SAID OF 11,004 OFFICIALS IN FIVE MAJOR MINISTRIES, 8:457 WERE ONE-TIME NAZIS. THESE INCLUDED 2,027 WHOSE FORMER HIGH PARTY RANK BRINGS THEM UNDER AN ALLIED OCCUPATION BAN ON OFFICE-HOLDING BY SUCH PERSONS, THE SURVEY SHOWED.

MINOR PARTY FOLLOWERS AND LEADERS WHO HAVE BEEN PARDONED ARE ALLOWED

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TO HOLD PUBLIC OFFICE.
WUERTTEMBERG-BADEN IS IN THE AMERICAN OCCUPATION ZONE. RELIABLE SOURCES SAID A SIMILAR SURVEY HAD BEEN FORWARDED TO WASHINGTON BY U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J.MC CLOY.
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B43 (Q)
BREMEN, GERMANY, MAY 16-(AP)-OFFICIALS OF THE AMERICAN SECURITY BOARD HERE TODAY REPORTED THAT THE NORTH GERMAN LLOYD COMPANY, ONE OF GERMANY'S LARGEST PREWAR SHIPOWNERS, HAS BEEN GIVEN PERMISSION TO ATTEMPT TO RECOVER A GERMAN SHIP BELIEVED HELD BY THE JAPANESE.
THE SHIP IN QUESTION IS THE 1,250 TON MOTORSHIP S.S.BOGOTA WHICH WAS IN THE PANAMA CANAL AREA WHEN WAR BROKE OUT BETWEEN AMERICA AND JAPAN. THE SHIP FLED TO JAPAN, REMAINING THERE THROUGHOUT THE WAR. AFTER GERMANY'S SURRENDER IN 1945, IT WAS REPORTED TAKEN OVER BY THE JAPANESE.
NO DEFINITE INFORMATION ON THE PRESENT WHEREABOUTS OF THE SHIP IS KNOWN, AN OFFICIAL OF THE NORTH GERMAN LLOYD COMPANY SAID.
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BY ALEX SINGLETON
BELGRADE, YUGOSLAVIA, MAY 16-(AP)-MARSHAL TITO'S GOVERNMENT TODAY REPORTED SOVIET TANK MOVEMENTS IN BULGARIA, PONTOON BRIDGING ON THE DANUBE AND AIRFIELD CONSTRUCTION ALONG YUGOSLAVIA'S FRONTIERS.
THE REPORTED MOVES WERE CITED OFFICIALLY AS PROOF THAT RUSSIA CONTINUES "WAR-MONGERING" TOWARD YUGOSLAVIA.
THE REPORTS WERE PUT FORMALLY BEFORE A JOINT MEETING OF THE FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE BY VLADIMIR DEDIJER, MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT AND UNITED NATIONS DELEGATE.MOST OF DEDIJER'S CHARGES OF "WAR-MONGERING" BEYOND THE FRONTIERS APPARENTLY WERE BASED ON RUMORS OR REPORTS REACHING HERE FROM PRIVATE SOURCES.
SPECIFICALLY, DEDIJER REPORTED:
1--MOVEMENT OF SOVIET TANKS IN THE BULGARIAN CAPITAL OF SOFIA TOWARD THE YUGOSLAV BORDER.
2--SOVIET TROOPS ARE BUILDING PONTOONS OVER THE DANUBE BETWEEN ROMANIA AND BULGARIA.
3--SOME PERSONS RECENTLY ESCAPED FROM ROMANIA SAID THAT NEAR TIMISOARA (A ROMANIAN TOWN ON THE YUGOSLAV BORDER) WORKERS ARE BUILDING MILITARY AIRFIELDS.
FOREIGN MINISTER EDVARD KARDELJ TOLD THE JOINT FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE THAT YUGOSLAVIA MAY GET TO USE THE FREE PORT OF SALONIKA IN RETURN FOR THE EXPECTED RESUMPTION OF DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH GREECE.
HE SAID ALSO PREPARATIONS ARE GOING ON FOR ESTABLISHING RAILROAD AND POSTAL CONNECTIONS WITH GREECE AND FOR EXCHANGE OF MINISTERS.
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PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, MAY 16-(AP)-MRS. MARIE FRANKOVA, A YUGOSLAV NATIONAL, SAID TODAY SHE HAD ASKED THE CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT FOR ASYLUM. MRS. FRANKOVA, AN EMPLOYE OF THE YUGOSLAV PRESS AGENCY TANJUG HERE SINCE 1945, SAID IN A STATEMENT DISTRIBUTED TO THE PRESS THAT SHE FELT THE PEOPLE OF YUGOSLAVIA ARE "BEING DRAGGED INTO THE CAMP OF THE WARMONGER."
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NIGHT LEAD LIE (130)
MOSCOW, MAY 16-(AP)-U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE TALKED TODAY WITH THE AMBASSADOR OF COMMUNIST CHINA, WANG CHIA-HSIANG.
THE CONFERENCE AT LIE'S OFFICE IN THE NATIONAL HOTEL AT NOON FOLLOWED A 90-MINUTE MEETING BETWEEN THE SECRETARY-GENERAL AND PRIME MINISTER STALIN LAST NIGHT.
LIE THEN ARRANGED A SESSION TONIGHT WITH ARKADY A. SOBOLEV, NEWLY APPOINTED CHIEF OF THE UNITED STATES DIVISION OF THE SOVIET FOREIGN MINISTRY.
THE SECRETARY-GENERAL, WHO PLANS TO LEAVE MOSCOW BY FRIDAY, TOLD REPORTERS HE WOULD HOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE TOMORROW, BUT THEY MUST NOT EXPECT ANY SENSATIONAL ANGLES.
"THERE WILL NOT BE ANY," HE SAID.
LIE CAME HERE LAST THURSDAY ON AN AVOWED MISSION OF MAKING A START AT ENDING THE COLD WAR BY TACKLING THE PROBLEM OF CHINA'S REPRESENTATION IN THE UNITED NATIONS. PRESUMABLY HE DISCUSSED THAT QUESTION WITH AMBASSADOR WANG.
RUSSIA IS REFUSING TO LET HER REPRESENTATIVES SIT IN THE SAME U.N. MEETINGS WITH THE PRESENT DELEGATES OF NATIONALIST CHINA.
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FIRST LEAD LIE-STALIN
BY EDDY GILMORE
MOSCOW, MAY 16-(AP)-TRYGVE LIE, FOLLOWING UP LAST NIGHT'S 90-MINUTE CONFERENCE WITH PRIME MINISTER STALIN, MET TODAY WITH THE CHINESE COMMUNIST AMBASSADOR TO MOSCOW.
LIE CONFERRED WITH WANG CHIA-HSIANG, THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE PEIPING REGIME, ABOUT THE REPRESENTATION IN THE UNITED NATIONS WHICH THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS SEEK.
DIPLOMATS HAD SPECULATED THAT THIS WAS A TOPIC AT THE LIE-STALIN MEETING, WHICH CLIMAXED THE "SAVE-THE-U.N." MISSION UNDERTAKEN BY THE UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY-GENERAL.
NO DETAILS OF THE LIE-STALIN MEETING WERE DISCLOSED, BUT IT WAS BELIEVED THE RUSSIANS SHOWED NO SIGNS OF MODIFYING THEIR REFUSAL TO PARTICIPATE IN ANY U.N. ORGANIZATION SEATING CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT.
LIE ANNOUNCED TO FOREIGN REPORTERS HE WOULD HOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE TOMORROW BUT THEY SHOULD NOT EXPECT ANY SENSATIONS FROM IT, BECAUSE "THERE WILL NOT BE ANY."
THERE HAD BEEN SOME TALK IN FOREIGN CIRCLES HE MIGHT DISCLOSE THE SUBJECT MATTER OF HIS CONVERSATIONS WITH STALIN.

RUSSIA HAS DEMANDED THAT THE PEIPING GOVERNMENT OF MAO TZE-TUNG BE RECOGNIZED AS CHINA'S REPRESENTATIVE IN THE UNITED NATIONS.
PRESENT WITH LIE AND STALIN AT THE MEETING WERE VICE-PREMIER V.M. MOLOTOV AND FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI Y. VISHINSKY. THE INTERVIEW CAME AFTER LIE--SEEKING TO EASE EAST-WEST TENSION--HAD CONFERRED WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN IN WASHINGTON AND WITH TOP OFFICIALS IN LONDON, PARIS AND HERE IN MOSCOW.
THE 90-MINUTE INTERVIEW WAS CONSIDERED A RATHER LONG ONE FOR THE SOVIET PREMIER. IT WAS CONSIDERED HERE THAT LIE AND STALIN DISCUSSED NOT ONLY THE CHINA QUESTION BUT OTHER BASIC POINTS OF EAST-WEST TENSION AS WELL.

THE LIE-STALIN INTERVIEW HAD BEEN PRECEDED BY CAREFUL PREPARATION BY BOTH THE RUSSIANS AND THE U.N. OFFICIAL. LIE ARRIVED LAST WEEK. HE CONFERRED FIRST, FOR 90 MINUTES, WITH VISHINSKY. THIS WAS FOLLOWED BY A LONG INTERVIEW WITH DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI GROMYKO, A FORMER RUSSIAN DELEGATE TO THE UNITED NATIONS.

ALL MOSCOW NEWSPAPERS REPORTED THE MEETING TODAY ON THEIR FRONT PAGES, PUBLISHING THE BRIEF COMMUNIQUE ANNOUNCING THE MEETING WHICH T UNITED NATIONS INFORMATION CENTER HERE ISSUED LAST NIGHT.

MEANWHILE ANOTHER HIGH U.N. OFFICIAL COMPLETED HIS OWN MISSION TO MOSCOW. HE WAS GUNNAR MYRDAL, EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OF THE U.N. ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR EUROPE, WHO LEAVES TODAY FOR WARSAW AND WESTERN EUROPE AFTER EIGHT DAYS OF WHAT HE DESCRIBED AS "LONG FULL TALKS" WITH TOP SOVIET OFFICIALS.

MYRDAL DECLINED TO SAY WHAT RESPONSE HE HAD RECEIVED TO HIS PLEAS THAT EAST-WEST TRADE BE LOOSENED, NOR WHETHER HE WAS OPTIMISTIC OVER POSSIBILITIES OF INCREASING SUCH TRADE. HE SAID, HOWEVER:

"I AM NOT ANY MORE DISCOURAGED THAN WHEN I CAME HERE."

MYRDAL PLANS TO SPEND ONE DAY IN WARSAW, THEN TO VISIT GENEVA, LONDON AND PARIS.

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NIGHT LEAD IRAN (410)

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BY EDDY GILMORE

MOSCOW, MAY 16-(AP)-THE SOVIET PRESS CHARGED TODAY THAT AMERICAN SPECIALISTS ARE BUILDING MILITARY ROADS AND MAKING MAPS IN AFGHANISTAN, A SOUTHERN NEIGHBOR OF RUSSIA.

THE TASS NEWS AGENCY REPORTED THE ALLEGED ACTIVITIES IN A DISPATCH FROM TEHERAN, IRAN, JUST AFTER MAKING PUBLIC A SOVIET NOTE TO IRANIAN GOVERNMENT CHARGING OTHER UNITED STATES EXPERTS ARE ENGAGED IN AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHIC SURVEYS IN NORTHERN IRAN UNDER THE GUISE OF EXPLORING FOR OIL.

THE DISPATCH AND THE NOTE MADE IT CLEAR THAT THE RUSSIANS HOLD THE UNITED STATES IS CARRYING ON INTELLIGENCE WORK CLOSE TO THE SOUTHERN RUSSIAN BORDERS.

THE NOTE DEMANDED THAT IRAN "ELIMINATE THE ABNORMAL POSITION" WHICH COULD "CREATE A DANGER TO THE FRONTIERS OF THE U.S.S.R."

THE NEWS DISPATCH SAID THE GOVERNMENT OF AFGHANISTAN RENEWED A CONTRACT IN JANUARY WITH THE MORRISON KNUDSEN COMPANY, AN AMERICAN FIRM, FOR THE CONTRUCTION OF AN IRRIGATION SYSTEM IN THE ARGHANDAB AND HELMAND RIVER VALLEYS. THE VALLEYS ARE IN SOUTHWEST AND CENTRAL AFGHANISTAN.

TASS SAID THAT, ALTHOUGH THE ORIGINAL CONTRACT WAS SIGNED FOUR YEARS AGO, "AMERICAN SPECIALISTS HAVE OCCUPIED THEMSELVES WITH TOPOGRAPHICAL SURVEYS, MADE UP VARIOUS MAPS AND INTERESTED THEMSELVES CHIEFLY IN THE CONTRUCTION OF MILITARY ROADS INSTEAD OF WORK ON THE IRRIGATION SYSTEM."

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IN TEHERAN, WHERE THE IRANIAN GOVERNMENT CONFIRMED IT HAD RECEIVED A NOTE PROTESTING THE EMPLOYMENT OF FOREIGNERS IN OIL EXPLORATIONS, IT WAS POINTED OUT THAT IN A TREATY OF 1921 RUSSIA RESERVED THE RIGHT TO ENTER IRAN IF SHE FEELS HER FRONTIERS ARE ENDANGERED.

IRANIANS SAID THE EXPLORATIONS ARE BEING CONDUCTED BY THE IRANIAN OIL COMPANY, LTD., AN IRANIAN-OWNED CORPORATION, IN VARIOUS PARTS OF THE COUNTRY UNDER THE GOVERNMENT'S SEVEN-YEAR PLAN OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

IN WASHINGTON, A STATE DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN SAID THE RUSSIAN CHARGES WERE "UTTER AND COMPLETE NONSENSE." HE SAID THE IRANIAN OIL COMPANY HAD SOUGHT BIDS FROM AMERICAN COMPANIES TO MAKE AERIAL SURVEYS FOR MINERAL RESOURCES, BUT HAD AWARDED NO CONTRACT.

SOME AMERICANS HAVE BEEN ENGAGED TO DRILL EXPLORATORY WELLS IN NORTHERN IRAN, HE SAID, BECAUSE "THEY ARE BY FAR THE MOST PROFICIENT IN THIS SORT OF WORK." BUT, SO FAR AS THE STATE DEPARTMENT KNOWS, THE WORK HAS NOT BEEN STARTED, HE ADDED.

AS TO AFGHANISTAN, THE SPOKESMAN SAID, THE MORRISON KNUDSEN COMPANY HAS BUILT AN 80-MILE ROAD AS PART OF A LARGE-SCALE IRRIGATION PROJECT, BUT THIS IS IN THE SOUTHERN PART OF THE COUNTRY, FAR FROM RUSSIA'S FRONTIER.

THE RUSSIAN CHARGE CONCERNING IRAN, IT WAS NOTED BY OBSERVERS, FOLLOWS AN ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH FROM TEHRAN LAST WEEK REPORTING THAT A HIGH SOVIET OFFICIAL RECENTLY DESERTED AND TURNED OVER TO THE IRAN GOVERNMENT AND WESTERN AUTHORITIES THE DETAILS OF A WIDESPREAD SPY NETWORK IN IRAN.

THE DISPATCH SAID THE OFFICIAL NAMED SEVERAL SOVIET EMBASSY OFFICIALS INVOLVED IN THE NETWORK AND RUSSIA KNEW THE RING HAD BEEN EXPOSED.

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RUSSIAN IRANIAN

MOSCOW, MAY 16-(AP)-THE SOVIET UNION HAS ACCUSED IRAN OF USING AMERICAN EXPERTS TO MAKE AERIAL SURVEYS OF "MILITARY SIGNIFICANCE" ALONG THE RUSSIAN-IRANIAN BORDER.

THE USE OF SUCH FOREIGN EXPERTS, SAID A RUSSIAN NOTE DELIVERED TO THE TEHRAN GOVERNMENT, "CAN CREATE A DANGER TO THE FRONTIERS OF THE U.S.S.R." SUCH ACTION, RUSSIA ADDED, IS "INCOMPATIBLE WITH GOOD NEIGHBORLY RELATIONS" BETWEEN IRAN AND RUSSIA.

THE NOTE, MADE PUBLIC LAST NIGHT, CALLED ON IRAN'S GOVERNMENT TO "ELIMINATE THE ABNORMAL POSITION THAT HAS BEEN CREATED." RUSSIA SAID THE BORDER SURVEYS, ALLEGEDLY MADE DURING OIL PROSPECTING OPERATIONS IN NORTH IRAN, SHOULD BE CARRIED OUT BY IRANIANS.

(IN WASHINGTON A STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL TERMED THE RUSSIAN DEMAND "JUST ANOTHER FANTASTIC SOVIET STORY WITH NO BASIS IN FACT.")

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THE RUSSIAN COMMUNICATION DECLARED THE SOVIETS DID NOT OBJECT TO IRANIANS DEVELOPING THE NORTHERN BORDER AREAS, BUT THAT THEY DID NOT WANT AMERICANS DOING IT. THE NOTE MADE CLEAR THAT THE RUSSIANS BELIEVE MILITARY INTELLIGENCE OPERATIONS ARE INCLUDED IN THE WORK DONE BY THESE AMERICANS.

"THE IRANIAN GOVERNMENT," THE RUSSIANS WROTE, "CONTINUES TO CARRY OUT IN THE AREAS OF THE SOVIET-IRANIAN FRONTIER MEASURES WHICH, AS IS EVIDENT, X X X ARE OF MILITARY SIGNIFICANCE AND WHAT IS MORE, FOR THE CARRYING OUT OF THESE MEASURES, FOREIGNERS ARE BEING BROUGHT IN AND, IN PARTICULAR, AMERICAN EXPERTS."

THE RUSSIAN NOTE SAID THE IRANIAN OIL CO., LTD., HAD BEEN ORGANIZED TO SEEK OIL IN NORTHERN IRAN AND WAS MAKING AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHS, TOPOGRAPHICAL SURVEYS AND GEOLOGICAL RESEARCHES.

THE SOVIETS SID THEY PROTESTED LAST MARCH AGAINST THE USE OF FOREIGNERS FOR THE SURVEYS WHEN THE PLANNING ORGANIZATION FOR IRAN'S SEVEN-YEAR DEVELOPMENT PLAN ANNOUNCED IT WAS CALLING FOR BIDS FOR AERIAL SURVEYS IN NORTHERN IRAN. IRAN HAS NOT REPLIED TO THIS SOVIET PROTEST. THE RUSSIANS ADDED.

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TODAY SOVIET NEWSPAPERS CARRIED STORIES SAYING THAT AMERICANS IN AFGHANISTAN, UNDER THE PRETENSE OF IRRIGATION CONSTRUCTION, WERE MAKING MILITARY HIGHWAYS. AFGHANISTAN, LIKE IRAN, ALSO BORDERS ON THE SOVIET UNION.

A TASS DISPATCH DATELINED TEHRAN SAID THE AFGHAN GOVERNMENT IN JANUARY RENEWED THE CONTRACT OF THE MORRISON NADSON AFGHANISTAN CORPORATION FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF AN IRRIGATION SYSTEM IN TWO VALLEYS IN SOUTHWEST AND CENTRAL AFGHANISTAN.

THE DISPATCH ADDED: "DURING THE FOUR YEARS WHICH ELAPSED SINCE THE SIGNING OF THE ORIGINAL CONTRACT WITH THE COMPANY, AMERICAN SPECIALISTS HAVE OCCUPIED THEMSELVES WITH TOPOGRAPHICAL SURVEYS AND INTERESTED THEMSELVES CHIEFLY IN THE CONSTRUCTION OF MILITARY ROADS INSTEAD OF WORK ON THE IRRIGATION SYSTEM."

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IRAN'S OIL PRODUCTION PRESENTLY COMES FROM RICH FIELDS IN THE SOUTH, OPERATED BY THE ANGLO-IRANIAN OIL CO., A BRITISH COMPANY. SOME YEARS AGO AMERICAN INTERESTS SOUGHT AN OIL CONCESSION IN NORTHERN IRAN BUT LATER ABANDONED THE PROJECT.

THE IRANIAN OIL COMPANY, LTD., IS IRANIAN-OWNED. IT WAS SET UP UNDER IRAN'S SEVEN-YEAR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PLAN AND PROSPECTS FOR OIL OUTSIDE THE AREA IN WHICH ANGLO-IRANIAN HOLDS CONCESSION RIGHTS.

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NIGHT LEAD CHINESE (370)
BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI, FORMOSA, APRIL 16 (AP)-THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS TONIGHT ANNOUNCED THEY HAD ABANDONED CHUSHAN ISLAND, THEREBY YIELDING WITHOUT FIRING A SHOT THE BLOCKADE BASE FROM WHICH THEY HAD BEEN ABLE TO PARALYZE COMMUNIST CHINA.

AN HOUR AFTER THE ASTOUNDING ANNOUNCEMENT, CHIANG KAI-SHEK WENT ON THE AIR TO REASSURE HIS COUNTRYMEN. HE PROMISED THEM THAT WITHIN TWO YEARS HIS FORCES WOULD UNLEASH A COUNTER-OFFENSIVE ON THE MAINLAND.

THE WITHDRAWAL OF THE CHUSHAN GARRISON-REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN 150,000 MEN--WAS A MOVE TO CONCENTRATE NATIONALIST FORCES FOR A CLIMACTIC STRUGGLE, HE DECLARED. CHUSHAN IS 100 MILES SOUTHEAST OF SHANGHAI AND ABOUT 300 MILES NORTH OF FORMOSA.

"WE ARE FIRMLY CONFIDENT," HE SAID IN A BROADCAST, "THAT WE CAN COMPLETELY CRUSH ANY COMMUNIST INVASION OF FORMOSA IF SUCH AN ATTEMPT IS MADE. IN SHORT, FORMOSA WILL BE MADE A BASE WHICH WILL BE INVULVERABLE."

THE ABANDONMENT OF CHUSHAN LEAVES THE NATIONALISTS WITH ONLY FORMOSA AND A FEW OUTLYING ISLANDS, NOTABLY QUEMOY JUST OFF THE PORT OF AMOY OPPOSITE FORMOSA.

THE QUESTION OF WHETHER QUEMOY TOO WILL YIELD SHOULD BE ANSWERED SOON.

A WITHDRAWAL FROM QUEMOY, FOLLOWING THAT OF CHUSHAN, WOULD GIVE THE NATIONALISTS 600,000 MEN TO DEFEND FORMOSA ACCORDING TO NATIONALIST FIGURES.

BARRING A SURPRISE SUCH AS INTOLERABLE BOMBARDMENT BY THE NEW COMMUNIST AIR FORCE, CHIANG SHOULD BE ABLE TO HOLD OUT ON FORMOSA FOR SOME TIME. WHETHER THE REDS WILL TRY AN AMPHIBIOUS ATTACK THIS YEAR OR WAIT UNTIL SPRING IS A DEBATED POINT.

CHIANG'S SPEECH TOOK INTO ACCOUNT THE PROBABLE EFFECT ON RESISTANCE MORALE ON THE MAINLAND AS A RESULT OF THE WITHDRAWAL FROM CHUSHAN AND FROM THE BIG SOUTH ISLAND OF HAINAN ABOUT TWO WEEKS EARLIER.

"YOU ARE PROBABLY GREATLY DISAPPOINTED FOR THE TIME BEING," HE SAID, "BUT WHEN YOU THINK OF THE FUTURE YOU SHOULD FEEL HOPEFUL."

CHIANG URGED MAINLANDERS TO KEEP UP THEIR RESISTANCE TO THE COMMUNIST REGIME, BUT TO AVOID RISKS AND "WAIT UNTIL OUR COUNTER-ATTACK IS LAUNCHED BEFORE YOU TAKE ANY DRASTIC ACTION."

HE GAVE THIS TIME-TABLE FOR HIS HOPES OF AN EVENTUAL COMEBACK:

PREPARATIONS FOR A COUNTER-OFFENSIVE ON THE MAINLAND TO BE COMPLETED WITHIN A YEAR; THE COUNTER-OFFENSIVE TO BE LAUNCHED WITHIN TWO YEARS; COMPLETE SUCCESS WITHIN FIVE YEARS.

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SECOND LEAD CHINESE (190)
BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI, FORMOSA, MAY 16-(AP)-THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS TODAY ABANDONED THE VITAL CHUSHAN ISLAND BLOCKADE BASE AND CHIANG KAI-SHEK IMMEDIATELY PROMISED A MAINLAND COUNTER-OFFENSIVE WITHIN TWO YEARS.

AN OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT SAID THE GARRISON OF 150,000 MEN HAD BEEN WITHDRAWN FROM CHUSHAN, 100 MILES SOUTHEAST OF SHANGHAI. NOT A SHOT WAS FIRED. THE NATIONALISTS HAD VOWED TO DEFEND THE 10 BY 20 MILE ISLAND TO THE DEATH.

CHIANG IN A RADIO BROADCAST URGED HIS LISTENERS NOT TO BE DOWNCAST BY WITHDRAWALS FROM CHUSHAN AND HAINAN, THE HUGE ISLAND OFF THE SOUTH CHINA COAST WHICH FELL LATE IN APRIL.

THE GENERALISSIMO SAID HE DECIDED TO CONCENTRATE THE NATIONALIST MILITARY STRENGTH TO KEEP THE COMMUNISTS FROM WIPING OUT HIS FORCES PIECEMEAL.

CHIANG ASSERTED PREPARATIONS FOR A COUNTER-OFFENSIVE ON THE MAINLAND WOULD BE COMPLETED WITHIN ONE YEAR AND THE COUNTER-OFFENSIVE ITSELF WOULD BE UNLEASHED WITHIN TWO YEARS.

(THIS WAS THE FIRST TIME THAT CHIANG EVER INDICATED WHEN A COUNTER-OFFENSIVE MIGHT BE MOUNTED.)

"WE ARE FIRMLY CONFIDENT," CHIANG DECLARED, "THAT WE CAN COMPLETELY CRUSH ANY COMMUNIST INVASION OF FORMOSA IF SUCH AN ATTEMPT IS MADE. IN SHORT, FORMOSA WILL BE MADE A BASE WHICH WILL BE INVULNERABLE."

THE CHUSHANS WERE EXTREMELY IMPORTANT TO THE NATIONALISTS. FROM THAT BASE 100 MILES SOUTHEAST OF SHAHAI AN EFFECTIVE AIR AND NAVAL BLOCKADE OF THE BIG COMMUNIST PORT HAD BEEN EFFECTED.

EARLIER TODAY, CHIANG KAI-SHEK PLEDGED TO DIE DEFENDING FORMOSA---THE ONLY ISLAND LEFT TO THE NATIONALISTS---IF HE CANNOT BEAT BACK THE COMMUNIST TIDE THAT PREVIOUSLY SWALLOWED ALL OF MAINLAND CHINA.

IN VIEW OF THE NATIONALIST RETREAT FROM THE CHUSHAN ISLANDS, THEIR CAUSE HIT A NEW LOW.

BUT GEN. CHOW CHIH-JOU, CHIEF OF STAFF OF THE NATIONALIST ARMY, ATTEMPTED IN A CENTRAL NEWS AGENCY STATEMENT, TO E

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ATTEMPTED IN A CENTRAL NEWS AGENCY STATEMENT, TO EXCUSE THIS DEFEAT -- AND SUCH IT MUST BE CONSIDERED -- BY SAYING THE NATIONALISTS HOPED TO SMASH "THE SCHEME OF THE SOVIET IMPERIALISTS AND THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS IN STARTING A JOINT OFFENSIVE AND MEETING THE REDS' OVERALL STRATEGY.

IN OUR ANTI-COMMUNIST WAR THE GENERAL STAFF HAS MADE NEW DISPOSITIONS OF THE ARMED FORCES SO AS TO DEAL A HEAVIER BLOW TO THE

ENEMY AT A MOST FAVORABLE TIME AND PLACE AND HAS THEREFORE VOLUNTARILY TRANSFERRED OUR NAVAL AND AIR FORCES FROM THE CHUSHAN ARCHIPELAGO TO TAIWAN (FORMOSA).

"OWING TO CAREFUL PLANNING AND PREPARATIONS AND CLOSE COORDINATION AMONG THE ARMY, NAVAL AND AIR FORCES AS WELL AS THE COMBINED SERVICE UNITS IN HANDLING THE TRANSPORTS, THE EVACUATION OF 150,000 TROOPS AND PART OF THE CIVILIAN POPULATION TOGETHER WITH LARGE QUANTITIES OF EQUIPMENT AND WAR SUPPLIES WAS STARTED ON THE NIGHT OF MAY 13 AND WAS COMPLETED TONIGHT ACCORDING TO PLAN. DURING THE EVACUATION COMMUNIST TROOPS, THOUGH ENTRENCHED ON THE ADJACENT ISLANDS, HAD NOT BEEN ABLE TO TAKE ANY DISTURBING ACTIONS (AND) OUR FORCES SUFFERED NO LOSSES WHATEVER."

THE CHUSHAN ABANDONMENT COULD HAVE ONLY A SHOCKING IMPLICATION TO THE REST OF ASIA--A PART OF WHICH WILL MEET SHORTLY IN BAGUIO, THE PHILIPPINES, TO DISCUSS ECONOMIC BLOCKS TO THE COMMUNIST ADVANCE.

LEFT TO CHIANG KAI-SHEK AND HIS DWINDLING FORCES IS ONLY FORMOSA WITH ITS 7,454,886 POPULATION, and a few small islands off mainland.

WHAT HOPE THEY MIGHT HAVE TO FORESTALL TOTAL DEFEAT RESTS WITH THE NATIONALIST FORCES ON THE BIG ISLAND--FORCES THAT HAVE A RECORD ONLY OF BACKTRACKING AND SURRENDER BEFORE THE COMMUNISTS IN THE LAST TWO YEARS.

CHOW, BESPECTACLED AND THIN HAIRED, CALLED A SPECIAL NEWS CONFERENCE TO ANNOUNCE THE CHUSHAN RETREAT.

CORRESPONDENTS ASKED WHAT THE NATIONALISTS PLANNED TO DO ABOUT QUEMOY ISLAND, JUST OFF THE MAINLAND PORT OF AMOY.

"THIS STATEMENT DEALS WITH CHUSHAN," CHOW SAID.

THERE IS GOOD REASON TO BELIEVE THE NATIONALISTA ARE ABANDONING, IF THEY HAVE NOT ALREADY GIVEN UP, THAT STRATEGIC ISLAND.

THE NATIONALISTS SAY THEY HAVE 600,000 FIGHTING MEN ON FORMOSA.

CHIANG'S DEFEND-FORMOSA-TO-THE-DEATH PLEDGE SAID:

GENERAL CHOW SAID THE BLOCKADE OF CHINA'S MAIN PORTS WOULD BE MAINTAINED DESPITE ABANDONMENT OF THE CHUSHANS, WHICH HAVE EFFECTIVELY BLOCKED SEA TRAFFIC TO SHANGHAI.

HE EXPECTED THE REDS TO TAKE CHUSHAN OVER TONIGHT OR TOMORROW.

HE CLAIMED AMOY STILL WAS IN NATIONALIST HANDS.

CHINESE NEWSPAPERS HERE SAID CHOW WAS DISMAYED BY THE ORDER TO ABANDON CHUSHAN. THE NEWS DISPATCHES SAID MANY OF THE ISLAND'S DEFENDERS WEPT.

THE NATIONALIST DECISION TO ABANDON CHUSHAN WAS SAID TO HAVE BEEN PROMPTED BY THE CREATION OF A CHINESE COMMUNIST AIR FORCE. HE RUSSIANS REPORTEDLY HELPED THE CHINESE REDS ESTABLISH THIS FORCE.

"THERE HAVE BEEN GREAT MILITARY DEBACLES BUT THE NATIONALIST DEFEAT ON THE MAINLAND WAS UNPRECEDENTED IN THE HISTORY OF THE WORLD," THE NATIONALIST PRESIDENT SAID.

"NOW WE'VE RETREATED TO FORMOSA, THE LAST STRONGHOLD OF THE KUOMINGTANG (NATIONALIST PARTY) AND I CANNOT RETREAT ANY MORE EVEN IF I WANTED TO...

"THERE IS NOW NOTHING LEFT BUT HONORABLE DEATH FOR COUNTRY OR RETURN TO THE MAINLAND."

CHIANG'S PLEDGE WAS MADE IN A SPEECH TO HIGH OFFICERS.

(THE REDS ONLY TODAY TRUMPETED THE STORY OF HOW THEY RIPPED FROM NATIONALIST HANDS ANOTHER BLOCKADE BASE, TUNGSHAN 60 MILES SOUTH OF AMOY. THE COMMUNISTS SAID RED GEN.CHEN YI'S FORCES SHELLED THE ISLAND FOR FOUR HOURS AFTER DARK FRIDAY, STORMED ASHORE AT 10 P.M. AND IN SIX HOURS WON COMPLETE CONTROL. THE ACCOUNT WAS BROADCAST BY PEIPING RADIO, HEARD IN TOKYO, AND WAS CARRIED IN HONG KONG NEWSPAPERS.)

THE NATIONALISTS EXPECT THE REDS TO INVADE FORMOSA, 100 MILES FROM MAINLAND CHINA, BEFORE SEPTEMBER. IF THE COMMUNISTS DO NOT STRIKE BY THEN, SEASONAL BAD WEATHER WILL FORCE A DELAY UNTIL NEXT MARCH, THE NATIONALISTS SAY.

CHIANG SAID HE EXPECTED NATIONALIST LEADERS TO JOIN HIM IN THE DEATH PACT.

"I DON'T EASILY TALK ABOUT DEATH BUT I HAVE IT IN MIND IF ANYTHING UNFORTUNATE HAPPENS IN FORMOSA," SAID THE GENERALISSIMO. HE ADDED:

"AND I SHALL KEEP MY WORD.

"WE CAN ONLY AVOID DEATH IF WE DEFEAT THE ENEMY AND RETURN TO THE MAINLAND.

"IF FORMOSA FALLS WE WILL ALL FIGHT TO THE FINISH AND DIE HERE."

CHIANG EARLIER DISCLOSED HE HAD PLANNED 18 MONTHS AGO TO FIGHT A DECISIVE BATTLE ON THE SHANGHAI-NANKING RAILWAY AND COMMIT SUICIDE IF HE LOST.

HE SAID THE DECISION WAS MADE AFTER THE FALL OF SUCHOW, BIG CENTRAL CHINA BESTION, IN NOVEMBER, 1948.

"KNOWING MY STRONG CHARACTER, MY RELATIVES AND ASSOCIATES TOOK PRECAUTIONS TO PREVENT ME FROM COMMITTING SUICIDE," CHIANG SAID.

"THERE WERE TWO GROUPS WHO HOPED I WOULD--THE COMMUNISTS AND THOSE NATIONALIST ELEMENTS WANTING TO SURRENDER.

"AND I WOULD HAVE DIED IN NANKING BUT FOR THE FACT THAT WEAK-WILLED ELEMENTS INFLUENCED BY COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA INSISTED I SHOULD QUIT THE GOVERNMENT.

"IN THE CIRCUMSTANCES I WAS OBLIGED TO RETIRE AND LEAVE NANKING."

THEN, CHIANG CONTINUED, CAME DESERTIONS AND DEFECTIONS AND THE ENTIRE MAINLAND WAS LOST WITHIN A YEAR.

THE DEFEAT COST CHIANG CONTROL OF 450,000,000 CHINESE AND 4,500,000 SQ.MILES OF TERRITORY. THE NATIONALISTS NOW HOLD FORMOSA, ABOUT 13,000 SQ.MILES AND 7,500,000 PERSONS, AND TWO SMALL ISLAND BLOCKADE BASES, CHUSHAN AND QUEMOY, NEAR THE EAST CHINA COAST.

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A154FX

WITH TAIPEI

HONG KONG, MAY 16-(AP)-AN INDEPENDENT CHINESE NEWS DISPATCH TODAY SAID THE NATIONALISTS WERE ABANDONING THE LADRONE ISLANDS.

THE DISPATCH SAID THE EVACUATION FOLLOWED THE LOSS OF TUNGSHAN ISLAND OFF THE FUKIEN COAST, WHICH LEAVES THE NATIONALISTS ONLY QUEMOY ISLAND AS A POSSIBLE BLOCKADE BASE OF THE ASIATIC MAINLAND.

THE WANSHANS ARE BETWEEN BRITISH HONG KONG AND PORTUGUESE MACAO. THEY WERE USED TO BLOCKADE THE PEARL RIVER AND CANTON.

JW9APD

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A72FX

TOKYO, MAY 16-(AP)-YUKIO OZAKI, JAPAN'S ELDER STATESMAN, LEFT BY PLANE TODAY TO SEE WASHINGTON'S CHERRY TREES AND CHAT, IF HE MAY, WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN.

OZAKI, 92, WHO SAYS HIS COUNTRYMEN "DON'T UNDERSTAND DEMOCRACY," GAVE THE TREES TO THE UNITED STATES WHEN HE WAS MAYOR OF TOKYO.

THE TRIP IS SPONSORED BY THE AMERICAN COUNCIL ON JAPAN, WHICH INCLUDES FORMER U.S. AMBASSADORS JOSEPH GREW AND WILLIAM R. CASTLE.

WN422ADT

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A71FX
TOKYO, MAY 16-(AP)-THIS IS HOW THE JAPANESE GOVERNMENT HOPES TO CONVINCE A HANDFUL OF JAPANESE MARINES ON ANATAHAN ISLAND, 100 MILES NORTH OF SAIPAN, THAT THE WAR IS OVER:
THE WELFARE MINISTRY WILL ATTEMPT TO DELIVER THIS LETTER FROM TOMIJI NISHINO TO MASAHARU NISHINO:
"DEAR BROTHER. THE WAR ENDED FIVE YEARS AGO WITH JAPAN'S DEFEAT. WE ARE IN GOOD HEALTH. PLEASE COME HOME AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AND WORK FOR THE RECONSTRUCTION OF A PEACEFUL JAPAN."
MASAHARU HAD BEEN REPORTED DEAD AND THE FAMILY HAD HELD FUNERAL SERVICES.
FT420ADT

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A71KX
TOKYO, MAY 16-(AP)-THE CONTINUING CONTROVERSY BETWEEN LEFTIST JAPANESE STUDENTS AND ONE OF GEN. MACARTHUR'S EDUCATION ADVISERS ROSE IN FURY TODAY.
A CROWD OF 5,000 UNIVERSITY STUDENTS HELD A PROTEST MEETING IN A TOKYO PARK AND DEMANDED THAT MACARTHUR SUSPEND DR. WALTER C. EELLS. (CQ). EELS HAS BEEN URGING THAT COMMUNIST TEACHERS BE FIRED.
THE JAPANESE PRESS REPORTED THAT EELLS WAS HOWLED DOWN TODAY BY STUDENTS AT HOKKAIDO UNIVERSITY IN NORTHERN JAPAN.
STUDENTS AT THE TOKYO RALLY ALSO ADOPTED A PETITION ASKING THE FAR EASTERN COMMISSION TO SUSPEND EELLS' ACTIVITIES.
PR642PCS

A61KX
(WEST OUT)
SEOUL,KOREA,MAY 16-(AP)-SOUTH KOREA NAVAL AUTHORITIES SAID TODAY PATROL CRAFT OF THE TINY REPUBLIC FIRED SUNDAY ON TWO RUSSIANS SHIPS.
THEY SAID THEIR CRAFT DROVE THE TWO RUSSIAN SHIPS, OF 4,000 TONS EACH, OUT OF SOUTH KOREAN TERRITORIAL WATERS.
TWO OTHER RUSSIAN VESSELS WERE SIGHTED OFF THE EASTERN KOREA COAST EARLY SUNDAY BUT DISAPPEARED WITHOUT INCIDENT, A SPOKESMAN SAID.
VR431ACS

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A62KX
(WEST OUT)
SEOUL,KOREA,MAY 16-(AP)-KIM TAL SAN HAS NEVER LOST A BATTLE AND HE NEVER WILL, THE COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA RADIO BOASTED TODAY.
THE BROADCAST SAID THE NOTED GUERRILLA LEADER "WILL GAIN MORE ACHIEVEMENTS."
KIM'S LAST ACHIEVEMENT, SOUTH KOREA ARMY OFFICERS SAID, WAS THE "TRIUMPHAL" ENTRY INTO SEOUL LAST MONTH OF HIS HEAD, PICKLED IN A CAN OF GASOLINE.
VR432ACS NM

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A167FX
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PEARL HARBOR,MAY 16-(AP)-TWO AMERICAN AIRMEN ARRIVED TONIGHT AT THE NAVY'S BARBERS POINT FIELD ENROUTE HOME AFTER MORE THAN 18 MONTHS IN CHINESE COMMUNIST HANDS.
MARINE MASTER SGT.ELMER C.BENDER, CINCINNATI, AND NAVY CHIEF ELECTRICIANS'S MATE WILLIAM C.SMITH, LONG BEACH, CALIF., LOOKED PALE AND TIRED AFTER THEIR AIR TRIP FROM HONG KONG. THEY WERE IN THE AIR NEARLY 36 HOURS.
"WE'RE GLAD TO BE BACK," BENDER SAID AS REAR ADM. JOHN E.GINGRICH, CHIEF OF STAFF TO THE PACIFIC FLEET COMMANDER, WELCOMED THEM.
CK1057PPD

B108KX
PEARL HARBOR, MAY 16-(AP)-MARINE MASTER SGT. ELMER C.BENDER OF CINCINNATI AND NAVY CHIEF ELECTRICIAN WILLIAM C.SMITH OF LONG BEACH, CALIF., ARE EXPECTED HERE LATE TONIGHT FROM MANILA.
THE PAIR WERE HELD PRISONER BY THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS FROM OCT. 19, 1948 UNTIL THEIR RELEASE ON MAY 3. SUBSEQUENTLY THEY WERE EVACUATED BY THE BRITISH STEAMER HUNNAN, PICKED UP AT SEA BY A U.S. DESTROYER AND TAKEN TO HONG KONG AND LATER FLOWN TO MANILA ON THE FIRST LEG OF THEIR TRIP HERE.
THEY WERE CAPTURED AFTER THEIR OBSERVATION PLANE WAS FORCED DOWN IN NORTH CHINA. THEY ARE EXPECTED TO REVEAL THEIR EXPERIENCES HERE.
C0111ACS NM

B102KX (Q)
(280)
APW

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BANGKOK, MAY 16-(AP)-KING RAMA IX SAID HIS BROTHER AND PREDECESSOR ON THE THRONE OF THAILAND MADE PLANS TO VISIT THE UNITED STATES ONLY A FEW DAYS BEFORE HE WAS MYSTERIOUSLY SHOT.
RAMA'S ACCOUNT OF PALACE ACTIVITIES ON JUNE 9, 1946, THE DAY KING ANANDA MAHIDOL WAS FOUND DEAD IN BED, WAS DISCLOSED TODAY. RAMA TESTIFIED FRIDAY AND MONDAY IN THE MURDER TRIAL OF FIVE PERSONS ACCUSED OF THE MURDER.
FORMER PREMIER PRIDI PHANAOMYONG, HIS SECRETARY, ANANDA'S SECRETARY AND TWO ROYAL PAGES ARE CHARGED WITH SHOOTING THE KING. PRIDI AND HIS SECRETARY ARE IN HIDING.
BOSTON-BORN RAMA TESTIFIED HIS BROTHER WAS DISPLEASED OVER PRIDI'S DELAY IN APPOINTING A REGENT. EARLIER WITNESSES HAD TESTIFIED ANANDA WISHED TO RELINQUISH THE THRONE TO HIS YOUNGER BROTHER, PHUMIPHON---NOW RAMA IX. ANANDA HAD PLANNED TO RUN FOR PARLIAMENT AND SEEK THE PREMIERSHIP.
RAMA SAID ON THE MORNING OF ANANDA'S DEATH HE HEARD A CRY AND RACED INTO THE ROYAL BEDCHAMBER. THERE HE FOUND ANANDA LYING IN BED, HIS FOREHEAD COVERED WITH BLOOD. THE FINGERS WERE STRAIGHT AND RELAXED, AS IF DEATH CAME WHILE HE SLEPT.
THEIR MOTHER WAS STANDING AT THE FOOT OF THE BED.
RAMA SAID THERE WERE NO DIFFERENCES BETWEEN HIMSELF, ANANDA AND THEIR MOTHER.
THE NE KING SAID ANANDA HABITUALLY WAS CAREFUL WITH LOADED PISTOLS. HE COLLECTED GUNS. ONE OF ANANDA'S PRIZED REVOLVERS WAS FOUND BY HIS SIDE.
RAMA SAID HE WAS TOLD THE KING HAD SHOT HIMSELF. IT WASN'T UNTIL 1947, WHEN STRONGMAN P. PIBULSONGGRAM OUSTED PRIDI AND BECAME PREMIER, THAT MURDER WAS CHARGED.

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THE 22-YEAR-OLD RAMA, WAS CROWNED MAY 5 ONLY A WEEK AFTER HIS MARRIAGE TO A BEAUTIFUL THAI PRINCESS.
RAMA ORDERED THE ROYAL ASTROLOGERS TO CONSULT THE STARS FOR AN AUSPICIOUS TIME FOR HIS TRIP TO SWITZERLAND, WHERE HE PLANS TO STUDY FOR THE NEXT TWO YEARS. HE NOW PLANS TOLEAVE IN JUNE BY PLANE INSTEAD OF SHIP.
FJ1054PCS

A14

(200)

JAKARTA, U.S.I., MAY 16-(AP)-INDONESIAN TROOPS UNDER DUTCH COMMAND AND INDONESIAN SOLDIERS OF THE U.S.I. ARMY CLASHED MONDAY MORNING IN MAKASSAR, IT WAS LEARNED TODAY. MORE THAN 30 CASUALTIES, HALF OF THEM CIVILIANS, WERE REPORTED.

THE NUMBER OF DEAD WAS NOT STATED.

AFTER THE OUTBREAK OF SHOOTING, DUTCH COMMANDERS ORDERED THEIR INDONESIAN TROOPS TO THEIR BARRACKS. DUTCH AND INDONESIAN OFFICERS MEETING WITH A NEUTRAL UNITED NATIONS MILITARY OBSERVER BROUGHT THE SITUATION UNDER CONTROL.

THE DUTCH-COMMANDED INDONESIANS INVOLVED IN THE CLASH ARE MEMBUUNKHWTCH

THE SITUATION UNDER CONTROL.

THE DUTCH-COMMANDED INDONESIANS INVOLVED IN THE CLASH ARE MEMBERS OF THE DUTCH ARMY IN THE INDIES WHO HAVE NOT BEEN TRANSFERRED YET TO THE CENTRAL INDONESIAN ARMY COMMAND. CONSIDERABLE BAD FEELING HAS EXISTED BETWEEN THESE TROOPS AND THOSE OF THE FEDERAL INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT.

THIS RESULTED IN A REBELLION IN MAKASSAR, THE CAPITAL OF THE STATE OF EAST INDONESIA, IN EARLY APRIL, WHEN FEDERAL GOVERNMENT TROOPS SOUGHT TO GARRISON THE CITY. FORMER DUTCH FORCES REBELLED AND HELD THE TOWN FOR TWO WEEKS BUT SURRENDERED FINALLY TO CENTRAL GOVERNMENT FORCES WITHOUT BLOODSHED.

SIMILAR TROOPS ALSO HAVE CARRIED OUT TWO REBELLIONS ON THE ISLAND OF AMBON IN THE EAST MOLUCCA CHAIN. THE FIRST MUTINY WAS QUICKLY QUELLED BUT REBELLIOUS SOLDIERS AND POLITICAL LEADERS WHO DECLARED THE SOUTH MOLUCCAS INDEPENDENT OF THE JAKARTA GOVERNMENT ON APRIL 26 STILL ARE IN CONTROL OF THE ISLAND.

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B41 (Q)

NEW DELHI, INDIA, MAY 16-(AP)-A GOVERNMENT HOUSE COMMUNIQUE SAID TODAY FORMER GOVERNOR GENERAL CHAKRAVARTHI RAJAGOPALACHARI HAS AGREED TO JOIN THE CABINET OF PRIME MINISTER JAWAHARLAL NEHRU.

THE COMMUNIQUE DID NOT SAY WHAT PORTFOLIO HE WOULD HOLD BUT UNOFFICIAL REPORTS SAID HE WOULD BE EITHER FOREIGN OR FINANCE MINISTER.

THE OFFICIAL STATEMENT SAID SRI PRAKASA, GOVERNOR OF ASSAM, WOULD ALSO BE INCLUDED IN THE CABINET. HE MAY BECOME MINISTER OF COMMERCE.

JM827PED

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B126 (Q)

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(240) NIGHT LEAD COMMONWEALTH

SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA, MAY 16-(AP)-A RIFT DEVELOPED BETWEEN BRITAIN AND AUSTRALIA AT THE COMMONWEALTH CONFERENCE TODAY ON THE QUESTION OF IMMEDIATE ECONOMIC AID TO SOUTHEAST ASIA, AN AUTHORITATIVE SOURCE DISCLOSED.

AUSTRALIA PROPOSED THE ESTABLISHMENT IMMEDIATELY OF A £8,000,000 ($22,400,000) BRITISH COMMONWEALTH FUND TO FINANCE SPEEDY TECHNICAL AID TO COUNTRIES MENACED BY COMMUNISM.

THE BRITISH DELEGATION OPPOSED THE AUSTRALIAN PLAN ON THE GROUND THAT OFFERS OF TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE MUST BE MADE CONDITIONAL ON THE SUBMISSION BY THE BENEFICIARY COUNTRIES OF THEIR DEVELOPMENT PLANS.

PAKISTAN AND CEYLON SUPPORTED AUSTRALIA, WHILE CANADA, INDIA, AND NEW ZEALAND WERE LARGELY ON BRITAIN'S SIDE.

THE AUSTRALIAN VIEW WAS THAT ONLY BY ESTABLISHMENT OF SUCH A FUND COULD THE COMMONWEALTH NATIONS SHOW THEIR GOOD FAITH IN PROPOSALS TO AID SUCH COUNTRIES AS INDOCHINA, INDONESIA, THAILAND, MALAYA AND BURMA. THE AUSTRALIANS SAID THE CONFERENCE MUST CONVINCE THE UNITED STATES THAT THE COMMONWEALTH INTENDS TO DO ITS PART. ALL THE DELEGATIONS HAVE INDICATED THEY BELIEVE THE UNITED STATES MUST MAKE A MAJOR CONTRIBUTION TO STABILITY IN THE AREA.

ORD [redacted] MACDONALD, LEADER OF THE BRITISH DELEGATION, DENIED THAT BRITAIN'S ATTITUDE WOULD DELAY THE TIMELY DISPATCH OF ECONOMIC AID. OTHER MEMBERS OF THE DELEGATION SAID AUSTRALIA WAS "BETRAYING SIGNS OF YOUTHFUL IMPATIENCE" IN TRYING TO PUSH AHEAD BEFORE PRUDENT STEPS HAVE BEEN TAKEN TO ASCERTAIN THE WAY IN WHICH THE MONEY WOULD BE SPENT.

THE ARGUMENT DELAYED SUBMISSION OF A SECOND PART OF THE PROGRAM OF PERCY SPENDER, AUSTRALIAN MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS. THIS PROPOSAL CALLS FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF A CAPITAL INVESTMENT FUND BY THE COMMONWEALTH TO HELP SOUTHEAST ASIA ESTABLISH NEW INDUSTRIES AND DEVELOP TRANSPORT, IRRIGATION AND AGRICULTURE.

SEVENTY DELEGATES FROM THE COMMONWEALTH COUNTRIES OPENED THEIR SESSION HERE YESTERDAY.

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B35 S E G

(300)

SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA, MAY 16-(AP)-THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH CONFERENCE HERE WAS REPORTED TODAY PARTIALLY STALEMATED ON THE QUESTION OF AID TO ASIA.

PAKISTAN AND, TO A LESSER DEGREE, CEYLON WERE SAID TO BE THE ONLY COUNTRIES SYMPATHETIC TO AN AUSTRALIAN PROPOSAL FOR IMMEDIATE AID BY COMMONWEALTH COUNTRIES TO ASIAN AREAS THREATENED BY COMMUNISM.

AUSTRALIA WAS REPORTED AS REGARDING INDONESIA AND INDOCHINA AS CHIEF DANGER SPOTS. MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS PERCY C.SPENDER WAS QUOTED BY INFORMED SOURCES AS SAYING ONLY IMMEDIATE AID WOULD HELP MEET THE RED THREAT.

BRITAIN AND MOST OTHER POWERS REPRESENTED AT THE CONFERENCE WERE SAID TO BE URGING A "GO SLOW" ATTITUDE TOWARD IMMEDIATE HELP TO ASIA. ONE DELEGATE ATTENDING YESTERDAY'S CLOSED CONFERENCE SESSION WAS QUOTED BY THE SYDNEY DAILY MIRROR AS DESCRIBING THIS POLICY AS A "TREASURY" RATHER THAN AN INTERNATIONAL APPROACH TO THE ASIATIC QUESTION.

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THIS DELEGATE, WHO WAS NOT NAMED, SAID HE COULD SEE THE "COLD HAND" OF BRITISH CHANCELLOR OF THE EXCHEQUER SIR STAFFORD CRIPPS IN THE BRITISH POLICY.

AUSTRALIA'S PROPOSAL FOR IMMEDIATE AID WAS REPORTED TO HAVE DRAWN SOLID SUPPORT FROM THE LEADER OF PAKISTAN'S DELEGATION, CHAUDHRY NAZIR AHMAD KHAN, MINISTER OF INDUSTRY.

THE LEADER OF THE BRITISH DELEGATION, LORD MACDONALD, DENIED THAT HIS COUNTRY WAS FOLLOWING A "GO SLOW" POLICY ON THE AID PROPOSALS. HE ASSERTED HIS GROUP WAS SPONSORING ONLY "THE UNANIMOUS POLICY OF THE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT."

CIRCLES CLOSE TO THE CONFERENCE SAID BRITAIN AND THE COUNTRIES

SUPPORTING HER WERE URGING THAT INDIVIDUAL COMMONWEALTH COUNTRIES REACH BILATERAL AID ARRANGEMENTS WITH THE INDIVIDUAL ASIAN NATIONS.

AUSTRALIA, HOWEVER, WAS REPORTED SPONSORING A PLAN THAT ALL ECONOMIC AND OTHER AID BE ON A COMMONWEALTH BASIS, FINANCED BY A COMMONWEALTH POOL TO WHICH ALL THE CONFERENCE NATIONS WOULD SUBSCRIBE.

THE BRITISH DELEGATION WAS REPORTED CIRCULATING A MEMORANDUM TODAY AMONG THE DELEGATES OF THE SEVEN NATIONS IN AN EFFORT TO IMPROVE PROSPECTS OF A SUCCESSFUL CONCLUSION TO THE TALKS. DETAILS OF THE MEMORANDUM WERE NOT DISCLOSED.

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A78KX (140)
BY MILTON MARMOR

BANGKOK, THAILAND (SIAM), MAY 16-(AP)-THE CHINESE NATIONALIST-RUSSIAN WRANGLING IN UNITED NATIONS ORGANIZATIONS SPREAD TO THE ORIENT TODAY AND RESULTED IN ANOTHER SOVIET WALKOUT.

THE RUSSIAN DELEGATION STRODE FROM THE U.N. ECONOMIC CONFERENCE FOR ASIA AND THE FAR EAST (ECAFE) AFTER TWICE BEING VOTED DOWN IN AN ATTEMPT TO UNSEAT THE NATIONALISTS.

S. S. NEMTCHINA, SOVIET MINISTER TO THAILAND AND HEAD OF THE RUSSIA ECAFE DELEGATION, OFFERED A RESOLUTION TO UNSEAT NATIONALIST DELEGATE PATRICK PICHI SUN. THAILAND OFFERED AN AMENDMENT THAT WOULD REFER THE QUESTION TO HIGHER U.N. AUTHORITY.

ON THE VOTE IN THE 13-NATION BODY ON THE THAI AMENDMENT RUSSIA LOST EIGHT TO THREE. THERE WERE TWO ABSTENTIONS, PAKISTAN AND THE UNITED KINGDOM. THE ORIGINAL RESOLUTION LOST BY THE SAME VOTE.

VOTING AGAINST RUSSIA WERE AUSTRALIA, CHINA, FRANCE, THE NETHERLANDS, NEW ZEALAND, THE PHILIPPINES, THAILAND AND THE UNITED STATES. RUSSIA COULD MUSTER THE VOTES ONLY OF INDIA AND BURMA.

PR658PCS

A207

TEL AVIV, ISRAEL, MAY 16-(AP)-TWO MEN WERE SENTENCED TODAY FOR PASSING SECRET MILITARY INFORMATION TO EGYPT. THEY WERE CONVICTED IN ISRAEL'S FIRST SPY TRIAL.

ISAAC SAMAY, 30, A JEW, WAS SENTENCED TO THREE AND A HALF YEARS IN PRISON. MOHAMED ALKATARI, JAFFA ARAB, WAS GIVEN A THREE-YEAR SENTENCE.

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A134

BUENOS AIRES, MAY 16-(AP)-PRESIDENT JUAN D. PERON HAS AWARDED ONE OF ARGENTINA'S HIGHEST DECORATIONS TO U.S. GEN. DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER.

THE OFFICIAL BULLETIN SAID LAST NIGHT EISENHOWER HAS BEEN AWARDED THE ORDER OF LIBERATOR SAN MARTIN IN THE GRADE OF GRAND CROSS. THE DECREE DESIGNATED BRIG. GEN. ARTURO BERTOLLO A SPECIAL AMBASSADOR TO CONFER THE DECORATION IN THE UNITED STATES. HE IS EXPECTED TO LEAVE THIS WEEK BY PLANE.

IN WASHINGTON, THE U.S. ARMY SAID NO FORMAL STEPS HAVEUBEEN TAKEN FOR THE PRESENTATION OF THE AWARD TO THE WARTIME COMMANDER OF ALLIED FORCES. HE IS STILL ON ACTIVE DUTY, THOUGH UNASSIGNED. HE NOW IS PRESIDENT OF COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY IN NEW YORK. UNDER U.S. LAW, CONGRESS MUST APPROVE ACCEPTANCE OF SUCH AWARDS BY OFFICERS IN ACTIVE SERVICE.

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A20

PRECEDE BUENOS AIRES (A134) (170)

NEW YORK, MAY 16-(AP)-A REPRESENTATIVE OF GEN. DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER SAID TODAY IT WAS DOUBTFUL THAT THE GENERAL WOULD BE ABLE TO ACCEPT A HIGH DECORATION AWARDED HIM BY ARGENTINA'S PRESIDENT.

THE GENERAL, NOW PRESIDENT OF COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY, WAS ILL AT HOME WITH A COLD. HE WAS SAID TO BE UNAWARE THAT PRESIDENT JUAN D. PERON, HAD AWARDED HIM ONE OF ARGENTINA'S HIGHEST DECORATIONS.

THE AWARD IS THE ORDER OF LIBERATOR SAN MARTIN IN THE GRADE OF GRAND CROSS.

GRAF BEGINNING "ALTHOUGH EISENHOWER" AND ENDING "THE AWARD."

ALTHOUGH EISENHOWER HIMSELF COULD NOT BE REACHED FOR COMMENT, A REPRESENTATIVE SAID IT WAS UNLIKELY HE COULD ACCEPT THE AWARD.

UNDER U.S. LAW, CONGRESS MUST APPROVE ACCEPTANCE OF SUCH AWARDS BY ARMY OFFICERS IN ACTIVE SERVICE. EISENHOWER, ALTHOUGH UNASSIGNED, STILL IS ON ACTIVE DUTY.

IN BUENOS AIRES, THE OFFICIAL BULLETIN SAID BRIG. GEN. ARTURO BERTOLLO HAD BEEN DESIGNATED A SPECIAL AMBASSADOR TO FLY TO THE U.S., PROBABLY THIS WEEK, TO CONFER THE DECORATION.

IN WASHINGTON, THE U.S. ARMY SAID NO FORMAL STEPS HAVE BEEN TAKEN FOR PRESENTATION OF THE AWARD TO THE WARTIME COMMANDER OF THE ALLIED FORCES.

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A88

MONTEVIDEO, URUGUAY, MAY 16-(AP)-RUSSIAN JAMMING OF BROADCASTS ORIGINATING OUTSIDE OF THE IRON CURTAIN WAS CONDEMNED TODAY BY THE UNITED NATIONS SUBCOMMISSION ON FREEDOM OF INFORMATION AND THE PRESS.

THE RESOLUTION, SPONSORED BY U.S.DELEGATE CARROLL BINDER, CHARGED RUSSIA WITH "DELIBERATE INTERFERENCE" IN KDDPING THE RUSSIAN PEOPLE FROM KNOWING WHAT GOES ON "OUTSIDE THEIR STATE PRISON."

RQ928PED

A127KX

PRINCE RUPERT, B. C., MAY 16-(AP)-REPORTS WERE MADE HERE TODAY THAT RUSSIA HAS BEEN EVACUATING CIVILIANS FROM BIG DIOMEDE ISLAND IN THE BERING SEA AS A POSSIBLE PRELUDE TO PUTTING IN MILITARY INSTALLATIONS.

BIG DIOMEDE IS THE NEAREST RUSSIAN SOIL TO ALASKA. IT IS SEPARATED BY ONLY A MILE OF WATER FROM LITTLE DIOMEDE ISLAND, OWNED BY THE UNITED STATES.

THE REPORTS CAME FROM TRAVELLERS WHO ARRIVED FROM NORTHERN ALASKA. THEY ASKED ANONYMITY BUT WERE DESCRIBED AS RELIABLE INFORMANTS.

FJ926PCS

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A93

HAMILTON, ONT., MAY 16-(AP)-A BARRAGE OF EGGS AND TOMATOES GREETED BRITAIN'S "RED DEAN" OF CANTERBURY, THE VERY REV.HEWLETT JOHNSON, LAST NIGHT AS HE CONTINUED A CANADIAN SPEAKING TOUR.

DEAN JOHNSON, BANNED FROM THE UNITED STATES FOR HIS LEFTIST SYMPATHIES, WAS PELTED AS HE FINISHED A SPEECH AND STARTED DOWN THE STREET TOWARD ANOTHER HALL WHERE THE REV.DR.JAMES ENDICOTT, CHAIRMAN OF THE CANADIAN "PEACE CONGRESS," WAS SPEAKING.

FD832AED

B11WX SCEG

(280) BOMBERS

WASHINGTON,MAY 16-(AP)-A GROUP OF BIG B-36 INTERCONTINENTAL BOMBERS IS TO BE MOVED TO SPOKANE,WASH., WITHIN EASY REACH OF STRATEGIC U.S. AIR BASES IN ALASKA.

THIS WOULD PLACE THE HEAVYWEIGHTS WITHIN COMBAT RANGE OF RAILWAY AND INDUSTRIAL CENTERS IN SOVIET SIBERIA. BY REFUELING OVER ALASKA THEY COULD EXTEND THEIR REACH.

PLANS TO TRANSFER THE BOMBERS INTO THE NORTHWEST WERE DISCLOSED BY THE AIR FORCE YESTERDAY IN AN ANNOUNCEMENT THAT THE 92ND BOMB WING WOULD BE RE-EQUIPPED WITH B-36S. THE 92ND IS ONE OF TWO B-29 SUPERFORTRESS WINGS STATIONED AT SPOKANE.

THE B-36S, WHICH THE AIR FORCE SAYS CAN CARRY 10,000 POUNDS OF BOMBS 5,000 MILES AND RETURN, WILL START MOVING INTO THE NORTHWEST NEXT YEAR. EVENTUALLY THE WING WILL HAVE 30 OF THE HEAVYWEIGHTS.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE MOVEMENT POINTED UP THE RECENT AIR FORCE DECISION TO TRANSFER FIGHTER-INTERCEPTER WING HEADQUARTERS AND TWO SQUADRONS OF NORTH AMERICAN F-86 SABRES--SWIFT JET FIGHTERS--FROM ALBUQUERQUE,N.M., TO MOSES LAKE,WASH. THIS WOULD PLACE THE JETS IN DEFENSE RANGE OF THE SPOKANE BASE.

THE AIR FORCE ALSO ANNOUNCED IN MARCH THAT THREE OTHER FIGHTER SQUADRONS STATIONED IN WASHINGTON STATE ARE TO BE RE-EQUIPPED WITH RADAR-CARRYING JET PLANES.

THE SECOND B-29 WING NOW AT SPOKANE, THE 98TH, WILL MOVE WITHIN THE NEXT FEW MONTHS TO RAMEY AIR FORCE BASE AT AGUADILLA, PUERTO RICO.

EQUIPMENT OF THE SPOKANE WING WITH B-36S WILL GIVE THE U.S. THE FULL B-36 ORGANIZATIONAL STRENGTH OUTLINED TO CONGRESS BY W.STUART SYMINGTON, FORMER AIR SECRETARY.

TWO OTHER B-36 BOMB WINGS HAVE BEEN DESIGNATED PREVIOUSLY AT FORT WORTH,TEXAS, AND ONE AT FAIRFIELD-SUISUN AIR BASE IN CALIFORNIA. THESE THREE WINGS ALREADY HAVE SOME OF THE 30 OPERATIONAL PLANES ASSIGNED THEM.

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A199WX (SHORTS & BJT)

(300) AMS BUDGET

150,000TH DP

BY ARTHUR EDSON

WASHINGTON,MAY 16-(AP)-DACE EPERMANIS, A PUZZLED BUT GAME 12-YEAR-OLD LATVIAN GIRL WHO IS THE 150,000TH DISPLACED PERSON TO REACH THESE SHORES, HELD A NEWS CONFERENCE TODAY AND DISCLOSED THAT:

SHE LIKES TELEVISION VERY MUCH.

SHE LIKES NEW YORK CITY VERY MUCH.

SHE LIKES AMERICA VERY MUCH.

A CUTE BLONDE, WITH HER LONG HAIR IN BRAIDS, DACE (PRONOUNCED "DAH-TZE") IS BEING GIVEN THE ALL-OUT TREATMENT, AS BEFITTING THE 150,000TH DISPLACED PERSON TO ARRIVE HERE.

SHE WAS BROUGHT TO WASHINGTON BY THE NATIONAL CAPITAL SESQUICENTANNIAL COMMISSION, AN OUTFIT SET UP TO HELP THIS CITY CELEBRATE ITS 150TH BIRTHDAY.

THE SESQUI PEOPLE HAVE A WEEKLONG PROGRAM LINED UP FOR HER THAT WOULD STAGGER AN OX. IT INCLUDES EVERYTHING FROM MEETING THE GOVERNORS OF VIRGINIA AND MARYLAND TO GETTING AN HONORARY MEMBERSHIP IN THE 4-H CLUB.

ALL OF WHICH IS QUITE A LOAD FOR A LITTLE GIRL WHO HAS SPENT FIVE OF HER 12 YEARS IN A DISPLACED PERSONS (DP) CAMP.

BUT SHE IS BEARING UP WELL, AS IS HER FAMILY.

THIS INCLUDES HER FATHER, BERNHARDS (CORRECT), AND A 15-YEAR-OLD BROTHER, JURIS, WHO HAS DECIDED HE'D RATHER BE KNOWN AS GEORGE. FATHER AND GEORGE HAVE GONE ON TO PERRY,N.Y., TO WORK ON A DAIRY FARM.

DACE AND MRS.EPERMANIS--LIKE DACE, SHE'S A NICE LOOKING BLONDE--CAME HERE.

APPROXIMATELY EIGHT QUICK TONGUED PRESS AGENTS WERE PRESENT FOR THE NEWS CONFERENCE, AND THEY WERE SO FAST WITH THE ANSWERS THAT IT WAS HARD TO HEAR SOFT VOICED DACE.

BUT OVER THE HUBBUB I COULD MAKE OUT THAT DACE HAD SEEN SOME TELEVISION SHOWS IN NEW YORK, AND THAT ONE OF THEM SHOWED DACE GETTING OFF THE SHIP "GENERAL C.C.BALLOU."

HAD SHE LIKED TELEVISION?

"YOW," SAID DACE, "VERY MUCH."

SHE HAD THE SAME ANSWER TO THE QUESTIONS OF HOW SHE LIKED NEW YORK AND AMERICA.

"DO YOU PLAN TO BECOME AN AMERICAN CITIZEN?" ONE OF THE LADY PRESS AGENTS ASKED.

"OH, YOW," SAID DACE. BUT SHE LOOKED PUZZLED AT THAT ONE. APPARENTLY IT NEVER BEFORE OCCURRED TO THE LITTLE GIRL FROM A DP CAMP THAT SOMEONE MIGHT NOT WANT TO.

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A180WX

RUSSIAN

WASHINGTON,MAY 16-(AP)-THE STATE DEPARTMENT SCOFFED TODAY AT RUSSIAN CHARGES THAT THE UNITED STATES IS MAKING AERIAL SURVEYS ALONG THE IRANIAN-SOVIET FRONTIER AND IS BUILDING MILITARY ROADS IN AFGHANISTAN.

THE SOVIETS MADE THE ACCUSATION INVOLVING IRAN IN A NOTE TO THE IRANIAN GOVERNMENT. THEY SAID IRAN IS USING AMERICAN EXPERTS TO TAKE AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHS ALONG THE BORDER DURING OIL PROSPECTING OPERATIONS AND DECLARED THIS HAS "MILITARY SIGNIFICANCE."

THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S PRESS OFFICER, LINCOLN WHITE, TOLD REPORTERS THAT WAS "UTTER AND COMPLETE NONSENSE."

HE ADDED THAT IRAN, AS PART OF A SEVEN-YEAR DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM, HAD SOUGHT BIDS FROM AMERICAN COMPANIES FOR AERIAL SURVEYS, BUT NO CONTRACT HAS BEEN AWARDED.

AMERICANS HAVE BEEN ENGAGED TO DRILL EXPLORATORY OIL WELLS IN NORTHERN IRAN, WHITE SAID, BECAUSE "THEY ARE BY FAIR THE MOST PROFICIENT IN THIS SORT OF WORK." HE SAID THAT WAS PURELY AN IRANIAN PROJECT AND SO FAR AS THE DEPARTMENT KNOWS WORK HAS NOT BEEN STARTED.

AS FOR THE NEW MOSCOW CONTENTION THAT AMERICANS ARE BUILDING MILITARY ROADS IN AFGHANISTAN, WHITE NOTED THAT AN AMERICAN CONCERN, THE MORRISON KNUDSEN COMPANY, IS ENGAGED IN LARGE SCALE IRRIGATION PROJECTS AND AS PART OF THIS HAS BUILT A ROAD SOME 80 MILES LONG. THIS, HOWEVER, IS ALONG THE SOUTHERN BORDER OF THE COUNTRY, NEAR PAKISTAN, AND IS NOT IN THE VICINITY OF THE SOVIET FRONTIER, WHITE SAID.

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30.24- 11115

A90WX

WASHINGTON, MAY 16-(AP)-REP. HINSHAW (R-CALIF) SAID TODAY THAT ONLY 2,004 OF THE 22,000 AIRPLANES WHICH THE AIR FORCE HAD AS OF LAST JULY 1 WERE MODERN COMBAT PLANES.

HINSHAW TOLD AN AERO CLUB LUNCHEON AN ANALYSIS OF A SEMI-ANNUAL REPORT BY W. STUART SYMINGTON, FORMER SECRETARY OF THE AIR FORCE, SHOWED THESE FIGURES:

THE AIR FORCE HAD 22,000 PLANES AT THE START OF THE CURRENT FISCAL YEAR. ONLY 10,250 OF THESE WERE COMBAT TYPES. THE REST WERE TRAINERS, TRANSPORTS AND OTHER NON-COMBAT TYPES.

OF THE COMBAT PLANES, 8,246 WERE WORLD WAR II TYPES THAT ARE BECOMING OBSOLETE VERY RAPIDLY AND ARE EXPECTED TO BE WRITTEN OFF IN 1951 OR 1952.

"THAT LEAVES YOU WITH 2,004 MODERN PLANES, SOME OF WHICH WILL BECOME OBSOLETE IN 1952," HINSHAW SAID.

HE ADDED THAT THE RATE OF AIRCRAFT PRODUCTION IN 1950 IS JUST ABOUT ENOUGH TO SUSTAIN A 42-GROUP AIR FORCE. THAT IS SIX GROUPS LESS THAN PRESIDENT TRUMAN FAVORS AND FAR LESS THAN THE 70-GROUP AIR FORCE RECOMMENDED BY THE PRESIDENT'S AIR POLICY COMMISSION IN JANUARY 1948.

"I CAN SEE NOTHING IN THE INTERNATIONAL PICTURE," REP.HINSHAW SAID, "THAT WOULD LEAD US TO BELIEVE WE ARE ANY FURTHER FROM WAR THAN WHEN THAT REPORT WAS ISSUED TWO YEARS AGO."

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A91WX (120)

(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 9 PM EASTERN STANDARD TIME TONIGHT, TUESDAY MAY 16)

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON,MAY 16-(AP)-THE MARINES ARE DEVELOPING AN AERIAL TAXI SERVICE FOR USE IN ANY FUTURE INVASION OPERATIONS, GEN.CLIFTON B.CATES SAID TONIGHT.

INSTEAD OF WADING ASHORE FROM LANDING CRAFT, HE SAID THEY'LL RIDE ABOARD GIANT HELICOPTERS SHUTTLING BETWEEN THE BEACHHEAD AND THE TRANSPORT FLEET SCATTERED 50 TO 100 MILES AT SEA AS A SAFEGUARD AGAINST AN ATOMIC BOMB ATTACK.

THE MARINE CORPS COMMANDANT OUTLINED THIS NEW INVASION TECHNIQUE IN AN INTERVIEW WITH ROBERT SHERROD OF TIME MAGAZINE WHICH WAS PREPARED FOR RADIO BROADCAST (ABC).

CATES DID NOT GO INTO DETAILS OF THE HELICOPTER FERRY PLAN EXCEPT TO SAY IT "HOLDS THE GREATEST PROMISE" OF THE MANY IDEAS THE MARINES ARE TRYING OUT TO COPE WITH THE A-BOMB THREAT.

(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 9 PM EST TONIGHT TUESDAY MAY 16)

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B62WX

AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE

WASHINGTON, MAY 16-(AP)-THE HOUSE PASSED TODAY AND SENT TO THE SENATE A BILL TO GRANT CITIZENSHIP TO ALEXANDER STEWART OF HOUSTON, TEX., WHO, AS A 12-YEAR OLD FRENCH ORPHAN, JOINED AMERICAN FIGHTING FORCES IN AFRICA IN 1942.

HE FOUGHT FOR 5 YEARS WITH AMERICAN TROOPS IN ITALY AND AFRICA. RECORDS OF THE HOUSE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE SHOW THAT IN 1947 HE STOWED AWAY ABOARD A VESSEL AT MARSEILLES, FRANCE, AND LANDED IN GALVESTON, TEX.

LOU NORA SPILLER, ASSISTANT U.S. ATTORNEY FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS, WROTE REP.THOMAS (D-TEX) LAST JANUARY THAT THE YOUTH CAME TO HER ATTENTION WHILE SHE WAS PROSECUTING ILLEGAL ENTRY CASES.

SHE SAID HE IS INTELLIGENT AND THAT HE SPEAKS AND WRITES ENGLISH WELL. THOMAS THEN INTRODUCED THE BILL WHICH THE HOUSE PASSED.

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A92WX (200)

NIGHT LEAD COMMUNISTS

WASHINGTON,MAY 16-(AP)-SENATE DEMOCRATIC LEADER LUCAS (ILL) TOOK ANOTHER JAB TODAY AT SENATOR MC CARTHY'S CHARGES OF COMMUNISM IN THE GOVERNMENT. MC CARTHY, WISCONSIN REPUBLICAN, JABBED RIGHT BACK.

LUCAS, JUST BACK FROM A PARTY RALLY IN CHICAGO, TOLD REPORTERS:

"I BELIEVE THE MC CARTHY CAMPAIGN IS HAVING VERY LITTLE EFFECT ON THE VOTERS.

"HE HAS MADE SO MANY CHARGES WITHOUT PROOF, ONE ON TOP OF THE OTHER, THAT THE PEOPLE AREN'T PAYING ATTENTION ANY LONGER."

INFORMED OF LUCAS' REMARKS, MC CARTHY SAID:

"THAT INDICATES THE ATTITUDE OF LUCAS AND THE ADMINISTRATION. AS THEY SEE IT, THE QUESTION IS NOT: ARE THERE COMMUNISTS IN HIGH PLACES IN THE GOVERNMENT?

"THE QUESTION (AS THEY SEE IT) IS: ARE THE VOTERS DISTURBED?

"APPARENTLY THE ADMINISTRATION HAS DECIDED THAT THE VOTERS AREN'T DISTURBED, SO IT IS CONTINUING OPERATION WHITEWASH."

MC CARTHY HAS CHARGED THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT IS A HAVEN FOR MANY COMMUNISTS AND FELLOW TRAVELERS. LUCAS HAS SAID REPEATEDLY THAT MC CARTHY HAS FAILED TO PROVE THE CHARGES.

MC CARTHY'S CONTENTION IS THAT PROOF CAN BE FOUND IN THE FILES OF THE FBI, THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND OTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCIES. A SENATE INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE IS STUDYING STATE DEPARTMENT LOYALTY FILES, BUT HAS NOT HAD ACCESS TO ORIGINAL FBI RECORDS.

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B83WX

WASHINGTON,MAY 16-(AP)-SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON AND GENERAL OMAR BRADLEY, CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF, WILL LEAVE FOR A 13-DAY TOUR OF THE FAR EAST COMMAND JUNE 11.

THEY WILL VISIT HAWAII, KWAJALEIN, GUAM, OKINAWA AND TOKYO.

THIS WILL BE JOHNSON'S FIRST VISIT IN THE PACIFIC AREA SINCE HE BECAME DEFENSE SECRETARY. GENERAL BRADLEY MADE HIS FIRST TRIP TO THE FAR EAST IN FEBRUARY WITH THE THREE CHIEFS OF STAFF.

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A84WX

PANYUSHKIN (200)

WASHINGTON,MAY 16-(AP)-RUSSIAN AMBASSADOR ALEXANDER S.PANYUSHKIN LEAVING TODAY FOR MOSCOW, IS EXPECTED TO GIVE THE SOVIET FOREIGN OFFICE A FIRST HAND REPORT ON HOW THE COLD WAR LOOKS FROM WASHINGTON.

THE ENVOY IS DUE TO SAIL FROM NEW YORK ON THE POLISH LINER BATORY ON HIS SECOND VISIT HOME SINCE HE CAME TO THE UNITED STATES AS AMBASSADOR LATE IN 1947.

EMBASSY AIDES DESCRIBED THE TRIP AS A ROUTINE LEAVE OF ABSENCE BUT ADDED HE DOUBTLESS WOULD CONFER WITH FOREIGN MINISTER A.Y.VISHINSKY AND OTHER FOREIGN OFFICE OFFICIALS ON TROUBLED U.S.-SOVIET RELATIONS.

WHEN PANYUSHKIN WENT BACK TWO YEARS AGO HE REPORTED ON THE NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE UNITED STATES TO SETTLE RUSSIA'S $11,000,000,000 (B) LEND LEASE ACCOUNT. THAT ISSUE IS STILL UNDER DISCUSSION IN INTERMITTENT TALKS AT THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

IN THE MEANTIME, HOWEVER, RUSSIA HAS RETURNED SOME TWO-SCORE OF AMERICAN SHIPS AND SMALL CRAFT TURNED OVER TO HER DURING WORLD WAR II.

AIDES HERE LOOK FOR THE AMBASSADOR TO RETURN IN A FEW WEEKS.

DURING HIS ABSENCE THE EMBASSY IS IN CHARGE OF COUNSELOR VLADIMIR I.BAZYKIN, AS CHARGE D'AFFAIRES. THE AMBASSADOR'S FAMILY IS ALREADY IN RUSSIA.

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A166

NEW YORK, MAY 16-(AP)-ALEXANDER S.PANYUSHKIN, SOVIET AMBASSADOR TO THE UNITED STATES, SAILED FOR RUSSIA TODAY. HE SAID HE WAS GOING HOME FOR A REST UNDER HIS DOCTOR'S CARE.

HE TOLD NEWSMEN, WHO INTERVIEWED HIM ABOARD THE LINER BATORY, HE WOULD BE GONE ABOUT TWO MONTHS.

THE AMBASSADOR SPOKE THROUGH AN INTERPRETER. BUT WHEN PRESSED FOR COMMENT ON THE STATUS OF RELATIONS BETWEEN HIS COUNTRY AND THE U.S., HE CLAPPED HIS HANDS AND SAID IN ENGLISH:

"THAT'S ALL. THAT'S ENOUGH. THAT'S MORE THAN ENOUGH."

THEN PANYUSHKIN TURNED AWAY LAUGHLINGLY TO CHAT WITH AIDES WHO CAME TO THE SHIP TO SAY FAREWELL.

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A58AX

OAK RIDGE, TENN., MAY 16-(AP)-COMES NOW REAL ATOMIC TOYS FOR THE YOUNGSTERS.

THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION SAID TODAY IT IS SHIPPING RADIOACTIVE INSOTOPES TO A.G.GILBERT MANUFACTURING COMPANY OF NEW HAVEN, CONN., FOR USE IN MAKING ATOMIC TOYS.

THE RAY-EMITTING ISOTOPE IS ZINC 65, DESCRIBED BY ATOMIC SCIENTISTS AS A "HARMLESS" ISOTOPE, OR ELEMENT, WITH A HALF-LIFE OF 250 DAYS.

THE AEC SAYS THE GILBERT COMPANY PROPOSES TO MAKE TOYS IN WHICH KIDDIES CAN WATCH "ATOMIC DISINTEGRATION."

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C O R R E C T I O N

OAK RIDGE,TENN., ATOMIC TOYS (A58), IN THIRD GRAF BEGINNING "THE RAY-EMITTING" X X X READ IT X X X ISOTOPE, OR ELEMENT, WHICH WILL KEEP RADIOACTIVELY "CHARGED" FOR MORE THAN EIGHT MONTHS.

THE AEC SAYS X X X, ETC., FOURTH GRAF (REPHRASES, ELIMINATES REFERENCE TO "HALF-LIFE.")

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 7:30 P.M. (EASTERN STANDARD TIME) TONIGHT, MAY 16)

(ADVANCE)--BALTIMORE, MAY 16--(AP)--OWEN LATTIMORE SAID TONIGHT THAT IF SOME OF HIS IDEAS HAD BEEN ACCEPTED, CHINA MIGHT NOT NOW BE IN COMMUNIST HANDS.

HE FURTHER ARGUED THAT THOSE SUGGESTIONS MIGHT HAVE PREVENTED THE AMERICAN POSITION IN ALL ASIA FROM BECOMING "SO DANGEROUSLY EXPOSED" TO MORE COMMUNIST ADVANCE.

THE JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY PROFESSOR--A MAIN TARGET OF SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS)-MADE HIS STATEMENTS IN A SPEECH PREPARED FOR DELIVERY AT A FACULTY SESSION ESPECIALLY CALLED TO EXPRESS FULL BELIEF IN HIS LOYALTY."

MCCARTHY IN AN ATLANTIC CITY SPEECH YESTERDAY ASKED THAT SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON BE FIRED BECAUSE HE HAD "BOUGHT" A LATTIMORE PLAN FOR THE FAR EAST WHICH WAS "GIGANTIC IN ITS FRAUD AND COMPLETE IN ITS DECEIT."

MCCARTHY CHARGED DURING THE RECENT SENATE INVESTIGATION, AND LATTIMORE VIGOROUSLY DENIED, ANY COMMUNIST AFFILIATION OR LEANINGS.

AFTER SOME REFERENCE TO THE "DISREPUTABLE MCCARTHY AND HIS "HIT-AND-RUN CAMPAIGN OF MAKING LIBELOUS CHARGES AGAINST ME", LATTIMORE UNDERSCORED TWO STATEMENTS IN HIS FACULTY SPEECH:

"1. THERE HAVE BEEN TIMES WHEN I HAVE APPROVED, IN BOOKS OR ARTICLES, SPECIFIC POINTS IN AMERICAN FOREIGN POLICY. IN ALL SUCH CASES, THE COMPARISON SHOWS, PERFECTLY CLEARLY, THAT IT WAS I WHO WAS ACCEPTING OFFICIAL POLICY, AND NOT THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE THAT WAS ACCEPTING SUGGESTIONS MADE BY ME.

"2. I HAVE MADE A NUMBER OF SUGGESTIONS THAT WERE NEVER ACCEPTED BY AMERICAN POLICY MAKERS. IN MANY OF THESE CASES IT CAN BE ARGUED, WITH A HIGH DEGREE OF PROBABILITY, THAT IF MY SUGGESTIONS HAD BEEN ADOPTED CHINA WOULD NOT NOW BE IN THE HANDS OF COMMUNISTS, AND THE AMERICAN POSITION THROUGH ASIA WOULD NOT BE SO DANGEROUSLY EXPOSED TO FURTHER SUCCESSFUL ADVANCES."

LATTIMORE SAID NO ONE IN WASHINGTON WAS INTERESTED IN THIS LINE OF INQUIRY. ON THE OTHER HAND, THERE WERE "VARIOUS POLITICAL MARCHINGS AND COUNTERMARCHINGS."

MARCHINGS AND COUNTERMARCHINGS."

AMONG THE MOST AMAZING OF THEM, LATTIMORE TOLD THE FACULTY GROUP, WAS THAT THREE FORMER SECRETARIES OF STATE, AS WELL AS ACHESON, "WHEELED INTO LINE AND DISCHARGED A VOLLEY TO THE EFFECT THAT THEY HAD NEVER KNOWN ME AND I HAD NEVER SLIPPED ANYTHING OVER ON THEM."

HE SAID THE ASTONISHING PART WAS THAT "NOT ONE OF THEM MADE A SIMPLE, FORTHRIGHT STATEMENT TO THE EFFECT THAT HE MADE HIS OWN FOREIGN POLICY, DREW ON WHAT ADVICE HE SAW FIT IN DOING SO, AND TOOK THE RESPONSIBILITY FOR IT."

(END ADVANCE FOR USE AFTER 7:30 P.M. (EST) TONIGHT, MAY 16)

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BALTIMORE,MAY 16-(AP)-GENERAL OMAR N.BRADLEY IS DISSATISFIED WITH THE PRESENT STATE OF ALASKAN DEFENSES, BUT HE SAYS THAT INSTALLATIONS ON THAT "MOST EXPOSED PART OF U.S.SOIL" WILL BE RUSHED TO COMPLETION.

THE CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF MADE THESE REMARKS IN A BRIEF SPEECH BEFORE THE ASSOCIATION OF COMMERCE HERE YESTERDAY, IN OPENING AIR FORCES WEEK.

HE ALSO COMMENTED ON THE STRATEGIC VALUE OF SPAIN IN A WESTERN DEFENSE SYSTEM IN EUROPE, BUT ACKNOWLEDGED THAT SEVERAL FACTORS BECLOUDED THE SITUATION IN SPAIN--"PREJUDICES RAISED BY THE SPANISH REVOLUTION X X X , DICTATORSHIP X X X AND RELIGIOUS INTOLERANCE."

THE GENERAL OBSERVED THAT AMERICAN DEFENSES IN ANY FUTURE WAR WOULD REQUIRE "TOTAL MOBILIZATION," END ADDED THAT SUCH AN EFFORT ALSO IS NEEDED "EVEN TO WIN THE COLD WAR."

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30.24- 11117

B77WX (Q) (GABRIELSON)
(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 12 NOON, EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, TUESDAY, MAY 16)
GABRIELSON (250)
(ADVANCE) (WX) ATLANTIC CITY, MAY 16-(AP)-GUY GEORGE GABRIELSON, CHAIRMAN OF THE REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE, URGED TODAY AN "ALL-OUT, SUSTAINED POLITICAL OFFENSIVE" AGAINST THE "EVIL FORCE" OF COMMUNISM.

HE PROPOSED TO DO IT BY CONVINCING OTHER PEOPLE OF THE WORLD THAT THE AMERICAN WAY OF LIFE IS THE BEST WAY.

SINCE THE END OF THE WAR, HE SAID, THE UNITED STATES HAS LET COMMUNIST CONSPIRATORS "CALL THE TUNE AND WE DANCE."

"THEY HAVE GOTTEN THE JUMP ON US EACH TIME," HE ADDED.

GABRIELSON MADE WHAT HE CALLED A "NON-POLITICAL" TALK TO THE DIAMOND JUBILEE OF THE AMERICAN SONS OF THE REVOLUTION.

HE SAID IN HIS PREPARED ADDRESS THAT THE AMERICAN WAY OF LIFE IS THE "MOST DEVASTATING POLITICAL WEAPON EVER KNOWN" BUT THE "TRAGIC TRUTH IS THAT IT HAS BEEN LITTLE USED."

"WE HAVE PERMITTED THE COMMUNIST CONSPIRATORS TO TAKE THE OFFENSIVE, TO ENJOY THE VITAL TACTICAL ADVANTAGE OF SELECTING THE TIME AND PLACE OF EACH ENCOUNTER, AND TO DICTATE THE TERMS UNDER WHICH IT SHALL BE FOUGHT," HE SAID.

CALLING FOR AN END TO WHAT HE CALLED A "FALSE MODESTY" THAT HAS "SO SEVERELY HANDICAPPED US" IN THE FIGHT AGAINST COMMUNISM, HE URGED:

"LET US STOP THIS HESITANCY ABOUT BRINGING TO OTHER PEOPLES THE PRINCIPLES SET DOWN IN SUCH RINGING TERMS IN OUR CONSTITUTION.

"LET US LAUNCH AN ALL-OUT, SUSTAINED POLITICAL OFFENSIVE."

HE SAID HE IS CERTAIN THAT PEOPLE IN OTHER COUNTRIES WILL RESPOND TO THE CAMPAIGN.

(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 12 NOON, EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, TUESDAY, MAY 16)

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B130 (Q)
NIGHT LEAD DRAPER ADLER
BY GEORGE MILLER
(NY) HARTFORD, CONN., MAY 16-(AP)-A JURYMAN SPOKE UP TODAY AT THE ADLER-DRAPER LIBEL TRIAL TO DEMAND WHERE EX-COMMUNIST LOUIS BUDENZ GOT THE INFORMATION HE SAID HE POSSESSED.

BUDENZ, A WITNESS FOR MRS. HESTER MCCULLOUGH WHOM THE ENTERTAINERS ARE SUING FOR $200,000, HAD TESTIFIED LAST WEEK THAT DANCER PAUL DRAPER AND HARMONICA PLAYER LARRY ADLER WERE "COMMUNIST ENTERTAINERS."

JUST BEFORE BUDENZ LEFT THE STAND TODAY, ARTHUR SEBERT, OF SOUTH COVENTRY, CONN., AN ALTERNATE JUROR, DEMANDED TO KNOW ON WHAT THE WITNESS BASED HIS CHARGE.

THE INFORMATION, BUDENZ SAID, "CAME FROM MANY SOURCES AND ARTISTS. LIKE PAUL ROBESON, A WRITER LIKE HOWARD FAST, A NEWSPAPERMAN LIKE CARL RANDAU."

THE JUROR ASKED: "DID THEY SAY THAT TO YOU DIRECTLY?"

"YES, SIR," REPLIED BUDENZ.

BUDENZ, FORMER MANAGING EDITOR OF THE COMMUNIST DAILY WORKER, NOW IS A FORDHAM UNIVERSITY PROFESSOR.

THE ENTERTAINERS CLAIM THAT MRS. MCCULLOUGH, OF GREENWICH, CONN., DAMAGED THEIR REPUTATIONS WHEN SHE CALLED THEM PRO-COMMUNIST.

COUNSEL FOR THE ENTERTAINERS TRIED DURING THE DAY TO BRING OUT EXCERPTS FROM A MAY 12 SPEECH IN THE U.S. SENATE IN WHICH SEN. CHAVEZ (D-NM) CALLED BUDENZ "AMERICA'S NO. 1 PROFESSIONAL WITNESS."

AFTER THE DEFENSE OBJECTED, FEDERAL JUDGE J. JOSEPH SMITH RULED THAT THE CHAVEZ SPEECH "WOULD BE A SECOND-HAND DENUNCIATION OF THIS WITNESS" AND NOT ADMISSABLE.

A DEPOSITION BY JOHN HUBER, SELF-DESCRIBED EX-FBI UNDERCOVER MAN, WAS INTRODUCED. IN IT, HUBER SAID HE CONCLUDED DRAPER WAS A COMMUNIST "BECAUSE OF MEETING HIM WITH SO MANY COMMUNISTS."

"I DO KNOW HE HAD BEEN CONNECTED WITH COMMUNIST FRONTS FOR MANY YEARS," HUBER'S STATEMENT SAID.

IN THE WRITTEN TESTIMONY, READ TO THE JURY, HUSER WAS ASKED IF HE KNEW IF ADLER WAS A PARTY MEMBER. "NO, SIR," HE REPLIED.

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SAN FRANCISCO, MAY 16-(AP)-PREMIER CHOU EN-LAI OF COMMUNIST CHINA TODAY DECLARED GENERAL MACARTHUR'S CLEMENCY POLICY FOR JAPANESE WAR PRISONERS WAS AN "OUTRAGEOUS ACT."

THE PEIPING RADIO BROADCAST A STATEMENT FROM CHOU SAYING THE RED REGIME AGREES FULLY WITH RUSSIA, WHICH PROTESTED MACARTHUR'S PAROLE SYSTEM LAST FRIDAY. THE BROADCAST WAS MONITORED HERE.

IT WAS THE SECOND ATTACK BY THE COMMUNIST RADIO ON THE OCCUPATION COMMANDER IN TWO DAYS. YESTERDAY A BROADCAST ACCUSED HIM OF "INTRIGUES" TO TURN "JAPAN INTO AN AMERICAN MILITARY BASE FOR USE AGAINST CHINA AND THE U.S.S.R."

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B101KX (Q)
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SAN FRANCISCO, MAY 16-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER LIAQUAT ALI KHAN SAID TODAY THAT ADVANCED NATIONS HAVE A "MORAL RESPONSIBILITY" TO SHARE THEIR EXPERIENCE AND KNOWLEDGE WITH BACKWARD COUNTRIES SUCH AS HIS NATIVE PAKISTAN.

IN A SPEECH TO THE COMMONWEALTH CLUB, LIAQUAT ALI SAID PAKISTAN ASKS THE GOODWILL AND COOPERATION OF ALL PEACE-LOVING NATIONS IN THE WORLD IN ORDER TO CARRY OUT HER SOLE AIMS:

"1. TO PRESERVE OUR FREEDOM AND OUR ISLAMIC DEMOCRATIC WAY OF LIFE TO RESIST ALL AGGRESSION.

"2. TO DEVELOP OUR COUNTRY IN ORDER TO PULL OUR PEOPLE OUT OF THE DEPTHS OF POVERTY AND IGNORANCE.

"3. TO MAKE OUR FULLEST CONTRIBUTION TO THE MAINTENANCE OF WORLD PEACE."

THE PRIME MINISTER, LEADER OF PAKISTAN'S 80,000,000 (M) MOSLEM CITIZENS, ADDED:

"THANKS TO ITS MOSLEM FAITH, PAKISTAN STANDS UNSHAKEN IN THE FACE OF THE "DANGEROUS COMBINATION" OF STRONG NATIONAL FEELING AND EXTREME POVERTY WHICH SWEEPS ASIA."

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NEW YORK, MAY 16-(AP)-JUDITH COPLON, TWICE CONVICTED OF SPYING FOR RUSSIA AND FACING UP TO 25 YEARS IN PRISON, SAID TODAY SHE LOOKED FORWARD TO A JUNE WEDDING AND EVENTUALLY RAISING A FAMILY.

"WE ARE SO MUCH IN LOVE," THE 28-YEAR-OLD FORMER JUSTICE DEPARTMENT ANALYST SAID DURING A PRESS CONFERENCE. HER HUSBAND-TO-BE, ALBERT H. SOCOLOV, 29, NEW YORK ATTORNEY AND WAR VETERAN, BEAMED HIS AGREEMENT.

THE ROMANCE BEGAN, THE COUPLE SAID, WHILE SOCOLOV WAS DOING RESEARCH WORK LAST MARCH ON THE CASE IN WHICH THE EX-GOVERNMENT GIRL AND VALENTIN GUBITCHEV WERE JOINTLY CONVICTED OF PSYING FOR RUSSIA.

THEY BEGAN SEEING EACH OTHER ABOUT FIVE NIGHTS EVERY WEEK, GOING TO THE MOVIES, THEATERS AND PARKS LIKE ANY COUPLE FALLING IN LOVE.

SOCOLOV SAID HE PROPOSED MARRIAGE ABOUT THREE WEEKS AGO.

"WHEN WE ARE MARRIED," SOCOLOV SAID, "WE HOPE WE WILL BE LEFT ALONE, AND ALLOWED TO LEAD A PEACEFUL MARRIED LIFE. WE WANT HAPPINESS. WE WANT SYMPATHETIC UNDERSTANDING BY THE PEOPLE. WE WANT OUR LOVE TO STAY UNTARNISHED BY PUBLIC SCORN."

MISS COPLON, HONOR GRADUATE OF HARVARD COLLEGE, IS FREE IN $60,000 BAIL WHILE APPEALING HER TWIN SPY CONVICTIONS.

A REPORTER ASKED THE COUPLE IF THEY HAD CONSIDERED WHAT WOULD HAPPEN IF MISS COPLON'S APPEALS WERE DENIED AND SHE FOUND HERSELF AN EXPECTANT MOTHER.

THEY BOTH HAD CONSIDERED THE MATTER OF CHILDREN, SOCOLOV SAID, "BUT NOT IN THAT WAY."

"OUR MARRIAGE IS NOT ANY ATTEMPT TO INTERFERE WITH JUSTICE IN THIS CASE," HE DECLARED. "WE ARE JUST TWO PEOPLE WHO HAPPEN TO BE IN LOVE, AND WANT TO GET MARRIED."

THE ATTORNEY REITERATED HIS BELIEF IN HIS FIANCE'S INNOCENCE. HE SAID HE WAS SURE THE COURTS WOULD ABSOLVE HER OF GUILT.

THEY ALREADY HAVE SELECTED A MODEST THREE-ROOM APARTMENT IN MISS COPLON'S NATIVE BROOKLYN WHERE THEY WILL LIVE AFTER THE WEDDING, HE SAID. THE EXACT DATE FOR THE MARRIAGE HAD NOT YET BEEN SET BUT IT WILL BE SOMETIME IN JUNE, THE COUPLE AGREED.

MISS COPLON WAS CONVICTED IN WASHINGTON OF STEALING GOVERNMENT PAPERS AND AGAIN IN NEW YORK OF PLOTTING TO SLIP SECRETS TO GUBITCHEV, A RUSSIAN ENGINEER.

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B34 G E QS

(200)

NEW YORK, MAY 16-(AP)-FAR EASTERN EXPERT OWEN LATTIMORE PREDICTS THAT THE CHINESE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT WILL RETAIN CONTROL OF CHINA'S NORTHERN BORDER PROVINCES, WHICH SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON HAS SAID RUSSIA IS TAKING OVER.

WRITING IN THE SPRING ISSUE OF THE QUARTERLY MAGAZINE PACIFIC AFFAIRS, LATTIMORE SAYS:

"THE PROBABILITY IS THAT THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS WILL, AS CHINESE, RENOUNCE NO SOVEREIGNTY IN LANDS LONG CLAIMED AS CHINESE."

LATTIMORE'S ARTICLE ANALYZED THE HISTORIC AND POLITICAL DEVELOPMENT OF SINKIANG, BORDER PROVINCE IN WESTERN CHINA, AND SAID THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS PROBABLY WOULD ADOPT POLICIES IN SUCH BACKWARD AND ISOLATED AREAS SIMILAR TO SOVIET POLICIES IN RUSSIA'S ASIAN REPUBLICS.

LATTIMORE, A PROFESSOR AT JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY, HAS BEEN THE CHIEF TARGET OF SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) IN HIS CHARGES OF COMMUNISM IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

LATTIMORE HAS DENIED ANY CONNECTION WITH COMMUNISM. ACHESON AND OTHER GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS ALSO HAVE DENIED MCCARTHY'S CHARGE THAT LATTIMORE WAS THE CHIEF ARCHITECT OF THE GOVERNMENT'S CHINA POLICY.

PACIFIC AFFAIRS IS PUBLISHED BY THE INSTITUTE OF PACIFIC RELATIONS, WHICH MCCARTHY ALSO HAS CHARGED WAS SUBJECT TO COMMUNIST INFLUENCE. THE INSTITUTE DESCRIBES ITSELF AS AN "UNOFFICIAL AND NON-PARTISAN ORGANIZATION, FOUNDED X X X TO FACILITATE THE SCIENTIFIC STUDY OF THE PEOPLES OF THE PACIFIC AREA."

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NEW YORK, MAY 16-(AP)-VICE-ADMIRAL RUSSELL S.BERKEY, NAVY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INFORMATION, SAYS NATIONALIST FORCES IN CHINA WERE DEFEATED BECAUSE ARMS FROM THE UNITED STATES ARRIVED TOO LATE AND CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S ARMIES MISUSED THE MATERIEL.

ADDRESSING THE ADVERTISING MEN'S POST OF THE AMERICAN LEGION YESTERDAY, HE SAID IT HAS NEVER BEEN MADE PLAIN WHY AID TO CHINA APPROVED BY CONGRESS FAILED TO ARRIVE ON TIME.

HE ASSERTED THAT IT TOOK NINE MONTHS FOR SOME ARMS SHIPMENTS TO REACH CHINESE NATIONALISTS. "SOMEWHERE IN THE UNITED STATES SOMEBODY SLIPPED UP, BOGGED DOWN OR WAS INTERFERED WITH," HE ADDED.

HE CHARGED THAT THE NATIONALIST ARMIES HAD MISHANDLED THE MATERIEL WHICH THEY RECEIVED, AND DID NOT DISPOSE THEIR FIGHTING FORCES TO BEST ADVANTAGE.

"WE GAVE THEM TOO MUCH, NOT TOO LITTLE," BERKEY CONTINUED. "IT WAS UNWISELY USED. THERE WERE MOUNTAINS OF MATERIEL THEY WERE INCAPABLE OF USING."

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NEW YORK, MAY 16-(AP)-ELEVEN-YEAR-OLD EUGENE GITNER HAD A DOG BACK IN GERMANY. IT WAS A MONGREL NAMED PUTZIE, GERMAN FOR PAL.

BUT WHEN RED-HAIRED EUGENE'S TURN CAME TO LEAVE AS A DISPLACED PERSON, HE HAD TO CHOOSE BETWEEN THE DOG AND THE UNITED STATES.

HE LEFT PUTZIE BEHIND.

THE HEBREW IMMIGRANT AID SOCIETY HERE GUESSED WHAT IT MUST MEAN TO A BOY TO GIVE UP HIS DOG--ESPECIALLY A BOY WHO SPENT MOST OF HIS CHILDHOOD IN WARTIME GERMAN CONCENTRATION CAMPS.

SO YESTERDAY WHEN EUGENE ARRIVED WITH 1,352 OTHER DP'S ABOARD THE GEN. R. L. HOWZE, THE SOCIETY HAD SOMETHING WAITING FOR HIM.

IT WAS A THREE-MONTHS-OLD BLACK, WIRE-HAIRED TERRIER.

THE BOY LOOKED AT THE DOG AND THE MEMORIES OF WAR AND PRISON CAMPS WASHED OUT OF HIS EYES.

THE PUP LOOKED BACK AND THEN SNUGGLED IN AS EUGENE DROPPED TO HIS KNEES.

THEY MIGHT AS WELL HAVE BEEN ALONE ON THE SHIP FOR ALL THE ATTENTION THEY PAID TO ANY ONE ELSE--THIS BOY AND HIS DOG.

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NIGHT LEAD WAR BRIDE (300)
NEW YORK, MAY 16-(AP)-A GERMAN WAR BRIDE LOST A LAST-MINUTE PLEA FOR A STAY OF DEPORTATION TODAY. AFTERWARD THE GOVERNMENT INDICATED SHE MIGHT BE DEPORTED BEFORE SHE COULD APPEAL TO THE SUPREME COURT.
MRS. ELLEN KNAUFF, 35-YEAR-OLD WIFE OF KURT KNAUFF, CIVILIAN EMPLOYE OF THE AMERICAN MILITARY GOVERNMENT IN GERMANY, HAS BEEN FIGHTING FOR TWO YEARS AGAINST DEPORTATION.
SHE WAS HELD ON ELLIS ISLAND FOR MANY MONTHS AND LATER RELEASED IN BOND. THE GOVERNMENT HAS NEVER MADE PUBLIC THE REASON IT CONSIDERS HER "A HAZARD TO INTERNAL SECURITY"--THE CHARGE AGAINST HER.
HER CASE LED TO A SPECIAL BILL IN CONGRESS, WHICH HAS ALREADY PASSED THE HOUSE AND AWAITS SENATE ACTION. IT WOULD PERMIT HER TO REMAIN IN THIS COUNTRY.
WHEN HER LAWYER LOST OUT TODAY IN AN ATTEMPT TO STAY THE DEPORTATION UNTIL THE BILL IS PASSED, HE FILED FOR ANOTHER STAY UNTIL FRIDAY, WHEN HE COULD FILE PAPERS WITH THE SUPREME COURT ASKING FOR A REVIEW OF THE CASE.
THE U.S. CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS DENIED THAT, TOO. JUDGE AUGUSTUS N. HAND TOLD THE LAWYER:
"I WILL DENY YOUR MOTION. IF YOU WANT A STAY, GO TO WASHINGTON AND GET IT IF YOU CAN."
THEN U.S. ATTORNEY IRVIN H. SAYPOL TOLD REPORTERS HE WAS GOING TO ADVISE THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE THAT IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS COULD DEPORT MRS. KNAUFF IMMEDIATELY.
HER ATTORNEY, GUNTHER JACOBSON, TOLD SAYPOL HE EXPECTED TO FILE PAPERS WITH THE SUPREME COURT IN WASHINGTON THURSDAY.
"SHE MAY NOT BE HERE THEN," SAID THE PROSECUTOR.
JACOBSON THEN TOLD REPORTERS HE WOULD GO TO WASHINGTON TOMORROW TO FILE THE PAPERS--"UNLESS THEY DEPORT HER BY THEN."
THE CASE HAS BEEN BEFORE THE SUPREME COURT ONCE ALREADY. THE COURT RULED THEN THAT THE ATTORNEY GENERAL HAD POWER TO EXCLUDE AN ALIEN WITHOUT A HEARING.
MRS. KNAUFF, AN ATTRACTIVE WOMAN OF GERMAN-JEWISH ORIGIN, SERVED "WITH DISTINCTION" FOR FIVE YEARS IN BRITAIN'S ROYAL AIR FORCE AND WAS EMPLOYED BY THE AMERICAN MILITARY OCCUPATION AUTHORITIES FOR SEVERAL YEARS, HER ATTORNEYS SAID. HER HUSBAND IS A FORMER AMERICAN SOLDIER.
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DULLES (300)
(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 8:45 P.M. E.S.T., TONIGHT, TUESDAY, MAY 16)
(WX) (ADVANCE)..NEW YORK, MAY 16-(AP)-JOHN FOSTER DULLES TONIGHT URGED THE CREATION OF A SINGLE "NATIONAL PLANNING STAFF" TO MOBILIZE AMERICA'S RESOURCES FOR THE COLD WAR WITH RUSSIA.
"SOVIET COMMUNISM HAS WON GREAT VICTORIES AND IT HOLDS THE INITIATIVE," DULLES SAID IN A SPEECH PREPARED FOR DELIVERY AT INTERNATIONAL HOUSE.
"SOVIET COMMUNISM IS RAPIDLY ADVANCING ITS PROGRAM OF ENCIRCLEMENT AND BUILDING UP ITS MANPOWER, NATURAL RESOURCES AND MILITARY AND INDUSTRIAL POWER SO THAT, IN THE END, WE MAY BE SUBJECT TO EASY CONQUEST BY OPEN WAR."
SPEAKING OUT IN HIS FIRST MAJOR ADDRESS SINCE HE WAS NAMED AS REPUBLICAN FOREIGN POLICY ADVISER TO SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON, DULLES WARNED AGAINST WAITING "TOO LONG."
HE SAID THAT BY STICKING TO PEACETIME METHODS, THIS COUNTRY IS SUFFERING FROM "EXTRAVAGANT WASTE OF TOP-LEVEL TIME," LONG DELAYS, AND "OFTEN CONTRADICTORY, PUNY OR NEGATIVE RESULTS.
ALL THIS RESULTS FROM THE FACT THAT THE UNITED STATES NOW HAS "A SCORE OR MORE BOARDS OF STRATEGY," DULLES SAID, IN CONTRAST TO THE KREMLIN'S TIGHTLY ORGANIZED POWER.
DULLES ALSO SHARPLY CRITICIZED AMERICAN "LETHARGY" IN TAKING A REALISTIC ATTITUDE TOWARD MOSCOW'S AIMS, AND HE DECLARED:
"SOVIET COMMUNISM IS IN DEADLY EARNEST, WHEREAS THE SO-CALLED 'FREE WORLD' IS LACKADAISICAL."
AMONG OTHER THINGS, DULLES URGED A SUPREME ALLIED COMMAND TO UNIFY THE WESTERN MILITARY EFFORT, AS WELL AS "A GREATER CAPACITY TO INFLUENCE DECISIVELY THE OUTCOME IN MANY CRITICAL AREAS" OF THE COLD WAR STRUGGLE.
"THE FRENCH PROPOSAL FOR COMBINING THE COAL AND IRON RESOURCES OF FRANCE AND GERMANY, UNDER UNITED NATIONS SCRUTINY, BRILLIANTLY ILLUSTRATES HOW BOLDNESS CAN TURN DANGEROUS DIVISION INTO REASSURING STRENGTH," HE SAID.
DULLES DECLARED THAT THE KREMLIN IS PLAYING A "TOUGH GAME" AND HOPES TO "TAKE OVER THE DOMINATION OF THE WORLD."
"THAT IS A PROJECT THAT IS FANTASTIC, EXCEPT AS OUR LETHARGY GIVES IT SCOPE," HE SAID. "IT IS TIME TO END THAT LETHARGY, TO PLAY THE GAME AND PLAY TO WIN."
(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 8:45 P.M., E.S.T., TONIGHT, TUESDAY, MAY 16)
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NEW YORK,MAY 16-(AP)-A SPECIAL FEDERAL GRAND JURY APPARENTLY HAS RENEWED ITS INVESTIGATION OF WILLIAM W.REIMGTON, A GOVERNMENT ECONOMIST ACCUSED OF ONCE BEING A COMMUNIST.
THIS WAS INDICATED TODAY WHEN REMINGTON'S DIVORCED WIFE, MRS.ANN MOOS REMINGTON OF ALEXANDRIA, VA., SPENT NEARLY FIVE HOURS WITH THE JURY.
THE SAME JURY--LOOKING INTO SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES--HEARD TESTIMONY FROM REMINGTON LAST YEAR WHEN THE ACCUSATIONS AGAINST HIM FIRST CROPPED UP.
NO FINDING EVER CAME OUT OF THAT HEARING.
REMINGTON HAS DENIED HE EVER WAS A COMMUNIST.
THE CHARGE WAS REPEATED EARLY THIS MONTH IN WASHINGTON BY TWO EX-COMMUNISTS, KENNETH MC CONNELL AND HOWARD ALLEN BRIDGMAN, BEFORE A CONGRESSIONAL HEARING.
AS A RESULT SECRETARY OF COMMERCE CHARLES SAWYER ORDERED A NEW LOYALTY PROBE OF REMINGTON, AN ECONOMIST IN HIS DEPARTMENT.
A LOYALTY REVIEW BOARD CLEARED HIM OF THE CHARGES TWO YEARS AGO.
THE NEW YORK GRAND JURY ALSO HEARD TESTIMONY FROM BRIDGMAN TODAY AND HAS MCCONNELL ON CALL AS A WITNESS TOMORROW.
AUTHORITIES DECLINED COMMENT ON THE GRAND JURY'S ACTIVITY.
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NEW YORK, MAY 16-(AP)-FINANCE MINISTER HAYATO IKEDA OF JAPAN SAID TODAY THE JAPANESE BUDGET WAS IN BALANCE AND DEBTS OF ABOUT 120,000,000,000 (B) YEN WOULD BE RETIRED THIS YEAR.
HE SPOKE AT A LUNCHEON GIVEN BY WILLIAM H.DRAPER, VICE PRESIDENT OF DILLON READ AND CO. AND FORMER UNDERSECRETARY OF THE ARMY.
IKEDA TOLD THE GROUP THAT DEBTS OF 150,000,000,000 (B) YEN WERE PAID

OFF IN THE PAST YEAR.
HE SAID WITH LOWERED TAXES THE BUDGET WAS IN BALANCE FOR APRIL 1 THIS YEAR TO MARCH 31, 1951, AND PLANS WERE MADE FOR THE ADDITIONAL DEBT RETIREMENT.
THE LUNCHEON WAS ATTENDED BY JOSEPH C.GREW, FORMER U.S. AMBASSADOR TO JAPAN, KENNETH ROYALL, FORMER SECRETARY OF THE ARMY, AND A NUMBER OF BANKERS AND INDUSTRIAL LEADERS.
IKEDA AND SEVERAL OTHER JAPANESE WHO HAVE BEEN STUDYING U.S. TAXING AND FINANCIAL PRACTICES PLAN TO LEAVE HERE BY PLANE TONIGHT AT 11 P.M. FOR LOS ANGELES. THEY WILL FLY FROM THERE TO JAPAN.
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FIRST LEAD BRIDGES
NEW YORK, MAY 16-(AP)-HARRY BRIDGES SAID TONIGHT THAT PHILIP MURRAY MIGHT BE THE NEXT VICTIM OF "HYSTERIA" BUT MURRAY "HASN'T GOT BRAINS ENOUGH TO SEE IT."
BRIDGES, FACING DEPORTATION ON A PERJURY CONVICTION AND OUSTER OF HIS LONGSHOREMEN'S UNION FROM THE CIO, TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE:
"YESTERDAY IT WAS THE COMMUNISTS, TODAY IT'S ME AND TOMORROW IT'LL BE MURRAY."
ASKED IF HE MEANT CIO PRESIDENT PHILIP MURRAY, BRIDGES REPLIED:
"YEAH--HE HASN'T GOT BRAINS ENOUGH TO SEE IT."
BRIDGES SAID HIS UNION "WILL FIGHT TO STAY IN THE CIO."

"WE GOT IN ON THE GROUND FLOOR AND THE CIO DID NOT ORGANIZE US," BRIDGES SAID. "WE DID A LOT OF WORK IN ORGANIZING THE CIO AND WE SPENT A LOT OF DOUGH AND ENERGY DOING IT.
"THEY CAN'T BOOT US OUT NOW WHEN THE GOING IS GOOD."
BRIDGES TALKED TO REPORTERS AFTER A CLOSED MEETING OF UNION SHOP STEWARDS.
HE IS SCHEDULED TO FLY TO WASHINGTON TONIGHT TO ATTEND A CIO TRIAL OF THE UNION.
BRIDGES SAID HIS UNION HAS BEEN CHARGED WITH "SEEKING OBJECTIVES OF COMMUNISM RATHER THAN OF THE CIO."
HE SAID THE ILWU SPENT ABOUT $700,000 TO HELP ESTABLISH THE CIO ON THE WEST COAST AND IF THE UNION IS EXPELLED "WE WANT THAT DOUGH BACK."
THE UNION LEADER HIMSELF FACES DEPORTATION TO HIS NATIVE AUSTRALIA AFTER HIS CONVICTION ON A CHARGE OF LYING IN HIS NATURALIZATION PROCEEDINGS BY SAYING HE NEVER HAD BESN A COMMUNIST.
HE WAS SENTENCED TO FIVE YEARS FOR PERJURY AND TWO YEARS FOR CONSPIRING TO ~~PERMIT~~ commit PERJURY.
HE IS OUT IN BAIL WHILE HE APPEALS THE CONVICTION.
THE STEWARDS' MEETING REPORTEDLY WAS HELD TO MAP UNION ACTIVITY IN BEHALF OF THE APPEALS OF BRIDGES AND TWO OTHER UNION OFFICIALS CONVICTED OF CONSPIRING WITH HIM TO COMMIT PERJURY.
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SECOND NIGHT LEAD U.N.-HOUDEK (110)
BY FRANCIS W. CARPENTER
LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 16-(AP)-VLADIMIR HOUDEK RESIGNED TODAY AS CZECHOSLOVAK DELEGATE TO THE UNITED NATIONS, SEVERED ALL TIES WITH HIS COMMUNIST-DOMATED HOMELAND AND APPEALED TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN FOR ASYLUM IN THE UNITED STATES.
HE ALSO SENT A CABLE TO PRIME MINISTER STALIN WARNING THAT IT IS IMPOSSIBLE IN THE LONG RUN TO FORCE RUSSIAN-STYLE COMMUNISM ON EUROPEAN COUNTRIES.
HOUDEK SAID IN HIS TELEGRAM TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN THAT ONE REASON HE QUIT WAS TO PROTEST HARASSMENT OF AMERICAN DIPLOMATS BY CZECHOSLOVAKIA.
THE 38-YEAR-OLD CAREER DIPLOMAT TOLD REPORTERS HE HAS NO MONEY AND HAS MADE NO PLANS FOR THE FUTURE. HE SAID HE WOULD HAVE TO LEAVE HIS PRESENT HOME SINCE THE RENT IS PAID BY THE CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT.

IN A STATEMENT ISSUED AT U.N. HEADQUARTERS, HOUDEK PROTESTED AGAINST SOVIET RUSSIA'S "ROKOSSOVSKY" TACTICS IN EASTERN EUROPE, HE WAS REFERRING TO HE INCLUSION OF SOVIET MARSHAL KONSTANTIN ROKOSSOVSKY IN THE POLISH POLITBUREAU AND TO THE REPORTS OF COMMUNIST PARTY PURGES IN POLAND.
AS THE STATEMENT WAS HANDED OUT HERE, HOUDEK REMAINED AT HOME IN GREAT NECK, WHERE POLICE GUARDED HIM, HIS WIFE AND TWO LITTLE DAUGHTERS.
HOUDEK'S ACTION DREW A SMILE FROM DR.JAN PAPANEK, WHO WAS THE CZECHOSLOVAK DELEGATE BEFORE THE COMMUNISTS TOOK OVER IN 1948. HE WAS FORCED OUT WHEN HOUDEK ARRIVED AS THE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT'S CHOICE FOR THE U.N. SPOT. PAPANEK NOW HEADS THE AMERICAN FUND FOR CZECHO-SLOVAK REFUGEES.
HOUDEK'S RESIGNATION HAD BEEN EXPECTED IN SOME U.N. CIRCLES SINCE VLADIMIR CLEMENTIS RESIGNED AS FOREIGN MINISTER A MONTH AGO.
CLEMENTIS WAS KNOWN HERE AS HOUDEK'S SPONSOR.
CZECH CIRCLES IN THE U.N. SAID THEY EXPECTED HOUDEK WOULD BE SUCCEEDED BY JIRI NOSEK, ALTERNATE DELEGATE HERE.
HOUDEK WAS SCHEDULED TO SAIL TONIGHT ON THE QUEEN ELIZABETH FOR HOME. HE HAD MADE PLANS FOR SAILING BUT SAID IN HIS STATEMENT THAT INFORMATION RECEIVED FROM PRAGUE 48 HOURS AGO MADE HIM CHANGE.
HOUDEK SAID HE EXPECTED DENUNCIATION FROM PRAGUE, BUT THAT HE NEVER HAS BEEN AN AGENT OF THE WESTERN POWERS.
"BY SUBMITTING MY RESIGNATION," HE SAID, "I WISH TO PROTEST MOST CATEGORICALLY BEFORE THE WHOLE WORLD AGAIN AGAINST THE METHODS WHICH ARE BEING APPLIED IN EASTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES CONTRARY TO THE INTERESTS OF THEIR POPULATION UNDER THE PRESSURE-- I HAVE TO STATE IT TO MY GREATEST REGRET-- OF THE SOVIET UNION. THIS IS THE GREATEST AND MOST TRAGIC DISAPPOINTMENT OF MY LIFE. I AM DEEPLY CONVINCED THAT ARBITRARY ARRESTS (ON A) GENERAL CHARGE OF 'WESTERNISM,' COMPLETE ISOLATION FROM THE OUTSIDE WORLD AND TENDENCY TO CREATE A 'MENTAL FOG,' ELIMINATION OF THE SLIGHTEST DIFFERENCE OF OPINION, SYSTEMATIC DISTORTION OF THE NEWS, RUDE METHODS OF THE POLICE, COMPLICATED SYSTEM OF SPYING OF ONE ANOTHER AND MUTUAL DISTRUST RESULTING FROM THAT EVEN AMONG THE HIGHEST OFFICIALS, THIS ALTOGETHER DOES MORE HARM THAN GOOD TO THE CAUSE OF SOCIALISM."
HOUDEK HAS LIVED IN THE UNITED STATES FIVE YEARS. HE FOLLOWED THE SOVIET LINE OF WALKING OUT OF U.N. MEETINGS SINCE JAN.10.

IN HIS CABLE TO STALIN HOUDEK POINTED OUT THAT HE HAD BEEN A LOYAL WORKER FOR THE BUILDING UP OF SOCIALISM IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA.
THEN, QUOTING FROM THE WORKS OF LENIN TO MAKE HIS POINTS, HE ACCUSED STALIN AND PRESENT DAY COMMUNIST LEADERS OF VIOLATING THE PRINCIPLES LAID DOWN BY THE LEADER OF THE RUSSIAN REVOLUTION.
THIS IS THE SAME CHARGE LEVELED AGAINST THE KREMLIN BY PREMIER MARSHAL TITO.
CHIEF AMONG THESE PRINCIPLES, HE SAID, WAS THAT SOCIALISM (COMMUNI MUST TAKE INTO ACCOUNT INDIVIDUAL CONDITIONS IN INDIVIDUAL COUNTRIES

AT ANY GIVEN TIME AND PROCEED FROM THERE. IT MUST NOT, HE QUOTED LENIN AS SAYING, FORCE OTHER COUNTRIES TO ADOPT COMMUNISM AS IT WAS ADJUSTED TO MEET RUSSIAN CONDITIONS.

THIS PRINCIPLE, HOUDEK DECLARED, "IS NOT ONLY BEING VIOLATED, BUT SIMPLY IGNORED."

HE QUOTED LENIN AS SAYING THAT AFTER A COMMUNIST TRIUMPH IN "ONE OF THE ADVANCED COUNTRIES, X X X RUSSIA WILL CEASE TO BE THE MODEL COUNTRY AND ONCE AGAIN BECOME A BACKWARD, IN THE SOVIET AND SOCIALIST SENSE, COUNTRY."

"LENIN WAS NOT WRONG," HOUDEK WROTE STALIN. "IT IS IMPOSSIBLE, IN THE LONG RUN AT LEAST, TO FORCE THEM (COMMUNIST COUNTRIES OUTSIDE RUSSIA) TO TAKE OVER AND COPY EVERYTHING WHICH RESULTED FROM THE SPECIAL RUSSIAN CONDITIONS."

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IN ANOTHER VOTE, THE COMMITTEE REJECTED PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S PROPOSAL FOR $400,000,000 IN NEW TAXES ON INHERITANCES AND BIG GIFTS.

THIS RAISED NEW DOUBT THAT THE COMMITTEE WILL BE ABLE TO FIND ENOUGH NEW REVENUE TO OFFSET THE $1,080,000,000 IN EXCISE CUTS IT ALREADY HAS APPROVED. MR.TRUMAN HAS PROMISED TO VETO THE TAX BILL UNLESS THE TOTAL OF EXCISE CUTS IS ERASED BY NEW REVENUE FROM OTHER SOURCES.

IN EFFECT, THE WITHHOLDING PLAN FOR CORPORATION DIVIDENDS WOULD BE ONLY AN EXTENSION OF THE PRESIDENT SYSTEM FOR COLLECTING THE TAX ON SALARY INCOME.

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NIGHT LEAD U.N.-WOMAN

LAKE SUCCESS,MAY 16-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES TODAY CITED JAPAN AS AN EXAMPLE OF WHAT CAN BE DONE TOWARD POLITICAL EDUCATION OF WOMEN WHO HAVE JUST ACQUIRED THE RIGHT TO VOTE.

MRS.OLIVE REMINGTON GOLDMAN, U.S.DELEGATE, TOLD THE UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN THAT THE JAPANESE PROGRAM WAS INSTITUTED BY THE U.S. AS OCCUPYING POWER BUT IT STILL MIGHT BE HELPFUL AS A MODEL FOR OTHER COUNTRIES.

MRS.GOLDMAN SPOKE SHORTLY BEFORE THE ALL-WOMAN COMMISSION ADOPTED A RESOLUTION CALLING UPON THE U.N.SECRETARIAT TO DRAFT A GUIDEBOOK OF POLITICAL PRINCIPLES TO BE USED BY NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS AS AN AID IN FOSTERING CITIZENSHIP EDUCATION OF NEW WOMEN VOTERS.

THE U.S. DELEGATE DREW THE COMMISSION'S ATTENTION TO THE PRESENCE OF THE TWO JAPANESE WOMEN, MRS.AI KUME AND MRS.NOBAKO TOMITA WHO HAVE BEEN SITTING AS REULGAR OBSERVERS AT THE COMMISSION'S MEETINGS. SHE SAID THEY HAD SHOWN HER MATERIAL THAT HAD BEEN PREPARED FOR POLITICAL EDUCATION OF JAPANESE WOMEN.

WOMEN IN JAPAN, MRS.GOLDMAN SAID, HAD ACQUIRED THE RIGHT TO VOTE ONLY IN 1945 AT THE INSTANCE OF THE OCCUPATION AUTHORITIES, BUT NOW MORE THAN 800 WOMEN HOLD NATIONAL, STATE AND LOCAL POSTS AND 91 PER CENT OF THE ELIGIBLE WOMEN VOTED IN THE LAST ELECTIONS.

"THE EXPERIENCE IN JAPAN," MRS.GOLDMAN SAID, "MIGHT BE HELPFUL TO NATIONS WORKING OUT THE PROBLEM OF THE POLITICAL OR CITIZEN EDUCATIONS OF GREAT MASSES OF NEW VOTERS."

AFTER DISPOSING OF THIS QUESTION, THE COMMISSION BEGAN DISCUSSION OF THE RELATION OF WOMEN TO THE TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM IN BACKWARD AREAS.

MRS.GOLDMAN SPOKE OF THE PROFOUND INTEREST OF THE UNITED STATES IN THE TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM AND STRESSED THAT IT IS A PLAN FOR HELPING PEOPLES THROUGH THEIR OWN EFFORTS. REGARDING THE ROLE OF WOMEN, SHE SAID IT SHOULD BE POSSIBLE TODAY TO AVOID THE PITFALLS OF THE PAST. BUT, SHE SAID, THERE WAS ALWAYS A "DANGER OF THE EXPLOITATION OF WOMEN AS CHEAP LABOR IN ANY NEW INDUSTRIAL OR AGRICULTURAL PROGRAM."

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LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 16-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN TODAY TRIED TO STRAIGHTEN OUT A TANGLE OVER THE POLITICAL EDUCATION OF WOMEN WHO HAVE RECENTLY ACQUIRED THE RIGHT TO VOTE.

THE CONTROVERSY POPPED UP LATE YESTERDAY WHEN INDIA SUBMITTED A REVISED PROPOSAL CALLING UPON THE UNITED NATIONS EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL ORGANIZATION TO WORK OUT PROGRAMS WHICH WOULD HELP NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS CARRY ON SUCH PROJECTS.

MISS JEANNE CHATON, UNESCO REPRESENTATIVE, SAID SHE WAS NOT SURE HER ORGANIZATION COULD UNDERTAKE ANY SORT OF EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM THAT WOULD BE RESTRICTED TO WOMEN OR THAT WOULD NOT BE OF A GENERAL NATURE. SHE SAID SHE HAD NO INSTRUCTIONS ON THIS POINT.

MISS MARY SUTHERLAND OF BRITAIN SUPPORTED THE INDIAN PROPOSAL, BUT U.S. DELEGATE MRS.OLIVE REMINGTON GOLDMAN OPPOSED IT. IT ALSO WAS VIGOROUSLY OPPOSED BY THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE INTER-AMERICAN COMMISSION FOR WOMEN, SENORA O.MENDOZA DE BARRET.

SENORA MENDOZA DE BARRET SAID WOMEN DO NOT WANT SPECIAL PROGRAMS SUCH AS THE ONE SUGGESTED BY INDIA, BUT WANT INSTEAD THE SAME EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES AS MEN. SHE SAID THE PRESENT WORLD SITUATION IS DUE TO THE FACT THAT MEN DO NOT YET HAVE ADEQUATE POLITICAL EDUCATION.

INDIAN DELEGATE MRS.HANNAH SEN SAID HER RESOLUTION WAS INTENDED TO CORRECT A SITUATION WHICH DEVELOPED AS A RESULT OF DISCRIMINATION AGAINST WOMEN.

THE ISSUE FINALLY WAS SENT TO THE COMMISSION'S RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE WHICH WAS INSTRUCTED TO REPORT BACK TODAY.

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BY MAX HARRELSON
LAKE SUCCESS, N.Y., MAY 16-(AP)-VLADIMIR HOUDEK, CZECHOSLOVAK DELEGATE TO THE UNITED NATIONS, BROKE WITH THE COMMUNIST-DOMINATED PRAGUE REGIME TODAY AND QUIT HIS JOB WITH THE U.N. DELEGATION.
HOUDEK ANNOUNCED HIS RESIGNATION IN A NOTE TO ACTING SECRETARY-GENERAL BYRON PRICE. HE IS THE SECOND CZECH DELEGATE TO RESIGN SINCE THE FEBRUARY, 1948 COUP IN WHICH THE COMMUNISTS SEIZED POWER IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA.
JAN PAPANEK RESIGNED AS A CZECH U.N. DELEGATE IN 1948 AFTER THE DEATH OF FOREIGN MINISTER JAN MASARYK. THE COMMUNIST REGIME DESCRIBED MASARYK'S DEATH SHORTLY AFTER THE COUP AS A SUICIDE.
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LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 16-(AP)-FIFTEEN PICKETS OF THE UNITED AFRICAN NATIONALIST MOVEMENT DEMONSTRATED IN FRONT OF UNITED NATIONS HEADQUARTERS TODAY. THEY OBJECT TO ANY WHITE RULE IN AFRICA.

THE GROUP, WHICH DESCRIBES ITSELF AS "BLACK" MEN, HAS HEADQUARTERS AT 326 LENOX AVENUE, NEW YORK CITY, IN THE HEART OF NEW YORK'S NEGRO HARLEM. THEY CALL MARCUS A.GARVEY, AFRICAN HERO, THEIR "PATRON SAINT."

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THE GROUP CARRIED SIGNS INAN ORDERLY DEMONSTRATION DEMANDING RETURN OF ERITREA AND SOMALILAND TO ETHIOPIA, COMPLETE INDEPENDENCE FOR LIBIA, AND THE END OF ALL COLONIALISM IN AFRICA.

LEAFLETS HANDED OUT BY THE PICKETS SAID "WE WARN THE WHITE WORLD TO KEEP THEIR NO. 1 'UNCLE TOM' FLUNKIE DR.RALPH BUNCHE OUT OF ERITREA, AND TO REVERSE THEMSELVES ON SOMALILAND. WHY DID DR. BUNCH ASK BLACK NEWSPAPERS TO SUPPORT TRUSTEESHIP AGAINST ETHIOPIA? WHY DIVIDE AFRICA AND UNITE EUROPE?"

BUNCHE, A NEGRO, IS U.N. TOP RANKING TRUSTEESHIP DIVISION OFFICER. HE WON FAME AS A MEDIATOR IN THE PALESTINE ARAB-JEW WARFARE.

THE U.N. IS PREPARING LIBIA FOR INDEPENDENCE IN TWO YEARS AND HAS ASSIGNED ITALY THE TASK OF ADMINISTERING A 10-YEAR PREPARATION PERIOD FOR INDEPENDENCE IN SOMALILAND. A FURTHER STUDY OF ERITREA'S PROBLEMS IS BEING MADE BEFORE DECISION ON THAT PRE-WAR ITALIAN COLONY.

SOME SIGNS SAID "STOP BRITISH MURDERS IN ERITREA," "RETURN GRAZIANI (ITALIAN GENERAL UNDER MUSSOLINI WHO INVADED ETHHIOPIA) TOETHIOPIA TO BE HUNG (CQ", "KEEP ITALIAN COMMUNISM" OUT OF AFRICA.

BEFORE BEGINNING THEIR PICKETING, LEADERS DELIVERED PRINTED DEMANDS OF AFRICA FOR THE AFRICANS AT HOME AND ABROAD"
TO U.N. OFFICIALS, INCLUDING BUNCHE.

THE LEAFLETS ALSO CARRIED STATEMENTS THAT "ANY BLACK MAN WHO SUPPORTS ADAM POWELL (NEGRO REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS FROM NEW YORK CITY) AND COMMUNISM IS AN UNCLE TOM OF THE LEFT. HE WANTED TRUSTEE-SHIP FOR THE Ex-ITALIAN COLONIES. TRUSTEESHIP IS A SCHEME OF THE ALGER HISS GANG."

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BY SYDNEY MIRKIN

LONDON, MAY 17-(AP)-THE NORTH ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS SET UP A NEW EXECUTIVE AGENCY TONIGHT AND INSTRUCTED IT TO WELD THE ARMIES AND ECONOMIES OF THE WESTERN WORLD INTO A BULWARK AGAINST COMMUNIST AGGRESSION.

THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE 12 PACT NATIONS DECIDED THEY NEEDED A STRONG DIRECTING GROUP IN CONTINUOUS SESSION TO MAKE SURE THAT BOTH MILITARY AND ECONOMIC CHIEFS OF THE MEMBERS ACT SWIFTLY AND DECISIVELY.

THE NEW GROUP, MADE UP OF MEN WITH THE STATUS OF DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTERS, PROBABLY WILL CHOOSE ITS OWN HEAD MAN. THIS OVERALL COMMANDER IS ALMOST CERTAIN TO BE AN AMERICAN, IN VIEW OF THE UNITED STATES' LEADERSHIP AND CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE ALLIANCE.

SPECULATION AMONG DIPLOMATS HERE CENTERED ON THE NAME OF W. AVERELL HARRIMAN, AMBASSADOR AT LARGE FOR THE MARSHALL PLAN.

THERE WAS GENERAL RELUCTANCE AMONG OFFICIAL SPOKESMEN TO SINGLE OUT CANDIDATES FOR THE POST, BUT ALL AGREED THE NEW EXECUTIVE MUST HAVE A STRONG PERSONALITY AND BE ABLE TO GET THINGS DONE IN A HURRY.

THE FOREIGN MINISTERS ANNOUNCED THEY HAD COMPLETED CONSIDERATION OF THE CONFLICTING REPORTS OF THEIR DEFENSE AND ECONOMIC COMMITTEES AND "UNANIMOUSLY ADOPTED DIRECTIVES TO GUIDE THESE COMMITTEES IN THEIR WORK."

THE MILITARY CHIEFS HAD URGED A BIG REARMAMENT PROGRAM: THE FINANCE MINISTERS SAID IT WOULD BE IMPOSSIBLE TO RAISE THE MONEY FOR IT.

THE FOREIGN MINISTERS, IN ISSUING FRESH INSTRUCTIONS TO THESE GROUPS, LEFT TO THE NEW AGENCY THE ACTUAL DECISIONS ON A TIME SCHEDULE FOR DEFENSE, THE AMOUNT OF MONEY NEEDED AND HOW THE COSTS ARE TO BE ALLOTTED.

A UNITED STATES SPOKESMAN SAID THE RESULTS OF THE THREE DAYS OF DISCUSSION WERE "VERY SATISFACTORY." THE U.S. DELEGATION CAME TO THE MEETING HOPING TO IMPRESS THEIR EUROPEAN ALLIES WITH THE NEED FOR GREATER EFFORTS IN BOTH MILITARY AND ECONOMIC FIELDS.

THE SPECIFIC DETAILS OF THE MINISTERS' DECISION, REACHED BY UNANIMOUS AGREEMENT, WILL BE ANNOUNCED TOMORROW. THE MINISTERS WILL HOLD A FINAL CLOSED SESSION AND THEN A PUBLIC MEETING, AT WHICH EACH OF THE 12 WILL SPEAK.

THE NEW GROUP WILL BE A SORT OF GENERAL HEADQUARTERS.

ITS ORGANIZATION AND FUNCTION HAVE ALREADY BEEN DECIDED, BUT DETAILS ARE BEING WITHHELD UNTIL THE MINISTERS INFORM THEIR GOVERNMENTS. ASIDE FROM THE UNITED STATES AND CANADA, THE PACT NATIONS ARE BRITAIN, FRANCE, ITALY, BELGIUM, THE NETHERLANDS, LUXEMBOURG, PORTUGAL, NORWAY, DENMARK, AND ICELAND.

ONE OF THE SUBJECTS DISCUSSED AT THE MEETING WAS THE IDEA OF SPECIALIZATION IN PARTICULAR FIELDS OF MILITARY EFFORT BY MEMBER NATIONS. ONE INFORMANT WHO HAS BEEN PRESENT AT ALL MEETINGS SAID THERE WAS A GENERAL UNDERSTANDING THAT THE TIME IS PAST WHEN THE WEST CAN AFFORD DUPLICATION OF LABOR FOR REASONS OF NATIONAL PRESTIGE.

HE SAID SOME NATIONS LOCATED ON THE BORDERS OF THE COMMUNIST STATES WANTED A FIRM COMMITMENT THAT THEIR BORDERS WOULD BE DEFENDED AND THAT THEY WOULD NOT BE REGARDED AS EXPENDABLE.

THESE NATIONS WERE TOLD THE PLAN OF THE ATLANTIC PACT IS TO PREVENT WAR, BUT IF THE COMMUNISTS BEGIN ONE THE STRATEGIC CONCEPT OF PACT MEMBERS IS TO MOUNT AN OFFENSIVE AND MOVE EASTWARD.

AMONG THE POSSIBILITIES CONSIDERED WAS THE USE OF AMERICAN TROOPS IN GERMANY AS A NUCLEUS FOR AN INTERNATIONAL ARMY TO DEFEND THE WEST AGAINST ANY THRUST FROM THE EAST.

REPORTS OF THE DEFENSE AND ECONOMIC COMMITTEES, SINCE THEY DEAL WITH MILITARY MATTERS, WILL NOT BE MADE PUBLIC. BUT IT WAS BECAUSE OF THE WIDE DIFFERENCE OF OPINION BETWEEN THOSE BODIES THAT THE FOREIGN MINISTERS, WHO MEET ONLY INTERMITTENTLY, DECIDED THERE WAS NEED FOR A CENTRAL DIRECTING GROUP IN PERMANENT SESSION.

THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE FEEL CREATION OF THE NEW COUNCIL IS THE MOST IMPORTANT OUTCOME TO BE ANNOUNCED PUBLICLY OF THE BIG THREE AND NORTH ATLANTIC PACT CONFERENCES HERE IN THE PAST TWO WEEKS.

ONE INFORMANT SAID BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN HAD MADE AN IMPORTANT CONTRIBUTION TO THE NORTH ATLANTIC SESSIONS WITH A SPEECH STRESSING THE NECESSITY FOR BALANCING REARMAMENT WITH ECONOMIC ADVANCES.

HE EMPHASIZED THAT IF STANDARDS OF LIVING WERE LOWERED COMMUNISM COULD ENTER THE NORTH ATLANTIC COMMUNITY BY THE BACK DOOR -- TAKING ADVANTAGE OF POVERTY AND DISCONTENT.

BUT HE WAS REPORTED TO HAVE ADDED THAT ALTHOUGH THE COSTS OF DEFENSE MIGHT BE GREAT THEY COULD BE REGARDED AS A PREMIUM TO BE PAID FOR PEACE AND WERE THEREFORE A SOUND INVESTMENT.

BEVIN WILL MEET U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN TOMORROW TO CONSIDER FUTURE BIG THREE POLICY ON AN AUSTRIAN INDEPENDENCE TREATY. THE WESTERN POWERS HAVE BEEN NEGOTIATING WITH RUSSIA ON THAT TREATY FOR MORE THAN THREE YEARS WITHOUT REACHING AN AGREEMENT.

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BULLETIN
FIRST LEAD ATLANTIC PACT

LONDON, MAY 17-(AP)-THE ATLANTIC COUNCIL AGREED TONIGHT TO SET UP A PERMANENT DEFENSE ORGANIZATION TO MEET CONTINUOUSLY TO SUPERVISE THE DEFENSES OF THE WEST. [redacted]

AN OFFICIAL COMMUNIQUE SAID DETAILS OF THE AGREEMENT WILL BE ANNOUNCED TOMORROW.

IT IS UNDERSTOOD TO INCLUDE THE SUPREME DEFENSE CHIEFS OF THE WESTERN NATIONS WORKING AT THE HEAD OF A PERMANENT DEFENSE COMMITTEE.

THE COMMUNIQUE ALSO SAID THE MINISTERS REACHED COMPLETE AGREEMENT ON A DIRECTIVE TO BE SENT TO DEFENSE AND FINANCE COMMITTEES.

THE 12 FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE ATLANTIC ALLIANCE HAD BEEN STRUGGLING WITH THE PROBLEM OF HOW TO RECONCILE THE AMOUNT OF MONEY AVAILABLE FROM TREATY MEMBERS WITH THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF MILITARY CHIEFS FOR EFFECTIVE DEFENSE.

IT WAS NOT CLEAR FROM THE COMMUNIQUE WHETHER THIS PROBLEM WAS SOLVED.

THE TEXT OF THE COMMUNIQUE:

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"THE FOREIGN MINISTERS COMPLETED THEIR CONSIDERATION OF THE REPORTS SUBMITTED TO THE COUNCIL BY THE DEFENSE COMMITTEE AND THE DEFENSE, FINANCE AND ECONOMIC COMMITTEE.

"THE COUNCIL UNANIMOUSLY ADOPTED DIRECTIVES TO GUIDE THESE COMMITTEES IN THEIR WORK. THE FOREIGN MINISTERS ALSO CONSIDERED WAYS AND MEANS OR ORGANIZING THE WORK OF THE COUNCIL SO THAT IT CAN EXERCISE MORE EFFECTIVELY AND CONTINUOUSLY ITS ROLE AS THE PRINCIPAL

ORGAN OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY.
"THE COUNCIL WAS UNANIMOUSLY AGREED ON THE METHODS TO BE ADOPTED TO ACHIEVE THIS RESULT AND THESE WILL BE MADE PUBLIC AT THE END OF THE COUNCIL'S SESSION."
(END TEXT)
THE UNITED STATES HAS BEEN PRESSING FOR FORMATION OF AN INTERNATIONAL ARMY AGAINST THE THREAT OF RUSSIAN AGGRESSION.

THE DECISION WHETHER TO DO SO PROBABLY WILL BE MADE TODAY BY THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE ATLANTIC PACT COUNTRIES, MEETING IN SECRET DELIBERATIONS HERE FOR THE THIRD AND PERHAPS FINAL DAY.
DIPLOMATIC INFORMANTS EMPHASIZED, HOWEVER, THAT MILITARY MIGHT IS NOT THE ONLY ASPECT OF THE DEFENSE QUESTION.
BIGGER AND MORE EFFICIENT INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION PARTICULARLY IS NEEDED TO UNDERPIN THE COSTLY DEFENSE EFFORT, IN THE VIEW OF AMERICAN DIPLOMATS. THE UNITED STATES IS REPORTED TO BE URGING EUROPE TO SHOW MORE SPEED, DETERMINATION AND CONFIDENCE IN ITS ECONOMIC EFFORTS.
THE INTERNATIONAL ARMY IDEA HAS DEVELOPED FROM A VIEW, HELD ON AN INCREASINGLY WIDE SCALE, THAT A GROUP OF NATIONAL ARMIES ADDED TO EACH OTHER DO NOT MAKE A UNIFIED OR EFFICIENT DEFENSE FORCE.
WHEN A COMPARATIVELY WEAK NATION ATTEMPTS TO PROVIDE ITSELF WITH ALL THE COMPONENTS OF MODERN WAR--FIGHTERS, BOMBERS, ARMOR, INFANTRY AND SEA POWER--ITS DEFENSES ARE SPREAD SO THIN THAT NO BRANCH IS EFFECTIVE.
BY CONTRAST THE AMERICAN IDEA IS TO SET UP A SUPER-COMMAND UNDER THE ATLANTIC PACT TO WELD TOGETHER THE ARMED FORCES OF THE 12 MEMBERS WHILE AT THE SME TIME LOOKING OUT FOR THEIR ECONOMIC STRENGTH AND POSSIBLY FOR CLOSER POLITICAL TIES.

THE CONTINENTAL COUNTRIES, FOR INSTANCE, WOULD BE EXPECTED TO GO IN MORE HEAVILY FOR GROUND FORCES. DEFENSE EXPERTS ARE REPORTED TO HAVE RECOMMENDED A MINIMUM OF 30 DIVISIONS--ABOUT 450,000 MEN--AS A STANDING FORCE PEGGED STRONGLY ON FRANCE'S TROOPS.
THE TOTAL, HOWEVER, PROBABLY WOULD INCLUDE BRITISH AND AMERICAN TROOPS STATIONED IN GERMANY.
BRITAIN, SOME INFORMANTS SAY, MIGHT BE ASKED TO CONCENTRATE ON JET FIGHTER FORCES AND A STRONG ANTI-SUBMARINE NAVAL FORCE FOR TWO REASONS: TO GIVE QUICK AIR SUPPORT TO CONTINENTAL TROOPS IN CASE OF ATTACK AND TO COMBAT THE STRONG RUSSIAN SUBMARINE FLEET.
THAT WOULD LEAVE COSTLY HEAVY NAVAL VESSELS AND BIG, HIGH-SPEED BOMBERS TO BE PROVIDED BY THE UNITED STATES.
AN OVERALL COMMAND IS ENVISIONED. IT WOULD CONSIST OF DEPUTIES APPOINTED BY THE FOREIGN MINISTERS TO MEET FREQUENTLY, EVEN CONTINUOUSLY IF NECESSARY.
TO HEAD THE DEPUTIES, THE UNITED STATES URGES THE APPOINTMENT OF A SUPER-DIPLOMAT.
THERE IS CONSIDERABLE INSISTENCE THAT HE SHOULD BE A CIVILIAN. THIS STAND REPORTEDLY IS TAKEN IN HIGH PLACES AND MEANS THAT BRITISH NEWSPAPER SPECULATION CONCERNING SUCH AN APPOINTMENT FOR GEN. OMAR N. BRADLEY, CHAIRMAN OF THE U.S. JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF, OR FOR GEN. DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER, WARTIME SUPREME ALLIED COMMANDER IN EUROPE, PROBABLY IS INCORRECT.
A CIVILIAN, IT IS FELT, WOULD GIVE MORE NECESSARY WEIGHT TO ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL MATTERS THAN WOULD A MILITARY MAN. ONE CIVILIAN UNDER CONSIDERATION FOR THE JOB REPORTEDLY IS W. AVERILL HARRIMAN, NOW ROVING U.S. AMBASSADOR FOR THE MARSHALL PLAN.
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REPARATIONS (140)
LONDON, MAY 17-(AP)-POLAND JOINED RUSSIA TODAY IN CUTTING EAST GERMAN WAR REPARATIONS BY HALF.
A TASS NEWS AGENCY DISPATCH FROM WARSAW ANNOUNCED THE ACTION. THE DISPATCH DID NOT GIVE THE AMOUNT OF REPARATIONS INVOLVED.
POLAND HAS TAKEN "INTO ACCOUNT THE CONSCIENTIOUS FULFILLMENT OF REPARATIONS OBLIGATIONS BY THE GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC AND THE GOOD NEIGHBORLY RELATIONS BETWEEN POLAND AND THE GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC," TASS SAID.
RUSSIA ANNOUNCED MONDAY SHE WILL HALVE REPRATIONS SHE STILL CLAIMS FROM EAST GERMANY, LEAVING $3,171,000,000 TO BE PAID OVER A 15-YEAR PERIOD.
THE EAST GERMAN PARLIAMENT WAS TOLD TODAY THAT THE $3,600,000,000 PAYMENT CREDITED TO GERMANY HAD "COME OUT OF CURRENT PRODUCTION." THIS MEANT THAT THE RUSSIANS DID NOT COUNT AGAINST THEIR ORIGINAL $10,000,000,000 CLAIM ALL THE BILLIONS OF DOLLARS WORTH OF CAPITAL EQUIPMENT THEY TOOK OUT OF GERMANY IN THE LAST FIVE YEARS.
UNDER A 1945 AGREEMENT POLAND HAS BEEN SHARING IN SOVIET COLLECTIONS OF GERMAN REPARATIONS, GETTING 15 PER CENT.
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LONDON, MAY 17-(AP)-RUSSIA HAS ACCUSED FRANCE OF KEEPING SOVIET CITIZENS FROM GOING HOME AND HAS ASKED FOR REOPENING OF THE RUSSIAN REPATRIATION MISSION IN PARIS, THE SOVIET NEWS AGENCY TASS REPORTED TODAY.
A RUSSIAN NOTE TO THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT, HANDED MONDAY TO THE FRENCH AMBASSADOR IN MOSCOW, SAID 20,000 SOVIET CITIZENS STILL ARE IN FRANCE AND MORE ARE AWAITING REPATRIATION IN THE FRENCH ZONES OF AUSTRIA AND GERMANY.
THE FRENCH CLOSED THE REPATRIATION MISSION IN 1947, CHARGING IT WAS A FRONT FOR SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES.
THE RUSSIANS SAID ALL FRENCH CITIZENS IN THE SOVIET UNION HAVE BEEN REPATRIATED.
RUSSIA'S NOTE WAS THE LATEST OF SEVERAL EXCHANGES BETWEEN THE TWO GOVERNMENTS ON REPATRIATION. IT REJECTED A FRENCH PROPOSAL FOR A NEW REPATRIATION CONFERENCE, ASSERTING THAT SUCH MATTERS COULD BE SETTLED FULLY ON THE BASIS OF AN AGREEMENT OF JUNE 29, 1945, BETWEEN THE TWO GOVERNMENTS.
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LONDON, THURSDAY, MAY 18-(AP)-ROMANIA HAS ASKED THE UNITED STATES TO TRIM THE STAFF OF ITS BUCHAREST LEGATION TO 10, ADVICES REACHING LONDON SAID TODAY.
THE OFFICIAL ROMANIAN NEWS AGENCY SAID THE COMMUNIST-LED GOVERNMENT MADE THE DEMAND IN REPLYING TO A U.S. REQUEST OF MARCH 14 FOR ENTRY VISAS FOR NEW MEMBERS OF THE LEGATION.
THE ROMANIAN NOTE ACCUSED SOME OF THOSE AT THE LEGATION OF SPYING. THE GOVERNMENT SAID IT HAD "REPEATEDLY PROTESTED AGAINST ESPIONAGE ACTIVITY CONDUCTED BY CERTAIN MEMBERS OF THE LEGATION."
IT DEMANDED THAT THE STAFF BE PUT ON A PARITY WITH THAT OF THE ROMANIAN LEGATION IN WASHINGTON.

THE NOTE MADE THESE ASSERTIONS:
THE AMERICAN STAFF IN BUCHAREST IS MANY TIMES ITS PREWAR SIZE DESPITE THE "UNFRIENDLY POLICY" OF THE UNITED STATES TOWARD ROMANIA.
THIS POLICY WAS SHOWN IN EFFORTS TO INTERFERE IN ROMANIA'S HOME AFFAIRS, IN "SLANDEROUS ATTACKS" ON ROMANIA, IN A HOSTILE ATTITUDE TOWARD HER IN THE UNITED NATIONS, IN OFFICIAL SUPPORT TO REFUGEE "TRAITORS" AND IN TESTIMONY IN TREASON TRIALS.
IT HAS BEEN PROVED IN TRIALS OF LEADERS OF THE OLD NATIONAL PEASANT PARTY AND OF "SPIES" OF THE BRITISH AND AMERICAN INFORMATION OFFICES THAT MEMBERS OF THE AMERICAN LEGATION IN BUDAPEST HAVE BEEN SPYING.
DECLARING THAT THE U.S. HAD ALSO ADDED MANY MEMBERS TO ITS DIPLOMATIC STAFFS IN OTHER EASTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES SINCE THE WAR, THE NOTE SAID:
"RECENT TRIALS IN THESE COUNTRIES TESTIFIED TO THE TRUE AIMS OF THE ACTIVITIES OF MANY OF THOSE MEMBERS OF AMERICAN DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS."
IN MARCH, ROMANIA TOLD THE U.S. TO CLOSE ITS INFORMATION OFFICE IN BUCHAREST ON THE GROUND THAT THE OFFICE WAS THE CENTER OF "ACTIVITIES HOSTILE TO THE ROMANIAN PEOPLE." THREE WEEKS AGO THE U.S. DEMANDED THAT ROMANIA SHUT DOWN HER COMMERCIAL ATTACHE'S OFFICE IN NEW YORK.

THE ROMANIAN MOVE IS ANOTHER INSTANCE IN WHICH A NATION IN THE SOVIE SPHERE HAS SOUGHT TO CUT DOWN AMERICAN DIPLOMATIC REPRESENTATION. LAST MONTH THE CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT DEMANDED THAT THE U.S. LEGATION STAFF IN PRAGUE BE CUT BY TWO-THIRDS. WASHINGTON COUNTERED BY ORDERING A SIMILAR REDUCTION OF CZECHOSLOVAK PERSONNEL IN THE UNITED STATES.

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LONDON, THURSDAY, MAY 18-(AP)-THE CHURCH OF SCTOLAND FOREIGN MISSION COMMITTEE SAID TODAY MISSIONARIES WHO WISH TO WORK IN COMMUNIST CHINA "MAY HAVE TO FOREFEIT SECURITY AND FAMILY LIFE."
"WE MUST RECOGNIZE THAT COMMUNISM WILL BE A FIGHTING CREED INVOLVING A NEW MODE OF LIVING--A PHILOSOPHY WHICH, IF UNDERSTOOD, LEAVES NO ROOM FOR CHRISTIAN FAITH," THE COMMITTEE SAID.
IT OBSERVED THAT MISSIONARIES WHO KNEW THE CHINESE CHURCH WERE CONFIDENT A REMNANT OF THE CONGREGATION WOULD SURVIVE COMMUNISM.
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LONDON, MAY 17-(AP)-THE SOVIET MAGAZINE NEW TIMES SAID TODAY RUSSIA IS BEING WRONGLY ACCUSED OF HOLDING AS PRISONERS OF WAR HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF GERMAN OFFICERS AND MEN ACTUALLY KILLED AT THE FRONT.
THE MAGAZINE SAID U.S. OCCUPATION AUTHORITIES IN GERMANY "STUBBORNLY REFUSE TO PUBLISH THE CAPTURED LISTS OF GERMAN OFFICERS AND MEN KILLED DURING THE WAR, WITH A VIEW TO SPREADING THE PROVOCATIVE RUMOR THAT HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF OFFICERS AND MEN KILLED AT THE FRONT ARE AMONG ' PRISONERS OF WAR IN THE SOVIET UNION.' THE WESTERN ALLIES HAVE DENIED SIMILAR CHARGES BEFORE.
THE MOSCOW RADIO. BROADCASTING THE MAGAZINE'S ARTICLE, SAID IT "EXPOSES THE REAL MEANING OF THE COMMUNIQUE CONCERNING GERMAN PRISONERS OF WAR PUBLISHED BY THE THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS IN LONDON."
THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF BRITAIN, THE UNITED STATES AND FRANCE ON MAY 12 ISSUED A FORMAL STATEMENT MAY 12 CRITICIZING THE SOVIET UNION FOR ANNOUNCING IT HAS REPATRIATED ALL GERMAN PRISONERS EXCEPT WAR CRIMINALS. THEY PROMISED TO TAKE STEPS TO OBTAIN INFORMATION ON THE FATE OF POWS AND CIVILIANS NOT YET REPATRIATED AND TO RETURN THEM IN AS MANY CASES AS POSSIBLE.
"THE MAGAZINE STRESSES," THE MOSCOW RADIO SAID, "THAT BY THIS SLANDEROUS CAMPAIGN THE BRITISH AND AMERICAN AUTHORITIES SEEK TO DIVERT PUBLIC OPINION FROM THE FACT THAT THEY THEMSELVES ARE USING FORMER GERMAN PRISONERS OF WAR FOR MOST UNSEEMLY AND SELF-SEEKING ENDS."
RUSSIA'S ANNOUNCEMENT LAST WEEK THAT SHE HAD COMPLETED RETURN OF GERMAN PRISONERS WAS RECEIVED WITH SHOCK AND DISBELIEF IN GERMANY.
IT WAS POINTED OUT IN GERMANY AND IN WESTERN CAPITALS THAT THE TOTAL NUMBER OF GERMANS SENT HOME WAS AT VARIANCE WITH EARLIER SOVIET CLAIMS OF THE NUMBER OF NAZI PRISONERS HELD IN RUSSIAN PRISON CAMPS.
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B66 Q (130)
LONDON, MAY 17-(AP)-MRS. ROBERT VOGELER FLEW HOME TO VIENNA TODAY "WITH FRESH HOPE" THAT HER TALKS HERE WITH AMERICAN OFFICIALS MAY HELP WIN RELEASE OF HER HUSBAND FROM A HUNGARIAN PRISON.
VOGELER, AMERICAN OFFICIAL OF THE INTERNATIONAL TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY, WAS SENTENCED TO A 15-YEAR PRISON TERM IN FEBRUARY AS A SPY.
MRS. VOGELER CAME HERE LAST WEEK FROM VIENNA AND TALKED WITH SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON, IN LONDON FOR THE FOREIGN MINISTERS' CONFERENCE, AND OTHER U.S. OFFICIALS.
SHE SAID SHE HAD RECEIVED "A MOST ENCOURAGING MESSAGE FROM THE AMERICAN EMBASSY" YESTERDAY.
"I CAN'T SAY MORE THAN THAT," SHE ADDED. "IF I DID SAY TOO MUCH, HARM MIGHT BE CAUSED. BUT I NOW HAVE CERTAIN KNOWLEDGE THAT SOMETHING IS BEING DONE FOR MY HUSBAND, AND BY THE HIGHEST AUTHORITIES."
MRS. VOGELER, A BELGIAN NATIONAL, SAID SHE WOULD DECIDE WITHIN A WEEK OR TWO WHETHER SHE WOULD GO TO AMERICA TO SEE PRESIDENT TRUMAN ABOUT HER HUSBAND'S CASE.

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B11
NIGHT LEAD NEWSPRINT (350) (Q)
BY PHILIP CLARKE
ROME, MAY 17-(AP)-A CRITICAL NEWSPRINT SHORTAGE MAY CUT BRITISH NEWSPAPERS TO FOUR PAGES NEXT JULY, THE INTERNATIONAL FEDERATION OF NEWSPAPER EDITORS WAS TOLD TODAY.
ADDRESSING THE ORGANIZATION'S THIRD CONGRESS HERE, BRITISH DELEGATE HERBERT RICHARD DAVIES SAID THE CUTS CAN BE AVOIDED ONLY BY OBTAINING

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IMMEDIATE IMPORTS OF CANADIAN NEWSPRINT.

DAVIES, DIRECTOR OF THE NEWSPRINT SOCIETY OF GREAT BRITAIN, SAID:

"THE NEWSPAPERS OF GREAT BRITAIN FACE THE IMMEDIATE POSSIBILITY OF REDUCING THEIR ALREADY LIMITED EDITIONS TO SIX PAGES IN JUNE AND A WAR-TIME LOW OF FOUR PAGES IN JULY."

HE BLAMED THE NEWSPRINT SHORTAGE ON "ECONOMICS" BUT AMERICAN DELEGATE ERWIN D.CANHAM, EDITOR OF THE CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR, TOLD A REPORTER "THIS IS A CLEAR CASE OF POLITICS."

CANHAM, A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE AMERICAN SOCIETY OF NEWSPAPER EDITORS (ASNE), WAS CRITICAL OF WHAT HE CALLED THE BRITISH LABOR GOVERNMENT'S ATTITUDE TOWARD THE PRESS. "THEY ORDER THE BRITISH NEWSPRINT INDUSTRY TO EXPORT 100,000 TONS OF NEWSPRINT YEARLY WHILE A CRITICAL SHORTAGE THREATENS PRESS FREEDOM AT HOME," HE SAID, ADDING:

"THIS IS AN EXAMPLE OF THE SO-CALLED 'WELFARE STATE'."

DAVIES AND WILLIAM THOMAS CURTIS-WILSON PRESIDENT OF THE NEWSPAPER SOCIETY OF GREAT BRITAIN, DECLINED COMMENT ON CANHAM'S CHARGES.

DAVIES SAID: "BRITIAIN DOES EXPORT A LITTLE MORE THAN 100,000 TONS OF NEWSPRINT ANNUALLY TO AUSTRALIA, SOUTH AFRICA AND NEW ZEALAND SO IT CAN IMPORT MEAT, WOOL AND OTHER LIFE-GIVING NECESSITIES.

IT MEANS WE ARE MORE THAN EVER DEPENDENT ON NEWSPRINT IMPORTS, AND THESE IMPORTS ARE LIMITED BECAUSE OF BRITAIN'S DOLLAR SHORTAGE."

A THREE MEMBER COMMITTEE OF THE ORGANIZATION DRAFTED A RESOLUTION CONDEMNING GOVERNMENT REGULATION OF NEWSPRINT TRADE AND DISTRIBUTION. IT WILL BE PRESENTED TO THE CONGRESS FOR APPROVAL TOMORROW.

THE RESOLUTION WAS AIMED PRINCIPALLY AGAINST ARGENTINE GOVERNMENT CONTROL OF THE PRESS. HOWEVER, HELGE HEILBORN, EDITOR OF DAGENS NYHETER OF STOCKHOLM AND AUTHOR OF THE RESOLUTION, SAID IT COULD APPLY "TO BRITAIN OR ANY OTHER COUNTRY EXERCISING SUCH CONTROLS."

HEILBORN SAID ARGENTINE NEWSPAPERS ARE PUBLISHING UNDER "EXTREME DIFFICULTIES" BECAUSE OF GOVERNMENT REGULATIONS OVER THE NEWSPRINT TRADE. ¥4537 ¥15.44

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BY PHILIP CLARKE

ROME,MAY 17-(AP)-ERWIN D.CANHAM, EDITOR OF THE CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR, DECLARED TODAY THAT A PROPOSED UNITED NATIONS TREATY MAY DAMAGE RATHER THAN DEFEND PRESS FREEDOM.

HE TOLD THE INTERNATIONAL FEDERATION OF NEWSPAPER EDITORS (FIEJ) THAT THE WESTERN PRESS HAD SUFFERED "SERIOUS SETBACKS" IN DRAFTING OF A U.N. CONVENTION OF FREEDOM OF INFORMATION.

CANHAM URGED THE DELEGATES, REPRESENTING 15 WESTERN NATIONS, TO DEMAND THAT THEIR GOVERNMENTS REFLECT PRESS VIEWPOINTS IN U.N. DELIBERATIONS.

"IF WE DON'T DO THIS," HE ADDED, "WE MAY GET AN INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENT LIMITING AND RESTRICTING FREEDOM OF THE PRESS INSTEAD OF LOWERING THE BARRIERS TO SUCH FREEDOM.

"THERE ARE GRAVE DANGERS AHEAD IN THE FIELD OF U.N. TREATY-MAKING IN TEGARD TO NEWS GATHERING AND PRESS FREEDOM."

CANHAM, A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE AMERICAN SOCIETY OF NEWSPAPER EDITORS (ASNE), HAS PARTICIPATED IN U.N. COMMISSION DEBATES ON PRESS FREEDOM AND NEWS-GATHERING RIGHTS.

CANHAM SAID THE MAIN DANGER LIES IN WRITING TOO MANY NATIONAL PRESS RESTRICTIONS INTO INTERNATIONAL TREATIES. ADDED ALL TOGETHER, HE SAID, "YOU GET AN ABSOLUTE MONSTROSITY."

HE DESCRIBED AS "FANTASTIC" ONE SUCH PROPOSED BAN ON PUBLICATION OF NEWS CONSIDERED OFFENSIVE TO NATIONAL PRIDE AND DIGNITY.

THE FIEJ, HOLDING ITS THIRD ANNUAL CONGRESS HERE, EARLIER UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED THE MEMBERSHIP OF WESTERN GERMAN AND AUSTRIAN NEWSPAPER EDITORS ASSOCIATIONS. IT ALSO APPROVED A REPORT ALLEGING THAT PRIVATE MONOPOLY AS WELL AS THE STATE MENACES FREEDOM OF INFORMATION.

CONGRESS PRESIDENT JOHAN VAN DE KIEFT OF HOLLAND ANNOUNCED PREPARATION OF A RESOLUTION DENOUNCING RESTRICTIONS ON THE PRESS IN ARGENTINA.

VAN DE KIEFT SAID "THERE IS A REMARKABLE PRESS SITUATION IN ARGENTINA. NEWSPRINT IN DISTRIBUTED BY THE GOVERNMENT AND ON ACCOUNT OF THE SO-CALLED SHORTAGE, THE GOVERNMENT DISTRIBUTES ONLY TO GOVERNMENT PAPERS AND NOT TO OPPOSITION PAPERS.

"THIS IS A MOST PECULIAR WAY TO GET RID OF THE OPPOSITION. IT IS ONLY ONE CASE OF MANY IN THE WORLD TODAY, BUT IT IS NECESSARY THAT WE OPPOSE RESTRICTIONS ON THE PRESS ANYWHERE."

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MANTUA, ITALY, MAY 17-(AP)- A FARMHAND WAS KILLED AND ANOTHER WAS WOUNDED IN FIGHTING TODAY BETWEEN STRIKING MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNIST CHAMBER OF LABOR AND WORKERS OF THE ANTI-COMMUNIST FREE LABOR CONFEDERATION.

THE COMMUNIST GROUP IMMEDIATELY CALLED A GENERAL STRIKE IN MANTUA PROVINCE TO PROTEST THE SLAYING, AND MEETINGS WERE CALLED BY AFFILIATED UNITS AT ROME AND MILAN TO DECIDE UPON WHAT ACTION WOULD BE TAKEN.

THE SLAIN FARMHAND WAS VITTORIO VERONESE, 28, AND THE WOUNDED MAN WAS NERINO BALDUINI, 26. IT WAS NOT CLEAR WHO FIRED THE SHOTS WHICH STRUCK THE TWO MEN. ¥.20 ¥174

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OLYMPICS

COPENHAGEN, MAY 17-(AP)-AN OFFICIAL OF THE INTERNATIONAL OLYMPIC COMMITTEE EXPRESSED HOPE TODAY THAT GERMANY AND JAPAN MAY COMPETE IN THE 1952 OLYMPICS.

OTTO MAYER OF SWITZERLAND, CHANCELLOR OF THE IOC, SAID THE IOC'S POSTPONEMENT FOR ONE YEAR OF ANY FINAL DECISION ON PARTICIPATION BY GERMANY AND JAPAN SHOULD NOT LEAD TO THE CONCLUSION THAT THE TWO COUNTRIES WERE TO BE BY-PASSED.

POSTPONEMENT SHOULD BE REGARDED, HE SAID, AS AN EXPRESSION OF

HOPE WITH MANY OF THE IOC MEMBERS THAT THE PEOPLE OPPOSED TO COMPETING AGAINST GERMANS WOULD CHANGE THEIR MINDS BEFORE A FINAL DECISION IS MADE.

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HOLLAND WILL NOT COMPETE IF GERMAN ATHLETES PARTICIPATE IN OSLO OR HELSINKI, COL. P.W.SCHAROO, DUTCH MEMBER OF THE IOC, TOLD YESTERDAY'S SESSION.

THE COLONEL ADDED IT WAS HIS BELIEF THAT OTHER COUNTRIES FORMERLY OCCUPIED BY NAZI GERMANY, LIKE BELGIUM, NORWAY AND DENMARK, WOULD TAKE THE SAME STAND.

UNDER PRESSURE FROM NORWAY, THE IOC DECIDED TO GIVE ICE HOCKEY ANOTHER CHANGE IN THE '52 WINTER GAMES AT OSLO, BUT ONLY IF THE SPORT IS STRICTLY AMATEUR. HOCKEY WAS BANISHED FOLLOWING THE 1948 COMPETITION, THE IOC RULING THAT THE INTERNATIONAL FEDERATION WAS DOMINATED BY PROFESSIONALS.

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COPENHAGEN, MAY 17-(AP)-JAPAN'S NEWEST MEMBER ON THE INTERNATIONAL OLYMPIC COMMITTEE SAID TODAY HE WAS ENCOURAGED ABOUT THE PROSPECTS OF THE RETURN OF HIS COUNTRY TO OLYMPIC COMPETITION.

DR. RYUTARO AZUMA OF TOKYO UNIVERSITY WAS ELECTED TO THE IOC YESTERDAY. HE IS PRESIDENT OF THE AMATEUR ATHLETIC FEDERATION OF JAPAN.

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"MY BIGGEST JOB HERE WAS TO IMPRESS UPON THE INDIVIDUAL SPORTS FEDERATION JAPAN'S DESIRE TO BECOME REAFFILIATED," DR. AZUMA SAID IN AN INTERVIEW. "MANY OF THE FEDERATIONS HAVE SEEMED FAVORABLE."

JAPAN HAS REJOINED THREE GROUPS SINCE THE WAR-- SWIMMING, WRESTLING AND CYCLING.

DR. AZUMA SAID JAPAN HAS APPLICATIONS PENDING TO JOIN ALL OTHER OLYMPIC FEDERATIONS.

"I HAVE BEEN GIVEN TO UNDERSTAND," HE SAID, "THAT IF WE ARE ABLE TO REJOIN MOST OF THE OTHER FEDERATIONS WE WILL BE ALLOWED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE 1952 GAMES AT OSLO AND HELSINKI."

THE FINAL DECISION ON JAPANESE ENTRY INTO THE 1952 GAMES WILL BE MADE AT NEXT YEAR'S MEETING OF THE INTERNATIONAL OLYMPIC COMMITTEE.

DR. AZUMA SAID HE WAS PARTICULARLY EAGER TO GET APPROVAL FROM THE MAJOR SPORTS SUCH AS TRACK AND FIELD. THE INTERNATIONAL AMATEUR ATHLETIC FEDERATION WHICH CONTROLS OLYMPIC TRACK AND FIELD WILL MEET IN BRUSSELS IN AUGUST.

"WHEN I RETURN TO TOKYO I WILL BE VERY BUSY MAKING NEW WRITTEN APPLICATIONS TO THE FEDERATIONS TO SHOW THEM HOW MUCH WE WISH TO JOIN" HE SAID.

DR. AZUMA SAID HE WOULD STAY IN COPENHAGEN UNTIL MAY 23. WHEN HE WILL FLY TO LONDON. HE WILL RETURN TO TOKYO BY PLANE FROM LONDON THROUGH EUROPE AND ASIA.

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BELGRADE, YUGOSLAVIA, MAY 17-(AP)-FOREIGN MINISTER EDWARD KARDELJ SAYS THE GREEK GOVERNMENT MUST PROVIDE FOR THE "BASIC RIGHTS" OF MACEDONIANS IN GREECE AS A CONDITION OF NORMAL RELATIONS BETWEEN GREECE AND YUGOSLAVIA.

IN A SPEECH BEFORE PARLIAMENT'S JOINT FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE LAST NIGHT, KARDELJ SAID MACEDONIANS MUST BE GIVEN THE RIGHT TO USE AND HAVE SCHOOLS OF THEIR OWN LANGUAGE AND THAT ALL POLITICAL PRISONERS OF MACEDONIAN ORIGIN MUST BE FREED.

"THIS IS AN INDISPENSABLE CONDITION WHICH IS GOING TO CONTRIBUTE TO FULL NORMALIZATION OF RELATIONS BETWEEN OUR TWO COUNTRIES," HE DECLARED.

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GREEK-YUGOSLAV RELATIONS BECAME STRAINED DURING THE GREEK CIVIL WAR. CHANCES FOR IMPROVEMENT NOW HINGE LARGELY ON YUGOSLAVIA'S CHANGED INTERNATIONAL POSITION RESULTING FROM PREMIER MARSHAL TITO'S FEUD WITH THE MOSCOW-DIRECTED COMINFORM.

GREEK FOREIGN UNDERSECRETARY JOHN POLITIS SAID IN ATHENS TODAY THAT RESTORATION OF NORMAL RELATIONS WILL NOT BE EASY, DESPITE RECENTLY EXPRESSED WILLINGNESS BY BOTH GOVERNMENTS.

ONE OF GREECE'S CONDITIONS, HE EXPLAINED, WOULD BE THE RENUNCIATION BY YUGOSLAVIA OF ANY OF HER OLD CLAIMS ON GREEK MACEDONIA, WHICH ADJOINS THE YUGOSLAV MACEDONIAN REPUBLIC.

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BELGRADE, YUGOSLAVIA, MAY 17-(AP)-A SPOKESMAN FOR PREMIER MARSHAL TITO'S YUGOSLAV GOVERNMENT HAS ACCUSED SOVIET RUSSIA OF MOVING TROOPS IN NEIGHBORING BULGARIA AND OF BUILDING MILITARY PONTOON BRIDGES ACROSS THE DANUBE RIVER BETWEEN ROMANIA AND BULGARIA.

THE ACCUSATIONS WERE MADE LAST NIGHT BY VLADIMIR DEDIJER, SECRETARY OF THE JOINT FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE OF YUGOSLAVIA'S TWO PARLIAMENTARY HOUSES. HE CHARGED RUSSIA WITH "WAR-MONGERING" AGAINST YUGOSLAVIA, A FREQUENT YUGOSLAV ACCUSATION SINCE THE SOVIET-LED COMINFORM BROKE WITH MARSHAL TITO IN JUNE, 1948.

DEDIJER TOLD A COMMITTEE SESSION ALSO THAT ESCAPEES FROM ROMANIA REPORTED WORKERS WERE BUSY BUILDING MILITARY AIRPORTS NEAR TIMISOARA, A ROMANIAN TOWN ON THE BORDER OF YUGOSLAVIA.

THE YUGOSLAVS CHARGED THE SOVIETS WITH SIMILAR MILITARY ACTIVITIES LAST FALL. SOME OBSERVERS THEN SAID YUGOSLAVIA MIGHT BE INVADED.

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NIGHT LEAD COAL-STEEL (400)

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BY GEORGE BOULTWOOD

BONN, GERMANY, MAY 17-(AP)-THE THREE WESTERN POWERS GAVE THE GERMANS AUTHORITY TODAY TO DECIDE EVENTUALLY WHETHER THE RUHR'S COAL AND STEEL INDUSTRIES WILL BE PRIVATELY OR PUBLICLY OWNED.

THE DECISION WAS CONTAINED IN A NEW LAW REGULATING THE REORGANIZATION OF COAL, IRON AND STEEL INDUSTRIES SO AS TO RID GERMANY OF SUCH POWERFUL GROUPS AS THE KRUPP COMBINE.

THE PREAMBLE SAYS THE QUESTION OF EVENTUAL OWNERSHIP IS TO BE LEFT TO "THE DETERMINATION OF A REPRESENTATIVE FREELY ELECTED GERMAN GOVERNMENT." THUS THE QUESTION IS NOT LEFT NECESSARILY TO THE WESTERN BONN GOVERNMENT.

THE LAW HAD BEEN HELD UP FOR MONTHS BECAUSE OF FRENCH FEARS THE PROVISION WOULD ALLOW GERMAN SUPER MONOPOLIES WHICH WOULD ENDANGER PEACE.

THOUGH THE BRITISH AND AMERICAN HIGH COMMISSIONERS APPROVED THE LAW A MONTH AGO, IT WAS REFERRED BACK TO THE THREE GOVERNMENTS WHEN THE FRENCH HIGH COMMISSIONER OBJECTED. THE QUESTION WAS DISCUSSED BY THE THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS IN LONDON LAST WEEK.

THE FRENCH NOW ACCEPT THE VIEW THAT THE ALLIES WILL RETAIN SUFFICIENT POWER IN GERMANY TO PREVENT THEIR OLD FEARS FROM MATERIALIZING.

THE CONCESSION CAME IN THE MIDST OF DISCUSSION OF A FRENCH PROPOSAL TO WELD FRENCH AND GERMAN COAL AND STEEL PRODUCTION INTO A SINGLE POOL UNDER AN INTERNATIONAL AUTHORITY TO EXPAND AND CHEAPEN PRODUCTION AND GO AFTER MORE BUSINESS.

RUHR STEEL PRODUCTION IS NOW LIMITED BY THE ALLIES AND THE DISTRIBUTION IS CONTROLLED BY A SEVEN-NATION RUHR AUTHORITY.

WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER SAID LAST NIGHT THESE LIMITATIONS WOULD NOT INTERFERE WITH ACHIEVING GERMAN-FRENCH UNITY.

THE OBJECT OF THE NEW LAW IS THE SAME AS THAT OF PREVIOUS LAWS PROMULGATED BY THE BRITISH AND AMERICANS WHILE THEY WERE OPERATING THEIR TWO ZONES AS AN ECONOMIC UNIT. IT BECAME NECESSARY TO REWRITE THE OLD LAWS WHEN THE FRENCH ZONE WAS BROUGHT INTO THE UNIT.

THE OBJECT IS TO BREAK UP EXCESSIVE CONCENTRATION OF ECONOMIC POWER, PREVENT RESTORATION OF NAZIS TO OWNERSHIP, AND REORGANIZE THE INDUSTRIES.

THE LAW LISTS 13 COMBINES, INCLUDING KRUPPS, TO BE LIQUIDATED AND REORGANIZED, 10 WHICH ALREADY ARE BEING LIQUIDATED, 45 WHOSE FATE IS YET TO BE DECIDED, AND NINE WHICH ARE NOW EXEMPTED FROM THE LAW AND RELEASED FROM ALLIED CONTROL.

UNTIL THE QUESTION OF OWNERSHIP IS DECIDED, THE STEEL INDUSTRY IS TO BE HELD IN TRUSTEESHIP BY ALLIED-NAMED AGENTS WHO WILL GO AHEAD WITH THE REORGANIZATION UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF AN ALLIED CONTROL GROUP. ANOTHER CONTROL GROUP IS SUPERVISING REORGANIZATION OF THE COAL INDUSTRY.

A BOARD OF REVIEW NOMINATED BY THE HIGH COMMISSIONERS WILL HEAR APPEALS FROM ORDERS FOR REDISTRIBUTION OF THE INDUSTRIES.

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FIRST LEAD GERMAN COAL (A50)

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BY GEORGE BOULTWOOD

(ADVANCE)-BONN, GERMANY, MAY 17-(AP)-THE WESTERN ALLIES ANNOUNCED TODAY THEY HAVE DECIDED TO GIVE THE WEST GERMAN GOVERNMENT AT SOME FUTURE DATE POWER TO FIX THE FORM OF OWNERSHIP OF THE RUHR STEEL AND COAL INDUSTRIES.

THIS DECISION IS CONTAINED IN THE PREAMBLE TO A NEW ALLIED LAW, PUBLISHED TODAY, ON REORGANIZATION OF THE GERMAN COAL, IRON AND STEEL INDUSTRIES. IT MEANS THE GOVERNMENT AT BONN WILL DECIDE IN THE FUTURE WHETHER THE RUHR INDUSTRIES WILL BE PRIVATELY OWNED OR RUN BY THE GOVERNMENT.

AN ALLIED DISPUTE OVER THE OWNERSHIP PROVISION HELD UP THE LAW FOR MONTHS. FRENCH FEARS THAT IT WOULD ENABLE THE GERMANS TO SET UP A SUPER-MONOPOLY OF HEAVY INDUSTRY CAUSED THE LAW TO BE REFERRED BACK TO THE THREE ALLIED GOVERNMENTS.

AFTER WEEKS OF DISCUSSION, THE BRITISH AND AMERICAN COMMISSIONERS VOTED FOR THE LAW A MONTH AGO. THE FRENCH COMMISSIONER PROTESTED THE INCLUSION OF THE OWNERSHIP CLAUSE. THIS AUTOMATICALLY REFERRED THE ISSUE BACK TO THE ALLIED GOVERNMENTS. IT WAS DISCUSSED IN LONDON BY THE THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS.

MEANWHILE FRANCE PROPOSED A POOLING OF GERMAN COAL AND STEEL RESOURCES IN A PLAN OPEN TO ALL EUROPEAN NATIONS. LAST NIGHT THE BONN CHANCELLOR, KONRAD ADENAUER, ANNOUNCED "FULL DETERMINATION" TO HELP BRING THE FRENCH PLAN TO REALIZATION. HE SAID TECHNICAL DIFFICULTIES SUCH AS CONTINUED ALLIED LIMITATION ON GERMAN STEEL PRODUCTION WOULD NOT BE ALLOWED TO INTERFERE WITH ACHIEVEMENT OF THE GREATEST POSSIBLE UNITY BETWEEN THE TWO TRADITIONAL ENEMIES.

ADENAUER, WHO DISCUSSED THE PLAN YESTERDAY WITH FORMER FRENCH PREMIER PAUL REYNAUD, SAID HE WAS CONVINCED OTHER EUROPEAN NATIONS, INCLUDING BRITAIN, WOULD EVENTUALLY ENTER THE POOL.

RELIABLE ALLIED SOURCES SAY THE FRENCH HAVE BECOME CONVINCED THAT THE ALLIES WOULD RETAIN ENOUGH POWER IN GERMANY TO PREVENT CREATION OF A MONOPOLY UNDER THE NEW LAW, WHICH LEAVES THE OWNERSHIP UP TO "A REPRESENTATIVE FREELY ELECTED GERMAN GOVERNMENT."

THE NEW LAW FOLLOWS MAIN PROVISIONS OF PREVIOUS ANGLO-AMERICAN LEGISLATION THAT BEGAN THE PROCESS OF BREAKING UP THE HUGE RUHR INDUSTRIAL EMPIRES LIKE KRUPP.

THE INCLUSION OF THE FRENCH IN THE JOINT CONTROL OF WEST GERMANY MADE A NEW LAW NECESSARY.

THE LAW'S OBJECTS, ALREADY PARTIALLY CARRIED OUT, ARE:

(1) TO ELIMINATE EXCESSIVE CONCENTRATION OF ECONOMIC POWER AND PREVENT THE DEVELOPMENT OF WAR POTENTIAL.

(2) TO PREVENT RESTORATION OF NAZIS TO OWNERSHIP OF THE INDUSTRIES THEY USED TO AID HITLER'S AGGRESSION.

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(3) TO REORGANIZE IN A WAY THAT WILL PROMOTE GERMAN INDUSTRIAL RECOVERY.

THE LAW LISTS 13 CONCERNS WHICH ARE THE LIQUIDATED AND REORGANIZED. THESE INCLUDE KRUPP'S STEEL AND ARMAMENT COMBINE, AT ESSEN.

ANOTHER SCHEDULE LISTS 10 COMBINES WHERE LIQUIDATION IS ALREADY IN PROGRESS. A FURTHER 45 CONCERNS ARE LISTED FOR DECISION ON WHETHER THEY FALL WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THE LAW.

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NINE PLANTS WHICH HAVE UNITED NATIONS OWNERSHIP HAVE BEEN EXEMPTED FROM THE LAW AND ALLIED CONTROL OF THEM LIFTED.

A NEW PROVISION SETS UP A BOARD OF REVIEW TO BE NOMINATED BY THE HIGH COMMISSIONERS TO STUDY PROBLEMS ARISING FROM THE REORGANIZATION AND HEAR APPEALS AGAINST ORDERS FOR REDISTRIBUTION OF PROPERTIES.

UNTIL THE QUESTION OF OWNERSHIP IS DECIDED BY THE BONN REGIME THE STEEL INDUSTRY IS HELD IN TRUSTEESHIP BY THE ALLIED-NOMINATED GERMAN TRUSTEES.

THESE TRUSTEES ARE PLANNING THE REORGANIZATION UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF THE THREE-NATION COMBINED STEEL GROUP.

THE COMBINED COAL GROUP IS SIMILARLY SUPERVISING REORGANIZATION BEING CARRIED OUT IN THE COAL INDUSTRY BY THE GERMAN COAL CONTROL BOARD (DEUTSCHE KOHLENBERGBAULEITUNG).

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BONN, GERMANY, MAY 17-(AP)-CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER LAST NIGHT ANNOUNCED HIS "FULL DETERMINATION" TO CARRY OUT A FRENCH PROPOSAL FOR POOLING COAL AND STEEL PRODUCTION OF FRANCE AND GERMANY.

SUCH TECHNICAL DIFFICULTIES AS CONTINUING ALLIED LIMITATIONS ON WEST GERMAN STEEL PRODUCTION WOULD NOT BE ALLOWED TO INTERFERE WITH ACHIEVEMENT OF THE GREATEST POSSIBLE DEGREE OF UNITY BETWEEN THE TWO ANCIENT ENEMIES, ADENAUER SAID.

HE MADE HIS STATEMENT AFTER DISCUSSING THE POOL PLAN WITH FORMER FRENCH PREMIER PAUL REYNAUD. REYNAUD CAME HERE WITH HIS ADVISERS FOR A SEMI-OFFICIAL SURVEY OF THE GERMAN SITUATION.

ADENAUER SAID HE WAS CONVINCED OTHER EUROPEAN NATIONS INCLUDING GREAT BRITAIN, REPORTEDLY COOL TOWARD THE PLAN, WOULD COME INTO THE INDUSTRIAL POOL EVENTUALLY.

IN LONDON, MEANWHILE, THE UNITED EUROPE MOVEMENT, OF WHICH WINSTON CHURCHILL IS A CHIEF LEADER, URGED BRITAIN'S LABOR GOVERNMENT TO ANNOUNCE SUPPORT OF FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN'S PROPOSAL FOR A POOL OF EUROPEAN COAL AND STEEL RESOURCES.

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BERLIN, MAY 16-(AP)-THE COMMUNIST-RUN EAST ZONE GERMAN PARLIAMENT WAS TOLD INDIRECTLY TODAY THAT RUSSIA HAS TAKEN BILLIONS OF DOLLARS WORTH OF EQUIPMENT FROM GERMANY WITHOUT DEDUCTING IT FROM THE REPARATIONS BILL.

NEVERTHELESS, THE PARLIAMENT ALSO WAS TOLD EAST GERMAN THANKS WERE BEING SENT TO PRIME MINISTER STALIN FOR A "BIG-HEARTED GESTURE" IN CUTTING THE REMAINING REPARATIONS BILL IN HALF.

ANTON ACKERMANN, DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER IN THE EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT, TOLD THE SOVIET ZONE PARLIAMENT THAT THE $3,600,000,000 REPARATIONS PAYMENT WITH WHICH RUSSIA CREDITS GERMANY HAD "COME OUT OF CURRENT PRODUCTION."

THIS MEANT THAT THE RUSSIANS DID NOT COUNT AGAINST THEIR ORIGINAL $10,000,000,000 CLAIM AGAINST GERMANY ALL THE CAPITAL EQUIPMENT THEY HAULED OUT OF THE COUNTRY IN THE LAST FIVE YEARS.

THERE WAS NO MENTION OF THE MILLIONS OF DOLLARS WORTH OF OTHER VALUABLES SUCH AS SECURITIES, CASH RESERVES OF BANKS, JEWELRY, ART WORKS AND PRIVATE PROPERTIES REMOVED BY THE RUSSIANS.

THE U.S. HIGH COMMISSION SAID IN A STATEMENT LAST NIGHT THAT THE RUSSIANS HAD FUNNELLED $18,000,000,000 WORTH OF GOODS FROM EAST GERMANY SINCE 1945. TODAY, GERMAN ANTI-COMMUNISTS RAISED THE ESTIMATE TO $20,000,000,000. THE BRITISH DECLARED THAT EVEN BY THE SPRING OF 1947 THE RUSSIANS HAD TAKEN $7,000,000,000 WORTH OF REPARATIONS FROM EAST GERMANY ALONE AND "SINCE THEN REMOVED A FURTHER $2,000,000,000 WORTH OF DISMANTLED EQUIPMENT."

PRIME MINISTER OTTOL GROTEWHOL TOLD THE COMMUNIST PARLIAMENT STALIN'S GESTURE WAS A GENEROUS ONE. IN ADDITION, EVERY COMMUNIST-CONTROLLED NEWSPAPER IN BERLIN PRINTED STALIN'S PICTURE ON PAGE ONE AND EXTOLLED HIM FOR "GENEROSITY."

ACCORDING TO STALIN'S FIGURES, ANNOUNCED YESTERDAY IN A LETTER TO GROTEWOHL, EAST GERMANY AFTER FIVE YEARS OF PAYING STILL OWED MORE THAN $6,000,000,000. EVEN CUT IN HALF, THIS MEANT THE HARD-PRESSED SOVIET ZONE WOULD BE PAYING REPARATIONS ANOTHER 15 YEARS.
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NAZIS
BY DONALD DOANE

STUTTGART, GERMANY, MAY 17-(AP)-THOUSANDS OF FORMER NAZIS ARE RETURNING TO PUBLIC OFFICE IN WESTERN GERMANY.

DOES THIS MEAN THAT NAZISM IS REVIVING?

A HIGH GERMAN OFFICIAL INSISTED TODAY THAT IT DOES NOT. A HIGH AMERICAN AUTHORITY AGREED WITH HIM.

NEITHER WAS ALARMED BY THE DISCLOSURE MONDAY THAT 76 PER CENT OF THE 11,000 OFFICIALS IN THE GOVERNMENT OF WUERTTEMBERG-BADEN STATE ONCE BELONGED TO THE NAZI PARTY.

THE GERMAN AND AMERICAN OFFICIALS DIFFERED, HOWEVER, IN THEIR EXPLANATION OF THESE FIGURES.

"WE CAN NOT FIND ENOUGH ABLE OFFICIALS TO RUN THE GOVERNMENT WITHOUT USING THESE FORMER NAZI PARTY MEMBERS," SAID REINHOLD MAIER, GERMAN MINISTER-PRESIDENT OF WUERTTEMBERG-BADEN.

"I DON'T AGREE WITH THAT," SAID MAJ. GEN. CHARLES P. GROSS, U.S. COMMISSIONER IN THIS STATE.

GROSS SAID THE REHIRING OF EX-NAZIS IS A PRODUCT OF THE GERMAN BUREAUCRATIC SYSTEM BY WHICH THE SAME GROUP OF OFFICIALS CONTINUES TO ADMINISTER THE LAWS, NO MATTER WHO CONTROLS THE GOVERNMENT.

"THESE OFFICIALS FORM A CLOSE FRATERNITY," THE AMERICAN SOMMISSIONER SAID.

"THEY FAVOR EACH OTHER. THEY PROTECT EACH OTHER. THEY HIRE EACH OTHER. THESE EX-NAZIS WHO ARE RETURNING TO THEIR OLD JOBS ARE BEING REHIRED NOT BECAUSE THEY WERE NAZIS BUT BECAUSE THEY BELONG TO THE FRATERNITY."

GROSS CRITICIZED THE GERMAN BUREAUCRACY AS "TOO AUTOCRATIC" IN ITS RELATIONS TO THE PEOPLE, YET TOO WILLING TO FOLLOW ANY LEADER--"THE KAISER, HITLER OR THE ALLIES."

BUT GROSS SAID AMERICAN AUTHORITIES CAN NOT INTERVENE TO STOP THE REEMPLOYMENT OF EX-NAZIS AS LONG AS THE GERMANS "FOLLOW THE RULES--AND APPARENTLY THEY ARE FOLLOWING THEM."

THESE RULES, MADE BY THE ALLIES, PERMIT OFFICIAL REEMPLOYMENT OF MINOR NAZI PARTY MEMBERS WHO TOOK NO ACTIVE PART IN NAZI CRIMES. THESE ARE OFFICIALLY CLASSIFIED AS "FOLLOWERS." GROSS SAID THERE WAS NO EVIDENCE GERMAN OFFICIALS ARE REHIRING ANY WHO ARE NOT ELIGIBLE.

MAIER INSISTED THOSE BEING REHIRED WERE NEVER REALLY ACTIVE NAZIS.

"THEY WERE NOT POLITICAL PEOPLE AT ALL," HE SAID. "MOST OF THEM WERE PRESSURED INTO JOINING THE PARTY IN ORDER TO HOLD THEIR JOBS.

"THESE PEOPLE ARE PROFESSIONAL PUBLIC OFFICIALS. THEY SERVED THE WEIMAR REPUBLIC. THEY SERVED HITLER. NOW THEY ARE BACK AGAIN, DOING THE JOBS THEY KNOW BEST."

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A111 (190)
VIENNA, MAY 17-(AP)-RUSSIA HAS REFUSED TO TAKE ANY STEPS TOWARD EASING THE BURDEN OF FOUR-POWER OCCUPATION IN AUSTRIA.
THE KREMLIN HAS NOTIFIED THE AUSTRIAN MINISTER IN MOSCOW THAT THE SOVIETS CATEGORICALLY REJECT AN AUSTRIAN NOTE SENT TO FRANCE, RUSSIA, GREAT BRITAIN AND THE UNITED STATES LAST FEBRUARY.
THE NOTE LISTED 23 DEMANDS, RANGING FROM THE REDUCTION OF TROOP STRENGTH TO COMPLETE NON-INTERFERENCE ON AUSTRIAN INTERNAL AFFAIRS.
THE WESTERN POWERS AGREED TO GIVE IT "SYMPATHETIC CONSIDERATION."
RUSSIAN REJECTION OF THE NOTE WAS EXPECTED. SEVERAL MONTHS AGO THE DEPUTY RUSSIAN HIGH COMMISSIONER TOLD CHANCELLOR LEOPOLD FIGL THAT RUSSIA HAD NO INTENTION OF REDUCING THE SIZE OF ITS OCCUPATION ARMY. THERE ARE NOW AN ESTIMATED 44,000 RED ARMY SOLDIERS ON DUTY IN AUSTRIA.
ALTHOUGH FRANCE, GREAT BRITAIN AND THE UNITED STATES MAY AGREE ON A PROGRAM TO EASE THE BURDEN OF THE OCCUPATION, IT IS NOT CONSIDERED LIKELY THEY WILL CUT THE SIZE OF THEIR ARMIES. THE WESTERN POWERS COMBINED HAVE ONLY LITTLE MORE THAN HALF AS MANY SOLDIERS IN AUSTRIA AS RUSSIA. THE UNITED HAS ABOUT 10,000, GREAT BRITAIN ABOUT 8,50

AUSTRIA AS RUSSIA. THE UNITED STATES HAS ABOUT 10,000, GREAT BRITAIN ABOUT 8,500, AND FRANCE ABOUT 6,500.
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MUNICH, GERMANY, MAY 17-(AP)-A U.S. HIGH COMMISSION COURT TODAY SENTENCED A CZECH NATIONAL TO TWO YEARS IN PRISON FOR TAKING PHOTOS OF U.S. ARMY MANEUVERS IN GERMANY.
KARL WANKA, 55, PLEADED GUILTY. HE CLAIMED HE WAS COMPELLED BY CZECH AUTHORITIES TO ACCEPT THE PSYING ASSIGNMENT IN ORDER TO GAIN HIS FREEDOM FROM

BY CZECH AUTHORITIES TO ACCEPT THE SPYING ASSIGNMENT IN ORDER TO GAIN HIS FREEDOM FROM A CZECH PRISON.
THE PICTURES WERE TAKEN DURING BIG ARMY MANEUVERS IN BAVARIA LAST SEPTEMBER.
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BERLIN, MAY 17-(AP)-EAST GERMANY'S COMMUNIST-DOMINATED PARLIAMENT ADOPTED TODAY A LAW PERMITTING BOYS AND GIRLS IN THE RUSSIAN ZONE TO REJECT PARENTAL GUIDANCE AT THE AGE OF 18 INSTEAD OF 21.
THE COMMUNISTS, IN PRESENTING THE LAW, EXPLAINED THEY FAVORED THE FIXING OF THE COMING OF AGE AT 18 BECAUSE "OUR BOYS AND GIRLS ARE POLITICALLY MATURE AT THIS AGE."
THE LAW MEANS THAT BOTH SEXES CAN MARRY AT 18, JOIN POLITICAL PARTIES OF THEIR OWN FREE WILL AND CHOOSE A JOB THEY WANT WITHOUT PARENTAL PERMISSION.
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A9 (100)
FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 17-(AP)-THE U.S. AIRFORCE TESTED THE DEFENSE SYSTEM OF ITS BIG FIGHTER-BOMBER AIRBASE IN FUERSTENFELDBRUCK TODAY--AND FOUND IT WANTING.
IF THOSE HAD BEEN ENEMY PLANES WHICH STAGED A MOCK SURPRISE ATTACK ON THE BASE AT 4 A.M., ABOUT 90 PER CENT OF THE BASE WOULD HAVE BEEN DESTROYED, HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED.
THE MOCK ATTACK WAS MADE BY 32 F-47 THUNDERBOLTS. THEY ATTACKED THE RADAR WARNING NETWORK AND COMMUNICATIONS CENTERS--THEN FOUND THE 36TH FIGHTER-BOMBER WING'S F-80 JET FIGHTERS SITTING OUT ON THE RAMP A PERFECT TARGET.
NINETY PER CENT OF THE AIRMEN ON THE BASE SLEPT THROUGH THE WHOLE EXERCISE.
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A97 (240)
BY ORMONDE GODFREY
WARSAW, MAY 17-(AP)-GEN. FRANCISZEK JOZWIAK WITOLD, A POLITBURO MEMBER, HAS DISCLOSED THE DISCOVERY OF TROTSKYIST ELEMENTS IN POLAND'S COMMUNIST PARTY.
ADDRESSING THE FOURTH PLENARY SESSION OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE WHICH ENDED LAST SATURDAY, WITOLD DECLARED THE PARTY'S CONTROL COMMISSIONS HAD TO INCREASE THEIR VIGILANCE. HIS SPEECH WAS RELEASED TO NEWSMEN TODAY.
WITOLD SAID EXPULSIONS HAD INCREASED SINCE THE THIRD PLENARY SESSION LAST NOVEMBER. THOSE REMOVED AS IDEOLOGICAL AND CLASS ALIENS NOW AMOUNTED TO 62 PER CENT OF ALL EXPULSIONS AS AGAINST THE PREVIOUS 53 PER CENT, HE EXPLAINED.
HE REFRAINED FROM GIVING THE NUMBER OF PARTY MEMBERS SO DEALT WITH BUT ADDED THAT EXPULSIONS ON MORAL AND ETHICAL GROUNDS HAD DIMINISHED.
WITHOLD, WHO ALSO IS A MEMBER OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE AND THE COUNCIL OF STATE, SUPPORTED PRESIDENT BOLESLAW BEIRUT'S INSISTANCE ON GREATER WATCHFULNESS WITHIN PARTY RANKS. OBSERVERS BELIEVED IN VIEW OF WITOLD'S STANDING IN THE PARTY THAT MEMBERS WERE BEING WARNED TO FOLLOW PARTY DIRECTIVES AND WERE BEING TOLD THAT NO HERESIES WOULD BE TOLERATED.
DIPLOMATIC INFORMANTS HERE SAID SUNDAY THAT A WIDESPREAD PURGE OF PROMINENT MEMBERS OF THE POLISH COMMUNIST PARTY HAD BEGUN. FORECASTS OF A SHAKEUP PRECEDED THE ANNOUNCEMENT LAST WEEK THAT MARSHAL KONSTANTIN ROKOSSOVSKY HAD BEEN NAMED TO THE PARTY'S POWERFUL POLITBURO. ROKOSSOVSKY, A FORMER SOVIET ARMY COMMANDER, NOW IS IN CHARGE OF POLAND'S MILITARY FORCES.
WITOLD DESCRIBED THE LACK OF PARTY DISCIPLINE IN HIS SPEECH AND DECLARED SOME PROVINCIAL PARTY BRANCHES WERE ISOLATED AND WERE LIVING IN A "LORDLY FASHION."
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A3 (480)
NIGHT LEAD LIE
BY THOMAS P. WHITNEY
MOSCOW, MAY 17-(AP)-SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE ANNOUNCED TODAY HE HOPES FOR A SECOND ROUND OF TALKS WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND OTHER WESTERN LEADERS FOLLOWING HIS CONFERENCES HERE WITH PRIME MINISTER STALIN.
THE UNITED NATIONS OFFICIAL, DECLARING HIMSELF "NOT DISSATISFIED" WITH HIS WEEK-LONG MISSION TO MOSCOW, TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE HE HAD THE SECOND ROUND OF CONFERENCES IN MIND BEFORE HIS TRIP TO EUROPE. A "FINAL JUDGMENT" ON THE RESULTS OF THE JOURNEY, HE ADDED, CANNOT BE MADE BEFORE TWO OR THREE MONTHS, PERHAPS LONGER.
LIE SAID HE HOPES TO SEE FRENCH PREMIER GEORGES BIDAULT, BRITISH PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE AND U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON AS WELL AS PRESIDENT TRUMAN WHEN HE GOES BACK TO PARIS, LONDON AND THE UNITED STATES.
PEACE, HE SAID, "WAS THE UNDERTONE OF MY CONVERSATIONS WITH EVERYONE I TALKED WITH IN MOSCOW," AS WELL AS IN WASHINGTON, LONDON AND PARIS. "IT'S PEACE THEY WANT AND PEACE THEY ARE TALKING ABOUT. THIS GIVES ME HOPE."

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"THE UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY-GENERAL CANNOT BE SATISFIED BEFORE THE UNITED NATIONS MACHINERY WORKS NORMALLY, THE COLD WAR IS BROUGHT TO AN END AND FRIENDLY RELATIONS ARE ESTABLISHED BETWEEN THE MEMBER NATIONS," HE EXPLAINED.

LIE ADDRESSED THE NEWS CONFERENCE AT THE VIRTUAL END OF HIS VISIT, WHICH HAD THE AVOWED PURPOSE OF SETTLING THE DISPUTE OVER CHINA'S REPRESENTATION IN THE U.N., AND ENDING THE COLD WAR.

HE ARRIVED HERE LAST THURSDAY. HE IS LEAVING FRIDAY FOR PRAGUE, PARIS, LONDON AND NEW YORK AFTER SEEING PRIME MINISTER STALIN, DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER V.M. MOLOTOV, FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI VISHINSKY, DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI GROMYKO, SEVERAL OTHER SOVIET OFFICIALS AND THE CHINESE COMMUNIST AMBASSADOR HERE, WANG CHIA-HSIANG.

SEVERAL CORRESPONDENTS HAD SUBMITTED QUESTIONS TO LIE IN ADVANCE AND IN ANSWER TO THESE HE DISCLOSED THAT HE DISCUSSED:

"THE GENERAL INTERNATIONAL SITUATION."

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"CHINESE REPRESENTATION IN THE UNITED NATIONS."

"THE SO-CALLED COLD WARM"

"PERIODIC MEETINGS OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL" (WITH HEADS OF STATES AND TOP-RANKING REPRESENTATIVES OF ALL THE MEMBERS).

"CONTROL OF ATOMIC ENERGY."

"I HAVE BEEN RECEIVED IN A MOST FRIENDLY WAY, AND THE EXCHANGES OF VIEWS AND IDEAS HAVE BEEN OF A MOST POSITIVE KIND," HE ADDED.

HE CALLED ATTENTION TO HIS STATEMENTS IN NEW YORK AND PARIS BEFORE HIS DEPARTURE FOR MOSCOW THAT HE DID NOT EXPECT ANY IMMEDIATE RESULTS FROM HIS JOURNEY.

"IT IS MORE ALONG THE LINES OF GROUNDWORK WHICH HAS TO BE DONE AND WHICH I HAVE TO DO," HE EXPLAINED. "I AM GOING TO VARIOUS COUNTRIES CONVINCED THAT I AM DOING MY DUTY, AND I HOPE THAT SOMETHING MAY RESULT FROM IT LATER."

THE SECRETARY-GENERAL APOLOGIZED TO NEWSMEN FOR NOT BEING ABLE TO GIVE MORE DETAILS OF HIS TALKS WITH STALIN AND OTHER LEADERS, EXPLAINING THAT HIS CONVERSATIONS "MUST BE CONFIDENTIAL IF RESULTS AS REGARDS ACTUAL SITUATIONS AND DIFFICULT PROBLEMS ARE TO BE OBTAINED."

DEEPLY CONCERNED BY THE DEADLOCK OVER CHINA, IN WHICH RUSSIA REFUSES TO LET HER REPRESENTATIVES SIT IN U.N. MEETINGS WITH NATIONALIST CHINA DELEGATES, LIE SAW PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON BEFORE COMING HERE. HE ALSO SAW PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE AND FOREIGN OFFICE OFFICIALS IN BRITAIN, PRESIDENT VINCENT AURIOL OF FRANCE, PRIME MINISTER BIDAULT AND FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN.

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PRECEDE LAKE SUCCESS TRYGVE LIE (A103) (320)

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BY EDDY GILMORE

MOSCOW, MAY 17-(AP)-TRYGVE LIE SAID TODAY HE IS "NOT DISSATISFIED" WITH HIS TALKS WITH PRIME MINISTER STALIN AND OTHER SOVIET LEADERS.

"TIME WILL TELL," HE SAID, WHAT THE RESULTS WILL BE.

"A FINAL JUDGMENT CANNOT BE MADE BEFORE TWO OR THREE MONTHS FROM NOW," LIE TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE. "MAYBE IT WILL TAKE A STILL LONGER PERIOD, TOO." THE UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY-GENERAL IS ON A WASHINGTON-PARIS-LONDON-MOSCOW MISSION DESIGNED TO HELP BRIDGE DIFFERENCES BETWEEN EAST AND WEST AND TO SUPPORT THE U.N. HE SAW PRIME MINISTER STALIN MONDAY NIGHT. PREVIOUSLY HE TALKED WITH DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER V.M.MOLOTOV AND FOREIGN MINISTER A.Y.VISHINSKY.

"I HAVE BEEN RECEIVED IN A MOST FRIENDLY WAY," LIE SAID, "AND THE EXCHANGES OF VIEWS AND IDEAS HAVE BEEN OF A POSITIVE KIND.

"I HAVE BEEN ASKED WHAT WE HAVE BEEN TALKING ABOUT. WELL, OUR CONVERSATIONS HAVE CONCENTRATED ON THE GENERAL INTERNATIONAL SITUATION, THE CHINESE REPRESENTATION IN THE UNITED NATIONS AND THE SO-CALLED COLD WAR. AMONG OTHER MATTERS DISCUSSED, I CAN ALSO MENTION PERIODIC MEETINGS OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL (WITH LEADERS OF THE BIG POWERS PRESENT) AND THE CONTROL OF ATOMIC ENERGY."

SOME CORRESPONDENTS SUBMITTED QUESTIONS IN WRITING IN ADVANCE OF THE NEWS CONFERENCE. LIE EXPRESSED REGRET HE COULD NOT DISCLOSE MORE DETAILS IN HIS REPLIES, ADDING:

"THE TALKS AND EXCHANGES OF VIEWS BETWEEN LEADERS OF STATES AND THE SECRETARY-GENERAL MUST BE CONFIDENTIAL IF RESULTS AS REGARDS ACTUAL SITUATIONS AND DIFFICULT PROBLEMS ARE TO BE OBTAINED.

"I HAVE BEEN ASKED HOW I AM SATISFIED WITH THE RESULTS OF MY DISCUSSIONS WITH LEADERS OF STATES IN THE FOUR CAPITALS I HAVE VISITED SINCE APRIL 20.

"TO THIS I SHOULD ONLY LIKE TO POINT OUT THAT THE UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY-GENERAL CANNOT BE SATISFIED BEFORE THE UNITED NATIONS MACHINERY WORKS NORMALLY, THE COLD WAR IS BROUGHT TO AN END AND FRIENDLY RELATIONS ARE ESTABLISHED BETWEEN THE MEMBER NATIONS.

"I HAVE NO REASONS TO BE DISSATISFIED WITH MY CONVERSATIONS IN MOSCOW. A FINAL JUDGMENT, HOWEVER, CANNOT BE MADE BEFORE TWO OR THREE MONTHS FROM NOW. MAYBE IT WILL TAKE A STILL LONGER PERIOD, TOO.

"IN THIS CONNECTION, I SHOULD LIKE TO REPEAT WHAT I SAID AT A PRESS CONFERENCE IN NEW YORK BEFORE I SET OUT ON MY TRIP: "I DO NOT EXPECT ANY IMMEDIATE RESULTS FROM MY JOURNEY. IT IS MORE ALONG THE LINES OF GROUNDWORK THAT HAS TO BE DONE AND WHICH I HAVE TO DO.'"

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MOSCOW, MAY 17-(AP)-SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE SAID TODAY PRIME MINISTER STALIN IS IN GOOD HEALTH.

"I WAS TALKING WITH THE GENERALISSIMO FOR AN HOUR AND A HALF," LIE TOLD REPORTERS. "HE SAT RIGHT ACROSS THE TABLE FROM ME. HE WAS AS HEALTHY AND LIVELY AS HE WAS IN 1946. ALL THESE RUMORS ABOUT HIS HEALTH ARE LIES AND FALSE."

LIE LAST TALKED TO STALIN WHEN THE U.N. OFFICIAL WAS IN MOSCOW FOUR YEARS AGO.

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A21KX (SINO)

NITE LEAD CHINESE (400)

BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI, FORMOSA, MAY 17-(AP)-CHINESE COMMUNIST TROOPS SWARMING OVER THE ABANDONED NATIONALIST BLOCKADE BASE OF CHUSHAN ISLAND WERE ATTACKED TODAY BY WARPLANES FROM FORMOSA.

AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS SAID TWO AIRFIELDS ON THE ISLAND 300 MILES NORTH OF TAIPEI WERE RENDERED USELESS. HEADQUARTERS ALSO ASSERTED MANY TROOP-LADEN CRAFT APPROACHING THE ISLAND WERE SUNK.

TRANSPORTS CRAMMED WITH NATIONALIST TROOPS FROM CHUSHAN STILL WERE ARRIVING AT FORMOSA. HERE THE CHUSHAN GARRISON OF AN ESTIMATED 150,000 MEN WILL BE INTEGRATED IN THE DEFENSE OF THIS HUGE ISLAND, NOW THE LAST MAIN RETREAT OF THE NATIONALISTS.

THE BLOODLESS WITHDRAWAL OF THE CHUSHAN GARRISON, COMPLETED YESTERDAY, WAS BEING PORTRAYED HERE AS A GREAT DEFENSE VICTORY. NONE KNOWS WHEN THE REDS MAY STRIKE ACROSS THE 100 MILES OF WATER FROM THE MAINLAND. AND THESE SOLDIERS FROM CHUSHAN WILL BE NEEDED WHEN THAT DAY COMES.

THE NATIONALISTS SAID THEY STILL HELD FORTIFIED QUEMOY ISLAND, NEAR THE PORT OF AMOY DIRECTLY ACROSS FROM FORMOSA. EVERYONE

EXPECTS THAT OUTPOST TO BE ABANDONED AS SOON AS THE REDS MASS ENOUGH TROOPS ON THE MAINLAND TO OVERWHELM IT.

THE NATIONALIST AIR FORCE ALSO ATTACKED AMOY. HEADQUARTERS SAID THE RUNWAY AT AN AIRFIELD THERE AND ONE OF THE LARGER WHARVES WERE DAMAGED. MANY JUNKS WERE REPORTED SUNK. OTHER PLANES ATTACKED DEFENSE WORKS AND ARTILLERY POSITIONS ON ISLANDS NEAR QUEMOY.

A HIGH STAFF OFFICER WHO DIRECTED THE EVACUATION OF CHUSHAN SAID THE DECISION TO ABANDON THE ISLAND--BASE FOR THE BLOCKADE THAT PARALYZED TRADE TO SHANGHAI--WAS MADE MAY 10.

THE OFFICER, WHO WOULDN'T LET HIS NAME BE USED, SAID THE CHASHAN COMMANDERS WANTED TO STAY AND FIGHT BUT BOWED TO THE DECISION TO CONCENTRATE FORCES FOR BIGGER BATTLES.

HE ADMITTED THIS STRATEGY MIGHT LOWER MORALE OF THE RESISTANCE MOVEMENT ON THE MAINLAND, BUT SAID THIS WOULD BE OFFSET WHEN THE REASON WAS UNDERSTOOD.

THE OFFICER SAID THE DEFENSE OF FORMOSA WOULD BE A HARD JOB WITHOUT HELP FROM THE OUTSIDE "BUT WITH OR WITHOUT HELP WE ARE DETERMINED TO CARRY ON THE FIGHT."

GEN. CHIANG CHING-KUO, GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S SON, SENT A MESSAGE TO THE TROOPS RETURNING FROM CHUSHAN PRAISING THEM FOR THEIR SPIRIT. HE ADDED:

"GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK HAS ALREADY MADE KNOWN HIS DETERMINATION TO LIVE OR DIE WITH YOU IN THE COMING BATTLE OF FORMOSA. FORMOSA IS OUR LAST STRONGHOLD. LET US ALL RALLY TOGETHER AND FIGHT WITH ONLY ONE AIM IN VIEW--THE ANNIHILATION OF THE COMMUNISTS."

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A64FX (FORMOSA)
CHINESE (240)
BY SPENCER MOOSA

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TAIPEI, MAY 17-(AP)-JAMMED TRANSPORTS HEADED FOR FORMOSA TODAY WITH THE LAST NATIONALIST TROOPS FROM ABANDONED CHUSHAN ISLAND.

NEWS REPORTS SAID GEN. SHIH CHUEH, NATIONALIST DEFENSE COMMANDER OF CHUSHAN, WAS DUE TONIGHT.

THE NATIONALISTS BEGAN PULLING OUT OF THE ISLAND BLOCKADE BASE, 100 MILES SOUTHEAST OF SHANGHAI, SATURDAY. THE LAST PLANE LOAD OF OFFICERS FROM CHUSHAN REACHED FORMOSA LAST NIGHT.

THE ABANDONMENT BY 150,000 TROOPS OF THE CHUSHAN ISLANDS DID NOT SHOCK NATIONALIST CHINESE HERE AS MUCH AS HAD THE FALL OF HAINAN ISLAND RECENTLY. THERE IS A COMMON TENDENCY AMONG THE CHINESE TO ASCRIBE THE WITHDRAWAL TO AN UPSET IN THE BALANCE OF POWER CAUSED BY THE CREATION OF A SOVIET SPONSORED COMMUNIST AIRFORCE.

AT ONE TIME NATIONALIST POSSESSION OF THE CHUSHAN ISLANDS GAVE CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S AIR FORCE VIRTUAL CONTROL OVER MUCH OF CHINA'S AIR. HIS NAVAL FORCES EFFECTIVELY BLOCKADED SHANGHAI FROM THERE.

THE ISLANDS ALSO WERE A SUPPLY POINT FOR NATIONALIST GUERRILLAS ON THE MAINLAND.

BUT FORMATION OF THE RED CHINA AIR FORCE REDUCED NATIONALIST RAIDS TO HIT AND RUN AFFAIRS.

NATIONALIST SOURCES SAID THE REDS HAD MASSED 400,000 TROOPS FOR AN ASSAULT ON CHUSHAN. THE WITHDRAWAL OF 150,000 TROOPS FROM CHUSHAN STRENGTHENED FORMOSA'S DEFENSES AND WILL FORCE THE REDS TO MOUNT A MUCH LARGER FORCE ONCE THEY DECIDE TO STORM THIS BIG ISLAND.

THE BLOODLESS WITHDRAWAL FROM CHUSHAN WAS CALLED A GREAT DEFENSE VICTORY BY NATIONALIST LEADERS.

GEN. CHIANG CHING-KUO, ELDER SON OF THE GENERALISSIMO, WELCOMED THE TROOPS TO FORMOSA. HE SAID THEY HAD "COMPLETED THE GREAT HISTORICAL TASK ENTRUSTED TO YOU BY THE PEOPLE OF CHINA."

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A52FX
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TOKYO, MAY 17-(AP)-FORMOSANS IN JAPAN HAVE JOINED TO SUPPORT INDEPENDENCE FOR THEIR ISLAND HOMELAND. THEY SAID FORMOSANS ARE FORCED TO "A LIFE OF MISERY UNDER FUEDALISTIC" CHIANG KAI-SHEK, PRESIDENT OF NATIONALIST CHINA.

FRANK S. LIM TODAY ANNOUNCED FORMATION OF THE FORMOSAN DEMOCRATIC INDEPENDENCE PARTY. LIM IS CHIEF OF THE POLITICAL DEPARTMENT OF THE NEW GROUP. HE SAID THE PARTY IS A COMBINATION OF SEVERAL FORMOSAN GROUPS--THE FORMOSAN LEAGUE FOR INDEPENDENCE, THE LEAGUE FOR FORMOSAN REEMANCIPATION AND THE FORMOSAN STUDENTS LEAGUE.

LIM SAID THE PARTY HAS 3,000 MEMBERS FROM THE ESTIMATED 11,000 FORMOSANS IN JAPAN.

A STATEMENT FROM THE NEW PARTY SAID:

"WE HAVE BEEN FORCED TO LIVE A LIFE OF FAR LESS FREEDOM AND MORE MISERY UNDER THE FETTERS OF THE FEUDALISTIC AND IMPERIALISTIC REGIME OF CHIANG KAI-SHEK THAN DURING THE JAPANESE COLONIAL DAYS.

"WE ARE INVOLVED IN THE CHINESE CIVIL WAR WHICH MEANS NOTHING TO US FROM EITHER A LEGAL OR MORAL STANDPOINT.

"FORMOSA'S MISFORTUNE AND PERIL ARE THE RESULT OF BARGAINING AT THE CAIRO CONFERENCE AND THE ASSISTANCE WHICH GENERAL MACARTHUR GAVE TO THE CHINESE IN TAKING OVER THE ISLAND.

"NO ONE WITHOUT A PLEBISCITE OF THE PEOPLE OF FORMOSA HAS THE AUTHORITY OR RIGHT TO DECIDE THE FATE OF FORMOSA.

"UNLESS FORMOSA IS GIVEN INDEPENDENCE SOON IT WILL NOT BE LONG BEFORE FORMOSA IS TRAMPLED DOWN UNDER THE IRON HOOFS OF THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS OF RED IMPERIALISM.

"FORMOSANS APPRECIATE THE TRADITIONAL AMERICAN POLICY OF THE RIGHT OF SELF DETERMINATION OF PEOPLES. WE REGRET THAT THEY (THE UNITED STATES) HAVE NOT YET SHOWN ANY SIGNS OF SYMPATHY TOWARD US IN APPLYING THIS PRINCIPLE TO THE CASE OF FORMOSA."

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A102FX

TOKYO, MAY 17-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER SHIGRU YOSHIDA CALLED AGAIN TODAY FOR AN EARLY PEACE TREATY--AND INDICATED HE DOES NOT CARE IF RUSSIA AND RED CHINA DO NOT SIGN IT.

YOSHIDA (IN A POLITICAL SPEECH) CHARGED THAT HIS OPPONENTS WERE DEMANDING A PEACE TREATY WITH ALL OF JAPAN'S WARTIME ENEMIES "IN DEFIANCE OF POPULAR DESIRE." THAT WOULD INCLUDE RUSSIA AND, NOW, RED CHINA.

YOSHIDA HAS TAKEN THE POSITION THAT JAPAN SHOULD HAVE AN EARLY TREATY, EVEN WITHOUT RUSSIA. RUSSIA AND THE WESTERN POWERS CANNOT AGREE ON WHO SHOULD SIT AT THE PEACE TABLE.

THE PRIME MINISTER IS CAMPAIGNING FOR LIBERAL PARTY CANDIDATES IN NEXT MONTH'S HOUSE OF COUNCILLORS ELECTION. THIS IS THE UPPER HOUSE OF THE DIET OR PARLIAMENT.

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B27KX Q
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TOKYO, MAY 17-(AP)-A.K. PATIL, MAYOR OF BOMBAY, IS DUE HERE TUESDAY ON A WORLD TOUR. THE INDIAN MISSION SAID HE WILL STUDY LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AND JAPAN'S MOVIE INDUSTRY.

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SEOUL, KOREA, MAY 17-(AP)-PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE TODAY PRESENTED 1,000,000 WONS TO LT.LEE KUN SOON, WHO DESERTED THE COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA AIR FORCE LAST MONTH.
THAT'S ABOUT $540.
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A36FX
SEOUL, MAY 17-(AP)-PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE TODAY ACCUSED COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA OF PUMPING MONEY INTO HIS SOUTH KOREA REPUBLIC TO INFLUENCE THE MAY 30 ELECTIONS.
"VOTERS SHOULD BE CAUTIOUS OF THOSE WHO ARE SPENDING TOO MUCH MONEY IN THEIR ELECTION CAMPAIGNS," RHEE WARNED. HE URGED SOME CANDIDATES TO WITHDRAW SO THEIR STRENGTH WILL NOT BE DIVIDED AGAINST COMMUNIST-BACKED OFFICE SEEKERS.
FT206APD

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WITH TAIPEI
MANILA,MAY 17-(AP)-PRESIDENT QUIRINO TODAY LOOKED LONGINGLY AT THE SPRATLEY ISLANDS AS A PHILIPPINES DEFENSE POST.
THE ISLANDS ARE 250 MILES WEST OF PALAWAN ISLAND IN THE PHILIPPINES. THEY WERE USED BY THE JAPANESE AS A SPRINGBOARD FOR THE INVASION OF THE PHILIPPINES IN THE LAST WAR.
IN 1934 AS FINANCE SECRETARY QUIRINO HAD URGED ACQUISITION OF THE SPRATLEYS.
HE SAID THE SPRATLEYS, WHICH ARE CLAIMED BY NATIONALIST CHINA, SHOULD BELONG TO THE NATION THEY ARE NEAREST FOR DEFENSE PURPOSES.
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B136 (Q)
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NIGHT LEAD CONFERENCE (270)
SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA, MAY 17-(AP)-THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH CONFERENCE ON ECONOMIC AID TO SOUTH AND SOUTHEAST ASIA REACHED AN UNEXPECTEDLY EARLY AGREEMENT TODAY.
IN LESS THAN AN HOUR, DIFFERENCES OF OPINION WHICH HAD ARISEN YESTERDAY BETWEEN THE BRITISH AND AUSTRALIAN DELEGATIONS WERE DISSOLVED.
THE CONFERENCE AGREED IN PRINCIPLE TO ESTABLISHMENT OF A TECHNICAL AID FUND, A CAPITAL INVESTMENT FUND AND A CENTRAL BUREAU IN COLOMBO, CEYLON.
THE COLOMBO BUREAU WILL BE STAFFED BY FINANCIAL AND ECONOMIC EXPERTS DRAWN FROM ALL BRITISH COMMONWEALTH NATIONS.
IT WILL COLLECT INFORMATION CONCERNING DEVELOPMENT PLANS OF UNDER-DEVELOPED ASIAN NATIONS, PARTICULARLY INDOCHINA, INDONESIA, BURMA, MALAYA AND THAILAND (SIAM). THE NATIONS MAY APPLY TO IT FOR AID.
THE CONFERENCE CHAIRMAN, EXTERNAL AFFAIRS MINISTER PERCY C. SPENDER OF AUSTRALIA, ANNOUNCED THAT A DRAFTING COMMITTEE MADE UP OF THE DELEGATIONS' FINANCIAL, TRADE AND POLITICAL ADVISERS HAS BEEN CALLED IN TO "PREPARE THE NECESSARY DETAILED DETERMINATIONS."
SPENDER SAID THE CONFERENCE WILL END FRIDAY.
THE LEADERS OF THE SEVEN DELEGATIONS WERE JUBILANT AS THEY LEFT THE CONFERENCE TABLE. BOTH SPENDER AND THE LEADER OF THE BRITISH DELEGATION, LORD MACDONALD, SAID THEY WERE COMPLETELY SATISFIED.
THE AUSTRALIANS ORIGINALLY PROPOSED IMMEDIATE CREATION OF A COMMON-WEALTH POOL OF £8,000,000 ($22,400,000) TO AID THE UNDERDEVELOPED AREAS. THE BRITISH DELEGATION OBJECTED THAT AID SHOULD NOT BE PROVIDED UNTIL THE COUNTRIES BENEFITTING GAVE THE CONFERENCE SOME IDEA HOW THE MONEY WOULD BE SPENT.
IT WAS LEARNED THAT SPENDER OFFERED TODAY TO WAIVE HIS INSISTENCE UPON IMMEDIATE ALLOCATION OF £8,000,000 TO THE FUND PROVIDED THE CONFERENCE AGREED IN PRINCIPLE TO SETTING UP OF THE FUND BEFORE THE TALKS CLOSED.
LORD MACDONALD ACCEPTED A RESTATEMENT OF THE ORIGINAL AUSTRALIAN PLAN AND THE AGREEMENT WAS REACHED UNANIMOUSLY IN A FEW MINUTES.
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SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA, MAY 17-(AP)-INFORMED SOURCES REPORTED THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH CONFERENCE HAD AGREED TODAY TO SET UP A COMMONWEALTH POOL FOR IMMEDIATE FINANCING OF AID TO UNDEVELOPED AREAS IN SOUTHEAST ASIA.
THE AGREEMENT HEALED A RIFT WHICH DEVELOPED YESTERDAY OVER AN AUSTRALIAN PROPOSAL FOR SUCH A POOL OF £8,000,000 ($22,400,000).
THE FIGURE FINALLY AGREED UPON BY THE COMMONWEALTH DELEGATIONS WAS NOT DISCLOSED. IT WAS UNDERSTOOD THE AID WOULD NOT BE CONFINED TO BRITISH COMMONWEALTH COUNTRIES IN SOUTHEAST ASIA ALONE.
THE BRITISH DELEGATION, OBJECTING TO THE AUSTRALIAN PLAN, SAID IMMEDIATE AID SHOULD NOT BE PROVIDED UNTIL COUNTRIES BENEFITTING GAVE THE CONFERENCE SOME IDEA OF HOW THE MONEY WOULD BE SPENT.
SOURCES CLOSE TO THE CONFERENCE SAID BOTH SIDES HAD MODIFIED THEIR POSITIONS TO REACH TODAY'S COMPROMISE. BOTH BRITISH AND AUSTRALIAN SPOKESMEN TERMED HIGHLY SATISFACTORY TODAY'S REDRAFTING BY AUSTRALIAN EXTERNAL AFFAIRS MINISTER PERCY C.SPENDER OF HIS ORIGINAL PROPOSAL.
IT WAS UNDERSTOOD THE COMPROMISE PLAN PROVIDES PARTICULARLY FOR TECHNICAL AID.
THE CONFERENCE NOW WILL WORK OUT METHODS TO PUT THE PLAN INTO ACTION WITHIN AN ANTICIPATED SIX MONTHS, RELIABLE SOURCES SAID.
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JAKARTA, U.S.I., MAY 17-(AP)-INDONESIA WANTS TO REMAIN NEUTRAL IN THE COLD WAR AND DOES NOT CONSIDER THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS A DANGER TO ITS NEW REPUBLICAN REGIME, A FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY.
AGUS SALIM, ELDER STATESMAN AND ONE OF INDONESIA'S TOP FOREIGN POLICY ADVISORS, SAID IN A MAJOR FOREIGN POLICY STATEMENT:
"WE REFUSE TO ACCEPT THE IDEA WE MUST TAKE SIDES IN THE COLD WAR.
"THE WEST HAS BEEN THINKING WE MUST TAKE ONE OF TWO WAYS, BUT AFTER 300 YEARS OF POLITICAL MASTERSHIP BY THE WEST WE WANT TO SHOW THAT WE WILL FOLLOW THE WAY OF THE EAST. WE MUST TAKE A THIRD WAY--OUR OWN WAY--AND WE HOPE THE UNITED STATES WILL HELP US."
SPEAKING OF THE FORTHCOMING CONFERENCE OF SOUTHEAST ASIAN AND PACIFIC COUNTRIES MAY 26 AT THE PHILIPPINES SUMMER CAPITAL OF BAGUIO, SALIM DECLARED HIS GOVERNMENT WOULD NOT AGREE TO JOIN ANY OUTRIGHT ANTI-COMMUNIST BLOC.
SALIM SAID THE FACT THAT RED CHINA'S LEADER MAO TZE TUNG IS A

COMMUNIST DOES NOT MEAN HE IS A THREAT TO THE PEOPLE OF THE U.S.I., NOR DOES IT MEAN THAT THE CHINESE PEOPLE ARE COMMUNIST.

SALIM DEPLORED THE COMMUNIST LABEL WHICH HE SAID HAS BEEN ATTACHED TO MOSCOW-TRAINED HO CHI MINH'S RUSSIAN-RECOGNIZED GUERRILLA REGIME IN INDOCHINA, AND ASSERTED IF THAT COUNTRY GOES COMMUNIST IT WILL BE THE FAULT OF THE GREAT POWERS.

"THE WORLD IS NOT QUICK TO RECOGNIZE THE NATIONAL MOVEMENT OF THE WHOLE NATION (OF INDOCHINA)," SALIM SAID.

HE DECLARED IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND THE BIG POWERS "TO LET GERMANY AND JAPAN HAVE THE POSITIONS THEY DESERVE IN THE HOPE THAT
THEY WILL COOPERATE WITH THE REST OF THE NATIONS."

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TEHRAN, IRAN, MAY 17-(AP)-AUTHORITATIVE SOURCES SAID TODAY NO AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY HAS BEEN STARTED YET IN THE EXPLORATIONS OF THE GOVERNMENT-OWNED IRANIAN OIL COMPANY.

THE SOVIET UNION HAS ACCUSED IRAN OF USING AMERICAN EXPERTS TO MAKE AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHS OF [redacted] ALONG THE RUSSIAN-

MAKE AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHS OF "MILITARY SIGNIFICANCE" ALONG THE RUSSIAN-IRANIAN BORDER. THE U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT HAS CALLED THE CHARGE "UTTER AND COMPLETE NONSENSE."

THE INFORMANTS HERE SAID THE IRANIAN OIL COMPANY IS RUN BY IRANIANS ONLY. IT EMPLOYS A SWISS PROFESSOR, ARNOLD HAIM, AND SEVEN OTHER SWISS OIL EXPERTS. THE COMPANY PLANS TO ASSIGN FIVE EXPLORING GROUPS TO VARIOUS PARTS OF IRAN. TWO GROUPS ALREADY HAVE BEGUN EXPLORATION IN REGION ONE AND REGION TWO UNDER HAIM'S DIRECTION. THE OIL EXPLORATIONS ARE IN THE NORTHEAST PART OF THE COUNTRY.

THE IRANIAN OIL COMPANY WAS FORMED LAST YEAR, UNDER IRAN'S SEVEN-YEAR PLAN, TO EXPLOIT OIL IN IRANIAN AREAS NOT WITHIN THE ANGO-IRANIAN OIL COMPANY'S CONCESSION.

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B2 (Q)
SECOND NIGHT LEAD PLANE

TEL AVIV, ISRAEL, MAY 17-(AP)-ISRAELI FIGHTING PLANES FIRED WARNING SHOTS ACROSS THE NOSE OF A BRITISH RAF FLYING BOAT AND FORCED IT TO LAND ON THE SEA HERE TODAY.

THE CREW OF EIGHT WAS QUESTIONED AND THEN RELEASED. ISRAELI SOURCES INDICATED THEY CONSIDERED THE INCIDENT CLOSED. THE FOUR-ENGINED SUNDERLAND WAS ALLOWED TO CONTINUE ITS FLIGHT TO THE SUEZ CANAL ZONE FROM BAHREIN IN THE PERSIAN GULF, A GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN SAID.

THE PLANE COMMANDER EXPLAINED HE HAD MADE A NAVIGATIONAL ERROR.

AN ISRAELI SPOKESMAN SAID SUNDERLAND FLEW OVER THE TIBERIAS AREA OF NORTHERN ISRAEL, OUTSI... THE PRESCRIBED CORRIDOR FOR SUCH FLIGHTS AND WITHOUT ISRAEL'S PERMISSION. HE SAID THE PLANE IGNORED THE SIGNALS OF ISRAELI PLANES TO LAND, AND THE FIGHTERS THEN FIRED WARNING SHOTS.

THE PLANE BELONGED TO THE RAF COASTAL COMMAND. QUESTIONING OF THE CREW PROCEEDED IN THE PRESENCE OF THE BRITISH AIR ATTACHE HERE.

ISRAELI AUTHORITIES HAVE REPEATEDLY WARNED THAT FOREIGN AIRCRAFT MUST STICK TO SPECIFIED CORRIDORS AND HAVE AUTHORIZATION FOR FLIGHTS OVER ISRAEL. FIGHTERS FORCED A UNITED NATIONS PLANE TO LAND AT LYDDA AIRPORT TWO WEEKS AGO.

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TEL AVIV, ISRAEL, MAY 17-(AP)-ISRAELI FIGHTER PLANES FIRED WARNING SHOTS AND FORCEB A BRITISH FLYING BOAT TO LAND AT THE PORT OF TEL AVIV TODAY.

THE BRITISH SHIP'S CREW OF EIGHT WAS TAKEN INTO CUSTODY, PENDING AN INVESTIGATION.

THE ISRAELIS SAID THE PLAN CROSSED OVER ISRAEL'S TERRITORY FROM THE EAST, APPARENTLY HEADED FOR EGYPT.

A SIMILAR INCIDENT OCCURRED MAY 2 WHEN AN ISRAELI FIGHTER FIRED A WARNING BURST AND COMPELLED A UNITED NATIONS OBSERVATION PLANE TO LAND AT LYDDA AIRPORT. A GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN SAID AT THE TIME U.N. PLANES HAD BEEN VIOLATING ISRAELI AIR RULES AND FLYING OUTSIDE THE PRESCRIBED AIR CORRIDOR. THE U.N. PLANE WAS LATER PERMITTED TO PROCEED TO JORDAN-OCCUPIED PALESTINE.

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TEL AVIV, ISRAEL, MAY 17-(AP)-THE ISRAELI CABINET RECEIVED TODAY THE REPORT OF A SPECIAL COMMITTEE REINVESTIGATING THE ASSASSINATION OF COUNT FOLKE BERNADOTTE, THE U.N. MEDIATOR, IN JERUSALEM ON SEPT. 17, 1948.

THE CABINET WILL DECIDE WHETHER THE COMMITTEE'S FINDINGS WILL BE PUBLISHED HERE AND WHAT REPLY WILL BE MADE TO SWEDEN, WHICH HAS CHARGED ISRAEL WITH "ASTONISHING NEGLIGENCE" IN SEARCHING FOR BERNADOTTE'S KILLERS.

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NEW DELHI, INDIA, MAY 17-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER JAWAHARLAL NEHRU'S TALK LAST SATURDAY WITH TOP KASHMIR GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS PRODUCED NO NEW DEVELOPMENTS IN THE INDIAN-PAKISTANI CONTROVERSY OVER KASHMIR, A HIGH INDIAN FOREIGN MINISTRY OFFICIAL SAID TODAY.

NEHRU'S VISIT TO SRINAGAR, INDIA, TO CONFER WITH KASHMIR'S STATE PRIME MINISTER SHEIKH ABDULLAH AND HIS CABINET WAS ROUTINE AND INTENDED TO RENEW CONTACTS, THE OFFICIAL INSISTED.

HE SAID INDIA'S POSITION IN THE KASHMIR QUESTION ALREADY HAD BEEN EXPLAINED MANY TIMES, AND THAT NO NEW DEVELOPMENTS COULD ARISE UNTIL THE PLANS OF UNITED NATIONS MEDIATOR SIR OWEN DIXON, COMING SOON TO TRY TO BRING ABOUT A SETTLEMENT, ARE KNOWN.

A U.N. COMMISSION HEADED BY DIXON WAS APPOINTED TO MEDIATE BETWEEN INDIA AND PAKISTAN WHO ARE DISPUTING OVER THE FUTURE STATUS OF KASHMIR.

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A16KX (SMITH&SINO)
NITX LEAD FLIERS (275)
BY LEIF ERICKSON

PEARL HARBOR,MAY 17-(AP)-A COUPLE OF "RICE FAT" U.S. FLIERS TODAY CONSIDERED OFFERS TOTALING POSSIBLE $100,000 FOR THEIR STORY OF 18 MONTHS AS CAPTIVES OF THE COMMUNISTS IN NORTH CHINA.

THE TWO ARE WILLIAM C. SMITH, LONG BEACH, CALIF., NAVY CHIEF ELECTRICIAN'S MATE, AND MARINE SGT. ELMER C. BENDER OF CINCINNATI.

THE OFFERS POURED IN EVEN AS THE TWO WERE FLYING IN LAST NIGHT FROM HONG KONG. A NAVY SPOKESMAN SAID THEY CAME FROM MAGAZINES, FEATURE SYNDICATES, MOVIES AND TELEVISION. HE ESTIMATED THE TOTAL AT $100,000.

THE SPOKESMAN, CMDR. HARRY C. CROSS, SAID, HOWEVER, THE TWO WILL GIVE A FULL ACCOUNT OF THEIR EXPERIENCE AT A NAVY-CONDUCTED NEWS CONFERENCE, PROBABLY TOMORROW.

THE TWO ALSO HAVE FROM $3,000 TO $4,000 IN ACCUMULATED BACK PAY, CROSS ESTIMATED.

CROSS SAID SMITH AND BENDER FEASTED LAST NIGHT ON BIG STEAKS "A TON OF FRENCH FRIES AND ABOUT A GALLON OF ICE CREAM." THEY WERE TAKEN TO TRIPLER GENERAL HOSPITAL FOR REST AND A PHYSICAL CHECKUP.

CROSS THOUGHT BOTH LOOKED A LITTLE FAT BUT "IT'S RICE FAT, I THINK." THE MEN GOT A DIET MAINLY OF RICE AFTER THEY WERE CAPTURED BY THE COMMUNISTS OCT. 19, 1948 WHEN THEIR LIGHT OBSERVATION PLANE WAS FORCED DOWN NEAR TSINGTAO. TSINGTAO THEN WAS A U.S. NAVY BASE.

THE COMMUNISTS RELEASED THEM MAY 3. THEY WERE TAKEN TO HONG KONG FROM TSINGTAO BY THE BRITISH STEAMER HUNAN.

THE FIRST THING ON THE PROGRAM TODAY WAS COMPLETE PHYSICAL EXAMINATIONS. THEN THEY WENT TO GET THEIR PAY ACCOUNTS STRAIGHTENED OUT. THEY WERE ISSUED NEW UNIFORMS.

CROSS INDICATED NEITHER WANTED TO TELEPHONE HIS WIFE FROM HAWAII, SAYING "THEY WANT TO WAIT UNTIL THEY SEE THEM."

THAT PROBABLY WON'T BE LONG. SMITH AND BENDER WILL FLY TO LOS ALAMITOS AIRPORT NEAR LONG BEACH THURSDAY OR FRIDAY IN A SPECIAL MARINE TRANSPORT PLANE. SMITH'S WIFE AND CHILDREN ARE AT LONG BEACH. BENDER WILL FLY ON TO GLENVIEW NAVAL AIR STATION NEAR CHICAGO.

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SMITH-BENDER (160)

PEARL HARBOR, MAY 17-(AP)-REFRESHED BY SLEEP AND VITAMIN PILLS TWO AMERICAN FLIERS WHO WERE HELD 18 MONTHS BY CHINESE REDS PREPARED TODAY TO TELL THE WORLD OF THEIR EXPERIENCES.

MARINE MASTER SGT.ELMER C.BENDER OF CINCINNATI AND NAVY CHIEF ELECTRICIAN'S MATE WILLIAM C.SMITH OF LONG BEACH, CALIF., ARRIVED LAST NIGHT FROM THE ORIENT.

GREETED BY REAR ADM.JOHN E.GINGRICH, CIVILIANS AND SERVICEMEN, SMITH AND BENDER WERE TAKEN FROM THE PLANE WHICH BROUGHT THEM FROM HONG KONG TO A HOSPITAL. NAVY DOCTORS SAID BOTH NEEDED REST AND VITAMINS.

BEFORE THEY TALK TO NEWSMEN (3 P.M. EST) NAVY INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS WILL PROCESS THEM. SMITH AND BENDER WERE CAPTURED OCT. 19, 1948 WHEN THEIR SMALL OBSERVATION PLANE WAS FORCED DOWN NEAR TSINGTAO, CHINA, THEN AN AMERICAN NAVAL BASE.

EFFORTS BY UNITED STATES AUTHORITIES TO FREE THEM PROVED FRUITLESS. FINALLY ON MAY 3, THE COMMUNISTS TOLD THEM A REVOLUTION WAS BREWING IN THE UNITED STATES AND FREED THEM.

ABOUT 100 PERSONS DROVE THE 30 MILES FROM HONOLULU TO WELCOME THE PAIR. SMITH AND BENDER SMILED AND WAVED REPEATEDLY.

NAVY OFFICERS SAID THEY WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO TALK UNTIL A NEWS CONFERENCE TENTATIVELY SET FOR TOMORROW MORNING.

SMITH AND BENDER WERE FORCED DOWN IN CHINESE COMMUNIST TERRITORY OCT. 19, 1948, ON A FLIGHT FROM TSINGTAO, THEN A U.S. NAVALBASE. THEY WERE CAPTURED BY COMMUNISTS WHO REBUFFED REPEATED ATTEMPTS TO OBTAIN THEIR RELEASE.

THE REDS TURNED THEM LOOSE MAY 3. THE OFFICIAL PEIPING RADIO BROADCAST AN ACCOUNT THAT THEY FINALLY HAD "CONFESSED" TO SPYING ON COMMUNIST TROOP MOVEMENTS.

THE BRITISH COASTAL STEAMER HUNAN BROUGHT THEM TO HONG KONG. THERE THEY WERE TRANSFERRED TO A U.S. DESTROYER AND A FEW HOURS LATER PLACED ON A PLANE ENROUTE HOME.

THE TWO AIRMEN WERE TAKEN TO TRIPLER GENERAL HOSPITAL WHERE THEY WILL SPEND THE NIGHT.

"WHAT THEY NEED MOST IS TO REST UP AND CATCH UP ON THEIR VITAMINS," A NAVY SPOKESMAN SAID.

THE OFFICER SAID THEY WILL BE "OFFICIALLY PROCESSED" BEFORE THEY ARE PERMITTED TO TALK TOMORROW TO NEWSMEN.

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FOLO PEARL HARBOR (A16)

CHICAGO, MAY 17-(AP)-MRS. SHIRLEY BENDER, 25, WIFE OF MASTER SGT. ELMER C. BENDER OF CINCINNATI, CAME CLOSE TO TALKING TO HIM TODAY FOR THE FIRST TIME IN 20 MONTHS.

BUT NAVY SECURITY REGULATIONS APPEARED TO HAVE PREVENTED COMPLETION OF A TELEPHONE CALL WHICH TOMMY BARTLETT'S NBC "WELCOME TRAVELERS" RADIO SHOW IN CHICAGO TRIED TO SET UP.

BENDER WAS IN PEARL HARBOR ON HIS WAY TO CHICAGO AFTER RELEASE FROM 18 MONTHS CAPTIVITY AMONG CHINESE REDS. MRS.BENDER, WHO LIVES WITH HER PARENTS IN CHICAGO, TALKED TO CMDR.MEREL MC BAINE, NAVY SECURITY OFFICER AT PEARL HARBOR, BUT SHE SAID HE TOLD HER BENDER WAS RESTING AND UNABLE TO TALK TO HER AT THE TIME.

THE NAVY IN CHICAGO SAID BENDER WILL ARRIVE HERE BY AIRPLANE THURSDAY OR FRIDAY. MRS.BENDER SAID THEY HAVE NO PLANS BECAUSE HE'LL NEED REST AND GOOD FOOD FOR A WHILE."

THE RADIO SHOW GAVE HER CLOTHES FOR HERSELF, HER HUSBAND, THEIR FOUR YEAR OLD DAUGHTER, KATHY, WHO NOW HAS MEASLES.

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NIGHT LEAD PRESS (170)

MONTEVIDEO, URUGUAY, MAY 17-(AP)-A UNITED NATIONS GROUP URGED TODAY THAT GOVERNMENTS RESPECT THE RIGHTS OF THE PRESS FULLY EVEN WHEN THEY FIND IT NECESSARY TO DECLARE A "STATE OF EMERGENCY."

THE ACTION WAS VOTED BY THE U.N. SUB-COMMISSION ON FREEDOM OF INFORMATION AND THE PRESS 10 TO 0.

THIS VOTE APPROVED A RESOLUTION FOR GENERAL ASSEMBLY CONSIDERATION RECOMMENDING TO ALL MEMBER STATES "THAT, WHEN THEY ARE COMPELLED TO DECLARE A STATE OF EMERGENCY, MEASURES TO LIMIT THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION AND THE PRESS SHALL BE TAKEN ONLY IN THE MOST EXCEPTIONAL CIRCUMSTANCES AND THEN ONLY TO THE EXTENT STRICTLY REQUIRED BY THE SITUATION."

STEVEN DEDIJER OF YUGOSLAVIA ABSTAINED FROM VOTING. ANOTHER MEMBER OF THE 12-MAN BODY OF EXPERTS, PAVEL KOTIK OF RUSSIA, IS BOYCOTTING THE SESSION BECAUSE OF THE PRESENCE OF NATIONALIST CHINA'S REPRESENTATIVE, P.H.CHANG.

THE SUB-COMMISSION RECEIVED TODAY PROPOSALS DRAFTED BY DELEGATES FROM LEBANON, EGYPT AND CHINA TO SET UP AN INTERNATIONAL CODE OF ETHICS AND A FIVE-MAN COURT OF HONOR TO ENFORCE IT. U.S. DELEGATE CARROLL BINDER MOVED TO DELAY CONSIDERATION, DECLARING HE DOUBTED WORKING JOURNALISTS WOULD ACCEPT THE CODE.

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montevideo, uruguay, may 17--(ap)--proposals to establish an international code of ethics and a court of honor to enforce it were presented here today to the united nations sub-commission on freedom of information and the press.

the proposals were contained in two resolutions drafted by the delegates from lebanon, egypt and china.

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the code of ethics would call for reporting of facts without prejudice, counteracting reports which provoke international hatred, promoting respect for human rights and freedoms and facilitating the solution of economic, social and humanitarian problems.

the court of honor, according to the proposal, would be [redacted] a five-man tribunal set up by an international conference of working members of the news profession to judge on violations of the code of ethic

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u. s. delegate carroll binder, declaring he doubted working journalists would accept the code, moved to delay consideration of the two resolutions. he was supported by philippines delegate melchor aquino, who said he felt that the working newsmen should decide on the matter.

it was agreed, however, that the sub-commission was empowered to draft at least a working paper on the proposals which could then be handed to discussed by the international newsmen's conference later.

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TIMMINS, ONT., MAY 17-(AP)-POLICE ESCORTED THE "RED DEAN" OF CANTERBURY
TO HIS AUTOMOBILE TONIGHT WHILE AN ANGRY MOB PELTED HIS VEHICLE WITH EGGS AND ROCKS AFTER HIS SPEECH ON BEHALF OF THE LEFTWING CANADIAN "PEACE CONGRESS."

THE VERY REV. HEWLETT JOHNSON, AN AVOWED COMMUNIST SYMPATHIZER, WAS TRAPPED BY A SHOUTING CROWD OF SOME 800 CITIZENS IN THE UKRAINIAN LABOR TEMPLE FOR AN HOUR BEFORE POLICE OFFICERS AND FOLLOWERS ESCORTED HIM TO THE CAR.

THE RECEPTION WAS SIMILAR TO ONE IN HAMILTON EARLIER THIS WEEK.

TONIGHT'S DISTURBANCE CAME AFTER AN UNINTERRUPTED SPEECH ADVOCATING FRIENDSHIP WITH SOVIET RUSSIA. THE ENGLISH CLERGYMAN REPEATED THAT "RUSSIA DOES NOT WANT WAR" AND DECLARED "THE PEOPLE OF THE WORLD ARE HUNGRY FOR PEACE."

WHILE THE CROWD MILLED AROUND IN FRONT OF THE SMALL HALL, THE 76-YEAR-OLD DEAN OF CANTERBURY ASKED FOR POLICE PROTECTION IN ORDER TO LEAVE. ABOUT 50 OF THE 200 PERSONS IN THE HALL HAD LEFT WHEN THE IRATE CROWD STARTED THROWING ROCKS, EGGS AND FIRE CRACKERS. THE OTHER 150 REFUSED TO LEAVE THE BUILDING WITHOUT PROTECTION.

TWO HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS AND A MAN--ALL OF THEM UNIDENTIFIED--WERE ARRESTED DURING A BRIEF SKIRMISH.

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JOHNSON-PACIFIC (560)
BY JOHN M. HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON, MAY 17-(AP)-A NEW EFFORT TO BREAK THE AMERICAN DEADLOCK OVER A JAPANESE PEACE TREATY WILL BE MADE WHEN DEFENSE SECRETARY JOHNSON VISITS THE PACIFIC COLD WAR FRONT NEXT MONTH.

RESPONSIBLE OFFICIALS SAID TODAY THE TREATY PROBLEM UNQUESTIONABLY IS ONE THAT WILL BE DISCUSSED AT LENGTH BY JOHNSON, GEN. DOUGLAS MACARTHUR, COMMANDER IN JAPAN, AND GEN. OMAR BRADLEY, CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF.

JOHNSON AND BRADLEY WILL LEAVE HERE JUNE 11 FOR A 13-DAY AERIAL TOUR OF THE FAR EASTERN COMMAND. ENROUTE TO TOKYO THEY WILL INSPECT THE PACIFIC DEFENSE AND COMMUNICATIONS BASTIONS IN HAWAII, KWAJALEIN, GUAM AND OKINAWA. RETURNING, THEY ARE EXPECTED TO TRAVEL BY WAY OF THE ALEUTIANS.

AT ONE TIME, INFORMANTS SAID, THERE WAS SOME DISCUSSION OF EXTENDING THE TRIP TO THE PHILIPPINES, WHERE THE UNITED STATES HAS BASES, BUT THIS WAS FINALLY RULED OUT.

BRADLEY MADE THE PACIFIC TOUR AND VISITED JAPAN LAST FEBRUARY ALONG WITH OTHER MEMBERS OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF. THIS WILL BE JOHNSON'S

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FIRST VISIT TO THE PACIFIC, HOWEVER.
INSOFAR AS IT CONCERNS INSPECTION OF MILITARY INSTALLATIONS, IT WILL BE AN IMPORTANT BUT ROUTINE AFFAIR.
THE CHIEF POLITICAL INTEREST IN THE TRIP IS THE FRESH SIGNIFICANCE IT GIVES TO POSSIBLE NEW AMERICAN POLICY DEVELOPMENTS. AND IT IS HERE THAT ATTENTION FOCUSES ON JAPANESE TREATY PROBLEMS.
MACARTHUR, WHO IS KNOWN TO FEEL THAT ANY OCCUPATION BEGINS TO LOSE EFFECTIVENESS AFTER FIVE YEARS, BELIEVES THE TIME HAS COME TO BUCKLE DOWN TO HARD WORK ON MAKING SOME SORT OF A JAPANESE PEACE SETTLEMENT. HIS VIEW IS SUPPORTED IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT. LAST FALL SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON AGREED WITH BRITISH FOREIGN MINISTER BEVIN THAT A JAPANESE PEACE TREATY WAS AN URGENT MATTER.
THE DEFENSE ESTABLISHMENT, ON THE OTHER HAND, HAS CONSISTENTLY AND VIGOROUSLY OPPOSED ANY AMERICAN POLICY OF DRIVING TOWARD A PEACE TREATY AT THIS TIME. DEFENSE OFFICIALS TAKE THE POSITION THAT IT WOULD POSSIBLY WEAKEN AMERICAN SECURITY INTERESTS IN JAPAN.

THE SPEARHEAD OF THE DEFENSE OPPOSITION HAD BEEN UNDERSECRETARY OF ARMY TRACY VOORHEES, WHO HAS RESIGNED. THE BASIC OPPOSITION, HOWEVER, IS UNDERSTOOD TO HAVE COME FROM THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF WHO DECIDED MONTHS AGO THAT FROM A MILITARY POINT OF VIEW THEY DID NOT THINK THE JAPANESE PEACE TREATY AT PRESENT WOULD BE A GOOD THING. JOHNSON IS UNDERSTOOD TO HAVE SIDED WITH VOORHEES AND THE JOINT CHIEFS.
THE TOKYO MEETING OF MACARTHUR AND JOHNSON THUS WILL BRING TOGETHER TWO OF THE MOST POWERFUL MEN REPORTED ON OPPOSITE SIDES OF THE CONTROVERSY. ACHESON APPARENTLY HAS NEVER TRIED TO FORCE HIS OWN WAY ON THIS ISSUE BUT HAS LEFT IT UP TO SUBORDINATES TO WORK OUT AN ARRANGEMENT WITH DEFENSE OFFICIALS. THIS WAS THE TASK ASSIGNED EARLY THIS YEAR TO ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE W.WALTON BUTTERWORTH. IF BUTTERWORTH MADE ANY PROGRESS THERE HAS BEEN NO EVIDENCE OF IT.
IN FACT, THE WHOLE PEACE TREATY PROJECT HAS BEEN COMPLETELY STALLED FOR ABOUT SIX MONTHS. FOLLOWING THE BEVIN-ACHESON MEETING LAST FALL, STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS QUICKLY PUT TOGETHER A FIRST ROUGH DRAFT OF WHAT THIS GOVERNMENT WOULD LIKE TO SEE IN A JAPANESE PACT. THERE THE MATTER HAS STOOD WHILE MILITARY AND DIPLOMATIC OFFICIALS WRANGLE OVER WHETHER THERE SHOULD BE ANY PACT AT ALL.
THE MILITARY POSITION MAINLY IS THAT RUSSIA WOULD NEVER GO ALONG WITH A TREATY ACCEPTABLE TO THE UNITED STATES AND THAT A TREATY WITHOUT RUSSIA WOULD WEAKEN JAPAN'S POLITICAL POSITION IN THE FAR EAST AND ALSO WEAKEN THE BASIS OF MAINTAINING AMERICAN TROOPS IN THE ISLANDS.
ON THE OTHER SIDE, STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS AND, EVIDENTLY, MACARTHUR FEEL THAT A SETTLEMENT ENDING THE OCCUPATION AND RESTORING JAPANESE INDEPENDENCE COULD BE MADE WITHOUT WEAKENING THE AMERICAN POSITION AND IN FACT MIGHT STRENGTHEN IT, SINCE THEY FEEL OCCUPATION WILL BECOME INCREASINGLY UNPOPULAR. THEIR SOLUTION FOR THE SECURITY PROBLEM IS TO MAKE A SEPARATE ARRANGEMENT WITH THE JAPANESE GOVERNMENT FOR BASING U.S. TROOPS IN THE ISLANDS AS DEFENSE RATHER THAN OCCUPATION FORCES.
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A141WX
(350) BIG THREE
BY JOHN A. SCALI
WASHINGTON, MAY 17-(AP)-WESTERN DIPLOMATS SAID TODAY THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS ARE STALLED OVER AN AMERICAN PROPOSAL THAT THEY PROTEST RUSSIA'S ARMING OF AN EAST GERMAN POLICE FORCE.
SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON TOOK TO LONDON A SUGGESTION FOR THREE-POWER ACTION TO CALL WORLD ATTENTION TO WHAT HE BELIEVES IS CREATION OF AN ILLEGAL ARMY IN EASTERN GERMANY.
INFORMED OFFICIALS SAID TODAY THE ACHESON PROPOSAL HAS BEEN DISCUSSED THOROUGHLY AND THAT FOREIGN MINISTER BEVIN OF BRITAIN AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER SCHUMAN OPPOSED MAKING ANY PUBLIC STATEMENT ABOUT THE SITUATION AT THIS TIME.
IT WAS LEARNED THAT BEVIN, SUPPORTED BY SCHUMAN, MADE THE POINT THAT PUBLIC PROTEST AT THIS TIME MIGHT AROUSE FEARS IN WESTERN GERMANY.
IT WAS ALSO FELT THIS MIGHT BRING A WEST GERMAN CLAMOR EITHER FOR SECURITY GUARANTEES WHICH THE WEST IS NOT PREPARED TO MAKE OR FOR EQUAL REARMING OF WEST GERMAN POLICE.
AFTER LENGTHY DISCUSSION, OFFICIALS SAID, THE FOREIGN MINISTERS DECIDED TO DROP THE SUBJECT WITH THE UNDERSTANDING IT CAN BE BROUGHT UP ANEW LATER ON FOR POSSIBLE JOINT ACTION.
THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT IS REPORTED INCLINED TO WAIT AND OBSERVE RUSSIA'S ACTION IN EASTERN GERMANY MORE CLOSELY BEFORE MAKING UP ITS MIND.
THERE ARE NUMEROUS REPORTS TO THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT TELLING OF RUSSIAN MILITARY REVIVAL IN EASTERN GERMANY. THE LATEST "RUMORS" INDICATE THE RUSSIANS MAY INSTITUTE CONSCRIPTION IN EASTERN GERMANY TO GET MORE MANPOWER.
DR. KURT SCHUMACHER, LEADER OF THE WEST GERMAN SOCIALIST PARTY, MENTIONED THIS NEWEST RUMOR IN A SPEECH IN BERLIN MONDAY.
HE PREDICTED THE EAST GERMANY "PEOPLE'S ARMY" WOULD TOTAL BETWEEN 350,000 AND 400,000 MEN WHEN IT IS FULLY ORGANIZED.
AMERICAN REPORTS ARE NOT QUITE SO ALARMING BUT DO INDICATE THE RUSSIANS ARE TRAINING THE "NUCLEUS" OF A MUCH LARGER FORCE WHICH CAN IN NO WAY BE DESCRIBED AS A POLICE UNIT BUT MORE A FULL-FLEDGED ARMY. THESE REPORTS INDICATE THE RUSSIANS ARE SUPPLYING TANKS, ARTILLERY, RECONNAISSANCE VEHICLES AND SUCH ARMS AS ANTI-TANK GUNS, BAZOOKAS AND OTHER WEAPONS.
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A176WX
(200) AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD POINT FOUR
WASHINGTON,MAY 17-(AP)-AMBASSADOR CAPUS M.WAYNICK IS BEING RECALLED FROM NICARAGUA TO GIVE A QUICK START TO THE ADMINISTRATION'S NEW "POINT FOUR" PROGRAM OF AID FOR THE WORLD'S UNDERDEVELOPED AREAS.
UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE JAMES E.WEBB SAID IN ANNOUNCING THE MOVE TODAY THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT FEELS THE "NEED FOR REAL URGENCY" IN LAUNCHING THE EFFORT TO BUILD UP LIVING STANDARDS IN BACKWARD LANDS IN COOPERATION WITH THE UNITED NATIONS.
FINAL ACTION BY CONGRESS IS EXPECTED SOON ON LEGISLATION AUTHORIZING $35,000,000(M) OVER THE NEXT YEAR LARGELY TO SUPPLY AMERICAN TECHNICIANS AND TO TRAIN FOREIGN TECHNICIANS IN THIS COUNTRY. SUBSTANTIAL ADVANCE PREPARATIONS ALREADY HAVE BEEN MADE BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND OTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCIES.
WAYNICK, NORTH CAROLINA PUBLISHER, AND FORMER DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL COMMITTEEMAN,WILL HEAD UP THE NEW ENTERPRISE ONLY TEMPORARILY AND WILL RETAIN HIS STATUS AS AMBASSADOR. HE IS EXPECTED TO ARRIVE HERE NEXT WEEK.
AMBASSADOR JAMES BRUCE WAS BROUGHT BACK FROM ARGENTINA SIMILARLY TO LAUNCH THE NEW $1,300,000,000 ARMS AID PROGRAM FOR EUROPEAN AND OTHER COUNTRIES.
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A173WX
(350) AMS BUDGET
HOUDEK

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BY EDWARD E.BOMAR

WASHINGTON,MAY 17-(AP)-PUZZLED OFFICIALS STARTED CONFERENCES TODAY ON THE PLEA OF VLADIMIR HOUDEK, CZECHOSLOVAKIA'S CHIEF DELEGATE TO THE UNITED NATIONS, TO REMAIN IN THIS COUNTRY AS A POLITICAL REFUGEE.

HOUDEK RESIGNED YESTERDAY, DENOUNCED RUSSIAN PRESSURE ON HIS HOMELAND AND APPEALED TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN FOR ASYLUM.

PERMISSION IN SUCH CASES ORDINARILY IS GRANTED PROMPTLY AS A MATTER OF ROUTINE, IN ACCORDANCE WITH AMERICAN TRADITION. IN HOUDEK'S CASE, HOWEVER, GOVERNMENT AUTHORITIES HAVE EVIDENCE HE IS A COMMUNIST PARTY MEMBER OF LONG-STANDING, AND THEREFORE INELIGIBLE UNDER IMMIGRATION LAWS AND JUDICIAL RULINGS.

ALSO ANTI-COMMUNIST CZECH LEADERS IN THIS COUNTRY, INCLUDING FORMER AMBASSADOR JURAJ SLAVIK, ARE URGING THE STATE DEPARTMENT TO DENY THE PLEA.

OFFICIALS SAID THE ISSUE WAS BELIEVED TO BE THE FIRST OF THE KIND. IF HOUDEK IS ALLOWED TO REMAIN, THEY SAID THERE WILL HAVE TO BE AN ORDER BY THE ATTORNEY GENERAL.

THE 30-YEAR OLD HOUDEK HAS FOLLOWED THE SOVIET BLOC LINE FAITHFULLY AT LAKE SUCCESS AND HAS TAKEN PART IN RECENT SOVIET WALKOUTS FROM U.N. AGENCIES. HE ANNOUNCED HIS RESIGNATION A FEW HOURS BEFORE HE WAS SCHEDULED TO SAIL ON HIS RETURN TO PRAGUE AMID INDICATIONS HE MIGHT HAVE FALLEN FROM FAVOR WITH THE CZECH REGIME.

HOUDEK WAS KNOWN AS A PROTEGE OF VLADIMIR CLEMENTIS, WHO WAS OUSTED MARCH 14 AS FOREIGN MINISTER AND SINCE HAS DROPPED FROM SIGHT. A CEZCH COMMUNIST PURGE TRIAL IS BEING PREPARED IN WHICH OFFICIALS LOOK FOR CLEMENTIS TO PLAY A LEADING ROLE. THEIR SUSPICION IS THAT HOUDEK FEARED HE ALSO WAS ABOUT TO BE PURGED.

DR.SLAVIK TOLD A REPORTER THAT HOUDEK IS "AN OPPORTUNIST WHO IS TRYING TO SAVE HIS OWN SKIN." THE FORMER AMBASSADOR SAID HE TOLD THE STATE DEPARTMENT HOUDEK HAS BEEN A COMMUNIST PARTY MEMBER SINCE 1944 AND DOES NOT DENY HIS STATUS. HE FORECAST THAT THE COUNCIL OF FREE CZECHOSLOVAKIA, MADE UP OF ANTI-COMMUNIST REFUGEES, MIGHT FORMALLY URGE THAT HOUDEK BE DENIED ASYLUM.

"THE U.S.SHOULD BE CAUTIOUS IN ANY EVENT," SLAVIK ADVISED. "ADMITTING HIM WOULD SET A PRECEDENT WHICH THE COMMUNISTS MIGHT USE IN THE FUTURE TO GET SOME OF THEIR AGENTS INTO THIS COUNTRY."

A U.N. DIPLOMAT PREDICTED AT LAKE SUCCESS THE UNITED STATES WILL TAKE ITS TIME ABOUT ANSWERING HOUDEK'S PLEA FOR ASYLUM.

THIS INFORMANT, WHO WOULD NOT BE IDENTIFIED, POINTED OUT IT TOOK THE UNITED STATES THREE WEEKS TO MAKE UP ITS MIND TO GRANT ASYLUM TO ALEKSANDER RUDZINSKI, FORMER ACTING HEAD OF THE POLISH DELEGATION. RUDZINSKI CUT HIS TIES WITH POLAND IN JANUARY.

BOUT HOUDEK HAS MADE MORE BITTER SPEECHES AGAINST THE UNITED STATES THAN RUDZINSKI AND, UNTIL YESTERDAY, SHOWED EVERY SIGN OF BEING A FAITHFUL FOLLOWER OF THE MOSCOW LINE.

HOUDEK SENT A CABLE YESTERDAY TO PRIME MINISTER STALIN TELLING HIM THAT MOSCOW CANNOT IN THE LONG RUN MAKE A COUNTRY COPY EVERY BIT OF MOSCOW SOCIALISM.

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(400) AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD FINANCE CENTER

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WASHINGTON, MAY 17-(AP)-THE "GET-'EM-PAID" PRESSURE OF WARTIME AND DEMOBILIZATION DAYS WAS BLAMED BY THE ARMY TODAY FOR MOST OF THE $157,000,000 OVERPAYMENTS IN SERVICEMEN'S ALLOTMENTS.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE ARMY KARL BENDETSEN, WHO MADE THAT EXPLANATION TO A HOUSE ARMED SERVICES SUBCOMMITTEE, REPORTED THAT MORE THAN HALF THE TOTAL HAS BEEN PAID BACK TO THE GOVERNMENT AND PREDICTED THAT THE BULK OF THE REMAINDER WOULD BE.

THE SUBCOMMITTEE IS LOOKING INTO A NUMBER OF REPORTED IRREGULARITIES AT THE ARMY FINANCE CENTER, ST.LOUIS, WHERE 4,500 CIVILIANS ARE EMPLOYED IN ADDITION TO ARMY PERSONNEL. A HOUSE CIVIL SERVICE GROUP RECENTLY COMPLAINED NOT ONLY OF OVERPAYMENTS AND POOR ADMINISTRATION AT THE CENTER, BUT THE EMPLOYMENT OF ALLEGED COMMUNISTS AND COMMUNIST SYMPATHIZERS.

THIS IS THE SIXTH INVESTIGATION OF THE FINANCE UNIT. PREVIOUS INQUIRIES HAVE BEEN CARRIED OUT BY THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, THE ARMY INSPECTOR GENERAL, THE GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE, AND THE FBI.

BENDETSEN SAID NONE OF THE INVESTIGATIONS THUS FAR UNCOVERED ANY EVIDENCE OF FRAUD. "CORRECTIVE ACTION" HAS BEEN TAKEN IN ALL CASES OF IRREGULARITIES, HE ASSURED THE CONGRESSMEN.

"NATURALLY, IN SUCH A GIGANTIC UNDERTAKING SOME MISTAKES WILL BE MADE," HE SAID.

BUT, FOR THE MOST PART, HE DECLARED, "THE OVERPAYMENTS WERE A DIRECT RESULT OF THE GET-'EM-PAID PHILOSOPHY OF WARTIME AND THE DEMOBILIZATION."

OF THE $157,000,000 TOTAL IN ERRONEOUS PAYMENTS AND OVERPAYMENTS, HE SAID, $83,000,000 HAS BEEN PAID BACK, $15,000,000 LEGALLY WAIVED IN HARDSHIP CASES, AND $25,000,000 REFERRED TO THE GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE FOR RECOVERY. BENDETSEN SAID HE EXPECTS THE REMAINING $35,000,000 OF THE MONEY TO BE RECOVERED.

THAT $35,000,000, HE REMARKED, IS LESS THAN ONE-FIFTH OF ONE PER CENT OF THE $19,000,000,000 (B) IN TOTAL PAYMENTS MADE IN THE PAST 7 1/2 YEARS.

THE ARMY DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL SAID THE LEGISLATORS THEMSELVES HAD PUT ON A GOOD DEAL OF PRESSURE IN THE MATTER.

"IN 1949," HE RECALLED, "OVER 4,000 LETTERS WERE RECEIVED BY THE ARMY FINANCE CENTER FROM MEMBERS OF CONGRESS ASKING IT TO BE A LITTLE MORE LENIENT IN CASES OF OVERPAYMENT."

BENDETSEN GAVE THE COMMITTEE A BREAKDOWN OF 63 CASES WHERE THE ARMY AND THE FBI CONDUCTED SECURITY INVESTIGATIONS OF CENTER EMPLOYES. HE SAID NINE EMPLOYES WERE REMOVED, FOUR RESIGNED IN THE COURSE OF INVESTIGATION, 25 LATER WERE SEPARATED OR RESIGNED FOR OTHER REASONS, AND 25 OF THEM STILL ARE EMPLOYED WITH NO JUSTIFICATION FOR THEIR REMOVAL.

HE COMMENTED THAT THE FINANCE CENTER DOES NOT DEAL IN INFORMATION INVOLVING SECURITY MATTERS NOT GENERALLY MADE KNOWN TO CONGRESS IN PUBLIC HEARINGS. FURTHER, HE SAID, ALL 63 EMPLOYES INVESTIGATED WERE CLERKS AND ADMINISTRATIVE HELP, NOT POLICY MAKING EMPLOYES.

MAJ.GEN. LOUIS A.CRAIG, ARMY INSPECTOR GENERAL, TESTIFIED THAT OF THE $15,000,000 IN OVERPAYMENTS THAT WERE WAIVED, THE AVERAGE OVERPAYMENT IN INDIVIDUAL CASES WAS ABOUT $300.

THE SUBCOMMITTEE WILL CONTINUE THE HEARING FRIDAY.

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(500) NIGHT LEAD WAR BRIDE

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WASHINGTON, MAY 17-(AP)-SUPREME COURT JUSTICE JACKSON STEPPED IN AT THE 11TH HOUR TODAY TO HALT THE DEPORTATION OF A GERMAN-BORN WAR BRIDE, THEN LASHED OUT AT THE GOVERNMENT'S "ARBITRARY ACTION" IN ORDERING HER EXPELLED.

EVEN AS A TRANSATLANTIC AIRLINER WAS WARMING UP ITS MOTORS IN NEW YORK TO CARRY MRS.ELLEN KNAUFF BACK TO EUROPE, JACKSON SIGNED AN ORDER ALLOWING HER TO STAY IN THIS COUNTRY UNTIL MAY 25 PENDING AN APPEAL OF HER CASE TO THE HIGH COURT. Given until May 25 to file anch an appeal.

THE JUSTICE LATER ISSUED A BLUNTLY-WORDED STATEMENT CRITICIZING IMMIGRATION AND JUSTICE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS FOR "BUNDLING THIS WOMAN

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ONTO AN AIRPLANE TO GET HER OUT OF THIS COUNTRY WITHIN HOURS" AFTER THE CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS HAD GRANTED CLEARANCE TO THE DEPORTATION MOVE.

SUCH HASTE, JACKSON SAID, "LEAVES NO DOUBT THAT THE PURPOSE IS TO DEFEAT THE JURISDICTION OF THIS COURT AS WELL AS THE DETERMINATION OF CONGRESS."

THIS WAS A REFERENCE TO THE HOUSE ACTION LAST MONTH IN UNANIMOUSLY APPROVING A BILL TO GRANT ENTRY TO MRS.KNAUFF WHO HAS BEEN HELD ON ELLIS ISLAND SINCE 1948. THIS MEASURE IS NOW PENDING BEFORE THE SENATE.

"TO STAND BETWEEN THE INDIVIDUAL AND ARBITRARY ACTION BY THE GOVERNMENT IS THE HIGHEST FUNCTION OF THIS COURT," JACKSON SAID IN SIGNING THE DEPORTATION STAY.

JACKSON'S STOP-ORDER ARRIVED IN NEW YORK ONLY 29 MINUTES BEFORE MRS.KNAUFF'S PLANE WAS SCHEDULED TO TAKE OFF FOR GERMANY.

ALTHOUGH THERE WAS NOT ENOUGH TIME TO REMOVE HER LUGGAGE SHE SMILED HAPPILY AT THE NEWS.

"IT'S WONDERFUL," SHE SAID. "I NEVER GAVE UP HOPE. NO ONE HAS EVER TOLD ME WHY I AM A BAD SECURITY RISK, AND THEY HAVEN'T TOLD CONGRESS EITHER."

SHE WAS TAKEN BACK TO ELLIS ISLAND PENDING THE OUTCOME OF HER APPEAL TO THE SUPREME COURT.

JACKSON ALSO TOOK POINTED NOTICE OF THE REFUSAL OF THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT TO MAKE PUBLIC ITS REASONS FOR BARRING MRS. KNAUFF OTHER THAN ITS REPORT THAT SHE "WOULD BE A HAZARD TO INTERNAL SECURITY."

HE SAID HE WOULD HAVE REFUSED TO SIGN THE DELAY ORDER IF THE DEPARTMENT "HAD AT ANY TIME SHOWN EVEN PROBABLE GROUNDS TO BELIEVE THAT PRESENCE OF THIS WOMAN A FEW DAYS MORE IN THIS COUNTRY MIGHT JEOPARDIZE NATIONAL SECURITY, EVEN INFINITESSIMALLY."

"BUT," HE ADDED, "THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE HAS NOT ONLY HAD OPPORTUNITY, IT HAS BEEN IMPORTUNED TO SHOW COURTS OR CONGRESS ANY REASON FOR ITS EXCLUSION ORDER.

"NOT ONLY IS THE PETITIONER (MRS.KNAUFF) UNABLE TO LEARN WHAT THE SPECIFIC CHARGES AGAINST HER ARE, BUT NEITHER CAN THE COURTS WHICH ARE ASKED TO PLAY AT LEAST A CONSENTING PART IN HER EXCLUSION, NOR THE CONGRESS, WHICH IS IN THE MIDST OF AN EFFORT TO STOP IT.

"IT OVERTAXES CREDULITY TO BELIEVE THAT IT WOULD JEOPARDIZE THE SECURITY OF THE UNITED STATES TO IMPART TO COORDINATE BRANCHES OF THE GOVERNMENT SOME INKLING OF THE CHARGES AGAINST THIS WOMAN."

WHEN U.S. ATTORNEY IRVING H.SAYPOL WAS ASKED BY A REPORTER IN NEW YORK TO EXPLAIN WHY THE GOVERNMENT WANTS TO DEPORT MRS. KNAUFF AND WHY SHE HAS NOT BEEN INFORMED OF THE REASONS, SAYPOL REPLIED:

"OUR KNOWLEDGE OF THE FACTS IN THIS CASE IS BASED ON REPORTS OF INVESTIGATION NOT ONLY OF THE ARMY INTELLIGENCE DIVISION BUT ALSO OF THE FBI.

"FROM THESE THE ATTORNEY GENERAL MADE HIS DECISION THAT MRS. KNAUFF SHOULD NOT BE ADMITTED. TO DISCLOSE TO HER THE REASON FOR HER EXCLUSION WOULD BE INIMICABLE TO INTERNAL SECURITY."

THE 35-YEAR-OLD MRS.KNAUFF TESTIFIED AT HOUSE HEARINGS LAST MONTH THAT SHE BELIEVED THE EXPULSION ORDER WAS INSTIGATED BY A FORMER GIRL FRIEND OF HER HUSBAND'S. SHE SAID THE GIRL HAD THREATENED TO MAKE TROUBLE FOR HER.

DURING THE WAR SHE SERVED WITH THE BRITISH FORCES IN ENGLAND AND LATER WAS EMPLOYED BY AMERICAN OCCUPATION OFFICIALS IN GERMANY WHERE HER HUSBAND, KURT, NOW SERVES AS A CIVILIAN EMPLOYE OF THE MILITARY GOVERNMENT.

THE HOUSE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE, WHICH INITIATED THE MOVE TO GRANT MRS. KNAUFF RESIDENCE IN THIS COUNTRY, MEANWHILE SENT A NOTE OF REBUKE TO ATTORNEY GENERAL MCGRATH.

CHAIRMAN CELLER (R-NY) WROTE MCGRATH THAT IF SHE IS EXPELLED BEFORE THE SENATE ACTS ON THE MEASURE HIS COMMITTEE WOULD CONSIDER SUCH A STEP "CONTEMPTUOUS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES."

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WASHINGTON, MAY 17-(AP)-SIX ITALIAN NAVY OFFICERS HAVE ARRIVED IN THE UNITED STATES FOR SPECIALIZED TRAINING AT AMERICAN NAVY BASES. THE TRAINING IS PART OF THE AMERICAN ARMS AID PROGRAM TO ATLANTIC PACT COUNTRIES.

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(200) NIGHT LEAD CIO-BRIDGES

WASHINGTON,MAY 17-(AP)-THE CIO TODAY CALLED IN MICHAEL J.QUILL, HEAD OF THE TRANSPORT WORKERS AND ONE-TIME LEFT WINGER, TO HELP PROVE THAT HARRY BRIDGES AND HIS INTERNATIONAL LONGSHOREMEN'S AND WAREHOUSEMEN'S UNION HAVE FOLLOWED THE COMMUNIST PARTY LINE.

QUILL, A MEMBER OF THE NEW YORK CITY BOARD OF ALDERMEN, WAS A SURPRISE WITNESS AT THE CIO TRIAL OF BRIDGES AND HIS UNION. IF CHARGES OF ADHERING TO COMMUNIST RATHER THAN CIO PROGRAMS ARE UPHELD BY A THREEMAN TRIAL COMMITTEE AND THE CIO EXECUTIVE BOARD, THE BRIDGES UNION MAY BE EXPELLED FROM THE CIO.

BRIDGES HEADS A UNION OF ABOUT 75,000 WEST COAST LONGSHOREMEN AND WAREHOUSEMEN, AND HAWAIIAN DOCK, SUGAR AND PINEAPPLE WORKERS.

THE TRIAL WAS HELD BEHIND CLOSED DOORS. JUST WHAT QUILL'S TESTIMONY CONSISTED OF WAS NOT IMMEDIATELY LEARNED.

QUILL BROKE WITH THE LEFT WING ELEMENT TWO YEARS AGO AND HAS BEEN AN OUTSPOKEN FOE OF COMMUNISM IN LABOR UNIONS SINCE THAT TIME.

THE CHARGES AGAINST BRIDGES WERE SUBMITTED BY PRESIDENT WILLIAM STEINBERG OF THE AMERICAN RADIO ASSOCIATION.

THE CIO HAS EXPELLED SIX UNIONS THUS FAR IN ITS PURGE OF LEFT WING UNIONS.

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BALTIMORE,MAY 17-(AP)-THE COMMUNISTS MIGHT NOT HAVE WON CONTROL OF CHINA IF SOME OF HIS SUGGESTIONS HAD BEEN ACCEPTED, OWEN LATTIMORE TOLD HIS COLLEAGUES AT JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY LAST NIGHT.

MORE THAN 600 MEMBERS OF THE FACULTY AND STUDENTS AT THE UNIVERSITY TURNED OUT TO SHOW LATTIMORE THAT THEY BELIEVE HE IS A LOYAL CITIZEN.

LATTIMORE, A HOPKINS PROFESSOR, HAS BEEN THE MAIN TARGET OF SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS). THE SENATOR HAS CALLED LATTIMORE THE TOP SOVIET SPY IN THE UNITED STATES AND CONTENDED THAT HE SHAPED THIS COUNTRY'S FAR EAST POLICY.

HE WAS NO SHAPER OF ASIATIC POLICY, LATTIMORE SAID. IN FACT, HE ADDED, IF SOME OF HIS IDEAS HAD BEEN ACCEPTED, THEY MIGHT HAVE PREVENTED THE AMERICAN POSITION IN THE FAR EAST FROM BECOMING "SO DANGEROUSLY EXPOSED TO FURTHER SUCCESSFUL ADVANCES."

LATTIMORE, WHO IS DIRECTOR OF THE UNIVERSITY'S WALTER HINES PAGE

SCHOOL OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS, WON HEAVY APPLAUSE FROM HIS LISTENERS.

A UNIVERSITY SPOKESMAN SAID THERE WERE MORE FACULTY MEMBERS PRESENT THAN AT ANY MEETING "WITHIN THE PAST TEN YEARS."

DR.GEORGE BOAS, CHAIRMAN OF THE PHILOSOPHY DEPARTMENT, INTRODUCED LATTIMORE.

THE BASIC THEME RUNNING THROUGH BOTH THEIR TALKS WAS: "IT MIGHT HAPPEN TO ANY ONE OF US."

LATTIMORE SAID THE TYPE OF CHARGES BROUGHT AGAINST HIM "CALLED FOR FIGHTING, NOT FIXING."

HOW DID HIS FRIENDS REACT TO IT ALL?

"THE PEOPLE WHO HAVE HELPED ME KEEP ON MY FEET IN THE FLOOD OF HOG-WASH IN WHICH SENATOR MCCARTHY WAS TRYING TO DROWN ME WERE NOT THE KIND OF IMPORTANT PEOPLE WHO CAN EXERT INFLUENCE AND PULL STRINGS," LATTIMORE SAID.

"THEY WERE FIRST AND FOREMOST MY COLLEAGUES--IN THIS UNIVERSITY AND IN OTHERS."

HE ADMITTED THAT "MY WIFE AND I HAVE HAD, OF COURSE, A FEW SADDENING EXPERIENCES AS WELL AS THE MANY THAT HAVE STRENGTHENED OLD FRIENDSHIPS AND FORMED NEW ONES."

"IT WOULD TURN YOUR BONES SOFT," LATTIMORE SAID, "TO LEARN THAT FRIENDS IN WASHINGTON DECIDED IT UNWISE TO PHONE OR WRITE AND DECIDED THE WAY TO HANDLE THE MATTER WAS TO LET THE WIFE WRITE A PERSONAL LETTER--AND NOT ON A TYPEWRITER."

LATTIMORE DISCLOSED BEFORE THE RECEPTION THAT HE WAS AT WORK ON A BOOK DETAILING HIS EXPERIENCES FROM THE MOMENT HE HEARD OF THE ACCUSATIONS WHILE IN AFGHANISTAN ON A MISSION FOR THE UNITED NATIONS TO THE END OF THE SENATE SUBCOMMITTEE HEARINGS.

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CRAIG (200)

CHICAGO, MAY 17-(AP)-GEORGE N.CRAIG, NATIONAL COMMANDER OF THE AMERICAN LEGION, LAST NIGHT TERMED THE STATE DEPARTMENT "A VERITABLE SNAKE-PIT".

IN A TALK TO THE CHICAGO ACCIDENT AND HEALTH ASSOCIATION, HE CRITICIZED SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON FOR HOT DEMANDING AN IMMEDIATE INVESTIGATION OF CHARGES BY SEN. MCCARTHY (R-WIS) THAT THERE WERE COMMUNISTS IN THE DEPARTMENT.

"IT IS THE HONEST OPINION OF MANY AMERICANS THAT OUR DEPARTMENT OF STATE FAIRLY REEKS WITH DECEIT, DEPRAVITY AND DOUBLE TALK," CRAIG SAID, "THAT IS A VERITABLE SNAKE-PIT IN WHICH POWDER PUFF
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SAID, "THAT ITIS A VERITABLE SNAKE-PIT IN WHICH POWDER PUFF DIPLOMATS ARE PLAYING AT A GAME OF DEMI MONDE DIPLOMACY.

"IT'S A NEW NATIONAL PASTIME: HIDE AND SEEK--HIDE THE FACTS, THEN SEEK CONFIDENCE."

THE LEGION COMMANDER SAID THAT "WHEN CHARGES WERE FIRST MADE OF COMMUNISM IN OUR DEPARTMENT OF STATE, SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON, HIMSELF, SHOULD HAVE DEMANDED AN IMMEDIATE INVESTIGATION.

"IF THERE IS COMMUNISM IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT, THE PUBLIC IS ENTITLED TO KNOW IT. IF THERE IS NOT COMMUNISM IN THE DEPARTMENT, THE PUBLIC SHOULD KNOW THAT."

HE DECLARED THE PUBLIC WANTS "THE UNVARNISHED FACTS AND THEY ARE ENTITLED TO THEM."

CRAIG ALSO SAID THAT COMPULSORY HEALTH INSURANCE WOULD BE "BAD MEDICINE FOR AMERICA."

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NIGHT LEAD DRAPER-ADLER (340)

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BY GEORGE MILLER

(NY) HARTFORD, CONN., MAY 17-(AP)-AN FBI UNDERCOVER AGENT TESTIFIED TODAY AT THE DRAPER-ADLER LIBEL TRIAL THAT SAM MILGROM WAS "ONE OF THE TOP ESPIONAGE AGENTS IN THE COUNTRY."

THE WITNESS, MATTHEW CVETIC, CALLED MILGROM THE "BOSS" OF GERHART EISLER, RED LEADER WHO FLED THE U.S. LAST YEAR.

CVETIC IDENTIFIED MILGROM ONLY AS AN OFFICIAL OF THE INTERNATIONAL WORKERS ORDER (IWO), A SOCIAL AND INSURANCE FRATERNITY CITED MANY TIMES AS A COMMUNIST ORGANIZATION.

MILGROM WAS ARRESTED A WEEK AGO FOR DEPORTATION AS AN ALIEN COMMUNIST. HE IS CHARGED WITH REENTERING THE COUNTRY ILLEGALLY AFTER A PREVIOUS DEPORTATION.

THE WITNESS SAID HE MET EISLER IN CHICAGO LAST YEAR BEFORE THE LATTER JUMPED BAIL AND STOWED AWAY ON A SHIP LEAVING THE U.S. ADDED CVETIC:

"I WAS INTRODUCED TO EISLER BY SAM MILGROM, WHOM I KNEW AS ONE OF THE TOP ESPIONAGE AGENTS IN THE COUNTRY WHO IS AN OFFICIAL OF THE IWO AND EISLER'S BOSS."

CVETIC SAID HE JOINED THE COMMUNIST PARTY AS AN FBI UNDERCOVER AGENT AND WAS ASSIGNED BY THE GOVERNMENT TO LOOK INTO RED ACTIVITIES IN THE PITTSBURGH INDUSTRIAL AREA.

HIS REFERENCE TO MILGROM CAME DURING HIS RECITAL OF HIS UNDERCOVER ACTIVITY IN THE COMMUNIST PARTY AND WAS NOT DIRECTLY RELATED TO THE ISSUES OF THE LIBEL TRIAL.

HIS OTHER TESTIMONY DEALT MORE DIRECTLY WITH THE TWO ENTERTAINERS.

HE TESTIFIED THAT HARMONICA PLAYTR LARRY ADLER AND DANCER PAUL DRAPER WERE REGARDED BY RED PARTY MEMBERS IN THAT AREA AS "COMMUNIST ENTERTAINERS."

THE TWO ENTERTAINERS ARE SUING A GREENWICH, CONN., HOUSEWIFE, MRS.HESTER MC CULLOUGH, FOR $200,000 IN DAMAGES.

THEY CHARGE SHE FALSELY CALLED THEM PRO-COMMUNISTS AND THEREBY CAUSED THEM TO LOSE THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS IN ENTERTAINMENT BOOKINGS.

CVETIC TESTIFIED IN MRS.MC CULLOUGH'S DEFENSE.

HE WAS ASKED ABOUT DRAPER'S REPUTATION AMONG COMMUNISTS IN THE PITTSBURGH AREA AND REPLIED:

"HIS GENERAL REPUTATION WAS THAT OF A COMMUNIST ENTERTAINER WHO WAS AVAILABLE FOR ENTERTAINMENT OF COMMUNIST FRONT ORGANIZATIONS."

OF ADLER, THE SHORT, STOCKY CVETIC TESTIFIED:

"HE, ALSO, HAD THE REPUTATION FOR BEING AVAILABLE FOR ENTERTAINMENT BY COMMUNIST FRONT ORGANIZATIONS."

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CVETIC SAID HE DID NOT KNOW EITHER ENTERTAINER PERSONALLY.

DURING THE WAR, THE WITNESS SAID, WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA HAD ALOUT 1,500 COMMUNISTS. BUT MEMBERSHIP SINCE HAS "DRIBBLED DOWN" TO ABOUT 550, HE ADDED.

ON CROSS EXAMINATION, IT WAS POINTED OUT TO HIM THAT PROGRESSIVE PARTY LEADER HENRY A.WALLACE GOT MORE THAN 4,000 PRESIDENTIAL VOTES IN THE PITTSBURGH AREA IN 1948. HE WAS ASKED:

"IT MUST FOLLOW THEN THAT THERE ARE SOME PEOPLE WHO ARE NOT COMMUNISTS WHO VOTED FOR WALLACE, ISN'T THAT RIGHT?"

"YES, THE FIGURES SPEAK FOR THEMSELVES," REPLIED CVETIC.

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APW NOTE

ST.LOUIS,MAY 17-(AP)-BRAZILIAN AMBASSADOR MAURICIO NABUCO SAID TODAY SOME LATIN AMERICANS ARE RESENTFUL OVER FAILURE OF THE UNITED STATES TO PROVIDE MORE ECONOMIC AID IN THEIR COUNTRIES.

HE TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THERE IS STRONG FEELING IN THE "GOOD NEIGHBOR" NATIONS THAT SOME OF THE U.S. AID SENT TO EUROPE, THE MIDDLE EAST AND THE FAR EAST SHOULD HAVE BEEN USED TO HELP IN DEVELOPMENT OF LATIN AMERICAN INDUSTRIES AND RESOURCES.

WHOLEHEARTED SUPPORT OF THE AMERICAN STRUGGLE AGAINST RUSSIA WILL BE LACKING, HE SAID, IF NO ECONOMIC AID IS FORTHCOMING FROM THE UNITED STATES. "ALREADY YOUR COUNTRY HAS LOST SOME OF ITS FOLLOWING IN LATIN AMERICA," NABUCO SAID.

LATER THE AMBASSADOR TOLD WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY STUDENTS A "GOWING SPIRIT OF CONTINENTALISM" MAY ALTER THE PRESENT CONCEPT OF PATRIOTISM.

HE CITED AS EVIDENCE OF THE NEW TREND THE GOOD RELATIONS BETWEEN NATIONS OF THE WESTERN HEMISPHERE AND THE CLOSE ASSOCIATION OF WESTERN EUROPEAN NATIONS.

"IT IS MAKING ITSELF FELT THROUGHOUT THE WORLD AND IS ON THE WAY TO BECOMING A POWERFUL FORCE FOR THE PROSPERITY AND WELL-BEING OF THE WORLD," HE SAID.

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LOS ANGELES, MAY 17-(AP)-YUKIO OZAKI, 92, JAPANESE ELDER STATESMAN, ARRIVED HERE LAST NIGHT BY PAN AMERICAN CLIPPER ON HIS FIRST VISIT TO THE UNITED STATES SINCE 1931.

OZAKI IS ENROUTE TO WASHINGTON, D.C., WHERE HE SAID HE HOPES TO SEE PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND THE CHERRY TREES WHICH HE, AS MAYOR OF TOKYO, PRESENTED TO THE CITY OF WASHINGTON.

IT WAS HIS FIRST PLANE TRIP. HE SAID "IT WAS EASIER TO FLY FROM TOKYO TO LOS ANGELES THAN IT IS TO GO FROM TOKYO TO HIROSHIMA." HE EXPLAINED THAT SURFACE TRANSPORTATION HAS NOT BEEN RESTORED SINCE THE ATOMIC BOMB WAS DROPPED.

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WITH SMITH-BENDER

LONG BEACH, CALIF., MAY 17-(AP)-WHEN WILLIAM C.SMITH, NAVY CHIEF PETTY OFFICER RELEASED BY CHINESE COMMUNISTS, GETS HOME, THERE'LL BE A BIG WELCOME READY FOR HIM.

CITY AUTHORITIES PLAN A BIG RECEPTION, AND SATURDAY NIGHT HE AND HIS LONG-WAITING WIFE, RUBY, ARE SCHEDULED TO RIDE AT THE HEAD OF THE ARMED FORCES DAY PARADE HERE.

MRS.SMITH SAID YESTERDAY SHE RECEIVED A WIRE FROM NAVAL OFFICIALS THAT HER HUSBAND IS WELL EXCEPT FOR SLIGHT ANEMIA. AFTER SEEING A PHOTOGRAPH OF HIM, SHE ADDED: "HE'S SO THIN--BUT WE'LL FATTEN HIM UP WHEN HE GETS HOME."

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SAN FRANCISCO, MAY 17-(AP)-A BRITISH GENERAL TODAY PICTURED THE BRITISH ISLES AS "THE PHILIPPINES OF WORLD WAR III" UNLESS IRELAND IS UNITED.

BRIG. GENERAL ERIC DORMAN O'GOWAN, BRITISH CHIEF OF STAFF AT EL ALAMEIN, SAID THAT WOULD HAPPEN UNLESS BRITAIN RESTORES IRELAND'S SIX NORTHERN COUNTIES TO THE REPUBLIC, PERMITTING ORGANIZED DEFENSE OF THE ISLAND.

HE TOLD NEWSMEN THAT A UNITED IRELAND COULD FEED THE ENGLISH PEOPLE FORCED TO EVACUATE GREAT BRITAIN IN EVENT OF ANOTHER WAR, COULD DEVELOP VITAL AIRBASES FOR SUCH A CONFLICT, AND COULD BUILD COAST DEFENSES TO PREVENT THE BRITISH ISLES FROM BECOMING "THE PHILIPPINES OF THE ATLANTIC."

ACCORDINGLY, THE BRITISH WAR HERO FROM COUNTY CAVAN, SOUTH OF THE ULSTER BORDER, URGED THE UNITED STATES TO EXERT PRESSURE ON ENGLAND TO THE END THAT IRELAND BE UNITED.

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BY A. I. GOLDBERG

LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 17-(AP)-CZECHOSLOVAKIA'S CHIEF DELEGATE TO THE UNITED NATIONS HAS QUIT HIS JOB AND ASKED PRESIDENT TRUMAN FOR REFUGE IN THE UNITED STATES BECAUSE, HE SAYS, HIS COUNTRY IS BEING RUSSIANIZED.

THE U.N. DELEGATE, VLADIMIR HOUDEK, 38, BROKE WITH HIS COMMUNIST-LED GOVERNMENT YESTERDAY. HE LINED UP WITH YUGOSLAV MARSHAL TITO'S BRAND OF COMMUNISTS BY ATTACKING RUSSIAN PRESSURE ON COUNTRIES TRYING TO DEVELOP THEIR OWN KIND OF "SOCIALISM" AND CABLED A MESSAGE TO RUSSIA'S PREMIER JOSEPH STALIN ASSAILING THE SOVIET PROGRAM.

"IT IS OBVIOUS THAT THE COUNTRIES BUILDING SOCIALISM HAVE MUCH TO LEARN FROM THE EXPERIENCES OF THE SOVIET UNION, "HOUDEK CABLED STALIN. "IT IS, HOWEVER, IMPOSSIBLE IN THE LONG RUN AT LEAST, TO FORCE THEM TO TAKE OVER AND COPY EVERYTHING WHICH RESULTED FROM SPECIAL RUSSIAN CONDITIONS."

IN A TELEGRAM TO MR. TRUMAN, HOUDEK SAID HE RESIGNED "IN ORDER TO PROTEST BEFORE THE WHOLE WORLD AGAINST THE METHODS WHICH ARE BEING USED IN EASTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES, INCLUDING MY OWN X X X. THESE METHODS HAVE BEEN IMPORTED TO OUR COUNTRY BY A FEW INDIVIDUALS INSTALLED IN A 'ROKOSSOVSKY WAY' IN TOP POSITIONS. X X X

"THE FLAGRANT TREATMENT OF AMERICAN DIPLOMATS BY THE CZECHOSLOVAK MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS RECENTLY WAS BUT ANOTHER EXPRESSION OF THIS ATTITUDE."

THE CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT FORCED THE U.S. EMBASSY IN PRAGUE TO REDUCE ITS FORCE BY TWO-THIRDS IN A SUDDEN ACTION LAST WEEK.

HOUDEK WAS THE SECOND SOVIET SATELLITE DIPLOMAT TO QUIT HIS DELEGATION OVER THE "ROKOSSOVSKY WAY."

ALEKSANDER RUDZINSKI, ONCE ACTING HEAD OF THE POLISH DELEGATION, BROKE WITH HIS GOVERNMENT JAN. 18 IN PROTEST AGAINST THE APPOINTMENT OF SOVIET MARSHAL KONSTANTIN ROKOSSOVSKY AS POLISH DEFENSE MINISTER.

THE MARSHAL HAS SINCE BECOME A MEMBER OF POLAND'S COMMUNIST PARTY POLITBURO, AFTER RESUMING HIS CHILDHOOD POLISH CITIZENSHIP. THE POLISH GOVERNMENT ASSERTED IT HAD INVITED ROKOSSOVSKY TO ENTER ITS

GOVERNMENT. CRITICS HAVE CHARGED THAT RUSSXA FORCED THE MARSHAL ON POLOND AND TO CONTROL ALL DEFENSE FORCES IN POLAND. THEY HAVE ALSO CHARGED THAT SIMILAR MILITARY CONTROLS ARE IN THE MAKING FOR OTHER SATELLITES.

IN HIS POLICE-GUARDED HOME AT GREAT NECK, NEAR HERE, HOUDEK TOLD REPORTERS A RECENT PURGE HAD THROWN HIS THREE BEST FRIENDS OUT OF OFFICE AND HE EXPECTED BITTER DENUNCIATION OF THEM AT A SLOVAK COMMUNIST PARTY MEETING LATER THIS MONTH. THEY WERE FORMER FOREIGN MINISTER VLADO CLEMENTIS, SLOVAK CABINET PRESIDENT GUSTAV HUSAK, AND SLOVAK EDUCATION COMMISSIONER LASZLO NOVOMESKY. THE LATTER TWO ARE OLD SLOVAK COMMUNISTS.

HOUDEK'S PARENTS, A BROTHER AND SISTER STILL LIVE IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA, HE SAID.

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NIGHT LEAD U.N.-WOMEN (320)

LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 17-(AP)-FRANCE APPEALED TO THE UNITED NATIONS TODAY TO AID A SMALL GROUP OF WOMEN WHO WERE FORCIBLY USED AS HUMAN GUINEA PIGS BY NAZI SCIENTISTS AND WHO NOW ARE PHYSICALLY UNABLE TO HELP THEMSELVES. THE WOMEN HAD BEEN SUBJECTED TO SURGICAL OPERATIONS BUT THE NATURE OF THEM WAS NOT DISCLOSED.

THE WOMEN, NUMBERING SOMEWHERE BETWEEN 10 AND 20, HAVE BEEN A PROBLEM FOR FRANCE SINCE THE END OF THE WAR, SINCE THEY ARE POLITICAL REFUGEES FROM THEIR NATIVE COUNTRIES AND THUS CANNOT BE DEPORTED.

THE FRENCH APPEAL WAS MADE TO THE UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN BY MADAME MARIE HELENE LEFAUCHEUX, COMMISSION CHAIRMAN. SHE PROPOSED THAT THE U.N. ASK THE HIGH COMMISSIONER IN GERMANY TO ARRANGE COMPENSATION FOR THE LITTLE GROUP.

MRS.OLIVE REMINGTON GOLDMAN, U.S. DELEGATE, SUGGESTED THAT THIS WAS PART OF A BROADER PROBLEM, WHICH INCLUDES MEN AS WELL AS WOMEN WHO WERE VICTIMS OF NAZI EXPERIMENTATION. SHE SAID IT SEEMED LIKE A GENERAL PROBLEM OF REHABILITATION.

FOR THIS REASON, MRS.GOLDMAN SAID, THE QUESTION SHOULD BE REFERRED TO THE U.N. SOCIAL COMMISSION, THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION (WHO) AND THE INTERNATIONAL RED CROSS.

MME. LEFAUCHEUX SAID THE RED CROSS ALREADY HAD TURNED DOWN APPEALS ON THE GROUND THAT THE GERMAN GOVERNMENT IS RESPONSIBLE FOR TAKING CARE OF THESE NAZI VICTIMS AND SHOULD BE ASKED TO ASSUME THE COSTS. SHE SAID FRANCE ALSO HAD TAKEN THE QUESTION TO THE INTERNATIONAL REFUGEE ORGANIZATION (IRO) BUT HAD BEEN TOLD THE PROBLEM WAS OUTSIDE THE IRO'S JURISDICTION.

THE COMMISSION ADOPTED A GREEK RESOLUTION URGING SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE TO PREPARE A NEW PLAN TO GET COMMUNIST COUNTRIES TO RETURN THE THOUSANDS OF GREEK CHILDREN THEY ARE HOLDING.

THE GREEK DELEGATE SAID THE INTERNATIONAL RED CROSS, ENTRUSTED WITH THIS TASK BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, HAD ADMITTED ITS FAILURE.

THERE ARE APPROXIMATELY 18,000 OF THESE "KIDNAPED" CHILDREN IN YUGOSLAVIA, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, ALBANIA AND ROMANIA, MRS.GOLDMAN SAID IN SUPPORTING THE GREEK RESOLUTION. THE YUGOSLAV GOVERNMENT HAS JUST ANNOUNCED IT IS READY TO REPATRIATE THOSE IN YUGOSLAVIA.

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LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 17-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN APPROACHED THE END OF ITS 1950 SESSION TODAY, WITH ADJOURNMENT EXPECTED EITHER TONIGHT OR TOMORROW.

COMMISSION CHAIRMAN MARIE HELENE LEFAUCHEUX OF FRANCE EXPRESSED THE HOPE THE DELEGATES WOULD WIND UP THEIR WORK SOMETIME BEFORE NIGHTFALL. THE SESSION BEGAN MAY 8.

THE COMMISSION DISPOSED OF SEVERAL ISSUES YESTERDAY, INCLUDING THE QUESTION OF EQUAL EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES FOR WOMEN. THE RESOLUTION ON THIS SUBJECT CALLED ON U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE AND THE UNITED NATIONS EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL ORGANIZATION (UNESCO) TO WORK TOGETHER IN PROMOTING WORLD OPINION IN FAVOR OF EQUAL EDUCATIONAL OPORTUNITIES FOR BOTH SEXES.

THE COMMISSION ALSO CALLED UPON LIE TO INVITE THE INTERNATIONAL LABOR ORGANIZATION (ILO) TO COLLABORATE IN THE STUDY AND PROMOTION OF MEASURES FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF VOCATIONAL GUIDANCE AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION AMONG WOMEN.

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LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 17-(AP)-TRYGVE LIE TOLD NEWSMEN IN MOSCOW TODAY HE HAD "NO REASON TO BE DISSATISFIED" WITH HIS TALKS WITH PRIME MINISTER STALIN AND OTHER HIGH RUSSIAN LEADERS.

A STATEMENT LIE MADE TO NEWSMEN IN THE SOVIET CAPITAL WAS RELEASED AT U.N. HEADQUARTERS HERE.

THE SECRETARY GENERAL SAID HE HAD EXCHANGED VIEWS OF A "POSITIVE KIND" WITH THE RUSSIANS ON THE GENERAL INTERNATIONAL SITUATION, CHINESE REPRESENTATION IN THE UNITED NATIONS, THE "SO-CALLED COLD WAR," AND INTERNATIONAL CONTROL OF ATOMIC ENERGY.

LIE EXPRESSED REGRET THAT HE COULD NOT GIVE MORE DETAILS BUT ADDED THE TALKS MUST BE KEPT CONFIDENTIAL IF RESULTS ARE TO BE OBTAINED.

HE SAID THAT A FINAL JUDGMENT ON HIS "SAVE-U.N."-MISSION CANNOT BE MADE UNTIL AT LEAST TWO OR THREE MONTHS FROM NOW OR PERHAPS LONGER.

LIE RECALLED THAT WHEN HE LEFT NEW YORK HE TOLD NEWSMEN NOT TO EXPECT ANY IMMEDIATE RESULTS FROM HIS MISSION, DURING WHICH HE TALKED WITH GOVERNMENT LEADERS IN FRANCE AND BRITAIN. ALSO HE CONFERRED WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN BEFORE LEAVING FOR EUROPE.

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LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 17-(AP)-AUBREY EBAN, ISRAELI DELEGATE TO THE UNITED NATIONS, SAID TODAY HIS GOVERNMENT WILL OFFER A NEW PLAN IN ABOUT 10 DAYS FOR AN INTERNATIONAL AREA IN JERUSALEM UNDER U.N. CONTROL.

HE TOLD THE UNITED NATIONS CORRESPONDENTS ASSOCIATION HE HOPES THE PLAN WILL BE A SUBSTITUTE FOR A STATUTE FRAMED BY THE U.N. TRUSTEESHIP COUNCIL AT GENEVA. BOTH ISRAEL AND HASHEMITE JORDAN, WHICH OCCUPY SEPARATE SECTORS OF JERUSALEM, SAY THE STATUTE IS UNWORKABLE.

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B45 (SEG)
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NEW YORK, MAY 27-(AP)-JOHN FOSTER DULLES SAYS THE UNITED STATES SHOULD HAVE A SINGLE NATIONAL PLANNING STAFF TO MOBILIZE ITS RESOURCES FOR THE COLD WAR.

IN A TALK LAST NIGHT AT INTERNATIONAL HOUSE, THE REPUBLICAN ADVISER TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID SUCH AN ORGANIZATION WOULD COORDINATE THE COLD WAR ACTIVITIES OF GOVERNMENT AND PRIVATE AGENCIES IN PLACE "OF A SCORE OR MORE OF BOARDS OF STRATEGY EACH ADVISING ITS OWN AGENCY ON HOW IT CAN WIN THE COLD WAR."

HE SAID THE SOVIET UNION IS ADVANCING AN ENCIRCLEMENT PROGRAM AND DEVELOPINGS ITS MILITARY AND INDUSTRIAL POWER FOR WAR AGAINST THE UNITED STATES.

DULLES CALLED FOR STRENGTHENING OF BIPARTISANSHIP IN FOREIGN POLICY, ADVOCATED A SUPREME ALLIED COMMAND IN THE MILITARY FIELD AND ENDORSED FRANCE'S PROPOSAL FOR COMBINING ITS COAL AND IRON RESOURCES WITH THAT OF GERMANY.

HE SAID THIS NATION SHOULD SHED ITS LETHARGY AND MAKE BETTER USE OF ITS RESOURCES TO MEET THE CHALLENGE OF THE KREMLIN'S TIGHTLY-ORGANIZED POWER.

BY MOBILIZING THE MORAL AND MATERIAL STRENGTH OF THE FREE WORLD, DULLES SAID, THE UNITED STATES CAN HALT THE COMMUNIST OFFENSIVE PEACE-FULLY. "GIVE HOPE TO CAPTIVE PEOPLES AND SO INCREASE DIFFICULTIES" WITHIN THE SOVIET ORBIT.

GEN. GEORGE C. MARSHALL, WHO INTRODUCED DULLES, SAID THE WORLD NEEDS UNDERSTANDING AND GOOD WILL IF INTERNATIONAL PACTS ARE TO BE EFFECTIVE.

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NEW YORK, MAY 17-(AP)-MARSHAL TITO OF YUGOSLAVIA WILL BE CONTACTED BY TRANSATLANTIC TELEPHONE DURING A BROADCAST TOMORROW NIGHT FOR HIS VIEWS ON INTERNATIONAL ATOMIC ENERGY CONTROL, THE AMERICAN BROADCASTING COMPANY SAID TODAY.

ABC SAID A YUGOSLAV NEWSPAPERMAN, A MEMBER OF THE UNITED NATIONS CORRESPONDENTS' ASSOCIATION, WILL SPEAK TO TITO ON THE PHONE AND THEN TELL THE RADIO AUDIENCE WHAT THE YUGOSLAV LEADER SAYS.

THE NETWORK SAID ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE TELEPHONE CALL WERE MADE THROUGH THE YUGOSLAV UNITED NATIONS DELEGATION.

TITO WILL BE AMONG THE FIRST OF A GROUP OF INTERNATIONAL FIGURES TO TAKE PART IN A NEW PUBLIC AFFAIRS BRODCAST SERIES, "UNITED OR NOT," ABC SAID. THE PROGRAM, WHICH HAS NO SPONSOR, IS DESIGNED TO AID THE PUBLIC IN OBTAINING A "CLOSER, CLEARER VIEW OF THE MAJOR ISSUES AND PROBLEMS FACED BY THE UNITED NATIONS."

THE PROGRAM WILL BE BROADCAST FROM 9:30 P.M. TO 10 P.M. (EST).

BERNARD M. BARUCH, UNOFFICIAL PRESIDENTIAL ADVISER AND AUTHOR OF THE ATOMIC ENERGY CONTROL PLAN BACKED BY THIS COUNTRY IN THE UNITED NATIONS, WILL TAKE PART IN THE DISCUSSION.

THEN TITO WILL BE CONTACTED BY TELEPHONE FROM THE MILITARY STAFF COMMITTEE MEETING ROOM IN THE NEW UNITED NATIONS BUILDING IN MANHATTAN.

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(110)
NEW YORK, MAY 17-(AP)-AN ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY AEC SURVEYS SHOW THE UNITED STATES HAS ENOUGH URANIUM SOURCES WITHIN ITS BOUNDARIES TO CARRY ON A MILITARY PRODUCTION PROGRAM IN AN EMERGENCY.

THE ORE IS LOW GRADE, HOWEVER, AND WOULD COST A LOT TO USE, SAID MORSE SALISBURY, DIRECTOR OF INFORMATION SERVICE, U.S. ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION.

HE TOLD AN ATOMIC TRAINING COURSE FOR NEW YORK CITY TEACHERS THAT NORMALLY THE U.S. DEPENDS FOR PRODUCTION NEEDS ON URANIUM DEPOSITS IN COLORADO, CANADA AND THE BELGIAN CONGO.

FOR FIVE YEARS, THE AEC HAS OFFERED A BONUS TO ANYONE DISCOVERING A NEW DEPOSIT OF CONCENTRATED URANIUM.

"THERE HAS BEEN AS YET NO CLAIMANT FOR A BONUS PAYMENT," SALISBURY ADDED.

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A119 (210)
NEW YORK, MAY 17-(AP)-TWENTY MINUTES BEFORE SHE WAS TO HAVE BEEN DEPORTED TO HER NATIVE GERMANY, THE ATTRACTIVE WAR BRIDE OF A FORMER AMERICAN SOLDIER OBTAINED A REPRIEVE TODAY.

AS 35-YEAR-OLD MRS.ELLEN KNAUFF WAITED TO STEP ABOARD A PLANE AT NEW YORK INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS ANNOUNCED THEY HAD RECEIVED WORD HER DEPORTATION HAD BEEN STAYED BY A U.S. SUPREME COURT JUSTICE. SHE HAD BEEN ORDERED DEPORTED AS A "HAZARD TO ~~INTEGRAL~~ internal SECURITY."

MRS.KNAUFF, CHIC IN A POWDER BLUE SUIT, BLACK BERET AND TAN PUMPS, SMILED WHEN SHE WAS TOLD THE NEWS. HER BAGGAGE ALREADY HAD BEEN PLACED ABOARD THE PLANE WHICH TOOK OFF BEFORE IT COULD BE REMOVED.

MRS.KNAUFF HAS BEEN FIGHTING DEPORTATION FOR TWO YEARS. SHE TOOK HER CASE TO CONGRESS WHERE A SPECIAL BILL WAS INTRODUCED TO PERMIT HER TO REMAIN HERE. THE LEGISLATION PASSED THE HOUSE AND AWAITS SENATE ACTION.

THE GOVERNMENT NEVER HAS MADE PUBLIC ITS REASON FOR CONSIDERING HER SECURITY RISK.

SHE REMAINED ON ELLIS ISLAND FOR MANY MONTHS BEFORE SHE WAS FREED IN BAIL.

HER HUSBAND, KURT KNAUFF, NOW IS A CIVILIAN EMPLOYE OF THE AMERICAN MILITARY GOVERNMENT IN GERMANY.

THE U.S. COURT OF APPEALS YESTERDAY REJECTED HER ATTORNEY'S APPEAL FOR A STAY UNTIL FRIDAY TO GIVE HIM MORE TIME TO ASK THE U.S. SUPREME COURT TO REVIEW HER CASE.

AS SHE LEFT THE AIRPORT FOR ELLIS ISLAND IN AN IMMIGRATION STATION WAGON, SHE SAID:

"IT'S WONDERFUL NEWS. I NEVER GAVE UP HOPE. NO ONE HAS EVER TOLD ME WHY I AM A BAD SECURITY RISK, AND THEY HAVEN'T TOLD CONGRESS EITHER."

IN WASHINGTON, SUPREME COURT AIDES SAID JUSTICE JACKSON HAD SIGNED THE ORDER HOLDING UP MRS.KNAUFF'S DEPORTATION.

JACKSON SPECIFIED THAT THE STAY IS TO BE EFFECTIVE UNTIL MAY 25. THIS WILL GIVE HER TIME TO FILE AN APPEAL FROM THE DECISION OF THEU.S. CIRCUIT COURT IN NEW YORK.

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B73 (180)
KX FOR FRISCO
NEW YORK, MAY 17-(AP)-THE HERALD TRIBUNE TODAY EXPRESSED REGRETS OVER THE NATIONALIST WITHDRAWAL FROM CHUSHAN ISLAND BUT WISHED THEM WELL IN APPROACHING BATTLE OF FORMOSA.

IN AN EDITORIAL, THE PAPER SAID CHUSHAN'S ABANDONMENT MEANS "THE NATIONALIST BLOCKADE OF SHANGHAI AND NEIGHBORING PORTS WILL BE REDUCED IN EFFECTIVENESS IF NOT ENTIRELY BROKEN, AND X X X THE CHINESE COMMUNIST MAY BE able TO SHORTEN THEIR TIMETABLE FOR THE ASSAULT ON FORMOSA."

"THE FORMOSAN INVASION," SAID THE NEWSPAPER, WOULD BE A "VERY AMBITIOUS UNDERTAKING FOR WHICH ONLY THREE OR FOUR MONTHS OF FAVORABLE WEATHER REMAIN."

THIS MEANS "THE CHIPS ARE DOWN FOR THE CLIMACTIC STRUGGLE," IT ADDED.

HOWEVER, THE HERALD TRIBUNE RECOGNIZED THAT BECAUSE OF CHUSHAN'S NEARNESS TO THE CHINESE MAINLAND THE COMMUNISTS PROBABLY COULD HAVE OVERWHELMED IT WITHOUT DIFFICULTY. ALSO "BY PULLING OUT THE CHUSHAN GARRISON AND ITS EQUIPMENT, CHIANG HAS BEEN ABLE TO REINFORCE HIS FORCES ON FORMOSA BY MORE THAN 100,000 MEN."

THE FORMOSAN BATTLE, WHEN IT COMES, THE PAPER SAID, "WILL HAVE A DECISIVE BEARING NOT ONLY THE FATE OF THE NATIONALISTS BUT ALSO ON OUR OWN POLICY TOWARD CHINA. THE PEOPLE OF FORMOSA, JUDGING FROM INDEPENDENT REPORTS, DO NOT WANT COMMUNISM; AND WE SHARE THEIR ANTIPATHY FOR IT. WE WISH THEM WELL."

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NEW YORK, MAY 17-(AP)-THE DIRECTOR OF "BOYS TOWN," RETURNING FROM A EUROPEAN TRIP TODAY, REPORTED THAT WESTERN GERMANS ARE LIVING BETTER THAN THE ENGLISH.

MSGR.NICHOLAS WEGNER, DIRECTOR OF FATHER FLANAGAN'S BOYS' HOME, BOYS TOWN, NEB., ARRIVED FROM EUROPE ABOARD THE LINER AMERICA.

"THE PEOPLE IN WESTERN GERMANY," HE SAID, "ARE CERTAINLY GETTING ENOUGH TO EAT AND LIVE MUCH BETTER THAN THE PEOPLE IN ENGLAND. BUT HOUSING IS BAD ALL OVER EUROPE.

"THERE IS SURPRISINGLY LITTLE JUVENILE DELINQUENCY IN GERMANY DESPITE SO MANY YOUNGSTERS RUNNING LOOSE."

HE SAW LITTLE EVIDENCE OF COMMUNISM IN WESTERN EUROPE.

THOSE WHO HAD SUPPORTED COMMUNISM, HE SAID, WERE CHIEFLY "STOMACH COMMUNISTS"--PEOPLE WHO BACKED COMMUNISM IN THE EARLY POSTWAR PERIOD ON THE PROMISE OF FOOD AND JOBS.

MSGR. WEGNER SAID HE WAS BRINGING A ROSARY AND A MEDAL BLESSED BY THE POPE FOR EACH OF THE APPROXIMATELY 800 RESIDENTS OF BOYS TOWN.

HE SAID HE VISITED THE "BOYS' REPUBLIC," AN ESTABLISHMENT IN ITALY SIMILAR TO BOYS TOWN.

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD BLUEPRINTS

NEW YORK, MAY 17-(AP)-A GOVERNMENT CAR CARRYING 10 NON-SECRET ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION BLUEPRINTS WAS STOLEN FROM A BROOKLYN STREET CORNER TODAY AND ABANDONED TWO HOURS LATER WITH CONTENTS INTACT.

POLICE SAID THEY BELIEVED THE CAR HAD BEEN TAKEN "FOR A JOY RIDE" BY PERSONS BOUND FOR A GOOD TIME AT CONEY ISLAND. IT WAS ABANDONED ON THE BELT PARKWAY NEAR THE FAMOUS PLAYGROUND.

NONE OF THE AEC BLUEPRINTS WERE MISSING FROM A BRIEF CASE THAT AN ATOM PLANT INSPECTOR LEFT IN THE CAR WHILE HE WENT TO LUNCH.

JOHN BURT, A PUBLIC RELATIONS MAN AT THE BROOKHAVEN NATIONAL LABORATORIES FOR RESEARCH IN PEACETIME ATOMIC ENERGY USE, LOCATED AT BROOKHAVEN, SAID THE BLUEPRINTS WOULD NOT HAVE BEEN "PARTICULARLY DANGEROUS IN THE HANDS OF AN UNAUTHORIZED PERSON.

IN WASHINGTON, A SPOKESMAN FOR THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION SAID THE MISSING PAPERS WERE SIMPLY ROUTINE BLUEPRINTS FOR NON-SECRET ATOMIC WORK. THE SPOKESMAN SAID A CHECK WITH BROOKHAVEN SHOWED THERE WAS NO CAUSE FOR ALARM IN THE LOSS.

"THE WORST THING IS THAT THE GOVERNMENT STILL IS OUT ONE AUBOMOBILE," THE SPOKESMAN ADDED.

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BROOKLYN POLICE SPED RADIO CARS TO ALL BRIDGES, FERRY SLIPS AND MAIN HIGHWAYS LEADING OUT OF THE BOROUGH TO MANHATTAN, STATEN ISLAND AND THE REST OF LONG ISLAND.

ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION OFFICIALS SAID THE BLUEPRINTS DEALT WITH CONSTRUCTION WORK AT BROOKHAVEN ON A NEW NUCLEAR REACTOR. THIS IS A PILE OF FISSIONABLE ATOMIC MATERIAL USED FOR RESEARCH IN CONTROLLED CHAIN REACTIONS.

THE CAR, A BLACK, 1948 CHEVROLET SEDAN BEARING LICENSE NUMBER E35-195, WAS OWNED BY THE BROOKHAVEN LABORATORIES. IT BORE U.S. GOVERNMENT LETTERING AND A U.S. SEAL ON BOTH SIDES.

THE DRIVER, RAYMOND CABRE, 40, OF PATCHOGUE, LONG ISLAND, TOLD POLICE HE ATE LUNCH IN A RESTAURANT AT IMLAY AND VERONA STREETS IN BROOKLYN.

AS HE EMERGED FROM THE RESTAURANT, HE ADDED, HE SAW A HATLESS, COATLESS YOUNG MAN DRIVE AWAY IN THE AUTOMOBILE. HE NOTIFIED POLICE AT ONCE.

CABRE EARLIER HAD CALLED AT THE ARTHUR TICKLE ENGINEERING WORKS, INC., A NEARBY PLANT THAT IS TAKING PART IN THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE ATOMIC PILE.

AN ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION SPOKESMAN SAID THE BLUEPRINTS IN THE BROWN 16 BY 12 INCH BRIEFCAST WERE NOT CLASSIFIED. DOCUMENTS OF ANY IMPORTANCE ARE CLASSIFIED FROM TOP SECRET ON DOWN TO A RATING THAT INDICATES THEY ARE RESTRICTED TO CERTAIN PERSONS.

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AMS BUDGET (770)
NIGHT LEAD ATLANTIC PACT
BY WES GALLAGHER

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LONDON, MAY 18-(AP)-TWELVE WESTERN NATIONS TONIGHT AGREED TO POOL THEIR ECONOMIC AND MILITARY MIGHT INTO ONE VAST ARMED FORCE, CENTRALLY DIRECTED TO RESIST SOVIET AGGRESSION.

ATLANTIC PACT FOREIGN MINISTERS ENDED A FOUR-DAY SESSION WITH A SIX-POINT PROGRAM DESIGNED TO SPEED UP WESTERN PREPAREDNESS AND OVERTAKE SOVIET MILITARY MIGHT.

THEY AGREED IN PRINCIPLE TO THE AMERICAN MILITARY CONCEPT TO "CONCENTRATE ON THE CREATION OF BALANCED COLLECTIVE FORCES." THIS MEANT THAT EACH OF THE 12 NATIONS WILL CONTRIBUTE SPECIFIC UNITS TO THE CENTRAL WESTERN ARMED FORCE AND NOT TRY TO MAINTAIN EXPENSIVE OVERALL MILITARY ESTABLISHMENTS EACH SELF-CONTAINED IN ALL ARMS.

THE MINISTERS SET UP AN OVERALL COUNCIL OF DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTERS MEETING YEAR AROUND TO PUT THE COLLECTIVE SECURITY PROGRAM INTO FORCE. THIS COUNCIL WILL HAVE A PERMANENT POWERFUL CHAIRMAN WHO, IT IS UNDERSTOOD, WILL BE AN AMERICAN.

THE BIGGEST SHARE OF DEFENSE COSTS IS EXPECTED TO BE BORNE BY THE UNITED STATES, AND THERE ARE INDICATIONS THE U.S. SHARE WILL COST MORE THAN THE $1,000,000,000 (B) BEING GIVEN OUT THIS YEAR.

EACH OF THE 12 COUNTRIES, HOWEVER, WAS COMMITTED BY THE COUNCIL TO BEAR A SHARE IN PROPORTION TO ITS RESOURCES.

OUTSIDE THE PACT MEETINGS THE UNITED STATES AND CANADA GAVE NOTICE THEY INTEND TO SHARE IN EUROPE'S ECONOMIC PROBLEMS IN 1952 WHEN THE EUROPEAN RECOVERY PLAN ENDS.

THIS WAS DONE IN A COMPLICATED ANNOUNCEMENT THAT CANADA AND THE UNITED STATES WOULD JOIN ON AN INFORMAL BASIS THE ORGANIZATION FOR EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COOPERATION. THEY ARE NOT MEMBERS NOW.

THE AMERICAN REPRESENTATIVE ON THE DEPUTY COUNCIL OF FOREIGN MINISTERS WILL BE CHOSEN BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN FOLLOWING SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON'S RETURN TO WASHINGTON.

IT WAS STRESSED THE NEW COUNCIL FOR DEFENSE MUST BE SET UP IMMEDIATELY AND START TO FUNCTION.

ACHESON IN THE FINAL PUBLIC MEETING OF THE PACT COUNCIL THREE TIMES STRESSED THAT HE FELT THE MEETING HAD MADE "GENUINE PROGRESS." SIMILAR VIEWS WERE EXPRESSED BY THE OTHER MINISTERS.

UNDER THE SIX POINT PROGRAM ADOPTED, THE MINISTERS:

1. ESTABLISHED A DEPUTY COUNCIL WHICH WILL MEET THE YEAR AROUND TO SPEED UP REARMAMENT OF THE WEST, APPROVE A MASTER PLAN AND SEE THAT IT IS CARRIED OUT. THE COUNCIL WILL HAVE A PERMANENT CHAIRMAN, PRESUMABLY THE AMERICAN DELEGATE.
2. LAID DOWN THE PRINCIPLES TO GUIDE THE WORK OF THE DEPUTIES.
3. LAID DOWN DIRECTIVES WHICH IT IS HOPED WILL DECIDE HOW MUCH DEFENSE THE WEST CAN AFFORD WITHOUT WRECKING INTERNAL RECOVERY OR LEAVING OPPORTUNITY FOR ATTACK.
4. AGREED TO SHARE DEFENSE COSTS TO THE MAXIMUM OF EACH MEMBER'S ABILITY.
5. AGREED IN PRINCIPLE TO THE MILITARY CONCEPT OF BALANCED COLLECTIVE FORCES, EACH COUNTRY CONTRIBUTING SPECIFIC UNITS. THIS MEANT IN EFFECT THE DEFENSE OF ONE COUNTRY IS DEPENDENT ON THE CONTRIBUTION OF ANOTHER. EXCEPTIONS WERE MADE BY THE BIG COUNTRIES SUCH AS THE UNITED STATES WHICH MUST HAVE BALANCED FORCES TO PROTECT INTERESTS OUTSIDE THE ATLANTIC AREA.

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6. AGREED TO SET UP A NORTH ATLANTIC PLANNING BOARD FOR OCEAN SHIPPING WHICH WOULD DRAW UP A PLAN FOR MOBILIZING AND POOLING ALL SHIPPING UNDER A CENTRAL HEAD IN THE EVENT OF WAR.

THE NEW DEPUTY COUNCIL WILL MEET IN LONDON.

FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN EMPHASIZED THE URGENCY OF THE SITUATION THE WEST FACED.

"FIVE YEARS AFTER THE END OF THE TERRIBLE CONFLICT X X X WE ONCE MORE HEAR RUMORS OF WAR," SCHUMAN SAID. HAD DDED THAT THE WESTERN COUNTRIES "MUST WITHOUT DELAY RID THEMSELVES OF THE CONDITION OF EXTREME WEAKNESS INTO WHICH THEY FELL IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE END OF HOSTILITIES."

HE SAID THE WEST MUST GO "FASTER AND FURTHER" IN READMITTING WESTERN GERMANY INTO THE EUROPEAN FAMILY OF NATIONS.

IT IS HOPED THE NEW DEPUTY COUNCIL OF MINISTRS WILL BE ABLE, BY WORKING CONTINUOUSLY, TO GET AGREEMENT ON A MASTER REARMAMENT PLAN FOR THE WEST AND THE MEANS FOR PAYING FOR IT. THE DEPUTIES WILL THEN HAVE THE TASK OF SEEING THAT THE PLAN IS EXECUTED WITH ALL POSSIBLE SPEED.

MILITARY MEN HAVE ESTIMATED THAT EACH SIX MONTHS SOVIET REARMAMENT IS DRAWING FARTHER AWAY FROM THE WEST AND THAT IF THIS IS ALLOWED TO CONTINUE WEAKNESS IN THE WEST WILL INVITE ATTACK. SOVIET ARMED STRENGTH IS EXPECTED TO REACH ITS PEAK IN 1952-53.

IT IS THE COUNCIL'S AIM TO HAVE SUCH AN ARMED FORCE IN BEING BY THIS TIME THAT THE SOVIET UNION WILL FEEL IT CANNOT RISK AN ATTACK.

ALTHOUGH DECLINING TO BE QUOTED OFFICIALLY, AMERICAN SOURCES HERE SAID IT APPEARED A CERTAINTY THAT SOME FORM OF AID MUST BE GIVEN EUROPE BY THE UNITED STATES AFTER 1952, PARTICULARLY TO SUCH NATIONS AS AUSTRIA AND GREECE.

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SECOND LEAD ATLANTIC (ROUNUP) (300 UP)

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LONDON, MAY 18-(AP)-THE 12 ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS TONIGHT ORDERED THEIR NEW CENTRAL COMMAND TO LINE UP QUICKLY THE MEANS OF CARRYING OUT THEIR DEFENSE PLAN FOR WESTERN EUROPE.

WINDING UP THE FOUR-DAY MEETING OF THE ATLANTIC PACT FOREIGN MINISTERS' COUNCIL, SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON SAID THE WEST HAS MADE "GENUINE AND SUBSTANTIAL PROGRESS" TOWARD ACHIEVING COLLECTIVE SECURITY AGAINST COMMUNISM. HE SAID THE WEST SEEKS ONLY PEACE, BUT IS READY TO FIGHT OFF AGGRESSION FROM ANY QUARTER.

AT THE SAME TIME, THE UNITED STATES JOINED BRITAIN, FRANCE AND CANADA IN ANNOUNCING WASHINGTON WILL CONTINUE ITS ASSOCIATION WITH EUROPE'S ECONOMIC RECOVERY AFTER THE MARSHALL PLAN ENDS IN 1952.

FIRST STEP BEFORE THE 12 NATIONS NOW IS THE APPOINTMENT OF DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTERS TO SERVE ON THE PERMANENT DEFENSE COMMITTEE. THESE DEPUTIES WILL BE NAMED "WITH THE LEAST POSSIBLE DELAY," SO THAT A FULL TIME CHAIRMAN--LIKELY AN AMERICAN--CAN BE APPOINTED FROM THEIR MEMBERS.

THIS HIGH COMMAND WILL BE IN VIRTUALLY CONTINUOUS SESSION TO BLOCK EVERY AGGRESSIVE MOVE AGAINST THE WESTERN WORLD, WHETHER DIRECT ATTACK OR "TROJAN HORSE" THRUSTS.

"A YEAR'S EXPERIENCE," THE COMMUNIQUE SAID, "HAS SHOWN THAT ON THE POLITICAL SIDE THE MEETINGS OF THE COUNCIL HAVE BEEN TOO INFREQUENT TO PERMIT A SUFFICIENT EXCHANGE OF VIEWS ON MATTERS OF COMMON INTEREST WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THE TREATY. ON THE MILITARY SIDE, THE STRATEGIC CONCEPT OF THE TREATY HAS BEEN ADOPTED AND A DEFENSE PLAN DRAWN UP, AND THE CORRESPONDING ESTIMATE OF THE NECESSARY FORCES IS BEING ESTABLISHED.

"THE NEXT STEP IS TO PUT THESE PLANS INTO EFFECT BY TAKING FURTHER MEASURES IN THE DIRECTION OF COMMON DEFENSE, THE DIVISION OF FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITIES AND THE ADAPTATION AND DEVELOPMENT OF THE NECESSARY FORCES."

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THE COMMUNIQUE DESCRIBED THE PERMANENT COMMITTEE'S JOB IN SOME DETAIL.

THE COMMITTEE WILL BE CHARGED WITH STUDYING THE INTER-RELATIONSHIP OF VARIOUS PROGRAMS TO DEFEND THE ATLANTIC AREA. IT WILL RECOMMEND TO GOVERNMENTS STEPS TO INSURE THAT COORDINATED PLANS CAN BE CARRIED OUT. IT WILL EXCHANGE VIEWS ON POLITICAL MATTERS WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THE TREATY AND PROMOTE PUBLIC INFORMATION ON THE OBJECTIVES OF THE TREATY.

IN THE SEPARATE ANNOUNCEMENT CONCERNING CONTINUED AMERICAN INTEREST IN EUROPEAN RECOVERY AFTER 1952, THE CANADIAN MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS, LESTER PEARSON, JOINED THE UNITED STATES IN EXPRESSING A WISH TO KEEP UP STUDIES OF THE MATTER IN THE FUTURE.

PEARSON, ACHESON, BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN SAID THEY HOPED TO "PROCEED PROMPTLY TOWARD FINDING SOLUTIONS OF THE GENERAL ECONOMIC PROBLEMS WHICH LIE AHEAD, ALONG LINES WHICH WOULD ELIMINATE CONFLICT IN THEIR INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC POLICIES."

THE BIG THREE MINISTERS ALSO DISCLOSED THEY HAVE AGREED ON CERTAIN CHANGES OF POLICY TOWARD AUSTRIA, BUT THEY DECIDED TO KEEP THESE CHANGES SECRET FOR THE TIME BEING. THIS IS THOUGHT TO CONCERN A CHANGE FROM MILITARY TO CIVILIAN RULE IN THE WESTERN POWERS' OCCUPATION ZONES IN THAT COUNTRY.

THE NORTH ATLANTIC COUNCIL ISSUED A COMMUNIQUE AT THE END OF ITS HISTORIC MISSION OUTLINING ITS PLANS FOR THE DEFENSE COMMITTEE.

ACHESON, SPEAKING AT THE PUBLIC FINAL MEETING OF THE COUNCIL, SAID THE WEST IS DETERMINED TO DEFEND ITSELF AGAINST ANY THREAT, NO MATTER WHAT THE FORM.

THE OTHER FOREIGN MINISTERS SPOKE IN SIMILAR VEIN, UNDERLINING THE URGENT NEED TO GET DEFENSE MACHINERY OPERATING WITHOUT DELAY. BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY BEVIN PUT IT THIS WAY:

"OUR OBJECTIVE NOW IS TO FORTIFY PEACE--NOT MERELY PREPARE FOR WAR."

FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER SCHUMAN DECLARED THAT "THE FORCE WHICH WE ARE SEEKING TO CREATE IS BY ALL STANDARDS THAT WHICH IS ABSOLUTELY ESSENTIAL TO THE NORMAL DEVELOPMENT OF OUR ACTIVITIES AND TO OUR PROGRAM OF PEACE."

THE COMMUNIQUE SAID:

"A YEAR'S EXPERIENCE HAS SHOWN THAT ON THE POLITICAL SIDE THE MEETINGS OF THE COUNCIL HAVE BEEN TOO INFREQUENT TO PERMIT A SUFFICIENT EXCHANGE OF VIEWS ON MATTERS OF COMMON INTEREST WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THE TREATY.

"ON THE MILITARY SIDE THE STRATEGIC CONCEPT OF THE TREATY HAS BEEN ADOPTED AND A DEFENSE PLAN DRAWN UP, AND THE CORRESPONDING ESTIMATE OF THE NECESSARY FORCES IS BEING ESTABLISHED.

"THE NEXT STEP IS TO PUT THESE PLANS INTO EFFECT BY TAKING FURTHER MEASURES IN THE DIRECTION OF COMMON DEFENSE, THE DIVISION OF FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITIES AND THE ADAPTATION AND DEVELOPMENT OF THE NECESSARY FORCES."

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THE COMMUNIQUE SAID THE PERMANENT HIGH COMMAND WILL EXECUTE POLICIES AND BE RESPONSIBLE "FOR FORMULATING ISSUES REQUIRING DECISIONS BY THE MEMBER GOVERNMENTS."

THE HIGHEST PRIORITY TASKS OF THE PERMANENT COUNCIL WILL BE:

1. TO COORDINATE THE WORK OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC COUNCIL'S DEFENSE COMMITTEE, ITS DEFENSE FINANCIAL AND ECONOMIC (CAPS) COMMITTEE AND ALL OTHER AGENCIES ESTABLISHED UNDER THE TREATY.
2. RECOMMEND TO GOVERNMENTS THE STEPS NECESSARY TO GET COORDINATED PLANS INTO OPERATION FOR THE DEFENSE OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC AREA.

CONTINUING THEIR MEETING HERE, THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE 12 ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS DISCLOSED LAST NIGHT ANTI-RED DEFENSE MEASURES WOULD BE DIRECTED, AND COORDINATED, BY A PERMANENT COUNCIL OF THEIR DEPUTIES, PROBABLY HEADED BY AN AMERICAN.

EUROPEAN NEWSPAPERS HAVE BEEN FULL OF SPECULATION ABOUT WHO THE COUNCIL HEAD WOULD BE. THOSE MENTIONED INCLUDE W. AVERELL HARRIMAN, ROVING AMBASSADOR FOR THE MARSHALL PLAN; ROBERT A. LOVETT, FORMER UNDER-SECRETARY OF STATE; GEN. OMAR A. BRADLEY, CHAIRMAN OF THE U. S. JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF, AND GEN. DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER, WARTIME SUPREME ALLIED COMMANDER IN EUROPE.

A COMMUNIQUE ANNOUNCING THE NEW SETUP IS SCHEDULED TO BE ISSUED WHEN THE FOREIGN MINISTERS END THEIR MEETING TONIGHT.

THE PERMANENT COUNCIL WILL HAVE TWO MAIN JOBS.

FIRST, IT MUST WORK OUT A TIME SCHEDULE FOR REARMING--FOR THE MAKING AND ALLOCATION OF ARMS AND THE DRAWING UP OF FINAL MILITARY PLANS--SO THE WEST CAN FEEL SURE OF STOPPING RUSSIAN AGGRESSION IF IT COMES.

SECOND, IT MUST BOLSTER THE ECONOMIES OF THE WESTERN NATIONS SO THAT THE LARGE COMMUNIST PARTIES IN COUNTRIES LIKE FRANCE AND ITALY WILL FIND LESS DISCONTENT TO EXPLOIT.

THE 12 NATIONS WHICH AGREED ON THIS PLAN ARE THE UNITED STATES, CANADA, BRITAIN, FRANCE, ITALY, NORWAY, DENMARK, HOLLAND, BELGIUM, LUXEMBOURG, PORTUGAL AND ICELAND.

AGREEMENT WAS ACHIEVED ONLY AFTER CONSIDERABLE SOUL-SEARCHING BY SOME EUROPEAN MEMBERS WHO FEAR THEY WILL BE USED ONLY AS EXPENDABLE BASES IN THE EVENT OF RUSSIAN ARMED AGGRESSION.

THEY WERE TOLD THE WEST MUST ADOPT A BOLD STRATEGY OF STRENGTH, OF WINNING RUSSIAN RESPECT BY A DISPLAY OF POWER.

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IF WAR COMES, HOWEVER, THE IDEA IS FOR THE WEST TO STRIKE EASTWARD AS SWIFTLY AS POSSIBLE IN A BID TO SAVE WESTERN EUROPE FROM BEING CONQUERED.

ONE AMERICAN DELEGATE TO THE MEETING SAID ITS RESULTS HAVE BEEN "VERY SATISFACTORY." APPARENTLY IT WAS A DIPLOMATIC VICTORY FOR U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON, WHO CAME TO EUROPE WITH A FEELING THAT SPEED AND DETERMINATION ARE NECESSARY TO SAVE THE WEST.

THE AMERICANS WANT THE NEW ORGANIZATION TO INSPIRE CONFIDENCE IN THEIR EUROPEAN ALLIES AND TO ENCOURAGE THEM TOWARD GREATER EFFORTS IN INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION AND ECONOMIC RECOVERY.

THERE WAS GENERAL AGREEMENT THAT IN FORMING THE ALLIED ARMED FORCES, DUPLICATION OF EFFORT MUST BE AVOIDED. IN THE PAST EACH NATION HAS TRIED TO PROVIDE ALL THE ESSENTIALS OF ARMED DEFENSE FOR ITSELF, EVEN THOUGH SOME BRANCHES WERE INSUFFICIENT OR INEFFICIENT.

INFORMED SOURCES INDICATED THERE NOW IS TO BE MORE SPECIALIZATION.

THEY WERE SILENT ABOUT WHAT ASSIGNMENTS EACH NATION WOULD GET. THERE HAS BEEN CONSIDERABLE SPECULATION THAT CONTINENTAL COUNTRIES WOULD BE ASKED TO SPECIALIZE IN GROUND FORCES, LEAVING THE NAVAL AND AIR DEFENSES LARGELY TO GREAT BRITAIN AND THE UNITED STATES.

THE PERMANENT COUNCIL, HEART OF THE WHOLE DEFENSE SYSTEM, WILL CHOOSE ITS OWN CHIEFTAIN. HIS QUALIFICATIONS WILL INCLUDE AN INTERNATIONAL REPUTATION WHICH CAN COMMAND RESPECT, PLUS ABILITY TO GET THINGS DONE WITHOUT WASTING TIME.

EXISTING ATLANTIC PACT COMMITTEES WILL ASSIST THE HIGH COMMAND. THESE GROUPS INCLUDE SPECIALISTS IN SUPPLY, FINANCE MINISTERS,

DEFENSE MINISTERS AND THE MILITARY COMMITTEE OF GENERALS.
THE HIGH COMMAND WILL STAY IN SESSION ALMOST CONTINUOUSLY TO MAKE DECISIONS AS FAST AS QUESTIONS ARISE.
ONE OF THE PRIMARY QUESTIONS NOW IS HOW TO ACHIEVE AN ADEQUATE DEFENSE WITHOUT DAMAGING ECONOMIC RECOVERY.
THIS QUESTION WAS SPOTLIGHTED BY SEVERAL PACT COMMITTEE MEETINGS AT THE END OF MARCH AND IN EARLY APRIL. THE DEFENSE MINISTERS AND THE GENERALS DREW UP OUTLINES OF ARMED FORCES WHICH THEY THOUGHT NECESSARY. THE FINANCE MINISTERS FEARED THE RECOMMENDED DEFENSES WOULD COST TOO MUCH.
THEIR REPORTS WERE LAID BEFORE THE FOREIGN MINISTERS. DETAILS OF THEIR STATEMENTS WILL BE KEPT SECRET. THE NEW HIGH COMMAND MUST SEEK A SOLUTION TO THEIR CONFLICT.
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LONDON, MAY 18-(AP)-A TREASURY SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY BRITAIN HAS EASED ITS CONDITIONS FOR JOINING THE EUROPEAN PAYMENTS UNION.
THE NEW BRITISH PROPOSAL, PRESENTED TO THE MARSHALL PLAN'S ORGANIZATION FOR EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COOPERATION (OEEC) IN PARIS YESTERDAY, PROVIDES FOR BRITAIN'S ENTRY INTO THE UNION AS A FULL MEMBER "WITH CERTAIN ALLOWANCES" FOR STERLING AS AN INTERNATIONAL CURRENCY, HE SAID.
THE ALLOWANCES WERE LESS STRINGENT THAN THOSE ORIGINALLY PROPOSED. IT WAS UNDERSTOOD HERE THAT OEEC'S FIRST INFORMAL REACTION TO THE PROPOSAL WAS FAVORABLE.
THE EUROPEAN PAYMENTS UNION (EPU) IS A GRAND DESIGN FOR ENCOURAGING FREER EUROPEAN TRADE AND LIBERALIZING INTERNATIONAL PAYMENT OF DEBTS.
AMERICANS AND OTHERS HAVE ACCUSED BRITAIN IN THE PAST OF DRAGGING ITS FEET ON SUCH SCHEMES FOR ECONOMIC INTEGRATION OF EUROPE.

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THE PAYMENT PLAN FITS INTO THE DOMINATING THEME OF THE BIG THREE AND ATLANTIC PACT FOREIGN MINISTERS CONFERENCES ON WELDING THE WEST'S ECONOMIC AND DEFENSE RESOURCES INTO A SOLID WALL AGAINST COMMUNISM.
THE TREASURY SPOKESMAN SAID THE NEW BRITISH PROPOSAL REPRESENTS A SUBSTANTIAL ADVANCE FROM BRITAIN'S EARLIER POSITION. HE SAID HE COULD NOT GO INTO THE "ALLOWANCES" WHICH THE BRITISH OUTLINE CONTAINS BECAUSE IT WAS IN THE HANDS OF OEEC EXPERTS IN PARIS FOR A DECISION. THEY WILL MEET AGAIN TUESDAY, HE SAID, AFTER STUDYING THE COMPLEXITIES OF THE WHOLE PROBLEM.
ORIGINALLY BRITAIN PROPOSED ENTERING THE EPU ON A SPECIAL STATUS. ITS CONTENTION WAS THAT STERLING IS QUITE DIFFERENT FROM ANY OTHER CURRENCY IN THAT VAST AMOUNTS OF IT ARE USED INTERNATIONALLY BETWEEN OTHER COUNTRIES WITHOUT THE UNITED KINGDOM FIGURING IN THE DEALS.
FULLY 50 PER CENT OF WORLD TRADE IS CONDUCTED IN STERLING, THE TREASURY SPOKESMAN SAID, AND OBVIOUSLY NOT ALL THAT IS DONE BY THE UNITED KINGDOM.
BASICALLY, THE PROBLEM WAS TO ENABLE EUROPEAN COUNTRIES TO USE THE CURRENCY THEY EARNED ABROAD FOR PURCHASE OF GOODS IN ANY COUNTRY JOINING THE SCHEME AND NOT ONLY IN THE COUNTRY IN WHICH THEIR EARNINGS ORIGINATED.
IN OTHER WORDS, FRANCE WITH A POCKETFUL OF PORTUGESE ESCUDOES, DANISH KRONOR AND ITALIAN LIRE SHOULD BE ENABLED TO CHANGE THAT MONEY FREELY INTO BELGIAN FRANCS FOR THE PURCHASE OF GOODS THERE.
BRITAIN, HOWEVER, WAS NOT PREPARED BEFORE TO HAVE STERLING DEBTS AND CREDITS FULLY OFFSET ALONG WITH EUROPEAN DEBTS AND CREDITS IN THE EPU. ITS STAND, THE SPOKESMAN EXPLAINED, WAS THAT THE OTHER EPU MEMBER COUNTRIES SHOULD SETTLE THEIR TRADING DEBTS AND CREDITS AMONG THEMSELVES AND HAVE SEPARATE SETTLEMENTS WITH BRITAIN.
UNDER ITS NEW PROPOSAL, HOWEVER, BRITAIN IS PREPARED TO ALLOW A FAR FULLER PARTICIPATION OF STERLIA WITHIN THE EPU SCHEME.
IF THE LATEST BRITISH PROPOSAL IS ACCEPTED, IT WOULD MEAN A FAR-REACHING STEP ALONG THE ROAD TOWARD EUROPEAN ECONOMIC UNITY AND STABILITY--THE GOAL OF AMERICAN POLICY SINCE THE UNITED STATES BEGAN POURING BILLIONS OF DOLLARS INTO EUROPE THROUGH THE MARSHALL PLAN.
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LONDON, MAY 18-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES HAS AGREED TO KEEP UP ASSOCIATIONS WITH EUROPE'S ECONOMIC RECOVERY AFTER THE MARSHALL PLAN ENDS TWO YEARS FROM NOW, A BIG THREE STATEMENT SAID TODAY.
THE UNITED STATES AND CANADA BOTH PROBABLY WILL BE INVITED TO SET UP AN INFORMAL LINK WITH THE ORGANIZATION FOR EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COOPERATION (OEEC), THE GROUP ESTABLISHED TO GUIDE THE EUROPEAN SIDE OF THE RECOVERY PROGRAM.
A JOINT STATEMENT OF THE BIG THREE QUOTED U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON AS SAYING "THE INTEREST OF THE UNITED STATES IN EUROPE WILL NECESSARILY CONTINUE" AFTER 1952. STUDY OF EUROPE'S ECONOMIC PROBLEMS AND AMERICAN RELATION TO THEM AFTER THE END OF THE MARSHALL PLAN "IS NOW GOING FORWARD ACTIVELY IN THE UNITED STATES ON THE HIGHEST GOVERNMENT LEVEL," THE STATEMENT ADDED.
THE CANADIAN MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS, LESTER PEARSON, HAS JOINED THE UNITED STATES IN EXPRESSING A WISH TO KEEP UP STUDIES OF EUROPEAN ECONOMIC RECOVERY IN THE FUTURE, THE STATEMENT CONTINUED.
PEARSON, ACHESON, BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN SAID THEY HOPED TO "PROCEED PROMPTLY TOWARD FINDING SOLUTIONS OF THE GENERAL ECONOMIC PROBLEMS WHICH LIE AHEAD, ALONG LINES WHICH WOULD ELIMINATE CONFLICT IN THEIR INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC POLICIES.
THESE FOUR MINISTERS AGREED THAT THE BUILDING OF A STRONG WESTERN ECONOMY LINKING NORTH AMERICA WITH THE EUROPEAN ALLIES MAY REQUIRE A FORMAL ORGANIZATION IN THE FUTURE. HOWEVER, THEY SAID IT WOULD NOT BE NECESSARY TO DRAW UP PRECISE PLANS FOR IT AT ONCE.
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LONDON, MAY 18-(AP)-THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS AGREED TODAY ON CHANGES OF POLICY TOWARD AUSTRIA BUT DECIDED TO KEEP THEM SECRET FOR THE TIME BEING.
THE DECISIONS, COMPLETED DURING A BRIEF MEETING THIS AFTERNOON, WERE EXPECTED TO INCLUDE A CHANGE FROM MILITARY RULE TO CONTROL OF AUSTRIA BY CIVILIAN HIGH COMMISSIONERS. ALSO THOUGHT TO BE INCLUDED IN THE BIG THREE DECISIONS WERE METHODS OF LOWERING THE COSTS OF THE ALLIED OCCUPATION. AUSTRIA PRESENTLY IS PAYING LARGE PARTS OF THE COSTS OF BRITISH AND FRENCH OCCUPATION. THE UNITED STATES PAYS ITS OWN COSTS.
THE AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT IS BEING INFORMED TODAY OF THE DECISIONS WHICH WILL BE MADE PUBLIC IN A COMMUNIQUE TOMORROW OR POSSIBLY LATER TODAY.
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LONDON, MAY 18-(AP)-AMERICAN FBI AGENTS WILL QUESTION THE CONVICTED BRITISH ATOMIC SPY DR. KLAUS FUCHS ONLY IF HE AGREES TO IT, HOME SECRETARY CHUTER EDE TOLD THE HOUSE OF COMMONS TODAY.

MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT PUT EDE UNDER A SEARCHING CROSS-FIRE OF QUESTIONS ABOUT THE SCHEDULED INTERROGATION OF FUCHS, A GERMAN-BORN NATURALIZED BRITON. HE IS SERVING A 14-YEAR SENTENCE, REPORTEDLY IN NORTH LONDON'S WORMWOOD SCRUBS PRISON, FOR PASSING ATOMIC SECRETS TO RUSSIA.

BRITAIN RECENTLY GRANTED UNITED STATES AUTHORITIES PERMISSION TO QUESTION FUCHS IN HOPES OF GETTING LEADS ON FURTHER POSSIBLE SPIES AT LARGE IN AMERICA.

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LONDON, MAY 18-(AP)-ROMANIA HAS BECOME THE LATEST SOVIET SATELLITE TO DEMAND THAT THE UNITED STATES CUT ITS DIPLOMATIC STAFF WITHIN THE COUNTRY. X 70

DISPATCHES FROM BUCHAREST TODAY SAID THE COMMUNIST-LED ROMANIAN GOVERNMENT HAS ACCUSED U.S. DIPLOMATS THERE OF SPYING AND DEMANDED THAT THE LEGATION STAFF BE REDUCED TO 10 MEMBERS.

LAST MONTH THE CZECHOSLAV GOVERNMENT DEMANDED THAT THE U.S. LEGATION STAFF IN PRAGUE BE CUT BY TWO-THIRDS. WASHINGTON COUNTERED WITH AN ORDER FOR A SIMILAR REDUCTION OF CZECH PERSONNEL IN THE UNITED STATES.

ROMANIA TOLD THE U.S. TO CLOSE ITS INFORMATION CENTER IN BUCHAREST IN MARCH CHARGING "ACTIVITIES HOSTILE TO THE ROMANIAN PEOPLE" WERE CENTERED IN THE OFFICE. RETALIATING, THE U.S. ORDER THE ROMANIAN COMMERCIAL ATTACHE'S OFFICE IN NEW YORK CLOSED.

ROMANIA MADE ITS DEMAND FOR REDUCTION IN THE LEGATION PERSONNEL IN A NOTE REFUSING A U.S. REQUEST FOR VISAS FOR NEW MEMBERS OF THE LEGATION.

THE ROMANIANS DEMANDED THE U.S. STAFF BE PUT ON A PARITY WITH THE ROMANIAN LEGATION IN WASHINGTON AND SAID THE AMERICAN STAFF, DESPITE AN "UNFRIENDLY" U.S. POLICY TOWARD ROMANIA, IS MUCH LARGE THAN BEFORE THE WAR.

THE NOTE CHARGED THE U.S. WITH EFFORTS TO INTERFERE IN ROMANIA'S INTERNAL AFFAIRS, "SLANDEROUS ATTACKS" ON THE COUNTRY, A HOSTILE ATTITUDE TOWARD HER IN THE UNITED NATIONS, OFFICIAL SUPPORT OF REFUGEE "TRAITORS" AND CITED RECENT TREASON TRIAL TESTIMONY THAT MEMBERS OF THE AMERICAN LEGATION IN BUDAPEST HAVE BEEN SPYING.

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WASHINGTON, MAY 17-(AP)-COMMUNIST ROMANIA TODAY DEMANDED THAT THE UNITED STATES REDUCE THE STAFF OF THE AMERICAN LEGATION AT BUCHAREST BY APPROXIMATELY HALF.

A NOTE TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT CALLED FOR TRIMMING THE STAFF OF 19 PERSONS TO 10 AND RENEWED CHARGES THAT SOME AMERICANS HAVE TAKEN PART IN SPYING AGAINST THE COMMUNIST REGIME.

IT WAS A NEW BLOW IN THE RUNNING DISPUTE BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND OTHER WESTERN POWERS ON ONE HAND AND THE SOVIET BLOC EASTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES ON THE OTHER.

THE U.S. ONLY LAST MONTH REQUIRED ROMANIA TO CLOSE AN OFFICE OF ITS COMMERCIAL ATTACHE IN NEW YORK CITY. EARLIER, ROMANIA HAD FORCED SUSPENSION OF OPERATIONS BY THE U.S. INFORMATION SERVICE IN BUCHAREST.

OFFICIALS SAID THE LATEST REQUEST IS UNDER CONSIDERATION AND INDICATED THAT FURTHER RETALIATION AGAINST THE LATEST ROMANIAN ACTION MIGHT FOLLOW. IN THIS CASE, HOWEVER, THE U.S. IS AT A DISADVANTAGE BECAUSE ROMANIA NOW HAS ONLY THREE OFFICIAL REPRESENTATIVES IN THIS COUNTRY--MINISTER MIHAI MAGHERU, A LEGATION OFFICIAL AND A CLERK.

IN BUCHAREST THERE ARE CURRENTLY 13 STATE DEPARTMENT REPRESENTATIVES AND SIX MILITARY, NAVAL AND AIR ATTACHES. THE MISSION IS HEADED BY MINISTER RUDOLF E. SHOENFELD.

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LONDON, MAY 18-(AP)-A CONSERVATIVE MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT ASKED THE GOVERNMENT TODAY TO OUTLAW THE COMMUNIST PARTY.

PEACE AMONG THE POWERS IS UNATTAINABLE UNLESS AS A FIRST STEP HIS MAJESTY'S GOVERNMENT TAKES IMMEDIATE ACTION "TO DO SO," SIR WALDRON SMITHERS SAID IN A MOTION SUBMITTED FOR DEBATE IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS.

BILLS TO OUTLAW COMMUNISM ARE PENDING IN THE BRITISH DOMINIONS OF AUSTRALIA AND SOUTH AFRICA.

SIR WALDRON IS AN ARDENTLY ANTI-COMMUNIST, RIGHT-WING LEGISLATOR WHO RECENTLY SPONSORED A PUBLIC PETITION URGING THE GOVERNMENT TO FIRE DEFENSE MINISTER EMANUEL SHINWELL AND WAR MINISTER JOHN STRACHEY BECAUSE OF THEIR LEFTIST PASTS.

HIS MOTION TODAY MADE A SIMILAR REQUEST, WITHOUT NAMING ANY MINISTERS. HE REFERRED ONLY "TO MINISTERS WHOSE PREVIOUS RECORDS PREVENT OTHER FREEDOM AND PEACE-LOVING COUNTRIES FROM HAVING COMPLETE CONFIDENCE IN THE DETERMINATION OF HIS MAJESTY'S GOVERNMENT TO ERADICATE COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES AND INFILTRATION BY EVERY MEANS IN ITS POWER."

BOTH STRACHEY AND PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE HAVE DENIED RECENT ALLEGATIONS IN THE BEAVERBROOK NEWSPAPERS THAT STRACHEY HAS FAILED TO REPUDIATE HIS EARLIER COMMUNIST LEANINGS. BOTH STRACHEY AND SHINWELL RANK HIGH IN ATTLEE'S GOVERNMENT, WHICH FIGHTS COMMUNISM OPENLY.

SIR WALDRON'S MOTION WOULD BE DEBATED IN THE HOUSE ONLY IF THE GOVERNMENT SHOULD AGREE TO MAKE TIME FOR IT.

COMMUNISTS HAVE HOLDS ON SEVERAL IMPORTANT BRITISH TRADE UNIONS, BUT THEY FAILED TO ELECT A SINGLE MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT IN THE FEBRUARY 23 ELECTION. THEY POLLED 91,746 VOTES IN A NATION OF ABOUT 50,000,000.

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PORTSMOUTH, ENG., FRIDAY, MAY 19-(AP)-SEVEN SOVIET VESSELS HAVE PASSED DOWN THE ENGLISH CHANNEL WHERE BRITISH, FRENCH AND DUTCH WARSHIPS WILL HOLD ANTISUBMARINE EXERCISES NEXT WEEK.

THE RUSSIAN VESSELS--TWO FISHING CRAFT AND FIVE TUGS--WERE CHALLENGED YESTERDAY BY COAST GUARD SIGNALMEN AT BEACHY HEAD EAST OF PORTSMOUTH. THEY REPLIED THAT THEY WERE BOUND BETWEEN THE BALTIC AND BLACK

SEAS.
LATER THE VESSELS ANCHORED OFF THE ISLE OF WIGHT. A BRITISH NAVAL OFFICER WENT ABOARD ONE FROM A MOTOR TORPEDO BOAT ON A COURTESY CALL. THE RUSSIAN CRAFT WERE GRANTED PERMISSION TO PUT INTO CHRISTCHURCH (CQ) BAY FOR REPAIRS TO TWO OF THEM. SIX HOURS LATER THEY STEAMED AWAY WESTWARD.
LONDON NAVAL SOURCES SAID THE ARRIVAL OF THE SOVIET VESSELS AT THIS TIME APPEARED TO BE A PURE COINCIDENCE.
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GENEVA, MAY 18-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES CONTRIBUTION TO THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION'S 1951 BUDGET WAS CUT BY ONE PER CENT TODAY BY THE FINANCE COMMITTEE OF THE WHO ASSEMBLY.
THE CUT--FROM 36 PERCENT TO 35 PER CENT--WILL MEAN A SAVING OF $71,000 FOR THE UNITED STATES DURING THE YEAR. THE BUDGET WAS SET AT $7,300,000 EARLIER THIS WEEK, OF WHICH $200,000 IS TO BE DRAWN FROM UNRRA RESIDUE FUNDS.
THE CUT IN THE UNITED STATES CONTRIBUTION WAS APPROVED BY 19 VOTES TO SIX, WITH EIGHT ABSTENTIONS. THE UNITED KINGDOM, AUSTRALIA, CANADA, NEW ZEALAND, SOUTH AFRICA AND BRAZIL OPPOSED THE CUT ON THE GROUNDS OF THEIR ECONOMIC DIFFICULTIES.
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GENEVA, MAY 18-(AP)-GUNNAR MYRDAL OF SWEDEN, EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OF THE UNITED NATIONS ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR EUROPE, RETURNED TO GENEVA TODAY AFTER A WEEK OF CONFERENCES WITH SOVIET GOVERNMENT OFFICIA IN MOSCOW.
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B133 (220)
FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 18-(AP)-CZECHOSLOVAKIA'S "HATE AMERICA" CAMPAIGN IS BEING STEPPED UP AND IS WINNING OVER THE YOUTH OF THAT COMMUNIST COUNTRY, THE FORMER PRESS ATTACHE OF THE U.S. EMBASSY IN PRAGUE SAID TODAY.
"THE DAILY PRESS IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA S DEVOTED 50 PER CENT TO FANTASTIC ATTACKS ON THE UNITED STATES," T.J.CROCKETT TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE HERE.
CROCKETT WAS ONE OF ABOUT 40 AMERICANS EXPELLED FROM CZECHOSLOVAKIA IN A FORCED REDUCTION OF THE EMBASSY STAFF. WITH HIM HERE WERE FIVE OTHER FORMER EMBASSY EMPLOYES.
"OUR EXPULSION ORDER CLIMAXED A VITRIOLIC PRESS CAMPAIGN AGAINST AMERICA," SAID CROCKETT, WHOSE HOME IS IN UNIONVILLE, CONN.
THE PRESS ATTACKS HAVE BECOME MORE VIOLENT RECENTLY, HE SAID, ADDING THAT THEY CENTER ON SUCH SUBJECT AS "DEGENERATE JAZZ," SOFT DRINKS, RACIAL PROBLEMS AND CLOTHING STYLES. BACKING UP THE PRESS ATTACKS ARE PUBLIC LECTURES AND EXHIBITS RIDICULING AMERICA.
BRITAIN ALSO IS A TARGET BUT THE MAIN ATTACK IS CENTERED ON THE UNITED STATES, HE ADDED.
TEN MEMBERS OF THE EMBASSY STAFF HAVE ARRIVED HERE IN THE LAST FEW DAYS TO AWAIT REASSIGNMENT. FIVE MORE ARE EXPECTED LATER THIS WEEK. OTHERS HAVE GONE TO FRANCE.
WITH CROCKETT TODAY WERE GRACE EDWARDS OF EDDYVILLE, ORE., A CLERK; PATRICIA MOTSTOSKY OF 2552 SEVENTH AVENUE WEST, SEATTLE, WASH., A CLKERK; WILLIAM J.CUNNINGHAM OF 1141 FIG AVENUE, LANCASTER, CALIF.; JACOB WILLEBEEK-LEMAIR OF FIVE ISLANDS, MAINE, A GUARD; AND CHARLES F.SHEPHERD OF SIOUX CITY, IOWA, A GUARD.
MISS EDWARDS AND MISS MOTOSKY SAID THEY FEARED FOR THE SAFETY OF ABOUT 50 CZECH EMPLOYES OF THE EMBASSY. THE CZECHS WERE DISCHARGED IN THE FORCED CUT OF PERSONNEL AND ARE NOW "SUSPECT" TO THE GOVERNMENT FOR HAVING WORKED FOR AMERICANS, THE TWO GIRLS SAID.
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FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 18-(AP)-M/SGT HERMAN KRATTIGER, 36, OF (1322 WEST WOODWARD STREET) DENISON, TEXAS, DIED TODAY OF A GUNSHOT WOUND, THE U.S. ARMY ANNOUNCED.
THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID KRATTIGER'S WIFE FOUND HIM ON THE FLOOR UNCONSCIOUS, WITH A PISTOL IN HIS HAND, WHEN SHE RETURNED TO THEIR NUERNBERG HOME FROM A BINGO GAME. ARMY AGENTS ARE INVESTIGATING THE DEATH.
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AACHEN, GERMANY, MAY 18 - (AP) - THE FOUNDER OF THE PAN-EUROPEAN MOVEMENT (CAPS) CALLED ON FRANCE AND GERMAN TODAY TO POOL NOT ONLY THEIR COAL AND STEEL BUT THEIR POLITICS AND CONSTITUTIONS.

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THE FOUNDER, COUNT RICHARD COUDENHOVE KALERGI, MADE THE SUGGESTION AT A CERMONY DURING WHICH HE WAS AWARDED AACHEN'S ANNUAL "CHARLEMAGNE PRIZE" TO THE PERSON DOING MOST IN POLITICS, ECONOMICS, SCIENCE AND CULTURE FOR THE UNIFICATION OF EUROPE.

"IN TWO YEARS THE MARSHALL PLAN ENDS," HE REMINDED. "THEN ECONOMIC CATASTROPHE THREATENS EUROPE. WHAT HAPPENED IN CHINA CAN

REPEAT ITSELF IN EUROPE. TIME WORKS AGAINST US AND EVERY DAY IS A DAY LOST.

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"GERMANY AND FRANCE CANNOT WAIT LONGER. THE ONLY FORMULA WHICH WOULD GIVE FRANCE SECURITY AND GERMANY EQUAL RIGHTS WOULD BE A FEDERAL UNIFICATION OF THE TWO STATES --WITH COMMON FOREIGN AND ARMAMENT POLITICS, COMMON ECONOMIC POLICY AND CURRENCY."

COUDENHOVE KALERGI SUGGESTED THAT EUROPEAN NATIONS FORM A "CHARLEMAGNE UNION" OF THE TERRITORY ONCE RULED BY THE EMPEROR CHARLEMAGNE. THE CITY OF AACHEN CLAIMS TO HAVE BEEN THE SITE WHERE THE "EMPEROR OF THE WEST" WAS CROWNED IN 800 A. D.

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THE SPEAKER SAID A UNION OF GERMANY, FRANCE, ITALY, BELGIUM, LUXEMBOURG AND THE NETHERLANDS WAS THE ONLY HOPE FOR EUROPE.

HE SUGGESTED THAT THE PEOPLES OF THESE COUNTRIES ELECT REPRESENTATIVES TO A EUROPEAN CONSTITUTIONAL ASSEMBLY, WHICH WOULD DRAFT THE CONSTITUTION OF A FEDERATION OF WESTERN EUROPEAN NATIONS.

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Berlin, May 18--(AP)--Trade between the allied and Soviet-occupied sectors of Berlin, already crippled, is expected to reach a virtual standstill by June 1, under forthcoming Communist restrictions.

Communist authorities in East Germany have been busy establishing a tight ring of police control points around the city. These will inspect all cargoes and even personal luggage taken into allied-occupied West Berlin from the surrounding Russian zone of Germany.

At the same time, the Communist "People's Police" will make sure that no East German dares to supplement his meager rations by additional purchases in the Western sectors.

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East Germany's red government recently announced the new controls to halt "unlicensed trade." This trade, the Communists claim, is inspired by the West to serve its "economic exploitation" of the East zone.

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To furnish a legal basis for their impending restrictions, the Communists whipped through their hand-picked Parliament a law for the "protection of the East German economy."

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Under this law, XXXXX smuggling from the Soviet Zone has become subject to heavy finds and even to the death penalty in "extreme cases."

The new trade restrictions, scheduled to go into effect June 1, affect only commerce and travel between Berlin and the Russian zone. They do not interfere with German or allied interzonal traffic between Berlin and Western Germany, which is routed along the superhighway (autobahn) or shipped by train.

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However, as the Communists are preparing a complete shutout of trade between East Germany and West Berlin, they were reported to have discovered a new leak. The Soviet-licensed news agency announced today that a new form for cargo papers will be necessary, beginning June 1, for shipments between the Soviet sector of Berlin and the East Zone. This is intended to block any exchange of goods between West Berlin and the East Zone via the Russian sector of the city.

When the whole scheme of controls becomes effective it will amount to a complete suspension of any kind of free trade between Berlin and the surrounding zone. Only those shipments will be approved by the Communist police which help the ailing East German economy, notoriously short on iron and steel.

This appears to present problems for G,rman and perhaps allied interzonal XXXXX highway traffic over the Whitsuntide weekend of May 27-28.

At that time some 500,000 young Communists from the Russian zone are expected to s[illegible] on Berlin.

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The East Zone police announced they will close to all interzonal traffic for most of the Witsuntide period /an 80-mile stretch of the autobahn connecting Berlin with the West.

The police said the closing will be necessary to "enable the smooth shipping of hundreds of thousands of young (Communist) peacefighters from all over the

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Russian zone to Berlin."

The announcement added that interzonal traffic to and from Berlin will be rerouted to secondary Russian zone roads. It was not made clear whether the closing also will affect allied interzonal motor traffic confined to the autobahn from Helmstedt to Berlin.

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RATINGEN, GERMANY, MAY 18-(AP)-FORMER COMMUNIST JOSEF SCHAPPE SAID TONIGHT MORE THAN HALF OF WESTERN GERMANY'S COMMUNISTS OPPOSE THE LEADERSHIP OF THEIR PARTY.

HE URGED DISSATISFIED COMMUNISTS TO UNITE IN A NEW PARTY WHICH WOULD REPRESENT GERMAN INTERESTS.

SCHAPPE WAS OUSTED FROM THE PARTY LAST YEAR AS A "TITOIST." HE ADDRESSED A MEETING WHICH, DESPITE A BAN BY THE PARTY'S LEADERSHIP, WAS LED BY KARL BAECKER, HEAD OF THE COMMUNIST FACTION IN THE RATINGEN CITY COUNCIL.

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BUDAPEST, HUNGARY, MAY 18-(AP)-THE COMMUNIST-CONTROLLED HUNGARIAN GOVERNMENT TODAY ASKED BRITAIN TO RECALL THREE HIGH RANKING DIPLOMATS FROM HER BUDAPEST LEGATION.

THE HUNGARIAN GOVERNMENT, IN A NOTE, ASKED THAT FIRST SECRETARY CLIVE EBORALL, THIRD SECRETARIES ERNEST MARSTON SMITH AND HENRY CORA JENKINS LEAVE HUNGARY ON MAY 23.

THE NOTE DID NOT DISCLOSE THE REASON FOR THE REQUEST. THE BRITISH LEGATION SAID IT MIGHT BE IN RETALIATION FOR A BRITISH ORDER A MONTH AGO GIVING A HUNGARIAN ATTACHE IN LONDON HIS WALKING PAPERS AND CLOSING THE HUNGARIAN CULTURAL INSTITUTE IN LONDON. THIS MOVE IN TURN WAS TO COUNTER PREVIOUS HUNGARIAN ACTION OUSTING THE BRITISH COMMERCIAL ATTACHE HERE.

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A98 (170)

WARSAW, POLAND, MAY 18-(AP)-POLAND'S COMMUNIST PARTY HAS OPENED A DRIVE AGAINST ANTI-RUSSIAN ELEMENTS WITHIN THE PARTY'S RANKS.

A POLITBURO MEMBER, GEN. FRANCISZEK JOZWIAK WITOLD, TOLD THE FOURTH PLENARY SESSION OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE THAT EXPULSIONS HAD INCREASED SINCE THE THIRD PLENARY SESSION LAST NOVEMBER.

OF THESE, HE CONTINUED, 62 PER CENT WERE OUSTED AS IDEOLOGICAL AND CLASS ALIENS, AS COMPARED WITH 53 PER CENT FOR THAT REASON PREVIOUSLY.

WITOLD, WHO ALSO IS A MEMBER OF THE PARTY CENTRAL COMMITTEE AND OF THE COUNCIL OF STATE, ECHOED PRESIDENT BOLESLAW BEIRUT'S PREVIOUS INSISTENCE ON GREATER WATCHFULNESS WITHIN PARTY RANKS.

THE SPEECH BY WITOLD WAS RELEASED TO NEWSMEN YESTERDAY. THE COMMITTEE'S PLENARY SESSION ENDED LAST SATURDAY.

DIPLOMATIC INFORMANTS SAID HERE SUNDAY THAT THE POLISH COMMUNIST PARTY WAS UNDERGOING A WIDESPREAD PURGE OF PROMINENT MEMBERS. THEIR REPORTS FOLLOWED THE ANNOUNCEMENT LAST WEEK THAT MARSHAL KONSTANTIN ROKOSSOVSKY, FORMER SOVIET ARMY COMMANDER NOW IN CHARGE OF POLAND'S MILITARY FORCES, HAD BEEN NAMED TO THE PARTY POLITBURO.

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NIGHT LEAD LIE (250)

BY EDDY GILMORE

MOSCOW, MAY 18-(AP)-DIPLOMATIC SOURCES SAID TONIGHT THEY BELIEVED U.N. SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE WILL TAKE BACK TO WESTERN LEADERS ~~suggestions~~ proposals AS HE GAINED FROM TALKS HERE WITH HIGH SOVIET OFFICIALS.

LIE, WHO HAS BEEN CONFERRING WITH PRIME MINISTER STALIN, FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI Y. VISHINSKY AND OTHER OFFICIALS FOR THE PAST WEEK, WILL LEAVE TOMORROW BY PLANE FOR PRAGUE. HE WILL GO ON TO PARIS AND LONDON BEFORE RETURNING TO THE UNITED STATES.

INFORMANTS SAID HE WAS PLANNING TALKS WITH BRITISH PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE AND OFFICIALS FROM OTHER NATIONS NOW IN LONDON AND LATER WOULD SEE PRESIDENT TRUMAN.

AFTER HE HAS THESE CONVERSATIONS, IT IS UNDERSTOOD, HE WILL HAVE MORE DEFINITE OPINIONS ABOUT WHAT HIS MISSION HERE ACCOMPLISHED, IF ANYTHING.

DIPLOMATS BELIEVE LIE IS CARRYING BACK SOME PERSONAL HOPE OF SOLVING WORLD PROBLEMS. THEY SAY HE WOULD NOT HAVE USED THE PHRASE "TIME WILL TELL" AT A NEWS CONFERENCE HERE YESTERDAY IF HE WAS NOT TAKING SOMETHING DEFINITE BACK TO THE WEST.

THE DIPLOMATS ARE NOT OPTIMISTIC, HOWEVER, ABOUT LIE'S CHANCES OF SETTLING SOME PROBLEMS HE TALKED ABOUT WITH THE RUSSIAN LEADERS. THEY SEE LITTLE CHANCE OF HIS ENDING THE COLD WAR OR MAKING MUCH PROGRESS WITH ATOMIC CONTROL.

THEY BELIEVE HE MAY HAVE SOME CHANCE OF SETTLING SOME OF THE UNITED NATIONS PROBLEMS, INCLUDING THE CHINESE REPRESENTATION ISSUE IN THE U.N.

SOVIET COMMENTATORS HAVE NOT SPECULATED ABOUT LIE'S MISSION OR WHAT SUCCESS IT MIGHT HAVE. THERE HAVE BEEN NO OFFICIAL INDICATIONS ABOUT THE SUBJECTS DISCUSSED.

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30.24- 11153

A13
MOSCOW, MAY 18-(AP)-UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE SAYS PRIME MINISTER STALIN IS HALE AND HEARTY.
LIE, WHO TALKED WITH STALIN FOR AN HOUR AND A HALF ON MONDAY, TOLD REPORTERS THE GENERALISSIMO "WAS AS HEALTHY AND LIVELY AS HE WAS IN 1946."
"ALL THESE RUMORS ABOUT HIS HEALTH ARE LIES AND FALSE," LIE SAID. "MAYBE THEY ARE WISHFUL THINKING ON THE PART OF SOME PEOPLE."
LIE LAST TALKED TO THE RUSSIAN LEADER WHEN HE WAS IN MOSCOW FOUR YEARS AGO.
THE U.N. OFFICIAL, WHO HAS BEEN CONFERRING WITH SOVIET OFFICIALS FOR THE PAST WEEK, LEAVES FRIDAY FOR PRAGUE, PARIS, LONDON AND NEW YORK.
LIE MADE A FAREWELL CALL ON FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI VISHINSKY BUT SPENT MOST OF THE DAY VISITING HIS NORWEGIAN FRIENDS HERE. HE PLANNED TO LEAVE TOMORROW BY PLANE FOR PRAGUE. FROM THERE HE WILL GO ON TO PARIS AND LONDON FOR FURTHER TALKS WITH HIGH GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS.
RW1147AED

A204KX (CHINESE)
NIGHT LEAD CHINESE (420)
BY SPENCER MOOSA
MAY 19 1950
TAIPEI,FORMOSA,MAY 18-(AP)-THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS WENT ALL OUT TODAY TO GIVE A HEROES' WELCOME TO THE TROOPS WITHDRAWN FROM THE CHUSHAN ISLANDS.
EVEN HARD-BOILED OLD CHINA HANDS WHO SAW THE WITHDRAWAL AS THE NEXT TO THE LAST STEP TO THE END CONFESSED ADMIRATION FOR THE SKILL WITH WHICH IT WAS EXECUTED FROM START TO FINISH.
THE TROOPS THEMSELVES, OFFICIALLY ESTIMATED AT 150,000, WERE OBVIOUSLY IMPRESSED BY THEIR GREETING.
MME.CHIANG KAI-SHEK LED THE WIVES OF HIGH OFFICIALS IN A WELCOME TO THOSE ARRIVING TODAY AT KEELUNG, PORT NEAR TAIPEI.
BANDS BLARED, CROWDS WAVED LAUDATORY BANNERS, AND MME.CHIANG AND THE GENERALISSIMO GAVE EACH MAN SEVEN FORMOSAN DOLLARS (ABOUT 70 CENTS, U.S.).
THE TOUGH-LOOKING TROOPS EAGERLY CONSUMED GIFTS OF FRUIT, SANDWICHES AND CAKES.
THE HOLDS OF THEIR ODD COLLECTION OF SMALL STEAMERS, AND OLD LANDING SHIPS WERE CRAMMED WITH WAR MATERIALS. AS AN EXAMPLE OF CROWDING, THE 4,000-TON STEAMER TIEN HSING CARRIED 7,000 MEN, PLUS SUPPLIES.
SOLDIERS BROUGHT LIVE PIGS, GOATS AND CHICKENS AND EVEN LOADS OF FIREWOOD.
HOWEVER, A HIGH OFFICIAL SAID THEY LEFT 500 TONS OF RICE BEHIND FOR THE CIVILIAN POPULATION AS A TOKEN OF GRATITUDE FOR FRIENDLY TREATMENT.
(THE COMMUNIST RADIO, ANNOUNCING OCCUPATION OF ALL THE CHUSHAN GROUP, SAID THE NATIONALISTS LEFT BEHIND "VAST QUANTITIES OF SUPPLIES" BUT DID NOT ENUMERATE THEM AS IT USUALLY DOES IN VICTORY REPORTS.)
ALL ACCOUNTS AGREED THAT THE REDS DID NOT KNOW OF THE ABANDONMENT UNTIL LATE TUESDAY AFTERNOON, WHEN IT WAS ALMOST COMPLETED.
SHIP CAPTAINS WERE TOLD THEY WERE GOING FROM FORMOSA TO OKINAWA TO PICK UP SUPPLIES. THEY DID NOT GET ORDERS TO HEAD TO CHUSHAN UNTIL THEY WERE WELL OUT AT SEA.
THE CHUSHAN FORCES WERE ISSUED FULL EQUIPMENT AND TOLD THEY WERE GOING TO INVADE THE MAINLAND. WHEN THEY LANDED IN FORMOSA, THEY WERE HANDED PAMPHLETS EXPLAINING THE MOVE AS A STRATEGIC STEP FOR DEFENSE OF FORMOSA.

A205KX
BILLETING ARRANGEMENTS WERE PURPOSELY DELAYED UNTIL THE LAST TROOPS WERENAT SEA. THEN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS WERE DISMISSED FOR AN EARLY SUMMER VACATION AND THE TROOPS MOVED IN.
THE OFFICIAL CENTRAL DAILY NEWS, IGNORING SOME OBVIOUS DISSIMILARITIES, COMPARED THE OPERATION WITH DUNKERQUE. IN THAT HISTORIC ACTION, THE BRITISH, IN A FIGHTING WITHDRAWAL FROM THE FRENCH COAST, REMOVED 338,000 MEN BETWEEN MAY 26 AND JUNE 4, 1940.
ALTHOUGH THE CHUSHAN WITHDRAWAL WAS BLOODLESS, MORE AND MORE PEOPLE WERE COMING AROUND TO THE OFFICIAL VIEW THAT IT WAS THE BEST THING FROM A LONG-RANGE VIEW; BUT THERE WERE STILL STRONG UNDERCURRENTS OF DOUBT AND APPREHENSION.
NAVAL SOURCES SAID MEANS WOULD BE FOUND TO MAINTAIN THE SHANGHAI BLOCKADE WHICH HAD BEEN ENFORCED FROM CHUSHAN. THEY WARNED THAT THE YANGTZE RIVER STILL WAS MINED.
(THE COMMUNIST RADIO BOASTED THAT THE SHANGHAI BLOCKADE NOW WAS BROKEN.)
SD203PCS

MAY 19 1950

A71FX
CHINESE (380)
BY SPENCER MOOSA
TAIPEI,MAY 18-(AP)-NATIONALIST CHINA TODAY WELCOMED AS HEROES THE 150,000 TROOPS WHO WITHDREW FROM CHUSHAN ISLAND WITHOUT FIRING A SHOT.
PRESIDENT AND MADAME CHIANG KAI-SHEK GAVE EACH OF THEM SEVEN FORMOSAN DOLLARS--ABOUT 70 CENTS EACH.
THE PEOPLE GAVE THEM BANANAS, WATERMELONS, CAKES AND SANDWICHES.
LAUDATORY BANNERS GREETED THEM EVERYWEHRE. SPEAKERS EXTOLLED THEM. THEIR FEAT IN SLIPPING OUT OF CHUSHAN WAS HAILED AS A GREAT STRATEGIC VICTORY.
THE SOLDIERS AND OFFICERS DISEMBARKED FROM TRANSPORTS SINGING AND SHOUTING "LONG LIVE PRESIDENT CHIANG," "LONG LIVE MADAME CHIANG," "LONG LIVE THE REPUBLIC OF CHINA." THE TITLE OF THE SONG THEY SANG WAS "SAFEGUARD FORMOSA."
MADAME CHIANG IN A WELCOMING SPEECH, SAID "WE REALIZE HOW DIFFICULT YOUR TASK HAS BEEN. THIS IS OUR LAST BASTION AGAINST THE COMMUNISTS AND WE HOPE YOU WILL FIGHT BRAVELY IN ITS DEFENSE."
THE TROOPS LOOKED PRETTY TOUGH.
THEY BROUGHT THEIR FULL EQUIPMENT. THE HOLDS OF THE TRANSPORTS WERE CRAMMED WITH MORTARS, GRENADES AND OTHER APPARATUS OF WAR.
SCHOOLS WERE GIVEN EARLY VACATIONS TO PROVIDE QUARTERS FOR THE INFLUX OF TROOPS.
ALL IN ALL MORE PEOPLE WERE SWINGING AROUND TO THE OFFICIAL VIEW THAT THE NATIONALIST WITHDRAWAL FROM CHUSHAN WAS THE BEST THING WHICH COULD HAVE HAPPENED FROM A LONG RANGE VIEWPOINT. BUT THERE WERE STILL STRONG UNDERCURRENTS OF DOUBT AND APPREHENSIONJM
THE OFFICIAL CENTRAL DAILY NEWS, IGNORING SOME OBVIOUS DISSIMILARITIES, COMPARED THE RETREAT WITH DUNKIRK. ONE NEWSPAPER CLAIMED MORE THAN 20,000 CHUSHAN CIVILIANS WERE EVACUATED ALONG WITH THE TROOPS.
ANOTHER SAID THOUSANDS OF CIVILIANS WEPT WHEN THE NATIONALIST FORCES PULLED OUT.
CHO SHU-PING, A HIGH OFFICIAL OF THE REFUGEE CHEKIANG PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT, SAID THE CHUSHAN PEOPLE HELPED THE RETIRING TROOPS IN EVERY WAY. THE SOLDIERS IN GRATITUDE LEFT THEM 500 TONS OF RICE.
MADAME CHIANG'S ANTI-COMMUNIST AND ANTI-SOVIET WOMENS' ASSOCIATION MESSAGED THE TROOPS:
"YOUR EXPLOITS IN HOLDING THE CHUSHANS AND THEN SUCCESSFULLY

WITHDRAWING WILL FOREVER BE REMEMBERED BY THE CHINESE PEOPLE. YOUR PRESENCE WILL GREATLY STRENGTHEN THE DEFENSE OF FORMOSA. THE BROAD FORMOSA STRAIT WILL BE A BURIAL PLACE FOR THE REDS AND ONCE AGAIN OUR NATIONAL FLAG WILL BE ON THE CONTINENT."

ALL ACCOUNTS AGREE THAT THE REDS DID NOT KNOW THE NATIONALISTS WERE ABANDONING CHUSHAN UNTIL THE WITHDRAWAL WAS ALMOST COMPLETED.

LATE TODAY AN OFFICIAL DISPATCH CLAIMED THE NATIONALIST WARSHIP CHU CHIEN SANK MANY OF A FLEET OF MORE THAN 100 COMMUNIST CRAFT IN AN ATTACK ON SUN WU BAY NEAR THE ISLAND QUEMOY, OFF THE MAINLAND PORT OF AMOY. THE ATTACK REPORTEDLY OCCURRED TUESDAY.

~~THE NATIONALIST APPARENTLY STRIPPED CHUSHAN~~. IN ADDITION TO WAR SUPPLIES THE TROOPS BROUGHT ASHORE LIVE GOATS, CHICKENS, PIGS AND FIREWOOD.

THE TROOPS WERE HAULED IN RIVER BOATS, BATTERED FREIGHTERS, JAMMED TANK LANDING SHIPS AND EVERY OTHER TYPES OF VESSELS.

THE EVACUATION SHIPS LEFT FORMOSA OSTENSIBLY TO GO TO OKINAWA TO PICK UP U.S. SUPPLIES. AT SEA THEY TURNED TO CHUSHAN WHERE CREWS THOUGHT THEY WERE BEING LOADED FOR A MAINLAND INVASION.

NOT UNTIL THE LAST SOLDIERS WERE ABOARD DID THEY LEARN THEY WERE HEADING HERE. AS THE TROOPS STEPPED ASHORE HERE EACH WAS HANDED A PAMPHLET EXPLAINING WHY HE WAS EVACUATED FROM CHUSHAN.

MEANS OF MAINTAINING THE MAINLAND BLOCKADE WILL BE WORKED OUT, NAVAL SOURCES SAID. CHUSHAN ISLAND WAS THE MAIN NATIONALIST BLOCKADE BASE. NAVAL SOURCES WARNED ALL SHIPPING THAT THE ENTRANCES TO SHANGHAI HAD BEEN MINED.

JL616APD NM

A145KX

(WEST OUT)

HONG KONG, FRIDAY, MAY 19-(AP)-A CHINESE PRESS DISPATCH FROM CANTON TODAY SAID RUSSIAN PILOTS TESTED POSSIBLY 10 JET FIGHTER PLANES OVER THAT SOUTH CHINA CITY TUESDAY.

THE REPORT TO THE INDEPENDENT NEWSPAPER WAH KIU YAT PO WAS NOT CONFIRMED ELSEWHERE. IT WAS THE FIRST REPORT OF SOVIET JETS OPERATING ANYWHERE IN COMMUNIST CHINA EXCEPT IN THE AREA OF SHANGHAI.

OTHER UNOFFICIAL REPORTS COMING OUT OF RED CHINA SAY THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS HAVE FROM 25 TO 50 JETS AND THAT ONE DOWNED A NATIONALIST BOMBER OVER SHANGHAI MAY 11.

FJ1118PCS

A99FX

HONG KONG, MAY 18-(AP)-THE CHINA MAIL SAID TODAY NATIONALIST CHINESE GUNBOATS REMOVED 96 IMPORTANT CHINESE FROM FORMOSA FROM A MACAO BOUND NORWEGIAN SHIP.

THE NEWSPAPER SAID SOME CHINESE GENERALS AND CIVILIAN OFFICIALS WERE AMONG THE 96 WHO BOARDED THE NORWEGIAN SHIP PROSPER AT KEELUNG, FORMOSA.

THE CHINESE GROUP WAS TAKEN OFF AT A SMALL NATIONALIST ISLAND NEAR THE PORTUGUESE COLONY OF MACAO, THE NEWSPAPER SAID. APPARENTLY NONE HAD EXIT VISAS FROM FORMOSA.

CC614APD

A146KX (WEST OUT)

HONG KONG, FRIDAY, MAY 19-(AP)-A WHOLLY UNCONFIRMED REPORT IN THE PRO-COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER WEN WEI PAO SAID TODAY THAT PREMIER YEN HSI-SHAN OF NATIONALIST CHINA HAD FLED TO TOKYO FROM FORMOSA.

FJ1119PCS

A79FX

(320)

BY TOM LAMBERT

TOKYO, MAY 18-(AP)-JAPAN STUDIED CAREFULLY TODAY AN ANNOUNCEMENT TWO TOP UNITED STATES DEFENSE OFFICIALS WILL BE HERE NEXT MONTH.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID ONLY THAT DEFENSE SECRETARY LOUIS JOHNSON AND ARMY GEN. OMAR BRADLEY WOULD VISIT JAPAN NEXT MONTH ON A FAR EAST COMMAND TOUR.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT OFFERED LITTLE IN THE WAY OF A HINT AS TO THE REAL PURPOSE OF THE VISIT. BUT MOST JAPANESE THINK THEIR VISIT WILL HAVE AN IMPORTANT BEARING ON TWO MAJOR ISSUES IN NIPPON -- PEACE AND AMERICAN BASES HERE AFTER THE TREATY.

THERE WAS SPECULATION, TOO, THAT SECRETARY JOHNSON AND GENERAL BRADLEY ARE GOING TO TALK WITH GENERAL MACARTHUR, OCCUPATION COMMANDER, ABOUT THE COLD WAR IN THE ORIENT AND AMERICA'S STRATEGIC POSITION OUT HERE; THAT THEY WILL DISCUSS WHAT THE UNITED STATES CAN DO MILITARILY IN SUCH HOT SPOTS AS INDOCHINA; THAT THEY WILL DISCUSS FORMOSA, WHICH MOST MILITARY MEN WANT TO DENY TO THE CHINESE REDS. MOST OF THE SPECULATION, HOWEVER, CENTERED ON PEACE.

THE JAPANESE BELIEVE THEY ARE READY FOR A TREATY, AS APPARENTLY DO MOST ALLIED COUNTRIES.

BRITISH COMMONWEALTH EXPERTS ARE BUSY IN LONDON DRAWING UP A DRAFT OF A PROPOSED JAPANESE PEACE TREATY. PHILIPPINES OFFICIALS HAVE SAID THEY WANT A TREATY AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. BRITISH AND AMERICAN OFFICIALS HAVE AGREED A TREATY IS URGENT.

THE RUSSIANS LONG AGO MENTIONED A PEACE PACT, ALTHOUGH THEY WANTED TO SAY WHO SHOULD WRITE IT. THE CHINESE REDS SAID A FEW DAYS AGO THEY FAVOR SWIFT CONCLUSION OF A TREATY. THE RUSSIANS AND CHINESE REDS WOULD LIKE TO GET THE UNITED STATES OUT OF JAPAN AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

IT IS NO SECRET AMONG THE JAPANESE THAT THE U.S. DEFENSE AND STATE DEPARTMENTS ARE AT LOGGERHEADS ON A PEACE PACT FOR JAPAN. NEWS REPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES HAVE SAID THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT OPPOSES A PACT BECAUSE IT MIGHT WEAKEN AMERICA'S STRATEGIC POSITION IN ASIA WHILE THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND GENERAL MACARTHUR WANT PEACE QUICKLY.

THAT IS THE ISSUE THE JAPANESE THINK SECRETARY JOHNSON AND GENERAL BRADLEY ARE COMING HERE NEXT MONTH TO DISCUSS--THAT AND FUTURE U.S. BASES IN JAPAN.

THE LATTER ISSUE HAS HAD JAPAN IN A FERMENT FOR MONTHS. THOSE OPPOSED TO U.S. BASES AFTER THE TREATY INCLUDE THE COMMUNISTS.

JL/CC458APD NM

B28KX (Q)

TOKYO, MAY 18-(AP)-PHILIPPINES AND OCCUPATION OFFICIALS TODAY SIGNED A TRADE AGREEMENT CALLING FOR EXCHANGE OF $50,000,000 (M) IN GOODS FOR THE YEAR STARTING JULY 1.

OCCUPATION HEADQUARTERS SAID, HOWEVER, THE PACT BECOMES EFFECTIVE NOW. IT MUST BE RATIFIED BY GENERAL MACARTHUR AND THE PHILIPPINES GOVERNMENT.

JAPAN WILL SEND THE PHILIPPINES SHIPS, FISHING BOATS, STEEL AND IRON FARMING EQUIPMENT, HYDROELECTRIC AND MINING MACHINERY, ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT, TEXTILES, SUGAR REFINERY EQUIPMENT, GRADERS AND TRACTORS.

IT WILL IMPORT PHILIPPINES IRON ORE, COPRA, ABACA, MOLASSES, HIDES, LAUAN LOGS AND TANNING MATERIALS.

RA335ACS NM

30.24- 11155

B107KX (Q)
APW (325)
TOKYO, FRIDAY, MAY 19-(AP)-SPOKESMEN FOR A U. S.-BRITISH COTTON DELEGATION TODAY AGREED THAT "JAPAN MUST HAVE A PROSPEROUS COTTON INDUSTRY AS A VITAL PART OF HER ECONOMIC STRUCTURE."
THEY DECLINED TO COMMENT, HOWEVER, ON WHETHER THEY BELIEVED JAPAN SHOULD BE ALLOWED TO BOOST COTTON TEXTILE PRODUCTION AND EXPORTS. x5
SIR RAYMOND STREAT, HEAD OF THE BRITISH DELEGATION, AND ROBERT C. JACKSON, HEAD OF THE U. S. GROUP, GAVE THEIR VIEWS AT A NEWS CONFERENCE. THEY HAVE BEEN CONFERRING THIS WEEK WITH JAPANESE TEXTILE MANUFACTURERS.
THE BRITISH IN PARTICULAR HAVE BEEN CONCERNED WITH THE FLOW OF CHEAP JAPANESE COTTON GOODS INTO WORLD MARKETS. BRITAIN, THE UNITED STATES AND JAPAN RAN AS THE WORLD'S LEADING TEXTILE PRODUCERS.
NOTHING WAS SAID AT THE CONFERENCE OF THIS CONCERN OVER JAPANESE COMPETITION. NOR WOULD THEY EXPRESS AN OPINION ON JAPAN'S REQUEST TO INCREASE THE NUMBER OF OPERATING SPINDLES.
STREAT AND JACKSON SAID ONLY THAT JAPAN HAS "THE BEST COMBITIONAION OF LOOW PRODUCTION COSTS AND EFFICIENTLY IIN THE TEXTILE WORLD."
THE AMERICAN AND BRITISH DELEGATIONS ARE SCHEDULED TO LEAVE TOMORROW FOR THE UNITED STATES. THEY WILL MAKE REPORTS TO THEIR RESPECTIVE TEXTILE GROUPS.
A JAPAN'S INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND INDUSTRY MINISTRY MEANWHILE TOOK ACTION ON CANADIAN PROTESTS AGAINST THE DUMPING OF CHEAP JAPANESE COTTON GOODS IN CANADA.
MAY 19 1950
THE MINISTRY SAID IT WILL ISSUE A WARNING TO R. S. SASOON AND COMPANY, A BRITISH CONCERN WITH OFFICES IN NEW YORK.
A SPOKESMAN SAID THE MINISTRY WILL CHARGE THE COMPANY VIOLATED JAPAN'S FOREIGN EXCHANGE AND CONTROL LAWS. UNDER THIS LAW THE COMPANY CAN BE PREVENTED FROM EXPORTING TEXTILES FROM JAPAN.
THE LAW PROVIDES THAT EXPORTERS OF JAPANESE GOODS MUST GIVE FULL CONSIDERATION TO LAWS IN COUNTRIES TO WHICH GOODS ARE SENT PROHIBITING UNFAIR COMPETITION BY FOREIGN IMPORTERS. ANTI-DUMPING TAXES WERE THREATENED IN THE CANADIAN PARLIAMENT.
THE SPOKESMAN SAID AN INVESTIGATION DISCLOSED THAT SASOON CONTRACTED WITH THE EUROPEAN LINEN IMPORT CO., OF TORONTO FOR THE SALE OF 65,800 DOZEN JAPANESE-MADE COTTON SHIRTS AND DRESSES FOR $147,523.
MAY 19 1950
FJ1133PCS NM

A58FX
TOKYO,MAY 18-(AP)-THE FAMILIES OF 10,000 JAPANESE WAR PRISONERS STILL MISSING IN RUSSIA HAVE DECIDED TO CAMP ON THE DOORSTEP OF THE SOVIET EMBASSY UNTIL THEY FIND OUT WHAT HAPPENED TO THE PRISONERS.
THE SITDOWN DEMONSTRATION IS SCHEDULED FOR JUNE 12 AFTER A MEETING IN A PARK BY RELATIVES OF THE ESTIMATED 371,000 JAPANESE PRISONERS OF WAR STILL UNACCOUNTED FOR BY THE RUSSIANS.
A VACANT LOT NEXT TO THE EMBASSY WILL BE UTILIZED BY THE SITDOWNERS.
ZENICHI KAMIJIMA SAID THE JAPANESE ALL HAVE LETTERS OR OTHER EVIDENCE INDICATING THEIR RELATIVES ARE STILL ALIVE. HE SAID THEY WERE BITTER ABOUT THE RUSSIAN ATTITUDE AND "NOW DEMAND THAT RUSSIAN DECEIT" MUST BE EXPOSED.
THE RUSSIANS SAY ALL JAPANESE PRISONERS OF WAR HAVE BEEN REPATRIATED.
CC325APD NM

B106KX (Q)
NY FOR RICHMOND
MAY 19 1950
TOKYO, FRIDAY, MAY 19-(AP)-THE JET FIGHTER PILOT KILLED TUESDAY IN A CRASH NEAR HERE WAS IDENTIFIED BY THE AIR FORCE TODAY AS LT. LELAND R. ATKINSON, 21, OF RICHMOND, VA. HE WAS THROWN CLEAR WHEN HIS PLANE EXPLODED IN THE AIR BUT THE RIPCORD OF HIS PARACHUTE HAD NOT BEEN TOUCHED. HIS FATHER, J. T. ATKINSON, LIVES AT 1214 CLAREMONT AVE., RICHMOND. x17
FJ1126PCS

A57FX
SEOUL,KOREA,MAY 18-(AP)-THE SOUTH KOREAN GOVERNMENT SAID TODAY 240 OF ITS YOUNG FARMERS HAVE BEEN CAPTURED BY TRICKERY AND FORCED INTO A COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA LABOR BATTALION.
THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE TOLD THIS STORY:
FOR 2,000 YEARS RICELANDS SOUTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL HAVE BEEN WATERED FROM LAKES NORTH OF THE LINE. SINCE THE RUSSIANS OCCUPIED NORTH KOREA, WATER WAS RELEASED ONLY ON PAYMENT OF IMMENSE QUANTITIES OF RICE.
THE NORTH KOREANS THIS YEAR ASKED 300 BONAFIDE FARMERS INSTEAD OF GOVERNMENT MEN TO NEGOTIATE THE CONTRACT. THE SOUTH KOREANS SENT 260 FARMERS ONE MONTH AGO.
TWENTY JUST RETURNED. THEY SAID THE COMMUNISTS DEMANDED ANOTHER 1,000 SOUTH KOREAN NEGOTIATORS--ONE FOR EVERY 10 FARMERS IN THE RICH KOO AHM AND YE EE DISTRICTS OF KYUNGTI PROVINCE. THIS AREA ANNUALLY PRODUCES ABOUT ONE-HALF MILLION BUSHELS OF RICE ON 61,750 ACRES.
CC322APD
MAY 19 1950

A56FX
SEOUL,MAY 18-(AP)-A KOREAN TRANSLATOR EMPLOYED IN THE U.S. EMBASSY HERE HAS BEEN ARRESTED ON A CHARGE OF ESPIONAGE.
POLICE CHIEF KIM TAI SUN SAID THE TRANSLATOR IS KIM WOO SIK, 28. HE HAD BEEN EMPLOYED IN THE EMBASSY SINCE 1947 AS A CLERK IN THE CONSULATE AND SINCE THE WINTER OF LAST YEAR AS REPORTER AND INTERPRETER FOR THE POLITICAL SECTION OF THE EMBASSY.
THE CHIEF SAID THE TRANSLATOR TOLD HIM HIS LIFE HAD BEEN TREATENED BY COMMUNIST NORTH KOREANS UNLESS HE OBTAINED INFORMATION FOR THEM. THE CHIEF SAID KIM HAD SUPPLIED DATA FOR ABOUT 10 MONTHS BUT HAD NEVER INFORMED POLICE.
A SPOKESMAN FOR THE EMBASSY SAID NO STATEMENT WOULD BE ISSUED UNTIL THE AFFAIR HAD BEEN INVESTIGATED. A MINOR OFFICIAL SAID KIM HAD ATTENDED OPEN SESSIONS OF THE ASSEMBLY AND SERVED AS TRANSLATOR AT OPEN MEETINGS OF ASSEMBLY MEMBERS AND U.S. OFFICIALS.
"ALL THE INFORMATION HE OBTAINED FOR US WAS AVAILABLE TO ANYONE," THIS OFFICIAL SAID.
THE ARREST OF KIM FOLLOWED APPREHENSION OF ANOTHER KOREAN SEVERAL DAYS AGO. THE POLICE CHIEF SAID THE FIRST KOREAN CONFESSED AND IMPLICATED KIM AND A THIRD PERSON NOT YET ARRESTED.
CC320APD

A55FX
SEOUL,KOREA,MAY 18-(AP)-AN AMERICAN WELFARE WORKER COMPLAINED WHEN SHE LEARNED THE SEOUL CITY GOVERNMENT WILL HONOR MOTHERS OF 10 OR MORE LIVING CHILDREN.
"THIS WOULD BE OF SOME VALUE IF MOTHERS OF THE HEALTHIEST CHILDREN WERE HONORED INSTEAD OF USING A QUANTITY MEASURE," SNAPPED MILDRED BARODY, HEALTH AND SAFETY SPECIALIST OF THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION'S INDUSTRY BRANCH.
BUT CITY WORKERS WENT THEIR BLISSFUL WAY TOTTING THE SCORE. LAST COUNT: 84 MOTHERS, THE CHAMPION WITH 15 CHILDREN.
CC315APD

A147KX (WEST OUT)
SEOUL,FRIDAY, MAY 19-(AP)-PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE SAID TODAY HE HAD BEEN ASSURED THAT MILITARY AID FOR SOUTH KOREA WOULD ARRIVE FROM THE UNITED STATES BEFORE LONG.
HE TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THE ASSURANCE CAME FROM U. S. AMBASSADOR JOHN MUCCIO, WHO HAS JUST RETURNED FROM WASHINGTON. SOUTH KOREA EXPECTS PLANES, ARMS AND OTHER MILITARY SUPPLIES.
FJ1121PCS NM

B54KX (Q)
(PX)
KOBE,JAPAN,MAY 18-(AP)-TWO AMERICAN SOLDIERS CAUGHT CARRYING HEROIN TREATED CIGARETTES WERE SENTENCED TO SIX MONTHS IMPRISONMENT AND GIVEN DISHONORABLE DISCHARGES TODAY.
THEY ARE CPL.RAYMOND T.EMBARDINO (543 WILKES BARRE ST.), EASTON, PA., AND PVT.NOLAN FOSTER OF EDGEWOOD, TEXAS.
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B37 (Q)
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SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA, MAY 18-(AP)-AUSTRALIA TONIGHT OUTLINED A FOOD AND MEDICAL AID PLAN FOR NEEDY ASIAN COUNTRIES WHICH WILL BE BISCUSSED TOMORROW BY THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH ON ECONOMIC AID TO SOUTH AND SOUTHEAST ASIA.
THE AUSTRALIAN PLAN ENVISAGES TWO KINDS OF EMERGENCY AID:
1. SUPPLYING FOOD STUFFS AND DRUGS WITHOUT PAYMENT TO ASIAN COUNTRIES SUFFERING FAMINE OR PESTILENCE.
2. AN ARRANGEMENT FOR SHORT TERM CREDITS TO ENABLE ASIAN COUNTRIES TO BUILD UP EMERGENCY STOCKS OF FOOD AND DRUGS.
THE PROPOSAL IS TO GIVE THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH CENTRAL BUREAU--WHICH IS TO BE SET UP AT COLOMBO, CEYLON--POWER TO ALLOCATE EMERGENCY SUPPLIES AS THE NEED ARISES.
DELEGATES SPOKE OPTIMISTICALLY OF THE RESULTS OF THE CONFERENCE, WHICH IS EXPECTED TO END TOMORROW.
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SECOND NIGHT LEAD FLIERS (300)
BY LEIF ERICKSON
PEARL HARBOR, MAY 18-(AP)-TWO U.S.AIRMEN TODAY DESCRIBED THEIR 18 MONTHS IN CHINESE COMMUNIST CAPTIVITY AS "A BETTER DEAL THAN WE COULD POSSIBLY HAVE EXPECTED."
BOTH SAID THEY GOT CONSIDERATE TREATMENT AND NEVER WERE OFFERED VIOLENCE. THEY ARE MARINE SGT.ELMER C.BENDER, 27, CINCINNATI, AND WILLIAM C.SMITH, 32, LONG BEACH, CALIF., NAVY CHIEF ELECTRICIAN'S MATE.
THEY SPOKE AT A PRESS CONFERENCE. IT WAS THE FIRST TIME THEY HAD TALKED TO AMERICAN REPORTERS SINCE THE COMMUNISTS RELEASED THEM MAY 3 AT THE NORTH CHINA PORT OF TSINGTAO. FROM THERE THEY WENT TO HONG KONG ON A BRITISH STAMER AND WERE FLOWN ON TO PEARL HARBOR.
"AND THE CHINESE PEOPLE," SAID BENDER, "ARE GETTING A BETTER DEAL UNDER THE COMMUNISTS THAN THEY WERE UNDER THE NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT."
SMITH, BREEZY, AND HAPPY HE IS EN ROUTE HOME, FULLY BACKED UP BENDER'S STORY.
"WE ATE AS WELL AS THE CHINESE DID," SMITH SAID. "THEY CERTAINLY WENT OUT OF THEIR WAY TO GIVE US AS MUCH AS THEY COULD OF ALL THEY HAD."
THEY INSISTED THEY NEVER WERE FORCED TO WORK AND WERE NOT REQUIRED TO ATTEND COMMUNIST INDOCTRINATION LECTURES OR CLASSES.
BOTH HEDGED WHEN QUESTIONED ABOUT A PEIPING RADIO BROADCAST SAYING THEY HAD SIGNED CONFESSIONS THAT THEY HAD SPIED ON THE COMMUNISTS.
(THEIR PLANE WAS ON WHAT THE NAVY DESCRIBED AS A ROUTINE FLIGHT WHEN IT DEVELOPED ENGINE TROUBLE NEAR TSINGTAO AND WAS FORCED DOWN IN RED TERRITORY OCT. 19, 1948.)
THEY WOULD NOT SAY THEY HAD SIGNED CONFESSIONS, NOR WOULD THEY DENY IT.
"THE ONLY PRESSURE---IF YOU COULD CALL IT PRESSURE---TO GET CONFESSIONS FROM US WAS ORAL," BENDER SAID. "THEY GAVE US THE IDEA WE'D BE THERE FROM NOW ON IF WE DIDN'T TALK.
"WE FELT COMPETELY CUT OFF. WE THOUGHT THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT AND OUR FAMILIES HAD GIVEN US UP FOR DEAD AND ABANDONED US. WE FIGURED THE ONLY WAY WE WOULD GET OUT WOULD BE THROUGH OUR OWN EFFORTS."
THEY WOULDN'T SAY BUT LEFT THE IMPRESSION THE "CONFESSION" WAS THEIR ONLY WAY TO GET OUT.
NEITHER HAD ANY INTERNATIONAL DYNAMITE TO EXPLODE. THEY SAID THEY SAY NO RUSSIANS AND NO RUSSIAN EQUIPMENT ON LAND OR IN THE AIR.
SMITH SAID X X FOURTH GRAF PREVIOUS AND DELETING SIXTH THRU NINTH GRAFS "SMITH AT FIRST X X X OWN EFFORTS."
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SMITH-BENDER (300)
PEARL HARBOR, MAY 18-(AP)-THE NAVY PROMISED TO LIFT ITS ALOHA CURTAIN TODAY AND LET TWO AMERICAN AIRMEN TELL THE STORY OF THEIR 18 MONTHS AS CHINESE COMMUNIST PRISONERS.
THE AIRMEN--MARINE MASTER SGT.ELMER C.BENDER OF CINCINNATI AND NAVY CHIEF ELECTRICIAN'S MATE WILLIAM C.SMITH OF LONG BEACH, CALIF.--ARRIVED HERE TUESDAY NIGHT AFTER A 5,000 MILE RUSH FLIGHT FROM CHINA.
FOR EIGHT MINUTES THE NAVY PERMITTED PHOTOGRAPHERS' FLASHBULBS TO POP. BUT IT WOULDN'T ALLOW NEWSMEN CLOSE ENOUGH EVEN TO ASK SMITH WHERE HE GOT HIS HAWAIIAN SHIRT.
THEN IT DROPPED THE ALOHA CURTAIN. THAT'S THE HAWAIIAN STYLE "IRON CURTAIN" BUT COMPOSED ONLY OF GOODWILL, THE NAVY SAID.
"WHAT WE'RE DOING NOW IS TRYING TO UNTANGLE EVERYTHING," A NAVY

SPOKESMAN EXPLAINED. "SO WHEN THEY HIT THE MAINLAND, WE CAN TELL THEM, 'BOYS, HAVE A GOOD TIME. YOU'RE ON YOUR OWN.'"

"AS MILITARY PERSONNEL, THEY ARE IN A VERY STRANGE CATEGORY," THE SPOKESMAN SAID. HE EXPLAINED THAT SMITH AND BENDER, WHEN THEY LANDED IN RED TERRITORY OCT. 19, 1948, ON A FLIGHT FROM TSINGTAO, WERE ATTACHED TO THE U.S. WEST PACIFIC FLEET. THIS FLEET NO LONGER EXISTS.

THE NAVY HAD TO FIND UNIFORMS AND FIGURE OUT HOW MUCH BACK PAY AND LEAVE WAS DUE. A SPOKESMAN SAID THE PAY WOULD TOTAL BETWEEN $3,000 AND $4,000 (3-:£. AND OFFERS FOR THEIR STORY--FROM MAGAZINES, TELEVISION, MOVIES AND FEATURE SYNDICAT

AND $4,000 EACH. AND OFFERS FOR THEIR STORY--FROM MAGAZINES, TELEVISION, MOVIES AND FEATURE SYNDICATES--SWELLED TO $100,000.

MAINLAND NEWSMEN JANGLED PEARL HARBOR TELEPHONES MUCH OF YESTERDAY SEEKING INTERVIEWS. THE ALOHA CURTAIN WAS DRAWN TIGHT.

A HONOLULU STAR-BULLETIN REPORTER BROUGHT OUT A PERSONAL MESSAGE FROM SMITH'S WIFE. HE WAS NOT PERMITTED TO DELIVER IT.

IN CHICAGO, BENDER'S WIFE, SHIRLEY, SAID SHE TRIED TO CALL HER HUSBAND FROM A RADIO SHOW BUT THE NAVY WOULD NOT PUT IT THROUGH.

THE TWO WERE RELEASED MAY 3 IN TSINGTAO. THE COMMUNISTS SAID SMITH AND BENDER FINALLY HAD "CONFESSED" TO SPYING.

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PEARL HARBOR, MAY 18-(AP)-TWO U.S.FLIERS HELD FOR 18 MONTHS BY THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS SAID TODAY THEIR CAPTORS GAVE THEM CONSIDERATE TREATMENT AND NEVER OFFERED VIOLENCE.

AT THEIR FIRST PRESS CONFERENCE SINCE THEY WERE RELEASED MAY 3 BY THE COMMUNISTS AT THE NORTH CHINA PORT OF TSINGTAO, THE TWO MEN GAVE AN ACCOUNT OF THEIR EXPERIENCE.

THEY ARE MARINE SGT.ELMER C.BENDER, 27, CINCINNATI, AND WILLIAM C.SMITH, 32, LONG BEACH, CALIF., NAVY CHIEF ELECTRICIAN'S MATE.

SMITH SAID THE COMMUNISTS TREATED THEM "CONSIDERATE LIKE AND THERE WAS NEVER ANY VIOLENCE OR ANYTHING LIKE THAT."

BENDER OBSERVED THAT THE TREATMENT WAS GOOD BY CHINESE STANDARDS "BUT THEIR STANDARD OF LIVING IS SO LOW THAT WHAT WAS GOOD ACCORDING TO THEIR STANDARDS WASN'T SO HOT FOR US."

SMITH AT FIRST REFUSED TO SAY ANYTHING REGARDING THE SPYING "CONFESSION" WHICH THE COMMUNISTS SAID HE AND BENDER SIGHED. HE SAID IT WAS A LONG STORY AND HE WOULD PREFER TO WAIT UNTIL HE GOT TO THE MAINLAND.

PRESSED FURTHER, BENDER SAID:

"AS FAR AS OUR STATEMENTS ARE CONCERNED, WE WERE CUT OFF ENTIRELY FROM ANY HELP SO WE FIGURED SIGNING A STATEMENT WOULD BE THE BEST WAY TO GET OUT."

BENDER SAID HE THOUGHT THE "BEST WAY TO GET OUT WAS THROUGH OUR OWN EFFORTS."

EVER SINCE THEIR SMALL OBSERVATION PLANE WAS FORCED DOWN NEAR TSINGTAO OCT. 19, 1948, THE NAVY AND THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAD BEEN TRYING TO ARRANGE FOR THEIR RELIEF. TSINGTAO AT THAT TIME WAS A BASE FOR THE U. S. FLEET IN THE WESTERN PACIFIC.

SMITH SEEMED FAIRLY HEAVY. BOTH HE AND BENDER WERE PALE. SMITH NERVOUSLY SMOKED A CIGAR. HE WAS DRESSED IN A NAVY CHIEF'S KHAKI SHIRT AND BLACK TIE.

BOTH REPORTED THEY SAW NO RUSSIANS AT ANY TIME DURING THEIR CAPTIVITY.

OF THEIR CONFESSION, SMITH SAID THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS GAVE THEM THE IMPRESSION "WE WOULD BE THERE FROM NOW ON AND HAD NO HOPE OF GOING HOME."

HE EXPLAINED THIS WAS THE KIND OF PRESSURE THAT WAS PUT UPON THEM. "WE WERE IN THE MIDDLE OF THE STICKS," BENDER SAID. "THEY KEPT US IN SMALL FARM VILLAGES. WE HAD THE IMPRESSION THEY WERE JUST KEEPING US THERE AND THERE WAS NO RHYME OR REASON TO IT. THEY TOLD US THEY WERE KEEPING US BECAUSE WE HAD VIOLATED THEIR AIR SOVEREIGNTY."

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SMITH SAID THAT THEIR CAPTORS "GAVE US THE IDEA THEY WOULD KEEP US UNTIL THERE WAS A REVOLUTION IN THE UNITED STAES."

ASKED WHAT THEY DID DURING CONFINEMENT, BENDER REPLIED:

"WE SAT IN LITTLE MUD HOUSES AND COUNTED THE BRICKS, AND WE COUNTED THE SPOKES IN THE WHEELS OF THEIR CARTS. I CAN TELL YOU THEY ALL HAVE AN EVEN NUMBER OF SPOKES."

THERE ALWAYS WAS A GUARD WITH A RIFLE OUTSIDE WHATEVER HUT THEY WERE BEING HELD IN, SMITH RELATED.

"HE JUST TOLD US NOT TO GO ANYWHERE," HE ADDED.

A CHINESE COMMUNIST OFFICER WHO SPOKE ENGLISH SOMETIMES GAVE THEM NEWS," BENDER SAID.

THEY SAID THEY GOT THE NEWS OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S ELECTION IN 1948 ALMOST AS SOON AS IT HAPPENED. THE COMMUNIST OFFICER TOLD THEM.

AFTER THEY WERE TAKEN INTO CUSTODY BY THE COMMUNISTS SOMEWHERE IN SHANTUNG PROVINCE, BENDER SAID THEY WERE MARCHED "FIVE OR SIX DAYS ALONG A TWISTING MOUNTAIN TRAIL."

THEY HAD LANDED THEIR PLANE ON A SANDY BEACH. THE COMMUNISTS APPEARED AND TOOK THEM INTO CUSTODY AS SOON AS THEY LANDED.

BOTH SAID THEY FIRST RECEIVED WORD APRIL 1 THIS YEAR THAT THEY WOULD BE RELEASED. THE WORD WAS BROUGHT TO THEM BY THE OFFICER COMMANDING A DETACHMENT IN THE VILLAGE WHERE THEY THEN WERE HELD.

DURING THEIR LONG IMPRISONMENT THEY NEVER WERE FORCED TO DO ANY LABOR, BENDER SAID.

HE ESTIMATED THAT THEIR PLANE LANDED 20 MILES NORTH OF TSINGTAO. IT WAS JUST ACROSS THE CHINESE NATIONALIST LINES IN RED TERRITORY.

NEITHER HE NOR SMITH KNEW THAT THEY WERE INSIDE THE COMMUNIST LINES AT THE TIME. BENDER SAID ENGINE TROUBLE FORCED THEM TO LAND.

"THEY SURROUNDED US," SMITH TOOK UP THE STORY. "THERE WERE A LOT OF FISHERMEN THERE AND THEY TOOK US TO A VILLAGE.

AT THE VILLAGE BENDER SAID THEY WERE FED "HOT WATER, BREAD, RICE, FISH, A LITTLE MEAT ONCE IN AWHILE AND SPINACH."

THEY HEARD CONSIDERABLE ANTI-AMERICAN PROPAGANDA IN THE COMMUNIST ARMY AND AMONG THE VILLAGE PEOPLE.

"THE IMPRESSION WE GOT," BENDER SAID, "WAS THE CHINESE PEOPLE WERE NOT AGAINST THE AMERICAN PEOPLE BUT ONLY AGAINST OUR GOVERNMENT."

"WE HEARD TALK ABOUT TRUMAN," SMITH ADDED, "AND NOTHING GOOD. THEY TALKED ABOUT TRUMAN AND CHIANG KAI-SHEK."

BENDER SAID EVEN BEFORE THEIR CAPTURE THE CHINESE VILLAGE PEIPLE WERE BITTER AGAINST CHIANG "AND THAT SEEMED INTENSIFIED AFTER THE COMMUNISTS TOOK OVER."

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THERE SEEMED TO BE "A GENERALLY FRIENDLY RELATION BETWEEN THE COMMUNIST ARMY AND THE PEOPLE," BENDER OBSERVED.

"IT IS (COMMUNIST LEADER) MAO TZE-TUNG'S POLICY FOR THE ARMY TO HELP THE PEOPLE," HE SAID, "AND THE ARMY SEEMS TO BE DOING IT.

"THEY GAVE US THE IDEA AMERICAN CAPITALISM WAS RIPE FOR REVOLUTION. AND WHAT THEY SAID WAS THE REVOLUTION WAS GOING TO HAPPEN SOON."

SMITH INTERRUPTED: "BUT THAT COULD BE 30 YEARS FROM NOW. TIME MEANS NOTHING TO THE CHINESE."

ALL THROUGH THEIR CAPTIVITY THEY STAYED WITH ONE ARMY GUARD UNIT, WHICH MOVED AROUND FROM VILLAGE TO VILLAGE, BENDER SAID.

ONCE THEY ASKED TO SEE SOME MOVIES, BUT THEIR COMMUNIST CAPTORS TOLD THEM THERE WOULDN'T BE MUCH POINT BECAUSE THE MOVIES WERE IN THE CHINESE LANGUAGE.

NEAR THE END OF THEIR CAPTIVITY THEY WERE ALLOWED TO SEE SOME MOVIES AND CHINESE PLAYS WHICH BENDER DESCRIBED AS "LIKE OUR VAUDEVILLE."

THEY LEARNED ENOUGH CHINESE FROM THE ENGLISH-SPEAKING OFFICER FOR ROUTINE CONVERSATION SUCH AS ASKING FOR CIGARETTES.

ASKED IF THE COMMUNISTS BELIEVED THEY HAD BEEN INDOCTRINATED BEFORE THEIR RELEASE, BENDER REPLIED:

"I BELIEVE THEY THOUGHT WE WERE NOT INCINED TO COMMUNISM BUT THEY WERE SATISFIED THEY HAD CREATED AN OPEN IMPRESSION IN OUR MINDS."

SMITH SAID THEY NEVER HEARD ANY VOICE OF AMERICA BROADCASTS IN CHINA, BUT NEAR THE END OF THEIR IMPRISONMENT THEY DID HEAR FOREIGN PROGRAMS AND HEARD COMMUNIST OFFICERS TUNE PAST THE AMERICAN BROADCAST.

BENDER WAS SURE THE VOICE OF AMERICA PROGRAM COULD BE HEARD BUT HE DID NOT KNOW WHETHER ANYONE LISTENED. SMITH SAID HE DIDN'T THINK THERE WERE MANY SHORT WAVE RADIOS BECAUSE THE PEOPLE HAD NO MONEY.

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IT IS COLD IN NORTH CHINA IN THE WINTER AND THE COMMUNISTS GAVE THEM PADDED CLOTHING WHICH THEY DESCRIBED AS QUITE WARM. THEY WERE ALLOWED TO KEEP THEIR OWN UNIFORMS, BUT THESE WERE TOO THIN FOR THE COLD.

BENDER SAID THEY HAD TO WASH THEIR OWN CLOTHES BUT THEY DID NOT GET MUCH SOAP, WHICH WAS RARE AND EXPENSIVE.

SMITH DESCRIBED THE U. S. DESTROYER FLOYD B. PARKS WHICH PICKED THEM UP OFF HONG KONG AS "THE BEST LOOKING NAVY SHIP I HAVE EVER SEEN."

THEY WERE RELEASED AT TSINGTAO AND TAKEN FROM THEIR BY THE BRITISH STEAMER HUNAN TO NEAR HONG KONG. THE PARKS TOOK THEM ON INTO HONG KONG MONDAY. FROM THERE THEY WERE FLOWN TO HONOLULU BY WAY OF MANILA, ARRIVING HERE TUESDAY NIGHT.

SMITH SAID NEITHER HE NOR BENDER HAD ANY IDEA THAT THE MAINLAND WOULD BE AS INTERESTED IN THEIR STORY AS IT IS.

THE NAVY ESTIMATES THEY HAVE RECEIVED APPROXIMATELY $100,000 IN OFFERS FROM MAGAZINES, RADIO, MOVIES AND TELEVISION TO TELL THEIR STORY.

THE TWO MEN WILL LEAVE BY PLANE THIS EVENING FOR THE MAINLAND. THEY ARE SCHEDULED TO ARRIVE AT 9 A. M. PACIFIC DAYLIGHT TIME TOMORROW AT LOS ALAMITOS NEAR LONG BEACH. BENDER WILL FLY ON TO GLENVIEW, ILL.

THE AMERICANS SAW NO INDICATION OF A NATIONALIST UNDERGROUND IN THEIR AREA. NOR DID THEY MEET ANYONE WHO WAS OPPOSED TO STALIN.

ASKED WHAT THEY DID TO PASS THE TIME, SMITH SAID: "I DID SOME WHITTLING WITH MY POCKET KNIFE WHICH I GOT BACK AFTER A TIME."

HE AND BENDER ALSO CARVED A COUPLE OF PIPES.

THEY WERE GIVEN A GREAT DEAL OF COMMUNIST LITERATURE. THEY READ EVERYTHING THAT WAS IN ENGLISH.

"MOST LITERATURE," SAID BENDER, "WAS MORE OR LESS AN EXPLANATION TO US OF WHAT THE COMMUNISTS WERE DOING FOR THE PEOPLE. SOME OF IT WAS CONVINCING---WITH RESERVATIONS---BUT AS FAR AS ACCEPTING IT, NO GO."

SOME REPORTERS WANT TO KNOW IF THEY WERE BOTHERED BY FLEAS IN THEIR VILLAGE HUTS.

"WHY THEY'VE GOT A FLEA OUT THERE," SMITH ANSWERED, "THAT'S A BUG ALL ITS OWN."

BOTH MEN WERE ALLOWED TO WRITE LETTERS ONCE IN AWHILE, BUT NEITHER KNEW WHETHER ANY OF THE MAIL GOT OUT.

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TEHRAN, IRAN, MAY 18-(AP)-IRAN DENIED TONIGHT A FORMAL SOVIET CHARGE THAT IRAN EMPLOYED AMERICAN AGENTS WHO CARRIED ON UNFRIENDLY ACTIVITY ALONG THE IRANIAN-RUSSIAN BORDER.

IN REPLY TO A SOVIET NOTE CHARGING IRAN WITH USING AMERICAN EXPERTS TO MAKE AERIAL SURVEYS OF "MILITARY SIGNIFICANCE" ALONG THE BORDER, IRAN SAID:

"NO ACTIVITIES ARE BEING CARRIED OUT ON THE NORTHERN AREAS OR ANYWHERE ELSE IN IRAN CONTRARY TO GOOD NEIGHBORLY RELATIONS."

THE NOTE SAID THAT NO AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY HAD TAKEN PLACE BUT THAT TO "REMOVE SOVIET MISUNDERSTANDING AND ANXIETY" ONLY LAND PHOTOGRAPHY WILL TAKE PLACE IN AREAS NEAR THE RUSSIAN BORDER.

RUSSIA HAD ACCUSED IRAN OF ORGANIZING THE IRANIAN OIL COMPANY FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING THE SURVEYS. IRAN REPLIED THAT THE COMPANY WAS 100 PER CENT IRANIAN-OWNED AND ITS SOLE PURPOSE WAS EXPLORATION OF IRAN'S OIL RESOURCES.

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A81 (130)

ALEXANDRIA, EGYPT, MAY 18-(AP)-EGYPTIAN POLICE WERE ALERTED TODAY FOR CONSPIRATORS WHO MIGHT TRY TO SLIP INTO THE COUNTRY TO CARRY OUT A REPORTED PLOT TO ASSASSINATE BULGARIA'S FORMER BOY-KING SIMEON II. THE YOUTH LIVES HERE IN EXILE.

POLICE DENIED A REPORT BY THE CAIRO NEWSPAPER AL ZAMAN THAT TWO "BULGARIAN REVOLUTIONARIES" HAD BEEN ARRESTED MAY 8 ABOARD THE STEAMSHIP KHEDIVE ISMAIL WHEN IT ARRIVED FROM ISTANBUL, TURKEY.

THE TWO PERSONS AL ZAMAN REFERRED TO, POLICE SAID, WERE MERELY PASSENGERS WHOSE PASSPORTS LACKED THE NECESSARY VISAS. THEY WERE NOT ALLOWED ASHORE AND DEPARTED WITH THE SHIP WHEN IT LEFT ALEXANDRIA.

AUTHORITIES HERE DECLINED TO GIVE ANY DETAILS ON THE PLOT OTHER THAN TO SAY THEY WERE ON THE LOOKOUT FOR THE ALLEGED CONSPIRATORS.

A SPOKESMAN AT VICTORIA COLLEGE, WHERE THE 13-YEAR-OLD SIMEON IS A STUDENT, SAID THE YOUTH WENT TO SCHOOL AS USUAL TODAY.

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RANGOON, BURMA, MAY 18-(AP)-A FORMER JAPANESE SOLDIER AND 20 BURMESE COMMUNISTS WERE KILLED DURING A SKIRMISH WITH GOVERNMENT TROOPS AT WAMI IN THE PEGU FOOTHILLS, A SEMI-OFFICIAL REPORT SAID TODAY.

THE SOLDIER APPARENTLY HAD ESCAPED INTO THE INTERIOR WHEN JAPAN SURRENDERED IN 1945.

THE REPORTS DESCRIBED WAMI AS A COMMUNIST MILITARY HEADQUARTERS, SET UP A MONTH AGO. THEY SAID WOMEN IN THE RED GARRISON FLED INTO THE JUNGLE WHEN THE BATTLE BEGAN.

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cairo, egypt, may 18 -(ap)- the newspaper Al Zamane said today egyptian police have smashed a plot by "bulgarian revolutionists" to kill 13-year old former king simeon II of bulgaria.

the former boy king and his mother, queen giovanna, and his sister have been living in alexandria since they were exiled to egypt in 1946 just before the establishment of a communist regime in bulgaria.

the newspaper said a group of bulgarian pro-monarchists recently visited queen giovanna and warned her four bulgarians were enroute to egypt planning to assassinate the former king, now a pupil at victoria college, a british school in egypt.

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the egyptian police were put on the alert, al zamane said, and two of the four alleged conspirators were arrested may 8 aboard the steamship khedive ismail when it arrived at alexandria from istanbul, turkey.

the newspaper said authorities have set up a strict control of foreigners arriving at alexandria to prevent the entry of two other alleged plotters.

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RANGOON, BURMA, MAY 18-(AP)-U SO NYUN, BURMA'S AMBASSADOR TO THE UNITED STATES, RETURNED BY AIR FROM WASHINGTON TODAY. HE HAD BEEN FORCED TO LEAVE HIS POST BECAUSE OF ILLNESS, NOW DIAGNOSED AS CIRRHOSIS OF THE LIVER. PREVIOUSLY A GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN HAD SAID THE DIPLOMAT WAS SUFFERING FROM CANCER.

THE AMBASSADOR HAD TO BE CARRIED FROM THE PLANE. AN AMERICAN NURSE, MARY T. RUDOLPH OF THOMASVILLE, N.C., MADE THE PLANE TRIP FROM THE UNITED STATES WITH THE AMBASSADOR, HIS WIFE AND FAMILY.

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TEL AVIV, ISRAEL, MAY 18-(AP)-EIGHT CREWMEN OF A BRITISH FLYING BOAT, FORCED DOWN YESTERDAY BY ISRAELI FIGHTER PLANES, HAVE BEEN RELEASED AFTER QUESTIONING.

THE PILOT OF THE FOUR-ENGINED ROYAL AIR FORCED SUNDERLAND--EN ROUTE FROM BAHREIN IN THE PERSIAN GULF TO THE SUEZ CANAL ZONE--SAID HE WAS FLYING OUTSIDE THE PRESCRIBED AIR CORRIDOR BECAUSE OF A NAVIGATIONAL ERROR. ISRAELI FIGHTERS FIRED A WARNING BURST ACROSS THE BIG CRAFT'S NOSE AND FORCED IT TO LAND ON THE SEA HERE.

ISRAELI SOURCES SAID THEY CONSIDERED THE INCIDENT CLOSED.

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HAIFA, ISRAEL, MAY18-(AP)-TEN TONS OF TOYS, SENT FROM THE UNITED STATES FOR CHILDREN IN ISRAELI IMMIGRANT CAMPS, ARRIVED TODAY.

THE TOYS WERE COLLECTED BY THE AMERICAN LEGION FOR UNDERPRIVILEGED CHILDREN IN VARIOUS PARTS OF THE WORLD.

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(450) NIGHT LEAD TRUMAN-FOREIGN
BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER
WASHINGTON,MAY 18-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY HAILED THE FRENCH PROPOSAL FOR POOLING FRANCO-GERMAN STEEL AND COAL PRODUCTION AS "AN ACT OF CONSTRUCTIVE STATESMANSHIP" WHICH "OPENS A NEW OUTLOOK FOR EUROPE."

THE PRESIDENT'S CAREFULLY CONSIDERED FORMAL ENDORSEMENT OF THE PLAN WAS GIVEN IN A NEWS CONFERENCE STATEMENT. DIPLOMATS SAID IT WOULD GIVE THE PROJECT A POWERFUL BOOST.

FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER SCHUMAN PUT FORWARD THE PROPOSAL ON MAY 9. TOP AMERICAN OFFICIALS HAD BEEN STUDYING IT IN DETAIL EVER SINCE TO DETERMINE WHAT THE AMERICAN ATTITUDE SHOULD BE.

THE ONLY PREVIOUS OFFICIAL INDICATION OF THIS GOVERNMENT'S REACTION HAD COME FROM SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON. HE SAID IN LONDON A WEEK AGO THAT HE HAD "SYMPATHY AND APPROVAL OF THE AIM AND PURPOSE" OF THE FRENCH PROJECT--WHICH FELL SHORT OF SAYING FLATLY THAT HE THOUGHT IT WAS A GOOD IDEA WHICH OUGHT TO BE CARRIED OUT. THE REASON FOR HIS CAUTION AT THAT TIME, INFORMANTS SAID TODAY, WAS THAT HE WANTED TO BE SURE OF A THOROUGH UNDERSTANDING OF THE PROPOSAL.

WHAT THE FRENCH PROPOSED IN ESSENCE IS AN AGREEMENT WITH THE WEST GERMAN GOVERNMENT TO PLACE UNDER A COMMON INTERNATIONAL JOINT AUTHORITY THE STEEL AND COAL INDUSTRIES OF THE TWO COUNTRIES. THE AUTHORITY WOULD BE RESPONSIBLE FOR MODERNIZING PRODUCTION PROCESSES AND SUPPLYING THE COAL AND STEEL ON EQUAL TERMS TO FRENCH AND GERMAN MARKETS AND THE MARKETS OF ANY OTHER COUNTRIES WHICH JOINED IN THE UNDERTAKING AND ELIMINATED VARIOUS RESTRICTIVE TRADE PRACTICES.

OFFICIALS HERE SAID THE PLAN WOULD SERVE TWO MAJOR AMERICAN PURPOSES WITH RESPECT TO WESTERN EUROPE: (1). CLOSER COOPERATION AMONG THE WESTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES, PARTICULARLY FRANCE AND GERMANY; AND (2.) AN INCREASE IN WESTERN EUROPEAN PRODUCTION.

IN HIS STATEMENT MR.TRUMAN CALLED THE SCHUMAN PROPOSAL A "DEMONSTRATION OF FRENCH LEADERSHIP IN THE SOLUTION OF THE PROBLEMS OF EUROPE" AND ADDED THAT "THE WHOLEHEARTED RECEPTION OF THIS PROPOSAL IN GERMANY IS LIKEWISE ENCOURAGING."

"THIS PROPOSAL PROVIDES THE BASIS FOR ESTABLISHING AN ENTIRELY NEW RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN FRANCE AND GERMANY AND OPENS A NEW OUTLOOK FOR EUROPE," THE PRESIDENT SAID. "THERE WILL BE MANY DIFFICULT PROBLEMS TO SOLVE IN DEVELOPING THIS FAR-REACHING PLAN.

"I AM CONFIDENT, HOWEVER, THAT THE KIND OF IMAGINATIVE THINKING THAT WENT INTO THE PROPOSAL CAN WORK OUT THE DETAILS IN WAYS THAT WILL BENEFIT NOT ONLY THE COUNTRIES DIRECTLY CONCERNED, INCLUDING THOSE WHO WORK IN THESE INDUSTRIES AND THOSE WHO USE THEIR PRODUCTS, BUT ALSO THE WHOLE FREE WORLD."

MR.TRUMAN THEN DISCUSSED SOME OF THE PARTICULAR RESULTS WHICH HE EXPECTS FROM THE PROJECT.

"WE ARE GRATIFIED," HE SAID, "AT THE EMPHASIS THE PROPOSAL PLACES UPON EQUAL ACCESS TO COAL AND STEEL PRODUCTS TO ALL WESTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES, AND UPON THE NEED FOR REDUCTIONS IN COST, THROUGH HIGHER PRODUCTIVITY, SO THAT CONSUMERS CAN BENEFIT THROUGH LOWER PRICES AND WORKERS THROUGH HIGHER WAGES.

"WE ARE ALSO GRATIFIED TO NOTE THAT WHILE THE PROPOSAL PROTECTS THE COAL AND STEEL INDUSTRIES AGAINST THE SHOCKS OF READJUSTMENTS DURING THE TRANSITIONAL PERIOD, IT DOES LEAVE THE INDUSTRY OPEN TO RECEIVE, ONCE THE TRANSITION IS COMPLETED, THE FULL BENEFITS OF THE COMPETITIVE PROCESS."

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JAPANESE
WASHINGTON, MAY 18-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY DESCRIBED SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON'S TRIP TO JAPAN AS THE SAME KIND OF MISSION JOHNSON HAS MADE TO OTHER PARTS OF THE WORLD.

HE MADE THE STATEMENT AT HIS NEWS CONFERENCE WHEN REPORTERS ASKED HIM ABOUT REPORTS THAT JOHNSON WOULD DISCUSS A JAPANESE PEACE TREATY WITH GEN. DOUGLAS MACARTHUR, THE OCCUPATION COMMAAANDER.

MACARTHUR IS UNDERSTOOD TO FEEL THE TIME HAS COME TO NEGOTIATE A TREATY. THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT, ON THE OTHER HAND, HAS BEEN CONCERNED THAT A TREATY AT THIS TIME MIGHT WEAKEN AMERICAN SECURITY INTERESTS IN JAPAN.

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THE PRESIDENT WAS ASKED IF THE VISIT OF JOHNSON, WITH GEN. OMAR N. BRADLEY, CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF, HAD ANY CONNECTION WITH THE DRAFTING OF A JAPANESE PEACE TREATY.

MR. TRUMAN SAID THAT ANY PEACE TREATY WITH JAPAN WOULD BE NEGOTIATED BY SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON IN THE REXULAR MANNER. HE SAID HE HOPED THAT TIME WASS NOT FAR OFF.

HE SAID THAT THE PEACE TREATY WAS MR. ACHESON'S RESPONSIBILITY. BY THAT REPLY, MR. TRUMAN NEVER DID SAY DIRECTLY THAT JOHNSON WOULD NOT DISCUSS THE TREATY QUESTION WITH MACARTHUR.

RESPONSIBLE GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS HAVE SAID THE SUBJECT IS ONE THAT UNQUESTIONABLY WILL BE DISCUSSED AT LENGTH.

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WASHINGTON, MAY 18-(AP)-REP.MCGREGOR (R-OHIO) JOINED TODAY IN A DEMAND THAT THE UNITED STATES CUT FOREIGN TRADE RELATIONS WITH COMMUNIST COUNTRIES.

"IT IS TIME WE QUIT SUPPORTING COMMUNIST-CONTROLLED COUNTRIES," MCGREGOR SAID IN A STATEMENT AS HE INTRODUCED A RESOLUTION PROPOSING THE BREAK.

FOUR SIMILAR RESOLUTIONS HAVE BEEN INTRODUCED BY OTHER CONGRESSMEN.

MCGREGOR SAID "THE LOWERING OF TRADE BARRIERS BY THE PRESIDENT" HAS LED TO FLOODING OF AMERICAN MARKETS WITH FOREIGN MADE GOODS, MANY IMPORTED FROM BEHIND THE IRON CURTAIN.

"MANY FACTORIES IN THIS COUNTRY HAVE BEEN FORCED TO CLOSE AS A RESULT OF THIS POLICY," HE SAID, ADDING THAT THE OHIO GLASS AND POTTERY INDUSTRIES AND THE FUR INDUSTRY HAVE BEEN ESPECIALLY HARD HIT.

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(450) COMMUNISTS
BY MARVIN L.ARROWSMITH
WASHINGTON,MAY 18-(AP)-SENATE COMMUNIST INVESTIGATORS ASKED SENATOR MC CARTHY TODAY FOR EVIDENCE BACKING UP HIS CHARGES THAT STATE DEPARTMENT LOYALTY FILES HAVE BEEN RIFLED.

MC CARTHY, WISCONSIN REPUBLICAN, REPLIED THAT BEFORE HE CAN PROVIDE

SUCH EVIDENCE, DEMOCRATIC MEMBERS OF A SENATE INQUIRY COMMITTEE WILL HAVE TO BE CONVINCED "THAT THE RAPING OF THE FILES SHOULD BE EXPOSED RATHER THAN COVERED UP."

THE FILES BEING EXAMINED BY A SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE COVER 81 PERSONS ACCUSED BY MC CARTHY OF BEING COMMUNISTS, RED SYMPATHIZERS, OR SECURITY RISKS FOR OTHER REASONS.

MC CARTHY HAS CHARGED THAT THE FILES WERE STRIPPED OF MUCH MATERIAL BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT BEFORE IT TURNED THEM OVER TO THE COMMITTEE. THE DEPARTMENT HAS DENIED IT, AND DEPUTY UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE JOHN E.PEURIFOY SAID HE WOULD TESTIFY UNDER OATH THAT THERE HAS BEEN NO RIFLING OF THE RECORDS.

THE COMMITTEE'S CHIEF COUNSEL, EDWARD P.MORGAN, WROTE MC CARTHY THAT THE COMMITTEE HAS BEEN ASKED REPEATEDLY WHAT ACTION IS BEING TAKEN REGARDING THE CHARGE THAT THE FILES HAVE BEEN TAMPERED WITH OR ALTERED.

"I WOULD BE PERSONALLY GRATEFUL," MORGAN TOLD MC CARTHY, "FOR ANY EVIDENCE OR INDICATION OF SUCH TAMPERING OR ALTERATION THAT YOU MAY HAVE, IN ORDER THAT AN APPROPRIATE INVESTIGATION MAY BE INSTITUTED."

IN REPLY, MC CARTHY CALLED FIRST FOR A THOROUGH PROBING OF THE FILES SITUATION BY THE THREE DEMOCRATS ON THE COMMITTEE--SENATOR TYDINGS OF MARYLAND, CHAIRMAN, SENATOR MC MAHON OF CONNECTICUT AND SENATOR GREEN OF RHODE ISLAND.

"THE NEXT STEP," MC CARTHY WROTE MORGAN, "IS TO CONVINCE THE CHAIRMAN AND THE OTHER MAJORITY MEMBERS TO ALLOW YOU AND THE OTHER YOUNG MEN WHO ARE WORKING FOR THE COMMITTEE TO EXAMINE THE FILES SO YOU CAN INFORM THE COMMITTEE THE EXTENT OF THE RIFLING THAT HAS BEEN DONE.

"I UNDERSTAND THAT ONE OF THE QUALIFICATIONS REQUIRED OF THE MEMBERS OF THE INVESTIGATIVE STAFF WAS THAT THEY HAVE A BACKGROUND IN THIS TYPE OF WORK--A BACKGROUND WHICH NONE OF THE MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE HAVE."

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ONLY COMMITTEE MEMBERS HAVE BEEN PERMITTED TO EXAMINE THE STATE DEPARTMENT FILES, WHICH WERE MADE AVAILABLE TO THE INQUIRY GROUP BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN.

MC CARTHY NOTED THAT MORGAN IS A FORMER FBI AGENT AND THAT ROBERT MORRIS, ASSISTANT COUNSEL, HAS HAD EXPERIENCE IN COUNTER-ESPIONAGE WORK.

BOTH MEN, MC CARTHY ADDED, WOULD HAVE "NO DIFFICULTY WHATEVER IN DETECTING THE ALMOST UNLIMITED AMOUNT OF RIFLING THAT HAS ALREADY BEEN DONE IN THE FILES."

MC CARTHY REPEATED ~~THAT THE COMMITTEE OUGHT TO OBTAIN~~ WHAT HE DESCRIBED AS AN FBI REPORT ON THE CONDITION OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT LOYALTY RECORDS.

HE ALSO AGAIN SUGGESTED THAT THE COMMITTEE STUDY A 1947 HOUSE COMMITTEE REPORT WHICH HE SAID "INDICATES THAT SOME FILES WERE SO THOROUGHLY DENUDED THAT NOTHING WAS LEFT BUT THE EMPTY JACKETS."

MC CARTHY REITERATED, TOO, THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT FILES ALONE ARE "COMPLETELY INADEQUATE" FOR A REAL INVESTIGATION OF HIS CHARGES. NEEDED ALSO, HE SAID, ARE THE FILES OF THE FBI, THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY, AND THE PRESIDENTIAL LOYALTY REVIEW BOARD.

ALL OF THOSE FILES, MC CARTHY SAID, "ARE FULL OF EXTREMELY VALUABLE INFORMATION WHICH, WHILE IT MAY NOT BE ADMISSIBLE IN A COURT OF LAW, WOULD GIVE THE COMMITTEE A MORE COMPLETE PICTURE OF THE REAL TRUTH."

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WASHINGTON, MAY 18-(AP)-A TOP GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL SAID TODAY THE UNITED STATES MAY HAVE TO EXPAND ITS AIR FORCE AND NAVY TO SUPPORT THE NEWLY ANNOUNCED 12-POWER DEFENSE OF WESTERN EUROPE AGAINST COMMUNISM.

HE SAID THAT UNDER THE PLAN, AMERICAN PLANES WILL BE ALMOST ENTIRELY RESPONSIBLE FOR STRATEGIC LONG-RANGE BOMBING AND THE U. S. NAVY WILL CARRY THE MAJOR BURDEN OF SEA DEFENSE. AMERICAN GROUND FORCES WILL NOT BE REDUCED TO OFFSET THE AIR-SEA INCREASES.

THE HIGH OFFICIAL, WHO ASKED THAT HIS NAME BE WITHHELD, TOLD NEWSMEN THAT SO FAR NONE OF THE ATLANTIC TREATY POWERS HAVE ASKED THE UNITED STATES TO GIVE THEM THE ATOMIC BOMB.

COVERING A WIDE RANGE OF QUESTIONS RAISED BY TODAY'S ANNOUNCEMENT FROM THE CONFERENCE OF FOREIGN MINISTERS IN LONDON, THE OFFICIAL SAID AMERICAN MILITARY AID TO WESTERN EUROPE WILL PROBABLY NOT EXCEED THE CURRENT LEVEL OF $1,000,000,000 A YEAR.

HE EXPLAINED THAT THE IDEA IS FOR EACH MEMBER OF THE 12-NATION BLOC TO CONTRIBUTE WHAT IT CAN DO BEST TO BULWARK THE COMMON DEFENSE.

THE AUTHORITATIVE INFORMANT TOLD REPORTERS THE CREATION OF AN ATLANTIC PACT HIGH COMMAND WILL NOT MEAN THAT ANY AMERICAN FORCES WILL LOSE THEIR NATIONAL IDENTITY.

HE SAID, TOO, HE DOES NOT EXPECT AN EARLY APPOINTMENT OF A SUPREME MILITARY COMMANDER FOR THE 12-NATION DEFENSE. IT IS FAR MORE IMPORTANT, HE SAID, TO WORK OUT THE OVERALL STRATEGIC CONCEPT, AND THE APPOINTMENT OF A SUPREME COMMANDER COULD WELL AWAIT THE APPROACH OF A WAR EMERGENCY.

THE OFFICIAL SAID HE THOUGHT IT WOULD BE A MISTAKE TO INCREASE THE U. S. ARMS AID PROGRAM FOR EUROPE, AND HE EXPLAINED:

"IT MIGHT DEFEAT THE PURPOSE OF THE TREATY AND THE ARMS ASSISTANCE IDEA BY WEAKENING THE WILL OF SOME NATIONS TO RESIST AND BY RETARDING THEIR ABILITY TO STAND ON THEIR OWN FEET."

IN SOME RESPECTS, HIS VIEWS CLOSELY PARALLELED THOSE EXPRESSED RECENTLY BY GEN. OMAR BRADLEY, CHAIRMAN OF THE U. S. JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF.

BRADLEY TOLD A CHICAGO AUDIENCE ON APRIL 14 THAT THE UNITED STATES MAY HAVE TO SACRIFICE "A SMALL BIT OF SOVEREIGNTY" AND FURNISH A NAVY AND AIR FORCE GREATER THAN "WE NORMALLY WOULD BE WILLING TO PROVIDE" TO HELP DEFEND THE ATLANTIC AREA.

BRADLEY ALSO SAID IT MIGHT BE NECESSARY TO UPSET THE THEORY OF A BALANCED ARMY, NAVY AND AIR FORCE AND "GIVE WAY TO THE THEORY OF NATIONAL SPECIALIZATION" IN A COMMON DEFENSE SETUP.

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NIGHT LEAD COMMUNISM

WASHINGTON, MAY 18-(AP)-SENATOR TYDINGS (D-MD) SAID TODAY THE TASK OF INVESTIGATING ALLEGED COMMUNISM IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT IS IMPEDING LEGISLATION "VITAL TO NATIONAL SECURITY."

WITHOUT SAYING SO SPECIFICALLY, TYDINGS INDICATED HE MAY DEVOTE LESS TIME TO THE 10-WEEKS-OLD INQUIRY INTO CHARGES BY REPUBLICAN SENATOR MCCARTHY THAT REDS HAVE SWAYED THIS COUNTRY'S FOREIGN POLICIES.

THE MARYLAND SENATOR THREW OUT A HINT TO THAT EFFECT IN A STATEMENT HANDED TO NEWSMEN AS HE HURRIEDLY LEFT CAPITOL HILL FOR A SPEAKING ENGAGEMENT IN NEARBY MARYLAND.

AIDES LATER SAID THEY EXPECT TYDINGS TO CONTINUE AS CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE SUBCOMMITTEE WHICH HAS BEEN INVESTIGATING MCCARTHY'S CHARGES, BUT TO SPEND MORE TIME ON DEFENSE LEGISLATION IN THE NEXT FEW WEEKS.

TYDINGS NOT ONLY HEADS THE INQUIRY GROUP BUT ALSO IS CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE.

IN HIS STATEMENT, GIVEN TO REPORTERS WITHOUT COMMENT, TYDINGS SAID:

"AT LEAST THREE BILLS VITAL TO THE NATIONAL SECURITY SEEM TO HAVE RUN HEAD-ON INTO THE MCCARTHY INVESTIGATION, BECAUSE OF WHICH CHAIRMAN TYDINGS HAS BEEN UNABLE TO BE PRESENT WITH HIS (ARMED SERVICES) COMMITTEE FOR WEEKS."

AMONG OTHER THINGS, TYDINGS COMPLAINED THAT THE WORK OF SIFTING MCCARTHY'S SENSATION-STUDDED CHARGES HAS STALLED PLANS FOR CIVIL DEFENSE AGAINST ATOMIC ATTACK, STANDBY LEGISLATION FOR GOVERNMENT CONTROLS IN THE EVENT OF WAR, AND LEGISLATIVE ACTION ON THE STOCKPILING OF CRITICAL WAR MATERIALS.

"NEW PLANS AND NEW PROBLEMS ARE CONSTANTLY SPRINGING UP WHICH MUST BE DEALT WITH," HE SAID, "IF THE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE IS TO FULFILL ITS RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE COMMON DEFENSE."

TYDINGS REGISTERED HIS COMPLAINT SOON AFTER MCCARTHY TOOK A NEW JAB AT THE INQUIRY GROUP, WHICH HAS BEEN DELVING INTO THE STATE DEPARTMENT LOYALTY FILES ON 81 CASES LISTED BY MCCARTHY AS COMMUNISTS OR FELLOW TRAVELERS.

THE WISCONSIN SENATOR SAID THAT TRAINED INVESTIGATORS WOULD HAVE "NO DIFFICULTY WHATEVER IN DETECTING THE ALMOST UNLIMITED AMOUNT OF RIFLING THAT HAS ALREADY BEEN DONE IN THE FILES."

MCCARTHY MADE THE STATEMENT IN REPLY TO A LETTER FROM CHIEF COUNSEL EDWARD P.MORGAN CHALLENGING MCCARTHY TO PROVE HIS CONTENTION THAT THE FILES HAVE BEEN TAMPERED WITH.

MCCARTHY SAID THAT BEFORE HE PROVIDED EVIDENCE TO SUPPORT HIS CHARGE, THE DEMOCRATIC MAJORITY OF THE FIVE-MAN SUBCOMMITTEE WOULD HAVE TO BE CONVINCED THAT "THE RAPING OF THE FILES SHOULD BE EXPOSED RATHER THAN COVERED UP."

HE SUGGESTED AGAIN THAT THE COMMITTEE STUDY A 1947 HOUSE REPORT WHICH HE SAID "INDICATES SOME FILES WERE SO THOROUGHLY DENUDED THAT NOTHING WAS LEFT BUT THE EMPTY JACKETS."

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BY JOHN SCALI

WASHINGTON, MAY 17-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE MAY SEND SEPARATE PROTESTS TO MOSCOW SOON DENOUNCING RUSSIA'S MOVE IN ARMING AN EAST GERMAN POLICE FORCE.

DIPLOMATIC OFFICIALS SAID TODAY THE WAY WAS CLEARED FOR SUCH PROTESTS OVER THE WEEKEND BY THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS MEETING IN LONDON.

SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON, IT WAS LEARNED, UNSUCCESSFULLY URGED A JOINT AMERICAN-BRITISH-FRENCH PROTEST, TO CALL WORLD ATTENTION TO WHAT HE BELIEVES IS CREATION OF AN "ILLEGAL" RUSSIAN PUPPET ARMY IN EASTERN GERMANY.

BRITISH FOREIGN MINISTER BEVIN AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER SCHUMAN OBJECTED TO TAKING JOINT ACTION, SAYING IT MIGHT CREATE FEAR IN WESTERN GERMANY AND AROUSE A DEMAND FOR (A) SECURITY GUARANTEES WHICH THE WEST IS UNPREPARED TO GIVE AND (B) EQUAL ARMAMENTS FOR THE SMALLER WEST GERMAN POLICE FORCE.

OFFICIALS SAID IT WAS DECIDED AFTER MUCH DISCUSSION TO REFER THE MATTER TO THE WESTERN AMBASSADORS IN MOSCOW, WITH THE UNDERSTANDING THEY CAN ISSUE SEPARATE BUT PARALLEL NOTES TO THE RUSSIAN FOREIGN OFFICE WITHIN THE NEXT FEW WEEKS.

RELIABLE INFORMATION INDICATES THE RUSSIANS ARE EQUIPPING ABOUT 40,000 EAST GERMANS WITH TANKS, ARMORED EQUIPMENT AND OTHER WEAPONS ASSOCIATED WITH AN ARMY RATHER THAN A POLICE FORCE.

STATE DEPARTMENT EXPERTS FEAR THIS MAY BE AN EFFORT TO CREATE THE NUCLEUS OF A FULL-FLEDGED, RUSSIAN-BACKED ARMY. KURT SCHUMACHER, WEST GERMAN SOCIALIST LEADER WHO IS WELL-INFORMED ON CONDITIONS IN EAST GERMANY, SAID IN A SPEECH IN BERLIN MONDAY THAT THE SOVIETS INTEND TO BUILD AN ARMY OF 350,000 TO 400,000 MEN IN THEIR OCCUPATION ZONE.

STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS ALSO HAVE HEARD THIS REPORT. IN ADDITION, THEY HAVE PICKED UP RUMORS THAT RUSSIA MAY INSTITUTE CONSCRIPTION IN AN EFFORT TO GET THE NEEDED MANPOWER FOR A FORCE OF THIS SIZE.

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WASHINGTON,MAY 18-(AP)-THE STATE DEPARTMENT IS WRESTLING WITH THE PROBLEM OF WHAT TO DO ABOUT A FORMER CZECH DIPLOMAT, A COMMUNIST, WHO HAS ASKED ASYLUM IN THIS COUNTRY.

THE MAN, VLADIMIR HOUDEK, RESIGNED TUESDAY FROM HIS POST AS CZECHOSLOVAKIA'S CHIEF DELEGATE TO THE UNITED NATIONS AND BLASTED RUSSIA FOR PRESSURE ON HIS COUNTRY.

ORDINARILY, A PERSON IN SUCH CIRCUMSTANCES IS GRANTED ASYLUM AS A POLITICAL REFUGEE. HOWEVER, THERE ARE LAWS AGAINST LETTING AN ALIEN COMMUNIST STAY IN THIS COUNTRY.

ANTI-COMMUNIST CZECH REFUGEES HERE ARE URGING THAT HOUDEK'S PLEA BE DENIED.

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WASHINGTON, MAY 18-(AP)-THE HEAVY CRUISER SALEM TODAY RELIEVED HER 17,000-TON SISTER SHIP, NEWPORT NEWS, AS FLAGSHIP OF THE SIXTH FLEET IN THE MEDITERRANEAN.

THE NAVY ANNOUNCED THE NEWPORT NEWS WILL LEAVE GIBRALTAR IMMEDIATELY FOR THE UNITED STATES.

OTHER CHANGES IN THE SIXTH FLEET COMPOSITION INCLUDE SUBSTITUTION OF THE LIGHT CRUISER WORCESTER FOR THE ROANOKE, AND THE AIRCRAFT CARRIER LEYTE FOR THE MIDWAY.

THE FLEET, WHICH IS COMMANDED BY VICE ADMIRAL JOHN J.BALLENTINE, ALSO INCLUDES TEN DESTROYERS, ONE SUBMARINE, ONE LST AND FOUR AUXILIARIES.

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WASHINGTON, MAY 18-(AP)-JOHN FOSTER DULLES, SECRETARY ACHESON'S REPUBLICAN POLICY ADVISOR, WILL TAKE OVER THE TICKLISH JOB OF PREPARING FOR THE JAPANESE PEACE TREATY.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCED THE ASSIGNMENT TODAY AFTER PRESIDENT TRUMAN SENT TO THE SENATE THE NOMINATION OF W.WALTER BUTTERWORTH TO BE AMBASSADOR TO SWEDEN. H. FREEMAN MATTHEWS, PRESENT AMBASSADOR TO SWEDEN, WAS CHOSEN ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE.

BUTTERWORTH HAS BEEN DIRECTING THE PREPARATIONS FOR THE PEACE TREATY

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WHICH HAVE BEEN DELAYED BY DIFFERENCES WITH SOVIET RUSSIA AND BETWEEN THE STATE AND DEFENSE DEPARTMENTS.

AN ANNOUNCEMENT SAID DULLES IN ADDITION TO OTHER DUTIES WILL GIVE "SPECIAL ATTENTION" TO TREATY PROBLEMS AND WILL BE ASSISTED BY AMBASSADOR MAXWELL M. HAMILTON, U.S. REPRESENTATIVE ON THE 13-NATION FAR EASTERN COMMISSION. HE ALSO WILL BE ASSISTED BY DEPARTMENT OFFICERS WORKING UNDER DIRECTION OF DEAN RUSK, ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR FAR EASTERN AFFAIRS.

MATTHEWS, AFTER BEING APPROVED BY THE SENATE, WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THE POST OF DEPUTY UNDERSECRETARY AND THUS WILL POSITION IN THE DEPARTMENT UNDER ACHESON AND UNDERSECRETARY JAMES E. WEBB. THIS POST FORMERLY WAS HELD BY RUSK.

AMBASSADOR-AT-LARGE PHILIP C.JESSUP HAS BEEN CARRYING ON SOME OF RUSK'S FORMER DUTIES AS

MATTHEWS, AFTER BEING APPROVED BY THE SENATE, WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THE POST OF DEPUTY UNDERSECRETARY AND THUS WILL HOLD THE NO.3 POSITION IN THE DEPARTMENT UNDER ACHESON AND UNDERSECRETARY JAMES E. WEBB. THIS POST FORMERLY WAS HELD BY RUSK.

AMBASSADOR-AT-LARGE PHILIP C.JESSUP HAS BEEN CARRYING ON SOME OF RUSK'S FORMER DUTIES AS DEPUTY UNDERSECRETARY. HE WILL REVERT TO HIS EARLIER STATUS AND WORK ON SPECIAL ASSIGNMENTS GIVEN HIM BY ACHESON.

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DULLES (300)

CLEVELAND,MAY 18-(AP)-REPUBLICAN LEADER JOHN FOSTER DULLES SAID OF THE UNITED NATIONS TONIGHT, "LET US NOT DESTROY AN ORGANIZATION WHICH, JUST BECAUSE IT INCLUDES POTENTIAL ENEMIES, CAN BE THE BRIDGE TO PEACE."

DULLES, WHO SINCE APRIL 6 HAS BEEN CONSULTANT TO SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON, CONTINUED:

"WE ARE, I HOPE, MATURE ENOUGH TO WANT TO MEET IN ANY PEACEFUL FORUM THOSE WHO ARE UNFRIENDLY TO US AND WITH WHOM WE STRONGLY DISAGREE. WE DO NOT WANT TO RETREAT FROM THAT INTO A TOY WORLD OF MAKE-BELIEVE WHERE WE PLAY WITH PAPER DOLLS THAT DO OUR BIDDING."

HIS REMARKS WERE MADE IN A SPEECH AT THE 100TH ANNIVERSARY BANQUET OF THE TEMPLE (CAPS TT), LARGEST LIBERAL JEWISH CONGREGATION IN THE UNITED STATES.

DULLES MADE NO DIRECT REFERENCE TO AN APRIL 27 SPEECH IN NEW YORK BY FORMER REPUBLICAN PRESIDENT HERBERT HOOVER, WHO SAID "I SUGGEST THAT THE UNITED NATIONS SHOULD BE REORGANIZED WITHOUT THE COMMUNIST NATIONS IN IT."

HOOVER HAD ADDED, "IF THAT IS IMPRACTICAL, THEN A DEFINITE NEW UNITED FRONT SHOULD BE ORGANIZED OF THOSE PEOPLES WHO DISAVOW COMMUNISM, WHO STAND FOR MORALS AND RELIGION, AND WHO LOVE FREEDOM."

BUT IN AN OBVIOUS REFERENCE TO HOOVER'S PROPOSAL, DULLES SAID "MOST OF US WOULD FEEL AN EMOTIONAL SATISFACTION IF NATIONS REPRESENTED BY ATHEISTIC GOVERNMENTS WERE THROWN OUT OF THE UNITED NATIONS. BUT IT IS DANGEROUS BUSINESS TO MIX POLITICS AND RELIGION AND TO SEEK TO IMPOSE A RELIGIOUS TEST UPON MEMBERSHIP IN A WORLD ORGANIZATION OF GOVERNMENT."

DULLES RECALLED THAT EARLY IN THE LAST CENTURY, CZAR ALEXANDER OF RUSSIA TOOK THE LEAD IN ORGANIZING "WHAT WAS CALLED A LEAGUE OF PEACE," OR "HOLY ALLIANCE."

THE UNITED STATES DECLINED TO JOIN. HE SAID THAT "IF THE UNITED STATES WERE NOW TO ASSUME THE ROLE OF CZAR ALEXANDER AND ATTEMPT TO SET UP A NEW LEAGUE OF PEACE, A NEW HOLY ALLIANCE, BASED ON SUBSCRIPTION TO RELIGIOUS VIEWS, MANY SMALL AND SELF-RESPECTING NATIONS WOULD FEEL THE SAME MISTRUST THAT WE FELT TOWARD THE HOLY ALLIANCE. EXPERIENCE SHOWS THE UNWISDOM OF INVOKING RELIGION AS A MEANS OF ADVANCING POLITICAL ENDS."

THE ASSEMBLIES OF THE UNITED NATIONS, SAID DULLES, ARE LIKE A "TOWN MEETING" AND GIVE "THE REPRESENTATIVES OF FREE PEOPLES A CHANCE TO STRIP COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA OF THE VENEER THAT MAKES IT DANGEROUS. IT EXPOSES THE TACTICS AND INTOLERANT CREED OF SOVIET COMMUNISM. A 'TOWN MEETING,' HOWEVER, IS NOT OF MUCH VALUE IF THE ONLY PEOPLE ADMITTED ARE THOSE WHO AGREE."

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NIGHT LEAD DRAPER-ADLER (500)

BY GEORGE MILLER

(NY)..HARTFORD, CONN., MAY 18-(AP)-MRS.HESTER R.MCCULLOUGH TESTIFIED TODAY THAT SHE FOUGHT AGAINST THE APPEARANCE OF LARRY ADLER AND PAUL DRAPER AT A CONCERT IN HER HOME TOWN BECAUSE INVESTIGATION CONVINCED HER THEY WERE PRO-COMMUNIST.

AND COMMUNISM, SAID THE 32-YEAR-OLD GREENWICH, CONN., HOUSEWIFE IN A LOW, FIRM VOICE, "IS THE MOST DANGEROUS MENACE WE HAVE EVER FACED."

MRS.MCCULLOUGH TOOK THE WITNESS STAND IN THE FEDERAL COURT TRIAL OF A $200,000 LIBEL SUIT BROUGHT AGAINST HER BY DRAPER AND ADLER ON THE BASIS OF A PUBLISHED LETTER IN WHICH SHE ACCUSED THEM OF PRO-COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES.

OF THEIR CONCERT UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE GREENWICH COMMUNITY CONCERT ASSOCIATION, MRS.MCCULLOUGH SAID:

"I THOUGHT THAT TO BRING IN TWO DISLOYAL AMERICANS TO EARN A LARGE FEE WOULD BE A DISASTROUS THING."

SHE TESTIFIED, TOO, THAT TO LEARN THAT THOSE IN CHARGE OF THE CONCERT BELIEVED DRAPER AND ADLER TO BE COMMUNISTS BUT DIDN'T CARE.

STEP BY STEP, THE DEFENDANT TOLD OF HER ACTIVITIES BEGINNING IN OCTOBER, 1948, WHEN SHE FIRST HEARD THAT DRAPER, A DANCER, AND ADLER, A HARMONICA PLAYER, HAD BEEN BOOKED FOR A JOINT CONCERT AT GREENWICH.

"SOMEWHERE IN THE BACK OF MY MIND," SHE SAID, "I REMEMBERED THINGS I HAD READ IN THE PAPERS THAT WERE NOT VERY FAVORABLE TO THEIR LOYALTY TO THE UNITED STATES."

SHE SAID SHE ASKED HER HUSBAND, JOHN T.MCCULLOUGH, AN ASSISTANT PICTURE EDITOR AT TIME MAGAZINE, ABOUT ADLER AND DRAPER, AND HE BROUGHT HOME FROM THE TIME LIBRARY SOME NEWSPAPER CLIPPINGS FROM TIME, THE NEW YORK TIMES AND THE NEWSPAPER PM, WHICH IS NO LONGER PUBLISHED.

AFTER READING THESE, MRS.MCCULLOUGH SAID, "I FELT THAT WHEN THEY CAME TO VARIOUS CITIES TO PERFORM IN CONCERTS THEY USED THE OPPORTUNITY TO ADDRESS MEETINGS."

THE WITNESS SAID SHE REMEMBERED READING ABOUT DRAPER AND ADLER IN "CHOLLY KNICKERBOCKER'S" COLUMN IN THE NEW YORK JOURNAL-AMERICAN, AND GOT IN TOUCH WITH THE WRITER, WHOSE REAL NAME IS IGOR CASSINI.

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CASSINI, SHE SAID, GAVE HER BY TELEPHONE A LIST OF "SUBVERSIVE" ORGANIZATIONS WHICH HE SAID DRAPER AND ADLER SUPPORTED.

LATER, SHE SAID, SHE RECEIVED FROM J.B.MATTHEWS, FORMER INVESTIGATOR FOR THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE, A SIMILAR LIST, TOGETHER WITH A COPY OF A REPORT BY THE CALIFORNIA STATE SENATE COMMITTEE ON UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES AND A LIST OF ORGANIZATIONS CITED AS SUBVERSIVE BY THE U.S. ATTORNEY GENERAL OR OTHER FEDERAL AGENCIES.

IN HER PUBLISHED LETTER, MRS.MCCULLOUGH SAID DRAPER AND ADLER "OPENLY SUPPORTED" AT LEAST NINE ORGANIZATIONS ON THE SUBVERSIVE LIST.

AFTER STUDYING ALL THIS INFORMATION, MRS.MCCULLOUGH SAID SHE WENT TO SEE MRS.DONALD HYDE, CHAIRMAN OF THE PROGRAM COMMITTEE IN CHARGE OF THE DRAPER-ADLER CONCERT.

"I TOLD HER," THE WITNESS RELATED, "THAT I DIDN'T THINK THESE MEN WERE THE KIND OF MEN WHO SHOULD BE INVITED TO COME TO GREENWICH."

SHE SAID MRS.HYDE REPLIED THAT THE COMMITTEE MEMBERS "KNEW THEY (THE ENTERTAINERS) WERE COMMUNISTS BUT WHAT DIFFERENCE DID IT MAKE?"

"I FELT RATHER HORRIFIED," MRS. MCCULLOUGH SAID.

OTHER MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE, SHE SAID, ADVISED HER TO LET THE MATTER REST.

MRS.MCCULLOUGH WAS STILL ON THE WITNESS STAND WHEN THE TRIAL ADJOURNED UNTIL MONDAY.

ANOTHER WITNESS TODAY WAS JAMES F.GREEN OF OMAHA, NEB., CHAIRMAN OF THE AMERICAN LEGION'S AMERICANISM COMMITTEE. HE SAID DRAPER AND ADLER DISPLAYED "MARKED FRIENDSHIP" FOR COMMUNIST CAUSES IN NEW YORK AND CHICAGO.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 8 P.M., EST., TONIGHT, THURSDAY, MAY 18)

(ADVANCE) ROCK HILL,S.C.,MAY 18-(AP)-JAMES F.BYRNES, WORLD WAR II DIRECTOR OF WAR MOBILIZATION, URGED TONIGHT THAT THE UNITED STATES ENACT STAND-BY LEGISLATION AUTHORIZING BROAD POWERS FOR USE IN EVENT OF EMERGENCY.

"THE DIRECTOR OF WAR MOBILIZATION," HE SAID, "MUST HAVE THE COMPLETE CONFIDENCE OF THE PRESIDENT BECAUSE IF, IN A SINGLE INSTANCE, THE DIRECTOR'S DECISION IS REVERSED, HE CANNOT THEREAFTER COMMAND THE CONFIDENCE OF DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS. X X X

"THE NATIONAL SECURITY RESOURCES BOARD IS NOW PROPOSED AS AN ALTERNATIVE. ITS POWERS ARE NOT ADEQUATE. IT CAN ONLY MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE PRESIDENT. DURING A WAR WE CANNOT POSSIBLY FIND THE TIME TO CONSIDER THE RECOMMENDATIONS. THAT MEANS SOME UNKNOWN PERSON IN THE WHITE HOUSE WILL PASS UPON THE RECOMMENDATIONS. IT IS MUCH BETTER THAT SOME OFFICIAL ENJOYING THE CONFIDENCE OF THE PRESIDENT AND OF THE PUBLIC SHOULD RELIEVE THE PRESIDENT OF THE BURDEN OF MAKING SUCH DECISIONS. STAND-BY LEGISLATION GIVING THIS AUTHORITY AND BASED ON THE EXPERIENCE OF THE LAST WAR SHOULD BE ENACTED NOW."

SOME PEOPLE, BYRNES ADDED, SEEM TO FORGET THAT THE UNITED STATES WON THE LAST WAR.

"WHEN WE WON WITH CERTAIN GOVERNMENT MACHINERY, WHY INDULGE IN CERTAIN UNTRIED EXPERIMENTS?" HE ASKED.

BYRNES, CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR OF SOUTH CAROLINA IN THE JULY 11 DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY, PREPARED HIS ADDRESS FOR DELIVERY AT AN ARMED FORCES DAY OBSERVANCE HERE. HE MADE NO REFERENCE TO HIS CANDIDACY. BYRNES, A FORMER SECRETARY OF STATE AND ONE-TIME JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT, ASSERTED FLATLY THAT HE DID NOT EXPECT RUSSIA TO START A SHOOTING WAR ANY TIME SOON.

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SAN FRANCISCO,MAY 18-(AP)-LIAQUAT ALI KHAN, PAKISTAN'S PRIME MINISTER, WAS TO FLY TO LOS ANGELES THIS MORNING AFTER A LOOK AT FARM LIFE IN NORTHERN CALIFORNIA.

HE SPENT HIS FINAL DAY IN THIS AREA VISITING DAIRY FARMS AND TYPICAL CALIFORNIA RANCHES. HE WATCHED CROP DUSTING BY PLANE, SEEDING OPERATIONS, INSPECTED FARM LABOR HOUSING, VISITED AN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, SAW A HELICOPTER DEMONSTRATION AND VIEWED 4-H CLUB EXHIBITIONS.

THE PRIME MINISTER ATE TURKEY SALAD AND STRAWBERRY SHORTCAKE AND ANNOUNCED IT WAS THE BEST MEAL HE'D HAD IN THE UNITED STATES.

WHEN A FARMER COMPLAINED TO LIAQUAT ALI THAT EXPORT OF JUTE GRAIN BAGS FROM INDIA HAD CEASED, THE PRIME MINISTER SAID IT WAS BECAUSE THE INDIAN GOVERNMENT HAD REFUSED TO BUY JUTE FROM PAKISTAN.

"WE HAVE A WEALTH OF RAW JUTE," HE SAID. "WE PRODUCE 75 PER CENT OF THE WORLD'S SUPPLY. BUT WE HAVEN'T ONE JUTE MILL. YOU FOLKS SHOULD SET UP A FEW MILLS IN PAKISTAN SO YOU CAN GET YOUR GRAIN BAGS FROM THE COUNTRY THAT PRODUCES THEM."

IN HIS FINAL APPEARANCE HERE, LIAQUAT ALI LAST NIGHT PLEDGED PAKISTAN'S SUPPORT TO "THOSE NATIONS THAT WANT PEACE IN THE WORLD."

HE SAID "WHEN THE TIME COMES, PAKISTAN WILL STAND SIDE BY SIDE WITH THOSE WHO WANT PEACE IN THE WORLD."

THE PRIME MINISTER SAID TIES BETWEEN THE U.S. AND HIS COUNTRY WOULD NOT BE BROKEN UNLESS EITHER DEVIATES FROM THE PATHS OF TRUTH AND FREEDOM.

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A28KX (STUART)

TULSA, OKLA., MAY 18-(AP)-THE AIR FORCE IS WORKING TOWARD AN "INTERCONTINENTAL GUIDED MISSILE CAPABLE OF RACHING ALL POSSIBLE TARGET AREAS IN THE WORLD," ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR AIR HAROLD C.STUART SAID TODAY.

"WE DO NOT AS YET HAVE THE FINISHED 'HARDWARE,'" HE SAID, "BUT WE KNOW THAT THIS GOAL IS NOT IMPRACTICAL NOR IS ITS EXPENSE PROHIBITIVE."

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B80KX (ALI) (Q)
(120)
(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 10:30 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TONIGHT, MAY 18)
PRECEDE LOS ANGELES DAY.
HOLLYWOOD, MAY 18-(AP)-THE PRIME MINISTER OF PAKISTAN TOLD THE MOVIEMAKERS TONIGHT THAT THEY CAN, IF THEY WISH, WRITE ON STRIPS OF CELLULOID THE DECLARATION OF WORLD INTERDEPENDENCE.
CITING THE INTERNATIONAL FAME OF AMERICA'S CONSTITUTION AND DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE, LIAQUAT ALI KHAN SAID:
"IT IS NOW HIGH TIME THAT THE WORLD HAD ANOTHER DECLARATION NOT SUPERCEDING THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE BUT EXPANDING IT, NOT ABROGATING THE SOVEREIGNTY WHICH FREE PEOPLES HAVE WON FOR THEMSELVES WITH ARDSHIP, TOIL AND BLOOD, BUT EXPRESSING THE EQUALLY VALID AND EQUALLY NOBLE FACT OF THE INTERDEPENDENCE OF MEN AND NATIONS IN THE MODERN WORLD."
THE PRIME MINISTER AND THE BEGUM LIAQUAT ALI KHAN, HIS WIFE, WERE HONORED GUESTS OF THE ASSOCIATION OF MOTION PICTURE PRODUCERS AT A DINNER.
RE LIAQUAT ALI DECLARED EARLIER TODAY THAT THE PROBLEM OF KASHMIR
AINS THE CHIEF DISPUTE BETWEEN HIS COUNTRY AND HINDU INDIA.
MIN RECENT AGREEMENT BETWEEN PAKISTAN AND INDIA ON TREATMENT OF
MENTRITIES "HAS REMOVED THE ANXIETY OF MILLIONS, AND IF FULLY IMPLE-
ADDRED WILL GO A LONG WAY TOWARD EASING TENSION," HE SAID IN AN
THES BEFORE TOWN HALL.
TION LPRIME MINISTER POINTED OUT THAT THE BULK OF KASHMIR'S POPULA-
OF KASIKE THE MAJORITY OF THE PEOPLE IN PAKISTAN IS MOSLEM, YET MOST
"THEMIR IS UNDER INDIAN MILITARY OCCUPATION.
FOR A FRE IS AN INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN INDIA AND PAKISTAN
JOIN ONREE AND IMPARTIAL PLEBISCITE TO LET KASHMIR DECIDE WHETHER TO
TWO YEAE COUNTRY OR THE OTHER BUT---AND THIS IS OUR MAIN GRIEVANCE---
FJ10RS HAVE ELAPSED AND THE PLEBISCITE IS NOT YET IN SIGHT."
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B71
(260)
(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 9:30 PM EASTERN STANDARD TIME TONIGHT THURSDAY MAY 18)
(ADVANCE) (WX) NEW YORK, MAY 18-(AP)-ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE EDWARD W.BARRETT SAID TONIGHT THE UNITED STATES HAS REACHED A COLD WAR EMERGENCY WHICH DEMANDS A STEPPED UP AMERICAN "CAMPAIGN OF TRUTH" ABROAD.
THE SOVIET BLOC IN RECENT MONTHS IS DOING A "BETTER JOB THAN EVER BEFORE" IN TIGHTENING THE IRON CURTAIN AND JAMMING THE VOICE OF AMERICA RADIO, HE DECLARED.
DESCRIBING THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S OVERSEAS INFORMATION PROGRAM AS "ONE OF THE FEW HARD HITTING WEAPONS WE HAVE," BARRETT PLEADED FOR GREATER SUPPORT FROM PRIVATE AGENCIES. HIS REMARKS WERE PREPARED FOR DELIVERY BEFORE THE DELTA SIGMA CHI JOURNALISM FRATERNITY.
"BEGINNING IN JULY, WE PLAN TO HOLD A SERIES OF TALKS WITH REPRESENTATIVES OF PRIVATE AMERICAN MEDIA AND ORGANIZATIONS TO SEE IF WE CAN'T HELP EACH OTHER MORE," HE SAID.
BARRETT MADE A PLEA FOR GREATER COOPERATION FROM AMERICAN PRESS
SERVICES, IN DESCRIBING OPERATION OF THE DEPARTMENT'S WIRELESS BULLETIN RADIOED SIX DAYS A WEEK TO 130 AMERICAN MISSIONS OVERSEAS.
"THE OVERSEAS REPRESENTATIVES OF AMERICAN NEWSPAPERS, RADIO NETWORKS AND PRESS SERVICES HAVE FREQUENTLY BEEN GLAD TO HAVE THIS DEPARTMENT PROGRAM AVAILABLE, FOR WE ALWAYS GIVE THEM THIS TEXTUAL MATERIAL BEFORE IT IS PUBLICALLY RELEASED," HE SAID.
"I HOPE YOU WILL AGREE WITH ME THAT THE PRESS SERVICES HAVE AN EVEN MORE WEIGHTY REASON TO WELCOME THESE INFORMATION ACTIVITIES OF THE U.S. GOVERNMENT. AMONG THE OBJECTS OF THE GOVERNMENT IS TO KEEP IT POSSIBLE FOR A FREE PRESS TO EXIST AND OPERATE THROUGHOUT THE WORLD.
"CONTRARY, THEREFORE, TO WHAT WE SOMETIMES HEAR, THE INFORMATION PROGRAMS OF THIS NATION ARE IN HARMONY WITH THE MOST FUNDAMENTAL INTERESTS OF THE AMERICAN PRESS SERVICES AND IN NO WAY IMPAIR THEIR OBJECTIVITY AND INTEGRITY." X X X
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KX (APW) (260)
NEW YORK, MAY 18-(AP)-YUKIO OZAKI, 91, FORMER MAYOR OF TOKYO, AND DONOR OF THE FAMOUS CHERRY TREES PLANTED ALONG THE POTOMAC IN WASHINGTON, ARRIVED BY PLANE TONIGHT TO START A GOOD WILL TOUR OF AMERICA.
HE WAS ACCOMPANIED BY HIS DAUGHTER, MRS. YUKIKA SOMA, HIS SON, YUKITERU OZAKI, AND A SECRETARY AND NURSE.
FIFTY JAPANESE BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL MEN AND REPRESENTATIVES OF THE AMERICAN COUNCIL ON JAPAN GREETED OZAKI AT LA GUARDIA FIELD. THEY WERE LED BY EUGENE DOMAN, LITCHFIELD, CONN., VICE PRESIDENT OF THE AMERICAN COUNCIL ON JAPAN, AND KAZUHIE TSUKADA, CHAIRMAN OF THE JAPANESE BUSINESSMEN'S GROUP.
REPORTERS QUESTIONS WERE RELAYED TO OZAKI--WHO IS EXTREMELY HARD OF HEARING--BY HIS DAUGHTER.
HE SAID:
"I SHALL BE VERY HAPPY TO BRING THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN OUR COUNTRIES CLOSER. BESIDES THAT I HAVE NOTHING ELSE IN MIND ON MY TRIP TO YOUR COUNTRY.
"ONE OF THE WAYS TO BRING THAT ABOUT IS TO REPEAT MY REASONS FOR SENDING THE CHERRY TREES TO WASHINGTON AND TO EXPLAIN MY IDEAS ON A WORLD FEDERATION OF GOVERNMENTS.
"IT IS MOST IMPORTANT TO HAVE A MORAL ALLIANCE BETWEEN OUR COUNTRIES."
A FORMER MINISTER OF JUSTICE AND EDUCATION, OZAKI IS A FOUNDER IN JAPAN OF THE WORLD FEDERALIST MOVEMENT. HE LEFT TOKYO MAY 16. ON THE NIGHT OF MAY 24 HE WILL SPEAK AT A DINNER AND RECEPTION AT THE WALDORF-ASTORIA HOTEL, SPONSORED BY THE AMERICAN COUNCIL ON JAPAN.
ON MAY 26 HE WILL BE GUEST OF HONOR AT A LUNCHEON AT THE HOTEL PIERRE, SPONSORED BY THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF JAPANESE STUDIES. ON MAY 31 HE WILL GO TO WASHINGTON, WHERE HE SAID HE HOPES TO CONFER WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND MEMBERS OF CONGRESS.
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A30
(150)
NEW YORK, MAY 18-(AP)-SOME OF AMERICA'S ATOM BLUE-PRINTS WERE MISSING FOR TWO HOURS YESTERDAY BUT AUTHORITIES BLAMED JOYRIDERS AND NOT ATOMIC SPIES.

RAYMOND CABRE, 40, OF PATCHOGUE, N.Y., DRIVER OF A GOVERNMENT CAR, WENT INTO A BROOKLYN RESTAURANT FOR LUNCH. IN THE AUTO WERE TEN NON-SECRET ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION BLUEPRINTS DEALING WITH CONSTRUCTION WORK AT BROOKHAVEN NATIONAL LABORATORIES AT UPTON, LONG ISLAND, N.Y.

CABRE LEFT THE KEYS IN THE CAR. AFTER LUNCH HE DISCOVERED THE CAR WAS GONE. POLICE RADIO CARS SPED TO ALL BRIDGES, FERRY SLIPS AND MAIN HIGHWAYS LEADING OUT OF BROOKLYN.

TWO HOURS LATER, POLICE FOUND THE CAR ABANDONED NEAR CONEY ISLAND. THE PAPERS WERE INTACT. POLICE SAID THE OBJECT OF THE THEFT APPEARED TO BE "JOYRIDING."

A BROOKHAVEN OFFICIAL SAID THE PAPERS "WOULD NOT BE PARTICULARLY DANGEROUS IN THE HANDS OF AN UNAUTHORIZED PERSON."

THERE IS A LAW IN NEW YORK CITY ABOUT LEAVING THE KEYS IN A PARKED CAR. POLICE WEREN'T SURE WHETHER CABRE WOULD GET A TICKET OR NOT.

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B49
NEW YORK, MAY 18-(AP)-THE DIRECTOR OF BOYS TOWN, NEB., SAYS WESTERN GERMANS ARE LIVING BETTER THAN THE ENGLISH ALTHOUGH THE HOUSING SITUATION IS BAD ALL OVER EUROPE.

MSGR.NICHOLAS WEGNER, HEAD OF FATHER FLANAGAN'S BOYS' HOME, ARRIVED YESTERDAY AFTER A EUROPEAN TOUR.

"THE PEOPLE IN WESTERN GERMANY ARE CERTAINLY GETTING ENOUGH TO EAT AND LIVE MUCH BETTER THAN THE PEOPLE IN ENGLAND," HE SAID, "BUT HOUSING IS BAD ALL OVER EUROPE."

HE SAID THERE WAS "SURPRISINGLY LITTLE" JUVENILE DELINQUENCY IN GERMANY, AND THAT COMMUNISM WAS LITTLE IN EVIDENCE.

COMMUNIST SUPPORTERS, HE SAID HAD BEEN CHIEFLY "STOMACH COMMUNISTS, PEOPLE WHO BACKED COMMUNISM IN THE EARLY POSTWAR PERIOD ON THE PROMISE OF FOOD AND JOBS."

DURING HIS TOUR, MSGR.WEGNER VISITED THE "BOYS' REPUBLIC" IN ITALY, A COUNTERPART OF OUR BOYS TOWN.

TO EACH OF HIS OWN 800 BOYS, HE SAID, HE WAS BRINGING A ROSARY AND MEDAL BLESSED BY THE POPE.

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A172
PRECEDE NEW YORK (A88)
LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 18-(AP)-PREMIER MARSHAL TITO OF YUGOSLAVIA HAS NOT RETURNED TO BELGRADE FROM HIS COUNTRY PLACE AND WILL NOT TAKE PART AS SCHEDULED IN A BROADCAST TONIGHT BY THE AMERICAN BROADCASTING COMPANY, AN OFFICIAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS CORRESPONDENTS ASSOCIATION SAID TODAY. TITO IS EXPECTED TO PARTICIPATE IN A PROGRAM WITH U.N.C.A. REPORTERS OVER ABC NEXT WEEK.

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A88
NEW YORK, MAY 18-(AP)-THE AMERICAN BROADCASTING COMPANY SAYS MARSHAL TITO OF YUGOSLAVIA WILL BE ON ONE OF ITS BROADCASTS TONIGHT.

ABC SAID TITO WILL BE CONTACTED BY TRANSATLANTIC TELEPHONE AND ASKED TO GIVE HIS VIEWS ON INTERNATIONAL ATOMIC CONTROL.

A YUGOSLAV NEWSPAPERMAN, A MEMBER OF THE UNITED NATIONS CORRESPONDENTS' ASSOCIATION, WILL DO THE TALKING AND TRANSLATE FOR THE AUDIENCE WHAT THE MARSHAL SAYS.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE BROADCAST, FROM 9:30 P.M., TO 10 P.M. (EST), WERE MADE THROUGH THE YUGOSLAV U.N. DELEGATION, ABC SAID.

THE PROGRAM, WHICH HAS NO SPONSORS, IS TITLED "UNITED OR NOT." THE NETWORK SAID IT HOPES TO BRING, THROUGH ITS NEW PUBLIC AFFAIRS BROADCAST SERIES, "A CLOSER, CLEARER VIEW OF THE MAJOR ISSUES AND PROBLEMS FACED BY THE UNITED NATIONS."

BERNARD M.BARUCH, FINANCIER AND AUTHOR OF THE ATOMIC ENERGY CONTROL PLAN BACKED BY THIS COUNTRY IN THE U.N., WILL TAKE PART IN THE HALF-HOUR DISCUSSION.

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B40 (220)
KX (DALLAS ASKT)
NIGHT LEAD U.N.--WOMEN
LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 18-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN CALLED ON ALL BACKWARD AREAS TODAY TO GIVE SPECIAL ATTENTION TO THE ROLE OF WOMEN IN THEIR NATIONAL TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS.

THE RESOLUTION WAS INTENDED MAINLY AS A MOVE TO GET THE WOMEN TECHNICAL EXPERTS OF THE LESS DEVELOPED COUNTRIES INTO THE TRAINING PROGRAMS TO BE LAUNCHED IN THOSE COUNTRIES BY THE U.N.

IT ALSO IS INTENDED TO GET MORE WOMEN INTO THE INTERNATIONAL FELLOWSHIP AND SCHOLARSHIP SPONSORED BY THE U.N., THE SPECIALIZED AGENCIES, GOVERNMENTS AND NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS. AT PRESENT MEN ARE GETTING TOO LARGE A PROPORTION OF SUCH APPOINTMENTS, DELEGATES SAID.

THE ACTION CAME AT THE FINAL WORKING MEETING OF THE COMMISSION'S 1950 SESSION, WHICH BEGAN MAY 8. THE DELEGATES WILL MEET TOMORROW TO GIVE FORMAL APPROVAL TO THE COMMISSION'S REPORT TO THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL.

IN ANOTHER RESOLUTION ADOPTED, THE COMMISSION SOUGHT TO OBTAIN AID FOR VICTIMS OF NAZI MEDICAL EXPERIMENTS IN CONCENTRATION CAMPS DURING THE WAR. THE QUESTION WAS BROUGHT UP BY FRANCE PRIMARILY ON BEHALF OF 10 TO 20 WOMEN NOW IN FRANCE WHO WERE USED AS "HUMAN GUINEA PIGS" IN NAZI SURGICAL OPERATIONS OF VARIOUS KINDS. THE RESOLUTION WAS BROADENED TO INCLUDE MEN AFTER A LONG COMMISSION DEBATE.

THE RESOLUTION CALLS ON U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE TO BRING THE PLIGHT OF THESE NAZI VICTIMS TO THE ATTENTION OF THE SOCIAL COMMISSION, WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION AND OTHER APPROPRIATE AGENCIES.

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B17 (EGQ)
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LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 18-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN WANTS TO HOLD ITS 1951 SESSION IN LATIN AMERICA, BUT IT HASN'T BEEN INVITED YET.
THE ALL-WOMAN COMMISSION IS TRYING TO FINISH ITS 1950 SESSION SOMETIME TODAY, AAFTER FAILING TO WIND UP ITS WORK YESTERDAY AS ORIGINALLY PLANNED.
ONE OF THE LAST ITEMS ON ITS WORK SHEET IS CONSIDERATION OF THE SITE OF THE NEXT MEETING, BUT IT IS UNDERSTOOD THIS WILL HAVE TO BE LEFT OPEN. THE FINAL DECISION IS UP TO THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL, ANYWAY.
SEVERAL DELEGATES HAVE HINTED THAT THEY WOULD LIKE TO TRAVEL TO A NEW PART OF THE WORLD FOR THE 1951 MEETING, PREFERABLY TO LATIN AMERICA. THE 1949 SESSION WAS AT BEIRUT, LEBANON. THE PREVIOUS MEETINGS WERE AT LAKE SUCCESS.
SENORA AMLIC C. DE CASTILLO LEDON, MEXICAN REPRESENTATIVE, SAID LAST NIGHT THAT NO INVITATION HAS BEEN RECEIVED BY THE COMMISSION. SHE SMILED AND ADDED THAT SHE HOPED ONE WOULD COME THROUGH EVENTUALLY.
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A106
(230)
(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 9:30 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TONIGHT, THURSDAY, MAY 18)
(ADVANCE) UNITED NATIONS, NEW YORK, MAY 18-(AP)-BERNARD M. BARUCH SAID TODAY ANY NATION STARTING A WAR SHOULD BE SUBJECT TO PUNISHMENT BY ATOMIC BOMBS OR ANYTHING ELSE.
HE SAID HE STILL STANDS BY THE UNITED NATIONS MAJORITY-APPROVED PLAN FOR ATOMIC CONTROL, BASED ON A PROGRAM HE PRESENTED FOR THE UNITED STATES JUNE 17, 1946.
BARUCH'S VIEWS ON ATOMIC ENERGY WERE EXPRESSED IN A RECORDED BROADCAST OVER THE AMERICAN BROADCASTING COMPANY IN WHICH MEMBERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS CORRESPONDENTS ASSOCIATION TOOK PART. BARUCH OPENED A NEW PUBLIC AFFAIRS BROADCAST SERIES PUT ON BY ABC AND THE CORRESPONDENTS ASSOCIATION CALLED "UNITED OR NOT." THE PROGRAM HAS NO SPONSOR.
THE FORMER UNITED STATES ATOMIC DELEGATE WAS ASKED BY NICOLAS KYRIAZIDIS, GREEK COMMUNIST CORRESPONDENT OF THE LONDON DAILY WORKER, WHETHER HE WOULD AGREE THAT ANY GOVERNMENT FIRST USING ATOMIC WEAPONS SHOULD BE BRANDED IMMEDIATELY AS A WAR CRIMINAL.
"I DON'T THINK IT SHOULD UNLESS IT COMMENCES THE WAR ITSELF," BARUCH REPLIED. "ANY AGGRESSOR SHOULD BE SUBJECTED TO ANY PUNISHMENT BY ATOMIC BOMBS OR ANYTHING ELSE."
IN AN OPENING STATEMENT, BARUCH TOLD THE CORRESPONDENTS HE APPEARED AS A PRIVATE CITIZEN ANDHIS VIEWS ARE HIS OWN.
PLANS HAD BEEN MADE TO CONTACT PREMIER MARSHAL TITO OF YUGOSLAVIA BY TRANSATLANTIC TELEPHONE FOR HIS VIEWS ON ATOMIC CONTROL BUT TITO WAS VACATIONING AT HIS COUNTRY PLACE AND UNAVAILABLE. IT WAS SAID HE WOULD TAKE PART IN THE BROADCAST NEXT WEEK.
(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 9:30 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TONIGHT, THURSDAY, MAY 18)
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B19 (Q)
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U.N.--ARMS (380)

MAY 19 1950

BY MAX HARRELSON
LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 18-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES SUBMITTED TO THE UNITED NATIONS TODAY DETAILED PLANS FOR AN INTERNATIONAL SYSTEM OF SAFEGUARDS WHICH THIS COUNTRY INSISTS MUST BE PART OF ANY ARMS REDUCTION PROGRAM.
THE CENTRAL PROVISION OF THE PLAN CALLS FOR SETTING UP AN INTERNATIONAL AGENCY WITH RIGHTS TO VERIFY ARMS FIGURES AND TO CARRY ON INSPECTIONS WITH THE AIM OF DETECTING VIOLATIONS OF ARMS TREATIES.
U.S. DELEGATE FRANK C.NASH OUTLINED THE PLAN AFTER TELLING THE WORKING COMMITTEE OF THE U.N. COMMISSION FOR CONVENTIONAL ARMAMENTS THAT A SYSTEM OF SAFEGUARDS IS "THE HEART AND CORE OF A GENUINELY PRACTICAL AND EFFECTIVE PLAN OF DISARMAMENT."
NASH NOTED THE ABSENCE OF THE SOVIET DELEGATE, WHO IS BOYCOTTING THE COMMITTEE IN PROTEST AGAINST THE PRESENCE OF THE CHINESE NATIONALIST REPRESENTATIVE, AND EXPRESSED HIS REGRETS. HE SAID, HOWEVER, THAT THE COMMITTEE IS ENGAGED AT THE MOMENT ONLY IN PLANNING AND, THEREFORE, IT CAN GO AHEAD WITHOUT RUSSIA.
NASH MADE IT CLEAR THAT THE UNITED STATES SEES NO CHANCE OF IMPLEMENTING ANY ARMS REDUCTION PLANS UNTIL WORLD CONDITIONS IMPROVE, BUT HE EXPRESSED BELIEF THAT "THIS PLANNING WORK IS BY NO MEANS AN IDLE AND FUTILE EXERCISE."
"WITHOUT SUCH A SYSTEM OF ADEQUATE SAFEGUARDS," HE SAID, "ANY PLIN OF DISARMAMENT WOULD BE BUT AN EMPTY SHELL IN WHICH NO NATION COULD SAFELY TAKE REFUGE UNDER THE CIRCUMSTANCES OF INSECURITY AND DISTRUST WHICH ARE RIFE IN THE WORLD TODAY."
AFTER HEARING THE U.S. PROPOSAL, THE COMMITTEE ADJOURNED TO GIVE THE MEMBERS A CHANCE TO STUDY IT. NO DATE WAS SET FOR THE NEXT MEETING, BUT IT WAS AGREED IT WOULD BE SOME TIME IN JUNE.
UNDER THE U.S. PLAN, THE UNITED NATIONS WOULD SET UP AN INTERNATIONAL AGENCY WHICH WOULD CONSIST OF A GOVERNING BOARD OF 11 MEMBERS, AN INSPECTION CORPS AND A SECRETARIAT. THE MEMBERSHIP IN THE GOVERNING BOARD WOULD BE THE SAME AS THE MEMBERSHIP IN THE 11-NATION SECURITY COUNCIL.
IF THE AGENCY FOUND ANY EVIDENCE OF VIOLATIONS OF DISARMAMENT TREATIES, IT WOULD REPORT TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL. IT WOULD BE THE DUTY OF ALL SIGNATORY COUNTRIES TO GIVE FREE ENTRY AND EXIT FOR ACCREDITED REPRESENTATIVES OF THE AGENCY.
THE UNITED STATES PROPOSED THAT THE ARMS REDUCTION TREATIES HAVE PROVISIONS TO GET AROUND SECURITY COUNCIL VETOES. THE PLAN PROVIDES THAT FAILURE OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL TO CORRECT VIOLATIONS OR OTHERWISE ENFORCE THE TREATY SHOULD RELIEVE PARTICIPATING COUNTRIES OF THEIR TREATY OBLIGATIONS AND PERMIT FREEDOM OF INDIVIDUAL OR COLLECTIVE SELF-DEFENSE.
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B20WX (Q)

A202
(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, THURSDAY, MAY 18)
AMS BUDGET (320)
(ADVANCE)..NEW YORK, MAY 18-(AP)-BERNARD M.BARUCH CALLED WASHINGTON "THE CAPITAL OF INDECISION" TONIGHT IN WARNING ANEW THAT THE UNITED STATES CAN LOSE ANY FUTURE WAR BY FAILURE TO PLAN MOBILIZATION NOW.

THE FINANCIER AND "ELDER STATESMAN" ALSO DENOUNCED WHAT HE TERMED THE "SHOCKING IMMORALITY" OF PROPOSING A STANDBY MANPOWER DRAFT LAW WITHOUT PROVIDING AT THE SAME TIME FOR THE WARTIME DRAFT OF MONEY, FARMS, FACTORIES AND MINES.

BARUCH'S ADDRESS WAS PREPARED FOR A COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY SEMINAR ON ECONOMIC MOBILIZATION.

"TODAY SOVIET MOBILIZATION READINESS SURPASSES OUR OWN," BARUCH SAID. "THAT IS ONE REASON THE DIPLOMATIC INITIATIVE IN THE COLD WAR IS BEING PRESSED BY THE SOVIETS X X X

"THESE ARE THE YEARS OF DECISION, WHICH WE NOW ARE PASSING THROUGH. YET WASHINGTON TODAY IS THE CAPITAL OF INDECISION."

RECALLING THAT IT TOOK TWO AND ONE-HALF YEARS FOR AMERICAN PRODUCTION TO REACH A PEAK IN WORLD WAR II, BARUCH ASSERTED:

"THERE IS ONLY ONE WAR PLAN ANY AGGRESSOR CAN HAVE--TO SEEK TO OVERWHELM US DURING THAT 'TOO LITTLE AND TOO LATE' PERIOD WHILE OUR MILITARY POWER IS STILL 'ON ORDER.' X X X

"TO WAIT UNTIL BOMBS ARE FALLING BEFORE WE BEGIN TO LEGISLATE MAY CAUSE THE LOSS OF THE WAR."

BARUCH SAID THE "TRIAL AND ERROR" PLANNING METHODS OF WORLD WAR II PROLONGED THE CONFLICT BY AT LEAST A YEAR, ADDED $100,000,000,000 (B) TO THE WAR'S COST AND LEFT "HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS KILLED AND WOUNDED NEEDLESSLY."

"ALTHOUGH THE COLD WAR IS NOW IN ITS FIFTH YEAR, WE STILL LACK THE EQUIVALENT OF A GLOBAL STRATEGY FOR THE PEACEWAGING," BARUCH SAID.

"WE STILL LACK THE EQUIVALENT OF A GENERAL STAFF TO DEVISE SUCH A STRATEGY AND TO DIRECT THE DISPOSITION OF OUR STRAINED RESOURCES FOR MAXIMUM EFFECTIVENESS.

"WE STILL TALK 'TOTAL DIPLOMACY' WITHOUT TOTALLING WHAT THE WHOLE OF THE PEACEMAKING REQUIRES IN ALL PARTS OF THE GLOBE--NOT JUST ONE AREA.

"WE CONTINUE TO DISSIPATE OUR RESOURCES WITHOUT DECISION.

"AGAINST WHOM IS THE 'COLD WAR' BEING FOUGHT? READING THE NEWSPAPERS THESE DAYS ONE WOULD THINK WE ARE WAGING THE 'COLD WAR' AGAINST THE AMERICAN PEOPLE. LET US CALL A HALT TO THIS 'COLD WAR' AT HOME. LET US CONCENTRATE ON WINNING THE 'COLD WAR' ABROAD."

(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, THURSDAY, MAY 18).

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A102
(220)
U.N.-HUMAN RIGHTS
BY FRANCIS W. CARPENTER

LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 18-(AP)-THE FIRST COVENANT ON HUMAN RIGHTS, LAYING DOWN POLITICAL AND CIVIL LIBERTIES FOR PEOPLES OF THE WORLD, WAS COMPLETED TODAY BY THE UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS.

IT WAS SENT TO THE U.N. ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL FOR EVENTUAL TRANSMISSION TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF 59 NATIONS THIS FALL.

MRS. FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT, UNITED STATES DELEGATE AND COMMISSION CHAIRMAN, HAILED THE DOCUMENT AS A GOOD BEGINNING IN THE LONG STRUGGLE FOR HUMAN RIGHTS WHICH WILL LAST MANY YEARS. THE SOVIET UNION DID NOT TAKE PART IN DRAFTING THE COVENANT, AND MRS. ROOSEVELT PREDICTED THE RUSSIANS WOULD NOT ACCEPT IT.

PROVISIONS OF THE COVENANT INCLUDE:

1. EVERYONE'S RIGHT TO LIFE SHALL BE PROTECTED BY LAW.
2. NO ONE SHALL BE SUBJECTED TO TORTURE OR TO CRUEL, INHUMAN OR DEGRADING TREATMENT OR PUNISHMENT.
3. NO ONE SHALL BE HELD IN SLAVERY. SLAVERY AND THE SLAVE TRADE SHALL BE PROHIBITED.
4. EVERYONE SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO RECOGNITION EVERYWHERE AS A PERSON BEFORE THE LAW.
5. EVERYONE SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO FREEDOM OF THOUGHT, CONSCIENCE AND RELIGION; EVERYONE SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO FREEDOM OF OPINION AND EXPRESSION.

THE COVENANT SETS UP A HUMAN RIGHTS COMMITTEE OF SEVEN MEMBERS WHICH WILL HAVE THE ASSIGNMENT OF CARRYING OUT THE PROVISIONS. THE COMMITTEE SHALL BE ELECTED FROM A PANEL OF PERSONS OF HIGH STANDING DRAWN FROM COUNTRIES SIGNING THE COVENANT.

THE COVENANT SHALL BE EFFECTIVE AS SOON AS 20 COUNTRIES HAVE APPROVED IT. IT MAY BE SIGNED BY U.N. MEMBERS OR ANY NON-MEMBER TO WHICH THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY EXTENDS AN INVITATION.

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A190
AMS BUDGET (380)
NIGHT LEAD ACHESON (ROUNDUP)
BY SYDNEY MIRKIN

MAY 20 1950

LONDON, MAY 19-(AP)-SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON PLEDGED THE UNITED STATES TODAY TO SPEARHEAD A RELENTLESS FIGHT FOR PEACE ALONG THE BORDERS OF THE SPRAWLING COMMUNIST WORLD.

THE UNITED STATES ALSO JOINED WITH BRITAIN AND FRANCE IN MOVES TOWARD LIFTING OCCUPATION CONTROLS IN THE WESTERN ZONES OF AUSTRIA. THE BIG THREE SAID THERE IS APPARENTLY NO HOPE FOR AN IMMEDIATE AGREEMENT WITH RUSSIA ON AN AUSTRIAN TREATY OF INDEPENDENCE.

PENDING SUCH AGREEMENT THEY HAVE DECIDED TO "LIGHTEN THE BURDEN OF THE OCCUPATION IN AUSTRIA," A COMMUNIQUE SAID. THEY WILL APPOINT CIVILIAN HIGH COMMISSIONERS TO REPLACE MILITARY GOVERNORS. WESTERN TROOPS WILL REMAIN IN AUSTRIA AS SECURITY FORCES.

IN A STATEMENT BEFORE SAILING FROM LIVERPOOL ABOARD THE LINER BRITANNIC, ACHESON PROMISED CONTINUED SUPPORT TO INDOCHINA, GREECE, TURKEY, IRAN AND GERMANY IN ANY STRUGGLE FOR FREEDOM FROM AGGRESSION.

HE SAID THE WORK OF THE ATLANTIC PACT COUNCIL JUST COMPLETED "HAS BEEN A POSITIVE INFLUENCE FOR PEACE BEHIND THE NORTH ATLANTIC AREA," AND HE ADDED:

"THIS INFLUENCE SHOULD BE FELT IN INCREASING MEASURE AS THE DEFENSE POSITION OF THAT (NORTH ATLANTIC) AREA IS PROGRESSIVELXCONSOLIDATED.

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"MEANWHILE, I WISH TO REAFFIRM THE DEEP INTEREST OF THE UNITED STATES IN THE SECURITY OF GREECE, TURKEY AND IRAN AND OUR DETERMINATION TO CONTINUE OUR POLICY OF SUPPORTING THESE AND OTHER COUNTRIES WHICH ARE STRIVING THROUGH MILITARY AND ECONOMIC EFFORTS TO SAFEGUARD THEIR INDEPENDENCE AND TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY."

LATER, BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN ISSUED A STATEMENT ECHOING ACHESON'S DECLARATIONS ON THE THREE MIDDLE EASTERN COUNTRIES IN ALMOST THE SAME WORDS.

ACHESON SAID "WE LOOK FORWARD TO AN INCREASINGLY CLOSE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN GERMANY AND THE DEMOCRATIC NATIONS OF THE WEST." HE ADDED THAT "WE WELCOME THE BOLD AND IMAGINATIVE PROPOSAL" OF FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN TO POOL THE STEEL RESOURCES OF GERMANY AND FRANCE.

THAT, SAID ACHESON, WOULD BE "A VERY REAL CONTRIBUTION NOT ONLY TO THE STRENGTHENING OF RELATIONS BETWEEN FRANCE AND GERMANY BUT TO THE INTEGRATION AND EXPANSION OF THE EUROPEAN ECONOMY."

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SUPPORT FOR SCHUMAN'S PLAN CAME FROM THE POWERFUL WEST GERMAN TRADE UNION FEDERATION IN DUESSELDORF. THE FEDERATION, CLAIMING 5,000,000 MEMBERS, CALLED THE PLAN "ONE STEP ON THE ROAD TO UNITY" AND SAID GERMAN TRADE UNIONS ARE "FULLY IN FAVOR OF AN ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL UNION OF EUROPE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE."

DESPITE PROGRESS MADE IN LONDON, ACHESON WARNED THAT THERE IS HARD WORK AHEAD.

"I FEEL THAT THE FREE NATIONS OF THE WEST ARE MAKING PROGRESS ALONG THE ROAD LEADING TOWARDS THE UNIVERSAL GOAL OF PEACE," HE SAID. "TO THIS END WE ARE DEVOTING AND WILL CONTINUE TO DEVOTE OUR UNSWERVING EFFORT.

"THIS MEANS HARD AND CONSTANT WORK AND THE CLOSEST KIND OF COOPERATION ON ALL THE FIELDS OF NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL LIFE."

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SECOND LEAD ACHESON-AUSTRIAN (ROUNDUP)
BY SYDNEY MIRKIN

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LONDON, MAY 19-(AP)-THE BIG THREE ANNOUNCED TODAY THERE IS NO HOPE IN THE IMMEDIATE FUTURE FOR RUSSIAN AGREEMENT TO AN AUSTRIAN INDEPENDENCE TREATY. THEY SET IN MOTION PLANS TO LIFT MOST OCCUPATION CONTROLS IN THE WESTERN ZONES OF AUSTRIA.

AT THE SAME TIME U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON DECLARED THAT THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY HAS BEEN "A POSITIVE INFLUENCE FOR PEACE BEYOND THE NORTH ATLANTIC AREA." ACHESON ISSUED A STATEMENT BEFORE BOARDING THE LINER BRITTANIC AT LIVERPOOL FOR THE RETURN TRIP FROM THE HISTORIC NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY FOREIGN MINISTERS' MEETINGS HERE.

THE U.S. SECRETARY, REVIEWING THE ACHIEVEMENTS IN BIG THREE AND 12-NATION TALKS OF THE PAST 10 DAYS, CALLED FOR "HARD AND CONSTANT WORK AND THE CLOSEST KIND OF COOPERATION IN ALL THE FIELDS OF NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL LIFE."

ACHESON SAID THE NORTH ATLANTIC COUNCIL HAD PROVIDED "MEANS FOR PERFECTING THE COMMON DEFENSE AS A DETERRENT TO AGGRESSION IN ORDER THAT PEACE MAY BE MORE SECURE." THE TREATY ALREADY, HE SAID, HAS MADE ITS INFLUENCE FELT OVER A WIDE AREA, PARTICULARLY IN ENCOURAGING DEVELOPMENTS IN GREECE, IRAN AND TURKEY, AREAS WHOSE SECURITY, ACHESON SAID, "IS A MATTER OF SPECIAL CONCERN."

ELABORATING ON THEIR AGREEMENT ON AUSTRIA REACHED HERE, BRITAIN, FRANCE AND THE UNITED STATES ANNOUNCED THEY WOULD REPLACE MILITARY GOVERNORS IN THEIR OCCUPATION ZONES WITH CIVILIAN HIGH COMMISSIONERS WHO WILL DOUBLE AS DIPLOMATIC REPRESENTATIVES OF THEIR COUNTRIES IN AUSTRIA.

AN AMERICAN SPOKESMAN SAID THE AUSTRIAN DECISIONS REACHED BY ACHESON, BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY BEVIN AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN WERE NOT TO BE CONSIDERED A SUBSTITUTE FOR A FINAL INDEPENDENCE TREATY. BUT WESTERN DIPLOMATS FEEL THE RUSSIANS ARE NOT LIKELY TO AGREE IN THE NEAR FUTURE ON AUSTRIA.

WHILE FOUR-POWER TREATIES PREVENT CONCLUSION OF A SEPARATE TREATY WITH AUSTRIA, THE FOREIGN MINISTERS FELT THEY COULD GIVE ALMOST ALL THE TRIMMINGS OF FREEDOM WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF EXISTING AGREEMENTS WITH THE RUSSIANS. THESE WOULD CONSIST OF LIMITING THE POWERS OF THE MILITARY COURTS IN THE WESTERN ZONES AND THE STRENGTHENING OF AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT AUTHORITY.

A BRIEF COMMUNIQUE ISSUED AS A RESULT OF AMERICAN-BRITISH-FRENCH TALKS ON AUSTRIA SAID THE "UNWILLINGNESS OF THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT TO SETTLE ALL OUTSTANDING ISSUES" PREVENTS THE CONCLUSION OF AN AUSTRIAN TREATY OF INDEPENDENCE.

U.S.SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON, BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN REAFFIRMED IN THE STATEMENT THAT THEIR POLICY IS DIRECTED TOWARD THE EARLIEST POSSIBLE COMPLETION OF A TREATY AND THE WITHDRAWAL OF WESTERN OCCUPATION FORCES.

IT ALSO IS INTENDED TO STRENGTHEN THE AUTHORITY OF THE AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT, THEY SAID.

THE WESTERN DECISION WILL PRODUCE IN AUSTRIA A SITUATION SIMILAR TO THAT IN GERMANY, WHERE CIVILIAN HIGH COMMISSIONERS REPLACED MILITARY GOVERNORS ABOUT A YEAR AGO IN THE WESTERN ZONES.

AT THAT TIME JOHN J.MCCLOY REPLACED GEN.LUCIUS D.CLAY AS OCCUPATION ADMINISTRATOR FOR GERMANY, AND BRITAIN AND FRANCE MADE SIMILAR CHANGES. IN AUSTRIA, LT.GEN.GEOFFREY KEYES HAS BEEN U.S. OCCUPATION COMMANDER SINCE MAY, 1947.

AUSTRIA HAS BEEN PRESSING FOR FULL WITHDRAWAL OF OCCUPATION TROOPS AND MUCH BROADER POWERS FOR HER OWN GOVERNMENT. RUSSIA HAS REJECTED HER APPEAL IN FULL, BUT THE WESTERN POWERS HAVE AGREED TO GIVE IT CONSIDERATION.

THE NATION, WHICH WAS ABSORBED BY HITLER'S REICH BEFORE WORLD WAR II, HAS BEEN OCCUPIED BY THE FOUR BIG POWERS SINCE THE WAR'S END. VIENNA, LIKE BERLIN, IS DIVIDED INTO FOUR SECTORS.

EFFORTS TO WRITE A TREATY OF INDEPENDENCE FOR AUSTRIA HAVE COME TO NOTHING IN FOUR YEARS OF FOUR-POWER CONFERENCES-- 253 SESSIONS, ALL GOLD. SOVIET DEMANDS UPON THE AUSTRIAN ECONOMY REMAIN THE OUTSTANDING OBSTACLES IN THE WAY OF SUCH A TREATY.

IN RECENT MONTHS THE UNITED STATES HAS BEEN PRESSING BOTH BRITAIN AND FRANCE TO RELIEVE THE OCCUPATION BURDEN ON THE AUSTRIANS, BY HAVING WESTERN ARMED FORCES PAY THEIR OWN WAY IN THE SAME MANNER AS U.S. FORCES HAVE BEEN DOING.

ACHESON, HEARTENED BY THE RESULTS OF HIS 10 DAYS OF CONFERENCES, TOOK THE BOAT TRAIN AT EUSTON STATION FOR LIVERPOOL AND THE BOAT TRIP HOME. THE U.S. EMBASSY STAFF GAVE HIM A BIG SENDOFF AND ONE MEMBER OF HIS STAFF COMMENTED:

"HE IS LOOKING FORWARD TO A COMPLETE REST DURING THE EIGHT-DAY SEA VOYAGE."

AN AMERICAN SPOKESMAN, DISCUSSING THE AUSTRIAN AGREEMENT LATER IN THE DAY, SAID THERE WOULD BE NO WITHDRAWAL OF WESTERN TROOPS FROM AUSTRIA AT THIS TIME, BUT THAT IN FUTURE THEY WOULD BE CONSIDERED SECURITY FORCES RATHER THAN OCCUPATION TROOPS.

THE DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTERS, MEANWHILE, ANNOUNCED THEY WOULD HOLD THEIR 254TH MEETING MONDAY FOR FURTHER NEGOTIATIONS ON AN AUSTRIAN INDEPENDENCE TREATY. THERE WERE HINTS THAT SUCH MEETINGS WOULD BE HELD ABOUT EVERY SIX WEEKS OR TWO MONTHS. THE WEST FEELS THE RUSSIANS HAVE NO INTENTION OF COMPLETING A TREATY, INFORMANTS SAID, BUT WANTS TO KEEP THE NEGOTIATING MACHINERY GREASED JUST IN CASE.

ACHESON XXX AS BEFORE.

IN HIS PARTING STATEMENT, ACHESON ANNOUNCED THAT HE, BEVIN AND SCHUMAN AGREED THAT BIG THREE TALKS SHOULD BE HELD AS FREQUENTLY AS POSSIBLE. HE SAID THE THREE HAD EXAMINED THE ENTIRE SOUTHEAST ASIA SITUATION AND "EXPRESSED OUR FIRM INTENTION OF ENCOURAGING AND SUPPORTING THE NEW GOVERNMENTS IN THAT AREA." THIS REFERRED PARTICULARLY TO COMMUNIST-THREATENED INDOCHINA.

"THE UNITED STATES," ACHESON SAID, "IS CONVINCED THAT NEITHER INTERNATIONAL INDEPENDENCE NOR DEMOCRATIC EVOLUTION CAN EXIST WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF SOVIET IMPERIALISM."

TURNING TO THE ECONOMIC FIELD, THE SECRETARY SAID THE UNITED STATES AND CANADA HAD EXPRESSED DETERMINATION TO TAKE PART IN "WHAT I EXPECT WILL BE A DEVELOPMENT OF COOPERATION BETWEEN OUR TWO COUNTRIES OF NORTH AMERICA AND THE COUNTRIES OF EUROPE."

THEN HE SAID HE WAS ENCOURAGED BY THE OVERALL PICTURE OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC COUNCIL AND ITS PROGRESS.

"I FEEL THAT THE FREE NATIONS OF THE WEST ARE MAKING PROGRESS ALONG THE ROAD LEADING TOWARDS THE UNIVERSAL GOAL OF PEACE," HE SAID.

"WE ARE GOING FORWARD WITH THE JOB OF CREATING CONDITIONS OF SECURITY AND OF INCREASED ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL WELL BEING IN THE FREE WORLD."

IN THIS RESPECT, ACHESON FOUND THAT THE ATLANTIC TREATY ALREADY HAD MADE PROGRESS IN AREAS OF "CERTAIN COUNTRIES WHICH ARE NOT MEMBERS OF THE ATLANTIC COUNCIL AND WHOSE SECURITY IS A MATTER OF SPECIAL CONCERN."

"IN GREECE, THE SITUATION HAS BEEN GREATLY IMPROVED BY THE TERMINATION OF GUERRILLA WARFARE," HE SAID. "IN TURKEY PROGRESS HAS BEEN MADE TOWARDS STRENGTHENING ITS DEFENSE ESTABLISHMENTS. X X X

"IN IRAN, CONSTRUCTIVE INITIATIVE HAS BEEN DEMONSTRATED IN UNDERTAKING AN EXTENSIVE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM DESIGNED TO RAISE THE LIVING STANDARDS OF ITS PEOPLE."

ACHESON WAS IN LARGE MEASURE PERSONALLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THE APPROVAL YESTERDAY BY THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE 12 NORTH ATLANTIC PACT COUNTRIES OF NEW MEASURES TO REPEL BOTH MILITARY AND ECONOMIC THREATS TO THE WEST.

HE HAS BEEN THE CHIEF PROPONENT OF THE STRATEGY OF KNITTING THE WESTERN NATIONS INTO A TIGHTER, MORE COHESIVE GROUP, RATHER THAN THE LOOSELY-ORGANIZED ALLIANCE WHICH HAS FUNCTIONED IN THE PAST. HE LEFT WASHINGTON MAY 7 WITH A PLAN FOR A PERMANENT COUNCIL TO OVERSEE THE MILITARY AND ECONOMIC PROGRESS OF THE PACT MEMBERS.

AT THE MEETING ENDING YESTERDAY THE FOREIGN MINISTERS ADOPTED THAT PLAN. THE COUNCIL WILL COME INTO BEING AS SOON AS THE MEMBER NATIONS NAME THEIR REPRESENTATIVES. WHILE IT PROBABLY WILL BE WEEKS BEFORE THE FIRST MEETING OF THE NEW GROUP, AMERICAN INFORMANTS SAY ACHESON IS CONVINCED THE WEST IS AT LAST ON THE RIGHT ROAD.

OF EQUAL IMPORTANCE IN THE AMERICAN VIEW IS THE GENERAL APPROVAL OF A PLAN TO HAVE EACH OF THE 12 NATIONS SPECIALIZE IN CERTAIN FORMS OF MILITARY ORGANIZATION RATHER THAN TO LET EACH BUILD A SEPARATE FORCE EQUIPPED FOR ALL TYPES OF WARFARE.

ELIMINATION OF WASTEFUL DUPLICATION, THE AMERICANS BELIEVE, SHOULD HELP IN KEEPING NEW DEFENSE EFFORTS FROM BEING TOO GREAT A BURDEN ON THE ECONOMIES OF WESTERN EUROPE. THE WESTERN NATIONS DO NOT WANT THEIR CONSTANTLY IMPROVING ECONOMIC REHABILITATION TO SUFFER FROM MILITARY EXPENDITURES.

ONLY ONE OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT STILL REMAINS TO BE MADE AS A RESULT OF THE DIPLOMATIC MEETINGS HERE DURING THE LAST TWO WEEKS. THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS--THOSE OF BRITAIN, FRANCE AND THE UNITED STATES--WILL ANNOUNCE TODAY THEIR PLANS FOR THE FUTURE OF AUSTRIA.

ACHESON, BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN MET HERE YESTERDAY TO DECIDE THEIR NEW JOINT POLICY ON AUSTRIA, WHICH THEIR COUNTRIES OCCUPY ALONG WITH RUSSIA. THE BIG THREE DELAYED THEIR ANNOUNCEMENT UNTIL TODAY.

THEIR COMMUNIQUE IS EXPECTED TO CHARGE RUSSIA WITH MAKING IT IMPOSSIBLE TO REACH FOUR-POWER AGREEMENT ON AN AUSTRIAN INDEPENDENCE TREATY. NEGOTIATIONS FOR SUCH A TREATY HAVE BEEN GOING ON FOR MORE THAN THREE YEARS.

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SOME DIPLOMATIC SOURCES PREDICT THE WESTERN OCCUPATION POWERS WILL ANNOUNCE THE APPOINTMENT OF CIVILIAN HIGH COMMISSIONERS TO REPLACE THE MILITARY GOVERNMENTS IN THEIR ZONES OF AUSTRIA.

IT ALSO IS CONSIDERED POSSIBLE THAT THERE WILL BE SOME REDUCTION OF AUSTRIAN PAYMENTS TO BRITAIN AND FRANCE FOR THE OCCUPATION COSTS. THE AMERICANS PAY THEIR OWN WAY.

ACHESON WILL SAIL FROM LIVERPOOL FOR HOME TODAY ABOARD THE LINER BRITANNIC (AT 9 A.M. EST). WITH HIM ARE AMBASSADOR-AT-LARGE PHILIP C. JESSUP, ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE GEORGE W.PERKINS AND A STAFF OF EXPERTS. THE TRIP IS SCHEDULED TO TAKE EIGHT DAYS.

ACHESON ARRIVED IN PARIS MAY 8 FOR CONFERENCES WITH SCHUMAN. HE CAME TO LONDON MAY 10 TO MEET WITH BEVIN. THEN THE THREE MET FOR THREE DAYS.

HE HAD ONE DAY OFF FOR AN EXCURSION INTO THE ENGLISH COUNTRYSIDE BEFORE THE ATLANTIC PACT COUNCIL MEETINGS STARTED MONDAY.

LONDON NEWSPAPERS FROM THE FAR RIGHT TO THE FAR LEFT TODAY FOUND SOME FAULT WITH THE WORK OF THE PACT MINISTERS BUT MOST OF THEM WERE GENERALLY FAVORABLE.

THE CONSERVATIVE DAILY MAIL SAID THE MINISTERS' COMMUNIQUE YESTERDAY ON THE CONFERENCE RESULTS WAS THE "WORST KIND OF JARGON, WHICH CAN MEAN ANYTHING--OR NOTHING."

"THE DEFENSIVE PLAN NOW IN EXISTENCE," THE MAIL SAID, "IS ONLY A PAPER PLAN. THERE IS NOTHING TO BACK IT UP. WESTERN EUROPE IS VIRTUALLY WIDE OPEN TO ATTACK FROM THE EAST."

THE COMMUNIST DAILY WORKER SAID THE COMMUNIQUE MEANT "WAR DANGER

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IS A TERRIBLE REALITY."
"EUROPE WILL CONTRIBUTE THE CANNON FODDER AND AMERICANS THE AIR FORCE AND NAVY," THE WORKER CONTINUED.
THE CONSERVATIVE DAILY TELEGRAPH SAID A "YAWNING OMISSION" IN THE COMMUNIQUE WAS A LACK OF "ANY OFFICIAL RECOGNITION THAT SPAIN IS AN INDISPENSABLE FACTOR IN THIS DEFENSE SYSTEM."
"THE MINISTERS HAVE DONE WELL," SAID THE INDEPENDENT LONDON TIMES, "BUT THEY HAVE NOT SOLVED THE CRUCIAL PROBLEM OF HOW MUCH THE WESTERN POWERS CAN AFFORD TO SPEND ON DEFENSE."
THE WORK OF THE CONFERENCE WAS LAUDED ALSO BY THE LABORITE DAILY HERALD, THE LIBERAL NEWS CHRONICLE AND THE CONSERVATIVE GRAPHIC.
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LIVERPOOL, ENG., MAY 19-(AP)-THE TEXT OF A STATEMENT TODAY BY STATE DEAN ACHESON BEFORE HIS DEPARTURE TO THE UNITED STATES:
I AM ENCOURAGED BY THE PROGRESS MADE IN THE NORTH ATLANTIC COUNCIL AND BY THE TALKS I HAVE HAD WITH THE FOREIGN MINISTERS IN THE PAST 10 DAYS. I FEEL THAT THE FREE NATIONS OF THE WEST ARE MAKING PROGRESS ALONG THE ROAD LEADING TOWARD THE UNIVERSAL GOAL OF PEACE.
TO THIS END WE ARE DEVOTING AND WILL CONTINUE TO DEVOTE OUR UNSWERVING EFFORT. THIS MEANS HARD AND CONSTANT WORK AND THE CLOSEST KIND OF COOPERATION IN ALL THE FIELDS OF NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL LIFE.
THE RECENT MEETINGS HAVE SHOWN THAT THERE IS NO ISSUE OF CONCERN TO THE FREE NATIONS OF THE WORLD WHICH CANNOT BE FRANKLY DISCUSSED AND ON WHICH BROAD AGREEMENTS CANNOT BE REACHED.
IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PRINCIPLES EMBODIED IN THE CHARTER OF THE UNITED NATIONS WE ARE GOING FORWARD WITH THE JOB OF CREATING CONDITIONS OF SECURITY AND OF INCREASED ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL WELL-BEING IN THE FREE WORLD.
WE HAVE REACHED A NUMBER OF CONCRETE AND VERY IMPORTANT DECISIONS. THESE HAVE BEEN PUBLISHED AND I WILL NOT THEREFORE REVIEW THEM HERE. I HAVE USED THIS OCCASION TO INFORM THE OTHER GOVERNMENTS THAT THE UNITED STATES HAS A CONTINUING INTEREST AND STAKE IN EUROPEAN AFFAIRS WHICH WILL NOT END WITH TERMINATION OF THE EUROPEAN RECOVERY PROGRAM IN 1952. IN THE ECONOMIC FIELD THE U.S. AND CANADA HAVE STATED THEIR READINESS TO PARTICIPATE IN WHAT I EXPECT WILL BE A DEVELOPMENT OF COOPERATION BETWEEN OUR TWO COUNTRIES OF NORTH AMERICA AND THE COUNTRIES OF EUROPE.
WE HOPE THAT A WORKING RELATIONSHIP AMONG CANADA, THE U.S., AND THE OEEC WILL BE ESTABLISHED WHICH WILL PERMIT JOINT STUDIES OF THE ECONOMIC PROBLEMS AT HAND.
THE SOLUTION OF THESE PROBLEMS WILL REQUIRE ADJUSTMENTS ON THE PART OF ALL CONCERNED. WE LOOK FORWARD TO AN INCREASINGLY CLOSE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN GERMANY AND THE DEMOCRATIC NATIONS OF THE WEST.
AND WE WELCOME THE BOLD AND IMAGINATIVE PROPOSAL ANNOUNCED BY MR. SCHUMAN ON BEHALF OF THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT WHICH SHOULD BE A VERY REAL CONTRIBUTION NOT ONLY TO THE STRENGTHENING OF RELATIONS BETWEEN FRANCE AND GERMANY BUT TO THE INTEGRATION AND EXPANSION OF THE EUROPEAN ECONOMY.
WE HAVE STRENGTHENED THE STRUCTURE OF THE ORGANIZATION OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY SO AS TO PROVIDE THE MEANS FOR PERFECTING THE COMMON DEFENSE AS A DETERRENT TO AGGRESSION IN ORDER THAT PEACE MAY BE MORE SECURE.
DURING THE RECENT MEETINGS IN LONDON THERE WAS ALSO AN OPPORTUNITY OF RE-EXAMINING THE POSITION OF CERTAIN COUNTRIES WHICH ARE NOT MEMBERS OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC COUNCIL AND WHOSE SECURITY IS A MATTER OF SPECIAL CONCERN.

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AT THE TIME OF THE PUBLICATION OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY LAST YEAR I EMPHASIZED THE CONTINUING INTEREST OF THE UNITED STATES IN THE SECURITY OF AREAS OUTSIDE THE ATLANTIC COMMUNITY, PARTICULARLY GREECE, TURKEY AND IRAN. SINCE THAT TIME THERE HAVE BEEN MANY ENCOURAGING DEVELOPMENTS IN THOSE STATES. IN GREECE THE SITUATION HAS BEEN GREATLY IMPROVED BY THE TERMINATION OF GUERRILLA WARFARE. IN TURKEY PROGRESS HAS BEEN MADE TOWARD STRENGTHENING ITS DEFENSE ESTABLISHMENTS. IN VIEW OF THE CLOSE RELATIONSHIPS BETWEEN ECONOMIC HEALTH AND SECURITY IT IS LIKEWISE GRATIFYING THAT BOTH THESE COUNTRIES, WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF ERP HAVE BEEN ABLE TO MAINTAIN AND PROMOTE ECONOMIC STABILITY DESPITE HEAVY DEFENSE EXPENDITURES.
IN IRAN, CONSTRUCTIVE INITIATIVE HAS BEEN DEMONSTRATED IN UNDERTAKING AN EXTENSIVE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM DESIGNED TO RAISE THE LIVING STANDARDS OF ITS PEOPLE. I THINK IT IS FAIR TO SAY THAT THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY AS FORESEEN AT THE TIME OF ITS CONCLUSION HAS DURING THE PAST YEAR BEEN A POSITIVE INFLUENCE FOR PEACE BEYOND THE NORTH ATLANTIC AREA.
THIS INFLUENCE SHOULD BE FELT IN INCREASING MEASURE AS THE DEFENSE POSITION OF THAT AREA IS PROGRESSIVELY CONSOLIDATED. MEANWHILE, I WISH TO REAFFIRM THE DEEP INTEREST OF THE UNITED STATES IN THE SECURITY OF GREECE, TURKEY AND IRAN AND OUR DETERMINATION TO CONTINUE OUR POLICY OF SUPPORTING THESE AND OTHER COUNTRIES WHICH ARE STRIVING THROUGH MILITARY AND ECONOMIC EFFORTS TO SAFEGUARD THEIR INDEPENDENCE AND TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY.
WHILE I WAS IN PARIS, MR.SCHUMAN AND I DISCUSSED THE SITUATION IN INDOCHINA AND AS I HAVE PREVIOUSLY STATED WE AGREED AS TO THE URGENCY OF THE SITUATION AND THE NEED FOR REMEDIAL ACTION. STEPS BEING TAKEN BY THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT TO ASSIST THE ASSOCIATED STATES OF LAOS, CAMBODIA, AND VIETNAM AND FRANCE IN THEIR EFFORTS TO MEET THE THREATS TO THE SECURITY OF THE REGION ARE ALREADY KNOWN.
THE UNITED STATES, CONVINCED THAT NEITHER INTERNATIONAL INDEPENDENCE NOR DEMOCRATIC EVOLUTION CAN EXIST WITHIN THE NETWORK OF SOVIET IMPERIALISM, IS ENDEAVORING TO AID THE INDOCHINESE STATES IN THEIR EFFORTS TO DEVELOP WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE FRENCH UNION THEIR OWN POLITICAL FUTURE AND TO PROMOTE THEIR ECONOMIC WELL-BEING.
DURING OUR TALKS IN LONDON, MR.BEVIN, MR.SCHUMAN AND I REVIEWED THE ENTIRE SOUTHEAST ASIA SITUATION AND WE EXPRESSED OUR FIRM INTENTION OF ENCOURAGING AND SUPPORTING THE NEW GOVERNMENTS IN THAT AREA WITH REFERENCE TO THE CONTINUATION OF THE TALKS BETWEEN MR.BEVIN, MR.SCHUMAN AND MYSELF WE HAVE AGREED THAT THESE WILL BE CONTINUED AND MADE AS FREQUENTLY AS POSSIBLE.

I FEEL THAT THESE STEPS TAKEN IN COMMON WITH OTHER FREE COUNTRIES REPRESENTS SOLID ACHIEVEMENTS IN THE COURSE OF PEACE AND OF SOCIAL PROGRESS. THE FREE WORLD IS STRONG, BOTH MATERIALLY AND SPIRITUALLY AND IT INTENDS TO USE THAT STRENGTH FOR THE PURPOSE OF PEACE AND OF HUMAN WELL-BEING IN A FREE SOCIETY. WE HAVE THE CONFIDENCE BOTH OF OUR STRENGTH AND COMMON RESOLVE.

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(EDITORS: THE FOLLOWING STORY ON THE MEANING OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC PACT DECISIONS TO STRENGTHEN WESTERN DEFENSIVE POWER WAS WRITTEN BY WES GALLAGHER, WHO COVERED THE ALLIED FORCES DURING THE WAR AND HAS BEEN IN OCCUPIED GERMANY SINCE V-E DAY AS CHIEF OF ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENTS THERE.)

BY WES GALLAGHER

LONDON, MAY 19-(AP)-THE WEST HAS CONCLUDED IT CAN LIVE IN PEACE ONLY BY ARMING TO THE TEETH.

THIS IS THE ESSENCE OF 10 DAYS NEGOTIATIONS HERE BY THE BIG THREE POWERS AND THE ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS. THE DECISIONS TAKEN AT THE TALKS MAY BE AS MOMENTOUS AS ANY SINCE THE WAR.

THE WESTERN NATIONS SHOWED PLAINLY, BY EMBARKING ON AN IMMEDIATE REARMING PROGRAM, THAT THEY HAVE LITTLE OR NO HOPE OF NEGOTIATING A PEACE SETTLEMUNT WITH RUSSIA WITHIN THE UNITED NATIONS OR ANYWHERE ELSE AT THIS TIME.

IT IS RECOGNITION THAT THE WORLD IS DIVIDED BETWEEN THE EAST AND WEST AND THERE CAN BE NO NEUTRALS.

SHOULD THE ATLANTIC PACT BE BROADENED TO INCLUDE OTHER NATIONS, AS IS BEING DISCUSSED, IT COULD AMOUNT TO PRACTICALLY THE "WESTERN UNITED NATIONS" SUGGESTED BY FORMER PRESIDENT HERBERT HOOVER.

MANY NATIONS IN EUROPE HAVE CLUNG TO THE HOPE THAT SOME SUPER POW-WOW MIGHT BRING AN OVERALL SETTLEMENT. IN THIS WEEK'S TALKS THEY ABANDONED THIS HOPE. IT WAS A HARD DECISION TO MAKE. IT MEANS THAT THEIR PEOPLES WILL HAVE TO SACRIFICE TO SUPPORT THE ARMED FORCES THEY HOPED WOULD NOT BE NECESSARY IN A POSTWAR WORLD.

THE FACT THAT THE NATIONS MADE THAT DECISION WAS A PERSONAL TRIUMPH FOR SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON. ACHESON SOLD THE THESIS THAT IT IS USELESS TO NEGOTIATE WITH RUSSIA UNTIL THE WEST IS ABLE TO SIT DOWN AT THE CONFERENCE TABLES ON EQUAL MILITARY TERMS WITH THE SOVIET UNION.

THE WEST RECOGNIZED THAT IT MIGHT TAKE YEARS TO REACH A POINT WHERE NEGOTIATIONS MIGHT YIELD RESULTS.

UNTIL THEN, IT SEEMS, THE WORLD MUST LIVE AS TWO ARMED CAMPS.

THERE WAS MUCH LOFTY TALK DURING THE CONFERENCE BY THE COUNTRIES CONCERNED ABOUT GIVING UP NATIONAL SOVIEREIGNTY IN THE COMMON INTEREST. BUT ACTUALLY NONE HAVE GIVEN UP THIS SOVEREIGNTY IN THE FINAL ANALYSIS.

THE MACHINERY SET-UP DEPENDS ON THE "GOOD WILL" OF THE NATIONS CONCERNED TO THE FINANCIAL AND MILITARY SUPPORT OF THE DECISIONS MADE HERE.

IF THEY HAVE THIS THE MACHINERY WILL WORK. IT CANNOT WORK OTHERWISE.

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THE MACHINERY SET-UP HAS NO SUPREME AUTHORITY TO ENFORCE COMMON DECISIONS ON ITS MEMBERS. ANYONE CAN SAY "NO."

IF ONE NATION SAYS "NO," THE SECURITY OF ALL IS THREATENED, SINCE EACH MUST FURNISH AN ESSENTIAL PART TO THE "COLLECTIVE ARMED FORCES."

IT WILL BE NO EASY TASK FOR THE GOVERNMENTS CONCERNED TO CARRY THEIR ANNOUNCED POLICIES THROUGH. THE GOVERNMENTS WILL SOMETIMES FACE THE CHOICE OF RAISING TAXES ON THEIR IRRITATED PEOPLES, OR DEFAULTING THEIR PACT PLEDGES.

THAT SOME COUNTRIES ARE WILLING TO MAKE SUCH DECISIONS WAS SHOWN BY FRANCE'S FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN, WHOSE DRAMATIC PROPOSAL FOR A FRENCH-GERMAN MERGER OF INDUSTRY STOLE THE SHOW FROM THE SEPARATE BIG THREE NEGOTIATIONS.

SCHUMAN STAKED THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT'S FUTURE ON A DARING STEP HE BELIEVES NECESSARY FOR PEACE AND WESTERN STRENGTH.

IT WAS THE MOST OUTSTANDING FRENCH CONTRIBUTION TO INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES SINCE THE WAR. A FEW MONTHS AGO IT WOULD HAVE BROUGHT THE DOWNFALL OF THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT.

BEFORE THE NEGOTIATIONS ARE OVER, FRANCE'S STEP MAY STILL PULL DOWN THE BIDAULT GOVERNMENT. BUT THE FACT THAT THE STEP WAS TAKEN SHOWED DRASTIC ACTION WAS DEEMED IMPERATIVE.

SOVIET PRESSURE HAS BUILT UP THE FEELING OF URGENCY AND THE NECESSITY FOR UNITING IN A COMMON CAUSE.

IT WAS PARADOXICAL THAT THE ATLANTIC PACT PLAN STTANDS MORE CHANCE OF SUCCESS UNDER GREATER SOVIET PRESSURE AND THREATS AGAINST THE WEST. THESE THREATS HAVE CONVINCED THE GOVERNMENTS THAT THEIR INTERNATIONAL SAFETY OVERRIDES DOMESTIC COMFORTS AND RIVALRIES.

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EDINBURGH, SCOTLAND, MAY 19-(AP)-WINSTON CHURCHILL CALLED AGAIN TONIGHT FOR A SUPREME EFFORT AT THE HIGHEST LEVEL TO END THE COLD WAR WITH RUSSIA.

THE 75-YEAR-OLD WARTIME PRIME MINISTER ADDRESSED THE SCOTTISH UNIONIST (CONSERVATIVE) ASSOCIATION. HE EXPRESSED CONTINUED HOPE FOR THE SUCCESS OF AN ATTEMPT TO BRIDGE THE EAST-WEST GULF.

"GREAT EVENTS ARE HAPPENING, AND WE MUST NOT ALLOW THE CEASELESS CLACK AND CLATTER WHICH IS THE CHARACTERISTIC OF OUR AGE TO TURN OUR MINDS FROM THEM," HE SAID.

"I STILL HOPE THAT THE UNITIES NOW BEING ESTABLISHED AMONG ALL THE WESTERN DEMOCRACIES AND THE ATLANTIC POWERS WILL WARD OFF FROM US THE TERRORS AND UNSPEAKABLE MISERIES OF A THIRD WORLD WAR.

"I WISH ALSO THAT EVERY EFFORT COULD BE MADE AT THE HIGHEST LEVEL TO BRING HOME TO THE RUSSIAN SOVIET GOVERNMENT THE GRAVITY OF THE FACTS WHICH CONFRONT US ALL.

"I DO NOT GIVE UP THE HOPE WHICH I EXPRESSED THREE MONTHS AGO OF A SUPREME EFFORT TO BRIDGE THE GULF BETWEEN THE TWO WORLDS, IF NOT IN FRIENDSHIP, AT LEAST WITHOUT THE HATREDS AND MANEUVERS OF THE COLD WAR.

"OF THIS I AM SURE: THAT THE BEST HOPE WILL BE FOUNDED UPON THE STRENGTH OF THE WESTERN DEMOCRACIES AND UPON THEIR UNWAVERING WILL POWER TO DEFEND THE CAUSES FOR WHICH THEY STAND. TO WORK FROM WEAKNESS, (FROM) FEAR IS RUIN. TO WORK FROM WISDOM AND POWER MAY BE SALVATION.

"THESE SIMPLE BUT TREMENDOUS FACTS ARE, I FEEL, BEING UNDERSTOOD BY THE FREE NATIONS BETTER THAN THEY HAVE EVER BEEN BEFORE."

CHURCHILL FIRST CALLED FOR HIGH LEVEL TALKS BETWEEN EAST AND WEST IN A SPEECH HERE DURING THE FEBRUARY GENERAL ELECTION CAMPAIGN. THE LABOR PARTY CALLED IT AN "ELECTION STUNT." BOTH PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE AND FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN SAID THAT ALL POSSIBLE STEPS TO REACH AN UNDERSTANDING WITH RUSSIA WERE BEING TAKEN IN THE UNITED NATIONS.

IN HIS SPEECH TONIGHT CHURCHILL ALSO SAID THAT BRITAIN SHOULD BE WARY OF THE NEW PLAN OF FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER SCHUMAN TO POOL FRENCH COAL AND GERMAN STEEL PRODUCTION, LEST BRITAIN'S STEEL INDUSTRY SUFFER. HE DESCRIBED THE SCHUMAN PLAN "AS AN IMPORTANT AND EFFECTIVE

STEP IN PREVENTING ANOTHER WAR," BUT ADDED:
"WE MUST, NEVERTHELESS, CONSIDER CAREFULLY THE WAY IN WHICH GREAT BRITAIN CAN PARTICIPATE MOST EFFECTIVELY IN SUCH A LARGER GROUPING OF EUROPEAN INDUSTRY."
THE UNIONIST ASSOCIATION ADOPTED A RESOLUTION DEPLORING THE APPOINTMENT OF JOHN STRACHEY AS WAR MINISTER AND EMANUEL SHINWELL AS DEFENSE MINISTER IN THE LABOR GOVERNMENT. BOTH HAVE BEEN UNDER ATTACK IN THE CONSERVATIVE PRESS FOR FORMER EXTREME LEFTIST SYMPATHIES.
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LONDON, MAY 19-(AP)-UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE STARTED BACK TO THE WESTERN WORLD TODAY AFTER A "SAVE THE U.N." MISSION TO MOSCOW DURING WHICH HE TALKED WITH PREMIER JOSEPH STALIN.

ADVICES FROM PRAGUE SAID LIE ARRIVED IN THE CZECHOSLOVAK CAPITAL AND PLANNED TO LEAVE THERE THIS AFTERNOON FOR PARIS. LATER HE IS DUE TO COME TO LONDON.

DIPLOMATIC SOURCES IN MOSCOW SAID LAST NIGHT THEY BELIEVED THE U.N. OFFICIAL WOULD PRESENT WESTERN LEADERS WITH PROPOSALS, DERIVED FROM HIS CONFERENCES WITH SOVIET OFFICIALS, DESIGNED TO EASE EAST-WEST TENSION.

"I HAVE NO REASON TO BE DISSATISFIED WITH MY TRIP," LIE REPORTEDLY SAID IN PRAGUE. HE REFUSED TO MAKE ANY FURTHER PUBLIC STATEMENT.

IN MOSCOW, AFTER HIS TALKS WITH RUSSIAN LEADERS, LIE SAID HE HOPED TO CALL ON FRANCE'S PREMIER GEORGES BIDAULT AND BRITAIN'S PRIME MINISTER CLEMENT ATTLEE, OR THEIR FOREIGN MINISTERS, BEFORE HIS RETURN TO UNITED NATIONS HEADQUARTERS AT NEW YORK. LATER, MOSCOW INFORMANTS SAID, HE PLANS TO SEE PRESIDENT TRUMAN.

THE U.N. OFFICIAL'S VISIT TO THE SOVIET UNION HAD BEEN PRECEDED BY CONFERENCES WITH TOP OFFICIALS OF KEY WESTERN GOVERNMENTS, INCLUDING THE AMERICAN PRESIDENT.

BUT DIPLOMATS IN MOSCOW WERE REPORTED NOT OPTIMISTIC ABOUT LIE'S CHANCES OF BRINGING AN END TO THE COLD WAR OR OF MAKING MUCH PROGRESS TOWARD A SETTLEMENT ON ATOMIC CONTROL.

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NIGHT LEAD LIE

PARIS, MAY 19-(AP)-TRYGVE LIE, U.N. SECRETARY GENERAL, ARRIVED IN PARIS LATE TODAY FOR CONFERENCES WITH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN. NEXT WEEK LIE WILL MEET WITH FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN IN LONDON.

THE MEETINGS COME AFTER LIE'S TALKS IN MOSCOW WITH PRIME MINISTER STALIN AND OTHER HIGH RUSSIAN OFFICIALS ON THE EAST-WEST COLD WAR, CHINESE REPRESENTATION IN THE UNITED NATIONS, AND OTHER CONTROVERSIAL INTERNATIONAL SUBJECTS.

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B34 (Q) (190)

LONDON, MAY 19-(AP)-THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS ASKED BRITAIN TODAY TO RELEASE TO AIRPLANES OF TWO CHINESE COMMERCIAL AIRLINES GROUNDED BY COURT ORDER IN THE BRITISH CROWN COLONY OF HONG KONG.

THE PLANES, ORIGINALLY OWNED BY THE CHINA NATIONAL AVIATION CORPORATION AND THE CENTRAL AIR TRANSPORT CORPORATION, WERE FLOWN TO HONG KONG ON THE FALL OF CHINA TO THE COMMUNISTS.

THE NEW CHINA NEWS AGENCY SAID IN A BROADCAST HEARD HERE THAT VICE MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS CHANG HAN-FU HAD LODGED A STRONG PROTEST AGAINST CONTINUED DETENTION OF THE PLANES. IT SAID THE COURT ORDER WAS REGARDED AS "AN EXPRESSION OF A MOST UNFRIENDLY ATTITUDE TOWARDS THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA."

THE NOTE SAID THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT "AS THEY HAVE ALREADY DECLARED THEIR WISH TO ESTAABLISH DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH THE PEOPLE'S GOVERNMENT OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA WOULD BE FULLY EXPECTED TO RESPECT ITS PROPERTY."

THE RED PEIPING GOVERNMENT CLAIMS OWNERSHIP OF THE PLANES. RETIRED U.S. MAJ. GEN. CLAIRE L.CHENNAULTS SAYD A FIRM HE HEADS HAS BOUGHT THE PLANES. KING GEORVE VI SIGNED AN ORDER LAST SATURDAY ORDERING THAT THE PLANES BE GROUNDED UNTIL THE QUESTION OF OWNERSHIP IS SETTLED.

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B59 (Q)

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LONDON, MAY 19-(AP)-FOR TWO WEEKS REPRESENTATIVES OF THE EIGHT COUNTRIES OF THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH MET HERE, IN DEEPEST SECRECY, TO MAKE UP THEIR MINDS ON DETAILS OF A JAPANESE PEACE TREATY.

CONCLUSIONS HAVE BEEN REACHED AND THERE IS A LARGE MEASURE OF AGREEMENT, IT WAS SAID AT THE FOREIGN OFFICE. BUT THERE WILL BE NO IMMEDIATE DISCLOSURE OF THE DECISIONS MADE. THEY WILL BE PRESENTED FIRST TO THE HIGH COMMISSIONERS OF THE COMMONWEALTH LANDS STATIONED IN LONDON, AND THEN TO THE INDIVIDUAL GOVERNMENTS.

EACH OF THE COMMONWEALTH COUNTRIES WAS REPRESENTED BY HALF A DOZEN OR MORE SPECIALISTS. THE HIGH COMMISSIONERS STARTED THE DISCUSSIONS, DETAILS OF WHICH WERE THEN DEVELOPED BY HIGH OFFICIALS OF THE VARIOUS OFFICES FOR EXTERNAL AFFAIRS. EXPERTS WERE CALLED TO THE SESSIONS, HELD IN THE CABINET OFFICES IN GREAT GEORGE STREET, AS THEIR VARIOUS SPECIALTIES CAME UP FOR CONSIDERATION.

TALKS FELL UNDER SUCH HEADINGS AS JAPANESE INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT, FOREIGN TRADE, EMIGRATION, MERCHANT SHIPPING, INTERNAL GOVERNMENT, FISHERIES, FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND NAVAL AND MILITARY ESTABLISHMENTS.

WHILE ALL COMMONWEALTH STATES CONTRIBUTED SUGGESTIONS IT WAS UNDERSTOOD THAT THE DEEPEST INTEREST WAS SHOWN BY AUSTRALIA. DAVID MCNICOL WAS SENT FROM THE AUSTRALIAN EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON TO TAKE PART IN THE TALKS, AND HE WORKED HERE WITH P.R. HEYDON OF THE AUSTRALIAN EXTERNAL AFFAIRS OFFICE.

"AUSTRALIA'S SPECIAL INTEREST IS OBVIOUS," A SPOKESMAN SAID. "AUSTRALIA WAS THE FIRST DOMINION ON WHICH JAPANESE FORCES SET FOOT IN THE WAR, AND WHILE THEY OCCUPIED ONLY SOME ISLANDS THE AUSTRALIANS KNEW THEY WERE THE FIRST AND PROBABLY THE MOST IMPORTANT OBJECTIVE OF THE JAPANESE WAR MACHINE. THEY DON'T WANT TO BE IN THAT POSITION AGAIN.

"THERE MUST ALSO BE, IN THE INTERESTS OF BOTH LANDS, A CLEAR UNDERSTANDING OF WHAT ROLES THEY ARE TO PLAY IN THE GROWING ECONOMY AND THE POLITICAL DEVELOPMENT OF THE PACIFIC AREA."

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IT WAS EMPHASIZED THAT THE COMMONWEALTH GOVERNMENTS ARE NOT

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BOUND IN ANY WAY BY THE PROGRAM FORMULATED IN THE NEGOTIATIONS HERE. THEY WERE DESCRIBED AS BEING AN "EXPLORATION" TO DETERMINE HOW NEARLY THEY ARE IN AGREEMENT, AND PRECISELY WHAT THE DIFFERENCES MAY BE. NUMEROUS SMALL DIFFERENCES ALREADY HAVE BEEN RESOLVED, IT WAS SAID.

"IT DOESN'T FOLLOW BY ANY MEANS THAT THE STAGE HAS BEEN SET FOR PEACE TREATY NEGOTIATIONS, OR THAT THE COMMONWEALTH IS TAKING INITIATIVE TO GET AT THE ACTUAL TASK OF FRAMING A TREATY," THE SPOKESMAN CONTINUED.

"WE CAN'T GET STARTED ON A TREATY UNTIL THE UNITED STATES MOVES. THE KEY IS HELD BY AMERICA, AND THE COMMONWEALTH DOESN'T WANT TO BE IN A POSITION OF APPLYING ANY PRESSURE.

"BUT THE COMMONWEALTH STATES NOW KNOW THEIR MINDS MORE CLEARLY THAN THEY DID. WHEN THE TREATY MAKING ACTUALLY STARTS COMMONWEALTH COUNTRIES WILL NOT HAVE TO CONFER AMONG THEMSELVES TO DETERMINE WHAT THEIR BASIC ATTITUDES WILL BE."

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LONDON, MAY 19-(AP)-FOREIGN AFFAIRS OFFICIALS OF THE EIGHT BRITISH COMMONWEALTH COUNTRIES FINISHED PRIVATE STUDIES YESTERDAY OF ISSUES INVOLVED IN THE WRITING OF A JAPANESE PEACE TREATY.

THERE WAS NO ANNOUNCEMENT OF GROUND COVERED. THE MISSIONS TODAY WERE PREPARING THEIR REPORTS FOR SUBMISSION TO THEIR INDIVIDUAL COMMONWEALTH HIGH COMMISSIONERS STATIONED IN LONDON. THEY IN TURN WILL TRANSMIT THE REPORTS TO THEIR RESPECTIVE HOME GOVERNMENTS.

THE NEGOTIATIONS WERE CARRIED ON BY SPECIALISTS ORGANIZED INTO "WORKING PARTIES." THE FINAL SESSION IN THE CABINET OFFICES HERE WAS ATTENDED BY THE HIGH COMMISDIOOEWAGUK

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CONSIDERATION ALSO WAS GIVEN TO PROBLEMS OF SECURITY IN THE FAR EAST.

IT WAS EMVHASIZED THAT THE FINDINGS OF THE WORKING PARTIES WERE NOT BINDING ON THE INDIVIDUAL COMMONWEALTH STATES AND THAT THE HIGH COMMISSIONERS WERE FREE TO MAKE THEIR OWN RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE HOME GOVERNMENTS.

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NIGHT LEAD RATIONING

LONDON, MAY 19-(AP)-THE FOOD MINISTRY TODAY CUT BRITAIN'S TEA RATION 20 PER CENT. EACH PERSON WILL GET TWO OUNCES OF TEA WEEKLY INSTEAD OF TWO AND ONE HALF STARTING JULY 16.

AT THE SAME TIME FOOD MINISTER MAURICE WEBB ANNOUNCED THE IMMEDIATE ABOLISHMENT OF THE POINT RATIONING SYSTEM WHICH HAS BEEN IN EFFECT SINCE 1942. THIS MEANS SUCH SCARCE FOODS AS IMPORTED CANNED FISH, SYRUPS, CANNED AND DRIED FRUITS AND SWEETENED AND CHOCOLATE BISCUITS (COOKIES) WILL NOW BE RATION FREE.

WEBB SAID ENDING THE POINT SYSTEM WILL SAVE THE TAXPAYERS 300,000 POUNDS ($840,000) A YEAR IN CLERICAL WAGES.

MEAT, BUTTER, MARGARINE, TEA, SUGAR AND COOKING FAT ARE THE ONLY FOODS STILL RATIONED.

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LONDON, MAY 19-(AP)-BRITAIN PUT ALL OF HER FOOD EXCEPT MEATS, BUTTER, MARGARINE AND COOKING FAT ON FREE SALE TONIGHT.

THE MINISTRY OF FOOD ANNOUNCED THE ABOLITION, EFFECTIVE AT ONCE, OF THE POINT-RATIONING SCHEME UNDER WHICH COUPONS--EACH WORTH FOUR POINTS--WERE EXCHANGED FOR SUCH SCARCE FOODS AS IMPORTED CANNED FISH, SYRUPS, CANNED AND DRIED FRUITS AND SWEETENED AND CHOCOLATE BISCUITS. EACH RATION BOOK HOLDER RECEIVED 16 POINTS MONTHLY. A CAN OF SALMON COST 24 POINTS.

END OF THE POINT-RATIONING SYSTEM--WHICH HAS BEEN IN EFFECT SINCE 1942--WILL SAVE THE TAXPAYERS £300,000 ($840,000) YEARLY IN CLERICAL WAGES, FOOD MINISTER MAURICE WEBB SAID.

WEBB ALSO ANNOUNCED THAT THE WEEKLY TEA RATION WILL BE CUT ONE-HALF OUNCE TO TWO OUNCES WEEKLY EFFECTIVE JULY 16, AND THE WEEKLY MEAT RATION INCREASED FROM ONE SHILLING SIX PENCE (21 CENTS) WORTH TO ONE SHILLING EIGHT PENCE (22-1/2 CENTS) ON JUNE 4.

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LONDON, MAY 19-(AP)-BRITAIN DEMANDED TODAY THAT HUNGARY RECALL AN ATTACHE FROM ITS EMBASSY HERE. THE MOVE WAS IN RETALIATION FOR THE OUSTER OF BRITISH DIPLOMATS IN BUDAPEST.

IN A NOTE TO THE HUNGARIAN MINISTER, THE BRITISH FOREIGN OFFICE ASKED THAT ATTACHE JANOS NAGY BE SENT HOME.

IT ADDED THAT HE MUST LEAVE THE COUNTRY ON OR BEFORE THE DATE SET BY THE HUNGARIAN COMMUNIST-DOMINATED GOVERNMENT FOR THE DEPARTURE OF THREE BRITISH DIPLOMATS FROM BUDAPEST.

THE HUNGARIANS MADE THEIR DEMAND LAST NIGHT.

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PRECEDE PORTSMOUTH DAY

LONDON, MAY 19-(AP)-THE BRITISH ADMIRALTY DISMISSED AS A "ROUTINE PASSAGE" TONIGHT THE MOVEMENT OF 13 RUSSIAN FISHING TRAWLERS THROUGH THE ENGLISH CHANNEL EN ROUTE FROM THE BALTIC TO THE BLACK SEAS.

"IT'S JUST AN ORDINARY PASSAGE OF TRAWLERS AND NOTHING TO GET EXCITED ABOUT," COMMENTED THE FIRST SEA LORD, LORD FRASER, AT A NEWS CONFERENCE.

SEVEN OF THE TRAWLERS MADE THE PASSAGE YESTERDAY. SIX OTHERS PASSED THE STRAITS OF DOVER TODAY. ALL WERE OUTSIDE THE THREE MILE LIMIT. THE FIRST GROUP, CHALLENGED BY BRITISH COASTGUARDSMEN, SIGNALLED THEY WERE EN ROUTE TO THE BLACK SEA.

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LONDON, MAY 19-(AP)-A CHURCH OF SCOTLAND (PRESBYTERIAN) COMMISSION ON COMMUNISM SAID TODAY IT HOPED SOON TO COMMUNICATE WITH OTHER CHURCHES AND CHRISTIAN BODIES TO FORM A COMMON CHRISTIAN FRONT AGAINST COMMUNISM. IN A REPORT THE COMMISSION SAID ONLY CHRISTIAN FAITH--AND NOT AN ATOM WAR--CAN STOP COMMUNISM FROM SPREADING.

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LONDON, MAY 19-(AP)-ADMR. RICHARD L. CONOLLY, COMMANDER OF U.S. NAVAL FORCES IN THE EASTERN ATLANTIC AND MEDITERRANEAN, OLD U.S. SERVICEMEN IN EUROPE TONIGHT THEIR MISSIONS ARE "OF PARAMOUNT IMPORTANCE TO PEACE."
IN A MESSAGE TO MILITARY, AIR AND NAVAL FORCES IN CONNECTION WITH ARMED FORCES DAY, CONOLLY SAID AMERICANS TOOK PRIDE IN THE "EXCELLENT CONDUCT IN ALL RELATIONS WITH THE PEOPLE OF THE FOREIGN COUNTRIES IN WHICH YOU SERVE."
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Returned today to

montreux,switzerland,may 19-(ap)-russia

the universal postal union meeting today that she walked out of

tuesday. the universal postal union is a specialized agency of the united nations.

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tuesday's walk -- the from a united nations agency --

was over the issue of continued representation of china by

chinese nationalist delegates.

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postal union officials said they didn't understand it as

no chinese nationalists were present and the postal union

had invited chinese communists. to be present

when russia's delegate, accompanied by the czech delegate,

came back today, he said he was still not satisfied, but was willing to take part. he said the reason he was not

satisfied was because the invitation to the chinese communists was for

this one meeting only and did not represent long term policy.

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THE HAGUE, THE NETHERLANDS,MAY 15-(AP)-JOSE INGLES, SPEAKING FOR THE PHILIPPINES, ARGUED TODAY BEFORE THE WORLD COURT THAT THE SOUTH AFRICAN GOVERNMENT HAS NO RIGHT TO ANNEX SOUTHWEST AFRICA, A GERMAN COLONY PRIOR TO WORLD WAR I.
INGLES, A MEMBER OF THE PHILIPPINES DELEGATION TO THE UNITED NATIONS, SAID THE TERRITORY, HELD BY SOUTH AFRICA SINCE 1919 UNDER A LEAGUE OF NATIONS MANDATE, NOW COMES UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE U.N. TRUSTEESHIP COUNCIL.
THE U.N. GENERAL ASSEMBLY HAS ASKED THE INTERNATIONAL COURT TO RULE ON THE DISPUTED TERRITORY.
INGLES DENIED A SOUTH AFRICAN CLAIM THAT A SPECIFIC RESERVATION REGARDING SOUTHWEST AFRICA HAD BEEN MADE AT THE FOUNDING OF THE UNITED NATIONS AT SAN FRANCISCO.
INGLES SAID A U.N. RESOLUTION OF FEBRUARY 9, 1946 CALLING ON CERTAIN STATES TO CONCLUDE TRUSTEESHIP AGREEMENTS WAS ADOPTED UNANIMOUSLY, TOGETHER WITH THE AFFIRMATIVE VOTE OF SOUTH AFRICA.
BY ACCEPTING THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION, HE ARGUED, THE SOUTH AFRICAN GOVERNMENT IS THUS BOUND TO SUBMIT A TRUSTEESHIP AGREEMENT FOR SOUTHWEST AFRICA.
SOUTH AFRICA CONTENDS THAT SINCE THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS, WHICH GRANTED THE MANDATE, IS DEFUNCT, SHE HAS NO FURTHER INTERNATIONAL OBLIGATIONS REGARDING THE TERRITORY HER TROOPS CAPTURED DURING THE FIRST WORLD WAR.
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AMS BUDGET (220)
NIGHT LEAD RESTRICTIONS
BY BRACK CURRY
FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 19-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN IN A RETALIATORY MOVE, TODAY CLAMPED SHARP RESTRICTIONS ON THE MOVEMENTS OF SOVIET MILITARY MISSIONS IN WESTERN GERMANY.
THE RESTRICTIONS WERE IN REPRISAL FOR THE WITHDRAWAL OF FREE TRAVEL PASSES FROM THE AMERICAN AND BRITISH MISSIONS AT POTSDAM IN THE RUSSIAN ZONE.
AMERICAN ARMY OFFICIALS SAID U.S. MISSION MEMBERS THERE NOW ARE ALLOWED TO TRAVEL ONLY BETWEEN THEIR HOMES AND OFFICES. A BRITISH ARMY SPOKESMAN SAID MEMBERS OF THE BRITISH MISSION ARE RESTRICTED TO THE USE OF THE POTSDAM-BERLIN HIGHWAY.
THE EYE-FOR-AN-EYE BRITISH-AMERICAN ORDER RESTRICTS MEMBERS OF THE SOVIET MILITARY MISSION IN FRANKFURT TO TRAVEL BETWEEN THEIR HOMES AND OFFICES, WHILE THE RUSSIAN MISSION IN THE BRITISH ZONE WILL BE CONFINED TO THE ROUTE BETWEEN BAD SALZUFLEN, WHERE IT IS STATIONED, AND HELMSTEDT, MAIN BORDER CROSSING INTO THE SOVIET ZONE.
STRICT ENFORCEMENT OF THE AMERICAN ORDER WOULD AMOUNT TO VIRTUAL HOUSE ARREST OF THE RUSSIANS IN FRANKFURT, BECAUSE BOTH THEIR HOMES AND OFFICES ARE IN THE SAME SMALL COMPOUND.
MEMBERS OF THE SOVIET MISSION, HOWEVER, "BY SPECIAL APPLICATION MAY RECEIVE SPECIAL PASSES TO TRAVEL BETWEEN FRANKFURT AND THE SOVIET ZONE," AN AMERICAN SPOKESMAN SAID.
HE SAID CONFUSION HAD DEVELOPED IN THE SOVIET ZONE THROUGH THE

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WITHDRAWAL BY THE RUSSIANS OF TRAVEL PASSES ISSUED TO AMERICANS ACCREDITED TO SOVIET HEADQUARTERS, AND, PENDING CLARIFICIATION OF THE SITUATION, CORRESPONDING ACTION HAS BEEN TAKEN IN THE AMERICAN ZONE.

MOST OF THE ALLIED MILITARY MISSIONS HAVE BEEN CONVERTED TO CIVILIAN STATUS AND ARE ACCREDITED TO THE ALLIED HIGH COMMISSION AT BONN. THE RUSSIAN MISSION, HOWEVER, HAS RETAINED ITS MILITARY CHARACTER. THE BRITISH MISSION AT POTSDAM IS ALSO A MILITARY UNIT.

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FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 19-(AP)-AMERICAN AND BRITISH AUTHORITIES SHARPLY RESTRICTED THE MOVEMENTS OF SOVIET MILITARY MISSIONS IN WESTERN GERMANY TODAY.

THE RESTRICTIONS WERE IMPOSED IN RETALIATION FOR THE WITHDRAWAL OF FREE TRAVEL PASSES FROM THE AMERICAN AND BRITISH MISSIONS AT POTSDAM IN THE SOVIET ZONE.

AMERICAN ARMY OFFICIALS SAID MEMBERS OF THE AMERICAN MISSION THERE ARE NOW ALLOWED TO TRAVEL ONLY BETWEEN THEIR HOMES AND THEIR OFFICES.

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BONN, GERMANY, MAY 19-(AP)-BRITISH AUTHORITIES TODAY ORDERED MOVEMENTS OF THE RUSSIAN MILITARY MISSION IN THE BRITISH ZONE SEVERELY RESTRICTED.

THE CHIEF OF THE RUSSIAN MISSION, COL. STEPANOV, WAS SUMMONED TO BRITISH ARMY HEADQUARTERS AT BAD OEYNHAUSEN THIS MORNING TO BE INFORMED OF THE RESTRICTIONS.

A BRITISH SPOKESMAN SAID STEPANOV WAS TOLD HE AND HIS STAFF WOULD IN FUTURE BE CONFINED TO THE ROUTE BETWEEN BAD SALZUFLEN AND HELMSTEDT.

BAD SALZUFLEN IS THE SMALL TOWN WHERE THE 10-MAN RUSSIAN MISSION IS STATIONED AND HELMSTEDT IS THE MAIN BORDER CROSSING INTO THE SOVIET ZONE.

A BRITISH SPOKESMAN SAID STEPANOV WAS INFORMED THAT THE BRITISH MEASURES WERE BEING TAKEN BECAUSE OF SIMILAR RESTRICTIONS ON THE BRITISH MILITARY MISSION AT POTSDAM.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID MEMBERS OF THE BRITISH MISSION WERE FORBIDDEN BY THE RUSSIANS TO MOVE ABOUT THEIR ZONE. THEY WERE RESTRICTED TO THE USE OF THE HIGHWAY BETWEEN POTSDAM AND BERLIN.

THE BRITISH COUNTER ORDER WILL RESTRICT THE RUSSIANS TO ABOUT 100 MILES OF THE AUTOBAHN-MOTOR HIGHWAY--RUNNING FROM THE MIDDLE OF THE BRITISH ZONE TO HELMSTEDT.

A BRITISH SPOKESMAN SAID THAT IF ANY MEMBERS OF THE MISSION WANTED TO GO ANYWHERE ELSE IN THE BRITISH ZONE THEY WOULD HAVE TO ASK FOR PERMISSION. IF PERMISSION WAS GRANTED THEY WOULD MOVE UNDER BRITISH ESCORT.

THE MILITARY MISSIONS ARE A RELIC OF THE EARLY DAYS OF THE OCCUPATION WHEN THE VARIOUS COMMANDERS-IN-CHIEF SENT MISSIONS TO EACH OTHERS HEADQUARTERS. THEIR ROLE FOR SOME TIME HAS BEEN CONCERNED WITH SUCH MATTERS AS HANDING BACK EACH OTHER'S DESERTERS AND HUNTING FOR CRASHED PLANES.

MOST OF THE ALLIED MILITARY MISSIONS HAVE BEEN CONVERTED TO CIVILIAN PATTERN.

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NIGHT LEAD NAZIS (280)

FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 19-(AP)-FORMER NAZIS ARE FILLING ABOUT HALF THE JOBS OF STATE OFFICIALS AND CIVIL SERVANTS IN THE AMERICAN ZONE OF GERMANY AND THEIR NUMBER IS CONSTANTLY INCREASING, A SURVEY SHOWED TODAY.

THE SURVEY, TAKEN FROM OFFICIAL GERMAN SOURCES, DISCLOSED THAT THE NUMBER OF ONETIME NAZI OFFICIALS DRIFTING BACK TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT HAS JUMPED GREATLY IN THE PAST SIX MONTHS.

MOST AMERICAN AUTHORITIES SAY THIS IS "UNSATISFACTORY" BUT INSIST IT DOES NOT NECESSARILY MEAN A RESURGENCE OF NAZISM.

THAT IS ABOUT THE VIEW TAKEN BY BENJAMIN J.BUTTENWIESER, ASSISTANT AMERICAN HIGH COMMISSIONER IN GERMANY, IN A SPEECH TODAY BEFORE THE FOREIGN POLICY ASSOCIATION IN NEW YORK. HE HELD THAT DESPITE THE FACT THAT MORE FORMER NAZIS ARE HOLDING JOBS IN GERMANY NAZISM AS A POLITICAL DOCTRINE HAS "BEEN DESTROYED, NEVER TO RISE AGAIN."

AN AMERICAN OFFICIAL HERE WHO HAS SPENT FOUR YEARS OBSERVING THE NAZIS SAID THAT HE DID NOT BELIEVE THERE IS AN ORGANIZED MOVEMENT TO PLANT FORMER ACTIVE NAZIS IN KEY POSITIONS. RATHER, HE SAID, IT IS A QUESTION OF PUTTING INTO JOBS PEOPLE CONSIDERED BY THE GERMANS CAPABLE OF DOING THE WORK WELL.

HE SUGGESTED THAT THE MORE IMPORTANT QUESTION IS WHAT TYPE OF NAZI IS BEING EMPLOYED. HE SAID THE LAW PERMITS ONLY REEMPLOYMENT OF GERMANS WHO ARE "FOLLOWERS" OR "LESSER OFFENDERS" AND WHO HAVE PAID THEIR MILD PENALTIES IN DENAZIFICATION COURTS AND ARE NOW RESTORED TO FULL CIVIL RIGHTS. TOP RANKING NAZIS ARE BARED FROM STATE POSTS.

THE SURVEY SHOWED THAT THE HIGHEST PERCENTAGE OF FORMER NAZIS IS IN WUERTTEMBERG-BADEN, WHERE 56 PER CENT OF ALL STATE CIVIL SERVANTS AND 76 PER CENT OF THE TOP OFFICIALS WERE MEMBERS OF THE NAZI PARTY. THAT STATE WAS ROCKED RECENTLY BY A BRIBERY SCANDAL IN THE COURT SYSTEM SET UP TO TRY NAZIS.

TODAY THE STATE CLOSED ITS INVESTIGATION OF THE SCANDAL AND DISMISSED CHARGES AGAINST THOSE ACCUSED OF THE BRIBERY.

AMERICAN AUTHORITIES WHO PREVIOUSLY HAD CRITICIZED GERMAN OFFICIALS FOR LAXITY DECLINED TO COMMENT.

IN BAVARIA THE PERCENTAGE OF FORMER NAZIS IN PUBLIC JOBS WAS ABOUT 45 PER CENT. IN HESSE IT AVERAGED ABOUT 38 PER CENT, BUT RANGED UP TO 50 PER CENT IN THE UPPER BRACKET JOBS.

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FRANKFURT, GERMANY.. MAY 19-(AP)-A FORMER U.S. EMBASSY PRESS ATTACHE IN PRAGUE SAYS CZECHOSLOVAKIA IS STAGING A "HATE AMERICA" CAMPAIGN FOR ITS YOUTH, REPLETE WITH PRESS ASSAULTS AND VITRIOLIC LECTURES.

THE FORMER ATTACHE, T.J. CROCKETT OF UNIONVILLE, CONN., TOLD REPORTERS THE CZECH PRESS USES 50 PER CENT OF ITS SPACE FOR "FANTASTIC ATTACKS ON THE UNITED STATES."

CROCKETT, WHO WAS EXPELLED FROM CZECHOSLOVAKIA WITH ABOUT 40 OTHER AMERICANS IN A FORCED REDUCTION OF THE EMBASSY STAFF, SAID THE ATTACKS CENTER ON SUCH TOPICS AS "DEGENERATE JAZZ," RACIAL PROBLEMS AND CLOTHING STYLES.

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A83 (380)

BY DONALD DOANE

FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 19-(AP)-ABOUT HALF OF ALL STATE OFFICIALS AND CIVIL SERVANTS IN THE AMERICAN ZONE OF GERMANY ARE FORMER NAZIS, A SURVEY SHOWED TODAY.

THE HIGHEST PER CENT OF EX-NAZIS IN OFFICE IS IN WUERTTEMBERG-BADEN, THE STATE RECENTLY ROCKED BY A BRIBERY SCANDAL IN THE COURT SYSTEM SET UP TO TRY NAZIS.

IN WUERTTEMBERG-BADEN, 56 PER CENT OF ALL STATE CIVIL SERVANTS AND 76 PER CENT OF THE TOP OFFICIALS WERE ONCE MEMBERS OF THE NAZI PARTY.

IN BAVARIA, THE PERCENTAGE OF EX-NAZIS ON THE STATE PAYROLL IS ABOUT 45 PER CENT, AND IN HESSE ABOUT 38 PER CENT-- WITH THE HESSE PERCENTAGE SOARING TO 50 PER CENT IN THE UPPER BRACKETS.

ALL THESE FIGURES CAME FROM OFFICIAL GERMAN SOURCES. U.S. HIGH COMMISSION OFFICIALS SAID THE LATEST FIGURES THEY HAD WERE SIX MONTHS OLD.

GERMAN STATISTICS SHOW THAT THE NUMBER OF EX-NAZI OFFICIALS HAS INCREASED GREATLY IN THESE LAST SIX MONTHS-- AND THE NUMBER IS STILL GROWING.

AMERICAN AUTHORITIES ALMOST UNANIMOUSLY AGREE, HOWEVER, THAT -- ALTHOUGH THE SITUATION IS "UNSATISFACTORY"-- IT DOES NOT NECESSARILY MEAN A RESURGENCE OF NAZISM.

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"I DO NOT BELIEVE THAT THERE IS AN ORGANIZED MOVEMENT TO PLANT FORMER NAZI ACTIVISTS IN KEY POSITIONS," SAID ONE AMERICAN OFFICIAL WHO HAS SPENT FOUR YEARS KEEPING WATCH ON NAZIS.

HE SAID "IT IS RATHER A QUESTION OF FILLING POSITIONS WITH PEOPLE WHO ARE CONSIDERED BY THE GERMANS TO BE CAPABLE OF HOLDING THESE JOBS."

HE POINTED OUT THAT GERMANY HAS ALWAYS HAD A SORT OF "CLOSED FRATERNITY" OF OFFICE HOLDERS, WHO HELD THEIR JOBS THROUGH EVERY CHANGE OF GOVERNMENT FROM THE KAISER THROUGH HITLER. THEY ARE THE ONLY ONES WITH OFFICIAL EXPERIENCE, AND THE ONLY ONES GERMAN PERSONNEL CHIEFS NOW CONSIDER QUALIFIED FOR THE JOBS, HE SAID.

THE NAZIS PUT SPECIAL PRESSURE ON GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS TO JOIN THE PARTY-- AND MOST OF THEM DID SO. CONSEQUENTLY, MOST OF THE EXPERIENCED OFFICIALS NOW ARE EX-NAZIS.

"MUCH AS WE WOULD PREFER TO SEE SUCH PERSONS OUT OF OFFICE," THIS AMERICAN OFFICIAL SAID; "IT IS INEVITABLE THAT MANY SHOULD RETURN TO THEIR OLD JOBS."

ALTHOUGH EXPRESSING CONCERN AT THE TREND, HE SUGGESTED THAT STATISTICS ALONE DO NOT TELL THE WHOLE STORY. MORE IMPORTANT, HE SAID, IS THIS: "WHAT KIND OF EX-NAZIS ARE BEING RE-HIRED? ARE THEY ONLY NOMINAL NAZIS WHO MERELY JOINED THE PARTY TO HOLD THEIR JOBS, OR ARE THEY NAZI ZEALOTS WHO WILL MISUSE THEIR POSITIONS?"

THE LAW PERMITS RE-EMPLOYMENT ONLY OF FOURTH CLASS NAZIS, CALLED "FOLLOWERS," OR OF THIRD CLASS NAZIS (LESSER OFFENDERS) WHO HAVE PAID THEIR MILD PENALTIES, SERVED THIR PERIODS OF PROBATION, AND ARE NOW RESTORED TO FULL CIVIL RIGHTS. TOP RANKING NAZIS-- THOSE IN CLASS ONE OR TWO-- ARE BARRED.

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D164 (210)

FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 19-(AP)-THE U.S. HIGH COMMISSION FILED CRIMINAL CHARGES TODAY AGAINST TWO GERMAN TRADE ASSOCIATIONS AND FIVE OF THEIR OFFICERS, ACCUSING THEM OF ATTEMPTING TO FORM A MONOPOLISTIC CARTEL.

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THE DEFENDANTS WERE CHARGED WITH AGREEING TO ELIMINATE COMPETITION IN THE SALE OF ABRASIVES AND TO FIX PRICES IN BOTH THE DOMESTIC AND EXPORT MARKETS.

THE COMMISSION SAID THE DEFENDANTS JOINED IN AN AGREEMENT WITH FRENCH MANUFACTURERS AND NEGOTIATED WITH ITALIAN MANUFACTURERS SO THAT COMPETITION WOULD BE ELIMINATED, PRICES FIXED AND SPHERES OF INFLUENCE LAID OUT. THE FRENCH AND ITALIAN MANUFACTURERS WERE NOT NAMED.

U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J.MCCLOY, IN A STATEMENT ISSUED IN CONNECTION WITH THE CASE, INDICATED SIMILAR CHARGES MIGHT BE BROUGHT IN OTHER FIELDS OF GERMAN INDUSTRY. THE CHARGES ARE BROUGHT UNDER THE DECARTELIZATION LAW WITH WHICH THE ALLIES HAVE BEEN TRYING SINCE THE WAR'S END TO BREAK BIG INDUSTRIAL COMBINES SUCH AS THOSE WHICH BUILT THE NAZI WAR MACHINE.

NAMED AS DEFENDANTS IN A U.S. COURT OF THE HIGH COMMISSION WERE THE FACHVERBAND SCHLEIFMITTEL INDUSTRIE AND THE VEREIN DEUTSCHER SCHLEIFMITTELWERKE. THESE TWO INCLUDE PRACTICALLY ALL WEST GERMAN ABRASIVES MANUFACTURERS IN THEIR MEMBERSHIPS.

THE INDIVIDUALS ARE HANS BRAUERS, BONN, EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OF THI F.S.I.; PAUL NORDMANN, BAD HARZBURG, EXECUTIVE SECRETARY, V.D.S.;

FRITZ BRINKMANN, DUESSELDORF, ENGINEER FOR BOTH ASSOCIATIONS; ALFRED SUTTER, HANNOVER, AND EJNER CHRISTIANSEN, HAMBURG, OFFICERS OF THE F.S.I.

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FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 19-(AP)-MRS. YVETTE MADSEN LEFT BY PLANE FOR THE UNITED STATES TODAY TO SERVE A 15-YEAR PRISON TERM FOR THE PISTOL SLAYING OF HER U.S. AIR FORCE HUSBAND LAST OCT. 19.

THE 22-YEAR-OLD MOTHER OF TWO CHILDREN WILL BE CONFINED IN THE WOMEN'S REFORMATORY AT ALDERSON, W.VA. SHE HAS BEEN HELD IN THE U.S. AIR FORCE HOSPITAL AT WIESBADEN.

A U.S. HIGH COMMISSION APPEALS COURT LAST WEEK AFFIRMED THE CONVICTION OF MRS.MADSEN FOR THE SLAYING OF AIR FORCE LIEUT. ANDREW E. MADSEN OF OAKLAND, CALIF.

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BY THOMAS A.REEDY

BERLIN, MAY 19-(AP)-THE VANGUARD OF 500,000 YOUTH FROM THE SURROUNDING SOVIET ZONE HAS ARRIVED IN BERLIN FOR NEXT WEEK'S WHITSUNTIDE COMMUNIST DEMONSTRATION.

THE COMMUNIST YOUTHS HAVE BEEN POURING IN DURING THE PAST THREE DAYS ON TRAINS THAT TRAVERSED THE AMERICAN, BRITISH AND FRENCH SECTORS OF THE CITY.

AS THOUSANDS OF BLUE-SHIRTED FDJ (FREE GERMAN YOUTH) MEMBERS DETRAINED THEY WERE POLITELY SHOWN THE WAY TO THE SOVIET SECTOR. WEST BERLIN POLICE ESTABLISHED AN ESCORT SYSTEM AT RAILWAY STATIONS AND ACCOMPANIED THE COMMUNISTS TO THE SECTOR BORDER.

TODAY MAYOR ERNST REUTER OF WEST BERLIN DECLARED CITY WOULD BE GENERALLY "PEACEFUL AND ORDERLY" DURING THE WEEK'S ACTIVITIES, TO BE CLIMAXED WITH A GIANT COMMUNIST PARADE ON WHITSUNDAY, MAY 28.

"THERE WILL BE NO MARCH INTO WEST BERLIN AND THERE WILL BE NO MARCH THROUGH IT," REUTER TOLD ALLIED AND GERMAN CORRESPONDENTS AT A BRITISH PRESS CLUB LUNCHEON. "WE'LL BE HERE AFTER WHITSUNDAY AND THIS WILL DEMONSTRATE THAT THIS WHOLE THING IS NOTHING BUT A GREAT BLUFF."

THE EAST GERMAN COMMUNIST LEADERS ANNOUNCED THEIR WHITSUN MARCH MONTHS AGO WITH THREATENING LANGUAGE, CALLING IT A MOVE TO "STORM BERLIN" AND PIPING IT UP WITH THE MOSCOW LINE OF PROPAGANDA AGAINST THE WESTERN OCCUPATION POWERS.

REUTER CALLED THE DEMONSTRATION "ANOTHER EXAMPLE OF THE CONTINUING ATTEMPTS BY THE RUSSIANS TO STIR UP UNREST."

SINCE U.S., BRITISH AND FRENCH AUTHORITIES MADE IT CLEAR THEY WOULD USE TROOPS IF NECESSARY TO PREVENT ANY PUTSCH TACTICS, THE COMMUNISTS HAVE TONED DOWN THEIR PRONOUNCEMENTS AND ANNOUNCED THE DEMONSTRATION WILL BE CONFINED TO THE SOVIET SECTOR OF BERLIN.

THE VANGUARD OF THE PAST THREE DAYS OBEYED THE WEST BERLIN POLICE IN EVERY CASE, MOVING QUIETLY INTO THE SOVIET SECTOR.

"EVERYTHING WAS FRIENDLY AND COOPERATIVE," SAID LT.COL.E.R.KELLY, DEPUTY U.S. PROVOST MARSHAL.

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FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 19-(AP)-COL.ROBERT LEE SCOTT, 42, OF MACON, GA., WARTIME ACE FIGHTER PILOT AND AUTHOR OF "GOD IS MY CO-PILOT," TODAY ASSUMED COMMAND OF THE U.S. AIR FORCE'S 85TH AIR BASE GROUP AT ERDING, GERMANY.

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A47 (240)

BERLIN, MAY 19-(AP)-THE RUSSIANS RETURNED TO GERMAN OWNERSHIP TODAY 23 EAST ZONE INDUSTRIAL PLANTS WHICH HAVE BEEN PRODUCING EXCLUSIVELY FOR THE BENEFIT OF REPARATIONS TO THE SOVIET UNION SINCE 1945.

THE SOVIET-SPONSORED EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED SIGNING OF A "PROTOCOL" WITH THE U.S.S.R. BY WHICH THE RUSSIANS RENOUNCE OWNERSHIP OF THESE PLANTS WHICH HAD BEEN DECLARED SOVIET STOCK COMPANIES AFTER THE WAR. BUT IT WAS NOT MADE CLEAR WHETHER THESE PLANTS WILL HAVCCH CONTINUE PRODU

OF THESE PLANTS WHICH HAD BEEN DECLARED SOVIET STOCK COMPANIES AFTER THE WAR. BUT IT WAS NOT MADE CLEAR WHETHER THESE PLANTS WILL HAVE TO CONTINUE PRODUCING REPARATIONS FOR RUSSIA.

THE ACTION APPARENTLY IS IN KEEPING WITH A MOSCOW ANNOUNCEMENT MONDAY NIGHT THAT RUSSIA WAS CUTTING HER REPARATIONS CLAIMS ON GERMANY IN HALF, AT THE REQUEST OF EAST GERMAN OFFICIALS. THE SOVIETS SAID THE CUT LEFT GERMANY OWING RUSSIA $3,171,000,000 (B) AFTER HAVING PAID $3,658,000,000 (B). THE U.S.S.R. ORIGINALLY DEMANDED $10,000,000,000 (B) FROM GERMANY, BUT THE WESTERN ALLIES NEVER AGREED TO THIS FIGURE.

EAST GERMANY'S DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER TOLD HIS PARLIAMENT WEDNESDAY THAT ALL THE REPARATIONS PAYMENTS WITH WHICH RUSSIA HAD CREDITED GERMANY HAD "COME OUT OF CURRENT PRODUCTION." THIS WOULD MEAN, WESTERN OFFICIALS SAID, NO CREDIT WAS GIVEN FOR THE BILLIONS OF DOLLARS WORTH OF EQUIPMENT TAKEN BY RUSSIA FROM GERMANY SINCE THE WAR.

THE U.S. HIGH COMMISSION FOR GERMANY SAID THAT THE SOVIETS HAVE FUNNELED $18,000,000,000 (B) WORTH OF GOODS TO RUSSIA FROM EAST GERMANY SINCE 1945.

THE VALUE OF THE PLANTS TURNED BACK TO GERMAN OWNERSHIP TODAY WAS LISTED AT 290,000,000 (M) EAST MARKS (ABOUT $10,000,000).

AMONG THE PLANTS RETURNED WERE THE FILM STUDIOS OF THE FORMER NAZI UFA AND TOBIS COMBINES, BRANCH PLANTS OF THE SIEMENS-SCHUCKERT CARTEL, AND THE FAMED PORCELAIN FACTORY AT MEISSXKM

THE EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT HAILED THE TRANSFER AS A FURTHER PROOF OF THE FRIENDLY RELATIONS BETWEEN THE EAST GERMAN REPUBLIC AND THE SOVIET UNION.

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PRECEDE LONDON DAY

PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, MAY 19-(AP)-THE CZECH PRESS REPORTED EXECUTION TODAY OF TWO MEN SENTENCED TO DEATH ON CHARGES OF BEING SPIES FOR THE AMERICAN INTELLIGENCE SERVICE.

LADISLAV LINDNER AND KAREL BUSEK WERE SENTENCED NOV. 26, 1949, AFTER A SECRET TRIAL ON CHARGES OF SEEKING OUT INDUSTRIAL SECRETS, THE PRESS ACCOUNTS SAID.

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LONDON, MAY 19-(AP)-TWO CZECHS WERE HANGED IN PRAGUE TODAY FOR SPYING FOR AN UNNAMED WESTERN POWER, ADVICES REACHING LONDON SAID.

THE CZECHS, LADSLAV LINDNER AND KAREL BUSEK, WERE CONVICTED BY A PRAGUE COURT LAST NOVEMBER 26.

THE PROSECUTOR SAID THEY LEFT CZECHOSLOVAKIA IN FEBRUARY, 1949, AND WERE TRAINED IN ESPIONAGE UNDER THE GUIDANCE OF A "WESTERN MONOPOLIST" GOVERNMENT.

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BELGRADE, YUGOSLAVIA, MAY 19-(AP)-YUGOSLAVIA ACCUSED CZECHOSLOVAKIA TODAY OF "MURDER AND TORTURE--INCLUDING METHODS OF ELECTRICAL ENERGY" TO FORCE YUGOSLAVS LIVING IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA TO TURN TRAITOR.

THE HARSHLY WORDED CHARGES WERE MADE IN A SPECIAL NEWS CONFERENCE CALLED BY THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION FOR BOTH FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC CORRESPONDENTS.

THE CHARGES STEM DIRECTLY FROM THE DEATH IN A CZECH PRISON APRIL 28 OF DIMITRIJE DIMITRIJEVIC, PRESIDENT OF THE YUGOSLAV PEOPLE'S FRONT IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

THEY WERE SIMILAR TO CHARGES MADE TUESDAY BY THE OFFICIAL YUGOSLAV NEWS AGENCY, TANJUG, THAT DIMITRIJEVIC HAD BEEN TORTURED TO DEATH. TANJUG SAID THEN THAT YUGOSLAVIA HAD PROTESTED OFFICIALLY TO CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND HAD DEMANDED THAT THE POLICE OFFICIALS RESPONSIBLE BE PUNISHED.

A GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN AT THE NEWS CONFERENCE SAID DIMITRIJEVIC WAS DENIED FOOD AND WATER AND THE RIGHT TO SEE HIS FAMILY WHILE IN PRISON.

(DIMITRIJEVIC WAS APPARENTLY LEADER OF YUGOSLAV NATIONS LIVING IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA. THE SPECIFIC CHARGES ON WHICH HE WAS ARRESTED HAVE NOT BEEN PUBLISHED HERE AS YET. YUGOSLAVIA SAYS, HOWEVER, THAT NUMBERS OF OTHERS FROM THIS COUNTRY HAVE BEEN ARRESTED IN THE SAME CONNECTION.)

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A46

BUDAPEST, HUNGARY, MAY 19-(AP)-HUNGARY WITHDREW TODAY FROM THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION (WHO). IN SO DOING IT FOLLOWED THE LEAD OF SOVIET RUSSIA AND OTHER EASTERN EUROPEAN NATIONS.

THE FOREIGN MINISTRY DISPATCHED A TELEGRAM TO THE DIRECTOR GENERAL OF WHO SAYING THAT "IN SPITE OF CRITICISM OBEHALF OF HUNGARY AND OTHER COUNTRIES THE ACTIVITIES OF WHO ARE NOT SATISFACTORY."

BY637PES

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A24

AUSTRIAN BUDGET (500)

BY G.K.HODENFIELD

VIENNA, AUSTRIA, MAY 19-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE PROMISED TODAY TO LIGHTEN THE OCCUPATION BURDEN ON AUSTRIA.

GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS HERE GREETED THE DECISION OF THE THREE POWERS TO APPOINT CIVILIAN HIGH COMMISSIONERS AS "A WELCOME AND SINCERE INDICATION THAT THE WESTERN POWERS WANT TO INCREASE AUSTRIA'S SOVEREIGNTY."

BUT THEY INDICATED THAT THE BIG THREE STATEMENT ISSUED TODAY IN LONDON PLEDGING TO LIGHTEN THE OCCUPATION BURDEN LEAVES SOMETHING TO BE DESIRED. SAID ONE OFFICIAL:

"UNLESS FRANCE AND GREAT BRITAIN AGREE TO PAY THEIR OWN WAY HERE AS THE UNITED STATES IS DOING, THE NEW POLICY WILL NOT MEAN ANY GREAT REDUCTION IN THE ECONOMIC BURDEN WHICH THE OCCUPATION IMPOSES ON AUSTRIA."

THE UNITED STATES HAS BEEN PRESSING BRITAIN AND FRANCE TO RELIEVE THE OCCUPATION BURDEN ON THIS COUNTRY BY HAVING THE WESTERN FORCES PAY THEIR OWN WAY JUST AS THE AMERICANS DO.

THE LONDON STATEMENT SAID THE THREE POWERS ARE "PREPARED TO CARRY OUT SUCH MEASURES AS MAY PROPERLY BE UNDERTAKEN TO STRENGTHEN, WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF EXISTING QUADPARTITE AGREEMENTS, THE AUTHORITY OF THE AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT AND TO LIGHTEN THE BURDEN OF THE OCCUPATION ON AUSTRIA."

THE FIRST OFFICIAL AUSTRIAN REACTION CAME IN A BRIEF COMMUNIQUE WHICH EXPRESSED THE THANKS OF FOREIGN MINISTER KARL GRUBER TO THE WESTERN POWERS FOR THEIR DECISION, AND SAID IT WILL BE "ACCEPTED WITH GREAT THANKS BY THE AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT AND THE ENTIRE POPULATION OF AUSTRIA."

THE CONCLUSION OF THE WESTERN POWERS THAT THERE IS NO HOPE IN THE IMMEDIATE FUTURE FOR SOVIET AGREEMENT TO AN AUSTRIAN TREATY OF INDEPENDENCE WAS ECHOED HERE. OFFICIALS WELCOMED THE DECISION TO APPOINT CIVILIAN HIGH COMMISSIONERS AS "THE NEXT BEST THING THAT COULD HAPPEN. THE BEST THING WOULD BE AN AUSTRIAN TREATY BUT WE HAVE JUST ABOUT GIVEN UP ALL HOPE OF THAT."

TOP GOVERNMENT SOURCES SAID THEY HAD NOT BEEN INFORMED WHEN THE CHANGEOVER FROM A MILITARY ADMINISTRATION WILL BE MADE, OR THE IDENTITY OF THE CIVILIAN HIGH COMMISSIONERS, WHO WILL ALSO SERVE AS THEIR COUNTRIES' DIPLOMATIC REPRESENTATIVES. WESTERN SOURCES SAID THE CHANGE WOULD TAKE PLACE ABOUT JULY 1.

THESE SOURCES SAID ROBERT P.PATTERSON, FORMER SECRETARY OF WAR, MAY BE THE AMERICAN CHOICE. BRITAIN WAS SAID TO HAVE DECIDED ON SIR HAROLD CACCIA, PRESENT BRITISH MINISTER TO AUSTRIA. THE FRENCH APPOINTMENT MAY GO TO EITHER GEN. D'ARMEE EMILE BETHOUART, WHO HAS BEEN MILITARY HIGH COMMISSIONER HERE SINCE 1945, OR MARCEL BERTHELOT, ACTING FRENCH DELEGATE IN THE AUSTRIAN TREATY NEGOTIATIONS.

ANOTHER POSSIBLE AMERICAN CHOICE WAS HELD TO BE SAMUEL REBER, RECENTLY APPOINTED POLITICAL ADVISOR TO JOHN J.MCCLOY, THE U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER IN GERMANY. REBER HAS BEEN SERVING AS THE AMERICAN DELEGATE TO THE AUSTRIAN TREATY TALKS.

APPOINTMENT OF CIVIL COMMISSIONERS WILL NOT RESULT IN A REDUCTION OF SIZE OF WESTERN FORCES IN AUSTRIA. THE U.S. HAS ABOUT 10,000 TROOPS, BRITAIN ABOUT 8,500 AND FRANCE ABOUT 6,500. THE LAST RELIABLE ESTIMATE ON SOVIET FORCES PUT THEIR NUMBER AT 44,000.

IT IS NOT CONSIDERED LIKELY THAT THE DECISION OF THE WESTERN POWERS WILL CAUSE A SIMILAR CHANGE IN THE RUSSIAN MILITARY SETUP. THE RUSSIANS RECENTLY REFUSED TO TAKE ANY STEPS TO EASE THE ECONOMIC BURDEN OF THE OCCUPATION. THEY INFORMED THE AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT THE RED ARMY HAS NO INTENTION OF REDUCING ITS MILITARY STRENGTH HERE.

AUSTRIA, ABSORBED BY HITLER GERMANY IN 1938, HAS BEEN OCCUPIED BY THE BIG POWERS SINCE THE END OF THE WAR. EFFORTS TO WRITE A TREATY OF INDEPENDENCE HAVE BEEN IN VAIN DESPITE 253 SESSIONS OF FOUR POWER REPRESENTATIVES. A CHIEF OBSTACLE HAS BEEN CONTINUING SOVIET DEMANDS ON THE AUSTRIAN ECONOMY.

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CAIRO, EGYPT, MAY 19-(AP)-SIXTY MEMBERS OF THE AFGHAN DEMOCRATIC PARTY, ACCUSED OF HAVING PLANNED THE OVERTHROW OF THE AFGHANISTAN GOVERNMENT, HAVE BEEN ARRESTED, AN ARAB NEWS AGENCY DISPATCH SAID TODAY.

THE DISPATCH, DATELINED QUETTA, INDIA, NEAR THE AFGHAN-INDIAN BORDER, SAID THOSE ARRESTED INCLUDE AFGHAN ARMY OFFICERS, STUDENTS, AND MEMBERS OF THE SARDAR TRIBE.

IT ADDED THAT SARDAR TRIBAL LEADERS, WHO CLAIM 20,000 FOLLOWERS, MET WITH LEADERS OF THE TAJAK AND WARZAD TRIBES TO PROTEST THE ARRESTS.

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BY STAN SWINTON

CAIRO, EGYPT,MAY 19-(AP)-THE OPPOSITION SAADIST PARTY NEWSPAPER AL ASSAS TODAY QUOTED AN UNNAMED RUSSIAN DIPLOMAT AS SAYING "THE SOVIET UNION WOULD WELCOME ANY COOPERATION WITH THE ARAB STATES."

THE REPORT COINCIDED WITH RECENT APPEALS BY ARAB POLITICIANS FOR A RAPPROCHEMENT WITH THE SOVIET UNION ON THE GROUND THAT BRITISH-AMERICAN SUPPORT OF ISRAEL IS FORCING THE ARABS TO LOOK EASTWARD FOR FRIENDS.

ARAB JOURNALISTIC SOURCES IDENTIFIED THE DIPLOMAT AS SOVIET MINISTER SIMON PAVLOVITVH KOZEREV. THEY SAID HE MADE THE STATEMENT THROUGH TASS NEWS AGENCY.

AT THE SAME TIME GOVERNMENT SOURCES SAID EGYPT IS PONDERING RECOGNITION OF COMMUNIST CHINA. THESE INFORMANTS SAID THE CAIRO GOVERNMENT INTENDS TO USE THE RECOGNITION QUESTION AS A BARGAINING ISSUE IN HASHING OUT HER DIFFERENCES WITH THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN.

THESE INFORMANTS SAID RECOGNITION OF COMMUNIST CHINA WOULD HAVE IMPORTANT CONSEQUENCES IN THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL WHERE RUSSIA IS TRYING TO OUST NATIONALIST CHINA'S DELEGATES. EGYPT IS ONE OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL MEMBERS WHICH HAS SO FAR VOTED AGAINST OUSTING THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS.

AL ASSAS ALSO DECLARED THAT THE EGYPTIAN MINISTER TO MOSCOW HAS RELAYED A KREMLIN OFFER TO LIMIT SOVIET SUPPORT OF ISRAEL AND SUPPLY THE ARABS WITH NEEDED ARMS FROM CZECHOSLOVAKIA IF THE ARAB STATES SIGN A NON-AGGRESSION PACT WITH RUSSIA. THERE WAS NO CONFIRMATION OF THIS FROM OFFICIAL EGYPTIAN SOURCES.

LAST MONTH SYRIAN DEFENSE MINISTER MAARUF DAWALIBI STATED THAT HE WOULD PREFER TO SEE THE ARAB COUNTRIES "BECOME A SOVIET REPUBLIC RATHER THAN FALL PREY TO WORLD JEWRY."

THE FEELING HAS BEEN SPREADING FOR SOMETIME AMONG THE ARAB CITIZEN THAT IT IS TIME TO SEEK SOVIET SUPPORT TOWARDS REALIZING THEIR NATIONAL AIMS MANY ARABS FEEL THERE IS NO PROVISION FOR ARAB RIGHTS IN BRITISH-AMERICAN POLICIES IN THE MIDDLE EAST.

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A12

NEW DELHI, MAY 19-(AP)-THE GOVERNMENTS OF INDIA AND PAKISTAN SENT DESTROYER SQUADS INTO THE PUNJAB TODAY TO FIGHT AN INVASION OF LOCUSTS. SOME LOCUSTS ALREADY HAVE ARRIVED, THE JUDHPUR STATESMAN SAID, AND THE HEAVY SWARMS ARE EXPECTED IN EIGHT TO 10 DAYS.

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B80 (160) Q

SINGAPORE,MAY 19-(AP)-A BRITISH COURT GAVE DUTCH PARENTS CUSTODY OF THEIR OWN 13-YEAR-OLD DAUGHTER TODAY. THE GIRL, MISSING FOR EIGHT YEARS, WAS FOUND A WEEK AGO IN A MALAY VILLAGE WHERE HER AMAH (NATIVE NURSE) HAD BEEN CARING FOR HER.

THE GIRL, BERTHA DE HARTOGH, HAD BEEN GIVEN UP FOR LOST BY HER FATHER, A DUTCH ARMY SERGEANT. ON HEEARING THE COURT ORDER TODAY SHE CRIED OUT IN MALAY, HER ONLY TONGUE, THAT SHE DID NOT WANT TO LEAVE MALAYA AND THE MALAY WOMAN, AMINAH AMINAH, WHOM SHE REGARDS AS HER MOTHER.

HER PARTENTS GAVE HER TO HER NURSE TO CARE FOR WHEN THE JAPANESE INVADED JAVA IN 1942. THE PARENTS WERE CAPTURED AND INTERNED. WHEN LIBERATED, THEY COULD FIND NO TRACE OF BERTHA, AND RETURNED TO HOLLAND.

BERTHA FOUGHT SOCIAL WELFARE OFFICIALS FOR MORE THAN AN HOUR IN SUPREME COURT BUILDINGS TODAY. SHE FINALLY WAS MADE TO ENTER AN AUTOMOBILE AND DRIVEN AWAY, AFTER CHIEF JUSTICE C.M.MURRAY-ANSLEY RULED SHE MUST BE RETURNED TO HER DUTCH PARENTS. SHE IS SCHEDULED TO SAIL FOR HOLLAND ON THE LINER SURRIENTO NEXT WEEK.

THE FORMER NURSE, AMINAH, PROTESTED THAT BERTHA'S MOTHER ADELINE GAVE HER THE CHILD IN JAVA WHEN BERTHA WAS ONLY FOUR AND ONE-HALF YEARS OLD. SHE SAID SHE WOULD APPEAL THE COURT'S DECISION.

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NIGHT LEAD BURMA (210)

RANGOON, BURMA,MAY 19-(AP)-THE BURMESE ARMY ANNOUNCED TODAY THE RECAPTURE OF PROME, STRATEGIC REBEL STRONGHOLD, 160 MILES NORTH OF RANGOON.

AN ARMY SPOKESMAN SAID COMMUNISTS ABANDONING THE IRRAWADDY RIVER CITY DESTROYED RIVER CRAFT ALL ALONG THE WATERFRONT AND RAILWAY ENGINES. CASUALTIES WERE NOT GIVEN.

RECAPTURE OF THE CITY OF 30,000 POPULATION HEIGHTENED THE MORALE OF THE BURMESE ARMY AND BROUGHT SOARING OPTIMISM AMONG BURMESE GENERALLY. PROME IS ONE OF BURMA'S FEW MAJOR CITIES. IT STRADDLES THREE TRADE ROUTES INTO WEST BURMA WHICH HAVE BEEN BLOCKED FOR MORE THAN A YEAR BY REBEL OCCUPATION.

THE ROUTES, LYING ALONG THE IRRAWADDY, PROVIDE THE MAIN INTERNAL WATERWAYS SYSTEM AND HIGHWAY LINKING RANGOON WITH CENTRAL BURMA OILFIELDS. PROME IS ALSO A RAILWAY TERMINAL POINT.

REBEL WHITE BAND PVOS (PEOPLE'S VOLUNTEER ORGANIZATION), TURNING RENEGADE, ORIGINALLY CAPTURED PROME IN MARCH, 1949.

THE PVOS, MAKING A PACT WITH THE WHITE FLAG (STALINIST) COMMUNISTS AND ARMY MUTINEERS, DECLARED THE CITY THE CAPITAL OF A TRIUMVIRATE GOVERNMENT WHICH INTRODUCED A RULE OF TERROR, IMPRISONING AND EXECUTING ALL WHO OPPOSED ITS RULE.

THE COMMUNISTS TURNED ON THE PVOS IN MARCH OF THIS YEAR AND OUSTED THEM FROM THE CITY AFTER A MAJOR BATTLE.

SINCE THEN THE PVOS MADE SEVERAL VAIN ATTEMPTS TO RETAKE THE CITY.

THE BURMESE ARMY'S EARLIER ATTEMPTS TO TAKE PROME WERE BOGGED DOWN IN LAST YEAR'S MONSOONS. IT REOPENED AN OFFENSIVE MAY 12 BY CAPTURING TWO RAIL TOWNS EN ROUTE TO PROME AND ENTERED THE CITY AFTER A WEEK-LONG DRIVE.

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SAIGON, INDOCHINA, MAY 19-(AP)-PRESS CENSORSHIP WAS TIGHTENED TODAY BY THE VIETNAM CABINET "IN ORDER TO PROTECT PUBLIC OPINION FROM FALSE NEWS."

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE CABINET OF THE FRENCH-BACKED VIETNAM REGIME SAID THE CENSORSHIP WOULD NOT APPLY TO NEWS AGENCIES.

THREE GOVERNMENT COMMITTEES WILL BE SET FOR REGIONS OF THE VIETNAM STATE TO PASS ON ALL DISPATCHES IN THE INDOCHINESE AND FRENCH PRESS BEFORE THEIRPUBLICATION.

NEWSPAPERMEN AND PUBLISHERS CAN BE SUSPENDED FROM THEIR JOBS TEMPORARILY OR DEFINITELY, AND CAN BE BROUGHT BEFORE COURTS.

MILITARY CENSORSHIP HAS EXISTED HERE SINCE THE WAR, IMPOSED BY THE FRENCH BECAUSE OF THE FIGHTING GOING ON BETWEEN THE FRENCH ARMY AND THE COMMUNIST-LED NATIONALIST GUERRILLAS OF HO CHI MINH.

POLICE HEAVILY PATROLLED THE CITY TODAY, ON GUARD AGAINST TERRORIST ATTACKS; BUT NOTHING HAPPENED. TODAY WAS HO'S 60TH BIRTHDAY.

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A188KX (SINO)
NIGHT LEAD CHINESE (310)
BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI, FORMOSA, MAY 19-(AP)-IF FORMOSA CAN SURVIVE THE NEXT 100 DAYS IT WILL STILL BE THE CHINESE NATIONALIST CAPITAL A YEAR FROM NOW, GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S ELDER SON DECLARED TODAY.

"IN THAT PERIOD, BOTH THE INTERNAL AND INTERNATIONAL SITUATIONS MIGHT BE CHANGED DRASTICALLY," SAID GEN.CHIANG CHING-KUO, WHO IS HEAD OF THE DEFENSE MINISTRY'S POLITICAL SECTION.

HE IMPLIED THE BELIEF THAT IN THAT TIME A NEW WORLD WAR COULD START, WITH THE NATIONALISTS ALIGNED ON THE SIDE OF THE WESTERN POWERS.

YOUNG CHIANG MADE HIS COMMENT IN APPRAISING THE SITUATION CREATED BY NATIONALIST ABANDONMENT OF THE CHUSHAN ISLANDS, ONETIME BLOCKADE BASE 100 MILES SOUTHEAST OF SHANGHAI.

HE CONTENDED THE WITHDRAWAL OF 150,000 TROOPS TO FORMOSA WOULD BOLSTER DEFENSE OF THIS ISLAND AND PAVE THE WAY FOR AN EVENTUAL INVASION OF THE COMMUNIST MAINLAND.

THE NATIONALISTS GENERALLY SAY THAT IF THE REDS CANNOT MAKE AN INVASION OF FORMOSA BY THE END OF AUGUST, TYPHOON WEATHER IN THE 100-MILE-WIDE FORMOSA STRAIT WILL FORCE POSTPONEMENT TILL NEXT YEAR.

(THE COMMUNIST RADIO IN PEIPING, HOWEVER, SAID OCCUPATION OF THE CHUSHAN ISLANDS "HAS CREATED FAVORABLE CONDITIONS FOR THE COMING LIBERATION OF FORMOSA AND THE CRUSHING OF THE REMNANT FORCES OF CHIANG KAI-SHEK ONCE AND FOR ALL.")

NATIONALIST AIR HEADQUARTERS REPORTED ITS PLANES DROPPED 178,000 LEAFLETS ON THE MAINLAND EXPLAINING THE CHUSHAN WITHDRAWAL IN TERMS OF A RUSSIAN MILITARY THREAT. THEY ALLEGED THE RUSSIANS WERE ADIS-ING THE REDS AND WERE BUILDING 12 AIRFIELDS TO STRIKE C

OF A RUSSIAN MILITARY THREAT. THEY ALLEGED THE RUSSIANS WERE ADVIS-ING THE REDS AND WERE BUILDING 12 AIRFIELDS TO STRIKE CHUSHAN, SO IT WAS NECESSARY TO ABANDON THE BASE WHICH FOR MORE THAN A YEAR HAD HARASSED "STALIN'S PUPPETS AND HIS MERCENARY HORDES."

BESIDES FORMOSA, THE NATIONALISTS HOLD THE NEARBY CLUSTER OF THE PESCADORES ISLANDS AND QUEMOY, JUST OFF COMMUNIST AMOY. A NATIONALIST SPOKESMAN DENIED THAT QUEMOY WAS BEING ABANDONED. A WITHDRAWAL WELL COULD BE IN THE PROCESS OR IMPENDING, BUT AT ANY RATE NO QUEMOY TROOPS HAD YET REACHED FORMOSA.

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A54FX
CHINESE (420)
BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI,MAY 19-(AP)-GEN.CHIANG CHING-KUO, ELDER SON OF GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK, SAID TODAY FORMOSA FACES A CRITICAL 100 DAYS.

HIS STATEMENT CAME AS THE NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT OFFICIALLY ANNOUNCED ITS TROOPS STILL HELD QUEMOY ISLAND OFF THE MAINLAND PORT OF AMOY.

YOUNG CHIANG, CHIEF OF THE DEFENSE MINISTRY'S POLITICAL SECTION, SAID THERE WERE INDICATIONS THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS MIGHT HAVE SKIPPED THE RECENTLY ABANDONED CHUSHAN ISLANDS AND STRUCK FORMOSA DIRECT.

THIS, HE EXPLAINED, WAS ONE OF THE REASONS FOR THE NATIONALIST WITH-DRAWAL, WHICH CHIANG CLAIMED WOULD NOT ONLY BOLSTER THE DEFENSE OF FORMOSA BUT WOULD PAVE THE WAY FOR A NATIONALIST INVASION OF THE RED MAINLAND.

IF THE NATIONALISTS WEATHER THE NEXT 100 DAYS ON FORMOSA, YOUNG CHIANG CONTINUED, THEY SHOULD STILL BE HERE NEXT YEAR.

"IN THAT PERIOD BOTH THE INTERNAL AND INTERNATIONAL SITUATION MIGHT BE CHANGED DRASTICALLY," HE SAID.

THERE WAS NO DOUBT WHAT CHIANG MEANT--THAT WORLD WAR III MIGHT BREAK OUT AND THE NATIONALISTS COULD FIND THEMSELVES ON THE SIDE OF AND SUPPORTED BY WESTERN POWERS.

(IN HONG KONG THE STANDARD, AN INDEPENDENT NEWSPAPER, WENT SO FAR AS TO PREDICT CHIANG MIGHT EVEN DECLARE WAR ON RUSSIA AND THUS PRESI-PITATE THE WAR.)

AS NATIONALIST FORCES ON QUEMOY UNDER GEN.HU LIEN HELD ON TO THEIR TINY ISLAND, AIR HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED WARPLANES DROPPED 178,000 LEAFLETS ON THE MAINLAND.

THE LEAFLETS EXPLAINED THE NATIONALIST WITHDRAWAL FROM CHUSHAN WAS BROUGHT ABOUT BECAUSE THE ISLANDS "COULD NOT HAVE BEEN HELD INDEFI-NITELY AGAINST THE FORCES WHICH RED COMMANDER CHEN YI'S RUSSIAN ADVISERS WERE PREPARING TO THROW AGAINST THEM."

THEY ALLEGED THE RUSSIANS WERE BUILDING 12 AIRFIELDS WITHIN STRIKING DISTANCE OF THE CHUSHANS. THE ISLANDS, THEY CLAIMED, HAD SERVED A USEFUL PURPOSE FOR OVER A YEAR AS A BASE FROM WHICH TO HARRASS "STALIN'S PUPPETS AND HIS MERCENARY HORDES."

RAIL SCHEDULES THROUGHOUT FORMOSA WERE DISRUPTED AS THE 150,000 EVACUATED CHUSHAN DEFENDERS WERE SHIPPED TO TRAINING CAMPS OVER THIS BIG ISLAND.

AUTHORITIES CLAIM THE RECENT SMASHING OF A BIG COMMUNIST SPY RING ON FORMOSA WAS ONE OF THE REASONS WHY THE COMMUNISTS DID NOT LEARN OF THE NATIONALIST PLAN TO ABANDON THE CHUSHANS. THEY SAID ALSO 24 RED AGENTS HAD SURRENDERED IN THE PAST FIVE DAYS.

MEANWHILE GEN.HU TSUNG-NAN WAS IMPEACHED BY THE CONTROL YUAN FOR HIS FAILURE TO HALT THE RED ADVANCE IN NORTHWEST CHINA LAST YEAR. HU WAS IN COMMAND OF 250,000 MEN AND LONG WAS A CLOSE FRIEND OF GENERALISSIMO CHIANG.

THE CONTROL YUAN EXERCISES BROAD SUPERVISORY FUNCTIONS OVER GOVERN-MENT OFFICIALS.

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IT ALSO IMPEACHED FORMER MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS TUAN MU-CHIEH WHO IS NOW IN HONG KONG. HE WAS CHARGED WITH RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE LOSS LAST YEAR OF CHINA'S TWO LARGEST CIVIL AIR LINES.

WHEREABOUTS OF GENERAL HU WAS NOT GIVEN.

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A121KX
WEST OUT
HONG KONG, MAY 19-(AP)-A SPOKESMAN FOR THE AMERICAN CONSULATE HERE TODAY SAID THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS HAD SEIZED TWO U.S. BUILDINGS IN CANTON.
THEY ARE THE CONSULATE GENERAL BUILDING AND ANOTHER FORMERLY OCCUPIED BY THE UNITED STATES INFORMATION SERVICE.
IT WAS THE FIRST TWO AMERICAN BUILDINGS SEIZED BY THE REDS SINCE THE FORMER MARINES' BARRACKS IN PEIPING WAS TAKEN OVER BY THE REDS SEVERAL MONTHS AGO.
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B6KX (SHIPPERS Q
(120)
HONG KONG, MAY 19-(AP)-BRITISH SHIPPING CIRCLES HERE WERE REPORTED READY TODAY TO DEFY WHAT IS LEFT OF THE NATIONALIST CHINESE BLOCKADE OF RED SHANGHAI.
BUT SHIPPERS WERE HOLDING BACK UNTIL THEY RECEIVED WORD THAT THE YANGTZE ESTUARY HAD BEEN CLEARED OF NATIONALIST MINES.
RUMORS SWEPT THIS PORT COLONY ALL DAY THAT THE BRITISH NAVY HAD ADVISED SHIPPERS TO GO SLOW ON THE RESUMPTION OF SAILINGS TO SHANGHAI, BLOCKADED SINCE LAST FALL BY THE NATIONALIST NAVY AND AIR FORCE.
REPORTS SAID THE BRITISH NAVY THINKS IT WOULD BE DANGEROUS FOR PRIVATE TRADERS TO RISK THEIR SHIPS AND CARGOES IN WATERS THE NATIONALISTS SAID THEY LEFT MINED.
A NAVY SPOKESMAN TOLD THE ASSOCIATED PRESS THAT HE WOULD "RATHER NOT COMMENT" ON THE KONG KONG RUMORS.
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A153KX
(WEST OUT)
HONG KONG, SATURDAY, MAY 20-(AP)-THE INDEPENDENT NEWSPAPER WAH KIU YAT PO TODAY SAID THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS HAD SEIZED ALL THE WANSHAN ISLANDS, USED BY THE NATIONALISTS AS BASES TO BLOCKADE CANTON.
THE NEWSPAPER, IN REPORT FROM THE PORTUGUESE COLONY OF MACAO, SAID THE NATIONALISTS QUIT TWO OF THE MAIN ISLANDS, LAPSAPMEI AND TUNGAO, MAKING UNTENABLE THE REMAINDER IN THE GROUP OF ABOUT 30.
THIS ACCOUNT ASSERTED THE NATIONALISTS PULLED OUT THEIR TROOPS ON GUNBOATS FRIDAY MORNING.
FIRST WORD OF THE FIGHTING CAME FROM EYEWITNESSES, WHO SAID THE COMMUNISTS HAD LANDED ON TWO OF THE ISLANDS AND WERE BEING SHELLED BY NATIONALIST WARSHIPS.
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THE ISLANDS, WITH AN ESTIMATED GARRISON OF 20,000 NATIONAISTS, LIE ON THE SHIPPING ROUTE BETWEEN HONG KONG AND MACAO.
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AMS BUDGET (360)
NIGHT LEAD JAPANESE (BJT)
BY TOM LAMBERT
TOKYO, MAY 19 (AP)-JAPAN'S CRUSTY LITTLE CONSERVATIVE PREMIER WAS HECKLED AND DETAINED AT A SMALL-TOWN RAILWAY STATION BY COMMUNISTS TONIGHT.
"RESCUED" BY POLICE AFTER FIVE TO TEN MINUTES, PREMIER SHIGERU YOSHIDA WAS QUOTED BY THE KYODO NEWS AGENCY AS DECLARING, "IF THE COMMUNIST PARTY REPEATS INCIDENTS LIKE THIS, IT SHOULD BE OUTLAWED."
LAST WEEK YOSHIDA HAD SAID JAPAN WOULD CONSIDER OUTLAWING THE COMMUNISTS ONLY AFTER SEEING WHAT HAPPENED IN OTHER COUNTRIES. THIS WAS IN RESPONSE TO SUGGESTIONS BY GENERAL MACARTHUR THAT JAPAN OUGHT TO CONSIDER OUTLAWING THE REDS AS AGENTS OF A "PREDATORY INTERNATIONAL FORCE."
TONIGHT'S INCIDENT AS THE TOYAMA STATION IN WESTERN HONSHU IS ALMOST CERTAIN TO REACT AGAINST THE COMMUNISTS POLITICALLY.
THE KYODO AGENCY SAID YOSHIDA WAS SURROUNDED BY A CROWD OF 2,000 COMMUNISTS AND COMMUNIST SYMPATHIZERS WHO SHOUTED DENUNCIATIONS OF HIS ADMINISTRATION, AND THAT POLICE HAD TO DISPERSE THEM BEFORE HE COULD MOVE.
THE TOKYO PAPERS ASAHI AND YOMIURI SAID MANY OF THE CROWD MAY HAVE BEEN PRESSING MERELY TO GET A CLOSER LOOK, BUT AGREED THAT SOME WERE COMMUNISTS AND PRO-COMMUNISTS.
NATIONAL RURAL POLICE HEADQUARTERS SAID THE NEWSPAPER ACCOUNTS WERE "GROSSLY EXAGGERATED." POLICE SAID THERE WERE NO MORE THAN 1,000 IN THE CROWD AND MOST OF THEM WERE MERELY CURIOUS TO SEE YOSHIDA.
POLICE CONCEDED THAT THE CROWD WAS SWELLED BY LEFTISTS WHO HAD STAGED AN ANTI-YOSHIDA RALLY BEFORE THE PRIME MINISTER ARRIVED. THEY INSISTED THEY HAD NO EVIDENCE THE RALLY WAS TIMED TO COINCIDE WITH HIS ARRIVAL, BUT WOULD BE WATCHING CROWDS ELSEWHERE ON HIS TOUR.
YOSHIDA IS ON A TOUR, ALMOST IN AMERICAN FASHION, ON BEHALF OF HIS PARTY'S CANDIDATES IN THE JUNE 4 HOUSE OF COUNCILLORS ELECTION.
UPPER HOUSE OF THE JAPANESE DIET, 132 OF ITS 250 SEATS ARE AT ISSUE. YOSHIDA'S LIBERAL PARTY, WHICH ACTUALLY IS CONSERVATIVE, CONTROLS THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES BUT IS OUTNUMBERED IN THE HOUSE OF COUNCILLORS.
NEWSPAPER SENTIMENT GIVES THE LIBERALS A GOOD CHANCE TO WIN CONTROL, BUT OPPONENTS STOUTLY CONTEST THIS.
THE JAPANESE TEND TO REGARD THE UPPER HOUSE AS SIMILAR TO THE OLD HOUSE OF PEERS, WHICH WAS APPOINTIVE AND DID NOT HAVE MUCH LEGISLATIVE POWER. LAST MONTH, HOWEVER, THE HOUSE OF COUNCILLORS KILLED A TAX BILL THAT HAD BOTH ADMINISTRATION AND OCCUPATION SUPPORT.
SINCE THEN, THE POLITICIANS HAVE TAKEN DEEPENING INTEREST IN THE ELECTION.
YOSHIDA, A MAN NOT RENOWNED FOR THE COMMON TOUCH, HAS HIT THE ROAD IN AFFABLE FASHION, DOING ALMOST EVERYTHING BUT KISS BABIES TO WIN VOTES FOR HIS PARTY.
THE WHOLE CAMPAIGN HAS WARMED UP. SOUND TRUCKS CRUISE ABOUT WITH MUSICIANS AND SPEAKERS; LESS WEALTHY CANDIDATES HIRE TRUCKLOADS OF STUDENTS TO GO YELLING THROUGH THE STREETS; HANDBILL PASSERS ARE BUSY WHEREVER THERE ARE CROWDS; AND FROCK-COATED OR SHIRT-SLEEVED CANDIDATES ARE OUT GLADHANDING FARMERS, FISHERMEN AND FACTORY WORKERS.
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A96FX (MOB)

TOKYO, MAY 19-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER SHIGERU YOSHIDA WAS DETAINED ABOUT 10 MINUTES TONIGHT BY A CROWD OF 2,000 COMMUNISTS AND RED SYMPATHIZERS AT THE RAILWAY STATION IN TOYAMA WHERE HE WAS ON A POLITICAL TOUR.
RESCUED BY POLICE, KYODO NEWS AGENCY SAID THE PRIME MINISTER

DECLARED: "IF THE COMMUNIST PARTY REPEATW INCIDENTS LIKE THIS IT SHOULD BE OUTLAWED FROM THE COUNTRY."

KYODO SAID AS YOSHIDA LEFT HIS TRAIN AT TOYAMA HE WAS CONFRONTED BY A CROWD OF 2,000 COMMUNISTS AND PRO-COMMUNIST LABORITES SHOUTING DENUNCIATIONS OF THE PRIME MINISTER'S CABINET.

HE WAS ABLE TO PROCEED ONLY AFTER POLICE DISPERSED THE DEMONSTRATORS, KYODO SAID.

YOSHIDA WAS NOT INJURED.

LATER AT HIS HOTEL, YOSHIDA SAID:

"I KNOW FULL WELL THE COMMUNIST PARTY HATES THE YOSHIDA CABINET AND I, MYSELF, HATE THE COMMUNIST PARTY."

HE WARNED THE REDS AGAINST VIOLENCE.

YOSHIDA'S TOUR IS IN CONNECTION WITH THE FORTHCOMING HOUSE OF COUNCILLORS (UPPER HOUSE) ELECTION ON JUNE 4.

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BY KENNETH LIKES

JAKARTA, U.S.I., MAY 19-(AP)-INDONESIA'S CENTRAL GOVERNMENT AND ITS DOMINANT SUBDIVISION, THE ORIGINAL REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA, AGREED TODAY ON A PROCEDURE FOR DISSOLVING THE PRESENT FEDERAL REGIME, SUBSTITUTING FOR IT A SINGLE STATE IN THE FORMER DUTCH EAST INDIES. ORIGINALLY THERE WERE 16 STATES IN THE UNITED STATES OF INDONESIA.

A JOINT COMMITTEE REPRESENTING THE U.S.I. AND THE REPUBLIC WILL LAY THE GROUNDWORK FOR THE NEW STATE "IN THE SHORTEST POSSIBLE TIME," ACCORDING TO A JOINT COMMUNIQUE ISSUED BY BOTH GOVERNMENTS. LEADERS OF THE TWO GOVERNMENT AGREED THAT PRESIDENT SOEKARNO OF THE U.S.I., FORMER PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC, WOULD BECOME HEAD OF THE NEW STATE.

THE UNITED STATES OF INDONESIA CAME INTO BEING LAST DECEMBER. SINCE THEN THE ORIGINAL 16 STATES GRADUALLY HAVE DWINDLED TO THE PRESENT THREE, THE REPUBLIC, EAST IINDONESIA AND EAST SUMATRA. THE ONLY AREA IN THE ISLANDS OUTSIDE THE FEDERAL SETUP IS THE AUTONOMOUS AREA OF WEST BORNEO.

UPON THE FOLLOWING POINTS, THE FEDERAL REGIME AND THE REPUBLIC ARE AGREED:

1. THE FEDERAL SENATE WILL BE ABOLISHED IN THE NEW SETUP.
2. PARLIAMENT WILL BE MADE UP OF THE PRESENT FEDERAL HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, A "WORKING COMMITTEE" OF THE REPUBLIC'S PARLIAMENT AND SEVERAL MEMBERS APPOINTED BY THE PRESIDENT.
3. THE CABINET WILL BE OF A TYPE MODELED AFTER WEST EUROPEAN DEMOCRACIES.
4. THE CONSTITUTION OF THE NEW UNITARY STATE WILL BE A REVISION OF THE PRESENTED FEDERAL CONSTITUTION.

PRESIDENT SOEKARNO URGED THE NATION'S 80,000,000 RESIDENTS ON MAY 8 TO BE PATIENT AND LET THE CENTRAL GOVERNMENT REORGANIZE THE SYSTEM IN A WAY WHICH WILL AVOID ANARCHY AND PROTECT INDONESIAN PRESTIGE IN THE WORLD.

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AGANA,GUAM,MAY 19 (AP)-SEAMAN APPRENTICE WAYLON M.HARPER, 19, USN, WAS KILLED TODAY BY AN ELECTRICAL CHARGE WHILE INSTALLING A RADIO MICROPHONE IN THE NAVAL AIR STATION BARRACKS IN AGANA.

HARPER WAS FROM SOUTH SOLON, OHIO. HE ARRIVED IN GUAM ONLY LAST MONTH AFTER ENLISTING IN THE NAVY ON JULY 15, 1948.

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NIGHT LEAD INDONESIAN (450)

BY KENNETH LIKES

JAKARTA, U.S.I., MAY 19-(AP)-THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF INDONESIA AND THE ORIGINAL REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA--THE LARGEST STATE WITHIN THE U.S.I.--AGREED TODAY ON THE FORMATION OF AN OVER-ALL GOVERNMENT IN THE FORMER DUTCH EAST INDIES.

THE DECISION TO SET UP A SINGLE NEW GOVERNMENT CAME AS REPORTS, SEEPING THROUGH CENTRAL GOVERNMENT CENSORSHIP, TOLD OF NEW SERIOUS FIGHTING IN MAKASSAR, CAPITAL OF THE RECALCITRANT STATE OF EAST INDONESIA. THERE U.S.I. SOLDIERS CLASHED WITH KNIL TROOPS, INDONESIAN CORPS OF THE DUTCH ARMED FORCES.

UNDER THE AGREEMENT FOR A UNITARY REGIME, A JOINT COMMITTEE REPRESENTING THE U.S.I. AND THE REPUBLICAN OF INDONESIA WILL LAY THE GROUNDWORK FOR THE NEW GOVERNMENT "IN THE SHORTEST POSSIBLE TIME," A JOINT COMMUNIQUE OF BOTH GOVERNMENTS SAID.

IT WAS AGREED ALSO THAT PRESIDENT SOEKARNO OF THE U.S.I., FORMER PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC, WILL HEAD THE NEW STATE.

THE PROCEDURE CALLS FOR THE DISSOLUTION OF THE PRESENT FEDERAL REGIME, THE CONTINUANCE OF THE WEST EUROPEAN-TYPE OF CABINET, ABOLITION OF THE SENATE AND THE CREATION OF A PARLIAMENT MADE UP OF MEMBERS OF THE REPUBLIC AND U.S.I. REPRESENTATIVE BODIES.

THE NEW UNITARY STATE WILL BE TEMPORARY AND ITS CONSTITUTION PROVISIONAL UNTIL A FINAL CONSTITUTION IS DRAWN UP BY AN ASSEMBLY ELECTED BY THE PEOPLE ON THE BASIS OF ONE MEMBER FOR EVERY 3,000 RESIDENTS, PLUS REPRESENTATIVES OF RACIAL MINORITIES.

THE PRESENT U.S.I. CONSTITUTION CALLS FOR A FINAL CONSTITUENT ASSEMBLY BY THE END OF 1950.

THE CONSTITUTION OF THE NEW STATE WILL BE A REVISION OF THE U.S.I. CONSTITUTION WITH ESSENTIALS OF THE REPUBLIC'S CONSTITUTION. IT WILL BE BASED ON SOCIALISTIC PRINCIPLES ENVISIONED IN THE ORIGINAL PROCLAMATION OF INDEPENDENCE OF AUG.17, 1945.

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THE FORMATION OF THE NEW GOVERNMENT WILL MARK THE END OF THE SYSTEM OF STATES SET UP BY THE DUTCH DURING THE LAST FIVE YEARS IN AREAS OUTSIDE THE INDONESIAN REPUBLIC.

REPUBLICANS, WHO DOMINATED THE NEW NATION, WERE DETERMINED THAT THE OTHER STATES--FORMERLY DERIDED AS DUTCH PUPPETS--SHOULD GO. THE STRUGGLE TO BRING THEM INTO THE FOLD PRODUCED POLITICAL CHAOS AND ACTUAL WARFARE SINCE INDONESIA GAINED ITS INDEPENDENCE.

PRESIDENT SOEKARNO, ON MAY 8, CALLED ON THE NATION'S 80,000,000 INHABITANTS TO GIVE THE CENTRAL GOVERNMENT THE OPPORTUNITY TO REORGANIZE THE SYSTEM IN ORDER TO RID THE ISLANDS OF ANARCHY AND TO PROTECT THE PRESTIGE OF INDONESIA THROUGHOUT THE WORLD.

SINCE THE U.S.I. WAS CREATED LAST DECEMBER, THE ORIGINAL 16 STATES HAVE DWINDLED TO THE PRESENT THREE--THE REPUBLIC, EAST SUMATRA AND EAST INDONESIA--LEAVING THE AUTONOMOUS AREA OF WEST BORNEO AS THE ONLY AREA IN THE ISLANDS OUTSIDE THE FEDERAL SET-UP.

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BORNEO AS THE ONLY AREA IN THE ISLANDS OUTSIDE THE FEDERAL SET-UP.
MUCH OF THE INTERNAL STRIFE HAS CENTERED RECENTLY IN EAST INDONESIA.
THE INDONESIAN NEWS AGENCY ANTARA, WHICH HAD REPORTED CLASHES EARLIER IN THE WEEK BETWEEN THE KNIL AND U.S.I. TROOPS, SAID MORTARS AND TANKS WERE BROUGHT INTO ACTION AND U.S.I.REINFORCEMENTS WERE CALLED UP FROM CENTRAL JAVA.
JAKARTA NEWSPAPERS REPORTED THREE ARMY BARRACKS WERE BURNED AND THAT MAKASSAR HOSPITALS WERE FILLED WITH VICTIMS. AIR TRAVEL TO MAKASSAR AND TRIPS THERE BY NEWS CORRESPONDENTS WERE NOT PERMITTED.
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B133 (Q)
(210)
SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA, MAY 19-(AP)-SEVEN BRITISH COMMONWEALTH NATIONS CONCLUDED THEIR FIVE-DAY ASIAN CONFERENCE AND ANNOUNCED DETAILS OF A PLAN TO AID SOUTH AND SOUTHEAST ASIAN COUNTRIES.
THE SIX-YEAR PLAN CALLS FOR DEVELOPING PROJECTS SUCH AS MECHANIZED AGRICULTURE, IRRIGATION, HYDRO-ELECTRIC, COMMUNICATIONS AND TRANSPORT.
A COMMUNIQUE SAID THE CONFERENCE DECIDED TO INAUGURATE THE PLAN "IN THE NEXT FEW MONTHS" AND SAID IT MIGHT INVOLVE A TOTAL EXPENDITURE OF £8,000,000 ($22,400,000) OVER A THREE-YEAR PERIOD.
THERE WAS A GENERAL UNDERSTANDING AMONG DELEGATES THAT THE BURDEN FOR PROVIDING FUNDS AND CREDITS WILL FALL MAINLY ON BRITAIN AND AUSTRALIA, WITH THOSE TWO NATIONS ABSORBING 70 PER CENT OF THE TOTAL COST.
INDIA, PAKISTAN, CEYLON, CANADA AND NEW ZEALAND, IN THAT ORDER, WILL PROVIDE THE BALANCE OF THE FUNDS.
DELEGATES SAID THE FIRST CALL FOR AID WILL COME FROM THE NEWLY FORMED UNITED STATES OF INDONESIA, WHICH IS BIDDING FOR FLOUR, MEDICAL AID AND TECHNICIANS.
THE COMMUNIQUE SAID COUNTRIES SEEKING AID MUST SUBMIT AN OUTLINE OF THEIR DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS BEFORE SEPT.1. THE CONFERENCE MEETS AGAIN IN LONDON IN SEPTEMBER TO CONSIDER THESE PROJECTS.
EARLIER, THE DELEGATES ANNOUNCED AGREEMENT TO SET UP A CENTRAL BUREAU AT COLOMBO, CEYLON, TO COORDINATE THE TECHNICAL AID SCHEMES AND DEAL WITH EMERGENCY CALLS FOR FOOD AND DRUGS.
THE COMMUNIQUE SAID A FORMAL INVITATION WILL BE EXTENDED TO ALL GOVERNMENTS OF SOUTH AND SOUTHEAST ASIA TO TAKE PART IN THE COMMONWEALTH PLAN.
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sydney, australia, may 19 -(ap)- a british commonwealth conference today outlined a six-point program of aid for south and southeast asia.

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the delegates went into final session late tonight to consider an australian proposal to establish credits of possibly £15,000,000 ($27,000,000) in the next year to enable asian countries to obtain emergency food and medical supplies.

a communique said the representatives of the seven commonwealth nations, australia, britain, ceylon, india, pakistan, new zealand and canada decided:

1. that each asian country seeking aid must outline its development projects by sept. 1.

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2. ~~1.~~ the commonwealth aid plan calls for the ~~1. the~~ overall plan calls for development of asian countries in progressive steps over the next six years.

2. countries seeking aid must submit an outline of their development projects before sept. 1.

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3. the commonwealth nations sponsoring the aid plan will meet again in london during september to consider the outlined projects.

4. inauguration "in the next few months" of a commonwealth technical

assistance scheme involving expenditure of £8,000,000 [redacted] ($22,400,000)[redacted] over a three-year period.

5. establishment of a commonwealth central bureau at colombo, ceylon, to [redacted] coordinate the technical aid schemes.

6. an formal invitation will be extended to all governments of south and southeast asia to take part in the british commonwealth plan.

the conference began last monday under the chairmanship of australian external affairs minister percy c. spender.

A30FX (BJT)

PMS BUDGET (750)
FLIERS
BY ROY ESSOYAN
PEARL HARBOR, MAY 19-(AP)-TWO U.S. AIRMEN INDICATED YESTERDAY THEY HAD ADMITTED A RED CHARGE OF SPYING IN ORDER TO ESCAPE FROM 18 MONTHS OF CAPTIVITY IN COMMUNIST NORTH CHINA.

MARINE SGT. ELMER C. BENDER, 27, CINCINNATI, AND NAVY CHIEF ELECTRICIAN'S MATE WILLIAM C.SMITH, 32, LONG BEACH, CALIF., SAID THEY WERE TREATED BETTER "THAN WE COULD POSSIBLY HAVE EXPECTED."

BUT THEY WOULDN'T SAY YES OR NO AT A PRESS CONFERENCE WHEN ASKED IF THEY HAD SIGNED CONFESSIONS THAT THEY WERE AMERICAN SPIES. THE COMMUNISTS IN ANNOUNCING THEIR RELEASE MAY 3 SAID THEY CONFESSED.

"AS FAR AS STATEMENTS WE MADE WHILE WE WERE UP THERE," SAID BENDER, "WE WERE CUT OFF ENTIRELY AND THE BEST WAY TO GET OUT WAS THROUGH OUR OWN EFFORTS."

ASKED WHAT WAS MEANT BY THAT, SMITH SAID IT WAS A LONG STORY AND "I WILL EXPLAIN IT ALL LATER." WHEN A REPORTED ASKED THEM, HOWEVER, WHAT MEANS WERE USED TO GET "CONFESSIONS", BENDER REPLIED:

"THERE WERE NO MEANS, SO-CALLED. BUT IT WAS THAT THEY GAVE US THE IDEA THAT WE WERE TO BE THERE FROM NOW ON. WE WERE SHUT OFF FROM HOME. WE HAD NO NEWS FROM HOME. THE LONGER WE STAYED, THE LONGER IT LOOKED AS IF WE WERE GOING TO STAY."

THE TWO WERE CAPTURED OCT. 19, 1948, WHEN THEIR LIGHT PLANE WAS FORCED DOWN BY ENGINE TROUBLE NEAR THE NORTH CHINA PORT OF TSINGTAO. THE CITY THEN WAS A U.S. NAVY ANCHORAGE AND THEY WERE ON A TRAINING FLIGHT.

THEY LEFT TSINGTAO MAY 3 ON THE BRITISH STEAMER HUNAN, REACHED HONG KONG MONDAY, AND WERE FLOWN TO PEARL HARBOR, ARRIVING TUESDAY NIGHT. THEY ARE DUE AT LOS ALAMITOS NEAR LOS ANGELES AT 930 A.M. PDT -(1:30 PEST). THEY LEFT LAST NIGHT IN A SPECIAL MARINE PLANE.

REPORTERS WANTED TO KNOW IF THEY WERE ACCUSED OF SPYING. BENDER SAID THE COMMUNISTS DIDN'T WANT TO ACCUSE THEM DIRECTLY SO THEY WORDED THE QUESTION "IN SUCH A WAY YOU CAN ANSWER IT ALMOST ANY WAY."

BENDER SAID THEIR LITTLE LIAISON PLANE GOT OVER COMMUNIST TERRITORY BECAUSE THE WIND WAS BLOWING IN THE WRONG DIRECTION. ENGINE TROUBLE FORCED THEM TO LAND ON A BEACH ABOUT 15 MILES NORTH OF TSINGTAO.

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HOW WERE THEY CAPTURED?

"THEY JUST SURROUNDED US," SMITH SAID. "THERE WERE SOME FISHERMEN AROUND AND THEY TOOK US TO A VILLAGE."

WITH A COMMUNIST ARMY GUARD, THEY WERE MARCHED TO ANOTHER VILLAGE. SEVERAL TIMES DURING THEIR LONG CAPTIVITY THEY WERE MOVED FROM ONE VILLAGE TO ANOTHER.

"WE WERE VERY DEPRESSED ALL THROUGH LAST SUMMER," BENDER SAID. "THE LONGER WE STAYED THERE THE LONGER IT SEEMED WE WERE TO STAY."

NOT THAT THEY WERE TREATED BADLY. "WE ATE AS WELL AS THE CHINESE DID," SMITH OBSERVED. HE ADDED THAT THEIR CAPTORS "WENT OUT OF THEIR WAY TO GIVE US AS MUCH AS THEY COULD OF ALL THAT THEY HAD."

BENDER SAID THE CHINESE PEOPLE HE SAW "ARE GETTING A BETTER DEAL UNDER THE COMMUNISTS THAN THEY WERE UNDER THE NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT."

THEY SAW NO RUSSIAN EQUIPMENT OF ANY KIND. SMITH SAID "THE ONLY FOREIGN EQUIPMENT WE SAW WAS AMERICAN." THE REDS CAPTURED A LOT OF EQUIPMENT FROM THE NATIONALISTS.

WHEN THEY WERE TAKEN ACK TO TSINGTAO THEY SAW EUROPEANS IN COMMUNIST UNIFORMS. THEY SAID THESE MIGHT HAVE BEEN RUSSIANS.

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WHEN THEY WERE TAKEN BACK TO TSINGTAO THEY SAW EUROPEANS IN COMMUNIST UNIFORMS. THEY SAID THESE MIGHT HAVE BEEN RUSSIANS.

THEY NEVER WERE TIED UP BUT HAD THE FREEDOM OF WHATEVER FARM HOUSE THEY HAPPENED TO BE IN. NEAR THE END OF THEIR CAPTIVITY THEY WERE ALLOWED TO WALK AROUND THE VILLAGES UNDER GUARD.

""OUR DIET WAS MAINLY STARCHES, BREAD," BENDER SAID. "OCCASIONALLY WE GOT RICE BUT RICE IS A LUXURY IN NORTH CHINA. VEGETABLES, A LITTLE FISH AND HOT WATER MADE UP OUR DAILY MENU."

BENDER KEPT UP HIS WEIGHT. SMITH DROPPED FROM 200 TO 181 POUNDS.

THE ONLY WORK THEY HAD TO DO WAS THEIR OWN WASHING. THEIR ONLY PASTIME WAS WHITTLING. THEY GOT MEDICAL ATTENTION WHEN THEY NEEDED IT. SMITH HAD TROUBLE WITH HIS TONSILS AND NURSES GAVE HIM SULFA DRUGS.

THROUGHOUT THEIR CAPTIVITY THEY SAID THEY REMAINED ON FRIENDLY RELATIONS WITH THEIR CAPTORS.

"THEY WOULDN'T ASK US QUESTIONS WE MIGHT REFUSE TO ANSWER," SMITH SAID.

"WE LEFT THEM LAST MONTH THE BEST OF FRIENDS," BENDER ADDED. "THERE WERE NO HARD FEELINGS ON EITHER SIDE.

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"AS THEY KEPT WINNING THE WAR IN CHINA THEY WOULD HAVE CELEBRATIONS. WE KIND OF LOOKED FORWARD TO THOSE CELEBRATIONS. THE ARMY GOT EXTRA RATIONS AND SO DID WE."

SMITH SAID "THE COMMUNISTS GAVE US QUITE A BLOW-OUT WHEN WE LEFT.

THERE WAS PLENTY OF CHOW AT THAT PARTY."

IN THE INTERIOR THEY HEARD CRITICISM OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND CHIANG KAI-SHEK. THEY HEARD NO WORD AGAINST THE RUSSIANS OR COMMUNIST LEADER MAO TZE-TUNG. NEITHER SAW ANY SIGN OF A NATIONALIST UNDERGROUND.

BENDER SAID THE ANTI-AMERICAN PROPAGANDA WAS AIMED SOLELY AT THE U.S.GOVERNMENT AND "THEY HAD NOTHING AGAINST THE AMERICAN PEOPLE."

SMITH ADDED THAT EVERYONE THEY SAW SEEMED SOLD ON COMMUNISM ALTHOUGH ONLY A FEW EDUCATED CHINESE AMONG THEM KNEW ANYTHING ABOUT COMMUNIST THEORY.

A CHINESE OFFICER GAVE THEM A LITTLE NEWS FROM TIME TO TIME, INCLUDING PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S ELECTION. THE OFFICER CAME AND TOLD THEM ON APRIL 30 THAT THEY WERE BEING RELEASED.

BOTH LOOKED RESTED AND HAPPY, BUT THEY ADMITTED THEY WERE "KINDA NERVOUS" AT THE PRESS CONFERENCE. SMITH SAID THAT WAS THE REASON THEY HEDGED ON SOME QUESTIONS.

"WE'RE KIND OF TAKEN ABACK BY ALL THIS FUSS," SMITH SAID. "FOR 18 MONTHS WE THOUGHT WE WERE FORGOTTEN MEN."

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BY GARBER DAVIDSON

LONG BEACH,CALIF.,MAY 19 (AP)-TWO U.S.FLIERS, WHO THOUGHT THEY WERE "FORGOTTEN MEN" DURING 18 MONTHS IMPRISONMENT BY CHINESE COMMUNISTS, RECEIVED A ROUSING WELCOME UPON RETURNING TO THEIR HOMELAND TODAY.

MARINE SGT.ELMER C.BENDER, 27, CINCINNATI, O., AND NAVY CHIEF ELECTRICIAN'S MATE WILLIAM C.SMITH, 32, LONG BEACH, LOOKED TRIM AND FIT AS THEY STEPPED DOWN THE RAMP OF A MARINE TRANSPORT PLANE WHICH BROUGHT THEM FROM PEARL HARBOR TO NEARBY LOS ALAMITOS NAVAL AIR STATION.

MRS.RUBY SMITH, 32, RUSHED UP THE RAMP WITH THEIR TWO YOUNGSTERS TO EMBRACE HER HUSBAND, WHOM SHE HADN'T SEEN FOR 22 MONTHS. AS SMITH HUGGED MICHAEL, THREE, HIS WIFE INTRODUCED HIM TO PATRICK, 17 MONTHS, WHO WAS BORN WHILE HE WAS A PRISONER. SMITH GAVE EACH OF HIS SONS A YELLOW TEDDY BEAR. A MARINE BAND GREETED THEM WITH "ANCHORS AWEIGH."

BENDER ~~WAS TO BE FLOWN SOON AFTERWARD TO~~ GLENVIEW, ILL., A CHICAGO SUBURB, FOR A REUNION WITH HIS WIFE, SHIRLEY, AND DAUGHTER, KATHY, FOUR. HE WAS MET HERE BY MRS.ANNA KAISER, LOS ANGELES, A COUSIN OF HIS MOTHER. LEFT TODAY BY MARINE TRANSPORT PLANE FOR

BENDER'S LEAVE-TAKING WAS DELAYED WHILE HE AND SMITH DROVE TO HOLLYWOOD TO OBTAIN AN AGENT TO HANDLE CONTRACTS FOR PUBLICATION OF THEIR ADVENTURE. BENDER WAS SCHEDULED TO APPEAR IN CHICAGO'S ARMED FORCES DAY PARADE TOMORROW.

IN A NEWS CONFERENCE HERE THE MEN INDICATED, AS THEY HAD TO NEWSMEN AT PEARL HARBOR, THAT THEY ADMITTED A RED SPY CHARGE IN ORDER TO OBTAIN THEIR RELEASE.

ASKED IF THEY GAVE "SPY CONFESSIONS," BENDER REPLIED, "WE SIGNED STATEMENTS BUT THEY WERE NOT WHAT YOU WOULD CALL CONFESSIONS." HE ADDED IT WOULD TAKE "HALF A DAY" TO EXPLAIN THE SITUATION.

THE PAIR SAID IN PEARL HARBOR THAT THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS TREATED THEM BETTER "THAN WE COULD POSSIBLY HAVE EXPECTED." BUT TODAY SMITH DECLARED "THERE WAS NO VIOLENCE, JUST A LITTLE FORCEFUL PERSUASION." HE DID NOT AMPLIFY THIS.

"YOU MUST REALIZE," BENDER INTERJECTED, "WE WERE IN NO POSITION TO OBJECT."

WITH BENDER AT THE CONTROLS, THEY TOOK OFF FROM TSINGTAO, THEN NATIONALIST TERRITORY, OCT.19, 1948. BENDER SAID ENGINE FAILURE FORCED THEIR SMALL OBSERVATION TYPE PLANE DOWN IN COMMUNIST TERRITORY AND THEY WERE CAPTURED.

"THE COMMUNIST BOUNDARY LINE WAS NOT CLEARLY DEFINED AND WE WERE ABOUT TWO OR THREE MILES OVER THE LINE," BENDER EXPLAINED. HE ADDED THAT IT WAS A ROUTINE FLIGHT HE WAS REQUIRED TO MAKE TO MAINTAIN HIS PILOT'S RATING.

SMITH WAS ASKED IF HE WERE JUST ALONG FOR THE RIDE AND REPLIED:

"YES, A LONG RIDE."

BOTH MEN SAID THE COMMUNISTS HAD TRIED TO INDOCTRINATE THEM AND THAT IT APPEARED THEIR RELEASE WAS CONTINGENT UPON U.S.RECOGNITION OF THE CHINESE COMMUNIST REGIME.

"THEY SEEMED TO THINK WE'D LIKE TO STAY," SMITH ADDED IRONICALLY.

BOTH MEN WERE PLEASED TO LEARN THEY WILL BE ENTITLED TO PAY FOR THE PERIOD OF THEIR INTERNMENT. AND AFTER THEIR PRESS CONFERENCE THEY CONFERRED WITH NAVAL OFFICERS AND REPRESENTATIVES OF MAGAZINES AND NEWSPAPERS WHICH WANT TO PRINT THEIR STORY.

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SMITH DENIED A NAVY ESTIMATE THAT THEY HAD RECEIVED OFFERS OF $100,000 OR MORE. "THEY DON'T REACH SIX FIGURES," SMITH SAID.

"WE'RE HAVING A CHICKEN DINNER TONIGHT BECAUSE SMITTY LIKES CHICKEN SO WELL--JUST FOR THE FOUR OF US," MRS.SMITH BUBBLED HAPPILY. THE DINNER IN THEIR MODEST HOME WILL INCLUDE A CAKE INSCRIBED "WELCOME HOME, DADDY."

SATURDAY NIGHT THE SMITHS WILL RIDE AT THE HEAD OF THE LONG BEACH ARMED FORCES DAY PARADE.

IN WASHINGTON, THE STATE DEPARTMENT TODAY CRITICIZED THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS FOR "UNREASONABLY" HOLDING THE FLIERS. UNDERSECRETARY JAMES E.WEBB DETAILED REPEATED U.S. AND BRITISH EFFORTS TO FREE THE MEN. HE SAID THE COMMUNISTS IGNORED THE REPRESENTATIONS.

JUST BEFORE LEARNING HER HUSBAND WAS TO BE FREED, MRS.SMITH WAS ARRANGING FOR A PASSPORT TO GO TO CHINA HERSELF TO SEEK HER HUSBAND'S RELEASE.

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WITH FLIERS.

BURBANK, CALIF., MAY 19-(AP)-MARINE SGT. ELMER C. BENDER, 27, CINCINNATI, O., ONE OF TWO AIRMEN HELD CAPTIVE 18 MONTHS BY CHINESE COMMUNISTS, LEFT TONIGHT FOR GLENVIEW NAVAL AIR STATION, NEAR CHICAGO.

THE MARINE DC-3 PLANE TOOK OFF AT 5:28 P.M., PACIFIC DAYLIGHT TIME, AND IS DUE AT GLENVIEW AT 8 A. M. TOMORROW, CENTRAL DAYLIGHT TIME. BENDER WILL BE REUNITED WITH HIS WIFE, SHIRLEY, AND HIS DAUGHTER, KATHY, FOUR. HE ALSO IS SCHEDULED TO APPEAR IN CHICAGO'S ARMED FORCES DAY PARADE TOMORROW.

HE AND HIS COMPANION, NAVY CHIEF ELECTRICIAN'S MATE WILLIAM C. SMITH, ARRIVED BY AIR THIS MORNING AT NEARBY LONG BEACH.

BENDER'S FLIGHT TO GLENVIEW WAS DELAYED WHILE HE AND SMITH SIGNED WITH FAMOUS ARTISTS AGENCY TO HANDLE MANY OFFERS FOR USE OF THEIR STORY.

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SMITH-BENDER
WASHINGTON,MAY 19-(AP)-THE STATE DEPARTMENT RAPPED THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS TODAY FOR "UNREASONABLY" HOLDING TWO AMERICAN AIRMEN FOR 18 MONTHS.
UNDERSECRETARY JAMES E.WEBB DETAILED U.S. AND BRITISH EFFORTS TO FREE NAVY CHIEF ELECTRICIAN'S MATE WILLIAM C.SMITH AND MARINE SGT. ELMER C.BENDER, IN A STATEMENT EXPRESSING GRATIFICATION THE TWO WERE FINALLY FREED.
THE COMMUNIST AUTHORITIES, WEBB SAID, IGNORED REPEATED REPRESENTATIONS, BOTH ORAL AND WRITTEN, MADE BY U.S. CONSULAR OFFICIALS AT PEIPING, NANKING, TSINGTAO, SHANGHAI AND TIENTSIN.
"NONE OF OUR COMMUNICATIONS WAS ANSWERED, ALTHOUGH ONE WAS RETURNED IN A NEW ENVELOPE--INDICATING THAT ITS CONTENTS HAD BEEN NOTED," WEBB SAID.

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THE BRITISH WERE BROUGHT INTO THE EFFORT WHEN THE COMMUNISTS ADVANCED THE "APPARENT PRETEXT" THAT THEY LACKED DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH THE U.S., WEBB NOTED.
THE BRITISH EFFORTS LIKEWISE FAILED AS DID INFORMAL ATTEMPTS TO GET ACTION THROUGH PERSONAL CONTACT WITH THE CHINESE LEADERS.
"WHILE WE OFTEN WISHED WE COULD HAVE DONE MORE, WE HAD CONSTANTLY TO REMEMBER THAT THERE WAS A POINT BEYOND WHICH WE COULD NOT GO WITHOUT ENDANGERING THE SAFETY OF THE TWO MEN THEMSELVES AND THAT OF HUNDREDS OF OTHER AMERICANS STILL IN COMMUNIST CHINA," WEBB SAID.
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NIGHT LEAD PRESS CODE

Montevideo, Uruguay, May 19--(AP)--The United Nations Subcommission on Freedom of the Press today adopted a section of a proposed international code of ethics for newspapers calling for accurate and objective reporting and avoidance of any distortion or suppression of facts.

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Earlier today Carroll Binder, veteran newspaperman from Minneapolis, Minn., and American delegate, told the subcommission that adoption of the proposed code would give dictator governments a new weapon against the press.

The subcommission is voting on the code paragraph by paragraph. The

section adopted today was approved by a vote of [redacted]. Binder,

Philip Jordan, of Britain, and Melchor Aquina of the Philippines--all [redacted]

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strongly opposed to adopting the code--abstained from voting.

While observers here regard today's balloting as a forecast of action on the code as a whole, they view it as at least an indication that a majority of the subcommission feel some standards should be adopted for the profession of journalism.

The section approved reads:

"All engaged in the gathering, transmission, and dissemination of news and in commenting thereon shall make the utmost endeavor to insure that the information which the public receives is factually accurate and objective. Every item of information, whenever open to doubt, shall be checked and no

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fact distorted or essential fact suppressed. They shall never publish or in any way be a party to the publication of information known to be false."

Binder earlier told the subcommission that the entire concept of the code is unwelcome to the United States and "other countries whose free institutions still are cherished by the people."

He said that adoption of a code, even on a voluntary basis, would give totalitarian regimes a chance to organize the profession of journalism on the same basis as other groups are organized in such countries."

Mahmoud Azmi, Egyptian delegate and a sponsor of the proposed code, said that "absolute freedom of information calls for a certain sense of responsibility among those who handle news."

Azmi added that the subcommission wants only to recommend a draft as a working paper for later consideration by an international conference of working journalists.

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MAHMOUD AZMI, EGYPT'S DELEGATE AND A SPONSOR OF THE PROPOSED CODE, REPLIED THAT "ABSOLUTE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION CALLS FOR A CERTAIN SENSE OF RESPONSIBILITY AMONG THOSE WHO HANDLE NEWS." HE ADDED THAT THE SUBCOMMISSION WANTS ONLY TO RECOMMEND A DRAFT AS A WORKING PAPER FOR LATER CONSIDERATION BY AN INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE OF WORKING JOURNALISTS.

THE SUBCOMMISSION IS VOTING ON THE CODE PARAGRAPH BY PARAGRAPH. THE SECTION ADOPTED TODAY WAS APPROVED BY A VOTE OF 8 TO 0. BINDER, PHILIP JORDAN OF BRITAIN AND MELCHOR AQUINA OF THE PHILIPPINES--ALL STRONGLY OPPOSED TO ADOPTING THE CODE--ABSTAINED FROM VOTING.

WHILE OBSERVERS HERE DO NOT REGARD TODAY'S BALLOTING AS A FORECAST OF ACTION ON THE CODE AS A WHOLE, THEY VIEW IT AS AT LEAST AN INDICATION THAT A MAJORITY OF THE SUBCOMMISSION FEEL SOME STANDARDS SHOULD BE ADOPTED FOR THE PROFESSION OF JOURNALISM.

THE SECTION APPROVED READS:

"ALL ENGAGED IN THE GATHERING, TRANSMISSION, AND DISSEMINATION OF NEWS AND IN COMMENTING THEREON SHALL MAKE THE UTMOST ENDEAVOR TO INSURE THAT THE INFORMATION WHICH THE PUBLIC RECEIVES IS FACTUALLY ACCURATE AND OBJECTIVE. EVERY ITEM OF INFORMATION, WHENEVER OPEN TO DOUBT, SHALL BE CHECKED AND NO FACT DISTORTED OR ESSENTIAL FACT SUPPRESSED. THEY SHALL NEVER PUBLISH OR IN ANY WAY BE A PARTY TO THE PUBLICATION OF INFORMATION KNOWN TO BE FALSE."

BINDER, OF MINNEAPOLIS, MINN., A VETERAN NEWSPAPERMAN, SAID THE ENTIRE CONCEPT OF THE CODE WAS UNWELCOME TO THE UNITED STATES AND "OTHER COUNTRIS WHOSE FREE INSTITUTIONS STILL ARE CHERISHED BY THE PEOPLE."

HE SAID ADOPTION OF A CODE, EVEN ON A VOLUNTARY BASIS, WOULD GIVE TOTALITARIAN REGIMES A CHANCE TO ORGANIZE THE PROFESSION OF JOURNALISM ON THE SAME BASIS AS OTHER GROUPS ARE ORGANIZED IN SUCH COUNTRIS.

"ONE PROFESSION PARTICULARLY DEAR TO DICTATORS AND GOVERNMENTS WHICH SEEK TO REGIMENT PUBLIC OPINION IS THE PRESS," HE ADDED.

HIS OWN EXPERIENCE AS A FOREIGN CORRESPONDENT, BINDER SAID, SHOVED HIM THAT SUCH REGIMENTATION FREQUENTLY RESULTED IN SPECIAL TREATMENT, SUCH AS HIGHER SALARIES AND OTHER PRIVILEGES AND EVEN OUTRIGHT SUBSIDIES.

"IN MY COUNTRY," HE CONCLUDED, "WE FEAR A BODY SET UP TO PASS ON THE FITNESS OF PEOPL TO WRITE AND TO SPEAK. BECAUSE WE FEAR OUR FREEDOM WOULD THEN GO THE WAY OF THE JOURNALISTS IN CORPORATE STATES. WE WOULD RATHER TAKE A CHANCE ON AN OCCASIONAL STUPID OR EVEN UNWORTHY PIECE OF WRITING THAN RISK BEING CONTROLLED EITHER DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY BY GOVERNMENT."

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FIRST LEAD PRESS CODE

MONTEVIDEO, URUGUAY, MAY 19-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS SUBCOMMISSION ON FREEDOM OF THE PRESS ADOPTED TODAY A SECTION OF A PROPOSED INTERNATIONAL CODE OF ETHICS FOR NEWSPAPERS. IT CALLS FOR ACCURATE AND OBJECTIVE REPORTING AND AVOIDANCE OF ANY DISTORTION OR SUPPRESSION OF FACTS.

EARLIER CARROLL BINDER, VETERAN NEWSPAPERMAN FROM MINNEAPOLIS, MINN., AND AMERICAN DELEGATE, TOLD THE SUBCOMMISSION THAT ADOPTION OF THE CODE WOULD GIVE DICTATOR GOVERNMENTS A NEW WEAPON AGAINST THE PRESS.

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD ARMED FORCES DAY ROUNDUP

WASHINGTON, MAY 19-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN SAID TONIGHT THERE WOULD HAVE BEEN NO COLD WAR IF CONGRESS HAD VOTED A DRAFT LAW IN 1945 WHEN HE ASKED FOR IT INSTEAD OF WAITING THREE YEARS.

THE PRESIDENT MADE THIS EXTEMPORANEOUS COMMENT AT A MILITARY DINNER MARKING THE OBSERVANCE TOMORROW OF ARMED FORCES DAY.

MR.TRUMAN'S REMARK CAME AS MILITARY LEADERS CALLED ON THIS NATION TO BULWARK ITS DEFENSES AGAINST A POSSIBLE RUSSIAN ATOMIC ATTACK.

THESE LEADERS DECLARED THAT THE "COLD WAR" IS STEADILY GETTING HOTTER.

MR.TRUMAN MADE A BRIEF TALK AT A DINNER SPONSORED BY THREE ORGANIZATIONS REPRESENTING VETERANS OF THE ARMY, NAVY AND AIR FORCE.

THE PRESIDENT RECALLED GEORGE WASHINGTON'S PROPOSAL FOR A UNIVERSAL MILITARY SERVICE IN 1789 AND SAID IT HAS TAKEN US FROM THEN UP TO THE PRESENT TO FIND OUT THAT GEORGE WASHINGTON KNEW WHAT HE WAS DOING.

MR.TRUMAN REMINDED AN AUDIENCE OF ABOUT 700 MILITARY, GOVERNMENT AND INDUSTRIAL LEADERS THAT HE HAD ASKED CONGRESS IN OCTOBER 1945 TO ENACT A SELECTIVE SERVICE LAW.

CONGRESS DECIDED THAT THE PRESIDENT DIDN'T KNOW WHAT HE WAS DOING, MR.TRUMAN SAID, SO HE APPOINTED A COMMISSION OF PEOPLE GENERALLY KNOWN TO BE OPPOSED TO UNIVERSAL SERVICE TO STUDY THE PROPOSAL. THE STUDY CONVINCED THEM THAT HE HAD BEEN RIGHT, THE PRESIDENT SAID.

SPEAKING ON THE EVE OF NATIONAL ARMED FORCES DAY, WHICH THE COUNTRY CELEBRATES TOMORROW FOR THE FIRST TIME, KEY DEFENSE CHIEFS STRUCK HARD ON THE THEME OF MOBILIZING AMERICA'S STRENGTH AND RESOURCES.

SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON, APPEARING WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN AT AN ARMY-NAVY-AIR FORCE BANQUET AT THE STATLER HOTEL, CALLED FOR EXTENSION OF THE DRAFT LAW TO ENCOURAGE AMERICA'S FRIENDS IN EUROPE.

JOHNSON TOLD THE GATHERING OF 700 MILITARY OFFICERS, GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND INDUSTRY LEADERS THAT THE U.S. ARMED FORCES ARE IN "A HEALTHY STATE OF PREPAREDNESS."

THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT, HE SAID, IS WORKING TO BUILD UP A DEFENSE "OF SUCH FORMIDABILITY AS TO CONVINCE A POSSIBLE AGGRESSOR THAT WE CANNOT BE BEATEN QUICKLY ON A HIT-AND-RUN BASIS."

BUT JOHNSON SAID THERE IS A "MOST COMPELLING" NEED TO EXTEND THE DRAFT LAW, NOW DUE TO EXPIRE JUNE 24, TO BOLSTER THE MORALE OF EUROPEAN COUNTRIES WHO SO FAR HAVE "HELD COMMUNISM AT BAY."

PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS ASKED A THREE-YEAR EXTENSION OF THE LAW.

IN CITIES FROM COAST TO COAST, TOP FIGURES IN PLANNING THE NATIONAL DEFENSE SPOKE OF THE POSSIBILITY OF GLOBAL CONFLICT AND URGED PREPAREDNESS.

THE MULTIPLE WARNINGS CAME AGAINST A BACKGROUND OF THE NEWLY COMPLETED LONDON CONFERENCE WHERE THE UNITED STATES AND HER 11 ALLIES OF THE ATLANTIC TREATY SOLEMNLY AGREED TO UNITE IN A SINGLE DEFENSE AGAINST COMMUNISM.

DIPLOMATS IN EUROPE SAID THE OUTCOME OF THE PARLEY MEANT THE WEST HAS CONCLUDED IT CAN LIVE IN PEACE ONLY BY ARMING TO THE TEETH, WITH LITTLE OR NO HOPE OF NEGOTIATING A SETTLEMENT OF EAST-WEST CONFLICTS WITH RUSSIA.

ON THE HOME FRONT, THE ARMY, NAVY AND AIR FORCE WILL JOIN TOMORROW IN CELEBRATING A SINGLE ALL-FOR-ONE ARMED FORCES DAY SYMBOLIZING THEIR UNIFICATION UNDER A SINGLE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT. IN THE PAST, THEY HAVE HAD "DAYS" OF THEIR OWN.

ALL THREE SERVICES WILL HOLD "OPEN HOUSE" ON SHIPS AND SHORE INSTALLATIONS, AND PARADES, AERIAL DISPLAYS, BANQUETS AND SPEECHES WILL MARK THE OBSERVANCE.

IN ADVANCE OF THE CELEBRATION, THE CALL FOR MILITANT PREPAREDNESS WAS SOUNDED IN THESE SPEECHES:

IN SAN FRANCISCO, GEN. OMAR N.BRADLEY, CHAIRMAN OF THE U.S. JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF, SAID THE UNITED STATES MUST BULWARK ITS DEFENSES TO MEET THE THREAT OF A POSSIBLE SOVIET A-BOMB ASSAULT "IN A FEW YEARS."

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BRADLEY SAID THE RUSSIANS WILL PROBABLY HAVE ENOUGH ATOMIC BOMBS IN A RELATIVELY SHORT TIME "TO DELIVER A DEVASTATING BLOW AT ANY AREA THEY PROPOSE TO STRIKE."

DECLARING THAT THE SOVIETS HAVE NOT CHANGED THEIR LONG-RANGE GOAL "TO SUBDUE AND SUBVERT THE REST FORCES OF A FREE WORLD," BRADLEY CALLED FOR "MOBILIZATION PLANS WHICH CAN BE PUT INTO EFFECT AT THE FIRST WARNING SIGNAL OF EMERGENCY."

SPECIFICALLY, HE URGED THE GRANTING OF STANDBY WAR EMERGENCY POWERS TO THE PRESIDENT AND SAID CONGRESS SHOULD ENACT THE LEGAL MEASURES "FOR TIGHTENING OUR BELTS FOR DEFENSE."

AN EVEN SHARPER WARNING CAME FROM ADMIRAL JONAS H.INGRAM (RET.), WHO TOLD AN ARMED FORCES DAY BANQUET IN INDIANAPOLIS LAST NIGHT THAT WAR IS INEVITABLE WITHIN TWO AND ONE-HALF YEARS "THE WAY WE'RE GOING NOW."

INGRAM SAID THE NATION NEEDS A FOREIGN POLICY "STALIN WOULD RESPECT."

IN DETROIT, GEN. HOYT S.VANDENBERG, AIR FORCE CHIEF OF STAFF, CAUTIONED THAT THE AIR FORCE AT PRESENT IS TOO WEAK TO PRESS AN ALL-OUT AIR WAR MORE THAN A FEW MONTHS. AND HE SAID THE AIRCRAFT INDUSTRY TODAY IS IN NO POSITION TO REPLACE HEAVY COMBAT LOSSES.

VANDENBERG SAID THAT EVEN IF ENOUGH FIGHTER PLANES COULD BE BUILT TO COVER ALL APPROACHES, OUR CHIEF DEFENSE WEAPON WOULD BE LONG-RANGE BOMBERS TO STRIKE BACK AT THE ENEMY AND DESTROY HIS WAR BASES.

IN WASHINGTON, CHAIRMAN W.STUART SYMINGTON OF THE NATIONAL RESOURCES BOARD CALLED ON BUSINESS LEADERS TO START MOBILIZING AGAINST A TYPE OF WARFARE WHICH HE SAID HAS ALREADY PROGRESSED FROM ESPIONAGE TO THE "SHOOTING" STAGE.

SYMINGTON EMPHASIZED THE NEED FOR PREPAREDNESS IN THE ATOMIC AGE, AND DECLARED:

"IF WE ARE NOT READY, THIS NATION MIGHT NEVER EVEN HAVE THE CHANCE TO RETALIATE."

REFERRING TO THE NAVY AIRMEN WHOSE PLANE WAS REPORTEDLY SHOT DOWN BY SOVIET FIGHTERS OVER THE BALTIC SEA LAST MONTH, HE SAID:

"ALREADY WE ARE BEING WARNED AGAINST X X X WITH SHOOTING WHEN THE LATTER IS CONSIDERED NECESSARY. IF 10 BRAVE NAVY FLYERS WERE ALIVE TODAY, THERE WOULD BE NOTHING 'COLD' TO THEM ABOUT WHAT IS GOING ON."

ON CAPITOL HILL, THE HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE RECOMMENDED A TOTAL OF $82,385,000 FOR A SPEEDUP IN DEVELOPING FASTER U.S. FIGHTING PLANES AND SECRET NEW ANTI-SUBMARINE WEAPONS AS PART OF A $625,493,694 APPROPRIATIONS BILL. THE MEASURE IS EXPECTED TO REACH A VOTE IN THE HOUSE NEXT WEEK.

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B47 BRADLEY (WITH LONDON ACHESON)

SAN FRANCISCO, MAY 19-(AP)-GEN. OMAR BRADLEY TODAY WARNED OF A POSSIBLE RUSSIAN ATOMIC ATTACK "IN A FEW YEARS" AND OFFERED A "BOLD NEW PROGRAM" TO COMBAT COMMUNISM.

THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF CHAIRMAN SAID THE PROGRAM ITSELF IS CLEAR---A BOLD PROGRAM UNDERWRITING "FREEDOM UNLIMITED." GENERAL BRADLEY SAID SUCCESS OF SUCH A PROGRAM DEPENDS ENTIRELY ON U. S. STRENGTH---ARMED, INDUSTRIAL, DIPLOMATIC.

HE SAID WE CAN WIN THE PRESENT "HALF WAR" WITH THE "TWO HEADED MONSTER" OF SOVIET COMMUNISM ONLY BY OUR OWN STRENGTH. THE GENERAL SAID THIS HALF WAR MUST BE WON TO GUARANTEE THE WORLD'S PEACE AND

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FREEDOM.
BRADLEY SPOKE AT COMBINED ARMED FORCES DAY MEETING OF THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE AND THE COOMMERCIAL CLUB OF SAN FRANCISCO.
HIS "BOLD NEW PROGRAM" CONSISTS OF FOUR MAJOR POINTS:
1. "WE MUST PREPARE OUR OWN DEFENSES SO THAT NO ATTACK ON THE UNITED STATES WILL CRIPPLE THIS ARSENAL OF THE WESTERN WORLD, LEAVING IT X X X AT THE MERCY OF COMMUNISM X X X. OUR DEFENSES MUST INCLUDE MOBILIZATION PLANS WHICH CAN BE PUT INTO EFFECT AT THE FIRST WARNING SIGNAL OF AN EMERGENCY."
2. "WE MUST PREPARE, ALONG WITH OUR FRIENDS IN THE NORTH ATLANTIC PACT," THE DEFENSES OF WESTERN EUROPE TO MAKE THOSE AREAS "REASONABLY SECURE FROM BEING OVERRUN QUICKLY ON THE GROUND."
3. "WE MUST ENCOURAGE EVERY NATION OUTSIDE OF THE IRON SHROUD OF COMMUNISM TO BE STRONG, TO RESIST, AND TO SURVIVE."
4. "WE MUST LET THOSE NATIONS NOW UNDER THE HEEL OF SOVIET-INSPIRED PEOPLES" GOVERNMENTS KNOW THAT WE WILL WELCOME THEM WHEN THEY ARE UNCHAINED."
THE GENERAL SAID THE KREMLIN IS GOING TO PURSUE ANY POLICY TO ITS ADVANTAGE. THE RUSSIANS MAY NOT BE ABLE TO CATCH UP IMMEDIATELY WITH THIS COUNTRY'S A-BOMB STOCKPILES, BRADLEY SAID, BUT IN A RELATIVELY SHORT TIME "THEY WILL PROBABLY HAVE ENOUGH TO DELIVER A DEVASTATING BLOW AT ANY AREA THEY PROPOSE TO STRIKE."
HE POINTED OUT THE RUSSIANS HAVE NOT CHANGED THEIR ULTIMATE GOAL---"TO SUBDUE AND SUBVERT THE BEST FORCES OF A FREE WORLD."
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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 1 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, FRIDAY, MAY 19)
VANDENBERG
(ADVANCE)...(WX)...DETROIT, MAY 19-(AP)-GENERAL HOYT S.VANDENBERG SAID TODAY THE PRESENT AIR FORCE IS TOO WEAK TO CONTINUE AN ALL-OUT AIR WAR MORE THAN A FEW MONTHS.
THE AIR FORCE CHIEF OF STAFF DECLARED THAT EVEN WITH THE LOWEST LOSS RATES THAT CAN BE PREDICTED FIRST-LINE U.S. COMBAT PLANES WOULD BE USED IN A SHORT PERIOD OF HEAVY OPERATIONS.
HE ADDED THAT THE AIRCRAFT INDUSTRY IS IN NO POSITION AT PRESENT TO REPLACE HEAVY COMBAT LOSSES.
IN A SPEECH PREPARED FOR A LUNCHEON OBSERVING ARMED FORCES DAY, WHICH THE WHOLE COUNTRY CELEBRATES TOMORROW, VANDENBERG ADDED:
"IT IS A MATTER OF SIMPLE ARITHMETIC THAT AT LEAST TWO YEARS WOULD BE REQUIRED FOR OUR PRESENT AIRCRAFT INDUSTRY TO REBUILD OUR PRESENT AIR FORCE AND TO ENABLE IT TO CONTINUE COMBAT ACTION."
HE SAID THE A-BOMB IS NOT A BAD DREAM BUT A "TOWERING REALITY," ENABLING ONE AIRPLANE TO INFLICT MORE DAMAGE THAN A HUNDRED AIRPLANES COULD INFLICT BEFORE.
GREAT INDUSTRIAL CENTERS LIKE DESTROIT, HE SAID, CAN BE DESTROYED WITHIN A FEW HOURS AFTER AN ATOMIC ATTACK IS LAUNCHED UNLESS THEY ARE STRONGLY AND SKILLFULLY DEFENDED.
IT IS FAR EASIER TO DELIVER AN ATOMIC BOMB, VANDENBERG ADDED, THAN TO PREVENT ITS DELIVERY ONCE THE BOMB CARRIER IS ON ITS WAY.
HE CALLED ANTIAIRCRAFT GUNS AND FIGHTER PLANES "LAST DITCH" DEFENSES AGAINST ATOMIC BOMBERS, SAYING THAT PURCHASE OF ENOUGH OF THEM TO COVER ALL AVENUES OF APPROACH IS AN EXTREMELY EXPENSIVE PROCEDURE--"TOO EXPENSIVE TO BE CARRIED OUT UNDER OUR PRESENT ECONOMY BUDGET.
"WE DO NOT HAVE THE INTERCEPTOR PLANES NECESSARY TO COVER ALL APPROACHES TODAY." VANDENBERG CONTINUED. "AND THEY ARE NOT ON ORDER.
THE PROVISION OF A REASONABLY ADEQUATE AIR DEFENSE SYSTEM IS NOT POSSIBLE UNDER OUR PRESENT PROGRAM."
EVEN IF A REASONABLY ADEQUATE FIGHTER FORCE CAN BE INCLUDED IN THE U.S. DEFENSE PROGRAM, THE AIR FORCE CHIEF SAID, OUR PRINCIPAL DEFENSIVE WEAPON WILL NOT BE THAT FORCE BUT LONG-RANGE BOMBERS TO DESTROY THE SOURCE OF ENEMY AIR ATTACKS--"THE AIRFIELDS, THE PLANES AND FACTORIES, THE FUEL, THE SUPPLIES, AND THE COMMUNICATIONS USED AGAINST US."
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(300)(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 12 NOON EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY FRIDAY MAY 19)
(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON,MAY 19-(AP)-W.STUART SYMINGTON CALLED ON BUSINESS LEADERS TODAY FOR HELP IN MOBILIZING THE COUNTRY AGAINST A WARFARE WHICH, HE SAID, ALREADY HAS PROGRESSED FROM SPYING AND SABOTAGE TO THE "SHOOTING" STAGE.
IN HIS FIRST ADDRESS SINCE BECOMING CHAIRMAN OF THE NATIONAL RESOURCES BOARD, SYMINGTON TOLD THE COMMITTEE FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT (CED) THAT CIVIL FREEDOMS CAN BE PRESERVED IN THE MOBILIZATION PLANNING. BUT HE WARNED:
"NOTHING IS MORE IMPORTANT IN THIS AIR-ATOMIC AGE THAN TO BE READY. IF WE ARE NOT READY, THIS NATION MIGHT NEVER EVEN HAVE THE CHANCE TO RETALIATE."
HE TOLD THE ORGANIZATION OF BUSINESS PLANNERS THAT MOBILIZATION FOR THE NEXT WAR WILL BE MORE RIGID THAN EVER IN THE PAST. EVEN "DIRECTED WORK"--GOVERNMENT CONTROL OF LABOR--MAY BE NECESSARY, HE SAID.
BUT THERE IS NO REASON WHY THE COUNTRY SHOULD NOT SURVIVE CONTROLS WITHOUT PERMANENT DAMAGE TO LIBERTIES, THE FORMER SECRETARY OF THE AIR FORCE SAID.
WHILE THERE MUST BE TEMPORARY DELEGATION OF "MORE THAN ORDINARY POWER TO THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF," HE SAID NO AMERICAN IS MORE DETERMINED TO PRESERVE CIVILIAN AUTHORITY OVER THE MILITARY "THAN THAT FORMER SOLDIER, PRESIDENT TRUMAN."
SYMINGTON NOTIFIED CED THAT HE INTENDS TO CALL ON HIS "FRIENDS IN PRIVATE BUSINESS" FOR AS MUCH HELP AS POSSIBLE IN PLANNING INDUSTRIAL MOBILIZATION. "WE NEED IT BADLY," HE SAID, BECAUSE THE SO-CALLED "COLD WAR," STEADILY GROWS HOTTER.
"ALREADY WE ARE BEING WARRED AGAINST, NOT ONLY WITH THE NEW WEAPONS OF PROPAGANDA, ESPIONAGE, SUBVERSION AND SABOTAGE, BUT ALSO WITH SHOOTING WHEN THE LATTER IS CONSIDERED NECESSARY.
"ACCORDINGLY, I WOULD BE HESITANT ABOUT MEASURING THE TEMPERATURE OF THIS STRUGGLE. IF TEN BRAVE NAVY FLYERS WERE ALIVE TODAY, THERE WOULD BE NOTHING 'COLD' TO THEM ABOUT WHAT IS GOING ON."
HE WAS REFERRING TO THE 10 NAVY FLIERS WHOSE PLANE, THE UNITED STATES CHARGES, WAS SHOT DOWN BY SOVIET FIGHTERS OVER THE BALTIC LAST MONTH.
THE CED PLANNED TO CLOSE TODAY ITS SEMI-ANNUAL BOARD MEETING, AT WHICH MARION B.FOLSOM WAS ELECTED ITS PRESIDENT FOR THE NEXT TWO YEARS. HE IS TREASURER OF EASTMAN KODAK COMPANY.
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(200) NIGHT LEAD WEBB
WASHINGTON, MAY 19-(AP)-UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE JAMES E.WEBB FORECAST TODAY THAT DEFENSE SECRETARY JOHNSON'S FORTHCOMING TRIP TO TOKYO MAY HELP SPEED AGREEMENT ON A JAPANESE PEACE TREATY.
JOHNSON WITH GENERAL OMAR BRADLEY IS GOING TO JAPAN NEXT MONTH FOR MEETINGS WITH GENERAL DOUGLAS MACARTHUR.
WEBB ACKNOWLEDGED THAT THE ADMINISTRATION HAS NOT YET WORKED OUT A NATIONAL POSITION ON THE PACIFIC PEACE SETTLEMENT.
WEBB'S COMMENT TO REPORTERS FOLLOWED YESTERDAY'S EXPRESSION OF HOPE BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN THAT A TREATY IS NOT TOO FAR OFF. MEANTIME JOHN FOSTER DULLES, REPUBLICAN CONSULTANT OF SECRETARY ACHESON, HAS BEEN ASSIGNED TO STUDY THE KNOTTY QUESTION OF JAPAN'S FUTURE.
WEBB SAID NEGOTIATIONS ARE IN PROGRESS WITH SOUTHEAST ASIA NATIONS ON ECONOMIC AID RECOMMENDED BY THE SURVEY MISSION HEADED BY ALLEN GRIFFIN, CALIFORNIA PUBLISHER. THIS CALLS FOR AN OUTLAY OF ABOUT $64,000,000 OVER 15 MONTHS FOR FIVE COUNTRIES. WEBB SAID AID WILL BE EXTENDED TO THE EXTENT IT COULD BE PUT TO IMMEDIATE AND EFFECTIVE USE.
THE UNDERSECRETARY OBSERVED THAT THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS "UNREASONABLY" HELD TWO AMERICAN FLIERS FOR 18 MONTHS, IGNORING REPEATED AMERICAN AND BRITISH EFFORTS TO EFFECT THEIR RELEASE. DETAILING THESE EFFORTS, WEBB SAID THAT THERE WAS A POINT BEYOND WHICH THE U.S. COULD NOT GO WITHOUT ENDANGERING THE MEN THEMSELVES AND THE SAFETY OF OTHER AMERICANS STILL IN COMMUNIST CHINA.
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FUCHS
WASHINGTON,MAY 19-(AP)-J.EDGAR HOOVER DISCLOSED TODAY THAT TWO FBI MEN HAVE GONE TO LONDON TO QUESTION DR.KLAUS FUCHS, BRITISH SCIENTIST CONVICTED OF PASSING ATOMIC SECRETS TO RUSSIA.
HOOVER, CHIEF OF THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION, SAID IN RESPONSE TO AN INQUIRY:
"ASSISTANT FBI DIRECTOR U.H.CLEGG AND SPECIAL AGENT ROBERT J. LAMPHER HAVE ARRIVED IN LONDON FOR THE PURPOSE OF INTERVIEWING DR. FUCHS."
HOOVER DECLINED TO EXPAND ON THAT STATEMENT.
IT IS KNOWN, HOWEVER, THAT THE FBI HAS BEEN ANXIOUS TO QUESTION FUCHS. PRESUMABLY, IT HAS BEEN CONCERNED CHIEFLY ABOUT POSSIBLE CONTACTS CONTACTS IN THE UNITED STATES.
FUCHS WAS A FREQUENT VISITOR TO THIS COUNTRY IN THE WAR AND POST-WAR DAYS AND THE FBI COOPERATED WITH THE BRITISH INTELLIGENCE SERVICE IN BREAKING THE CASE LEADING TO HIS CONVICTION.FUCHS IS SERVING A 14-YEAR SENTENCE.
PRESUMABLY, FUCHS HAS AGREED TO QUESTIONINB BY THE FBI MEN. DURING A PARLIAMENT DEBATE THIS WEEK, HOME SECRETARY CHUTEG

PRESUMABLY, FUCHS HAS AGREED TO QUESTIONING BY THE FBI MEN. DURING A PARLIAMENT DEBATE THIS WEEK, HOME SECRETARY CHUTER EDE SAID FUCHS WOULD BE QUESTIONED BY AMERICAN AGENTS ONLY IF FUCHS WAS AGREEABLE.
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(350) AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD AXIS SALLY
WASHINGTON, MAY 19-(AP)-THE U.S. CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS UPHELD TODAY THE STIFF 10-TO-30 YEAR TREASON SENTENCE IMPOSED ON MILDRED ELIZABETH (AXIS SALLY) GILLARS FOR BROADCASTING NAZI PROPAGANDA TO AMERICAN TROOPS.
THE THREE-JUDGE COURT UNANIMOUSLY SWEPT ASIDE THE ARGUMENTS OF LAWYERS FOR THE GRAY-HAIRED 49-YEAR-OLD WOMAN WHOSE SULTRY VOICE MADE HER A RADIO STAR FOR MILLIONS OF GI'S WHO LOVED HER AMERICAN DANCE TUNES AND LAUGHED AT HER NAZI SALES TALKS.

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THE SENTENCE CARRIES WITH IT A $10,000 FINE. IT CAME ON MARCH 25, 1949, AFTER A SEVEN WEEKS' TRIAL DURING WHICH THE JURY LISTENED TO HER SOBBING PROTESTS THAT SHE NEVER MEANT TO BETRAY AMERICA, AND ALSO TO HER WARTIME BROADCASTS WARNING AMERICAN SOLDIERS OF DISASTER IF THEY INVADED EUROPE.
SHE CAN STILL APPEAL TO THE SUPREME COURT, BUT NO ANNOUNCEMENT OF HER INTENTIONS HAS BEEN MADE. AFTER THE TRIAL, ATTORNEY JAMES J. LAUGHLIN SAID THE CASE WOULD BE FOUGHT TO THE HIGHEST COURT.
WITH GOOD BEHAVIOR, THE WOMAN WOULD BE ELIGIBLE FOR PAROLE AFTER 10 YEARS.
BORN IN PORTLAND, ME., MISS GILLARS WAS AN ACTRESS. SIXTEEN YEARS AGO SHE WENT TO BERLIN AND SOME YEARS LATER GOT A JOB AS A PERFORMER ON RADIO BERLIN. SHE BECAME THE HIGHEST PAID PERFORMER IN THE GERMAN RADIO'S OVERSEAS SERVICE. HE LIVE AND RECORDED PERFORMANCES POURED FORTH DURING THE WAR. SHE GOT HER NICKNAME FROM AMERICAN TROOPS.
THE APPEALS COURT WAS TOLD THAT SHE WAS ERRONEOUSLY PREVENTED FROM PROVING HER CONTENTION THAT SHE ACTED UNDER COMPULSION AND FEAR OF HER LIFE. BUT THE OPINION SAID NO COMPETENT EVIDENCE TO THAT EFFECT WAS EXCLUDED FROM THE TRIAL.
AXIS SALLY ARGUED IN VAIN THAT AN AMERICAN CITIZEN RESIDING IN AN ENEMY COUNTRY DOES NOT COME UNDER THE TREASON LAW. SHE RAISED 14 POINTS OF ATTACK ON THE VERDICT BUT THE APPELLATE COURT SAID "WE FIND NO REVERSIBLE ERROR."
CONVICTION CAME ON ONLY ONE COUNT OF AN EIGHT-POINT INDICTMENT. IT COVERED THE WOMAN'S PARTICIPATION IN A MELODRAMATIC RADIO SHOW CALLED "VISION OF INVASION." IT WAS BROADCAST BY THE NAZIS A MONTH BEFORE THE ALLIES LANDED IN NORMANDY.
IN THIS, MISS GILLARS PORTRAYED AN OHIO MOTHER WHO DREAMED HER SON WAS KILLED IN THE INVASION.
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(250) NIGHT LEAD WAR CONTRACTS
WASHINGTON,MAY 19-(AP)-"FRAUD, IGNORANCE OR OVERLIBERALITY" IN THE SETTLEMENT OF WAR CONTRACTS COST TAXPAYERS MILLIONS OF DOLLARS, COMPTROLLER GENERAL LINDSAY WARREN TOLD CONGRESS TODAY.
LABELING HIS REPORT A "SAD STORY OF OPERATIONS UNDER THE CONTRACT SETTLEMENT ACT," WARREN URGED THE LAWMAKERS TO REPEAL THE LAW AND GIVE THE GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE (GAO) SPECIFIC POWERS TO DEAL WITH SUCH CASES IN THE FUTURE.
THROWING IN STATISTICS TO EMPHASIZE HIS "SAD STORY," WARREN SAID:
"THE CONTRACTING AGENCIES HAVE SETTLED A TOTAL OF 323,933 CONTRACTS. THE GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE HAS EXAMINED 9,239 SETTLEMENTS COVERING 26,566 OF THESE TERMINATED CONTRACTS. SUCH EXAMINATION HAS DISCLOSED APPARENTLY EXCESSIVE OR FRAUDULENT PAYMENTS TO WAR CONTRACTORS IN CONNECTION WITH APPROXIMATELY 1,233 SETTLEMENTS--MORE THAN ONE OF SEVEN OF THOSE EXAMINED--WITH AN INDICATED LOSS TO THE GOVERNMENT EXCEEDING $25,000,000 (M)."
BUT, HE ADDED, THAT, "DOES NOT TELL THE WHOLE STORY." SAYING THAT THE GAO'S AUDITS "REPRESENT ONLY A SMALL AND FAIR SAMPLING" OF ALL SETTLEMENT, WARREN DECLARED HE WOULD "HESITATE TO HAZARD A GUESS AS TO THE FULL EXTENT OF FRAUD AND OVERPAYMENTS."
WARREN SAID HOWEVER, THAT ONLY "A SMALL MINORITY OF CONTRACTORS, CONTRACTING OFFICERS AND ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICIALS" WERE SUBJECT TO CRITICISM. IT'S TOO BAD, HE ADDED, THAT THE "MAGNIFICENT AND GLORIOUS RECORD" OF THE MANY "SHOULD BE CLOUDED BY THE SHADOWS CAST BY THOSE MEN OF LOW CHARACTER, INCLUDING SOME IN UNIFORM, WHO WERE LURED BY THE PROFITS OF THE HOUR AND TOOK ADVANTAGE OF THE OPPORTUNITY AFFORDED THEM BY THE CONTRACT SETTLEMENT ACT TO 'FEATHER THEIR NESTS'."
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COMMUNISTS

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BY MARVIN L. ARROWSMITH

WASHINGTON, MAY 19-(AP)-LAWMAKERS TODAY COLD-SHOULDERED A SUGGESTION BY OWEN LATTIMORE'S ATTORNEY THAT THE LIBEL IMMUNITY OF CONGRESS MEMBERS BE CURTAILED.

THE ATTORNEY, ABE FORTAS, SAID THE SUGGESTION WAS PROMPTED BY SENATOR MC CARTHY'S ACCUSATIONS AGAINST LATTIMORE AND OTHERS IN PRESSING HIS CHARGES OF COMMUNISM IN THE GOVERNMENT.

MC CARTHY, WISCONSIN REPUBLICAN, HAS MADE LATTIMORE A MAIN TARGET. LATTIMORE, OCCASIONAL CONSULTANT TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT ON FAR EASTERN AFFAIRS, HAS DENIED MC CARTHY'S CHARGES UNDER OATH.

REPUBLICAN SENATORS WHERRY (NEB) AND FERGUSON (MICH) SHARPLY DENOUNCED FORTAS' IDEA. TWO DEMOCRATS, SENATORS LUCAS (ILL) AND KILGORE (WVA), CALLED IT IMPRACTICAL. THEY SAID IT WOULD REQUIRE REVISION OF THE CONSTITUTION.

LUCAS AND KILGORE HAVE BEEN CRITICAL OF MC CARTHY, WHILE WHERRY AND FERGUSON HAVE UPHELD THEIR GOP COLLEAGUE.

UNDER THE CONSTITUTION, MEMBERS OF CONGRESS CANNOT BE SUED FOR LIBEL ON THE BASIS OF ANYTHING THEY SAY IN CONGRESS.

FORTAS TOLD AN AMERICAN VETERANS COMMITTEE GROUP YESTERDAY THAT HE REALIZES A CONSTITUTIONAL ISSUE WOULD BE RAISED BY ANY ATTEMPT TO RESTRICT THE IMMUNITY PRIVILEGE.

HE SAID, HOWEVER, THAT CONGRESS OUGHT TO EXPLORE THE IDEA OF REVISING ITS RULES SO THAT EITHER THE SENATE OR THE HOUSE, BY A MAJORITY VOTE, COULD REQUIRE A MEMBER TO WAIVE HIS IMMUNITY IN CASES WHERE IT WAS FELT THE PRIVILEGE WAS BEING ABUSED.

THERE SHOULD BE SAFEGUARDS TO PRESERVE FREEDOM OF SPEECH, FORTAS SAID, BUT CONGRESS OUGHT TO "PUT A BRAKE ON ABUSE OF IMMUNITY WHEN IMMUNITY IS USED TO ATTACK A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES."

COMMENTING ON THAT, WHERRY SAID FORTAS "OUGHT TO HELP US CLEAN OUT ALLEGED SUBVERSIVES IN GOVERNMENT RATHER THAN THINK OF REASONS--EVEN TO THE EXTENT OF AMENDING THE CONSTITUTION--TO PROTECT THEM IN GOVERNMENT."

WHERRY, THE SENATE REPUBLICAN LEADER, SAID LATTIMORE'S CONSULTATION WITH THE STATE DEPARTMENT IN THE PAST GAVE HIM THE STATUS OF A GOVERNMENT EMPLOYE. LATTIMORE AND THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAVE CONTENDED HE NEVER WAS EMPLOYED BY THE DEPARTMENT.

FERGUSON SAID REVISION OF THE IMMUNITY PROVISION WOULD DO MORE HARM THAN GOOD. HE ADDED:

"IT WOULD STRIKE AT THE FUNDAMENTAL FREEDOM OF DEBATE IN LEGISLATIVE HALLS. I DON'T SUPPOSE A DAY GOES BY THAT SOMETHING SAID IN CONGRESS COULDN'T BE USED AS THE BASIS FOR A SUIT.

"IF THE IMMUNITY PRIVILEGE WERE CURTAILED, YOU PROBABLY WOULDN'T BE ABLE TO MENTION COMMUNISM IN CONGRESS. THE COMMUNISTS WOULD BE SUING EVERYONE."

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KILGORE SAID THE IMMUNITY PRIVILEGE "HAS BEEN SADLY ABUSED," BUT THAT IT WOULD BE IMPRACTICAL TO TRY TO REVISE IT.

KILGORE SUGGESTED, HOWEVER, THAT CONGRESS MIGHT GIVE SOME THOUGHT TO STRIKING A CHARGE FROM ITS RECORD WHEN LATER DEVELOPMENTS DISPROVED THE ACCUSATION.

FORTAS TOLD A REPORTER LATTIMORE STILL IS CONSIDERING WHETHER TO SUE MC CARTHY FOR LIBEL FOR CALLING HIM RUSSIA'S TOP SPY IN THIS COUNTRY. LATTIMORE ATTORNEYS FEEL THERE IS SOME QUESTION AS TO WHETHER MC CARTHY WAS PROTECTED BY CONGRESSIONAL IMMUNITY WHEN HE MADE THAT ACCUSATION.

MC CARTHY DECLINED TO COMMENT ON FORTAS' SUGGESTION THAT THE IMMUNITY PRIVILEGE BE RESTRICTED.

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(600) NIGHT LEAD HOMOSEXUALS

WASHINGTON, MAY 19-(AP)-SENATOR HILL (D-ALA) TODAY INTRODUCED IN THE SENATE A RESOLUTION CALLING FOR A SWEEPING SENATE INVESTIGATION OF THE EMPLOYMENT OF HOMOSEXUALS BY THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT.

HILL SUBMITTED THE RESOLUTION ON BEHALF OF THE SENATE APPROPRIATION COMMITTEE'S DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA SUBCOMMITTEE. THE SUBCOMMITTEE EARLIER IN A CLOSED DOOR SESSION HAD UNANIMOUSLY ENDORSED THE PROBE, SUGGESTED BY HILL AND SENATOR WHERRY (R-NEB), WHO HAD BEEN AUTHORIZED MONTHS AGO TO LOOK INTO THE MATTER.

IT WAS NOT CERTAIN WHICH SENATE COMMITTEE WOULD CONDUCT THE INVESTIGATION IF ONE IS APPROVED. BUT SENATOR FERGUSON (R-MICH), A MEMBER OF THE SUBCOMMITTEE, TOLD THE SENATE "THE EVIDENCE WAS SO SHOCKING THAT ACTION SHOULD BE TAKEN IMMEDIATELY."

WHERRY FURNISHED THE COMMITTEE A REPORT QUOTING WASHINGTON POLICE AS ESTIMATING THAT 3,750 HOMOSEXUALS ARE EMPLOYED HERE BY THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT, WITH AN ESTIMATED 300 TO 400 IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT ALONE.

THE REPORT ALSO QUOTED LT. ROY BLICK, HEAD OF THE POLICE VICE SQUAD, AS SAYING THAT OFFICERS UNDER HIS DIRECTION ONE NIGHT ARRESTED 65 SEX PERVERTS IN LAFAYETTE PARK, ACROSS FROM THE WHITE HOUSE. BLICK SAID THEY ALL ADMITTED THEIR STATUS.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT PROMPTLY SAID THAT TO THE BEST OF ITS KNOWLEDGE THERE ARE NO SEX PERVERTS ON ITS ROLLS AND THAT IF ANY ARE FOUND THEY WILL BE FIRED SUMMARILY.

ITS STATEMENT SAID:

"A SENATE APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE IS REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN INFORMED THAT A DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA VICE SQUAD HAS THE NAMES OF 300 TO 400 ALLEGED SEX PERVERTS NOW IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

"AS A RESULT OF PREVIOUS AND CURRENT INVESTIGATIONS INTO ALL CHARGES OF SUCH A NATURE THE DEPARTMENT CAN CATEGORICALLY STATE THAT TO THE BEST OF ITS KNOWLEDGE THERE IS NO SUCH PERSON ON ITS ROLES. IF THE DEPARTMENT KNEW OF ANY SUCH PERSON IN ITS EMPLOY THAT PERSON WOULD BE SUMMARILY DISMISSED.

"THE DEPARTMENT LEARNED SOME TIME AGO THAT SUCH A FIGURE HAD BEEN MENTIONED TO THE SENATE APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE. THE DEPARTMENT IMMEDIATELY ASKED LIEUTENANT BLICK OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA VICE SQUAD FOR THE NAMES OF ANY PERSONS IN THE DEPARTMENT AGAINST WHOM HE HAD ANY EVIDENCE OF HOMOSEXUALITY. NO SUCH NAMES HAVE BEEN FURNISHED TO THE DEPARTMENT."

HILL NOTED IN ANOTHER REPORT THAT "IT IS ACCEPTED AND AGREED THAT PERSONS WHO ARE HOMOSEXUALS ARE BAD SECURITY RISKS AND SHOULD NOT BE IN SENSITIVE POSITIONS OR IN ANY POSITIONS IN THE GOVERNMENT WHERE THEY MIGHT IN ANY WAY AID OR ABET OR BE A PARTY TO SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITY."

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WHERRY SAID HOMOSEXUALS ARE GENERALLY AGREED TO BE BAD NATIONAL SECURITY RISKS BECAUSE OF THEIR SUSCEPTIBILITY TO BLACKMAIL.

STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS DISCLOSED TO AN APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE LAST FEBRUARY THAT 91 EMPLOYES OF THAT DEPARTMENT HAD BEEN DISMISSED AS HOMOSEXUALS FROM 1947 TO 1949. WHERRY SAID, HOWEVER, THAT 13 OF THESE PERSONS LATER WERE FOUND TO BE WORKING IN OTHER DIVISIONS OF THE GOVERNMENT. HE REPORTED THAT UPON HIS COMPLAINT THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION INVESTIGATED, FOUND IT HAD JURISDICTION IN NINE OF THE CASES, AND ORDERED SEVEN OF THEM FIRED. ONE RESIGNED AND ONE CASE STILL IS UNDER INVESTIGATION.

WHERRY SAID THERE ARE FEW CONVICTIONS OF HOMOSEXUALS HERE AS SUCH. HE SAID MOST OF THEM POST $25 COLLATERAL ON A CHARGE OF DISORDERLY CONDUCT, AND THEN FORFEIT IT.

THE NEBRASKA SENATOR'S REPORT SAID, WITHOUT ELABORATION, THAT "IN [redacted] RECEIVED BY YOUR SUBCOMMITTEE. THERE WAS A FLEETING REFERENCE

TESTIMONY [illegible] TO A [illegible] OF HOMOSEXUALS LEADING TO A FOREIGN EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON, D.C." TRAIL

SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS), WHO HAS CHARGED THERE ARE COMMUNIST SYMPATHIZERS AND PERVERTS AS WELL IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT, CALLED THE PROPOSED INVESTIGATION "AN EXCELLENT IDEA." HIS RED CHARGES ARE BEING INVESTIGATED BY A FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE.

HE SAID:

"WHILE, OF COURSE, AMNY OF THE PERVERTS ARE NOT COMMUNISTICALLY INCLINED, WE HAVE FOUND THAT A SURPRISINGLY LARGE NUMBER OF THOSE WHO ARE COMMUNISTS OR FELLOW TRAVELERS ARE EITHER PERVERTS OR CLOSELY ASSOCIATED WITH THOSE WHO ARE--OBVIOUSLY WITH THE FULL REALIZATION THAT THOSE MENTALLY TWISTED INDIVIDUALS ARE EASY TO BLACKMAIL INTO DOING A JOB FOR ESPIONAGE AGENTS."

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(350) NIGHT LEAD FINANCE CENTER MAY 20 1950

WASHINGTON, MAY 19-(AP)-HOUSE INVESTIGATORS WERE TOLD TODAY THAT "SOME" COMMUNISTS WERE FOUND WORKING AT THE ARMY FINANCE CENTER IN ST.LOUIS WHICH IS UNDER A NEW SERIES OF INVESTIGATIONS OF ALLEGED IRREGULARITIES AND OVERPAYMENTS TOTALING $157,000,000.

THIS TESTIMONY WAS GIVEN BY MAJ.GEN. E.M. FOSTER, ARMY CHIEF OF FINANCE, WHO REFUSED, HOWEVER, TO DISCLOSE THE EXACT NUMBER OF COMMUNISTS UNCOVERED BECAUSE OF THE PRESIDENTIAL BAN ON RELEASING MATERIAL FROM LOYALTY FILES.

FOSTER DID TELL A HOUSE ARMED SERVICES SUBCOMMITTEE THAT NO EVIDENCE OF FRAUD OR WILFUL NEGLIGENCE HAS BEEN DISCOVERED BY INVESTIGATORS FROM THE ARMY INSPECTOR GENERAL'S OFFICE WHICH IS MAKING ITS OWN INQUIRY INTO THE FINANCE CENTER'S OPERATIONS.

THE COMMUNISM ISSUE WAS RAISED BY REP.ELSTON (R-OHIO) WHO NOTED THAT A HOUSE CIVIL SERVICE SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTED LAST WEEK THAT OF 63 PERSONS INVESTIGATED IN THE PAST THREE YEARS AT THE FINANCE CENTER AS SECURITY RISKS, 44 HAVE BEEN FIRED OR RESIGNED.

ELSTON ASKED FOSTER WHEN THE ARMY FIRST GOT WORD THERE MIGHT BE COMMUNISTS AT THE ST.LOUIS OFFICE.

THE GENERAL REPLIED THAT IN 1948 A LETTER TO THAT EFFECT WAS RECEIVE
AND TURNED OVER TO MILITARY INTELLIGENCE OFFICIALS FOR CHECKING.
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AND TURNED OVER TO MILITARY INTELLIGENCE OFFICIALS FOR CHECKING.

"DID YOU FIND ANY REDS?", ELSTON INQUIRED.

THE GENERAL REPLIED THAT "SOME" HAD BEEN FOUND BUT SAID HE COULD NOT SUPPLY THE EXACT NUMBER.

THIS LED ELSTON TO COMPLAINT THAT THE HOUSE GROUP WAS BEING "HAMPERE IN ITS INVESTIGATION. HE SAID MEMBERS OF THE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE CAN BE TOLD "TOP MILITARY SECRETS" BUT CAN'T BE GIVEN ANY INFORMATION ABOUT EVIDENCE OF DISLOYALTY, EVEN IN THE ARMED FORCES.

REP.KILDAY (D-TEX), WHO HEADS THE ARMED SERVICES INQUIRY GROUP, LATER SAID HIS COMMITTEE WILL HOLD AN EXECUTIVE SESSION NEXT WEEK TO DECIDE ITS NEXT MOVES WHICH MAY INCLUDE A VISIT TO THE ST.LOUIS CENTER FOR A FIRST-HAND INVESTIGATION.

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WASHINGTON,MAY 19-(AP)-SENATOR JENNER TOLD THE SENATE TODAY THAT A NEW PLAN FOR COORDINATING NORTH ATLANTIC DEFENSES MAY "FORCE AMERICA INTO AN INTERNATIONAL SEMI-SUPER STATE."

THE INDIANA REPUBLICAN NOTED REPORTS FROM THE FOREIGN MINISTERS MEETING IN LONDON THAT A NEW COORDINATING COMMITTEE PRESUMABLY WOULD ASSESS AND ALLOCATE DEFENSE AND ECONOMIC REQUIREMENTS AS A UNIT AND NOT ON THE BASIS OF NEEDS OF EACH COUNTRY.

"SUCH A COMMUNIQUE IS FRIGHTENING," JENNER SAID. "IF IT MEANS WHAT IT SAYS AND IF IT ACCURATELY DESCRIBES THE STEPS WHICH ARE NOW BEING TAKEN BY OUR OWN STATE DEPARTMENT, IT AMOUNTS TO TRAFFIC IN TREASON."

JENNER SAID THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE TO OUGHT TO LOOK INTO THE PROPOSAL "BEFORE THIS INTERNATIONALIST BOOBY-TRAP DOOR IS SLAMMED SHUT BEHIND US ONCE AND FOR ALL."

THE INDIANA SENATOR PRAISED, HOWEVER, A PROPOSAL BY ROBERT SCHUMAN, FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER, FOR A FRENCH-GERMAN PARTNERSHIP IN THE PRODUCTION OF COAL AND STEEL.

JENNER CALLED IT "THE FIRST HONEST ATTEMPT ON THE PART OF EUROPEAN NATIONS TO GET TOGETHER IN THEIR DETERMINATION TO STOP THE SPREAD OF COMMUNISM."

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WASHINGTON, MAY 19-(AP)-THE ARMY TODAY DENIED PUBLISHED STATEMENTS THAT 14 AMERICAN SOLDIERS WERE INJURED IN COMMUNIST RIOTS IN TOKYO.

MAJ. GEN. FLOYD PARKS, ARMY CHIEF OF INFORMATION, SAID HE HAD CHECKED WITH GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS AND FOUND "THERE IS ABSOLUTELY NO FOUNDATIONS FOR THESE RUMORS."

THE ARMY STATEMENT ATTRIBUTED THE REPORTS TO UNIDENTIFIED COLUMNISTS. IT SAID THE FIRST COLUMN APPEARED IMMEDIATELY AFTER MAY DAY, BUT MACARTHUR REPORTED THAT THIS YEAR'S CELEBRATION OF THE DAY WAS "PERHAPS THE MOST QUIET AND ORDERLY SINCE THE SURRENDER."

THE ARMY ALSO REPORTED THAT MACARTHUR STATED THAT "NO TROOPS WERE INVOLVED IN ANY WAY, NOR RECEIVED ANY INJURIES AND THAT NO LEAVES WERE CANCELLED."

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KX FOR FRISCO

NEW YORK,MAY 19-(AP)-THE TIMES SAID TODAY THE UNITED STATES MUST HURRY IF IT IS TO GIVE MORE HELP TO THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS.

IN AN EDITORIAL THE PAPER SAID THE NATIONALIST STAND "WILL NOW HAVE TO BE MADE FOR FORMOSA AND FOR FORMOSA ALONE. X X X IF THERE IS TO BE ANY ACTION BY THIS COUNTRY, IT WILL HAVE TO BE TAKEN SOON."

WITHDRAWAL FROM CHUSHAN WITHOUT MEN AND EQUIPMENT, THE TIMES SAID, "REQUIRED SECRECY AND GOOD STAFF WORK. THE MORE THAN 100,000 SOLDIERS TAKEN BACK TO FORMOSA WILL STIFFEN THE DEFENSE OF WHAT IS NOW VIRTUALLY THE LAST BASTION, AND THEIR MORALE IS REPORTED TO BE HIGH."

THE EDITORIAL NOTED CHUSAN WAS A STRONG FORWARD POSITION AND "THE KEY POINT IN THE EFFECTIVENESS OF THE BLOCKADE OF SHANGHAI" BUT SAID IT COULD HAVE BEEN TAKEN BY THE COMMUNISTS.

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B24WX (Q)
(200) KOREAN
WASHINGTON,MAY 19-(AP)-THE HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE HAS DISCLOSED TESTIMONY THAT 100,000 AMERICAN-TRAINED SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS ARE READY TO RESIST INVASION BY TWICE THAT MANY NORTH KOREAN TROOPS.
THE TESTIMONY WAS GIVEN BY DR.E.A.JOHNSON, DIRECTOR OF THE KOREAN DIVISION OF THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION.
JOHNSON TESTIFIED IN SUPPORT OF A PRESIDENTIAL REQUEST FOR AN ADDITIONAL $60,000,000 (M) IN UNITED STATES ECONOMIC AID FOR KOREA. THE COMMITTEE REPORTEDLY HAS INFORMALLY DECIDED TO RECOMMEND $50,000,000 (M).
SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS, JOHNSON SAID, HAVE AMERICAN MILITARY EQUIPMENT AND HAVE BEEN TRAINED BY AN AMERICAN MILITARY MISSION. HE ESTIMATED AT 200,000 THE NUMBER OF TROOPS IN THE SOVIET-DOMINATED NORTH KOREAN FORCES.
HE DECLINED TO SPECULATE ON THE POSSIBILITY THAT THE NORTHERN KOREANS MIGHT BE JOINED BY MANCHURIAN TROOPS AND CHINESE COMMUNISTS.
"THAT IS SOMETHING ELSE AGAIN," HE SAID. "OBVIOUSLY, THE KOREANS COULD NOT STAND THAT, AND WHAT THE POLICY OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF WOULD BE IN CASE OF A FULL-SCALE INVASION, I DO NOT KNOW."
HE SAID TWO DIVISIONS OF SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS ALREADY HAVE COME IN CONTACT WITH COMMUNIST GUERRILLAS, ADDING THAT MORE THAN 5,000 SOUTH KOREANS HAVE BEEN KILLED IN ACTION IN THE PAST YEAR "IN THIS COLD WAR AGAINST NORTH KOREA."
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(450)
(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 11:45 A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY FRIDAY MAY 19)
NAZIISM
(ADVANCE)...(WX)...NEW YORK, MAY 19-(AP)-AN AMERICAN OCCUPATION OFFICIAL SAID TODAY IN A REPORT ON NAZIISM THAT "SAVE FOR SOME FRAGMENTS, IT HAS BEEN DESTROYED, NEVER TO RISE AGAIN."
BENJAMIN J.BUTTENWEISER, ASSISTANT AMERICAN HIGH COMMISSIONER IN GERMANY, SAID HE BASED THIS VIEW ON TWO THINGS: (1) CAREFUL OBSERVATION AND (2) "THE FIRM AND REASONED BELIEF THAT THE GERMAN PEOPLE X X X WILL NOT AGAIN ACCEPT AN IDEOLOGY OR POLITICAL PATTERN WHICH CAUSED SUCH COSTLY DEFEAT, PRIVATION AND LONG-RANGE DEPRIVATION."
BUTTENWEISER APPEALED TO CRITICS OF U.S. DE-NAZIFICATION STEPS "NOT TO EXAGGERATE THE RELATIVELY ISOLATED" INSTANCES WHERE NAZI OFFENDERS HAVE GONE UNPUNISHED OR WITH LIGHT SENTENCES.
THE OCCASION FOR BUTTENWEISER'S TALK WAS A LUNCHEON SPONSORED BY THE FOREIGN POLICY ASSOCIATION, A PRIVATE ORGANIZATION THAT DOES RESEARCH IN INTERNATIONAL MATTERS.
HIS PREPARED SPEECH WAS VIRTUALLY IDENTICAL WITH ONE THAT WAS CANCELLED AT CHICAGO LAST SUNDAY BY THE ANTI-DEFAMATION LEAGUE OF THE JEWISH WELFARE SOCIETY B'NAI B'RITH, ON THE GROUND IT WAS AN "APOLOGIA" FOR A LIMITED JOB DONE IN RIDDING GERMANY OF NAZIS.
BUTTENWEISER ACKNOWLEDGED MANY FORMER NAZIS HOLD PUBLIC POSITIONS NOW IN GERMANY. BUT, HE SAID, NOT ALL OF THESE FORMER NAZIS "WERE DEVILS."
"IT IS NEITHER POSSIBLE NOR DESIRABLE TO TRY TO KEEP 7,000,000 FORMER PARTY MEMBERS--AND WITH THEIR DEPENDENTS, PROBABLY 25,000,000 PEOPLE--OUTSIDE THE COMMUNITY OR OUTCASTS FROM IT," HE SAID.
BUTTENWIESER SAID EMPHATICALLY THAT "A SINCERE, HONEST AND, SO FAR AS FEASIBLE, EFFECTIVE JOB" HAS BEEN DONE BY THE UNITED STATES IN PUNISHING GUILTY NAZIS

IF THE UNITED STATES HAS MADE MISTAKES, HE ADDED, "IT WAS FAR BETTER TO ERR ON THE SIDE OF FAIRNESS AND LENIENCY RATHER THAN ARBITRARINESS AND RUTHLESSNESS."
THE AMERICAN OCCUPATION OFFICIAL SAID HE WAS DEVOTING HIS SPEECH TO THE NAZIISM QUESTION BECAUSE HE HAS FOUND "CONSIDERABLE MISINFORMATION AND CONSEQUENT MISUNDERSTANDING" ABOUT IT SINCE ARRIVING IN THE UNITED STATES.

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BUTTENWIESER AGREED THERE HAS BEEN A REBIRTH OF NATIONALISM IN GERMANY AND THAT THIS HAS BEEN ACCOMPANIED BY THE "RE-EMERGENCE OF SOME DANGEROUS ELEMENTS."
BUT, HE STRESSED, THE BULK OF THE GERMAN PEOPLE AND THEIR LEADERS ARE ALERT AND "OPPOSED TO AGGRESSIVE NATIONALISM."
BUTTENWIESER SAID THE UNITED STATES MUST PROTECT THE WEST GERMANS FROM COMMUNISM AND AT THE SAME TIME MAKE DEMOCRACY SEEM MORE ATTRACTIVE TO ALL GERMANS.
HE CITED THESE FIGURES ON THE PROGRAM OF DENAZIFICATION:
A TOTAL OF 13,293,000 GERMANS HAVE BEEN SCREENED; 9,833,864 WERE CLEARED WHILE 3,459,136 WERE FOUND TO HAVE A NAZI TAINT. ABOUT 2,502,163 WERE HELD TO BE LIGHT OFFENDERS AND WERE PARDONED WITHOUT TRIAL.
THE REMAINDER WERE TRIED AND 9,770 WERE SENTENCED TO LABOR CAMPS, 30,622 TO SPECIAL LABOR; 27,268 HAD THEIR PROPERTY CONFISCATED; 571,746 WERE FINED; 23,386 WERE DECLARED INELIGIBLE TO HOLD PUBLIC OFFICE AND 125,036 WERE RESTRICTED IN EMPLOYMENT.
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A48 (240)
NEW YORK,MAY 19-(AP)-JAPAN'S EMINANT "ELDER STATESMAN," YUKIO OZAKI, 91-YEAR-OLD MEMBER OF THE JAPANESE DIET AND FORMER MAYOR OF TOKYO, DECLARES JAPAN IS NOT BECOMING A DEMOCRACY UNDER ITS PRESENT FORM OF GOVERNMENT.
AT A PRESS-CONFERENCE IN HIS WALDORF-ASTORIA HOTEL SUITE THE STATESMAN FORTHRIGHTLY ASSERTED "IT IS WRONG TO THINK THAT JAPAN IS BECOMING A DEMOCRACY."
OZAKI, A SMALL MAN WITH IRON GREY HAIR AND MOUSTACHE, SAID HE HAD TRIED TO ORGANIZE POLITICAL PARTIES IN JAPAN ON THE BRITISH PATTERN FOR 30 YEARS. "I FAILED UTTERLY," HE SAID, "AND I HAVE COME TO THE CONCLUSION THAT NO ONE CAN ORGANIZE THEM."
HE ADDED THAT THERE WERE NO REAL POLITICAL PARTIES IN JAPAN BUT ONLY "MEN WORKING FOR THEMSELVES IN CLIQUES."
THE STATESMAN, WHO HAS BEEN A MEMBER OF THE DIET SINCE 1890 AND WHO IS FAMOUS AS THE MAYOR OF TOKYO WHO SENT THE CHERRY TREES TO WASHINGTON, WARNED THAT IF THE UNITED STATES TRIES TO QUIT JAPAN THERE WILL BE "A GRAVE COMMOTION."
HE SAID WHEN THE AMERICAN TROOPS LEAVE JAPAN "SOME PEOPLE WILL TAKE SIDES WITH THE RUSSIANS AND SOME WITH THE UNITED STATES."
ASKED HOW THE JAPANESE PEOPLE FELT ABOUT THE AMERICAN OCCUPATION HE SAID TARTLY, "I DON'T BELIEVE THAT FEEL ANYTHING-THEIR BRAINS ARE CONFUSED."
TO A QUESTION AS TO WHETHER JAPAN IS READY FOR A PEACE TREATY OZAKI SAID,

HE SAID TARTLY, "I DON'T BELIEVE THEY FEEL ANYTHING-THEIR BRAINS ARE CONFUSED."
TO A QUESTION AS TO WHETHER JAPAN IS READY FOR A PEACE TREATY OZAKI SAID, "NOT ONLY JAPAN BUT NONE OF THE NATIONS OF THE WORLD IS PREPARED FOR A PEACE TREATY AT THIS TIME." AND HE ADDED THAT "NO ONE CAN TELL" WHEN THE TIME FOR A TREATY WILL COME.

BEFORE A PERMANENT PEACE IS MADE HE SAID THE JAPANESE MUST BE "FUNDAMENTALLY REFORMED."

THE STATESMAN SAID HE ADVOCATES A "MORAL ALLIANCE" BETWEEN JAPAN AND THE UNITED STATES FOR THE PRESENT. AS TO THE FUTURE HE STRESSED, "WE'LL NEED MORE THAN THAT."

OZAKI FLEW FROM JAPAN TO LOS ANGELES AND THEN ON TO NEW YORK. HE PLANS TO VISIT WASHINGTON WHERE HE HOPES TO TALK TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND ALSO IS TO VISIT UNITED NATIONS HEADQUARTERS AT LAKE SUCCESS. SEVERAL SPEECHES HAVE BEEN PLANNED WITH HIS MAJOR ADDRESS SCHEDULED FOR THE WALDORF-ASTORIA ON MAY 24.

HE LAST VISITED THE U.S. IN 1936.

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HE IS ACCOMPANIED BY HIS DAUGHTER, VISCOUNTESS YUKIKA SOMA, WHO AIDED HIM AT THE PRESS-CONFERENCE ALTHOUGH HE ANSWERED MOST OF THE QUESTIONS IN ENGLISH.

OZAKI PRESENTED THE CHERRY TREES TO WASHINGTON AS A GIFT OF GRATITUDE TO THE UNITED STATES FROM THE JAPANESE PEOPLE FOR THE SUCCESS OF PRESIDENT THEODORE ROOSEVELT IN ENDING THE RUSSO-JAPANESE WAR IN 1905.

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B56KX (Q)

NITE LEAD (APW)

SAN FRANCISCO,MAY 19-(AP)-MAYOR SALVATORE REBECCHINI OF ROME, IN SAN FRANCISCO FOR A WEEK-END VISIT, TODAY SAID THERE IS LITTLE CHANCE THAT ITALY WILL GO COMMUNIST.

HE SAID THIS IS BECAUSE OF THE MARSHALL PLAN AND A "REMARKABLE ECONOMIC RECOVERY" BY THE ITALIAN PEOPLE.

REBECCHINI SAID HE WAS ENCHANTED TO FIND SAN FRANCISCO SO MUCH LIKE HIS NATIVE LAND--AND THAT HE WAS IMPRESSED WITH THE CHARACTER OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE AND WITH SEEING REAL DEMOCRACY IN ACTION.

ONE OF THE HIGHLIGHTS OF HIS PROGRAM TODAY WAS A VISIT AT THE COMMONWEALTH CLUB LUNCHEON WITH GENERAL OMAR BRADLEY.

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B75KX (Q)

NIGHT LEAD (120)

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LOS ANGELES, MAY 19-(AP)-PAKISTAN'S PRIME MINISTER, LIAQUAT ALI KHAN, TURNED ASIDE QUESTIONS AT A PRESS CONFERENCE TODAY ABOUT POSSIBILITY OF RUSSIAN ENTRY INTO HIS COUNTRY FOR D DEVELOPMENT OF INDUSTRY AND NATURAL RESOURCES.

"RUSSIA HAS NOT YET ASKED," HE TOLD REPORTERS. "I DO NOT COMMENT ON HYPOTHETICAL QUESTIONS."

THE PRIME MINISTER CONFIRMED STORIES OF A RECENT OIL STRIKE IN THE PAKISTANIAN PROVINCE OF PUNJAB BY THE ENGLISH BURMAH OIL COMPANY.

"I BELIEVE THE FUTURE OF PETROLEUM DEVELOPMENT IN PAKISTAN IS BRIGHT," HE CONTINUED. "IT IS VERY BRIGHT INDEED. WE HAVE OTHER WELLS, YOU KNOW. AND THERE IS OIL APPARENT IN EAST PAKISTAN AS WELL AS WEST PAKISTAN. THERE ARE MANY REQUESTS COMING TO US NOW FOR PERMITS TO PROSPECT AND DEVELOP THIS OIL."

THE PRIME MINISTER WILL END HIS TOUR HERE TOMORROW WITH AN AIRPLANE TRIP OVER THE ROUTE OF THE METROPOLITAN WATER DISTRICT.

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(350) (ADVANCE FOR USE AT NOON EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY FRIDAY MAY 19)

STEELMAN

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(ADVANCE)-(WX)-NEW ORLEANS,MAY 19-(AP)-PRESIDENTIAL ASSISTANT JOHN R.STEELMAN SAID TODAY THAT UNLESS THE UNITED STATES JOINS THE PROPOSED INTERNATIONAL TRADE ORGANIZATION (ITO) THE WORLD'S PROGRESS WILL BE HAMPERED BY "TRADE PRACTICES BELONGING TO THE DARK AGES."

IN AN ADDRESS PREPARED FOR A MEETING OF THE AMERICAN COTTON SHIPPERS ASSOCIATION, STEELMAN DESCRIBED THE ITO CHARTER AS "A MEANS OF AVOIDING RUINOUS ECONOMIC WARFARE," ADDING:

"IT SEEKS TO CREATE A WORLD TRADING SYSTEM WHICH WILL BE FAIR TO ALL, ONE WHICH WILL GIVE THE PRIVATE TRADER THE MAXIMUM OPPORTUNITY TO CONDUCT HIS BUSINESS ANYWHERE.

"THE CHARTER GOES INTO EFFECT WHEN IT HAS BEEN ACCEPTED BY 20 GOVERNMENTS. TWO NATIONS HAVE SIGNED IT. OTHERS ARE WAITING TO SEE WHAT THE UNITED STATES DOES.

"WE CAN BE SURE THAT IF THE UNITED STATES FAILS TO ACCEPT THE CHARTER, THERE WILL BE NO INTERNATIONAL TRADE ORGANIZATION, AND OUR OWN, AND THE WORLD'S PROGRESS WILL CONTINUE TO BE HAMPERED AND HAMSTRUNG BY INTERNATIONAL TRADE PRACTICES BELONGING TO THE DARK AGES."

STEELMAN SAID THE ITO AND PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S PROGRAM OF AID TO UNDERDEVELOPED NATIONS WOULD HELP SOLVE THE DOLLAR SHORTAGE AMONG NATIONS WHICH WOULD LIKE TO BUY AMERICAN GOODS--INCLUDING COTTON--BUT WHICH LACK THE MONEY.

"UNLESS WAYS ARE SOON FOUND TO ENABLE OTHER COUNTRIES TO BUY DOLLAR COTTON," HE TOLD THE COTTON SHIPPERS, "TOTAL WORLD EXPORTS MAY DROP BY MORE THAN ONE-FOURTH, TO ABOUT 8,000,000 BALES A YEAR.

"IF A SITUATION OF THAT KIND IS ALLOWED TO DEVELOP, WE MAY WELL EXPECT IN THE NEAR FUTURE TO SEE STAGGERING SURPLUSES OF DOLLAR COTTON, EVEN WHILE THERE IS A SCARCITY AND A DEMAND FOR TEXTILES EVERYWHERE.

"THIS WOULD INEVITABLY RESULT IN A STRONG DEMAND AND HIGH PRICES FOR NON-DOLLAR COTTON. AN UNECONOMIC SITUATION FOR THE ENTIRE WORLD WOULD BE THE UNHAPPY RESULT."

THE WHITE HOUSE OFFICIAL EMPHASIZED THAT "THE ECONOMIC PROBLEM OF THE FUTURE IS NOT ONE CONCERNING COTTON ALONE, BUT IS ONE OF AN EXPANDED TRADE IN ALL TYPES OF GOODS FOR WHICH THERE IS A POTENTIAL MARKET.

"THERE WILL BE LESS ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL TENSION IN THE WORLD," HE SAID, "AND MANKIND CAN LOOK FORWARD TO A GREATER DEGREE OF HAPPINESS WHEN THE VARIOUS COUNTRIES ARE ABLE TO EXCHANGE GOODS THEY HAVE AND DO NOT NEED FOR THE THINGS THEY DO NOT HAVE BUT NEED."

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B139KX (Q)

(160) APW ASKED

LOS ANGELES, MAY 19-(AP)-THE PRIME MINISTER OF PAKISTAN TODAY DECLARED THAT THE UNITED STATES HAS NOT YET "FULLY REALIZED THE IMPORTANCE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT IN THE BACKYARD COUNTRIES OF ASIA."

LIAQUAT ALI KHAN TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THAT IN "THE INTERESTS OF WORLD PEACE ALL BACKWARD COUNTRIES SHOULD BE DEVELOPED." HE ADDED THAT THE "EXPERIENCE, KNOWLEDGE AND CAPITAL--BOTH PRIVATE AND FEDERAL-£9! 5£3 7,853$ '5-53' '£97)$?3

THE "EXPERIENCE, KNOWLEDGE AND CAPITAL--BOTH PRIVATE AND FEDERAL--OF THE UNITED STATES SHOULD BE PUT TO THE JOB OF ASSISTING IN THIS DEVELOPMENT."

HE SAID PAKISTAN IS WIDE OPEN FOR SUCH DEVELOPMENT, CITING THAT HIS COUNTRY PRODUCES 75 PER CENT OF THE WORLD'S JUTE BUT HAS NO MILL. HE ALSO OPINED THAT THERE IS OIL IN EAST AND WEST PAKISTAN.

TO A REPORTER'S QUESTION AS TO WHETHER SOVIET RUSSIA IS INTERESTED IN INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT OF PAKISTAN, THE ISLAMIC PRIME MINISTER REPLIED THAT THE USSR "HAS NOT APPROACHED US TO BUILD ANY FACTORIES."

A TOUR THROUGH THE HUGE LOCKHEED AIRCRAFT PLANT WAS TAKEN BY THE PRIME MINISTER AND HIS PARTY LATER. HIS WIFE, BEGUM LIAQUAT ALI, TOOK A TOUR OF THE WALT DISNEY STUDIOS AND PLANS TO VISIT HOSPITALS AND NURSERIES LATER IN THE DAY.

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MOBILE,ALA.,MAY 19-(AP)-WHERE'S THE SAFEST PLACE TO HIDE, IF YOU ARE CAUGHT IN AN ATOMIC BOMB ATTACK?

IT MIGHT BE INSIDE A SMOKESTACK, SAYS A U.S. ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION CONSULTANT, WHO STUDIED EFFECTS OF THE HIROSHIMA AND NAGASAKI EXPLOSIONS.

COL.ELBERT DECOURSEY (CAP D AND C) SAID HE BASED THE CONCLUSION ON THE FACT THAT FEW SMOKESTACKS WERE KNOCKED DOWN IN THE TWO JAPANESE CITIES.

COL.DECOURSEY ADDRESSED THE GULF COAST PHARMACEUTICAL SOCIETY HERE YESTERDAY. HE WAS A MEMBER OF THE JOINT COMMISSION WHICH STUDIED EFFECTS OF THE TWO 1945 ATOMIC BOMB EXPLOSIONS IN JAPAN. LATER HE WAS ON THE NAVY STAFF AT BIKINI FOR THE 1946 OPERATION CROSSROADS EXPLOSION.

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WASHINGTON, MAY 19-(AP)-THE ARMY HAS NAMED MAJ.GEN. WILLIAM H. ARNOLD AS CHIEF OF THE JOINT MILITARY MISSION TO TURKEY.

HE REPLACES MAJ. GEN. HORACE L. MCBRIDE, WHO WILL RETURN TO THE UNITED STATES TO BECOME COMMANDANT OF THE ARMY GENERAL SCHOOL AT FORT RILEY, KAN.

ARNOLD, NOW CHIEF OF THE BUDGET DIVISION IN THE ARMY COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, IS LISTED AS A NATIVE OF DYERSBURG, TENN., AND MCBRIDE AS A NATIVE OF MADISON, NEBR.

MAJ.GEN. JOHN T. LEWIS, PRESENT COMMANDANT OF THE ARMY GENERAL SCHOOL WILL SUCCEED MAJ. GEN. JOHN L.HOMER AS COMMANDANT OF THE ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY AND GUIDED MISSILE CENTER AT FORT BLISS, TEX. HOMER WILL RETIRE IN SEPTEMBER.

LEWIS COMES FROM ROCKFORD, ILL., AND HOMER IS A NATIVE OF MT. OLIVE, ILL.

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NIGHT LEAD HOSPITAL (320)

BY HARRISON R.HUMPHRIES

AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE

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WASHINGTON, MAY 19-(AP)-THREE WHEEL CHAIR VETERANS FROM THE BIRMINGHAM GENERAL HOSPITAL VAN NUYS, CALIF., FLEW TO WASHINGTON TODAY TO ASK PRESIDENT TRUMAN NOT TO CLOSE THEIR HOSPITAL.

THE PRESIDENT SAID AT HIS NEWS CONFERENCE YESTERDAY THAT THE DECISION IS FINAL.

HE REFERRED TO THE ORDER DIRECTING THE VETERANS ADMINISTRATION TO TAKE OVER THE LONG BEACH (CALIF.) NAVAL HOSPITAL, BEING ABANDONED BY THE NAVY JUNE 1, AND TRANSFER PATIENTS AND STAFF FROM THE VAN NUYS VETERANS HOSPITAL.

TWO OF THE VETERANS MAKING THE CROSS COUNTRY FLIGHT ARE MEMBERS OF THE VAN NUYS PARAPLEGIC COLONY. THE OTHER IS A TUBERCULOSIS PATIENTY.

THE WHITE HOUSE HAD NOT INDICATED LATE TODAY WHETHER THE PRESIDENT WILL SEE THEM.

REQUESTS FOR THE INTERVIEW WERE SUBMITTED TO THE WHITE HOUSE BY REPS. HINSHAW (R-CALIF), HOLIFIELD (D-CALIF), DOUGLAS (D-CALIF) AND SENATOR DOWNEY (D-CALIF).

PAT GRISSOM, ONE OF THE TWO PARAPLEGICS AND PRESIDENT OF THE PARAPLEGIC VETERANS OF AMERICA, TOLD A REPORTER:

"WE WILL STAY HERE UNTIL WE ACCOMPLISH OUR MISSION."

GEORGE HOMANN, THE OTHER PARAPLEGIC, CITED HIS PERSONAL PREDICAMENT AS AN EXAMPLE OF THE INCONVENIENCE THE VETERANS SAY WILL RESULT FROM CLOSING THE HOSPITAL.

HOMANN'S SPECIALLY EQUIPPED HOME, BEING CONSTRUCTED AT GOVERNMENT EXPENSE UNDER A SPECIAL LAW, IS NEARLY FINISHED. IT IS LOCATED NEAR THE BIRMINGHAM GENERAL HOSPITAL.

WITH THE CLOSING OF THE HOSPITAL, HE WILL HAVE TO TRAVEL UP TO 30 MILES FOR TREATMENT AT ONE OF THE OTHER VETERANS HOSPITALS IN THE LOS ANGELES AREA.

THE THIRD VETERAN, BERNARD ROSE, CAME ALONG TO PLEAD THE CASE FOR THE NON-PARAPLEGICS WHOSE FAMILIES HAVE SETTLED IN VAN NUYS.

A RECEPTION COMMITTEE AT THE AIRPORT INCLUDED TWO PARAPLEGIC VETERANS FROM RICHMOND, VA., BERNARD E.SHUFELT AND FORREST BLAND, AND REPRESENTATIVES OF THE AMERICAN LEGION, VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS AND AMERICAN VETERANS COMMITTEE. ALSO AT THE AIRPORT WERE REPS. HINSHAW AND HOLIFIELD, AND MRS. MERCIDES DAVISON, SECRETARY TO REP.DOUGLAS.

THE THREE VETERANS EXPECT TO VISIT THE CAPITOL TOMORROW, CALLING ON REP. MCCORMACK (D-MASS), HOUSE MAJORITY LEADER, AND SENATOR SPARKMAN (D-ALA).

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NEW YORK, MAY 19-(AP)-THE HEAD OF THE UNITED NATIONS TRUSTEE-- SHIP COUNCIL HELD OUT SOME HOPE TODAY FOR A COMPROMISE ON THE PROBLEM OF JERUSALEM.

ROGER GARREAU, PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL, TALKED WITH NEWSMEN ON HIS ARRIVAL FROM EUROPE ABOARD THE LINER ILE DE FRANCE. HE CAME HERE TO ATTEND A JUNE 1 COUNCIL MEETING AT LAKE SUCCESS.

JORDAN, HE SAID, FLATLY HAS REFUSED TO CONSIDER ANY PLAN FOR THE INTERNATIONALIZATION OF JERUSALEM. BUT, GARREAU ADDED, ISRAEL IS WILLING TO DISCUSS A COMPROMISE AND THAT LEADS HIM TO BELIEVE THE DOOR STILL IS OPEN FOR FURTHER NEGOTIATIONS.

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B47 (Q)

KX (DN ASKED)

LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 19-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN TODAY CONCLUDED ITS 1950 SESSION WHICH BEGAN MAY 8. THE FINAL SESSION WAS DEVOTED TO THE ADOPTION OF THE COMMISSION'S REPORT TO THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL, ITS PARENT BODY.

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NIGHT LEAD EUROPEAN (800)

BY GLENN WILLIAMS

LONDON, MAY 20-(AP)-BRITAIN AND THE UNITED STATES LAID PLANS TODAY FOR A SHARPENED PROPAGANDA WAR AGAINST COMMUNISM.

THEIR PLANS WERE BEING CAST IN THE SAME MOLD AS THE DECISIONS ON DEFENSE REACHED THIS WEEK BY THE 12 ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS--BETTER USE AND COORDINATION OF WESTERN RESOURCES.

CLOSER COOPERATION BETWEEN THE OFFICIAL INFORMATION SERVICES OF BRITAIN AND THE U.S. AND ERECTION OF MORE RADIO STATIONS TO CARRY THE VOICE OF AMERICA AND THE BBC BEHIND THE IRON CURTAIN MAY RESULT FROM THE CONFERENCE TODAY OF EDWARD W.BARRETT, U.S. UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE, AND CHRISTOPHER WARNER, HIS OPPOSITE NUMBER IN THE BRITISH FOREIGN OFFICE.

INFORMED SOURCES SAID THEY MIGHT ALSO ARRANGE TO EXCHANGE SOME PERSONNEL IN ORDER THAT THE WORKING REPORTERS AND BROADCASTERS MIGHT BETTER UNDERSTAND THE OPERATIONS OF BOTH COUNTRIES.

BARRETT'S TRIP HERE FOLLOWED CLOSELY UPON PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S STATEMENT THAT THE WEST MUST INTENSIFY ITS EFFORTS TO PROVIDE CORRECT INFORMATION ABOUT THE FREE WORLD TO PEOPLE BEHIND THE IRON CURTAIN. IT ALSO FOLLOWED THE CONCLUSION OF THE AMERICAN, BRITISH AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTERS THAT FAITH IN FREEDOM MUST BE ACTIVATED INTO A DYNAMIC FORCE.

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BARRETT IS TO CONFER WITH AMERICAN AND BRITISH INFORMATION OFFICERS AGAIN TOMORROW AND MONDAY. HE WILL GO TO ROME TUESDAY.

THE PROPAGANDA CAMPAIGN MAY BE ONE OF THE MORE CONCRETE DEVELOPMENTS ARISING FROM THE TWO WEEKS OF CONFERENCES HERE AMONG THE ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS AND THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE THREE BIG WESTERN POWERS.

AT THESE CONFERENCES THE WESTERN NATIONS SHOWED CLEARLY THEY RECOGNIZE THEY MAY NEED TO GO TO WAR SOME DAY TO PROTECT THEMSELVES AGAINST RUSSIA WHEN THEY AGREED TO DEVELOP THEIR ARMED STRENGTH.

WESTERN DIPLOMATS BELIEVE THAT WHEN THE WEST IS MIGHTY THE EAST WILL BE MORE WARY, MORE WILLING TO EASE ITS CONDITIONS FOR A LIVE-AND-LET-LIVE ARRANGEMENT THAT WOULD AVOID A WAR.

EVEN WHILE THE UNITED STATES AND ITS ALLIES WERE LAYING THEIR PLANS TRYGVE LIE WAS IN MOSCOW EXPLORING THE STONY ROAD TO PEACE.

THE U.N. SECRETARY GENERAL CONFERRED WITH ROBERT SCHUMAN, FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER, IN PARIS TODAY, AND PLANNED TO MEET WITH BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY BEVIN IN LONDON EARLY NEXT WEEK.

NO ONE KNEW WHETHER LIE'S MISSION, WHICH INCLUDED A TALK WITH JOSEPH STALIN, WAS BRIGHTENING OR DARKENING MAN'S ETERNAL HOPE FOR PEACE.

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WHILE HE WAS IN MOSCOW, THE WEST AGREED THAT A WESTERN GENERAL STAFF OF DIPLOMATS MUST BE NAMED QUICKLY, WITH AN AMERICAN MEMBER TO HEAD IT.

THIS GENERAL STAFF WILL HAVE NO POWER TO ISSUE ORDERS WHICH GOVERNMENTS MUST OBEY. IT CAN ONLY WORK OUT ITS PLANS FOR ORGANIZING AN INTERNATIONAL WESTERN ARMY AND SEEK APPROVAL OF ITS PLANS FROM ALL THE 12 GOVERNMENTS IN THE ATLANTIC PACT.

THE DEFENSE OF THE WEST WILL REMAIN AN AMERICAN HEADACHE.

THE UNITED STATES WILL SUPPLY THE LEADERSHIP OF THE DIPLOMATIC GENERAL STAFF. IT WILL HAVE TO TRY TO SHOW THE WAY TO BUILD UP STRONG FORCES FOR DEFENSE WHILE KEEPING UP ECONOMIC RECOVERY.

IT ALSO MAY HAVE TO DIG DEEP INTO ITS POCKET TO PROVIDE ARMS, MONEY AND MATERIALS CONSIDERABLY IN EXCESS OF THE $1,450,000,000 WORTH OF NEW AND OLD AMERICAN ARMS NOW BEING SHIPPED.

WESTERN EUROPE'S KEEN INTEREST IS IN ECONOMIC RECOVERY.

FRANCE FEARS A BIG ARMS PROGRAM WILL SO WEAKEN HER ECONOMY THAT COMMUNISM WILL FIND A HIGH ROAD TO POWER IN UNEMPLOYMENT. BRITAIN WANTS TO PROTECT ITS SOCIAL WELFARE SERVICES AND LEFTWING SOCIALISTS ALREADY ARE CRYING THAT DEFENSE COSTS ENDANGER THEM.

EUROPE'S INDUSTRIES NEED RE-EQUIPMENT TO ACHIEVE MORE AND CHEAPER PRODUCTION BOTH OF PEACE-TIME AND DEFENSE GOODS. THEY FEAR THE ARMS PROGRAM MAY EAT INTO PRODUCTION OF INDUSTRIAL EQUIPMENT.

CONSEQUENTLY THE DEFENSE PROGRAM WILL BE LIMITED. THE GENERAL STAFF MUST GET AS MUCH AS IT CAN OUT OF AVAILABLE TROOPS, MATERIALS AND INDUSTRIES, AND SAVE MONEY THROUGH SPECIALIZATION IN SOME ASPECTS OF DEFENSE.

COSTLY SEA AND AIR LOWER WILL BE ALLOTTED MAINLY TO THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN.

THE NUCLEUS OF UNITED STATES CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE JOINT DEFENSES ALREADY IS IN EUROPE.

NINETY B-29 AND B-50 BOMBERS ARE BASED HERE ALL THE TIME. AN AIR COMMAND IS FIRMLY ESTABLISHED. A FLEET HEADQUARTERS DIRECTING NAVAL OPERATIONS IN THE WESTERN ATLANTIC AND MEDITERRANEAN HAS REMAINED HERE EVER SINCE THE WAR DIRECTING A TASK FORCE OF CRUISERS, DESTROYERS AND AIRCRAFT CARRIERS.

UNITED STATES TROOPS AND A FIGHTER PLANE BASE ARE IN GERMANY. THEY WILL REMAIN AS FRONT LINE DEFENDERS AGAINST ANY AGGRESSION.

WESTERN GERMANY WILL BE TIED CLOSER TO THE WEST. EVENTUALLY IT PROBABLY WILL BECOME ALMOST A FULL ALLY AND MAY CONTRIBUTE TROOPS TO WESTERN FORCES.

ITS BIG INDUSTRIAL POTENTIAL WILL BE HELPFUL IN WESTERN DEFENSE. THE UNITED STATES STRONGLY BACKS FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN'S PLAN TO UNITE THE RUHR INDUSTRIES WITH THE STEEL AND COAL OUTPUT OF WESTERN EUROPE.

ACHESON IS DETERMINED THAT THE UNITED STATES WILL REMAIN IN EUROPE, WITH LINKS TO ITS ECONOMY AS WELL AS ITS DEFENSE, EVEN AFTER THE MARSHALL PLAN ENDS TWO YEARS FROM NOW.

THIS IS TO INSPIRE CONFIDENCE IN THE EUROPEAN ALLIES THAT THEY WILL NOT BE LEFT IN THE LURCH.

THE WEST BELIEVES THAT IT WILL NOT BE NECESSARY TO MATCH RUSSIA MAN FOR MAN OR GUN FOR GUN TO ACHIEVE WHAT IT CALLS "ADEQUATE" DEFENSE.

THERE WILL BE EMPHASIS ON BUILDING UP INDUSTRIAL POTENTIAL TO HELP BOTH WITH ECONOMIC RECOVERY AND THE DEFENSE PROGRAM. CLOSE ATTENTION WILL BE GIVEN TO SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH AND TECHNICAL DEVELOPMENT TO KEEP THE WEST AHEAD OF THE U.S.S.R.

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PMS BUDGET (550)

FRENCH FOREIGN POLICY

BY DONALD B. SCHWIND

LONDON, MAY 20-(AP)-A NEW "DYNAMIC" FRENCH FOREIGN POLICY--LAUNCHED WITH THE SCHUMAN PLAN AND RUNNING STRONGLY THROUGH THE BIG THREE AND ATLANTIC COUNCIL TALKS HERE--IS CHALLENGING BRITAIN'S POLITICAL LEADERSHIP IN WESTERN EUROPE.

FRANCE'S NEW LINE IS SHAPED TO RALLY WEST EUROPE--WITH OR WITHOUT BRITAIN--INTO A POWERFUL "THIRD FORCE" OF NATIONS TURNING AWAY FROM THE COLD WAR AND CONCENTRATING MORE ON THE ECONOMIC, SOCIAL AND FINANCIAL REBUILDING OF EUROPE.

AN INFORMED SOURCE TERMED THE POLICY "EMPHATICALLY NOT ANTI-AMERICAN"--STRESSING THAT THE FRENCH REORIENTATION IN VIEWPOINT

IN NO SENSE MEANS THAT EUROPE SHOULD BE LESS READY TO FIGHT IN DEFENSE OF WESTERN DEMOCRACY.

ITS MAIN LINES ARE THESE:

1. THE UNITED STATES' TENDENCY TO VIEW GLOBAL PROBLEMS PRIMARILY ON THE ASSUMPTION THAT A NEW WAR IS VIRTUALLY INEVITABLE SHOULD BE JETTISONED.

2. REBUILDING OF EUROPE ON THE ASSUMPTION THAT PEACE IS POSSIBLE SHOULD BE PUSHED FORWARD AS A FIRST CONSIDERATION.

3. THE NATIONS OF WEST EUROPE SHOULD STOP JUST TALKING ABOUT SURRENDERING PARTS OF THEIR SOVEREIGNTY FOR CLOSER UNITY AND TAKE FIRM STEPS TOWARD THE GOAL OF A UNIFIED CLOSELY-KNIT WEST.

INFORMED SOURCES IN LONDON SAID THOSE LINES WERE PUSHED STRONGLY IN THE THREE-NATION AND 12-NATION TALKS JUST CONCLUDED.

SO FAR, THERE HAVE BEEN THESE INDICATIONS OF THE NEW POLICY'S EFFECTIVENESS:

SPOKESMEN FOR EUROPE'S SMALLER NATIONS TOOK A STRONGLY INDEPENDENT LINE IN THE ATLANTIC COUNCIL. ACCORDING TO ONE SOURCE, "THEY CERTAINLY DIDN'T TALK LIKE SATELLITES."

IT IS KNOWN THAT FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN STRONGLY URGED IN THE BIG THREE TALKS THAT "COLD WAR" ASPECTS OF THOSE TALKS OR THE ATLANTIC COUNCIL SESSIONS SHOULD BE PLAYED DOWN OR DROPPED ENTIRELY IN COMMUNIQUES.

THE SCHUMAN PLAN--A KEYSTONE OF THE NEW POLICY BECAUSE IT DRAMATIZES THE NECESSITY FOR SURRENDER OF SOVEREIGNTY BY ANYONE WHO WANTS TO JOIN--CAUGHT THE BRITISH FOREIGN OFFICE FLATFOOTED. SCHUMAN ANNOUNCED IT THE DAY BEFORE THE BIG THREE TALKS OPENED. IT CALLS FOR A POOLING OF GERMAN AND FRENCH COAL AND STEEL RESOURCES BUT CAREFULLY LEAVES THE DOOR AJAR FOR BRITISH ENTRY.

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SINCE THE PLAN CLEARLY MEANS THAT BOTH FRANCE AND GERMANY WOULD SURRENDER A BIG CHUNK OF SOVEREIGNTY IF THE ARRANGEMENT WERE TO WORK EFFECTIVELY, THE OPEN INVITATION TO BRITAIN TO GET ABOARD THE CART EDGES HER DEFTLY TOWARD A DECISION SHE HAS LONG DISLIKED.

A DIPLOMATIC INFORMANT SAID THE FRENCH INTEND TO DO THEIR "UTMOST" TO GET BRITAIN INTO THE PLAN.

STRESSING THAT THE REVAMPED FRENCH POLICY CONTAINS NO ANTI-AMERICAN ELEMENT, A SOURCE IN CLOSE TOUCH WITH THE FRENCH VIEW SAID "THE UNITED STATES IS VERY MUCH UNDER THE PRESSURE OF 'COLD WAR' IDEAS--AND THIS IS UNDERSTANDABLE BECAUSE THEY HAVE SENSED THE COMMUNIST MENACE CLEARLY. THEY HAVE REACTED TO IT VERY STRONGLY.

"BUT THE NATIONS OF EUROPE ARE AT PRESENT LOOKING AT THINGS FROM A SLIGHTLY DIFFERENT ANGLE THAN THE UNITED STATES. THEY ARE DEEPLY CONCERNED WITH THEIR FUTURE ABILITY TO STAND ON THEIR OWN FEET."

IN HIS SPEECH AT THE CLOSING SESSION OF THE ATLANTIC COUNCIL, SCHUMAN--WHILE NOT NAMING THE UNITED STATES--WARNED THAT "OUR TASK IS COMPLICATED BY THE CONFUSION AND FEARS WHICH HAVE TAKEN HOLD OF A PART OF PUBLIC OPINION."

PEACE, HE STRESSED, "REMAINS MORE FIRMLY THAN EVER OUR AIM, OUR HOPE AND OUR RESOLVE."

THERE HAVE BEEN INDICATIONS IN LONDON THAT AMERICAN DIPLOMATS ARE FINDING FRENCH VIEWS ON EUROPEAN ORGANIZATION MORE PALATABLE THAN THOSE OF BRITAIN.

SO FAR, IT IS EXPECTED THAT THE SCHUMAN PLAN WILL GET STRONG SUPPORT BECAUSE IT CLEARLY IMPLIES THE LOWERING OF TRADE BARRIERS AND CUSTOMS REGULATIONS--BOTH OF WHICH UNITED STATES DIPLOMATS CONSIDER ESSENTIAL FOR EUROPEAN RECOVERY.

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A196 (300)

NIGHT LEAD TRAWLERS

BY ALVIN J. STEINKOPF

LONDON, MAY 20-(AP)-MORE THAN 30 RUSSIAN FISHING TRAWLERS AND COASTERS HAVE PUT IN AN APPEARANCE IN THE ENGLISH CHANNEL JUST A FEW DAYS BEFORE THE FIVE BRUSSELS PACT POWERS START NAVAL MANEUVERS IN THE BAY OF BISCAY.

OFFICIAL QUARTERS ATTACHED NO SPECIAL SIGNIFICANCE IN CONNECTION WITH THE NAVAL MANEUVERS. PRESUMABLY THE RUSSIAN FLEET WAS ON A VOYAGE FROM THE BALTIC SEA THROUGH THE MEDITERRANEAN TO THE BLACK SEA.

TONIGHT SEVENTEEN OF THE VESSELS WERE ANCHORED AT THE NORTH OF THE HELFORD RIVER, NEAR FALMOUTH AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF ENGLAND.

BRITISH CUSTOMS MEN MAKING A ROUTINE INSPECTION OF SHIPS COMING WITHIN TERRITORIAL WATERS, BOARDED SOME OF THEM AND SAID THEY WERE RECEIVED COURTEOUSLY. RUSSIAN SKIPPERS EXPLAINED THAT MOST OF THE SHIPS WERE NEWLY BUILT AND WERE URGENTLY NEEDED BY THE RUSSIAN FISHING INDUSTRY IN THE BLACK SEA.

IN ADDITION TO THE SHIPS ANCHORED OFF FALMOUTH OTHERS WERE MOVING THROUGH THE CHANNEL FROM THE EAST. THEY COULD BE SEEN OCCASIONALLY FROM THE ENGLISH SHORE, AND OTHERS WERE SPOTTED ON THE RADAR SCREENS OF SHIPS PLYING THE CHANNEL. SOME WERE SEEN MOVING WESTWARD FROM ST.CATHERINE'S POINT ON THE ISLE OF WIGHT.

THE SUDDEN APPEARANCE OF THE SHIPS, WHICH SAILED IN SEVERAL GROUPS, SURPRISED BRITISH SHIPPERS AND NAVAL OFFICERS. THERE HAD BEEN NO NOTICE OF THEIR COMING.

AT THE ADMIRALTY IT WAS SAID THAT THERE WAS NOTHING IMPROPER ABOUT THE PASSAGE THROUGH THE ENGLISH CHANNEL. IF THE RUSSIAN SHIPS KEEP GOING THEY SHOULD BE THROUGH THE BAY OF BISCAY BEFORE THE WESTERN NAVIES GO THROUGH THEIR PACES.

THE CALL BY BRITISH CUSTOMS OFFICIALS WAS ROUTINE PROCEDURE.

THE BRITISH RECOGNIZED THE MOTHER SHIP. IT WAS THE LARGEST VESSEL, THE 2,902 TON TOMBOV, FORMERLY THE BRITISH EMPIRE DURANT, BUILT IN 1921.

MOST OF THE TRAWLERS WERE NEW AND SPIC AND SPAN IN FRESH PAINT. MOST WERE FITTED WITH REAR ROLLERS, PRESUMABLY USED TO HAUL IN TRAWLER NETS, BUT NO NETS WERE VISIBLE.

PLANES SENT OUT BY BRITISH NEWSPAPERS FLEW OVER THE LITTLE FLEET AND REPORTERS DASHED OUT IN LAUNCHES. BUT THE RUSSIANS WHO GREETED THE CUSTOMS OFFICIALS AFFABLY WOULD PERMIT NO ONE ELSE ON BOARD.

A COUPLE OF WOMEN IN TRIM BLUE DRESSES WERE SEEN ON ONE SHIP.

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LONDON, MAY 20-(AP)-SIXTEEN RUSSIAN FISHING TRAWLERS AND TUGS AND A MOTHER SHIP ANCHORED IN ENGLISH WATERS TODAY OFF FALMOUTH BUT NOBODY SEEMED TO KNOW WHAT THEY WERE FISHING FOR.

VARIOUS OTHER REPORTS SAID AS MANY AS 10 OTHER SMALL SOVIET CRAFT WERE IN OR HAD GONE THROUGH THE ENGLISH CHANNEL IN THE PAST 48 HOURS.

THE FIRST SEA LORD, LORD FRASER, SAID YESTERDAY "I THINK IT IS AN ORDINARY PASSAGE TO THE BLACK SEA" FROM THE BALTIC SEA. BUT AN ADMIRALTY SPOKESMAN ADDED: "WE DON'T ACTUALLY KNOW WHERE THEY ARE GOING."

BRITISH AND OTHER BRUSSELS PACT POWERS BEGIN COMBINED EXERCISES IN THE BAY OF BISCAY NEXT WEEK. THE RUSSIAN VESSELS MIGHT PASS THROUGH THAT AREA ON THEIR WAY TO THE BLACK SEA.

"IF THEY APPEAR ON THE SCENE WHEN THE WARSHIPS MEET FOR THE MANEUVERS, THERE IS NOTHING WE CAN DO ABOUT IT," THE ADMIRALTY SPOKESMAN SAID.

CUSTOMS OFFICIALS VISITED THE SHIPS. THEY SAID IT WAS A

"ROUTINE BOARDING" SUCH AS IS CARRIED OUT ON ALL VESSELS WHICH ANCHOR IN BRITISH TERRITORIAL WATERS.

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A11

LONDON, MAY 20-(AP)-SCIENTISTS AND PHYSICIANS WHO CREATE ATOMIC WEAPONS AND DEVISE METHODS OF BACTERIOLOGICAL WARFARE ARE FLAGRANTLY DISREGARDING ETHICS BY WHICH THEY SHOULD BE BOUND, A RESOLUTION ADOPTED BY THE BRITISH SOCIALIST MEDICAL ASSOCIATION SAID TONIGHT.

IT URGED PROHIBITION OF ATOMIC WEAPONS THROUGH THE UNITED NATIONS.

"WE CONSIDER THAT SCIENTISTS, AND PARTICULARLY DOCTORS, ASSOCIATED WITH RESEARCH ALONG THESE LINES ARE GUILTY OF CRIMINAL ABANDONMENT OF THE BASIC ETHICAL TENETS OF THEIR PROFESSIONS AND WE URGE THAT THEY REFUSE TO BE ASSOCIATED WITH SUCH WORK," THE RESOLUTION SAID.

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B79 (Q)

LONDON, MAY 20-(AP)-THE HEADS OF THE BRITISH AND AMERICAN INFORMATION SERVICES MET HERE TODAY TO PLAN CLOSER COORDINATION BETWEEN THE AGENCY'S NEWS DEPARTMENTS.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE EDWARD W.BARRETT ARRIVED HERE TODAY AND MET AT THE FOREIGN OFFICE WITH CHRISTOPHER WARNER, HEAD OF BRITAIN'S NEWS AND INFORMATION DEPARTMENT.

THE TWO PLAN TO MEET AGAIN ON MONDAY. BARRETT WILL LEAVE FOR ROME TUESDAY MORNING.

THERE HAVE BEEN REPORTS THAT AS PART OF THE DRIVE TO BRING THE EFFORTS OF THE TWO NATIONS CLOSER TOGETHER THERE MIGHT BE SOME EXCHANGE OF PERSONNEL.

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A103

LONDON, MAY 20-(AP)-BRITAIN, IN REPRISAL FOR THE OUSTER ORDER OF THREE OF HER DIPLOMATS FROM BUDAPEST, HAS DEMANDED THE RECALL OF AN ATTACHE STATIONED AT THE HUNGARIAN LEGATION HERE.

IN A NOTE TO THE HUNGARIAN MINISTER YESTERDAY, THE BRITISH FOREIGN OFFICE SAID THE ATTACHE, JANOS NAGY, MUST LEAVE BRITAIN ON OR BEFORE MAY 23--THE DATE SET BY THE HUNGARIAN GOVERNMENT FOR THE DEPARTURE OF THE THREE BRITISH DIPLOMATS FROM BUDAPEST.

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A127

LONDON, MAY 20-(AP)-THREE CZECHS WERE SENTENCED TO LIFE IMPRISONMENT IN PRAGUE TODAY FOR HELPING POLITICAL REFUGEES TO FLEE THE COUNTRY, ADVICES REACHING LONDON SAID. SIX OTHERS GOT LESSER TERMS.

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A128

(130)

LONDON, MAY 20-(AP)-POLAND HAS DETAINED THREE OFFICERS OF A BRITISH MERCHANT SHIP FOR AN INVESTIGATION "OF THE UNAUTHORIZED VISIT OF A POLISH WOMAN ABOARD THE SHIP" WHILE IT WAS IN GDYNIA, THE BRITISH FOREIGN OFFICE ANNOUNCED TODAY.

THE FOREIGN OFFICE SAID BRITAIN HAD NOT MADE ANY PROTEST AND THAT BRITISH OFFICIALS IN POLAND HAD BEEN SATISFIED BY POLISH AUTHORITIES "THAT INVESTIGATION INTO THIS INCIDENT WOULD BE NECESSARY."

THE SHIP, THE BALTAVIA, OWNED BY THE UNITED BALTIC CORPORATION, LEFT GDYNIA YESTERDAY WITHOUT THE THREE OFFICERS--HENRY UPERTON, GORDON ELMES, AND C.H. TURNER, AIR ATTACHE AT THE BRITISH EMBASSY IN WARSAW UNTIL LATE IN 1949.

THE WOMAN, WHO WAS IDENTIFIED AS MISS BARBARA BOBROWSKI, WAS TURNER'S POLISH TEACHER WHILE HE WAS AT THE EMBASSY, THE FOREIGN OFFICE SAID. A FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMAN, ASKED IF HE KNEW WHY THE WOMAN VISITED THE SHIP, REPLIED:

"WE CAN ONLY ASSUME THAT THE VISIT WAS OF A PRIVATE NATURE."

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B97 (Q) (120)

LONDON, MAY 20-(AP)-THAKIN NU, BURMESE PRIME MINISTER, DISCLOSED TODAY HE INTENDS TO BECOME A BUDDHIST MONK AS SOON AS PEACE IS RESTORED IN HIS COUNTRY.

HE HAS SET JULY 19 AS THE DAY HIS GOVERNMENT EXPECTS TO END THE BURMESE INSURRECTIONS.

ASKED BY REPORTERS IF HE WOULD DON THE SAFFRON ROBES OF A BUDDHIST MONK THE DAY AFTER PEACE WAS PROCLAIMED, THAKIN NU SAID:

"IF THE GOVERNMENT WILL LET ME. I HAVE SEEN SOME INTERESTING PLACES TO WHICH I SHOULD LIKE TO RETIRE--TWO IN THE BURMESE FRONTIER AREAS AND A THIRD ON MAHINDALE MOUNTAIN CEYLON. I SHOULD NOT ASK FOR ADMISSION TO A MONASTERY. I SHOULD BUILD MY OWN--LITTLE MORE THAN A SMALL HUT."

HE HAS BEEN IN ENGLAND ATTENDING SERVICES IN MEMORY OF COMMONWEALTH SERVICEMEN WHO DIED IN THE BURMA CAMPAIGN.

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B111 (110) Q

LONDON, MAY 20-(AP)-LORD BOYD ORR, WINNER OF THE 1949 NOBEL PEACE PRIZE, SAID TODAY THE WORLD WAS "RATHER HYPNOTIZED" BY THE ATOMIC BOMB.

THAT, ALONG WITH THE POSSIBILITY OF THE HYDROGEN BOMB AND BACTERIOLOGICAL WARFARE, MAKE FOR AN OBSESSION ABOUT WAR, HE TOLD THE BRITISH ASSOCIATION OF SCIENTIFIC WORKERS IN HIS PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS.

IF NEW TALKS WITH STALIN WERE DESIRABLE, BOYD ORR ADVISED WESTERN LEADERS:

"APPROACH HIM WITH SOMETHING MUCH BROADER THAN THE ATOM BOMB. DON'T DISCUSS THE ABSTRACTS OF COMMUNISM AND CAPITALISM WITH HIM. DISCUSS FOOD, WHEAT AND TIMBER--TERMS AND THINGS HE UNDERSTANDS."

THE ASSOCIATION APPROVED A RESOLUTION PROTESTING "VIGOROUSLY" AGAINST THE DECISION OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT TO MANUFACTURE THE HYDROGEN BOMB.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 3 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, SATURDAY, MAY 20)

MARGATE, ENG., MAY 20-(AP)-W.JOHN KENNY, MARSHALL PLAN MINISTER

TO BRITAIN, TONIGHT DEPLORED THE RISE OF MONOPOLIES AND PRICE-FIXING RINGS IN EUROPE.

"HIGHER PRICES TO THE CONSUMER, LESS IMPROVEMENT IN PRODUCTS AND A LOWER STANDARD OF LIVING" RESULT, THE ECA MISSION CHIEF SAID IN AN ADDRESS HE PREPARED FOR HIS DEPUTY, ABBOTT LOW MOFFAT, TO READ FOR HIM BEFORE THE BRITISH INSTITUTE OF MANAGEMENT.

"IN THIS COUNTRY, AS IN EUROPE GENERALLY, THERE HAS BEEN INCREASINGLY IN RECENT DECADES A TENDENCY FOR INDUSTRY TO TRY TO ELIMINATE COMPETITION" THROUGH PRICE-FIXING AND MONOPOLIES, HE SAID.

(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 3 P.M., EST, TODAY, SATURDAY, MAY 20)

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A70 (120)

NIGHT LEAD LIE

PARIS, MAY 20-(AP)-FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN TALKED WITH U.N. SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE FOR AN HOUR TONIGHT, BUT REFUSED TO DISCLOSE HIS VIEW OF A PROPOSED SPECIAL MEETING OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL.

SCHUMAN TOLD REPORTERS HE AND LIE HAD TALKED ABOUT THE QUESTION BUT "IT MUST, OF COURSE, BE DISCUSSED BY ALL MEMBERS" OF THE U.N.

LIE, WHO HAS JUST RETURNED FROM MOSCOW WHERE HE SAW JOSEPH STALIN WITH A VIEW TO EASING THE COLD WAR, HAS BEEN ADVOCATING A SECURITY COUNCIL MEETING AT WHICH THE BIG POWERS WOULD BE REPRESENTED BY THE HEADS OF STATES OR FOREIGN MINISTERS.

HE SAW PRESIDENT VINCENT AURIOL FOR 45 MINUTES TONIGHT. ON MONDAY HE WILL GO TO LONDON WHERE HE EXPECTS TO CALL ON PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE AND FOREIGN MINISTER ERNEST BEVIN. HE SAID HE EXPECTS TO SEE PRESIDEN TRUMAN AND SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON WHEN HE GETS BACK TO THE UNITED STATES.

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PARIS, MAY 20-(AP)-FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN AND UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE CONFERRED FOR AN HOUR TODAY. SCHUMAN SAID THEY HAD DISCUSSED THE POSSIBILITY OF A SECURITY COUNCIL MEETING WITH THE BIG POWERS REPRESENTED BY HEADS OF STATE OR FOREIGN MINISTERS.

SCHUMAN DECLINED TO EXPRESS THE FRENCH VIEWPOINT ON SUCH A QUESTION. HE SAID THAT "IT MUST, OF COURSE, BE DISCUSSED BY ALL MEMBERS."

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PARIS, MAY 20-(AP)-ECA ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT $9,650,000 HAS BEEN ALLOTTED TO THE SOUTH PACIFIC ISLAND OF NEW CALEDONIA TO INCREASE THE PRODUCTION OF NICKEL.

THE QUIPMENT IS TO BE PAID FOR IN MARSHALL PLAN MONEY MADE AVAILABLE TO FRENCH COLONIES THROUGH CONTRACTS BETWEEN THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION (ECA) AND THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT.

TERMS OF THE CONTRACT CALL FOR REPAYMENT OF THE AMOUNT OF THE EQUIPMENT IN DELIVERY NEW CALEDONIAN NICKLE FOR THE U.S. STRATEGIC STOCKPILES.

AMERICAN OFFICIALS ARRANGING THE ADVANCE SAID THE NEW MINING AND PRODUCTION EQUIPMENT WOULD INCREASE NICKEL PRODUCTION ON THE ISLAND FROM A PREWAR RATE OF 6,000 TO 7,000 TONS A YEAR TO 10,000 TO 12,000 TONS A YEAR.

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B57 (Q)

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PARIS, MAY 20-(AP)-NEW METHODS OF FIGHTING HOOF AND MOUTH DISEASE, WHICH TAKES A MULTI-MILLION DOLLAR TOLL OF FARM ANIMALS EVERY YEAR, WERE DEVISED AT AN INTERNATIONAL MEETING WHICH ENDED TODAY.

MORE THAN 30 NATIONS, MOST OF THE WESTERN WORLD, SENT FARM EXPERTS TO THE MEETING, HELD JOINTLY BY THE UNITED NATIONS FOOD AND AGRICULTURAL ORGANIZATION AND THE INDEPENDENT INTERNATIONAL OFFICE OF EPIZOOTICS (EPIDEMIC DISEASES IN ANIMALS).

THE STEPS INCLUDE PUSHING EFFORT STO IMPROVE SERUMS FOR VACCINATING FARM ANIMALS, AND OF IMPROVING THE TECHNICAL TRAINING OF EXPERT VETERINARIANS TO COMBAT THE DISEASE.

THE DELEGATES ALSO ADOPTED ANEW SYSTEM OF INTERNATIONAL REPORTING OF OUTBREAKS OF THE DISEASE, AND A UNIFORM METHOD OF CATALOGUING EPIDEMICS.

NATIONS REPRESENTED INCLUDED THE UNITED STATES, CANADA, MEXICO, MOST OF EUROPE, INDIA AND PAKISTAN AND A NUMBER OF PACIFIC AND AFRICAN COUNTRIES.

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brest, france, may 20--(ap)--two french communist deputies, one a woman, were sentenced to suspended jail sentences today on charges of taking part in a riot here april 17.

announcement of the sentence brought outbursts of protest from numerous communist spectators in the courtroom. the judge ordered the court cleared and the crowd withdrew, singing [redacted] the french national anthem, "la marseillaise," and the communist

song, "l'internationale."

deputy alain signor was sentenced to six months in jail and the woman deputy, marie lambert, was given ~~them~~ five months. both were ~~in~~ given benefit of the first offender's act, which suspends execution of the sentence until the convicted person commits a similar offense.

the french national assembly had authorized prosecution of the two members.

during the april 17 demonstrations a striker was killed in ~~a~~ a cla with police forces.

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NIGHT LEAD ARMED FORCES (580)

BY THOMAS A.REEDY

BERLIN, MAY 20-(AP)-AMERICANS CELEBRATING "ARMED FORCES DAY" IN EUROPE CENTERED THEIR BIGGEST SHOW OF HIGHLY POLISHED TEAMWORK IN BERLIN TODAY JUST A WEEK BEFORE THE PROPOSED COMMUNIST YOUTH MARCH ON THIS HOT SPOT OF THE COLD WAR.

GERMANS BY THE THOUSANDS WATCHED A TOKEN SHOW OF AMERICAN MILITARY STRENGTH IN PARADES THROUGHOUT AMERICAN OCCUPATION ZONES IN WESTERN GERMANY AND BERLIN. IT WAS THE FIRST TIME THE ARMY, NAVY AND AIR FORCE HAD A JOINT HOLIDAY TO DEMONSTRATE THEIR NEWLY MERGED UNITY.

TOP AMERICAN BRASS AND CIVILIAN OFFICIALS WATCHED A PARADE OF 2,000 INFANTRY, CONSTABULARY AND MILITARY POLICE TROOPS IN BERLIN. THE REVIEWERS INCLUDED U.S. COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF GEN.THOMAS T.HANDY AND U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J.MCCLOY.

U.S. AUTHORITIES HAVE NOT ADMITTED THAT THE SHOW WAS INTENDED TO CHILL THE ARDOR OF THE 500,000 COMMUNIST YOUTH IN THEIR DEMONSTRATION NEXT WEEK END. BUT MCCLOY PRAISED THE UNITED FOR THEIR TEAMWORK AND DECLARED:

"THE PRESENCE OF OUR ARMED FORCES IN GERMANY AND THE POTENTIAL STRENGTH OF OUR ARMED MIGHT GIVES PAUSE TO ANY NATION WHICH WOULD SEEK TO FORCE ITS OPPRESSION ON UNWILLING PEOPLE."

IN A SPECIAL MESSAGE TO ALL AMERICAN UNITS IN GERMANY, GENERAL HANDY SAID THEIR JOB IS TO "GUARANTEE PEACE AND FREEDOM IN GERMANY."

THESE REMARKS HAD SPECIAL SIGNIFICANCE IN BERLIN, WHOSE CITIZENS ARE CONSTANTLY REMINDED OF SOVIET-SPONSORED COMMUNIST PRESSURE ON ALL SIDES.

THE TROOPS WHO MARCHED THERE TODAY HAVE BEEN TRAINED TO BACK UP WEST BERLIN POLICE DURING THE "WHITSUNTIDE" MARCH NEXT WEEKEND. THE COMMUNIST-CONTROLLED EAST GERMAN PRESS HAS BOASTED THAT THE MARCH MIGHT TURN INTO A "PUTSCH" TO TAKE OVER THE SECTORS OF THE CITY NOW HELD BY THE WESTERN ALLIES.

THE THREE WESTERN COMMANDANTS TODAY DEMANDED SOVIET ASSURANCE THAT FREE COMMUNICATIONS BETWEEN BERLIN AND WESTERN GERMANY WILL NOT BE INTERRUPTED OVER NEXT WEEKEND.

THE REQUEST WAS MADE AFTER EAST GERMAN POLICE HAD ANNOUNCED THEY WOULD BLOCK INTER-ZONAL TRAFFIC ON THE AUTOBAHN AND RE-ROUTE IT BY SECONDARY ROADS NEXT WEEKEND IN ORDER TO FACILITATE THE "SHIPPING OF SEVERAL HUNDRED THOUSAND YOUNG PEACEFIGHTERS TO BERLIN."

IN FRANKFURT AND HEIDELBERG WHERE AMERICAN FORCES ARE MORE HEAVILY CONCENTRATED, ARMED FORCES DAY PARADES WERE BIGGER AND LONGER THAN IN BERLIN.

GERMANS AS WELL AS ALLIES WERE ADMITTED TO BERLIN'S TEMPELHOF AIRDROME TO WITNESS A DEMONSTRATION BY THE AIR FORCE OF LOADING AND UNLOADING OPERATIONS ON C54'S, THE BIG FOUR-ENGINED PLANES THAT BROKE THE RUSSIAN BLOCKADE OF BERLIN.

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GERMAN SAILORS WERE TAKEN ABOARD A U.S. DESTROYER IN THE NORTH SEA PORT OF BREMERHAVEN.

JET FIGHTERS STREAKED IN FORMATION OVER MUNICH, ERDING, NEURNBERG AND AS FAR AS LINZ, AUSTRIA. "FLYING BOXCARS" SIMULATED THE TRANSPORTATION OF TROOPS BY AIR IN FLIGHTS OVER FRANKFURT, HEIDELBERG, STUTTGART, WIESBADEN AND AUGSBURG.

THE DAY WAS CELEBRATED EVEN IN THE HEART OF THE RUSSIAN CAMP--IN MOSCOW. THERE MILITARY, AIR AND NAVAL ATTACHES OF THE U.S. EMBASSY PLAYED HOST TO RUSSIAN ARMED FORCES REPRESENTATIVES AND MOST DIPLOMATS IN ONE OF THE BIGGEST RECEPTIONS IN THE HISTORY OF THE DIPLOMATIC COLONY.

THE PARTY WAS AT SPASSO HOUSE, RESIDENCE OF U.S. AMBASSADOR ALLAN G.KIRK.

IN DUESSELDORF A FORMER GERMAN ARMY COLONEL WHO JUST RETURNED FROM A RUSSIAN PRISONER-OF-WAR CAMP SAID THE RUSSIAN PEOPLE ARE BEING CONDITIONED FOR WAR WITH THE UNITED STATES AND HAVE BEGUN STORING HUGE QUANTITIES OF FOOD AND SUPPLIES.

HE WAS GEORGE FELDMANN, WHO SAID THAT DURING HIS SIX YEARS IN RUSSIAN PRISON CAMPS HE HAD SEEN AN INCREASE IN THE TEMPO OF ANTI-WEST FEELING, PARTICULARLY ANTI-U.S. FEELING.

"THE RUSSIAN PEOPLE THINK THAT WAR WITH AMERICA WILL COME SOON," HE SAID. "THEY ARE CONSTANTLY TOLD THAT THE UNITED STATES WANTS TO FIGHT RUSSIA IN ORDER TO ROB HER. BUT FROM WHAT I SAW I DO NOT BELIEVE THE RUSSIANS ARE PREPARED TO WAGE A WAR YET."

HE SAID THE RUSSIAN PEOPLE ARE EVEN LED TO BELIEVE THAT AMERICA IS THE CAUSE OF ALL THEIR HOME TROUBLES.

"IF THERE IS NOT ENOUGH TO EAT THE PEASANTS ARE TOLD: 'THAT IS AMERICA'S FAULT,'" HE SAID.

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A114 (200)
ARMED FORCES DAY
BERLIN, MAY 20-(AP)-SOME 70,000 UNIFORMED MEN AND WOMEN IN THE U.S. ARMY, NAVY, AIR FORCE AND WAC IN EUROPE POLISHED THEIR BUTTONS TODAY AND CELEBRATED ARMED FORCES DAY.

FROM BERLIN TO HEIDELBERG, GERMANY, SOLDIERS, SAILORS AND AIRMEN ASSEMBLED FOR PARADES AND DEMONSTRATIONS.

MOSCOW DISPATCHES SAID THE DAY WAS OBSERVED IN THE RUSSIAN CAPITAL BY A BIG RECEPTION AT SPASSO HOUSE, RESIDENCE OF THE U.S. AMBASSADOR, WITH MILITARY, NAVY AND AIR ATTACHES PLAYING HOST.

IN BERLIN, THE GATES OF THE TEMPELHOF AIRDROME WERE THROWN OPEN FOR A PUBLIC DEMONSTRATION OF LOADING AND UNLOADING FOUR-ENGINED C-54S, THE AIRLIFT WORKHORSES THAT BROKE THE RUSSIAN BLOCKADE.

IN BREMERHAVEN, ON THE NORTH SEA, GERMAN SAILORS WERE PERMITTED TO STEP ABOARD A U.S. DESTROYER.

THE AIR FORCE SENT UP FLIGHTS OF JET FIGHTER PLANES OVER MUNICH, ERDING, NUERNBERG AND AS FAR SOUTH AS LINZ, AUSTRIA. THE AIR ARM ALSO CRANKED UP 18 "FLYING BOXCARS" FOR FLIGHTS OVER FIVE GERMAN CITIES, DEMONSTRATING TROOP MOVEMENT BY AIR.

TOP AMERICANS IN EUROPE CHOSE BERLIN FOR THEIR OFFICIAL PARTICIPATION IN THE HOLIDAY. THEY INCLUDED GEN. THOMAS T.HANDY, COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, AND U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J.MCCLOY.

IN A MESSAGE TO ALL UNITS, GENERAL HANDY DECLARED THEIR JOB IS TO "GUARANTEE PEACE AND FREEDOM IN GERMANY." HE ADDED: "THE THREE SERVICES STAND TOGETHER HERE AS A BULWARK AGAINST AGGRESSION."

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BERLIN, MAY 20-(AP)-RUSSIA ABANDONED HER WAR-WON TITLE TO 23 EAST GERMAN INDUSTRIAL PLANTS YESTERRDAY. PRODUCTION OF THE PLANTS HAD BEEN GOING EXCLUSIVELY TO THE SOVIETS AS REPARATIONS.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE PLANT TRANSFER BY THE EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT DID NOT MAKE CLEAR WHETHER THEY WOULD CONTINUE PRODUCING REPARATIONS FOR RUSSIA. VALUED AT ABOUT $10,000,000, THEY HAD BEEN DECLARED SOVIET STOCK COMPANIES AFTER THE WAR.

AMONG THE PLANTS WERE THE FILM STUDIOS OF THE FORMER NAZI UFA AND TOBIS COMBINES, THE FAMOUS PROCELAIN FACTORY AT MEISSEN AND BRANCH PLANTS OF THE SIEMENS-SCHIUCKERT CARTEL.

TRANSFER OF THE PLANTS FOLLOWED THE MOSCOW ANNOUNCEMENT MONDAY NIGHT THAT RUSSIA WAS HALVING HER REPARATIONS CLAIMS ON GERMANY. THE SOVIETS SAID THE GERMANS HAD PAID RUSSIA $3,658,000,000 (B) AND NOW OWED HER $3,171,000,000 (B). THIS WAS BASED ON A RUSSIAN DEMAND FOR $10,000,000,000 (B) IN TOTAL REPARATIONS, A FIGURE TO WHICH THE WESTERN ALLIES NEVER AGREED.

COMMENTING ON THIS ANNOUNCEMENT, U.S. AUTHORITIES IN GERMANY SAID THE RUSSIANS HAVE TAKEN $18,000,000,000 (B) WORTH OF GOODS OUT OF EAST GERMANY SINCE 1945.

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B63 (Q)
(130)

BERLIN, MAY 20-(AP)-SOVIET ZONE AUTHORITIES HAVE ORDERED THE CONFISCATION OF FOUR BARGE LOADS OF SCRAP METAL EN ROUTE FROM BERLIN TO WEST GERMANY, BRITISH TRANSPORT OFFICIALS REPORTED TODAY.

THE CONFISCATIONS OCCURRED AT WITTENBERGE ON THE ELBE, CHECK POINT ON THE SOVIET-BRITISH ZONAL BORDER, WHERE COMMUNIST SLOWDOWN TACTICS HAVE PILED UP A BACKLOG OF SIXTY-THREE WESTBOUND BARGES. ONLY TWO BARGES WERE PERMITTED TO PROCEED YESTERDAY.

THE BRITISH SAID THE COMMUNIST INSPECTOR CLAIMED THE CONFISCATED CARGOES CONTAINED IRON RODS WHICH COULD NOT BE CLASSIFIED AS SCRAP. THEY REJECTED BRITISH PROTESTS.

FOR THE PAST TWO WEEKS THE EAST ZONE INSPECTORS HAVE CONDUCTED MINUTE SEARCHES OF ALL BARGE CARGOES, CLAIMING THESE WERE NECESSARY TO PREVENT "SMUGGLING OF CONTRABAND."

MOST OF THE SCRAP METAL LOADED IN WEST BERLIN IS CONSIGNED TO BRITAIN. IT IS SENT BY CANAL TO HAMBURG AND TRANSHIPPED THERE.

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A208

BERLIN, MAY 20-(AP)-THE COMMUNIST FREE GERMAN YOUTH ANNOUNCED TONIGHT THAT FREDERIC JOLIOT-CURIE, FRANCE'S FORMER ATOMIC RESEARCH CHIEF, HAD ACCEPTED AN INVITATION TO BE HONORARY PRESIDENT OF THEIR WHITSUNTIDE RALLY IN BERLIN. A SPOKESMAN SAID JOLIOT-CURIE WAS "TOO BUSY WITH HIS WORK FOR PEACE," HOWEVER, TO ATTEND THE RALLY PERSONALLY.

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THIRD LEAD EXPLOSION (220)
BY GEORGE BOULTWOOD

GELSENKIRCHEN, GERMANY, SUNDAY, MAY 21-(AO)-AN EXPLOSION RIPPED THROUGH THE DAHLBUSCH COAL MINE NEAR HERE YESTERDAY, KILLING 55 MINERS AND INJURING 39 OTHERS.

THAT WAS THE OFFICIAL COUNT EARLY TODAY WHEN ALL MINERS WHO HAD BEEN WORKING IN THE 3,022-FOOT DEEP SEAM HAD BEEN ACCOUNTED FOR BY RESCUE SQUADS.

MORE THAN 300 MINERS WERE AT WORK WHEN THE BLAST, ATTRIBUTED TO A GAS ACCUMULATION KNOWN AS FIREDAMP, OCCURRED.

OFFICIALS SAID MANY MEN DIED INSTANTLY FROM TERRIBLE BURNS, WHILE OTHERS WERE SUFFOCATED. MANY OF THE INJURED WERE SEVERELY BURNED.

IT WAS WEST GERMANY'S WORST COAL MINE ACCIDENT SINCE THE GRIMBERG DISASTER OF 1946, IN WHICH 439 DIED.

MINE OFFICIALS SAID IT WAS FEARED THAT SOME OF THE 39 INJURED MIGHT DIE FROM THEIR BURNS. THEY ADDED THAT THE MINE SAFETY SQUAD HAD INSPECTED GALLERY NO. 7, IN WHICH THE BLAST OCCURRED, ONLY 15 MINUTES BEFORE THE EXPLOSION.

RESCUE SQUADS WORKED FOR 16 HOURS. OPERATIONS IN OTHER GALLERIES WERE HALTED WHILE THE SINGLE SHAFT INTO THE MINE WAS USED TO BRING OUT THE DEAD AND INJURED. FIFTY-FOUR BODIES WERE BROUGHT OUT, AND ONE MAN DIED AT THE HOSPITAL.

WEEPING MOTHERS, WIVES, AND CHILDREN OF MINERS THRONGED AROUND THE MINE LAST NIGHT AS A LINE OF STRETCHERS BEARING THE VICTIMS EMERGED FROM THE PITHEAD. MANY OF THE DISTRAUGHT RELATIVES YANKED BLANKETS FROM THE HORRIBLY BURNED DEAD IN ATTEMPTS TO LOCATE LOVED ONES.

MINE CREWS AND FIREFIGHTING UNITS FROM ESSEN AND OTHER RUHR CITIES RUSHED TO GELSENKIRCHEN TO HELP THE LOCAL MINERS WITH THE RESCUE OPERATIONS. THE MINE IS BETWEEN ESSEN AND GELSENKIRCHEN.

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A101
(280)
BY RICHARD K. O'MALLEY
DUESSELDORF, GERMANY, MAY 20-(AP)-A FORMER GERMAN ARMY COLONEL JUST BACK FROM THE SOVIET UNION SAID TODAY THE RUSSIANS ARE CONDITIONING THEIR PEOPLE FOR WAR WITH THE UNITED STATES.
NOT ONLY ARE THE RUSSIANS STORING FOOD AND SUPPLIES IN GREAT QUANTITIES, SAID COL. GEOGE FELDMANN, BUT THEY ARE CAREFULLY SCHOOLING THE PEOPLE TO HATE AND DISTRUST THE UNITED STATES.
COL.FELDMANN, WHO WAS CAPTURED IN ROMANIA IN 1944, SAID THAT IN THE NEARLY SIX YEARS HE SPENT IN RUSSIAN PRISON CAMPS, HE WATCHED THE ANTI-WEST TEMPO PICK UP IMPETUS.
THE UNITED STATES, HE SAID IN AN INTERVIEW, HAS BEEN THE SCAPEGOAT FOR ALL OF RUSSIA'S INTERNAL ILLS.
"IF THERE IS NOT ENOUGH TO EAT THE PEASANTS ARE TOLD: 'THAT IS AMERICA'S FAULT.' IF THE CROPS ARE NOT GOOD THAT, TOO, IS 'AMERICA'S FAULT.' DAY BY DAY THE RUSSIAN PEOPLE ARE SCHOOLED TO THINK ONLY IN TERMS OF ENMITY AGAINST AMERICA. OF COURSE ALL THE WESTERN ALLIES ARE BLAMED FOR NEARLY EVERYTHING, BUT THE REAL EMPHASIS IS PLACED AGAINST AMERICA.
"THE RUSSIAN PEOPLE THINK THAT WAR WITH AMERICA WILL COME SOON. THEY ARE CONSTANTLY TOLD THAT THE UNITED STATES WANTS TO FIGHT RUSSIA IN ORDER TO ROB HER.
"I FEEL CERTAIN IN SAYING THAT IF WAR SHOULD OCCUR SOON BETWEEN AMERICAN AND THE SOVIET UNION THE RUSSIAN PEOPLE WOULD NOT BE SURPRISED.
"BUT FROM WHAT I SAW I DO NOT BELIEVE THE RUSSIANS ARE PREPARED TO WAGE A WAR YET."
COL.FELDMANN WAS HELD FOR SOME TIME IN A PRISON ALSO USED TO CONFINE RUSSIAN CRIMINALS AND IT WAS IN THIS PRISON, HE SAID, THAT HE LEARNED BEST THE RUSSIAN ATTITUDE TOWARD THE UNITED STATES.
"WE GERMANS ARE LIVING IN A VERY DANGEROUS PLACE," HE OBSERVED. "WE NEED GERMANS TO DEFEND GERMANS. I THINK A PACIFISTIC ATTITUDE AMOUNTS TO A GRAVE THREAT TO US ALL."
FELDMANN SAID HE WAS POSITIVE THAT AT LEAST 50,000 TO 80,000 GERMAN SOLDIERS ARE STILL IN RUSSIAN PRISON CAMPS. HE MERELY SMILED WHEN TOLD OF THE RECENT RUSSIAN REPORT THAT ALL WAR PRISONERS HAD BEEN RETURNED. OTHER ESTIMATES OF THE NUMBER OF GERMAN WAR PRISONERS STILL MISSING RANGE FROM 250,000 TO 1,500,000.
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VATICAN CITY, MAY 20-(AP)-A ROMAN CATHOLIC ACTION JOURNAL REPORTED TODAY THAT 1,000 PERSONS WERE SHOT RECENTLY IN RUSSIA AS SPIES, TRAITORS AND SABOTEURS.
COLLEGAMENTO, OFFICIAL ORGAN OF THE CIVIC COMMITTEES OF CATHOLIC ACTION, SAID IT HAD RECEIVED ITS INFORMATION FROM CREDIBLE DIPLOMATIC SOURCES.
IT SAID THE 1,000 WERE SENTENCED BY THE MILITARY TRIBUNALS OF MOSCOW, KIEV AND ODESSA BETWEEN JAN.12--WHEN THE DEATH PENALTY WAS RE-ESTABLISHED IN THE SOVIET UNION--AND MARCH 31.
THE JOURNAL ALSO REPORTED THAT THERE IS A GREAT "CLANDESTINE CHRISTIAN MOVEMENT" IN RUSSIA TO WHICH MILLIONS OF CATHOLICS AND DISSIDENT ORTHODOX RUSSIANS BELONG.
COLLEGAMENTO SAID IT OBTAINED THIS LATTER INFORMATION FROM A GERMAN JESUIT, FATHER SZEKALLA, WHO, IT SAID, RECENTLY JOURNEYED IN THE SOVIET TERRITORY DISGUISED AS A RAILROAD MECHANIC.
COLLEGAMENTO SAID MOST OF THE PERSONS SHOT WERE YOUTHS, AMONG THEM VETERANS WHO FOUGHT IN EASTERN EUROPE.
THE CIVIC COMMITTEES OF ITALIAN CATHOLIC ACTION ARE IN THE VANGUARD OF THE 4,000,000-MEMBER ORGANIZATION'S FIGHT AGAINST COMMUNISM. THEY WERE ORGANIZED BY LUIGI GEDDA, CATHOLIC ACTION VICE PRESIDENT, TO OPPOSE COMMUNISM IN THE 1948 ITALIAN ELECTIONS.
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B47 (Q)
(120)
VIENNA, AUSTRIA, MAY 20-(AP)-VIENNA'S ANTI-COMMUNIST PRESS GAVE BANNER PLAY THIS MORNING TO THE BIG THREE AGREEMENT ON AUSTRIA.
"THE FIRST RELIEF CAME FROM LONDON, NOW IT IS MOSCOW'S TURN," WAS THE COMMENT OF THE RIGHT WING NEUE WIENER TAGES-ZEITUNG ON THE DECISION TO EASE THE OCCUPATION BURDEN AND APPOINT CIVILIAN HIGH COMMISSIIONERS IN THE WESTERN ZONES.
THE COMMUNIST VOLKSTIMME, HOWEVER, SAW THE NEW WESTERN POLICY AS "A SEVERE ACT OF AGGRESSION AGAINST AUSTRIA AND A MISUSE OF THE OCCUPATION TO MAKE THIS COUNTRY A PART OF THE ATLANTIC WAR BLOC."
THE VOLKESTIMME SAID THE WESTERN TROOPS HAVE BEEN TAKEN OFF OCCUPATION DUTY AND PLACED ON GARRISON DUTY. "THEREFORE THEY NO LONGER HAVE ANY RIGHT TO REMAIN IN AUSTRIA. THEY WILL BE KEPT HERE, HOWEVER, AS PART OF THE ATLANTIC WAR ARMY."
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salzburg, austria, may 20--(ap)--an american soldier saved an elderly woman from injury and possible death yesterday by leaping from a speeding jeep into a careening carriage to control a runaway horse.

sgt. sylvestrio magliulo of (439 somerville ave.) somerville, mass., saw the runaway while being driven to work. he ordered his austri driver to pursue the carriage through salzburg's busy streets.

the driver finally managed to draw abreast after a hair-raising chase across several main intersections. the woman was huddled on

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the floor of the carriage in a state of near collapse. magliulo threw himself from the jeep into the carriage, seized the reins and forced the horse to a halt.

salzburg police praised sgt. magliulo as a "a very brave man."

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B46 (Q)
(130)
MOSCOW, MAY 20-(AP)-THE COMMUNIST PARTY NEWSPAPER PRAVDA SAID TODAY DECISIONS BY THE WESTERN FOREIGN MINISTERS IN LONDON THIS WEEK "LEAVE NO DOUBT AS TO THE AGGRESSIVE CHARACTER OF THE MILITARY PLANS' OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS.
THE PRAVDA DISPATCH FROM LONDON ACCUSED THE 12 PACT SIGNERS OF MAKING "HYPOCRITICAL STATEMENTS" CONCERNING THEIR LOYALTY TO THE UNITED NATIONS.
COMMUNIQUES ISSUED BY THE WESTERN MINISTERS, PRAVDA SAID, MADE "CLEAR THAT QUESTIONS OF A MILITARY AND STRATEGIC CHARACTER HELD THE CENTER OF ATTENTION. X X X PARTICIPANTS AT THE MEETING WERE CONCERNED ONLY WITH THE PROBLEM OF EFFECTIVE USE OF ARMED FORCES AND MATERIAL MEANS IN THE HANDS OF THE COUNTRIES OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC."
THE "AGGRESSIVE BLOC: IN EACH NORTH ATLANTIC COUNTRY, THE NEWSPAPER ADDED, "UNDERTAKES THE OBLIGATION OF MAKING A FULL CONTRIBUTION TO THE CAUSE OF MOBILIZING ALL RESOURCES FOR MILITARY PREPARATIONS."
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MOSCOW, MAY 20-(AP)-A RELIABLE FOREIGN SOURCE SAID TODAY THAT UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE DURING HIS RECENT VISIT TO MOSCOW INDICATED EGYPT SOON WOULD RECOGNIZE THE PEIPING (COMMUNIST) GOVERNMENT OF CHINA.
THE SOURCE POINTED OUT THAT WITH EGYPT A MEMBER OF THE U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL, SUCH EGYPTIAN RECOGNITION WOULD LEAVE MAO TZE-57,&'S REGIME NEED

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SECURITY COUNCIL, SUCH EGYPTIAN RECOGNITION WOULD LEAVE MAO TZE-TUNG'S REGIME NEEDING ONLY ONE MORE VOTE TO SECURE ADMISSION TO THE U.N.
LIE WAS REPORTED TO HAVE MADE HIS STATEMENT ON EGYPT'S FUTURE ACTION TO A NEAR EASTERN DIPLOMAT.
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EGYPTIAN GOVERNMENT SOURCES SAID IN CAIRO YESTERDAY THAT EGYPT IS CONSIDERING RECOGNITION OF THE COMMUNIST CHINESE GOVERNMENT AND INTENDS TO USE THE RECOGNITION QUESTION AS A BARGAINING ISSUE IN NEGOTIATING HER DIFFERENCES WITH THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN.
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NIGHT LEAD CHINESE (210)
BY SPENCER MOOSA
TAIPEI, FORMOSA, MAY 20-(AP)-THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS ANNOUNCED TONIGHT ABANDONMENT OF TWO SMALL GROUPS OF ISLANDS OFF THE MOUTH OF THE YANGTZE RIVER, FURTHER WEAKENING THE BLOCKADE OF COMMUNIST SHANGHAI.
THE SADDLE AND PARKER ISLANDS WERE EVACUATED FRIDAY NIGHT. THEY LIE NORTH OF THE LARGER CHUSHAN ISLANDS WHICH THE NATIONALISTS QUIT EARLIER IN THE WEEK AND WHICH THE REDS SINCE HAVE OCCUPIED.
THE NATIONALISTS AGAIN DENIED RUMORS THEY HAD WITHDRAWN FROM QUEMOY ISLAND, NEAR THE RED PORT OF AMOY. IT IS TAKEN FOR GRANTED, HOWEVER, THAT QUEMOY WILL BE GIVEN UP IF THE REDS THREATEN IT.
ON ANOTHER SMALL CLUSTER OF ISLANDS, THE WANSHANS (LADRONES) SOUTHWEST OF HONG KONG AND ON THE APPROACHES TO RED CANTON, THE NATIONALIST NAVY SAID IT WIPED OUT MORE THAN 200 COMMUNIST TROOPS WHO LANDED FRIDAY.
(THE STATUS OF THE WANSHANS WAS IN SOME QUESTION, HOWEVER. TWO INDEPENDENT HONG KONG PAPERS SAID THE REDS HAD SEIZED ALL 30 OF THEM, BUT PASSENGERS ON A HONG KONG-MACAO SHIP SAID THEY SAW FIGHTING IN PROGRESS ON AT LEAST TWO OF THE ISLANDS LATE FRIDAY NIGHT. THE SHIP, THE KWANGTUNG, WAS FORCED TO RETURN TO HONG KONG TO AVOID THE CROSSFIRE.)
FORMOSA, LAST MAIN STRONGHOLD OF THE NATIONALISTS, CONTINUED TO GIRD FOR AN EXPECTED RED INVASION.
SOME QUARTERS PREDICTED IT WOULD COME BY THE END OF JUNE. FOREIGNERS ON FORMOSA WERE OF TWO MINDS. SOME DOUBTED THE REDS COULD MOUNT AN INVASION THIS YEAR; OTHERS BELIEVED ANYTHING COULD HAPPEN.
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FIRST LEAD CHINESE
BY SPENCER MOOSA
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THE ISLANDS ARE NORTH OF THE CHUSHAN GROUP WHICH THE NATIONALISTS ABANDONED EARLIER IN THE WEEK.
THE WITHDRAWAL, ACCOMPLISHED FRIDAY NIGHT, WILL FURTHER CRIPPLE THE NATIONALIST BLOCKADE OF COMMUNIST SHANGHAI.
EARLIER NAVAL HEADQUARTERS REPORTED WIPING OUT MORE THAN 200 COMMUNIST TROOPS WHO LANDED FRIDAY ON CHINGCHOW ISLAND, IN THE WANSHAN (LADRONE) GROUP SOUTHWEST OF HONG KONG.

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(IN HONG KONG, THE INDEPENDENT NEWSPAPER WAH KIU YAT PO SAID THE CHINESE REDS HAD SEIZED ALL THE WANSHANS AFTER THE NATIONALISTS EVACUATED THE TWO MAIN ISLANDS, LAPSAPMEI AND TUNGAO, FRIDAY MORNING.)

THE NATIONALISTS SAID THEIR TROOPS, LEARNING OF THE COMMUNIST LANDING AT NOON YESTERDAY, IMMEDIATELY LAUNCHED A COUNTER-LANDING. THEY ENCIRCLED THE REDS IN THE HILLS AND IN A FOUR-HOUR BATTLE KILLED ALL BUT 22 WHO WERE CAPTURED, HEADQUARTERS SAID.

ON FORMOSA, NATIONALIST GENERALS BOLSTERED KEY DEFENSE AREAS WITH TROOPS WITHDRAWN FROM CHUSHAN. SOME EXPECT THE REDS TO INVADE FORMOSA BEFORE JULY.

CENTRAL KUOMINTANG (NATIONALIST PARTY) HEADQUARTERS BACKED UP CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S PLEDGE TO WIN OR DIE ON FORMOSA. IT SAID IN A STATEMENT:

"FORMOSA WILL BE A TOMB EITHER FOR THE REDS OR FOR US."

FOREIGNERS ARE ADOPTING A WAIT-AND-SEE ATTITUDE. FEW ARE RUSHING TO GET OUT. BUT A REAL SIGN THAT THE RED INVASION IS NEAR LIKELY WOULD CHANGE THEIR MINDS.

MEANWHILE, MARSHALL PLAN AID CONTINUED TO ROLL IN.

THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION SAID 3,500 TONS OF PHOSPHATE ROCK FOR RICE FIELD FERTILIZER HAD ARRIVED. A SHIPMENT OF 3,500 TONS OF AUSTRALIAN WHEAT IS DUE MAY 30.

THE CHUSHAN WITHDRAWAL WEAKENED FORMOSA'S CURRENCY. THE BLACK MARKET RATE OF EXCHANGE, FORMOSAN TO U.S. DOLLARS, IS 11 TO 1. IT WAS 8 TO 1. AUTHORITIES ARE WORRIED. CHINESE NEWSPAPERS STRESS THAT THE GOVERNMENT SHOULD NOT PRINT MONEY UNLESS IT IS BACKED BY GOLD.

OTHERWISE, THEY WARN, THE OLD MAINLAND CHAOS WILL RETURN--AND DISASTER.

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CHINESE (130)

HONG KONG, SUNDAY, MAY 21-(AP)-AN UNCONFIRMED CHINESE PRESS REPORT TODAY SAID THE NATIONALISTS ON FORMOSA NOW HAVE JET PLANES AND THAT WEALTHY CHINESE ABROAD WERE PUTTING UP THE MONEY FOR THE AIR FORCE.

THE REPORT WAS PUBLISHED IN THE INDEPENDENT NEWSPAPER KUNG SHEUNG YAT PO. IT SAID THE REPORT COULD NOT BE CONFIRMED OFFICIALLY BUT IT WAS UNDERSTOOD THE JETS WOULD BE PUT INTO USE SOON.

THE NEWSPAPER SAID WEALTHY T.V.SOONG, FORMER PREMIER, AND BANKER H.H.KUNG HAD DONATED 100 AIRCRAFT. IT ADDED THAT BOTH MEN, NOW IN THE UNITED STATES, PLANNED TO VISIT FORMOSA SOON.

THE RUSSIANS ARE SAID TO HAVE GIVEN THE CHINESE COMMUNIST AIR FORCE A FEW JET PLANES WHICH PRESUMABLY WILL BE USED FOR THE EXPECTED BATTLE FOR FORMOSA.

REPORTS HAVE CIRCULATED IN FORMOSA FOR SOME TIME THAT WEALTHY CHINESE ABROAD LATELY HAVE BEEN UTNG UPNEY F

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HONG KONG, MAY 20-(AP)-RETIRED U.S.MAJ.GEN.CLAIRE L.CHENNAULT'S CIVIL AIR TRANSPORT, INC., TODAY ASKED THE SUPREME COURT TO GIVE IT TITLE AND POSSESSION OF 71 IMPOUNDED AIRCRAFT.

THE SUIT NAMED AS DEFENDANTS TWO FORMER CHINESE NATIONALIST LINES, CHINESE NATIONAL AVIATION CORP.. AND CENTRAL AIR TRANSPORT CORP.

CHENNAULT INSISTS HIS LINE BOUGHT THE PLANES.

THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS YESTERDAY ASKED BRITAIN TO RELEASE THE PLANES TO THEM.

KING GEORGE VI SIGNED AN ORDER LAST SATURDAY ORDERING THE PLANES GROUNDED UNTIL THE COURT DECIDES OWNERSHIP.

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SAN FRANCISCO, MAY 20-(AP)-THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS INTIMATED STRONGLY TODAY THAT THEIR PRICE FOR RECOGNIZING BRITAIN WOULD INCLUDE BRITISH SUPPORT FOR GIVING THEM A UNITED NATIONS SEAT AND VARIOUS CONCESSIONS IN HONG KONG AND MALAYA.

THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT EXTENDED DIPLOMATIC RECOGNITION TO THE PEIPING REGIME LAST JAN. 6, BUT THE REDS HAVE DISDAINED THE OFFER.

IN A PEIPING BROADCAST HEARD TODAY BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS IN SAN FRANCISCO, THEY OUTLINED IN BACKHANDED FASHION WHAT THEY WANT.

THE BROADCAST QUOTED AN EDITORIAL IN THE WEEKLY MAGAZINE "WORLD CULTURE,"ENTITLED "BRITAIN'S TWO-FACED POLICY."

IT ALLEGED THAT WHILE BRITAIN WAS SEEKING DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS, SHE HAD "SUBMISSIVELY FOLLOWED THE LEAD OF AMERICAN IMPERIALISM" IN EITHER VOTING AGAINST OR ABSTAINING ON SOVIET PROPOSALS TO GIVE THE COMMUNISTS THE CHINESE NATIONALIST PLACE IN THE UNITED NATIONS.

IT ALSO CHARGED THAT BRITAIN'S "DOUBLE DEALING IS ALSO EVIDENT IN REPRESSION OF CHINESE PEOPLE AND INFRINGEMENT ON RIGHTS AND INTERESTS OF CHINA IN MALAYA AND HONG KONG."

IT ENUMERATED BANNING OF VARIOUS CHINESE RED BOOKS AND A NEWSPAPER IN SINGAPORE, REFUSAL TO LET THE REDS OPEN A CONSULATE IN PERAK, RESTRICTIONS ON FREE ENTRY OF CHINESE INTO HONG KONG.

THE BROADCAST CONCLUDED WITH A REMINDER OF THE CHINESE REDS' STATEMENT OF LAST YEAR THAT THEY WOULD BE WILLING TO ESTABLISH RELATIONS WITH ANY COUNTRY ONLY ON TERMS OF "EQUALITY, MUTUAL BENEFIT AND MUTUAL RESPECT FOR TERRITORIAL SOVEREIGNTY...GENUINE, NOT HOPOCRITICAL, FRIENDSHIP TOWARDS THE PEOPLES' CHINA" AND PROTECTION OF THE "RIGHTS AND INTERESTS OF CHINESE RESIDING ABROAD."

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SINGAPORE, MAY 20-(AP)-A BROKEN-HEARTED LITTLE DUTCH GIRL, BERTHA HERTOGH, WENT ON A HUNGER STRIKE IN THE SOCIAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT GIRLS' HOME TODAY BECAUSE SHE SAID SHE DID NOT WANT TO GO TO HOLLAND.

THE 13-YEAR OLD GIRL WAS FOUND LAST WEEK LIVING IN A MALAY VILLAGE WHERE HER AMAH (NATIVE NURSE) WAS CARING FOR HER.

A SINGAPORE COURT YESTERDAY AWARDED CUSTODY OF THE GIRL TO HER DUTCH PARENTS LIVING IN HOLLAND. SHE HAD BECOME SEPARATED FROM THEM WHEN THE JAPANESE INVADED JAVA EIGHT YEARS AGO. HER NATIVE NURSE, AMINAH, VISITED BERTHA FOR THE LAST TIME TODAY. SHE SAID THE CHILD WAS GIVEN TO HER BY HER DUTCH MOTHER.

BERTHA IS SCHEDULED TO SAIL FOR HOLLAND AND THE PARENTS SHE DOES NOT REMEMBER TUESDAY ON THE LINER SURREINTO.

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TOKYO, MAY 20-(AP)-A JOINT BRITISH-AMERICAN COTTON DELEGATION LEFT BY PLANE TODAY FOR THE UNITED STATES AFTER CONCLUDING A SURVEY OF JAPAN'S COTTON TEXTILE INDUSTRY.

BOTH THE BRITISH AND AMERICANS HAVE SHOWN CONCERN OVER THE FLOW OF CHEAP JAPANESE TEXTILES INTO WORLD MARKETS, BUT IF THE DELEGATION HAD ANYTHING SPECIFIC TO RECOMMEND IT WAS KEEPING IT A SECRET.

THE U.S.MISSION, HEADED BY VICE PRESIDENT ROBERT C.JACKSON OF THE AMERICAN COTTON MANUFACTURERS INSTITUTE, WILL REPORT ITS FINDINGS TO THE TEXTILE INDUSTRY'S COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN TRADE.

THE BRITISH GROUP, HEADED BY SIR RAYMOND STREAT, WILL REPORT TO THE BRITISH TEXTILE INDUSTRY CONFERENCE ON OVERSEAS TRADE POLICY.

IN A JOINT STATEMENT, JACKSON AND SIR RAYMOND SAID THEY HAD DERIVED "CONSIDERABLE SATISFACTION" FROM MEETINGS WITH JAPANESE COTTON MANUFACTURERS AND OCCUPATION AND BRITISH OFFICIALS.

THEY SAID "NO SPECIFIC PROPOSALS OR PLANS WERE BROUGHT FORWARD OR DISCUSSED AT ANY TIME." THEY DESCRIBED THEIR WORK AS "SURVEYING THE PRESENT POSITION OF THE JAPANESE COTTON INDUSTRY AND THE WHOLE RANGE OF PROBLEMS ASSOCIATED WITH INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN COTTON TEXTILES."

BRITISH, AMERICAN AND JAPANESE "ACCEPTED THE VIEW THAT SIMILAR CONFERENCES WITH REPRESENTATIVES OF THE COTTON INDUSTRIES OF OTHER COUNTRIES MIGHT BE EQUALLY DESIRABLE AND CONSTRUCTIVE," THEY ADDED.

IN MEETINGS AT OSAKA, MAJOR JAPANESE TEXTILE CENTER, THE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE THREE LARGEST TEXTILE MAKERS OF THE WORLD DISCUSSED WORLD SUPPLY AND DEMAND, EXPANSION OF SYNTHETIC MANUFACTURE, CURRENCY CONTROLS, IMPORT RESTRICTIONS AND THE PRICE OF COOTTON TEXTILES EXPORTED BY JAPAN.

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IT WAS REPORTED, HOWEVER, THE MEETINGS DID NOT RESULT IN ANY DIVISION OF WORLD MARKETS OR PRICE ARRANGEMENTS. THERE SEEMED TO BE AGREEMENT, HOWEVER, THAT JAPANESE TEXTILE PRICES SHOULD BE INCREASED. THIS WOULD MAKE THEM LESS COMPETITIVE WITH U.S. AND BRITISH CLOTH.

THE VISITORS MADE NO RECOMMENDATION ON THE JAPANESE REQUEST TO INCREASE THE NUMBER OF SPINDLES. THEY SAID THE PROBLEM DEPENDS UPON DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION, FOREIGN DEMAND AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE AVAILABLE TO JAPAN TO PURCHASE RAW COTTON.

"GOVERNMENT AUTHORITIES HERE SHOULD HAVE ALL THE KNOWLEDGE NECESSARY TO ASSESS THESE FACTORS AND WE MUST LEAVE THIS TASK TO THEM," THE STATEMENT SAID.

THE SUGGESTION WAS MADE THAT JAPAN SHOULD INCREASE ITS "HOME RATION" OF COTTON. THIS WOULD LOWER THE AMOUNT COMPETING ABROAD.

BUT IT IS KNOWN THE OCCUPATION DIRECTORS WANT THE JAPANESE TO EXPORT AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE. A HIGH TRADE INCOME REDUCES THE AMOUNT OF MONEY THE UNITED STATES MUST POUR INTO JAPAN.

DESPITE AN INCREASE IN COTTON CONSUMPTION, INTERNATIONAL TRADE IS DECREASING, THE CONFERENCE NOTED. THE GROWTH OF DOMESTIC INDUSTRIES IN MANY COUNTRIES, SYNTHETIC FIBER PRODUCTION, IMPORT RESTRICTIONS AND CURRENCY BARRIERS ALL HAVE TAKEN THEIR TOLL.

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TOKYO, SUNDAY, MAY 21-(AP)-FUNERAL SERVICES WILL BE HELD TUESDAY FOR PAUL CLEVELAND, A MEMBER OF GENERAL MACARTHUR'S OCCUPATION STAFF, WHO DIED FRIDAY NIGHT OF A STOMACH HEMORRHAGE.

CLEVELAND, OF CINCINNATI, OHIO, WAS CONTROLLER OF MACARTHUR'S ECONOMIC AND SCIENTIFIC SECTION. HE FIRST CAME TO TOKYO IN AUGUST OF 1947 AS ARMY DEPARTMENT REPRESENTATIVE FOR THE PURCHASE OF COTTON FOR JAPAN.

THE FUNERAL WILL BE HELD AT THE CHAPEL OF THE ARMY'S GENERAL HOSPITAL IN TOKYO. THE WIDOW AND TWO SONS, PAUL AND JAMES, SURVIVE.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 A.M., EST TODAY, SATURDAY, MAY 20)
(ADVANCE)--TOKYO, MAY 20-(AP)-VICE ADM. CHARLES T. JOY SAID TONIGHT AMERICANS PREFER TO LIVE IN PEACE, "BUT IF WE ARE DENIED THAT CHOICE, WE ARE TEAMED FOR DEFENSE AND WE ARE TEAMED FOR VICTORY."

IN AN ARMED FORCES DAY TALK PREPARED FOR A RESERVE OFFICERS' CONVENTION, THE COMMANDER OF U.S. NAVAL FORCES IN THE FAR EAST SAID, "IN THE EVENT OF A FUTURE WAR, WE ARE DETERMINED TO HAVE THE BEST TEAM IN THE FIELD."

THE ARMED FORCES UNIFICATION ACT, HE SAID, "PROVIDES FOR THE UNIFICATION OF EVERY AMERICAN WHO WANTS TO SURVIVE."

THE ADMIRAL ADDED THAT "IT IS IMPERATIVE WE GET THE MAXIMUM RESULT IN NATIONAL SECURITY FOR EVERY DOLLAR SPENT," AS "WE DO NOT WANT TO BUILD AN EFFECTIVE MILITARY MACHINE ONLY TO FIND WE HAVE WRECKED THE NATIONAL ECONOMY IN THE PROCESS. THERE IS MORE THAN ONE WAY OF LOSING A WAR."

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MANILA, MAY 20-(AP)-VICE ADM.ARTHUR K.STRUBLE TOOK OVER TODAY AS COMMANDER OF THE U.S. SEVENTH FLEET. HE SAID ITS MISSION "IS TO BE READY FOR ANY EMERGENCY IN ONE OF THE MOST CRITICAL AREAS IN THIS TROUBLED WORLD."

STRUBLE RELIEVED REAR ADM. FREDERICK R. BOONE IN CEREMONIES ABOARD THE FLAG CRUISER TOLEDO IN MANILA BAY. BOONE, COMMANDER OF CARRIER DIVISION FIVE, HAD COMMANDED THE FLEET TEMPORARILY AFTER THE APRIL 5 DEPARTURE OF VICE ADM. RUSSELL S. BERKEY.

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HONOLULU, MAY 20-(AP)-A FORMER U.S. PILOT WHO SPENT EIGHT MONTHS IN SOLITARY CONFINEMENT IN JAPAN HAS WON A LEGAL FIGHT TO HAVE A SHRINE RETURNED TO ITS JAPANESE CONGREGATION.

FEDERAL JUDGE J.FRANK MCLAUGHLIN YESTERDAY ORDERED THE SHRINE RETURNED TO KOTOHIRA JINSHA, ITS OWNER UNTIL IT WAS SEIZED BY THE GOVERNMENT SOON AFTER THE ATTACK ON PEARL HARBOR.

FRANK PADGETT, 26-YEAR-OLD ATTORNEY, REPRESENTED THE JAPANESE. HE WAS CAPTRED BY THE JAPANESE AFTER HIS PLANE WAS SHOT DOWN OVER INDO-CHINA.

THE GOVERNMENT RESISTED THE RETURN OF THE SHRINE, VALUED AT $100,000. GOVERNMENT ATTORNEYS ARGUED THE SHRINE WAS DEDICATED TO THE JAPANESE STATE RELIGION OF SHINTO AND THE RELIGION WAS SUBVERSIVE.

JUDGE MCLAUGHLIN IN HIS RULING SAID CITIZENS MAY NOT BE DEPRIVED OF PROPERTY IN THE UNITED STATES SIMPLY BECAUSE THEIR RELIGION AND PHILOSOPHICAL BELIEFS DO NOT HAVE GOVERNMENT APPROVAL.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6:15 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME TONIGHT MAY 20)
(ADVANCE)..PETERBOROUGH, ONT., MAY 20-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER LOUIS ST.LAURENT SAID IN A SPEECH PREPARED FOR DELIVERY TONIGHT THAT HE IS OPTIMISTIC ABOUT THE PROSPECTS FOR WORLD PEACE.

AT A CIVIC DINNER MARKING PETERBOROUGH'S CENTENARY CELEBRATIONS HE SAID THAT "BARRING WAR--AND ABOUT WAR I AM AN OPTIMIST"--CANADIANS CAN LOOK FORWARD TO DEVELOPING A NATION GREATER THAN ANYTHING DREAMED OF BY THEIR FOREFATHERS.

THE FRENCH- AND ENGLISH-SPEAKING PARTNERSHIP THAT WENT INTO THE MAKING OF CANADA IS FIRMER THAN EVER BEFORE, HE SAID. TODAY CANADA IS "THE HAPPIEST LAND IN ALL THE WORLD."

"WE CANADIANS ARE A STURDY PEOPLE OF VERY MIXED ORIGINS WHO HAVE LEARNED, DESPITE DIFFERENCES IN CULTURE AND IN LANGUAGE, TO LIVE PEACEFULLY AND HAPPILY TOGETHER," ST.LAURENT SAID.

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(ADVANCE FOR AMS OF SUNDAY, MAY 21)
(1,000) BI-PARTISAN
BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER
(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, MAY 20-(AP)-SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON IS COMING HOME FROM LONDON NEXT WEEK WITH THE KEY TO THE FUTURE OF BI-PARTISAN FOREIGN POLICY TUCKED AWAY IN HIS TAN LEATHER BRIEF CASE.

WHAT HE DOES WITH IT WILL CRITICALLY INFLUENCE THE SUCCESS OF THE STILL WOBBLY PROJECT TO RESTORE FOREIGN POLICY COOPERATION BETWEEN REPUBLICANS AND DEMOCRATS.

BEFORE HE LEFT WASHINGTON ACHESON GAVE SEVERAL REPUBLICAN SENATORS THE CLEAR IMPRESSION HE WOULD REPORT FULLY TO THEM WHEN HE GOT HOME. THEY LOOK FORWARD TO THIS REPORT AS AN EVIDENCE OF THE EXTENT TO WHICH ACHESON IS WILLING TO GO TO IN INFORMING AND CONSULTING THEM.

HOW HE HANDLES THE MATTER THEREFORE WILL HAVE A FAR-REACHING EFFECT ON THE FUTURE OF WHAT IS LOOSELY CALLED BI-PARTISAN FOREIGN POLICY.

IT IS A LOOSE AND INACCURATE TERM, IN THE OPINION OF DEMOCRATIC AND REPUBLICAN LEADERS ALIKE, BECAUSE IT COVERS TOO MUCH GROUND. PRESIDENT TRUMAN SAID THE OTHER DAY THAT BI-PARTISANSHIP IS MISUNDERSTOOD. IT SUGGESTS SOMETHING WHICH DOES NOT EXIST IN FACT--A SWEEPING, DOWN-THE-LINE AGREEMENT TO END TWO-PARTY CONTROVERSY OVER FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

ONE OF THE PROBLEMS BEFORE ACHESON AND REPUBLICAN LEADERS IN THE WEEKS AHEAD IS TO DEFINE HOW FAR BI-PARTISANSHIP, OR AS SOME PREFER, NON-PARTISANSHIP, SHOULD GO.

WHEN JOHN FOSTER DULLES, BECAME A REPUBLICAN ADVISER TO ACHESON LAST MONTH ALMOST HIS FIRST MOVE WAS ALONG THIS LINE. HE FELT HE HAD TO CLARIFY HIS OWN POSITION AND HE TALKED ALIKE TO MR. TRUMAN, ACHESON, AND REPUBLICANS AT THE CAPITOL.

HE TOLD THEM HIS PRESENCE IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT COULD NOT BIND THE REPUBLICAN PARTY TO SUPPORT ADMINISTRATION POLICIES. HE SAID HIS CONTRIBUTIONS TO POLICY-MAKING WOULD SERVE THESE PURPOSES:

(1) TO TIGHTEN CONSULTATIONS BETWEEN THE ADMINISTRATION AND REPUBLICAN LEADERS IN CONGRESS.

(2) TO HELP STRENGTHEN U.S. POLICIES BY INTRODUCING NEW IDEAS FROM THE REPUBLICAN SIDE INTO THE INNER COUNCILS OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

A FORMER NEW YORK SENATOR AND A VETERAN OF DIPLOMACY, DULLES WAS ANXIOUS TO MAKE HIS VIEWS PLAIN TO BOTH SIDES AT THE OUTSET OF HIS WORK. SOME REPUBLICANS HAD SUSPECTED THAT THE PRESIDENT AND ACHESON WERE TRYING TO GET BI-PARTISANSHIP AT A CHEAP PRICE BY TREATING DULLES AS A REPUBLICAN PARTY OFFICIAL SPOKESMAN. DULLES QUICKLY CANCELLED OUT ANY THOUGHT THAT HE HAD OR SOUGHT SUCH POWER.

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JOHN SHERMAN COOPER, FORMER SENATOR FROM KENTUCKY, JOINED ACHESON'S STAFF AS REPUBLICAN ADVISER FOR THE LONDON TALKS A FEW WEEKS AHEAD OF DULLES' ADVENT. HE WAS NOT A FOREIGN AFFAIRS EXPERT, BUT WAS MORE ACCEPTABLE TO THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION THAN DULLES, WHO AROUSED GREAT WHITE HOUSE BITTERNESS DURING HIS SENATORIAL CAMPAIGN IN NEW YORK LAST FALL.

YET SENATOR VANDENBERG (R-MICH), FRIEND AND SUPPORTER OF BOTH COOPER AND DULLES, FELT DULLES ACTUALLY WAS THE MOST VALUABLE PERSON THE REPUBLICANS COULD PUT INTO THE STATE DEPARTMENT, AND FINALLY ACHESON RECOMMENDED HIM TO THE PRESIDENT. SUBSTANTIALLY MR.TRUMAN'S ANSWER WAS: "IF THAT'S WHAT IT TAKES TO RESTORE BI-PARTISANSHIP, I AGREE."

THE POINT OF THE WHOLE DULLES-COOPER INCIDENT IS THAT PERSONALITIES AND PERSONAL RELATIONS, POLITICAL MANEUVER AND GOOD FAITH--THOSE RATHER THAN MECHANICAL ARRANGEMENTS--ARE THE STUFF OF BI-PARTISAN COOPERATION IN THE FIELD OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

UNDERLYING THIS FACT IS ANOTHER--THAT NEITHER DULLES NOR ANY OTHER INDIVIDUAL--CAN SPEAK FOR THE REPUBLICANS IN EVEN THEIR OWN CONGRESSIONAL LEADERS--SENATE MINORITY LEADER WHERRY, FOR EXAMPLE--CANNOT COMMIT THE MINORITY MEMBERS INDIVIDUALLY TO SOME FUTURE COURSE OF ACTION.

THIS IS QUITE DIFFERENT FROM THE POSITION OF THE MAJORITY PARTY WHICH, BEING IN POWER, MUST HAVE A PROGRAM OF ACTION AND A SYSTEM OF DISCIPLINE THAT ENABLE THE LEADERS TO SAY WHAT IT WILL DO ON SPECIFIC ISSUES.

THUS ARISES ANOTHER POINT VITAL TO AN UNDERSTANDING OF BI-PARTISAN FOREIGN POLICY. THIS IS THAT WHILE IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE RULING PARTY TO PURSUE A POSITIVE LINE OF ACTION--IT IS EQUALLY A FUNCTION OF THE MINORITY PARTY TO CRITICIZE AND ATTACK THIS LINE.

REPUBLICANS ARE VIRTUALLY UNANIMOUS IN STRESSING THIS WHEN THEY TALK ABOUT BI-PARTISANSHIP.

OHIO'S SENATOR TAFT TOLD THIS REPORTER THAT "IN CONSULTATION ON FOREIGN POLICY, REPUBLICANS, OF COURSE, RESERVE THE RIGHT TO CRITICIZE, TO SUGGEST CHANGES, AND IN THE LAST ANALYSIS TO REJECT, IF AGREEMENT CANNOT BE REACHED."

SENATOR WHERRY, OF NEBRASKA, MINORITY LEADER, UNDERSCORED THE IDEA ANOTHER WAY. RECALLING THAT THE REPUBLICAN PROCEDURE FOR MAKING PARTY POLICY IN CONGRESS IS TO HOLD A CONFERENCE, HE SAID:

"YOU COULD TAKE A VOTE IN THE CONFERENCE ON SOME ISSUE AND THE VOTE COULD BE SYMPATHETIC TO WHAT THE ADMINISTRATION WANTS TO DO. BUT EVEN BY A CONFERENCE VOTE YOU CANNOT BIND THE INDIVIDUAL MEMBERS."

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SENATOR MILLIKIN (COLO), REPUBLICAN CONFERENCE CHAIRMAN, COMMENTED "YOU CAN'T GIVE A BLANK CHECK ON BI-PARTISANSHIP IN FOREIGN POLICY."

"REPUBLICAN ACTION IN THIS FIELD IS LIMITED TO IMPORTANT, SPECIFIC PROGRAMS, PARTICULAR MAJOR ISSUES. THERE IS A GREAT HOST OF THINGS IN DAY-TO-DAY DIPLOMACY WHICH ARE NOT RELEVANT TO BI-PARTISAN DEVELOPMENT."

THE MAIN OBJECTIVE OF BOTH PARTIES, HE SAID, SHOULD BE TO "STRIVE

FOR CONTINUITY OF BASIC POLICY."

SENATOR TAFT LIKEWISE FEELS THAT THE IMPORTANT THING IS TO WORK TOWARD AGREEMENT ON THE GREAT BASIC ISSUES AND SKIP OVER RELATIVELY MINOR DETAILS. THIS IMPLIES AVOIDANCE OF PINPRICKING ATTACKS ON THE ADMINISTRATION'S HANDLING OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

THE BASIC FORCE BEHIND THE BI-PARTISAN APPROACH TO FOREIGN POLICY IS MADE UP OF TWO IDEAS. THE FIRST IS THAT IF OTHER COUNTRIES ARE TO RELY ON AMERICAN COOPERATION THEY MUST KNOW REASONABLY WELL WHAT THE UNITED STATES WILL DO IN FUTURE REGARDLESS OF WHICH PARTY RULES.

THE SECOND IDEA IS THAT AS THINGS GO TODAY A MAJOR PROPOSAL BY THE ADMINISTRATION--FOR EXAMPLE, THE MARSHALL PLAN--IN EFFECT COMMITS THIS COUNTRY IN THE EYES OF FOREIGNERS AS SOON AS IT IS PUT FORWARD; TO AVOID THE DISASTER OF HAVING CRITICIALLY IMPORTANT PROJECT VETOED BY CONGRESS THERE SHOULD BE GENERATED EARLY ENOUGH TWO-PARTY SUPPORT TO GIVE REASONABLE ASSURANCE OF CONGRESSIONAL APPROVAL.

TWO-PARTY COOPERATION IN FOREIGN AFFAIRS BEGAN DURING THE WAR. FROM THE UNITED NATIONS, IT SPREAD, UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF VANDENBERG AND A SUCCESSION OF SECRETARIES OF STATE, TO INCLUDE OTHER ISSUES, AND NOTABLY THE AMERICAN FIGHT AGAINST EXPANDING SOVIET COMMUNISM. IT DID NOT COVER CHINA, ARGENTINA, SPAIN AND OTHER MATTERS ON WHICH THE ADMINISTRATION DID NOT CONSULT REPUBLICANS.

FOLLOWING MR.TRUMAN'S 1948 ELECTION, AND CONCURRENT WITH THE 1949 DEFEATS FOR AMERICAN POLICY IN CHINA, SENATOR VANDENBERG BECAME ILL AND DEAN ACHESON, NEVER TOO POPULAR AT THE CAPITOL, BECAME SECRETARY OF STATE. THE BI-PARTISAN APPROACH TO FOREIGN POLICY FELL APART. STATE DEPARTMENT PRESTIGE IN CONGRESS, ESPECIALLY AFTER SENATOR MC CARTHY (R-WIS) ENTERED THE FRAY WITH HIS COMMUNIST CHARGES, DROPPED TO A LOW MARK.

RECENTLY, ESTABLISHMENT OF CLOSER CONTACTS WITH BOTH REPUBLICANS AND DEMOCRATS ON THE HILL, THE ADMISSION OF COOPER AND DULLES TO THE DEPARTMENT'S INNER COUNCILS AND RENEWED PROTESTATIONS OF SUPPORT FOR BI-PARTISANSHIP HAVE CONSTITUTED AN EFFORTO TO SAVE WHAT LEADERS OF

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BI-PARTISANSHIP HAVE CONSTITUTED AN EFFORT TO SAVE WHAT LEADERS OF BOTH PARTIES CONSIDER A GOOD THING.

EXACTLY WHAT THIS THING IS, HOWEVER, REMAINS TO BE AGREED ON.

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NIGHT LEAD PERVERTS-COMMUNISTS

BY MARVIN L.ARROWSMITH

WASHINGTON, MAY 20-(AP)-THE PROSPECTIVE CONGRESSIONAL INQUIRY INTO FEDERAL EMPLOYMENT OF SEXUAL PERVERTS APPEARED LIKELY TODAY TO BE HANDLED BY A COMMITTEE ON WHICH SENATOR MC CARTHY OF WISCONSIN IS THE SENIOR REPUBLICAN.

MC CARTHY HAS COUPLED HIS CHARGES OF COMMUNISM IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT--ALREADY THE SUBJECT OF A SEPARATE SENATE INVESTIGATION--WITH CONTENTIONS THAT THE AGENCY ALSO HAS A LOT OF HOMOSEXUALS ON ITS PAYROLL. THE DEPARTMENT HAS DENIED IT.

A PROPOSED NEW INQUIRY WOULD GO INTO THE EXTENT OF HOMOSEXUALITY IN ALL GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS AND AGENCIES. A RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR SUCH AN INVESTIGATION IS EXPECTED TO BE REFERRED TO A SENATE COMMITTEE MONDAY BY VICE PRESIDENT BARKLEY.

BARKLEY WAS REPORTED READY TO DESIGNATE THE SENATE'S EXPENDITURES COMMITTEE IN LINE WITH A RECOMMENDATION BY SENATOR HILL (D-ALA), WHO INTRODUCED THE RESOLUTION.

SENATOR MC CLELLAN (D-ARK), CHAIRMAN OF THE EXPENDITURES GROUP, TOLD REPORTERS THE INQUIRY--IF IT IS ASSIGNED TO HIS COMMITTEE--PROBABLY WILL BE TURNED OVER TO A SPECIAL INVESTIGATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE HEADED BY SENATOR HOEY (D-NC). THAT IS THE SAME GROUP WHICH CONDUCTED LAST SUMMER'S "FIVE PERCENTER" INQUIRY INTO PAYMENT OF COMMISSIONS FOR GOVERNMENT CONTRACTS.

MC CARTHY IS NOT A MEMBER OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE WHICH IS INVESTIGATING HIS CHARGES THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT IS HARBORING MANY COMMUNISTS, RED SYMPATHIZERS, AND OTHER SECURITY RISKS.

BUT HE IS THE TOP REPUBLICAN ON THE HOEY SUBCOMMITTEE WHICH APPEARS TO BE IN LINE FOR THE NEW INQUIRY DEALING WITH SEX PERVERSION.

THERE HAS BEEN SOME TALK THAT THE DEMOCRATS ON THE HOEY SUBCOMMITTEE MIGHT ASK MC CARTHY TO GIVE UP HIS PLACE ON THAT UNIT IF IT CONDUCTS THE INVESTIGATION. THE REASON, IT WAS SAID, WOULD BE THAT MC CARTHY SHOULD NOT SERVE AS BOTH JUDGE AND PROSECUTOR.

MC CARTHY SAID HE WAS UNDECIDED AS TO WHETHER HE WOULD STEP ASIDE, ADDING THAT HE WOULD CROSS THAT BRIDGE WHEN HE CAME TO IT.

THE RESOLUTION CALLING FOR A FULL-SCALE SENATE INQUIRY INTO GOVERNMENT EMPLOYMENT OF SEXUAL PERVERTS WAS PROMPTED BY A WASHINGTON POLICE ESTIMATE THAT THERE ARE ABOUT 3,750 HOMOSEXUALS ON THE FEDERAL PAYROLL IN THE NATION'S CAPITAL ALONE.

SENATORS HILL AND WHERRY (R-NEB), IN REPORTS TO A SENATE APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE, STRESSED THAT PERVERTS ARE DANGEROUS SECURITY RISKS BECAUSE THEY USUALLY ARE AN EASY MARK FOR BLACKMAILERS.

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WHERRY'S REPORT SAID "ONLY THE MOST NAIVE COULD BELIEVE THAT THE COMMUNISTS' FIFTH COLUMN IN THE UNITED STATES WOULD NEGLECT TO PROPAGATE AND USE HOMOSEXUALS" TO SABOTAGE NATIONAL SECURITY.

SENATOR HOEY SAID HE IS NOT ANXIOUS TO HAVE THE INVESTIGATION COME TO HIS COMMITTEE, BUT THAT "WE WILL DO OUR DUTY IF IT DOES."

HOEY SAID HIS GROUP WOULD CONDUCT THE INVESTIGATION "VERY DISCREETLY," WITH PROBABLY ALL OF THE HEARINGS BEHIND CLOSED DOORS."

"I THINK THE ENTIRE MATTER PROBABLY COULD BE HANDLED BY THE SUBCOMMITTEE'S STAFF ON A VERY QUIET BASIS," HE ADDED.

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PERVERTS-COMMUNISTS

BY MARVIN L.ARROWSMITH

WASHINGTON, MAY 20-(AP)-LAWMAKERS PRESSED TODAY FOR A SPEEDY SENATE INQUIRY INTO FEDERAL EMPLOYMENT OF SEXUAL PERVERTS DESCRIBED AS THE LIKELY TOOLS OF COMMUNIST CONSPIRATORS.

A RESOLUTION CALLING FOR A FULL-SCALE INVESTIGATION WAS INTRODUCED IN THE SENATE LAST NIGHT SHORTLY AFTER AN APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTED THAT THERE ARE AN ESTIMATED 3,750 HOMOSEXUALS IN GOVERNMENT JOBS IN WASHINGTON.

THE REPORT, PREPARED BY SENATOR WHERRY (R-NEB), SAID:

"ONLY THE MOST NAIVE COULD BELIEVE THAT THE COMMUNISTS' FIFTH COLUMN IN THE UNITED STATES WOULD NEGLECT TO PROPAGATE AND USE HOMOSEXUALS TO GAIN THEIR TREACHEROUS ENDS IN VIEW OF THE RESORT TO EVERY CONCEIVABLE FORM OF SABOTAGE REVEALED IN EVERY ENEMY COUNTRY INFILTRATED AND FINALLY TAKEN OVER BY THE RUTHLESS COMMUNISTS."

A COMPANION REPORT BY SENATOR HILL (D-ALA) PUT IT THIS WAY:

"IT IS ACCEPTED AND AGREED THAT PERSONS WHO ARE HOMOSEXUALS ARE BAD SECURITY RISKS AND SHOULD NOT BE IN SENSITIVE POSITIONS OR IN ANY POSITIONS IN THE GOVERNMENT WHERE THEY MIGHT IN ANY WAY AID OR ABET OR BE A PARTY TO SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITY."

BOTH REPORTS STRESSED THAT PERVERTS ARE BAD SECURITY RISKS BECAUSE THEY ARE EASY PREY FOR BLACKMAIL.

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THE APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ALSO TOOK TESTIMONY FROM SERGT. JAMES K.HUNTER OF THE WASHINGTON POLICE DEPARTMENT.

WHERRY'S REPORT SAID HUNTER HAD SHOWED HIM "WHAT PURPORTED TO BE A PLAN OF COMMUNISTS TO SABOTAGE AND DAMAGE THE CAPITAL OF THE UNITED STATES IN EVENT OF WAR WITH RUSSIA."

THERE WAS NO ELABORATION OF THE STATEMENT IN THE REPORT, AND WHERRY WAS NOT AVAILABLE FOR QUESTIONING.

HILL INTRODUCED THE INVESTIGATION RESOLUTION ON BEHALF OF THE FULL MEMBERSHIP OF AN APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE WHICH HANDLES DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA MATTERS. THAT GROUP VOTED UNANIMOUSLY FOR AN INQUIRY.

SENATOR FERGUSON (R-MICH), A MEMBER OF THE APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE, TOLD THE SENATE LAST NIGHT THE EVIDENCE THE GROUP GOT WAS SO SHOCKING IT DEMANDS IMMEDIATE ACTION.

THE SUBCOMMITTEE'S RECOMMENDATIONS WERE BASED MAINLY ON TESTIMONY BY LIEUT. ROY E. BLICK, HEAD OF THE VICE SQUAD OF WASHINGTON'S METROPOLITAN POLICE DEPARTMENT.

BLICK SAID HIS CONSERVATIVE ESTIMATE IS THAT THERE ARE ABOUT 5,000 SEXUAL PERVERTS IN THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA. HE SAID ABOUT 3,750 ARE ON THE GOVERNMENT PAYROLL.

BLICK IS REPORTED TO HAVE TOLD THE SUBCOMMITTEE AT CLOSED SESSIONS THAT 300 OR 400 OF THESE ARE IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

THE DEPARTMENT SAID LAST NIGHT THAT TO THE BEST OF ITS KNOWLEDGE IT EMPLOYS NO SEX PERVERTS AND THAT IF ANY ARE FOUND THEY WILL BE FIRED SUMMARILY.

THE DEPARTMENT SAID IN A STATEMENT THAT IT HAD ASKED BLICK FOR THE NAMES OF ANY PERSONS ON ITS PAYROLL AGAINST WHOM HE HAD EVIDENCE OF HOMOSEXUALITY. "NO SUCH NAMES HAVE BEEN FURNISHED TO THE DEPARTMENT," IT ADDED.

SENATOR MC CARTHY (R-WIS) HAS HIT HARD AT THE PERVERSION ISSUE IN PRESSING HIS CHARGES THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT IS HARBORING A LOT OF COMMUNISTS, RED SYMPATHIZERS, AND OTHER SECURITY RISKS. A SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE IS LOOKING INTO MCCARTHY'S CHARGES.

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COMMENTING ON THE PROPOSED NEW INQUIRY, MC CARTHY SAID:

"WHILE OUR INVESTIGATION HAS CONCERNED ITSELF PRIMARILY WITH COMMUNISM AND PERVERSION IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT, I THINK IT IS AN EXCELLENT IDEA TO EXTEND AT LEAST THIS PHASE OF THE INVESTIGATION TO ALL BRANCHES OF THE GOVERNMENT.

"WHILE, OF COURSE, MANY OF THE PERVERTS ARE NOT COMMUNISTICALLY INCLINED, WE HAVE FOUND THAT A SURPRISINGLY LARGE NUMBER OF THOSE WHO ARE COMMUNISTS OR FELLOW TRAVELERS ARE EITHER PERVERTS OR CLOSELY ASSOCIATED WITH THOSE WHO ARE--OBVIOUSLY WITH THE FULL REALIZATION THAT THOSE MENTALLY TWISTED INDIVIDUALS ARE EASY TO BLACK-MAIL INTO DOING A JOB FOR ESPIONAGE AGENTS."

THE SUBCOMMITTEE QUOTED DR.R.H.FELIX, DIRECTOR OF THE NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF MENTAL HEALTH, AS SAYING HE HAD BEEN UNABLE TO FIND ANY EVIDENCE TO INDICATE THAT HOMOSEXUALITY IS MORE PREVALENT IN THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA AREA THAN IN OTHER SECTIONS OF THE COUNTRY.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P. M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY SATURDAY MAY 20)

(450) COMMUNISTS

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, MAY 20-(AP)-THE STATE DEPARTMENT CHARGED TONIGHT THAT SENATOR MCCARTHY HAD DELIBERATELY MISQUOTED A CONGRESSIONAL REPORT TO IMPLY FALSELY THAT LOYALTY FILES WERE WIDE OPEN TO ANYONE IN THE DEPARTMENT.

ACTUALLY ACCESS TO THE FILES IS "STRICTLY LIMITED," THE DEPARTMENT SAID. IT ACCUSED MCCARTHY OF A "CRUDE MISQUOTATION" IN WHICH HE SUBSTITUTED THE NAME OF THE DEPARTMENT ITSELF FOR THE NAME OF ITS SECURITY DIVISION.

THIS WAS DONE IN A CHICAGO SPEECH MAY 6, THE DEPARTMENT SAID. IT MADE PUBLIC ITS SECOND POINT-BY-POINT ANALYSIS OF AN ADDRESS BY THE WISCONSIN REPUBLICAN SENATOR WHO HAS CARRIED ON A RUNNING ATTACK AGAINST THE DEPARTMENT AS A HOTBED OF COMMUNISM.

THE DEPARTMENT STATEMENT PICKED THE SPEECH APART IN AN ATTEMPT TO SHOW MCCARTHY WRONG ON 14 POINTS. THESE INCLUDED A NUMBER OF PREVIOUSLY DENIED AND "REFUTED" CHARGES, WHICH DREW A NEW BROADSIDE OF REPLIES.

IT LED OFF WITH A BLOW AIMED AT MCCARTHY'S ASSERTION THAT STATE DEPARTMENT LOYALTY FILES FURNISHED TO A SENATE COMMITTEE INVESTIGATING HIS CHARGES WERE "PHONY."

THE SENATE INVESTIGATORS NOW ARE GOING THROUGH THESE RECORDS WHICH DEAL WITH THE CASES OF 81 PERSONS WHOM MCCARTHY HAS LABELED AS COMMUNISTS OR FELLOW TRAVELERS. THE RECORDS WERE RELEASED TO CONGRESS BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN. MCCARTHY IMMEDIATELY CHARGED THE FILES HAD BEEN "RAPED" AND "PURGED."

TO GET THE TRUTH ABOUT HIS CHARGES, THE SENATOR SAID, CONGRESS NEEDS THE FILES OF THE FBI, THE ARMY AND NAVY INTELLIGENCE SERVICES, THE SECRET SERVICE AND THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCIES.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT OBSERVED THAT "THE FACTS" ABOUT ITS FILES GIVEN THE COMMITTEE ARE THAT THEY ARE "FULL AND COMPLETE . . . CURRENT AS OF THE DATE TRANSMITTED. THEY CONTAIN ALL INFORMATION RELEVANT TO THE DETERMINATION OF EMPLOYE LOYALTY OR SECURITY."

IT NOTED THAT UNDER THE FEDERAL LOYALTY PROGRAM THE FBI IS THE AGENCY WHICH CONDUCTS LOYALTY INVESTIGATIONS OF STATE DEPARTMENT PERSONNEL. IT ADDED:

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"THE FILES MADE AVAILABLE TO THE COMMITTEE CONTAIN THE MATERIAL COLLECTED BY THE FBI AND TRANSMITTED TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT."

THE DEPARTMENT ANALYSIS SAID THAT MCCARTHY'S "MISQUOTATION" OF A CONGRESSIONAL REPORT IN HIS CHICAGO SPEECH DEALTH WITH ONE MADE BY HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE INVESTIGATORS DATED JAN. 27, 1948. THIS REPORT ACCOMPANIED A LIST OF CASES FORMING THE BASIS FOR MCCARTHY'S ORIGINAL BLAST AGAINST THE DEPARTMENT IN THE SENATE FEB. 20, THE STATEMENT ADDED. IT QUOTED MCCARTHY AS SAYING AT CHICAGO:

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"NOW FROM PAGE 37 OF THE HOUSE REPORT I QUOTE THE FOLLOWING: '... ALMOST ANYONE AND EVERYONE IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAD ACCESS TO THE FILES. . .'"

BUT WHAT THE REPORT ACTUALLY SAID, ACCORDING TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT, IS:

". . . MOST EVERYONE AND ANYONE IN THE DIVISION HAS ACCESS TO THE FILES. . . "

THE DEPARTMENT ADDED:

"THE DIVISION THAT THE HOUSE INVESTIGATORS WERE TALKING ABOUT WAS THE DIVISION OF SECURITY. . . CHARGED WITH THE PHYSICAL AND PERSONNEL SECURITY PROGRAM OF THE DEPARTMENT AND THE FOREIGN SERVICE, AND IT IS THEREFORE ESSENTIAL THAT ITS STAFF HAVE ACCESS TO THE FILES WHEN NEEDED."

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(UNIFICATION)
FOREIGN AID
BY DON WHITEHEAD
WASHINGTON, MAY 20-(AP)-FOREIGN POLICY LEADERS IN CONGRESS APPEALED TODAY FOR POLITICAL UNIFICATION OF WESTERN EUROPE.

MEMBERS OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE AND THE HOUSE FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE SAID JOINTLY THAT TRADE BARRIERS CAN BE BROKEN DOWN IN EUROPE ONLY THROUGH POLITICAL ACTION.

"THE FREEDOM OF TRADE NECESSARY FOR A TRULY UNIFIED (EUROPEAN) MARKET," THEY SAID, "CAN EXIST ONLY IF SUCH AGREEMENTS ARE EFFECTIVELY--AND THAT MEANS POLITICALLY--ENFORCIBLE."

A UNIFIED MARKET, THEY ADDED, REQUIRES POLITICAL UNITY.

THESE VIEWS WERE GIVEN IN A SENATE-HOUSE CONFERENCE REPORT ON THE $3,121,450,000 FOREIGN AID MEASURE CONTAINING $2,850,000,000 FOR THE EUROPEAN RECOVERY PROGRAM.

THE BILL ITSELF CALLS ON WESTERN EUROPE FOR "FURTHER UNIFICATION." THE REASON STRONGER LANGUAGE WAS NOT USED, THE REPORT SAID, WAS BECAUSE SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON BELIEVED THE POLITICAL OBJECTIVE COULD BE REACHED WITHOUT SPECIAL "STATUTORY ENCOURAGEMENT."

CHAIRMAN CONNALLY (D-TEX) OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE SAID HE WOULD CALL THE FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATION BILL BEFORE THE SENATE EITHER MONDAY OR TUESDAY WITHOUT WAITING FOR HOUSE ACTION.

USUALLY THE HOUSE ACTS FIRST ON AUTHORIZATION BILLS--BUT THIS TIME CONNALLY SAID HE WAS GOING TO PRESS FOR SENATE ACTION AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

THE HOUSE CONFEREES HAD SOUGHT TO INSERT A CLAUSE IN THE MEASURE "TO ENCOURAGE THE UNIFICATION AND FEDERATION OF EUROPE." THIS WAS STRICKEN OUT IN THE CONFERENCE, BUT THE REPORT SAID:

"WHAT IS IMPORTANT X X X IS THE SUBSTANCE OF POLICY, NOT THE PRECISE CONTENT OF WORDS.

"THE NECESSITY OF A VASTLY MORE ENERGETIC AND FUNDAMENTAL APPROACH TO A SOLUTION OF THE PROBLEM OF POLITICAL DIVERSITY WITHIN WESTERN EUROPE REMAINS PART OF THE IRREDUCIBLE FACTS. X X X

"TO MOVE AS FREELY AS POSSIBLE MEANS TO MOVE WITHOUT IMPEDIMENT. THE REMOVAL OF IMPEDIMENTS TO TRADE WITHIN EUROPE MEANS THE CREATION OF A UNIFIED MARKET. THAT REQUIRES ESTABLISHMENT OF POLITICAL UNITY. THAT IS THE FUNDAMENTAL LOGIC OF THE SITUATION."

THE REPORT ALSO DISCLOSED A CONFERENCE ACTION OVERLOOKED IN EARLIER ANNOUNCEMENTS. THIS WAS THE REPEAL OF AN AMENDMENT REGULATING WHEAT FLOUR SHIPMENTS TO EUROPE.

THE PRESENT LAW PROVIDES THAT 12.5 PER CENT OF ALL AMERICAN WHEAT SENT TO EUROPE FOR THE RECOVERY PROGRAM MUST BE IN THE FORM OF WHEAT FLOUR. THE NEW BILL KILLS THIS PROVISION.

"IN VIEW OF THE ADDITION OF THE NEW INSTRUCTIONS TO THE ADMINISTRATOR (PAUL HOFFMAN) TO MINIMIZE THE IMPACT ON THE AMERICAN TAXPAYER," THE REPORT SAID, "THE RETENTION OF THE FLOUR REQUIREMENT WOULD BE ANOMALOUS."

THIS MEANS THE EUROPEAN NATIONS WILL BE ABLE TO BUY AMERICAN WHEAT WITH RECOVERY DOLLARS WITHOUT ACCEPTING ANY PART OF IT IN THE FORM OF FLOUR.

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(400) TRUMAN-ARMED FORCES DAY
WASHINGTON,MAY 20-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS ASSURED THE WORLD THAT AMERICA'S MILITARY MIGHT, ON DISPLAY TODAY IN THE NATION'S FIRST ARMED FORCES DAY, IS THIS COUNTRY'S BID TO MAINTAIN PEACE AGAINST THOSE "WHO ONLY UNDERSTAND THE FIST."

SPEAKING EXTEMPORANEOUSLY AT AN ARMED SERVICES DINNER LAST NIGHT,MR. TRUMAN SAID PEACE CANNOT BE MAINTAINED "UNLESS YOU HAVE THE NECESSARY FORCES IN THE HANDS OF HONEST CIVILIANS TO ENFORCE THE PEACE."

HAILING ARMED SERVICES DAY AND UNIFICATION OF THE ARMED FORCES AS "OUR BID TO STAND AT THE HEAD OF PEACE-LOVING NATIONS TO MAINTAIN THE PEACE," THE PRESIDENT SAID:

"WE ARE DEVELOPING THIS ARMED FORCES SERVICE OF OURS FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAINTAINING PEACE, AND THERE ARE CERTAIN PEOPLE IN THE WORLD WHO ONLY UNDERSTAND THE FIST. AND WHEN THEY UNDERSTAND THAT THAT FIST IS NO GOOD AGAINST A REPUBLICN WHO (CQ) BELIEVES IN THE WELFARE OF THE PEOPLE AND WHO BELIEVES IN THE CIVIL RIGHTS OF THE INDIVIDUAL, THEN AND THEN ONLY WILL THEY HAVE PEACE."

TODAY, THE PRESIDENT REVIEWED A SEGMENT OF AMERICA'S ARMED STRENGTH AS THE MILITARY SERVICES STAGED THEIR FIRST ARMED FORCES DAY PARADE SINCE THEIR UNIFICATION UNDER A SINGLE CIVILIAN HEAD.

WITH THE TEMPERATURE AT 55, MR.TRUMANSAT WITHOUT TOPCOAT UNDER GRAY SKIES TO WATCH 6,500 MEMBERS OF THE ARMY, NAVY, AIR FORCES AND MARINES MARCH UP CONSTITUTION AVENUE TO THE MUSIC AND FLOURISHES OF 17 BANDS.

THE PROCESSION TOOK 70 MINUTES TO PASS THE FLAG-DECKED REVIEWING STAND IN THE REAR OF THE WHITE HOUSE.

ON THE PLATFORM WITH THE PRESIDENT WERE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON, DEPUTY SECRETARY STEPHEN T.EARLY, GEN.DWIGHT D.EISENHOWER, ADM.WILLIAM D.LEAHY, FORMER PERSONAL CHIEF OF STAFF TO THE PRESIDENT, AND CABINET MEMBERS.

REP.WADSWORTH (R-NY), WHO IN THE FIRST WORLD WAR HEADED THE SENATE MILITARY COMMITTEE, WAS SPOTTED IN A NEARBY STAND BY SECRETARY JOHNSON. THE DEFENSE CHIEF HAILED HIM OVER FOR A HANDSHAKE BY MR.TRUMAN.

IN HIS TALK LAST NIGHT, THE PRESIDENT DEALT AT SOME LENGTH ON THE A-BOMB AND THE WORLD SITUATION.

MR.TRUMAN SAID EMPHATICALLY HE BELIEVES THE DISCOVERY THAT ATOMIC FISSION COULD BE USED FOR EXPLOSIVE PURPOSES "IS GOING TO BE MORE IMPORTANT FOR THE PEACE OF THE WORLD THAN FOR ITS DESTRUCTION."

THE PRESIDENT'S REFERENCE TO THE ATOM AND ATOMIC BOMB CAME AS HE REVIEWED DEVELOPMENT OF WEAPONS AND THEIR IMPROVEMENTS.

HE SAID THERE HAS BEEN MUCH TALK ABOUT THIS, BUT ADDED THAT "WITH THE IMPROVEMENT OF WEAPONS OF DESTRUCTION, THE FATALITIES IN WAR HAVE DECREASED IN PROPORTION TO THE NUMBER OF MEN ENGAGED."

THE PRESIDENT RECALLED THE GREAT SLAUGHTER OF MEN IN THE TIME OF ALEXANDER THE GREAT WHEN "ONLY THE SHORT SWORD WAS THE MAIN ARM OF ATTACK." AND HE ALSO REFERRED TO THE EXPLOITS OF HANNIBAL'S MEN AGAINST THE ROMANS WHEN IN ONE BATTLE "THEY GATHERED UP ENOUGH RINGS OFF THE FINGERS OF THE ROMANS TO FILL TWO BUSHEL BASKETS."

HE SAID THE ATOM EXPLOSION FIRST WAS "USED FOR DESTRUCTION TO END A WAR AND TO SAVE MAYBE A HALF MILLION LIVES OF YOUNG MEN ON BOTH SIDES OF THE CONTEST. AND IT ACCOMPLISHED ITS PURPOSE."

DISCUSSING THE TENSE SITUATION IN THE WORLD NOW, MR.TRUMAN SAID THERE NEVER WOULD HAVE BEEN A "COLD WAR" IF CONGRESS HAD VOTED FOR A UNIVERSAL TRAINING LAW AS HE ASKED IN OCTOBER, 1945. HE EMPHASIZED THAT HE MEANT "UNIVERSAL TRAINING, NOT UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING."

HE SAID HE WANTED THAT PROGRAM FOR THE YOUNG MEN AND WOMEN OF THE COUNTRY "SO THAT THEY COULD FURNISH THE SERVICE NECESSARY FOR THE WELFARE AND DEFENSE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA."

MR.TRUMAN SAID CONGRESS DECIDED THE PRESIDENT "DIDN'T KNOW WHAT HE WAS TALKING ABOUT" AND ASSERTED:

"I AM SAYING TO YOU THAT HAD WE IMPLEMENTED THAT TRAINING PROGRAM IN 1945, OR EARLY IN 1946, THERE WOULD HAVE BEEN NO COLD WAR."

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WITH ARMED FORCES DAY
CHICAGO, MAY 20-(AP)-NAVY SECRETARY FRANCIS P.MATTHEWS SAID TODAY THAT "OUR DANGER IS NO LESS TODAY THAN OUR POSITION WAS AFTER PEARL HARBOR."

ADDRESSING AN ARMED FORCES DAY LUNCHEON, SECRETARY MATTHEWS SAID, "AS YET, THE CONTEST IS UNBLANCED AGAINST US."

"NO EFFORT TO TURN THE TIDE BY TOTAL DIPLOMACY SHOULD GO UNEXPENDED," HE SAID. "WE MUST EMPLOY EVERY POSSIBLE MEANS TO AVOID ANOTHER SHOOTING WAR.

"TO NEGOTIATE EFFECTIVELY, HOWEVER, WE MUST BE IN A POSITION THAT REFLECTS CONFIDENCE BASED UPON OBVIOUS STRENGTH. X X X CONCESSIONS NECESSARILY MADE TO RUSSIA THROUGH WEAKNESS COULD CAUSE US TO LOSE OUR PRESENT WAR WITH HER WITHOUT EVER FIRING A SHOT."

MATTHEWS URGED THE PUBLIC TO "REALIZE THE CHANGE THAT HAS TRANSPIRED IN OUR NATIONAL POSITION."

"IT IS A SITUATION AS PERILOUS TO OUR FUTURE AS THAT FOLLOWING THE (PEARL HARBOR) TRAGEDY," HE DECLARED. "FORTUNATELY, THE CAUSE WAS NOT HOPELESS THEN. IT IS IN NO SENSE HOPELESS NOW. THE SAME DEDICATION OF OUR TOTAL NATIONAL RESOURCES TO THE OVERRIDING PURPOSE OF WINNING OUR STRUGGLE WITH RUSSIA WILL AGAIN BRING SUCCESS."

MATTHEWS STATED THERE IS NO WAY OF KNOWING HOW CRITICAL OUR CURRENT POSITION IS WITH RELATION TO RUSSIA.

"IT COULD BE LATER THAN WE THINK IN THE STRUGGLE TO PRESERVE OUR NATIONAL CONCEPT OF DEMOCRATIC LIFE UNIMPAIRED BY THE FALSE PHILOSPHY OF MARXIST AGGRESSION," HE ASSERTED. "THE ALARMING FACT IS THAT WE ARE UNABLE TO DETERMINE DEFINITELY HOW LATE IS THE HOUR OF OUR PRESENT PREDICAMENT.

"WE ARE LEFT WITH NO ALTERNATIVE BUT TO ASSUME THAT THE FATEFUL MOMENT OF FINAL DECISION IS TOO CLOSE AT HAND. IT IS OUR BUSINESS TO BE READY WHENEVER IT COMES."

MARINE M/SGT ELMER C.BENDER, WHO, WITH NAVY CHHIEF ELECTRICIANS' MATE, WILLIAM C.SMITH OF LONG BEACH, CALIF., WAS RELEASED MAY 3 AFTER 18 MONTHS AS A PRISONER OF CHINESE COMMUNISTS, WAS GUEST OF HONOR AT THE LUNCHEON.

HE WAS GIVEN AN OVATION BY THE 500 DINERS AND SPOKE BRIEFLY, PRAISIN THE NAVY FOR HIS QUICK TRIP TO CHICAGO WHERE HE WAS REUNITED TODAY WITH HIS WIFE, SHIRLEY, AND HIS FOUR-YEAR-OLD DAUGHTER KATHY. "I GUESS YOU ALL KNOW HOW HAPPY I AM TO BE BACK HOME," HE GRINNED.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 9 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, SATURDAY, MAY 20)
UNDATED SECOND NIGHT LEAD ARMED FORCES DAY
(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS)

(ADVANCE) (WX) MILITARY EXPERTS SAID YESTERDAY (SATURDAY) THAT AMERICA IS WIDENING HER ATOMIC WEAPONS LEADERSHIP, AND IS DEVELOPING DEFENSES AGAINST THE POSSIBILITY OF ATTACK WITH DEADLY GERMS.

SPEAKING IN OBSERVANCE OF THE FIRST ARMED FORCES DAY, PAUL H. GRIFFITH, ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF DEFENSE, SAID AT KANSAS CITY, MO., THAT OFFICIALS ARE CONVINCED THAT AN EARLIER START AND GREATER KNOW-HOW IS ENABLING THE UNITED STATES TO WIDEN ITS ADVANTAGE IN ATOMIC ENERGY.

AND FROM THE LITTLE-PUBLICIZED FIELD OF RESEARCH IN CHEMICAL WARFARE, THE ARMY'S CHIEF OF THAT DIVISION BROUGHT THIS MEASURE OF ASSURANCE IN EVENT GERM WARFARE SHOULD BE LAUNCHED BY AN ENEMY: "X X X WE ARE PREPARED TO DEAL WITH BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS. X X X DEFENSE MEASURES NOW IN EFFECT OR IN PREPARATION SHOULD PREVENT DISASTROUS DAMAGE."

THE SPEAKER WAS MAJ.GEN.ANTHONY C.MCAULIFFE, HEAD OF THE ARMY CHEMICAL CORPS. THIS CORPS IS MAKING PREPARATIONS IN CASE WAR SHOULD BRING ATTACK BY CHEMICALS (GAS, INCENDIARIES AND THE LIKE); BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS (GERMS OR OTHER DEADLY DEVICES AGAINST MAN, HIS FOOD CROPS AND HIS ANIMALS), OR RADIOLOGICAL WEAPONS (BY WHICH AN AREA, FOR INSTANCE, MIGHT BE CONTAMINATED WITH DEADLY ATOMIC RADIATION).

MILITARY LEADERS THROUGHOUT THE NATION STRESSED THE THEME THAT AMERICA'S ONLY HOPE IN SIGHT NOW TO PREVENT WORLD WAR III IS A STRONG DEFENSE.

AND SOME EMPHASIZED THAT UNIFICATION HAS CREATED A SMOOTHER WORKING MILITARY MACHINE--"READY TO GO AT A MOMENT'S NOTICE, WITH EVERY SERVICE KNOWING ITS INDIVIDUAL JOB," AS ARMY SECRETARY FRANK PACE, JR., PUT IT IN A SPEECH AT AKRON, OHIO.

IN MILITARY STATIONS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD, THE FOUR SERVICES GOT TOGETHER TO "REPORT TO THE PEOPLE" ON THE POWER THAT THIS NATION HAS READY TO DISCOURAGE AGGRESSORS. THEY HELD PARADES AND "OPEN HOUSE" FOR THE PUBLIC.

IN WASHINGTON, PRESIDENT TRUMAN REVIEWED A PARADE AFTER PROCLAIMING THAT AMERICA'S ARMED MIGHT IS CREATED ONLY FOR PEACE AND TO GIVE PAUSE TO THOSE IN THE WORLD WHO ONLY UNDERSTAND "THE FIST."

SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON SAID IN NEW YORK THAT SECRET DEVICES ARE BEING DEVELOPED TO NEUTRALIZE THE EFFECTIVENESS OF MASS WEAPONS. IN AN APPARENT ALLUSION TO THE ATOMIC BOMB, HE SAID "ENCOURAGING GAINS" HAVE BEEN MADE IN WORKING ON PROBLEMS "OF HIGH PRIORITY."

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JOHNSON APPEALED ANEW FOR A UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING PROGRAM, POINTING TO THE AMERICAN MILITARY MAN AS ONE TO BE PROUD OF.

IN A SIZEUP OF THE AMERICAN DEFENSE POTENTIAL, MAJ.GEN.CLOVIS E. BYERS, DEPUTY ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF, SAID AT COLUMBUS, OHIO, THAT "WE HAVE FORCES OF REASONABLE STRENGTH AND READINESS." THE NATION COULD BE MADE STRONGER WITHOUT ENDANGERING THE ECONOMY IF "EVERY ABLE BODIED MAN" COULD BE REQUIRED TO BEAR A JUST SHARE OF THE BURDEN, HE SAID.

IN LINE WITH THE GENERAL THOUGHT, BYERS SAID THAT FOR 100 PERCENT SECURITY "WE SHOULD HAVE TO EXCHANGE THE LIBERTIES AND FREEDOMS ON WHICH OUR LIVES ARE BASED." THEREFORE, HE SAID, A CALCULATED RISK IS NECESSARY.

PRESIDENT TRUMAN REVIEWED A 70-MINUTE PARADE OF 6,500 MEMBERS OF THE FOUR SERVICES BENEATH CHILL, GRAY SKIES TO OPEN WASHINGTON'S OBSERVANCE OF THE FIRST ARMED FORCES DAY. HE WAS FLANKED BY TOP MILITARY AND CIVILIAN DEFENSE OFFICIALS IN A FLAG-DRAPED STAND ON CONSTITUTION AVENUE NEAR THE WASHINGTON MONUMENT.

LATER, 140 MILITARY PLANES OF THE LATEST TYPES FROM B-36 ATOM BOMBERS TO DARTING JET FIGHTERS THUNDERED OVER THE CITY AND NEARBY BOLLING AIR FORCE BASE WHERE SCORES OF THOUSANDS GATHERED TO SEE LAND, SEA AND AIR COMBAT EQUIPMENT DISPLAYED.

THE CAPITAL CITY TOPPED IT OFF WITH A SALUTE TO THE ARMED SERVICES

IN A PROGRAM AT THE WASHINGTON MONUMENT GROUNDS. ON THE PROGRAM WERE ENTERTAINMENT STARS FOLLOWED BY A FIREWORKS DISPLAY.

DEFENSE SECRETARY JOHNSON CALLED THE DAY A "REPORT TO THE PEOPLE ON THE STATE OF OUR NATIONAL DEFENSE."

THE OBSERVANCE TOOK THE PLACE OF THE SEPARATE ARMY, NAVY AND AIR FORCE DAYS CELEBRATED IN PREVIOUS YEARS. THE MERGED CELEBRATION WAS IN LINE WITH THE PROGRAM OF MILITARY UNIFICATION.

PRESIDENT TRUMAN SOUNDED THE KEYNOTE OF PREPAREDNESS--TO DETER AGGRESSION--WHEN HE DECLARED AMERICA'S ARMED FORCES ARE BEING DEVELOPED TO MAINTAIN PEACE AND BECAUSE "THERE ARE CERTAIN PEOPLE IN THE WORLD WHO ONLY UNDERSTAND THE FIST."

KEEPING THE PEACE REQUIRES "THE NECESSARY FORCES IN THE HANDS OF HONEST CIVILIANS," HE ADDED IN A SPEECH [redacted] NIGHT. Friday

MR. TRUMAN SPOKE OUT AGAIN FOR UNIVERSAL TRAINING WHICH CONGRESS REPEATEDLY HAS IGNORED SINCE HE URGED IT IN OCTOBER, 1945. IF IT HAD BEEN SET UP THEN, THERE WOULD BE NO COLD WAR NOW, THE PRESIDENT CONTENDED.

HE EMPHASIZED THAT HE WAS SPEAKING OF "UNIVERSAL TRAINING, NOT UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING." THE PROGRAM HE FAVORS WOULD BE DESIGNED TO TRAIN YOUNG WOMEN AS WELL AS YOUNG MEN, TO BE OF MAXIMUM SERVICE IN THE NATION.

THE PRESIDENT SAID HE DESIRED THE PROGRAM SO THAT THE YOUNG PEOPLE "COULD FURNISH THE SERVICE NECESSARY FOR THE WELFARE AND DEFENSE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA."

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SPEECHES IN OBSERVANCE OF THE DAY AT HOME AND ABROAD GAVE NO HINT OF HOPE FOR AN END OF THE COLD WAR SOON. REPEATEDLY THE THEME WAS STRESSED THAT MILITARY POWER MUST BE MAINTAINED.

ADMIRAL FORREST P. SHERMAN, CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS, SAID AT ST. LOUIS THAT THE ONLY SAFE COURSE IS A COSTLY ONE AND "MAY CALL FOR GREAT SACRIFICES."

"WE MUST MAINTAIN A POWERFUL MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT," SHERMAN SAID, UNTIL THE PRESSURE EASES UP.

SHERMAN SAID WE CAN HOPE FOR GRADUAL BREAKING AWAY OF RUSSIA'S SATELLITES IN EUROPE, AND AN EVENTUAL INDEPENDENT CHINA. WE CAN EXPECT WESTERN EUROPE TO GAIN STRENGTH TO GIVE BALANCE TO THE WORLD POWER SITUATION, HE ADDED.

BUT HE SAID "WE CANNOT QUICKLY CHANGE THE FACTS THAT NOW EXIST."

IN BERLIN, THE DAY WAS CELEBRATED BY 70,000 UNIFORMED MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES. IN A NUMBER OF PLACES IN WESTERN GERMANY PARADES AND DEMONSTRATIONS WERE HELD. IN MOSCOW, AMERICAN MILITARY ATTACHES WERE HOSTS AT THE EMBASSY.

AT DECATUR, ILL., CARL R. GRAY, VETERANS' ADMINISTRATOR, SAID THAT ADEQUATE PREPAREDNESS IS AMERICA'S ONLY ASSURANCE OF SURVIVAL IN A "SELFISH, CRAZY WORLD THAT WANTS WHAT WE HAVE."

THE VETERANS' CHIEF SPOKE AT AN ARMED SERVICES' DAY LUNCHEON SPONSORED BY THE DECATUR JUNIOR CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

HE SAID CONGRESS AND THE PUBLIC SHOULD GIVE MOST SERIOUS CONSIDERATION TO PREPAREDNESS PLANS AND APPROPRIATION REQUESTS OF THE NATION'S MILITARY LEADERS.

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WASHINGTON, MAY 20-(AP)-THE FBI HAS SENT TWO MEN TO LONDON TO INTERVIEW BRITISH SCIENTIST KLAUS FUCHS, WHO HAS BEEN CONVICTED OF HANDING RUSSIA ATOMIC SECRETS.

FBI DIRECTOR J.EDGAR HOOVER DISCLOSED YESTERDAY THAT ASSISTANT DIRECTOR U.H.CLEGG AND SPECIAL AGENT ROBERT J.LAMPHER HAVE ARRIVED IN THE BRITISH CAPITAL--PRESUMABLY TO FERRET OUT ALL POSSIBLE INFORMATION ON FUCHS' CONTACTS IN THIS COUNTRY, IF ANY.

FUCHS IS SERVING A 14-YEAR SENTENCE.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 PM EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY SATURDAY MAY 20)

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, MAY 20-(AP)-THE INTERNATIONAL REFUGEE ORGANIZATION REPORTED TODAY THAT 257 REFUGEES IT EVACUATED FROM SHANGHAI WILL ARRIVE AT SAN FRANCISCO TUESDAY ABOARD THE SS GENERAL GORDON.

MOST OF THE REFUGEES, IT SAID, ARE JEWS WHO FLED FROM GERMANY IN 193(TO FIND HAVEN IN THE INTERNATIONAL SETTLEMENT AT SHANGHAI.

115 OF THE REFUGEES HAVE BEEN ACCEPTED FOR ADMISSION TO THE UNITED STATES, WITH THE REMAINDER EITHER BEING RETURNED TO EUROPE OR TO SOUTH AMERICA AND CANADA.

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WAR CONTRACTS (270)

WASHINGTON, MAY 20-(AP)-THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT IS LOOKING INTO A REPORT BY COMPTROLLER GENERAL LINDSAY WARREN THAT THE GOVERNMENT LOST MILLIONS OF DOLLARS THROUGH FRAUD AND WASTE IN THE SETTLEMENT OF WAR CONTRACTS.

WARREN TOLD CONGRESS YESTERDAY THAT THE GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE, ALTHOUGH IT HAD CHECKED FEWER THAN ONE TENTH OF SOME 324,000 CONTRACTS SETTLED, HAD UNCOVERED EVIDENCE OF "APPARENTLY EXCESSIVE OR FRAUDULENT PAYMENTS" IN ONE CASE OUT OF EVERY SEVEN.

IN THOSE INSTANCES ALONE, WARREN SAID, THERE IS AN "INDICATED LOSS TO THE GOVERNMENT EXCEEDING $25,000,000."

SINCE THIS REPRESENTS "ONLY A SMALL AND FAIR SAMPLING," HE ADDED, "I WOULD HESITATE TO HAZARD A GUESS AS TO THE FULL EXTENT OF FRAUD AND OVERPAYMENTS."

WARREN SAID THE ACCOUNTING OFFICE UNCOVERED THE EVIDENCE IT DID DESPITE "HANDICAPS AND IMPEDIMENTS" IMPOSED ON IT BY THE CONTRACT SETTLEMENT ACT. HE URGED IN HIS REPORT THAT CONGRESS REPEAL THAT ACT AND PASS A NEW ONE GIVING THE AGENCY GREATER POWER TO DEAL WITH SUCH CASES.

HE SAID THE EVIDENCE OF OVERPAYMENTS INVOLVES ONLY A "SMALL MINORITY" OF THE CONTRACTORS AND OFFICIALS WHO NEGOTIATED SETTLEMENTS.

HE DESCRIBED THESE FEW AS "MEN OF LOW CHARACTER, INCLUDING SOME IN UNIFORM, WHO WERE LURED BY THE PROFITS OF THE HOUR AND TOOK ADVANTAGE OF THE OPPORTUNITY AFFORDED THEM BY THE CONTRACT SETTLEMENT ACT TO 'FEATHER THEIR NESTS.'"

IN A BREAKDOWN, WARREN REPORTED THAT THE GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE HAD EXAMINED 9,239 SETTLEMENTS COVERING 26,566 OF THE 323,933 TERMINATED CONTRACTS. IT FOUND "CONVINCING EVIDENCE," HE SAID, THAT FRAUD PLAYED A PART IN AT LEAST 549 SETTLEMENTS, TO THE TUNE OF

20,900,000 IN OVERPAYMENTS.
THIS EVIDENCE HAS BEEN SENT--OR IS BEING SENT--TO THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT FOR "APPROPRIATE ACTION," HE ADDED. OTHER CONTRACTS ABOUT WHICH THERE IS SOME SUSPICION, HE SAID, MAY BE SNT TO THE DEPARTMENT FOR SCRUTINY LATER.
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(450) AMS BUDGET
CIVIL WAR VETS
WASHINGTON,MAY 20-(AP)-THE RANKS OF THE MEN WHO FOUGHT IN THE CIVIL WAR HAVE THINNED TO LESS THAN 40 AT THIS SEASON OF MEMORIAL CEREMONIES.
THE DEATH OF JOHN GRAVES, HIGGINSVILLE,MO., MAY 9 CUT THE KNOWN SURVIVORS OF THE CONFEDERATE ARMY TO 23. ON THE UNION SIDE ONLY 16 MEN REMAINED ALIVE.
YOUNGEST OF THE UNION VETERANS IS 101-YEAR OLD THEODORE A.PENLAND, VANCOUVER,WASH., LAST COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF THE GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC. THE ELDEST IS JAMES ALBERT HARD,107, 31 PORTSMOUTH TERRACE, ROCHESTER,N.Y.
ON THE CONFEDERATE SIDE AGE RECORDS FOR MANY OF THE MEN ARE INCOMPLETE. APPARENTLY AT THE TWO EXTREMES ARE JOHN A.MARCUM, BIRTA, ARK.,96 ON MAY 14, AND R.V.COLLIE,106, LOUISBURG,N.C.
THE FORCES ARE DWINDLING FAST. ONLY A YEAR AGO THERE WERE 26 UNION VETERANS, AND 37 FORMER "REBELS." TWO YEARS AGO THE G.A.R.FORCES ALONE NUMBERED 43, AND THREE YEARS AGO THEY WERE 97. THE CONFEDERATE RANKS WERE EVEN LARGER.
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UNION VETERANS AND THEIR DEAD COMRADES ARE HONORED AT MEMORIAL SERVICES MAY 30 EXCEPT IN ALABAMA, GEORGIA, LOUISIANA, MISSISSIPPI, NORTH CAROLINA AND SOUTH CAROLINA. VIRGINIA CELEBRATES MAY 30 AS CONFEDERATE MEMORIAL DAY AS WELL.
THE OTHER SOUTHERN STATES CELEBRATE CONFEDERATE MEMORIAL DAY ON VARIOUS DATES. IN FLORIDA, GEORGIA AND MISSISSIPPI THE DATE IS APRIL 26, IN NORTH CAROLINA AND SOUTH CAROLINA MAY 10, AND IN LOUISIANA AND TENNESSEE JUNE 3.
THE VETERANS ADMINISTRATION LISTS 2,213,365 AS HAVING SERVED IN THE UNION FORCES IN THE CIVIL WAR WHICH ENDED 85 YEARS AGO. THERE STILL ARE ON THE AGENCY'S DEATH COMPENSATION ROLLS 10,348 WIDOWS AND 1,377 CHILDREN OF UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR.
ACCORDING TO RECORDS HERE, THE SURVIVING G.A.R.MEMBERS, IN ADDITION TO PENLAND AND HARD:
JOSEPH CLOVESE,106, PONTIAC,MICH., THE LAST SURVIVING NEGRO MEMBER; CHARLES W.BAILEY, 102, BALDWIN CITY,KAS.; ROBERT BARRETT SR.,103, PRINCETON,KY.; ISRAEL A.BROADSWORD,103, SAMUELS,IDAHO; DANIEL CLINGAMAN, 103, WAUSEON,OHIO; HIRAM R.GALE, 103, 770 1/2 THOMAS ST., SEATTLE; JOHN HUTCHINSON, 104, AVA,MO.; JAMES M.LURVEY,102, GOFF FALLS,N.H.; JAMES W.SMITH, 106, LEBANON,ORE.; MICHAEL J.THRALLS, 106, NYSSA,ORE.; LANSING A.WILCOX, 104, CADOTT,WIS.; ALBERT WOOLSON, 103, DULUTH,MINN.; WILLIAM A.MAGEE, 103, 973 NORTH OXFORD, LOS ANGELES; AND DOUGLAS T. STORY, 105, 1228 1/2 SOUTH BROCKTON ST., WEST LOS ANGELES.
THE SURVIVING CONFEDERATE SOLDIERS, IN ADDITION TO MARCUM AND COLLIE:
IN NORTH CAROLINA--S.M.BENNETT, 99(SONS OF CONFEDERATE VETERANS LISTE HIS AGE AS 104), YANCEY COUNTY.
FLORIDA--ROBERT K.BOYT, 102, ST.AUGUSTINE; GEORGE W.KEITH, 101, GRACEVILLE; WILLIAM A.LUNDY, 102, LAUREL HILL; JOSEPH P.ROBLES, 103, TAMPA.

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GEORGIA--WILLIAM J.BUSH, 101 OR 102, FITZGERALD.
ARKANSAS--J.G.CHISM, 102, BEN HUR; W.M.LOUDERMILK, 102, JONESBORO.
ALABAMA--P.R.CRUMP, 102, LINCOLN; J.W.MOORE,98, SELMA.
MISSISSIPPI--T.W.GUINN, NEW AUGUSTA AND JAMES A.THRASHER, BEAUVOIR, AGES NOT GIVEN.
SOUTH CAROLINA--V.E.LIFRAGE, SALTERS, AND ARNOLD MURRAY, ORANGEBURG, AGES NOT GIVEN.
VIRGINIA--CHARLES W.MATTHEWS, 102, BLUEFIELD, AND JOHN SALLING, SLANT, AGE NOT GIVEN.
TEXAS--JEREMIAH P.O'BRIEN, 104, BUNA; THOMAS E.RIDDLE, 101, AUSTIN; J.H.WHITSETT,99, BONHAM; WALTER W.WILLIAMS, 103, FRANKLIN.
LOUISIANA--WILLIAM D.TOWNSEND, OLLA, AGE NOT GIVEN.
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B18WX (Q)
(210) NIGHT LEAD CALIFORNIA VETS
MAY 21 1950
AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE
WASHINGTON, MAY 20-(AP)-THE SEARCH FOR AN "IN" AT THE WHITE HOUSE WAS CONTINUED TODAY BY WAR VETERANS WHO WANT WITHDRAWAL OF AN ORDER CLOSING THE BIRMINGHAM VETERANS HOSPITAL AT VAN NUYS, CALIF.
PAT GRISSOM, SPOKESMAN FOR THE GROUP FROM THE HOSPITAL, TOLD NEWSMEN THERE WAS "NO CHANGE IN THE SITUATION" AFTER A VISIT TO THE CAPITOL.
THIS MEANT THAT NO DEFINITE APPOINTMENT HAS BEEN MADE WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN FOR HIM AND HIS COMPANIONS, GEORGE HOMANN AND BERNARD ROSE.
THE TRIO WANT TO PRESENT TO MR.TRUMAN PERSONALLY THEIR ARGUMENTS AGAINST THE PROPOSED TRANSFER OF BIRMINGHAM'S PATIENTS TO LONG BEACH NAVAL HOSPITAL.
GRISSOM SAID "ABOUT 14 CALLS TO THE WHITE HOUSE" FAILED TO PRODUCE A DATE.
NEITHER COULD THE GROUP GET A HEARING BY HOUSE MAJORITY LEADER MCCORMACK (D-MASS). GRISSOM SAID HE WOULD BE A TARGET FOR A CONFERENCE NEXT WEEK.
HE ADDED THAT THEY ALSO WILL TRY TO SEE SPEAKER RAYBURN (D-TEXAS), AND SENATE MAJORITY LEADER LUCAS (D-ILL).
"WE ARE GOING TO CAMP HERE UNTIL WE GET TO SEE THE PRESIDENT," HE SAID.
GRISSOM SAID SENATOR SPARKMAN (D-ALA) LISTENED TO A PRESENTATION OF THEIR CASE AND EXPRESSED INTEREST.
"HE SUGGESTED THAT WE CONTACT SOME ONE WITH CLOSER TIES TO THE PRESIDENT," SAID GRISSOM.
REP.HINSHAW (R-CALIF) ESCORTED THE TRIO ON A TOUR OF CAPITOL OFFICES AFTER TREATING THEM TO LUNCH. HE INTRODUCED THEM TO A LARGE NUMBER OF CONGRESSMEN OF BOTH PARTIES.
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B16WX (Q)
WASHINGTON, MAY 20-(AP)-THE SECRETARIES OF STATE, TREASURY AND COMMERCE WERE ASKED TODAY BY REP.SADLAK (R-CONN) TO BAR FURTHER IMPORTS FROM CZECHOSLOVAKIA ON THE GROUND THEY ARE PRODUCTS OF A "SLAVE" LABOR STATE.
SADLAK WROTE THE THREE CABINET MEMBERS THAT HE HAD BEEN INFORMED

THAT DIRECTORS OF THE FIRST UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE FAIR, TO BE HELD IN CHICAGO IN AUGUST, HAS REJECTED THE EXHIBIT OF THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

THE REPRESENTATIVE SAID IT IS REPORTED THAT THE FAIR DIRECTORS TOOK THIS ACTION AT THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS.

IN VIEW OF THIS DECISION BY RESPONSIBLE GOVERNMENT AGENCIES, SADLAK SAID HE URGENTLY REQUESTED THEY BAR FURTHER IMPORTS FROM THAT COUNTRY.

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B3WX (Q)

AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE

WASHINGTON,MAY 20-(AP)-SENATOR WILEY (R-WIS) SAID TODAY OFFICIALS OF FRENCH MOROCCO "HAVE FLAGRANTLY VIOLATED INTERNATIONAL TREATIES AND PERFORMED A SERIES OF DISGRACEFUL DOUBLE-DEALING ACTIONS."

AS A RESULT, HE SAID, HE IS PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION APPROPRIATION BILL DESIGNED TO "PROTECT AMERICAN BUSINESS INTERESTS IN MOROCCO."

HE ASSERTED IN A STATEMENT THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAS BEEN "PUSSYFOOTING" AND HAS FAILED TO PROTECT U.S.CITIZENS AGAINST ILLEGAL ACTIONS IN THAT COUNTRY.

LETTERS FROM THE AMERICAN LEGION POST AND THE U.S.CHAMBER OF COMMERCE OFFICE IN MOROCCO, WILEY SAID, STATED THERE HAS BEEN ILLEGAL TAXATION OF U.S.CITIZENS AND OTHER ABUSES OF AMERICANS.

WILEY'S AMENDMENT WOULD BAR THE FRENCH FROM USING ECA FUNDS UNTIL THE ALLEGED ABUSES HAVE BEEN STOPPED.

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B15WX (Q)

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WASHINGTON,MAY 20-(AP)-A THREE-MAN CIO COMMITTEE TODAY BEGAN CONSIDERING PRO-COMMUNIST CHARGES AGAINST HARRY BRIDGES' INTERNATIONAL LONGSHOREMEN'S AND WAREHOUSEMEN'S UNION.

A THREE-DAY CLOSED HEARING ON THE CHARGES ENDED LATE LAST NIGHT. THE COMMITTEE NOW WILL CONSIDER THE EVIDENCE AT THE HEARING AND PREPARE A REPORT FOR THE CIO'S EXECUTIVE COUNCIL WHICH HAS THE POWER TO OUST THE ILWU. THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL PROBABLY WON'T MEET UNTIL LATE JUNE.

SIX CIO UNIONS ALREADY HAVE BEEN EXPELLED BY THE CIO ON SIMILAR CHARGES. A HEARING WAS RECENTLY HELD ON THE SAME CHARGES AGAINST A SEVENTH UNION, THE AMERICAN COMMUNICATIONS ASSOCIATION.

BRIDGES WAS CONVICTED ON THE WEST COAST A FEW WEEKS AGO OF FALSELY SWEARING HE WAS NOT A COMMUNIST IN OBTAINING AMERICAN CITIZENSHIP. HE IS A NATIVE OF AUSTRALIA. HIS UNION REPRESENTS DOCK WORKERS ON THE PACIFIC COAST AND DOCK AND AGRICULTURAL WORKERS IN HAWAII.

HEARINGS ON PRO-COMMUNIST CHARGES AGAINST THREE MORE CIO UNIONS HAVE BEEN SCHEDULED. ON MONDAY, A HEARING WILL BE GIVEN THE MARINE COOKS AND STEWARDS UNION, HEADED BY HUGH BRYSON. ON MAY 25, CHARGES AGAINST THE INTERNATIONAL FISHERMEN AND ALLIED WORKERS UNION, HEADED BY JOSEPH JURICH, WILL BE HEARD.

STILL ANOTHER HEARING IS SET FOR JUNE 1 FOR THE INTERNATIONAL FUR AND LEATHER WORKERS UNION, WHOSE PRESIDENT, BEN GOLD, IS A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY NATIONAL COMMITTEE.

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B17WX (Q)

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(NY RELAY SOUTH)

(160) WASHINGTON, MAY 20-(AP)-THE NAVY SAID TODAY THAT DUE TO REDUCED PILOT REQUIREMENTS, IT PLANS A TWO-THIRDS CUTBACK IN ITS AVIATION CADET FLEET ASSIGNMENT PROGRAM.

BUT IT EMPHASIZED THAT NO REDUCTION IS CONTEMPLATED IN THE NAVAL RESERVE PILOT TRAINING PROGRAM.

A NAVY STATEMENT WAS ISSUED TO CLARIFY WHAT IT TERMED INCORRECT CONCLUSIONS AS TO THE NATURE OF THE CUTBACK.

THE PLANNED REDUCTION APPLIES ONLY TO THE NUMBER OF AVIATION CADETS WHO WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THE CUSTOMARY TWO YEARS OF ACTIVE DUTY WITH THE FLEET UPON COMPLETION OF THEIR FLIGHT TRAINING COURSE, THE NAVY SAID.

THIS DOES NOT MEAN THAT CADETS SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETING TRAINING WILL NOT BE COMMISSIONER, THE NAVY STATEMENT ADDED.

DUE TO THE "REDUCED NAVY PILOT CEILING," IT EXPLAINED, ONLY ABOUT ONE-THIRD OF THE CADETS WINNING THEIR WINGS WILL GO TO THE FLEET. THE OTHER TWO-THIRDS WILL BE RETURNED TO INACTIVE DUTY.

AS DISTINGUISHED FROM THE CADET TRAINING PROGRAM, THE RESERVE PILOT TRAINING PROGRAM APPLIES TO FORMER NAVAL AVIATORS IN INACTIVE RESERVE STATUS.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 9 P.M., E.S.T., TODAY, SATURDAY, MAY 20)

(WX) (ADVANCE) NEW YORK, MAY 20-(AP)-SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON SAID TONIGHT THAT AMERICAN SCIENTISTS ARE MAKING PROGRESS ON SECRET DEVICES "TO NEUTRALIZE THE EFFECTIVENESS OF MASS DESTRUCTION WEAPONS."

IN AN OBVIOUS ALLUSION TO ATOMIC WARFARE, JOHNSON REPORTED THAT "ENCOURAGING GAINS" HAVE BEEN SCORED IN RECENT MONTHS IN THE QUEST FOR DEFENSIVE METHODS.

IN A SPEECH PREPARED FOR DELIVERY BEFORE AN ARMED FORCES DAY AUDIENCE TONIGHT, JOHNSON DECLARED:

"DEVICES AND TECHNIQUES ARE BEING DEVELOPED IN OUR LABORATORIES TO NEUTRALIZE THE EFFECTIVENESS OF MASS WEAPONS. IN RECENT MONTHS ENCOURAGING GAINS HAVE BEEN MADE ALONG LINES THAT OFFER PROMISE OF SOLUTIONS FOR SOME PROBLEMS OF HIGH PRIORITY."

JOHNSON DID NOT ELABORATE, NOR DID HE EMPHASIZE THE POINT. HOWEVER, THE TEXT OF HIS SPEECH WAS RELEASED IN ADVANCE, AND A HIGH DEFENSE OFFICIAL IN WASHINGTON TOLD A REPORTER THAT THE TWO SENTENCES WERE BASED ON "NEWSWORTHY" DEVELOPMENTS IN BEHIND-THE-SCENCES PLANNING FOR AMERICA'S DEFENSE.

JOHNSON QUOTED WILLIAM WEBSTER, CHAIRMAN OF THE RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT BOARD, AS REPORTING THAT "A FULL AND ENERGETIC PROGRAM OF WEAPONS RESEARCH (IS) IN PROGRESS," AND THE DEFENSE CHIEF COMMENTED:

"WE ARE EXPLOITING THE SCIENTIFIC AND INDUSTRIAL CAPABILITIES OF AMERICA IN OUR INTENSIVE SEARCH FOR MORE EFFECTIVE WEAPONS OF DEFENSE AND OFFENSE. WE ARE MAKING EVERY REASONABLE EFFORT TO MAINTAIN A MARGIN OF TECHNOLOGICAL SUPERIORITY.

"WE SHALL NEED IT," HE SAID, "TO OFFSET THE PROBABLE NUMERICAL SUPERIORITY OF AN AGGRESSOR."

JOHNSON HAILED THE NEWLY-ACHIEVED AGREEMENT OF THE 12 ATLANTIC TREATY NATIONS TO UNITE IN A SINGLE DEFENSE, AND HE TOLD HIS

LISTENERS:
"IT IS FREEDOM THAT ALL OF US SEEK -- FREEDOM FROM THE BORING OF COMMUNIST TERMITES INTO THE FOUNDATIONS OF OUR INSTITUTIONS, AND FREEDOM FROM THE THREAT OF RUSSIAN IMPERIALISTIC AGGRESSION AGAINST THE RAMPARTS OF OUR TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY."
JOHNSON LISTED THESE ADVANCES UNDER THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY:
1. DEFENSE PLANNING BY THE PACT NATIONS HAS REACHED A NEW PEAK OF INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION;
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2. THE MAJOR DEFICIENCES IN WESTERN EUROPE'S EQUIPMENT HAVE BEEN DETERMINED AND AMERICAN WEAPONS HAVE STARTED ACROSS THE ATLANTIC TO MEET THE NEEDS OF OUR EUROPEAN ALLIES;
3. AMERICAN TOOLS AND MACHINERY HAVE STEPPED UP MILITARY PRODUCTION IN WESTERN EUROPE;
4. THE 12 TREATY POWERS ARE WORKING TOWARD STANDARDIZATION OF MILITARY EQUIPMENT.
AS FOR AMERICAN SERVICEMEN TODAY, JOHNSON SAID THEIR QUALITY AND TRAINING "APPROACHES THE BEST WE HAD IN WARTIME."
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A16PX (SHORTS)
PHILADELPHIA, MAY 20-(AP)-ADMIRAL WILLIAM F.HALSEY, JR., SAYS "PUSH BUTTON WAR IS NOT AROUND THE CORNER," INSISTING THAT THE ORDINARY FIGHTING MAN--ON LAND, ON SEA AND IN THE AIR--STILL STANDS AS ONE OF THE MOST VITAL FACTORS IN ANY FUTURE STRUGGLE.
GRANTING THAT A THIRD WORLD WAR WOULD BE MORE THAN EVER ONE OF APPLIED SCIENCE AND BRING INTO USE DEADLIER WEAPONS THAN ARMIES HAVE HAD TO COMBAT HERETOFORE, HALSEY DECLARED THAT TRAINED MANPOWER MUST REMAIN THE MAIN BULWARK OF THE NATION'S MILITARY STRENGTH.
THE ADMIRAL, NOW RETIRED, SPOKE YESTERDAY AT A LUNCHEON GIVEN BY PATRIOTIC GROUPS IN HONOR OF THE FIRST ARMED FORCES DAY.
HE PUT IN A STRONG WORD FOR KEEPING AMERICA''''''''''''''''''''''''''''

HE PUT IN A STRONG WORD FOR KEEPING AMERICA'S AIR MIGHT AT A POTENT LEVEL, POINTING OUT THAT "AIR POWER IS OF THE GREATEST IMPORTANCE IN OBTAINING AND MAINTAINING MASTERY OF THE SEAS."
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B21WX (BEGQ)
(220) (ADVANCE FOR USE AT 2:15 P.M., E.S.T., TODAY, SATURDAY, MAY 20)
SNYDER
(ADVANCE) (WX) PHILADELPHIA, MAY 20-(AP)-SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY SNYDER TOLD A STUDENTS' GROUP TODAY THAT "OPPORTUNITIES HAVE NEVER BEEN SO GREAT AND SO INTERESTING AS THOSE OFFERED TODAY."
"WE HAVE EVERY REASON TO HAVE CONFIDENCE IN THE FUTURE OF OUR COUNTRY," HE SAID IN AN ADDRESS PREPARED FOR FOUNDER'S DAY EXERCISES AT STEPHEN GIRARD COLLEGE HERE.
THE TREASURY CHIEF POINTED TO "NEW PRODUCTS AND ENTIRE NEW INDUSTRIES CONSTANTLY BEING DEVELOPED" AS AFFORDING MANY NEW EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES "TO ALL WHO WILL AVAIL THEMSELVES OF THEM."
THE RAPIDLY EXPANDING POPULATION ITSELF "ENLARGES THE MARKET FOR INDUSTRIAL GOODS X X X INCREASES THE DEMAND FOR DOCTORS, LAWYERS, TEACHERS AND OTHER PROFESSIONAL PEOPLE," HE CONTINUED, ADDING:
"AS NEW COMMUNITIES DEVELOP, THERE IS NEED FOR BUSINESS, PARTICULARLY SMALL BUSINESSES, AND FOR TRADESPEOPLE OF ALL KINDS."
SNYDER REITERATED HIS FEELINGS THAT "THE BUSINESS OUTLOOK AT THE PRESENT TIME IS VERY GOOD--THE GENERAL BUSINESS FEELING TODAY IS ONE OF NOTICEABLE OPTIMISM."
"IT IS NO LONGER ENOUGH, HOWEVER, THAT WE CONCERN OURSELVES SOLELY WITH THE OUTLOOK FOR OUR OWN DOMESTIC ECONOMY," HE SAID.
"THE FAITH, THE CONFIDENCE, THE VISION WHICH HAVE CHARACTERIZED OUR COUNTRY MUST NOW BE DIRECTED TOWARD WORLD-WIDE PROBLEMS. X X X
"IMPROVED STANDARDS OF LIVING IN THE LESS TECHNICALLY DEVELOPED AREAS WILL MEAN EXPANDED MARKETS FOR THE THINGS WHICH WE PRODUCE, AND WILL MEAN THAT THESE AREAS WILL BE ABLE TO SEND US, IN RETURN, PRODUCTS WHICH WE NEED."
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NEW CASTLE,PA., MAY 20-(AP)-LT. GENERAL LESLIE GROVES, WARTIME CHIEF OF THE MANHATTAN PROJECT WHICH DEVELOPED THE ATOMIC BOMB, SAID TONIGHT THE UNITED STATES DOES NOT HAVE AS MUCH INITITATIVE IN DEVELOPING ATOMIC RESEARCH AS RUSSIA.
IN A SPEECH TO THE 15TH ANNUAL CONVENTION OF THE PENNSYLVANIA SOCIETY OF PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS, GROVES ADDED:
"RUSSIA HAS THE INITATIVE AND CAN START A WAR WHENEVER SHE WANTS TO."
GROVES SAID THERE IS NEED FOR MEN TODAY WHO HAVE THREE ESSENTIAL QUALITIES, DECLARING:
"IN YEAR GONE BY OUR LEADERS NEEDED INDIVIDUAL COURAGE." LATER TO THIS REQUIREMENT WAS ADDED INTEGRITY AND TODAY, ALONG WITH TECHNICAL AND SCIENTIFIC ADVANTAGES WE ALSO NEED MEN WITH INTELLIGENCE."
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CAMBRIDGE SPRINGS,PA., MAY 20-(AP)-DR. ARTHUR P.COLEMAN, WHO RESIGNED FROM THE FACULTY OF COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY TWO YEARS AGO IN PROTEST AGAINST A $30,000 GRANT FROM COMMUNIST-DOMINATED POLAND, WILL BECOME PRESIDENT OF ALLIANCE COLLEGE JUNE 4.
REPRESENTATIVES OF MORE THAN 30 U.S. COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES WILL ATTEND THE CEREMONY WHICH WILL BE HELD IN CONJUNCTION WITH ALLIANCE COMMEN CEMENT EXERCISES.
JOHN A.JADUS HAS BEEN ACTING PRESIDENT OF THE COLLEGE SINCE THE RESIGNATION OF JOHN J.KOLASA TWO YEARS AGO.
DR. COLEMAN WAS PROFESSOR OF SLAV LANGUAGES AT COLUMBIA AT THE TIME OF HIS RESIGNATION. HE WALKED OUT WHEN THE UNIVERSITY DECIDED TO ACCEPT THE FUND FROM THE POLISH GOVERNMENT FOR A PROFESSORSHIP AT COLUMBIA.
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NIGHT LEAD RENDER (470)
BY BETTY PROSSER
GLENVIEW, ILL., MAY 20-(AP)-A TREMBLING WIFE WHO NEVER LOST HOPE AND A SOLEMN-EYED LITTLE GIRL WHO SCARCELY REMEMBERED HURLED THEMSELVES AT A TALL, THIN MARINE AS HE ALIGHTED FROM A NAVY PLANE TODAY.

SGT. ELMER C. BENDER, PRISONER OF THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS SINCE OCTOBER, 1948, STAGGERED AND BEAMED UNDER ONE OF THE PLEASANTEST ASSAULT WAVES IN MARINE CORPS HISTORY. THEN THE LITTLE FAMILY DUCKED INSIDE THE PLANE FOR A PRIVATE REUNION.

MRS.SHIRLEY BENDER, 25, AND FOUR-YEAR-OLD KATHY HAD BEEN WAITING AT GLENVIEW NAVAL AIR STATION FOR NEARLY TWO HOURS. SO HAD HIS MOTHER, HIS PARENTS-IN-LAW, AND A MOB OF NAVY AND MARINE CORPS PERSONNEL, NEWSMEN AND PHOTOGRAPHERS.

WHEN THE BIG SILVER PLANE DIPPED OUT OF THE SUN ONTO THE AIRFIELD, MRS. BENDER CLUTCHED KATHY'S HAND TENSELY. THE RAMP WAS SWUNG INTO POSITION, THE PLANE DOOR SWUNG OPEN--AND OUT STEPPED SGT.BENDER. HE DIDN'T GET A CHANCE TO SPEAK--HIS WIFE RUSHED INTO HIS ARMS, KATHY JUST BEHIND HER. WHEN THE THREE EMERGED FROM THE PLANE SOME FIVE MINUTES LATER, THE SERGEANT WAS WEARING A CROOKED SMEAR OF LIPSTICK AND HIS WIFE'S CORSAGE WAS SQUASHED FLAT.

MRS. BENDER HADN'T HEARD A WORD FROM HER HUSBAND SINCE HE AND WILLIAM C.SMITH, 32, OF LONG BEACH, CALIF., NAVY CHIEF ELECTRICIAN'S MATE,WERRE SEIZED BY CHINESE COMMUNISTS WHEN THEIR SMALL OBSERVATION PLANE WAS FORCED DOWN NEAR TSINGTAO 19 MONTHS AGO.

BUT SHE "NEVER GAVE UP HOPE," SHE SAID TODAY. SHE SPENT THE TIME WORKING FOR HER HUSBAND'S RELEASE, CONTACTING GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS, MARINE CORPS OFFICERS AND THE PRESS FOR WHATEVER HELP THEY COULD OFFER.

ON MAY 3, SGT. BENDER AND CHIEF SMITH WERE RELEASED AT TSINGTAO. THEY TRAVELED TO HONG KONG ON A BRITISH STEAMER, THEN WERE FLOWN HOME BY THE NAVY. SMITH WAS REUNITED WITH HIS WIFE AND TWO CHILDREN YESTERDAY AT LONG BEACH.

AS FOR FUTURE PLANS, SGT. BENDER SAID "I'M DEFINITELY GOING TO SHIP OVER" (RE-ENLIST IN THE MARINES.) BUT FIRST, THERE'S TO BE A VACATION--"I WOULD LIKE TO BE ALONE WITH MY WIFE."

MRS. BENDER DIDN'T CARE WHAT THE PLANS WERE; SHE WAS ONLY BRIMMING OVER WITH RELIEF AT NOT HAVING TO PLAN ALONE ANY MORE. ASKED HOW SHE FELT ABOUT HER HUSBAND'S DECISION TO RE-ENLIST, SHE SMILED, "I DON'T KNOW--I DON'T KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT IT. HE'S HOME, AND THAT'S ENOUGH."

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THE SERGEANT'S MOTHER, MRS. EDNA BENDER OF CINCINNATI, AND HIS PARENTS-IN-LAW, MR. AND MRS.EDWARD SINDEN OF CHICAGO, BEAMED AS THEY GREETED THE DARK, FIT-LOOKING MARINE. SINDEN APOLOGIZED FOR A GROWTH OF STUBBLE ON HIS FACE, BUT ADDED: "IF I'D TRIED TO SHAVE THIS MORNING, I'D HAVE CUT MY THROAT."

LITTLE KATHY, ONLY YESTERDAY RELEASED FROM A MEASLES QUARANTINE, WAS A BIT MORE THAN TWO YEARS OLD WHEN HER DADDY WAS TAKEN PRISONER. BUT HER MOTHER KEPT HIS MEMORY ALIVE FOR THE YOUNGSTER--AND SHE SNUGGLED TRUSTINGLY BUT UNSMILINGLY UP TO HIM AS HE CARRIED HER FROM THE AIRSTRIP.

FOLLOWING HIS ARRIVAL, BENDER WAS GUEST OF HONOR AT AN ARMED FORCES DAY LUNCHEON IN CHICAGO. HE HEARD SECRETARY OF THE NAVY FRANCIS P. MATTHEWS TELL THE AUDIENCE THAT AMERICA'S "DANGER IS NO LESS GRAVE TODAY THAN OUR POSITION WAS AFTER PEARL HARBOR."

"WE ARE FIGHTING THE COLD WAR AGAINST AN ENEMY MORE CRUEL AND MERCILESS THAN HITLER WAS EVER CAPABLE OF BEING," SECRETARY MATTHEWS SAID. "AS YET, THE CONTEST IS UNBALANCED AGAINST US."

BENDER RECEIVED AN OVATION FROM THE APPROXIMATELY 500 LUNCHEON GUESTS. THEN HE HEADED A PARADE OF 25,000 DOWN MICHIGAN AVENUE IN OBSERVATION OF ARMED FORCES DAY. LATER TODAY, HE HOPED, HE'D GET THAT CHANGE "TO BE ALONE WITH MY WIFE."

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B91WX (Q)

PRECEDE WESTOVER (B66)

(WX)...ANDREWS FIELD, MD., MAY 20-(AP)-MRS. YVETTE MADSEN, UNDER A 15 YEAR SENTENCE FOR THE PISTOL SLAYING OF HER AIR FORCE HUSBAND, ARRIVED HERE TODAY BY PLANE FROM GERMANY.

THE SLIM, 22-YEAR-OLD WOMAN WILL BE TAKEN TO THE WOMEN'S REFORMATORY AT ALDERSON, W.VA., TO SERVE HER SENTENCE.

GUARDED BY MILITARY POLICE, MRS. MADSEN WAS FLOWN HERE FROM WESTOVER AIR FORCE BASE, MASS., WHERE SHE STOPPED OFF BRIEFLY AFTER ARRIVING FROM FRANKFURT.

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B66 (Q)

WESTOVER AIR FORCE BASE, MASS., MAY 20-(AP)-SLIM, 22-YEAR-OLD MRS. YVETTE MADSEN, EN ROUTE FROM GERMANY BY AIR TO SERVE A 15-YEAR SENTENCE FOR THE PISTOL SLAYING OF HER AIR FORCE HUSBAND STOPPED OFF BRIEFLY HERE TODAY.

GUARDED BY TWO MILITARY POLICEMEN AND A WOMEN'S AIR FORCE CAPTAIN, SHE WAS NOT PERMITTED TO TALK TO ANYONE AS SHE SWITCHED FROM A CONSTELLATION THAT LEFT FRANKFURT YESTERDAY TO A C-47 THAT WILL TAKE HER TO WASHINGTON.

A U.S. HIGH COMMISSION APPEALS COURT LAST WEEK AFFIRMED THE CONVICTION OF MRS. MADSEN, THE MOTHER OF TWO CHILDREN, FOR THE SLAYING LAST OCT. 19 OF AIR FORCE LIEUT. ANDREW E. MADSEN OF OAKLAND, CALIF.

SHE WILL SERVE HER SENTENCE AT THE WOMEN'S REFORMATORY AT ALDERSON, W.VA.

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NEW ORLEANS,MAY 20-(AP)-VICE PRESIDENT ALBEN BARKLEY SAID TONIGHT THE UNITED STATES MAY HAVE TO OCCUPY MORE COUNTRIES BEFORE THE COLD WAR ENDS.

HE TOLD AN ARMED FORCES DAY BANQUET THAT "WE MUST DRIVE BACK THIS MONSTER THAT HAS CREPT OVER THE EARTH, DESTROYING THE FREEDOM OF MAN."

HE DID NOT IDENTIFY THE MONSTER AS SOVIET RUSSIA, BUT AS A WORLD WAR II ALLY THAT HAD "BECOME SO SELFISH AND SO DOMINEERING THAT IT WOULD BLOCK THE PEACE ALL MEN HOPED FOR."

BARKLEY DID NOT SAY WHICH COUNTRIES MAY HAVE TO BE OCCUPIED.

HE SAID THERE SEEMS TO BE LITTLE PROSPECT FOR A PEACE TREATY, MAKING IT NECESSARY TO MAINTAIN ARMED FORCES ALL OVER THE WORLD.

THE VICE PRESIDENT ADDED THE UNITED STATES WAS FORCED TO INCREASE ITS BUDGET TO KEEP UP WITH ITS ARMED FORCES. "BECAUSE OF THAT NATION SO BRUTAL, WITH NO CONCERN FOR ITS FELLOW MEN," BARKLEY SAID, "WE NOW HAVE TO SPEND THREE TIMES AS MUCH ON NATIONAL DEFENSE AS WE WOULD IF PEACE HAD COME."

HE ASSERTED, HOWEVER, "WE MUST NOT BE DISCOURAGED," AND POINTED TO THE CENTURIES-OLD FIGHT OF POLAND FOR INDEPENDENCE.

"AFTER THE LAST FIGHT (WORLD WAR II) THEY FIND THEMSELVES WITH A GOVERNMENT IMPOSED BY THE SOVIET UNION, ALL OF THEIR FREEDOMS SNUFFED OUT BY COMMUNISM," HE CONTINUED.

BARKLEY SAID "WE CAN'T ENDANGER OUR COUNTRY TO SAVE A FEW DOLLARS IN THE U.S.TREASURY. IT WOULD COST FAR MORE TO FIGHT WORLD WAR III.

"THE WAR IS OVER, BUT THE DURATION MAY HAVE JUST STARTED. WE

CANNOT BE FREE IF THE REST OF THE WORLD IS IN SLAVERY."
HE SAID THE UNITED STATES ASKED NO REWARD FOR ITS CONTRIBUTIONS IN MARSHALL PLAN AND OTHER AID EXCEPT TO BE ALLOWED TO LIVE IN PEACE WITHOUT FEAR, SUSPICION AND UNDERGROUND MOVEMENTS.
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(ST IN) (190)
(ADVANCE TO BE HELD FOR RELEASE EXPECTED ABOUT 12 NOON, EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY, MAY 20.)
(ADVANCE)..ST.LOUIS, MAY 20-(AP)-ADM. FORREST P.SHERMAN SAID TODAY THE UNITED STATES MUST MAINTAIN A POWERFUL MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT BECAUSE OF "A TOTALITARIAN DICTATORSHIP AVOWEDLY ASPIRING TO WORLD DOMINATION."
THE CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS WARNED AN ARMED FORCES DAY LUNCHEON GATHERING "WE CANNOT QUICKLY CHANGE THE FACTS THAT NOW EXIST."
ADMIRAL SHERMAN SAID AMERICANS CAN HOPE FOR THE SATELLITE COUNTRIES IN EUROPE TO GRADUALLY SEPARATE THEMSELVES FROM "RUSSIAN OVERLORDSHIP" AND FOR CHINA EVENTUALLY TO BECOME AN INDEPENDENT NATION.
"GRADUALLY, WE CAN EXPECT WESTERN EUROPE TO REESTABLISH ITSELF WITH SUFFICIENT STRENGTH TO GIVE BALANCE TO THE WORLD POWER SITUATION," HE SAID.
"UNTIL THESE THINGS COME ABOUT, I BELIEVE WE MUST MAINTAIN A POWERFUL MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT."
THE ONLY SAFE COURSE WILL PROVE COSTLY, HE SAID, AND "WILL REQUIRE SUSTAINED EFFORT AND MAY CALL FOR GREAT SACRIFICES."
"WE MAY NOT BE ABLE TO DO THINGS WE WOULD GREATLY PREFER," HE ADDED. "HOWEVER, TO ME, THERE IS NO CHOICE, AND THE PRESERVATION OF FREEDOM IS WORTH THE INEVITABLE PRICE."
(END ADVANCE TO BE HELD FOR RELEASE EXPECTED ABOUT 12 NOON, EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY, MAY 20).
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B1AH (Q)
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OMAHA, MAY 19-(AP)-UNIFICATION OF THE ARMED FORCES IS PROCEEDING "SMOOTHLY AND HARMONIOUSLY," SECRETARY OF THE NAVY FRANCIS P. MATTHEWS DECLARED TODAY.
THE NAVY SECRETARY WAS IN OMAHA TO DELIVER A ACOMMENCEMENT" ADDR

THE NAVY SECRETARY WAS IN OMAHA TO DELIVER A "COMMENCEMENT" ADDRESS CLOSING A TWO-WEEK ECONOMIC MOBILIZATION COURSE CONDUCTED BY THE INDUSTRIAL COLLEGE OF THE ARMED FORCES TO MORE THAN 300 PERSONS FROM 22 STATES.
HE CITED THE ECONOMIC MOBILIZATION COURSE, TAUGHT BY OFFICERS OF ALL SERVICES, AS AN EXAMPLE OF THIS HARMONY.
THE SECRETARY TOLD THE CIVILIANS AND RESERVE OFFICERS THEY MUST HELP THE UNITED STATES FACE A NEW WORLD WHICH "FURNISHES TOO FEW PRECEDENTS TO GUIDE OUR CONDUCT."
HE DECLARED THAT SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON BELIEVES WITH WINSTON CHURCHILL THAT WAR IS NOT INEVITABLE.
"BUT MR.ACHESON RECOGNIZES THAT WE MUST NEGOTIATE FROM A POSITION OF STRENRTH," MATTHEWS SAID. "IT IS NECESSARY FOR THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT TO BECOME STRONG, EVEN STRONGER THAN IT IS WITHOUT YIELDING IN PRINCIPLES WHICH WE DARE NOT SACRIFICE."
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B30KX (Q)
(200)
HOUSTON, TEXAS, MAY 20-(AP)-THREE SPANISH STOWAWAYS TODAY SAID THEY'D RATHER BE DEAD THAN BE FORCED TO RETURN TO SPAIN.
THE TRIO, INCLUDING TWO BROTHERS, WERE ARRESTED HERE YESTERDAY UPON ARRIVAL OF THE SS SUE LYKES FROM FRANCE.
AN IMMIGRATION BOARD HEARING IS SET FOR MONDAY FOR ANTONIO NAVARRO MENDEZ, 25, AND HIS BROTHER JUAN, 26, OF BARCELONA, AND SEVERIANO MARTIN GONZALEZ, 29, FROM LA CORUNA.
THEY HOPE TO GO TO SOUTH AMERICA WHERE THEY SAY THEY HAVE RELATIVES.
AT THE HARRIS COUNTY JAIL TODAY EACH TOLD REPORTERS, THROUGH AN INTERPRETER, THERE WOULD BE NO HOPE FOR THEM SHOULD THEY BE RETURNED TO SPAIN.
MARTIN SAID HE IS A SOCIALIST, IS NOT WELCOME IN SPAIN AND LEFT THERE IN JANUARY "TO KEEP FROM BEING HANGED." HE SAID HE WAS A MERCHANT AT LA CORUNA.
THE BROTHERS SAID THEY WERE SPANISH REPUBLICANS. ANTONIO SAID HE ESCAPED FROM THE CASTLE OF BARCELONA MILITARY PRISON IN 1948 AND THAT JUAN ESCAPED FROM THE GUARD HOUSE AT CARTAGENA THE FOLLOWING YEAR.
"OUR FATHER WAS CHIEF COMMANDER OF THE REPUBLICAN DEFENSE OF BARCELONA DURING THE CIVIL WAR AND WAS EXECUTED BY A FIRING SQUAD WHEN FRANCO WON THE WAR," HE SAID.
THE TRIO MET IN PARIS AFTER ESCAPING IN SPAIN.
THEY STOWED AWAY ON THE LYKES SHIP MAY 4. THE SHIP'S CREW FOUND THEM TWO DAYS LATER.
THE BROTHERS SAY THEY HAVE AN UNCLE IN BRAZIL. MARTIN SAID HE HAS AN UNCLE IN VENEZUELA.
EW452PCS

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B65KX (Q)
(120)
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FORT WORTH, TEX., MAY 20-(AP)-THREE OF THE WORLD'S BIGGEST BOMBERS WILL TAKE OFF JUST BEFORE MIDNIGHT MONDAY FOR PUERTO RICO AND THE FIRST LANDING OF B-36S AWAY FROM THE NORTH AMERICAN CONTINENT.
BRIG.GEN.C.E.IRVINE, COMMANDER OF THE 7TH BOMBARDMENT WING, WILL LEAD THE FLIGHT. HE SAID THE SHIPS WON'T FLY DIRECTLY TO PUERTO RICO BUT WILL VARY THEIR COURSES FOR RADAR, BOMBING, GUNNERY AND NAVIGATION TRAINING.
HE SAID THE PLANES WILL LAND AT RAMEY AIR BASE, PUERTO RICO, TUESDAY OR WEDNESDAY, AND REMAIN UNTIL POSSIBLY FRIDAY OF NEXT WEEK BEFORE STARTING BACK TO FORT WORTH.
NUMEROUS TRAINING MISSIONS HAVE BEEN FLOWN FROM CARSWELL AIR FORCE BASE HERE TO ALASKA. ONE NON-STOP FLIGHT FROM FORT WORTH TO HONOLULU WAS FLOWN ON DECEMBER 6-7, 1948.
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B12KX (Q)
NIGHT LEAD

LOS ANGELES, MAY 20 (AP)-THE PRIME MINISTER OF PAKISTAN GOT THE FEEL OF SOME UNADULTERATED CALIFORNIA SUNSHINE--98 DEGREES WORTH TO BE PRECISE--WHEN HE STEPPED FROM HIS PLANE AT BELOW-SEA-LEVEL EL CENTRO
TODAY.

LIAQUAT ALI KAHN FLEW TO THIS VEGETABLE CENTER IN THE FERTILE IMPERIAL VALLEY TO VISIT COUNTRYMEN WHO ARE FARMERS. HE WAS GREETED BY SOME 60 MEMBERS OF THE IMPERIAL VALLEY PAKISTAN ASSOCIATION AND THEN WAS LUNCHEON GUEST OF THE COMMANDER OF NAVAL AIR STATION, COMDR.CLAUDE WILKINSON.

"MISS IMPERIAL VALLEY," MAXINE DOTSON OF BRAWLEY, PRESENTED A BASKET OF FLOWERS TO THE PRIME MINISTER. HE DEPARTS FOR HOUSTON, TEX., TOMORROW.

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LOS ANGELES, MAY 20-(AP)-PAKISTAN IS RECEIVING MANY REQUESTS FOR PERMITS TO DRILL AND DEVELOP ITS OIL LANDS, PRIME MINISTER LIAQUAT ALI KHAN TOLD NEWSMEN AT A PRESS CONFERENCE BEFORE HIS DEPARTURE TODAY FOR CALIFORNIA'S IMPERIAL VALLEY.

THE POSSIBILITY OF PAKISTAN BEING MUCH SOUGHT AFTER IN THE COLD WAR BETWEEN THE WESTERN NATIONS AND RUSSIA WAS INDICATED AT THE CONFERENCE. THE ISLAMIC PRIME MINISTER SAID: "THERE IS OIL APPARENT IN EAST PAKISTAN AS WELL AS WEST PAKISTAN. I BELIEVE THE FUTURE OF PETROLEUM DEVELOPMENT IN PAKISTAN IS BRIGHT--VERY BRIGHT, INDEED."

THE PRIME MINISTER AND HIS PARTY WILL VISIT A GROUP OF HIS COUNTRYMEN WHO ARE FARMING IN THE IMPERIAL VALLEY.

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A61KX (140)

LOS ANGELES, MAY 20-(AP)-THREE AIR FORCE F-86 SABRE JET FIGHTER PLANES BROKE THE SPEED RECORD FROM SAN FRANCISCO TO LOS ANGELES TODAY IN A FEATURE OF ARMED FORCES DAY.

THE AIR FORCE SAID THE FASTEST OF THE TRIO FLEW THE 360 AIR MILES FROM MILLS FIELD, SAN FRANCISCO, TO LOS ANGELES INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT IN 32 MINUTES, 56 SECONDS.

THIS SHIP WAS PILOTED BY CAPT.RICHARD D.CREIGHTON, 71ST FIGHTER INTERCEPTOR SQUADRON.

THE OTHER TWO WERE: CAPT.WYMAN D.ANDERSON, 94TH SQUADRON, 33 MINUTES, 11 SECONDS. AND CAPT. JOHN D.SMITH, 27TH SQUADRON, 35 MINUTES, 39 SECONDS. THE THREE

THE THREE SQUADRONS MAKE UP THE FIRST FIGHTER INTERCEPTOR WING BASED AT MARCH AIR FORCE BASE, RIVERSIDE,CALIF.

AIR FORCE SPOKESMEN SAID TODAY'S FLIGHTS WERE OFFICIALLY TIMED BY THE NATIONAL AERONAUTIC ASSOCIATION.

THE PREVIOUS OFFICIAL RECORD, 49 .8,753', WAS SET BY SPEED FLYER PA

THE PREVIOUS OFFICIAL RECORD, 49 MINUTES, WAS SET BY SPEED FLYER PAUL MANTZ MARCH 29, 1949. THE UNOFFICIAL PREVIOUS RECORD WAS 34 MINUTES, 54 SECONDS, SET JAN.23, 1950, BY LT.CMDR. JOHN L.BUTTS IN A CARRIER BASED F9F-2 FIGHTER.

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AMS BUDGET
BERLIN (350)
BY DANIEL DE LUCE
BERLIN, MAY 21-(AP)-A COMMUNIST FREE GERMAN YOUTH (FDJ) OFFICIAL, WHO DESCRIBED HIMSELF AS A DESERTER, SAID TDAY IRON MEASURES OF THE WEST HAVE SCARED OFF MANY FROM THE PROPOSED MARCH ON BERLIN NEXT WEEKEND.

HE SAID ONLY ABOUT 250,000-NOT THE 500,000 THE LEADERS HAVE BOASTED WOULD PARTICIPATE IN THE WHITSUNTIDE RALLY---WILL SHOW UP. MANY EAST ZONE PARENTS -- DISTURBED BY WESTERN COUNTER-PROPAGANDA-- WON'T LET THEIR CHILDREN ATTEND, HE ADDED, AND ONLY ABOUT 6,000 YOUNG PROPAGANDISTS ACTUALLY HAVE BEEN ASSIGNEEIDMTE T

PROPAGANDISTS ACTUALLY HAVE BEEN ASSIGNED TO THE TASK OF FILTERING INTO WEST BERLIN.

THE ANTI-COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER, TELEGRAF, GAVE FULL CREDENCE TO HIS STORY THOUGH THE POSSIBILITY REMAINED HIS ACCOUNT WAS INTENDED TO PLANT A FALSE FEELING OF SECURITY AMONG WESTERNERS. THE OFFICIAL, WHO SAID HE WAS A MEMBER OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF COMMUNIST YOUTH, WAS NOT NAMED.

ACCORDING TO THE FUGITIVE, MOST OF THE DEMONSTRATORS WILL BE UNDER STRICT DISCIPLINE TO KEEP THEM ON THEIR OWN SIDE OF THE EAST SECTOR BOUNDARY.

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MOST OF THOSE ASSIGNED TO INFILTRATE INTO THE WESTERN SECTORS "WILL STAND ON THE SOVIET-ALLIED BOUNDARY, CHEER PASSING COLUMNS, SING SONGS AND SEEK TO JOIN THE MARCHERS AS PSEUDO-WEST BERLINERS," HE ASSERTED.

SOME WILL ATTEMPT TO MAKE SPEECHES URGING WEST BERLINERS TO SUPPORT THE RALLY.

"THE CHIEF ACTION ON THE BOUNDARY IS PLANNED TO LAST 20 MINUTES. THE MAIN POINTS ARE BRANDENBURG GATE AND POTSDAMER PLATZ," HE SAID.

THE GRECIAN-STYLE GATE AND THE BIG SQUARE ARE OLD TROUBLE SPOTS ON THE DIVIDING LINE IN BERLIN'S RIOTOUS COLD WAR. THE BRANDENBURG GATE IS WHERE RUSSIAN TROOPS OPENED FIRE ON WESTERN GERMAN YOUTH DURING A DEMONSTRATION IN 1948. POTSDAMER PLATZ IS WHERE WESTERN GERMANS STONED EAST GERMAN POLICE ON MAY DAY.

THE FUGITIVE SAID THE FREE GERMAN YOUTH (FDJ) EXPECTED A NUMBER OF ITS YOUNG AGITATORS WOULD BE ARRESTED AND THIS WOULD MAKE GOOD PROPAGANDA AGAINST WESTERN "POLICE TERROR".

IN MOST CASES, HE SAID, THE DEMONSTRATORS WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO LEAVE THEIR TRANSPORT VEHICLES. POLICE WILL BE ASSIGNED TO SEE THAT THEY DON'T, AND "WHOEVER STRAYS AWAY WON'T GET ANY FOOD."

ABOUT 8,000 ALLIED TROOPS HAVE CARRIED OUT THREE MONTHS OF ANTI-RIOT DRILLS AND HAVE ORDERS TO SHOOT IF NECESSARY. ABOUT 11,000 WEST BERLIN POLICE, INCLUDING TEAR-GAS SQUADS, WILL BE IN THE FRONT LINE TO MAINTAIN ORDER.

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AMS BUDGET
FRENCH-GERMAN (370)

COLOGNE, GERMANY, MAY 21-(AP)-WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER SAID TODAY THE SCHUMAN PLAN TO POOL FRENCH AND GERMAN COAL AND STEEL OUTPUT WOULD ELIMINATE FRENCH-GERMAN FRICTION OVER THE SAAR.

WITH THE SAAR OUTPUT GOING INTO THE COMMON POOL, THE QUESTION OF WHETHER THE SAAR WAS FRENCH OR GERMAN WOULD LOSE ITS SIGNIFICANCE, HE SAID.

ADENAUER ADDRESSED A NORTH RHINE-WESTPHALIAN STATE ELECTION CAMPAIGN RALLY OF HIS RIGHT-OF-CENTER CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATIC UNION (CDU) IN THIS CATHEDRAL CITY WHERE HE ONCE WAS MAYOR.

THE SAAR, COAL-RICH BASIN ON THE FRENCH-GERMAN BORDER, HAS BEEN A BONE OF CONTENTION BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES FOR MORE THAN 150 YEARS. IT BECAME GERMAN IN A PLEBISCITE PRIOR TO WORLD WAR TWO. AFTER THE WAR, THE FRENCH PROMISED IT VIRTUAL AUTONOMY IN RETURN FOR RIGHTS TO ITS COAL PRODUCTION.

ADENAUER SAID HE EXPECTED TO CONFER TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, PRESUMABLY IN THE BONN VICINITY, WITH JEAN MONNET, FRENCH ECONOMIC PLANNER.

MONNET IS CREDITED WITH HAVING WORKED CLOSELY WITH FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN ON DETAILS OF THE PLAN.

WITH ITS POSSIBILITY OF BURYING OLD FRENCH-GERMAN ANIMOSITIES, THE PLAN HAS CAUSED A SENSATION IN DIPLOMATIC CIRCLES RIVALING THAT OF THE MARSHALL PLAN FOR EUROPEAN RECOVERY.

ADENAUER CALLED UPON WEST GERMANY TO ACCEPT AN INVITATION TO JOIN THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL AND TO TAKE ALL NECESSARY STEPS TO MAKE THE SCHUMAN PLAN A REALITY.

HE SAID IMPORTANT AND DECISIVE NEGOTIATIONS ON IT SHOULD NOT BE CARRIED ON BY "POLITICIANS" BUT BY EXPERTS WITH A BROAD UNDERSTANDING OF ECONOMICS. ADENAUER SAID ON THE GERMAN SIDE REPRESENTATIVES OF WORKERS WOULD HAVE A PART IN THE NEGOTIATIONS.

SCHUMAN, IN A SPEECH AT NANTES, FRANCE, ASSURED FRENCH WORKING MEN THAT THEIR LABOR UNION REPRESENTATIVES WOULD SIT IN ON EVERY STAGE OF THE NEGOTIATIONS. THE FRENCH CABINET MINISTER ALSO EMPHASIZED THAT THE PLAN WAS INTENDED TO ELIMINATE ANY POSSIBILITY OF WAR BETWEEN FRANCE AND GERMANY.

ADENAUER COUPLED HIS ENDORSEMENT OF THE SCHUMAN PLAN WITH AN ATTACK ON WEST GERMANY'S SOCIALISTS, WHO FORM THE REPUBLIC'S SECOND LARGEST POLITICAL PARTY.

THE SOCIALISTS HAVE ANNOUNCED THEY WILL OPPOSE PARTICIPATION IN THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL WHEN THE INVITATION COMES UP FOR ACCEPTANCE IN THE WEST GERMAN PARLIAMENT. THEY HAVE OBJECTED ON THE GROUND THAT A PARALLEL INVITATION WAS ISSUED TO THE SAAR AS AN INDEPENDENT ENTITY.

ADENAUER SAID THAT IF THE SOCIALISTS CONTINUED ALONG THIS LINE, HE COULD ONLY STRESS THAT IF THE SCHUMAN PLAN BECOMES EFFECTIVE "THE SAAR QUESTION WILL BE OF NO IMPORTANCE."

THE GERMAN SOCIALIST LEADERSHIP HAS NOT YET TAKEN A DEFINITE STAND REGARDING THE SCHUMAN PLAN.

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FIRST LEAD SOCIALISTS

HAMBURG, GERMANY, MAY 21-(AP)-THE WEST GERMAN SOCIALIST PARTY ACCUSED RUSSIA TODAY OF TRYING TO FOMENT CIVIL WAR BETWEEN EAST AND WEST GERMANY.

A RESOLUTION INTENDED TO WARN THE WORLD OF DEVELOPMENTS IN THE SOVIET ZONE OF GERMANY WAS ADOPTED UNANIMOUSLY BY THE SOCIALISTS AT THEIR FOURTH CONVENTION SINCE THE WAR.

IT ACCUSED SOVIET OFFICERS OF TRAINING A RUSSIAN ZONE "PEOPLE'S POLICE" IN THE FORM OF AN ARMY TO WAGE CIVIL WAR.

PASSAGE OF THE RESOLUTION GAVE THE BACKING WEST GERMANY'S SECOND STRONGEST POLITICAL PARTY TO NUMEROUS ACCUSATIONS THAT RUSSIA IS REBUILDING THE OLD GERMAN ARMY UNDER COMMUNIST BANNERS. THE MOST RECENT ESTIMATES PLACE THE SIZE OF THE FORCE AT 40,000 MEN.

THE SOCIALISTS COMBINED THIS WARNING WITH AN APPEAL TO "THE ENTIRE CIVILIZED WORLD TO HELP LIBERATE OUR PRISONERS OF WAR" IN RUSSIA AND ITS SATELLITES.

GERMANY WAS SHOCKED BY MOSCOW'S MAY 4 ANNOUNCEMENT THAT ALL GERMAN PRISONERS HAD BEEN REPATRIATED. WEST GERMAN OFFICIALS FROM CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER DOWN HAVE ASSERTED THAT ANYWHERE FROM SEVERAL HUNDRED THOUSAND TO 1,500,000 STILL ARE UNACCOUNTED FOR.

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FIRST LEAD TRAWLERS

FALMOUTH, ENGLAND, MAY 21-(AP)-THIRTY RUSSIAN FISHING TRAWLERS AND A MOTHER SHIP LEFT HERE TODAY BUT ANCHORED A FEW HOURS LATER AROUND A CAPE IN MOUNT'S BAY NEAR THE TIP OF CORNWALL.

THE UNEXPECTED VISIT, A FEW DAYS BEFORE THE BRUSSELS PACT NAVIES ENGAGE IN MANEUVERS IN THE BAY OF BISCAY, HAS RAISED QUESTIONS AS TO ITS PURPOSE.

ALL MOVEMENTS OF THE SHIPS WERE BEING REPORTED TO THE NAVAL COMMANDER AT PLYMOUTH. THE BRITISH AIRCRAFT THESUS CAME IN FROM THE CHANNEL TODAY ON A COURSE WHICH TOOK IT CLOSE TO THE 2,900-TON MOTHER SHIP.

THE CAPTAIN OF THE MOTHER SHIP, THE TAMBOV, TOLD BRITISH CUSTOMS OFFICERS YESTERDAY THE VESSELS ARE ON THE WAY FROM THE BALTIC SEA TO REINFORCE THE SOVIET FISHING FLEET IN THE BLACK SEA.

THE UNEXPECTED APPEARANCE OF THE VESSELS AROUSED SPECULATION BECAUSE ON THE WAY TO GIBRALTAR, THEY MUST PASS THROUGH THE BAY OF BISCAY, WHERE NAVIES OF THE BRUSSELS PACT POWERS WILL HOLD MANEUVERS IN A FEW DAYS.

A BRITISH ADMIRALTY SPOKESMAN SAID THAT THERE WAS NOTHING IMPROPER ABOUT THE PASSAGE THROUGH THE CHANNEL.

THE TAMBOV PAUSED IN FALMOUTH BAY TO REFUEL THE TRAWLERS AND TO ASSEMBLY THEM BEFORE STARTING FOR GIBRALTAR. BRITISH CUSTOMS OFFICERS VISITED SEVERAL, A CUSTOMARY PROCEDURE IN THE EVENT OF FOREIGN VESSELS ENTERING BRITISH TERRITORIAL WATERS.

VISIBILITY WAS POOR AND THE SHIPS WERE SOON OUT OF SIGHT.

THE MOSCOW RADIO TONIGHT DENOUNCED NEWS COVERAGE OF THE RUSSIAN SHIPS AS "HYSTERICAL ANTISOVIET" PROPAGANDA.

IT ACCUSED THE BRITISH PRESS OF TRYING TO SCARE THE PUBLIC AND "FIND JUSTIFICATION FOR THE FEVERISH RACE OF BRITISH ARMAMENTS."

THE BROADCAST, HEARD IN LONDON, DENOUNCED BRITISH NEWSPAPERS FOR TRYING "TO CONNECT THE PASSAGE OF SOVIET FISHING VESSELS WITH THE FORTHCOMING NAVAL MANEUVERS OF THE WESTERN UNION."

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WITH ADENAUER BUDGET (400)

NANTES, FRANCE, MAY 21-(AP)-FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN DECLARED TODAY THAT LABOR UNIONS WILL BE CONSULTED EVERY STEP OF THE WAY IN THE NEGOTIATIONS LEADING TO A FRENCH-GERMAN POOL OF COAL AND STEEL RESOURCES.

"THE VOICE OF THE UNIONS WILL BE HEARD AT LENGTH IN THE COURSE OF THE NEGOTIATIONS AND NOTHING WILL TAKE PLACE IN OBSCURITY," HE TOLD THE FINAL SESSION OF THE POPULAR REPUBLICAN MOVEMENT (MRP) CONGRESS HERE. "IT (THE POOL) WILL NOT RESULT IN LOWER WAGES; THE CONTRARY IS OUR AIM."

HE ALSO TOLD THE CONGRESS THAT THE PLAN WAS NOT LIMITED TO FRANCE AND GERMANY, BUT WAS "MULTILATERAL AND OPEN TO ALL" COUNTRIES WHOSE REGIMES LENT THEMSELVES TO PARTICIPATION. HE DID NOT ELABORATE THIS QUALIFICATION, BUT IT APPARENTLY LIMITED MEMBERSHIP TO NON-COMMUNIST COUNTRIES.

SCHUMAN SAID THAT BRITAIN, ITALY, BELGIUM, THE NETHERLANDS AND LUXEMBOURG "ARE STUDYING THE TECHNICAL IMPLEMENTATION" OF JOINING THE POOL. HE SPECIFIED THAT IT WOULD BE UNDER THE CONTROL OF AN INDEPENDENT INTERNATIONAL AUTHORITY ASSOCIATED WITH THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE.

SCHUMAN, IN HIS REPORT TO HIS PARTY'S LEADERSHIP, LISTED FOUR POINTS AS OBJECTIVES FOR FRANCE AND GERMANY IN THE COAL-STEEL ENTERPRISE. THESE WERE:

1. ESTABLISHMENT OF AN INDEPENDENT INTERNATIONAL AUTHORITY WHICH WILL BE NEITHER AN ORGAN OF GOVERNMENT NOR ABOVE ALL PRIVATE INTERESTS. IT WOULD EXERCISE ITS POWERS IN THE INTERESTS OF THE PARTICIPATING NATIONS AS A GROUP.
2. MODERNIZATION OF MINE AND MILL PROCESSES, AND IMPROVEMENT OF MACHINERY IN ORDER TO LOWER PRICES AND RAISE QUALITY.
3. INCREASE THE VOLUME OF PRODUCTION, AND CREATE AN INTERNAL MARKET WHICH COULD BENEFIT FROM A REMOVAL OF CUSTOMS BARRIERS ON THE PRODUCTS CONCERNED.
4. HARMONIZE CONDITIONS OF PRODUCTION IN THE PARTICIPATING COUNTRIES.

FRANCE, SCHUMAN OBSERVED, COULD CONTRIBUTE NOT ONLY ITS INDUSTRIAL PLANT, BUT ITS AFRICAN MARKETS.

HE DECLARED THAT HE HAD PROPOSED THE ENTERPRISE TO THE WEST GERMAN GOVERNMENT "TO ELIMINATE EVERY MENACE OF WAR BETWEEN OUR TWO COUNTRIES AND TO SUBSTITUTE AN ASSOCIATION BASED ON COMMON INTEREST FOR A RUINOUS RIVALRY."

SCHUMAN ALSO REPORTED TO THE CONGRESS ON THE NEGOTIATIONS CONDUCTED IN LONDON LAST WEEK BY THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE ATLANTIC PACT COUNTRIES.

"WE HAVE OBTAINED, AS THE OBJECTIVE OF THIS ORGANIZATION," HE SAID, "THE PREVENTION OF ANY INVASION. IT IS NO LONGER A QUESTION OF WINNING A WAR NOR OF FINALLY BEING LIBERATED. IT NOW IS A QUESTION OF NOT BEING OCCUPIED AND WE MUST BE ABLE TO RESIST TOGETHER FROM THE FIRST HOUR."

REFERRING TO THE COLD WAR, SCHUMAN SAID:

"WE DO NOT CLOSE AND HAVE NEVER CLOSED ANY DOOR INSIDE THE UNITED NATIONS. WE CERTAINLY WANT TO GET OUT OF THIS IMPASSE IN WHICH WE ARE ENCLOSED.

"I HAVE SEEN TRYGVE LIE. I TOLD HIM HOW FRANCE FEELS AND THAT FRANCE ALWAYS WANTS PEACE.

"PROVOCATIONS DO NOT COME FROM US. BUT WE CANNOT ADMIT ANY BLACKMAIL OR INTERFERENCE IN OUR AFFAIRS. WE ALSO SAY WE RECOGNIZE THE CO-EXISTENCE OF TWO DIFFERENT SYSTEMS BUT ON THE CONDITION THAT BOTH OF THEM ARE MUTUALLY UNDERSTANDING OF ONE ANOTHER."

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BY ALEX H.SINGLETON

BELGRADE, MAY 21-(AP)-YUGOSLAVIA AND GREECE--UNFRIENDLY NEIGHBORS FOR MANY MONTHS -- ESTABLISHED TODAY A MORE AMIABLE RELATIONSHIP WHICH MAY EASE THE TENSION IN THE BALKANS. x30

IT CAME THROUGH A FORMAL EXCHANGE OF DIPLOMATS. YUGOSLAVIA PICKED SERIF SEHOVIC TO REPRESENT THIS NATION AT ATHENS. GREECE APPOINTED DEMETR PAPPAS AS MINISTER TO BELGRADE.

BOTH ARE CAREER DIPLOMATS OF LONG EXPERIENCE. THEY WILL HAVE TO DRAW UPON ALL OF THEIR EXPERIENCE IN OVERCOMING THE MANY PROBLEMS WHICH HAVE ARISEN IN THE THREE YEARS OF DISSENSION BETWEEN THEIR TWO COUNTRIES.

THE ACTION REFLECTED IN PARTICULAR YUGOSLAVIA'S RESENTMENT AGAINST

THE KREMLIN-LED COMINFORM'S ANTI-TITO ACTIVITIES. IT STEMMED DIRECTLY FROM YUGOSLAVIA'S CHARGE THAT IT WAS SOLD OUT BY THE RUSSIANS IN THE GREEK CIVIL WAR IN AN EFFORT TO "GET" PREMIER MARSHAL TITO.

(YUGOSLAVIA, ALONG WITH ALBANIA AND BULGARIA, WERE ACCUSED BY UNITED NATIONS INVESTIGATORS OF SUPPLYING, TRAINING AND HELPING THE COMMUNIST GUERRILLAS IN THE GREEK WAR, WHICH ENDED LAST OCTOBER.)

THE DECISION TO EXCHANGE MINISTERS SHOULD HELP TO SOLVE -- AT LEAST IN PART -- A NUMBER OF PROBLEMS WHICH HAVE INTERNATIONAL INTEREST AS WELL AS MUTUAL GREEK-YUGOSLAVIA CONCERN. THESE INCLUDE:

1. INCREASED TRADE BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES.
2. POSSIBLE JOINT USE OF SALONIKA AS A FREE PORT.
3. A SPEEDUP IN THE RETURN OF APPROXIMATELY 10,000 CHILD REFUGEES NOW IN YUGOSLAVIA, AS ALLEGED HOMELESS VICTIMS OF THE GREEK CIVIL WAR.
4. AN EXAMPLE THAT A COMMUNIST NATION, AT LEAST ONE LED BY TITO, CAN GET ALONG WITH A COUNTRY OF A DIFFERENT POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY. THIS ALSO WOULD SERVE AS A SNEER AT THE COMMUNIST NATIONS OF THE COMINFORM, WHO SAY THE YUGOSLAVS ARE BAD COMMUNISTS BECAUSE THEY REFUSE TO FOLLOW MOSCOW IN ALL THINGS.
5. RESUMPTION OF RAIL CONNECTIONS BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES.

THE DIPLOMATIC EXCHANGE HAS BEEN IN THE WIND EVER SINCE THE GREEK ELECTIONS OF MARCH 5 AND THE SUBSEQUENT APPOINTMENT OF GEN. NICHOLAS PLASTIRAS AS PREMIER OF A CENTER COALITION GOVERNMENT. TITO HAD BEEN DISINCLINED TO DO BUSINESS WITH PREVIOUS GREEK GOVERNMENTS SINCE THE CIVIL WAR, REGARDING THEM AS TOO FAR RIGHT FOR HIS LIKING.

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BELGRADE, MAY 21-(AP)-MARSHAL TITO TOLD YUGOSLAVIA'S YOUNG BUT GROWING AIR FORCE TODAY IT NEVER WOULD HAVE TO FIGHT EXCEPT TO GUARD THIS COUNTRY'S INDEPENDENCE.

"YOU WILL NEVER BE SENT TO ANY OTHER COUNTRY TO JEOPARDIZE ITS INDEPENDENCE OR TO SERVE SOME AIMS OF CONQUEST," HE SAID IN ADDRESSING AIR FORCE UNITS ON THE EIGHTH ANNIVERSARY OF THEIR CREATION.

THEN HE ADDED: "IT WOULD BE FORTUNATE FOR ALL HUMANITY IF ALL MILITARY AIR FORCES X X X HAD SIMILAR AIMS. TO YOU, I CAN SAY HERE TODAY THAT YOU WILL HAVE ONLY THE TASK OF GUARDING OUR SOCIALISTIC COUNTRY."

HE CAUTIONED THE AIRMEN TO BE ON THE ALERT, AND CALLED FOR STRENUOUS EFFORTS FROM YUGOSLAVIA'S AIRCRAFT INDUSTRY TO BUILD MORE PLANES.

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BY GEORGE PALMER

FLORENCE, ITALY, MAY 21-(AP)-SIX HUNDRED DELEGATES FROM 56 COUNTRIES ASSEMBLED HERE TODAY FOR THE FIFTH GENERAL CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED NATIONS EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL ORGANIZATION (UNESCO).

THE 27-DAY CONFERENCE WILL OPEN TOMORROW ON A KEYNOTE OF PEACE, IN THE 15TH CENTURY HALL OF THE FIVE HUNDRED IN HISTORIC PALAZZO VECCHIO WHERE THE PLENARY MEETINGS WILL BE HELD. FOR COMMITTEE WORK, THE DELEGATES WILL MOVE ACROSS THE ARNO RIVER TO THE SPRAWLING PALAZZO PITTI, WHICH WAS BUILT IN 1458.

OPENING DAY SPEECHES OF WELCOME WILL BE MADE BY LUIGI EINAUDI, PRESIDENT OF THE ITALIAN REPUBLIC; JAIME TORRES BODET, MEXICAN DIRECTOR-GENERAL OF UNESCO; DR. E. RONALD WALKER OF AUSTRALIA, PRESIDENT OF THE CONFERENCE, AND BY THE MAYOR OF FLORENCE.

BOTH TORRES BODET AND THE 18-NATION EXECUTIVE BOARD OF THE U.N. SPECIALIZED AGENCY HAVE URGED THE CONFERENCE TO APPROVE WAYS AND MEANS FOR HAVING UNESCO PLAY A MORE DIRECT AND SPECIFIC ROLE IN THE U.N. MISSION OF PEACE.

DELEGATES SPECULATED TODAY ON WHETHER DELEGATIONS FROM THREE EASTERN EUROPEAN NATIONS-- POLAND, CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND HUNGARY-- WOULD STAGE A WALKOUT OVER THE CHINESE COMMUNIST PROTEST AGAINST NATIONALIST CHINA'S PARTICIPATION IN UNESCO. RUSSIA, WHICH HAS BOYCOTTED OR WALKED OUT OF 27 U.N. AGENCIES BECAUSE OF THIS ISSUE, IS NOT A MEMBER OF UNESCO.

A TELEGRAM OF PROTEST RECEIVED FROM PEIPING STATES THAT THE COMMUNISTS ARE THE ONLY LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE OF THE CHINESE PEOPLE AND THAT "THE SO-CALLED DELEGATES OF THE CHINESE KUOMINTANG REACTIONARY REMNANT CLIQUE HAVE NO LONGER ANY QUALIFICATIONS FOR PARTICIPATION IN UNESCO AND MUST BE DRIVEN OUT FROM ITS VARIOUS ORGANS AND MEETINGS."

THE UNITED STATES DELEGATION IS HEADED BY HOWLAND SARGEANT. MYRNA LOY, HOLLYWOOD FILM STAR, WHO IS CHAIRMAN OF THE SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA UNESCO COMMITTEE, IS A MEMBER OF THE U.S. MISSION TO THE CONFERENCE.

INCLUDED ON THE CROWDED AGENDA ARE SUCH ITEMS AS: DISCUSSION OF UNESCO'S ROLE IN THE "POINT FOUR" TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM; THE POSSIBILITY OF CREATING A WORLDWIDE INSTITUTE OF THE PRESS AND INFORMATION; AND STANDARDIZATION OF AN INTERNATIONAL RAIL SYSTEM.

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MOSCOW, MAY 21-(APL-PRAVDA ACCUSED PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY OF TRYING TO INCITE NEW WAR HYSTERIA IN THE U.S. CELEBRATION YESTERDAY OF ARMED FORCES DAY.

"THE MILITARY CLIQUE TRIED TO USE THE DAY AS A NEW CAUSE FOR INCITING WAR HYSTERIA IN THE ARMS RACE," SAID PRAVDA, ORGAN OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY. "THE SIGNAL WAS GIVEN BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN."

THE PRESIDENT, IN A WASHINGTON ADDRESS, GAVE CYNICAL PRAISE, SAID PRAVDA, TO ATOMIC WEAPONS, DECLARING THAT ATOMIC BOMBS ARE MEANS OF SECURING PEACE. THE PAPER ALSO STRUCK OUT AT GEN. OMAR BRADLEY, WHOM IT QUOTED AS SAYING IN A SAN FRANCISCO SPEECH THAT THE AMERICAN PEOPLE OUGHT TO TIGHTEN THEIR BELTS AND GET DOWN TO DEFENSE WORK.

"OBVIOUSLY," SAID PRAVDA, "IT IS NOT ENOUGH THAT THE BUDGET EARMARKS 76 PER CENT IN PREPARATION FOR AGGRESSIVE WAR."

--DASH--

PRAVDA'S EDITORIAL WRITER GAVE NO HINT AS TO HOW HE ARRIVED AT THE 76 PER CENT FIGURE. THE BUDGET SUBMITTED BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN ON JAN. 9 CALLED FOR MILITARY EXPENDITURES OF ABOUT $13,500,000,000 IN A TOTAL BUDGET OF $42,400,000,000.

RUSSIA'S MOST RECENT BUDGET CALLED FOR MILITARY EXPENDITURE OF ABOUT $15,000,000,000 FOR MILITARY PURPOSES IN A TOTAL EXPENDITURE OF ABOUT $78,000,000,000.

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A52FX (TAIPEI)
(300)
BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI, FORMOSA, MAY 21-(AP)-UNLESS ALL PRESENT INDICATIONS ARE WRONG, THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS WILL PUT UP A REAL FIGHT TO HOLD FORMOSA AGAINST THE COMMUNISTS:

THEY HAVE A COMPELLING REASON: DEATH IS THE ONLY OTHER CHOICE SAVE INDIVIDUAL FLIGHT TO UNKNOWN AND DOUBTFUL HAVENS.

FLIGHT IS NOT THE MOOD ON FORMOSA TODAY, AND EVERYONE BELIEVES THE GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK WOULD PREFER MARTYRDOM TO AN

IGNOMINOUS LAST-MINUTE ESCAPE.
MEMBERS OF THE CONTROL YUAN, OFFICIAL "WATCHDOG" BODY OF THE NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT, ADOPTED TODAY A PLEDGE TO PERISH WITH CHIANG HERE IF NECESSARY.
ABANDONMENT OF HAINAN AND THE CHUSHAN ISLANDS, DESPITE THE RESULTING JOLT TO MORALE, HAS GIVEN CHIANG MORE THAN 200,000 ADDITIONAL TROOPS FOR THE ISLAND GARRISON. AT LEAST THIS IS THE FIGURE REPORTED BY THE NATIONALISTS.
FORMOSA'S GOV. K.C.WU, HAS GONE ON RECORD WITH PREDICTIONS THAT THE REDS WILL BE INCAPABLE OF INVADING FORMOSA THIS YEAR AND THAT A MASS REVOLT ON THE MAINLAND WILL CONFRONT THEM BY NEXT YEAR.
NOT EVERYONE SHARES WU'S OPTIMISM. FOR INSTANCE, SCORES OF MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE YUAN (THE NATIONALIST PARLIAMENT) HAVE FOUND URGENT REASONS TO APPLY FOR PERMITS TO VISIT HONG KONG AND MACAO.
FEARING THEY MIGHT DESERT TO THE REDS, THE GOVERNMENT IS TRYING TO WORK OUT SOME SYSTEM OF GUARANTEES THAT THEY WILL RETURN TO FORMOSA.
THE DEFENSE MINISTRY HAS GIVEN DISHONORABLE DISCHARGES TO TEWO OF THE TOP GENERALS ON HAINAN FOR HAVING ESCSPAED TO HONG KONG. THEY ARE GEN. LI TIEN-CHUN, FOURTH ROUTE ARMY COMMANDER, AND GEN. HUANG PAO-TEH, HOIHOW COMMANDANT.
CHIANG ALSO SIGNED AN ORDER FOR THE ARREST OF ADM. CHEN SHAO-KWAN, ONETIME NAVAL CHIEF, FOR COLLABORATING WITH THE REDS. HE WILL HAVE TO BE CAUGHT FIRST, FOR HE IS IN RED CHINA.
THE PRESENT NAVAL COMMANDER, AM. KWEI YUNG-CHING, RETURNED TO FORMOSA TODAY AFTER DIRECTING THE SMOOTH WITHDRAWAL FROM CHUSHAN. HIS NIAVAL HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED THAT DESPITE ABANDONMENT OF THAT BASE, THE BLOCKADE OF RED SHANGHAI WOULD BE MAINTAINED.
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(240)
HONG KONG,MONDAY,MAY 22-(AP)-THE CHINESE COMMUNIST NEW CHINA NEWS AGENCY SAID TODAY THE REDS "WIPED OUT" 85,433 NATIONALIST GUERRILLAS LAST MONTH IN FOUR SOUTHWERSTERN PROVINCES.
BY "WIPED OUT" THE REDS USUALLY MEAN THOSE KILLED, CAPTURED AND SURRENDERED.
THE DISPATCHES WERE CARRIED IN COMMUNIST PAPERS HERE UNDER A CHUNGKING DATELINE. THEY TENDED TO CONFIRM NATIONALIST CLAIMS OF LARGE SCALE RESISTANCE ON THE MAINLAND. THE COMMUNISTS SAID THE TOLL WAS MORE THAN THE COMBINED FIGURES FOR FEBRUARY AND MARCH.
AT THE SAME TIME, DISPATCHES FROM THE PORTUGUESE COLONY OF MACAO SAID THE NATIONALISTS "BADLY MAULED" COMMUNIST GUNBOATS IN "THE FIRST NAVAL BATTLE OF THE CHINESE CIVIL WAR."
THE HONG KONG STANDARD SAID IN A MACAO DISPATCH THAT NATIONALIST NAVAL FORCES LED BY THE DESTROYER YING CHIA SANK TWO RED GUNBOATS, DAMAGED ANOTHER AND CAPTURED TWO BARGES EACH MOUNTING FOUR FIELD GUNS. TWENTY-TWO GUNNERS WERE REPORTED SEIZED ABOARD EACH BARGE.
THE ACTION TOOK PLACE OFF THE WANSHAN (LADRONE) ISLANDS SOUTHWEST OF HONG KONG.
THE DISPATCH CONCEDED THAT COMMUNISTS PROBABLY HAD LANDED AMPHIBIOUS FORCES ON LAPSAPMEI, MAIN ISLAND OF THE GROUP.
THE COMMUNIST ACCOUNT OF SUPPRESSING NATIONALIST GUERRILLAS LISTED MANY REGIMENTAL AND DIVISIONAL COMMANDERS. THIS SUPPORTED NATIONALIST CLAIMS OF AN EFFECTIVE MILITARY ORGANIZATION STILL OPERATING IN MAINLAND CHINA.
THE COMMUNIST AGENCY LISTED THESE NATIONALIST CASUALTIES FOR APRIL: SZECHWAN, MORE THAN 67,480; KWEICHOW, MORE THAN 10,000; YUNNAN, MORE THAN 4,000; SIKANG, 1,699.
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A37FX
TOKYO, MAY 21-(AP)-PREMIER SHIGERU YOSHIDA'S AGED ROLLS ROYCE IS FOR SALE, FOR POLITICAL REASONS.
SALE OF THE 20-YEAR-OLD LIMOUSINE WAS OFFERED ON THE BULLETIN BOARD OF YOSHIDA'S LIBERAL PARTY HEADQUARTERS TODAY FOR AN UNSPECIFIED PRICE. ¥67.5
YOSHIDA'S POSSESSION OF THE CAR, ONE OF THE FEW OF ITS KIND IN JAPAN, HAS BEEN CRITICIZED REPEATEDLY BY THE OPPOSITION.
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CANBERRA,AUSTRALIA,MAY 21-(AP)-EXTERNAL AFFAIRS MINISTER PERCY C. SPENDER, REVIEWING THE WORK OF THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE, SAID TODAY HE WAS CONVINCED IT HAS MADE "SOME REAL AND PRACTICAL PROGRESS IN DEALING WITH EXTREMELY COMPLICATED ISSUES."
SPENDER SAID "IN TROUBLED ASIA THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH REPRESENTS A SOLID GROUP OF WORKABLE DEMOCRACIES; ILLUSTRATING THE PRACTICAL VIRTUES OF EFFICIENT BUT FREE GOVERNMENT. OUR COUNTRIES CAN INDIVIDUALLY AND COLLECTIVELY EXERT THE WEIGHT OF THEIR INFLUENCE IN ENCOURAGING THE DEVELOPMENT OF SIMILAR GOVERNMENTS ELSEWHERE."
HE SAID THE SIX-YEAR DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM BEING PREPARED FOR CONSIDERATION IN LONDON NEXT SEPTEMBER WOULD "BE NO MERE STOP GAP ARRANGEMENT BUT A SCHEME DESIGNED TO HAVE LONG RANGE EFFECTS ON LIVING STANDARDS AND THE SOCIAL WELFARE OF MILLIONS OF PEOPLE."
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BY DON HUTH (175)
MANILA, MAY 21-(AP)-DELEGATIONS FROM SEVERAL NON-COMMUNIST COUNTRIES OF SOUTHEAST ASIA WILL MEET IN THE PHILIPPINES FRIDAY FOR THE ANNOUNCED PURPOSES OF STRENGTHENING THEIR POLITICAL, ECONOMIC AND CULTURAL TIES.
PHILIPPINES FOREIGN SECRETARY CARLOS ROMULO, CHIEF MOVER OF THE CONFERENCE CALLED BY PRESIDENT ELPIDIO QUIRINO, HAS DESCRIBED IT AS PART OF A GLOBAL EFFORT FOR PEACE.
ROMULO HAS DECLARED REPEATEDLY THAT THE MEETING WILL NOT BE "ANTI-COMMUNIST OR ANTI-ANYBODY," AND THAT NO MILITARY PACTS WILL BE DISCUSSED.
INDIA, ONE OF FIVE NATIONS WHICH THUS FAR HAVE ACCEPTED INBITATIONS, PREVIOUSLY INDICATED SHE WOULD NOT PARTICIPATE IF MILITARY ALIGNMENTS WERE CONSIDERED.
AUSTRALIA, PAKISTAN, THAILAND (SIAM) AND INDONESIA ALSO HAVE ACCEPTED. INVITATIONS ARE BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN SENT TO NEW ZEALAND, BURMA AND CEYLON, BUT ROMULO SAYS IT IS UP TO EACH COUNTRY TO MAKE ITS OWN ANNOUNCEMENT OF ACCEPTANCE.
THE CONFERENCE, AT THE SUMMER CAPITAL OF BAGUIO, IS EXPECTED TO LAST ABOUT FIVE DAYS. SPECIFIC TOPICS TO BE DISCUSSED WILL BE WORKED OUT BY THE DELEGATES IN CAUCUSES.
INFORMED SOURCES BELIEVE DISCUSSIONS MAY STRESS ECONOMIC TIES. FOR EXAMPLE, THE PHILIPPINES AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT HAS SUGGESTED A COPRA AGREEMENT, SINCE ALMOST ALL THE WORLD'S PRODUCTION IS IN SOUTHEAST ASIA.
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INDOCHINA BUDGET (400)

BY SEYMOUR TOPPING

PNOMPENH, INDOCHINA, MAY 21-(AP)-OFFICIAL FRENCH SOURCES REPORTED TODAY THAT COMMUNIST TROOPS OF HO CHI-MINH HAD INFILTRATED THE SOUTHERN INDOCHINA STATE OF CAMBODIA AND OPENED A CORRIDOR TO THAILAND (SIAM) TO OBTAIN SMUGGLED ARMS.

CAMBODIA, OF WHICH PNOMPENH IS THE CAPITAL, IS ONE OF THREE INDOCHIN STATES WHICH OBTAINED INTERNAL AUTONOMY WITHIN THE FRENCH UNION LAST YEAR AND HAVE BEEN RECOGNIZED BY THE UNITED STATES AND OTHER WESTERN POWERS.

THE OTHERS ARE VIETNAM AND LAOS. VIETNAM HAS 21,000,000 POPULATION, COMPARED WITH 3,500,000 IN CAMBODIA AND ABOUT 1,000,000 IN LAOS.

HO CHI MINH'S COMMUNIST ORGANIZATION OF VIETMINH, CALLS ITSELF THE "REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM" AND HAS BEEN RECOGNIZED BY COMMUNIST CHINA, RUSSIA AND SATELLITES.

HO IS ENGAGED IN A PROTRACTED WAR WITH THE FRENCH-SPONSORED VIETNAM. (USE OF THE NAME "VIETNAM" BY BOTH SIDES HELPS TO CONFUSE THE SITUATION.)

CAMBODIA AND LAOS, IN THE SOUTH AND WEST, HAVE BEEN RELATIVELY QUIET.

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NOW, HOWEVER, FRENCH MILITARY QUARTERS ESTIMATE THAT ABOUT 3,000 OF HO'S COMMUNISTS HAVE TRICKLED OVER THE NORTH BORDER OF CAMBODIA AND OCCUPIED A BROAD ZONE. THEY ARE SAID TO HAVE OPENED OVERLAND ROUTES TO THAILAND THROUGH THE COASTAL REGION FRONTING ON THE GULF OF SIAM.

ARMS TO BULWARK HO'S FIGHT AGAINST THE FRENCH IN THE NORTH ARE REPORTED MOVING VIA THESE ROUTES, DESPITE DIFFICULT MOUNTAIN AND JUNGLE TERRAIN. THE MAIN ROADS ARE HELD BY THE FRENCH, AND FRENCH NAVAL PATROLS IN THE GULF HOLD DOWN THE ARMS TRAFFIC BY SEA.

THE FRENCH SAY HO'S FORCES STARTED TRICKLING SOUTH INTO CAMBODIA LAST OCTOBER BUT THE INFILTRATION RECENTLY HAS BEEN STEPPED UP. TRAFFIC ON THE 250-MILE RAILWAY FROM PNOMPENH TO THE THAILAND BORDER, LEADING TO BANGKOK, IS NOW BEING DISRUPTED FREQUENTLY.

A HIGHLY RELIABLE CAMBODIAN SOURCE SAID THE COMMUNIST OPERATIONS HAD BEEN FACILITATED BY A RECENT AGREEMENT WITH SOME OF THE CAMBODIAN DISSIDENTS WHO CALL THEMSELVES ISSARAKS.

THE REDS FROM THE NORTH, HOWEVER, ARE GENERALLY OPPOSED BY CAMBODIANS, WHO ARE OF DIFFERENT RACE AND TRADITIONALLY DISTRUST THE ANNAMITES.

THE ISSARAKS, WHOSE NAME IS A CONTRACTION MEANING "LEAGUE FOR INDEPENDENCE OF CAMBODIA," CAME INTO BEING SHORTLY AFTER THE JAPANESE WAR.

THEY FALL INTO SIX LARGE INDEPENDENT UNITS WHICH CAMBODIAN OFFICIALS SAY ARE SPLIT AS FOLLOWS: NATIONALISTS OPPOSED ONLY TO THE FRENCH; COMMUNIST-INFLUENCED BANDS; AND ORDINARY BANDITS WHO USE THE ISSARAK NAME.

THE FRENCH ARMY GARRISON OF ABOUT 6,000 HAS BEEN CONCENTRATED AGAINST THE INVADERS AND IS REGULARLY REINFORCED FROM THE FRENCH ARMY OF 150,000 THAT IS FIGHTING IN THE NORTH. THERE ALSO ARE SOME 5,000 CAMBODIAN REGULARS UNDER FRENCH OFFICERS.

CAMBODIA'S POPULAR 28-YEAR-OLD KING NORODOM SIANHOUK VARMEN, HAS SUCCEEDED IN WINNING THE ALLEGIANCE OF SOME OF THE ISSARAKS, BUT ACTIVITIES OF BOTH ISSARAKS AND HO'S INVADERS SHOW A THREATENING INCREASE.

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PNOMPENH, CAMBODIA, [redacted] INDOCHINA, MAY 21-(AP)-OFFICIAL FRENCH SOURCES SAID TODAY 3,000 COMMUNIST-LED TROOPS HAVE INVADED THIS SOUTHWEST INDOCHINA KINGDOM AND OPENED A CORRIDOR BETWEEN VIETNAM AND THAILAND.

THESE TROOPS WERE REPORTED LINKING BY OVERLAND ROUTES THE VIETMINH FORCES OF GENERAL HO CHI-MINH IN VIETNAM AND CLANDESTINE VIETMINH BANDS OPERATING ON THE SOUTHEAST COAST OF THAILAND.

AGENTS AND ARMS WERE REPORTED MOVING THROUGH THE CORRIDOR TO BULWARK HO'S WAR EFFORT.

THE OVERLAND ROUTE CONNECTING VIETNAM AND THAILAND WINDS OVER DIFFICULT TERRAIN. MAIN ROADS ARE HELD BY FRENCH FORCES. SOME TRAFFIC MOVES BY SEA BUT FRENCH NAVAL PATROLS IN THE GULF OF SIAM MAKE THIS MEANS EVEN MORE HAZARDOUS.

THE FRENCH SAY THE VIETMINH BEGAN CORSSING IN STRENGTH INTO CAMBODIA LAST OCTOBER BUT THEIR INFILTRATION RECENTLY WAS STEPPED UP. THEY ADDED THAT THE VIETMINH FREQUENTLY DISRUPT TRAFFIC ON THE RAILROAD LINKING PNOMPENH, CAPITAL OF CAMBODIA, WITH BANGKOK, CAPITAL OF THAILAND.

CAMBODIA IS A KINGDOM OF ABOUT 3,500,000 (M) PEOPLE. IT IS ONE OF THREE ASSOCIATED STATES OF INDOCHINA RECENTLY GRANTED INTERNAL AUTONOMY BY THE FRENCH.

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RANGOON, BURMA, MAY 21-(AP)-U SO NYUN, CRITICALLY ILL BURMESE AMBASSADOR TO WASHINGTON, TODAY FREED 53 CAPTIVE FISH TO EARN HIMSELF AN EXTRA LEASE ON LIFE. THE NUMBER OF FISH REPRESENTED HIS AGE.

U SO NYUN HOPED THIS CHARITABLE ACT WOULD WIN HIM MERIT AND FREE HIM FROM THE CANCER WHICH IS WASTING HIS BODY. DEVOUT BUDDHISTS BELIEVE BUDDHA ANSWERS PRAYERS THAT ARE ACCOMPANIED BY A CHARITABLE ACT.

AMERICAN NURSE MARY T.RUDOLPH OF (8034 16TH ST.) WASHINGTON, D.C. BROUGHT THE AILING ENVOY HERE FROM THE U.S. CAPITAL. SHE SAID HE WAS TOO ILL TO WITNESS THE FREEING CEREMONY, BUT HE BLESSED THE FISH WHICH HIS RELATIVES RELEASED IN KOKINE LAKE.

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A92

TEL AVIV, ISRAEL, MAY 21-(AP)-ISRAEL ACCUSED THE ARAB COUNTRIES TODAY OF "DELIBERATELY MAKING IT IMPOSSIBLE" TO OPEN PEACE NEGOTIATIONS.

THE GOVERNMENT, IN A STATEMENT RELEASED TO NEWSMEN BY THE FOREIGN MINISTRY, SAID IT COULD NOT AGREE TO ARAB DEMANDS THAT REFUGEES BE PERMITTED TO RETURN TO PALESTINE BEFORE PEACE TALKS OPEN.

THE STATEMENT SAID ISRAEL HAD DECLINED AN INVITATION BY THE PALESTINE CONCILIATION COMMISSION IN GENEVA TO OPEN TALKS WITH THE ARAB STATES MAY 23. IT SAID SUCH TALKS ARE IMPOSSIBLE AS LONG AS THE ARAB GOVERNMENTS DEMAND THAT ARAB REFUGEES FIRST BE PERMITTED TO RETURN TO THEIR OLD HOMES IN WHAT IS NOW ISRAEL.

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AP5

PANAMA, PANAMA, MAY 21-(AP)-PRESIDENT ARNULFO ARIAS DECLARED LAST NIGHT HIS COUNTRY WILL AID IN DEFENSE OF THE PANAMA CANAL IN THE EVENT OF ANY WAR--"HOT OR COLD."

ARIAS SPOKE AT AN ARMED FORCES DAY DINNER GIVEN IN HIS HONOR BY LT. GEN. WILLIAM MORRIS, JR., CARIBBEAN COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

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TEDDER (400)
BY MAX BOYD

WASHINGTON,MAY 21-(AP)-LORD TEDDER, MARSHAL OF THE ROY AIR FORCE, SAID TODAY THAT A WESTERN VICTORY IN THE RACE TO REARM ADEQUATELY BEFORE RUSSIA HAS MANY ATOM BOMBS DEPENDS HEAVILY ON INCREASED MILITAR POWER IN FRANCE.

HE EXPRESSED BELIEF ALSO THAT CENTRAL EUROPE, AS WELL AS EUROPE WEST OF THE RHINE, MUST BE MADE SECURE TO PREVENT OR DEFEAT AGGRESSION.

AND HE DECLARED THAT CONTINUED AMERICAN AID IS VITAL TO ACHIEVE SUCH SECURITY.

LORD TEDDER'S VIEWS WERE EXPRESSED IN AN INTERVIEW, HIS FIRST SINCE BEING CALLED FROM RETIREMENT TO BECOME BRITAIN'S NO. 1 MILITARY REPRESENTATIVE IN THE UNITED STATES.

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THE FORMER DEPUTY SUPREME COMMANDER OF THE ALLIED FORCES THAT LIBERATED FRANCE AND THE LOW COUNTRIES IN WORLD WAR II IS NOW THE BRITISH MEMBER OF THE PERMANENT WORKING GROUP OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC MILITARY COMMITTEE. AS SUCH HE WORKS WITH GENERAL OMAR BRADLEY OF THI U.S. AND LT. GEN. PAUL ELY OF FRANCE. IN ADDITION, HE IS HEAD OF THE BRITISH MILITARY MISSION IN THIS COUNTRY.

AMPLIFYING HIS STATEMENT THAT CENTRAL AND WESTERN EUROPE MUST BE MADE SECURE, LORD TEDDER PUFFED ON HIS PIPE AND SAID:

"THIS IS A STRUGGLE OF IDEOLOGIES. WE'VE GOT TO WIN IT PSYCHOLOGI ALLY AND MORALLY. EUROPE IS THE BIRTHPLACE OF DEMOCRACY. I THINK WE COULD GO ASTRAY IF WE DREW A LINE ON A MILITARY MAP AND SAID, 'THE RHINE IS THE THING.'"

LORD TEDDER AGREED WITH GENERAL BRADLEY THAT THE 12 ATLANTIC PACT POWERS MUST SPECIALIZE THEIR MILITARY FORCES, EACH DOING THE JOB FOR WHICH IT IS SUITED ESPECIALLY BY LOCATION AND RESOURCES RATHER THAN EACH TRYING TO MAINTAIN BALANCED LAND, SEA AND AIR FORCES.

HE SAID THE MAIN THREATS TO THE UNITED KINGDOM ARE AIR ATTACK AND SUBMARINES. BUT HE ADDED THAT THE LAND SITUATION IN WESTERN EUROPE IS ALSO VITAL TO THE U.K., BECAUSE AN ENEMY ARMY IN WESTERN EUROPE WOULD HAVE NEARBY BASES FOR AIR AND GUIDED MISSILE ATTACKS ON BRITAIN AND FOR SUBMARINE ATTACKS ON ITS SHIPPING.

THE MAIN THREATS TO FRANCE, HE CONTINUED, ARE AIR AND GROUND ATTACKS.

LORD TEDDER SAID THE BRITISH NEED AND ARE DEVELOPING A BALANCED AIR FORCE, WITH MEDIUM BOMBERS TO STRIKE AT THE SOURCES OF ENEMY AIR POWER AS WELL AS FIGHTERS FOR AIR DEFENSE AND CLOSE SUPPORT OF GROUND FORCES.

HE SAID THE RAF IS WORKING TO DEVELOP A FAST JET BOMBER WITH RANG COMPARABLE TO THAT OF THE B-29. THAT WOULD MEAN A PLANE ABLE TO CARRY BOMBS 2,000 MILES AND RETURN.

THE MARSHAL REPORTED THAT THE FRENCH, DUTCH AND BELGIAN AIR FORCES ARE WORKING CLOSELY WITH THE RAF REGARDING EQUIPMENT, TRAINING AND TACTICS.

HE SAID ALL THREE CONTINENTAL AIR FORCES HAVE OBTAINED VAMPIRE JET FIGHTERS FROM BRITAIN, THAT FRANCE IS GETTING INTO PRODUCTION OF THE SAME FIGHTERS UNDER LICENSE, AND THAT THE FRENCH HAVE DEVELOPED A FIGHTER OF THEIR OWN WHICH IS A STEP AHEAD OF THE VAMPIRE.

IN TURN THE BRITISH HAVE DEVELOPED A MORE POWERFUL VERSION OF THE VAMPIRE, THE VENOM, WHICH HAS BEEN ORDERED IN QUANTITY FOR THE RAF.

HE ADDED THAT MORALE--"FIGHTING SPIRIT"--IS ONE OF THE GREATEST FACTORS THAT WILL DECIDE WHETHER WESTERN EUROPE REARMS ADEQUATELY IN TIME.

"IT LOOKS VERY MUCH BETTER THAN IT DID A YEAR AGO," HE SAID.

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B11WX (Q)

(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P. M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY SUNDAY, MAY 21)

MONEY EXCHANGE (220)

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, MAY 21-(AP)-THE INTERNATIONAL MONETARY FUND'S CHAIRMAN SAID TONIGHT CONTINUED IMPROVEMENT IN WORLD CONDITIONS SHOULD FACILITATE REMOVAL OF TRADE-HAMPERING EXCHANGE RESTRICTIONS.

BUT THE CHAIRMAN, CAMILLE GUTT, FORMER BELGIAN FINANCE MINISTER, ADDED THAT "THE PROGRESS TO DATE (TOWARD THAT REMOVAL HAS NOT BEEN AS CONSPICUOUS AS I WOULD LIKE," WITH THREE YEARS PASSED SINCE THE FUND BEGAN OPERATING.

IN A REPORT TO THE FUND'S 47 MEMBER COUNTRIES, HE OBSERVED THAT WHEN THE FUND STARTED WORK MARCH 1, 1947, ONLY FIVE NATIONS WERE WILLING TO PERMIT FREE EXCHANGE OF THEIR MONEY FOR THAT OF OTHER MEMBERS.

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THOSE FIVE--THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, PANAMA, GUATEMALA AND EL SALVADOR--ARE STILL THE ONLY MEMBERS WHICH DO NOT RESTRICT EXCHANGE OF CURRENCIES IN SOME WAY, HE COMMENTED.

NEVERTHELESS, THE REPORT SAID "THE FUND FEELS THAT ITS INDIVIDUAL CONSULTATIONS WITH MEMBER COUNTRIES DURING THE PAST THREE YEARS HAVE BEEN FRUITFUL IN MANY RESPECTS AND THAT THEIR EXTENSION IS DESIRABLE."

THE REPORT SAID THE FUND'S "APPROACH TO THE OVERALL PROBLEM OF REMOVING EXCHANGE RESTRICTIONS" IS BASED ON TWO CONSIDERATIONS:

1. THAT RELAXATION OF EXCHANGE RESTRICTIONS "HAS TO BE A PROGRESSIVE ACTION OVER A PERIOD OF TIME."

2. A "CONCERTED AND COORDINATED PROGRAM" IS NEEDED "SO THAT POLICIES AND PRACTICES OF EVERY MEMBER WILL BE TO THE MAXIMUM EXTENT ASSIST, RATHER THAN FRUSTRATE, THE EFFORTS OF THOSE WHO ARE SEEKING TO ACHIEVE FREEDOM FROM RESTRICTIONS."

(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 PM E S T TODAY MAY 21)

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(220) DRAFT

WASHINGTON, MAY 21-(AP)-SENATOR TYDINGS (D-MD) SAID TODAY HE THINKS CONGRESS HAS "NO OPTION" BUT TO EXTEND THE PRESENT DRAFT ACT "SO AS TO KEEP THE COUNTRY IN A STATE OF READINESS FOR ANY POSSIBLE EMERGENCY."

THE HOUSE IS DUE TO ACT SHORTLY, POSSIBLY THIS WEEK, ON A TWO-YEAR EXTENSION OF THE ACT WHICH EXPIRES JUNE 24. UNDER THE BILL, THERE

WOULD BE NO INDUCTIONS UNLESS CONGRESS LATER GAVE THE WORD.
THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE, WHICH TYDINGS HEADS, HAS NOT YET HELD HEARINGS. BUT THE MARYLANDER SAID IN A BROADCAST OVER WBAL, BALTIMORE, THAT HE WILL SCHEDULE HEARINGS SHORTLY.
NO MEN HAVE BEEN INDUCTED UNDER THE PRESENT ACT SINCE EARLY LAST YEAR, BUT TYDINGS SAID HE BELIEVES THE ACT SHOULD BE EXTENDED TO KEEP THE SELECTIVE SERVICE MACHINERY AND RECORDS INTACT. HE ADDED:
"IF WE EXTEND THE DRAFT ACT, IT WOULD SIMPLY BE IN SUSPENDED ANIMATION, MORE OR LESS. IT WOULD NOT BE USED AND EVERYTHING WOULD BE JUST AS IT IS TODAY."
TYDINGS ALSO SAID HE REGARDS AS ESSENTIAL TO NATIONAL SECURITY AN EXTENSION OF THE SYNTHETIC RUBBER ACT, DUE TO EXPIRE JUNE 30.
UNDER THAT LAW, THE GOVERNMENT HAS KEPT OPERATING THE SYNTHETIC RUBBER PLANTS BUILT DURING WARTIME AND HAS REQUIRED THAT CERTAIN AMOUNTS OF THIS RUBBER BE USED ALONG WITH RAW OR NATURAL RUBBER.
HE SAID THAT EVEN THE SPECULATION THAT CONGRESS MAY NOT RENEW THE ACT HAS FORCED UP THE PRICES OF RUBBER PRODUCTS BECAUSE THERE IS A WORLD SHORTAGE OF RAW RUBBER.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, SUNDAY, MAY 21)
OIL IMPORTS (120)
(ADVANCE)...WASHINGTON, MAY 21(AP)-ON THE EVE OF CONGRESSIONAL HEARINGS INTO PROBLEMS ASSERTED TO HAVE BEEN CREATED BY OIL IMPORTS, THE NATIONAL PETROLEUM COUNCIL SAID TODAY IT IS UNDERTAKING A NEW STUDY OF THE MATTER.
WALTER S.HALLANAN, CHAIRMAN OF THE COUNCIL, SAID THE GROUP'S COMMITTEE ON PETROLEUM IMPORTS WILL UNDERTAKE THE STUDY, SUGGESTED TO THE COUNCIL BY SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR CHAPMAN. THE COUNCIL IS AN INDUSTRY ORGANIZATION WHICH FREQUENTLY IS CALLED ON BY THE GOVERNMENT TO SUBMIT RECOMMENDATIONS.
THE HEARINGS SCHEDULED TO START TOMORROW WERE CALLED BY A SENATE LABOR SUBCOMMITTEE HEADED BY SENATOR NEELY (D- W VA). THE GROUP WILL INQUIRE INTO WHAT NEELY CALLED "INCREASING UNEMPLOYMENT" IN THE COAL, OIL, RAILROAD, SILVER, ZINC AND LEAD INDUSTRIES.
THE INITIAL WITNESSES WILL BE REPRESNETATIVES OF JOHN L.LEWIS' UNITED MINE WORKERS AND OF THE NATIONAL COAL ASSOCIATION. HEARINGS WILL CONTINUE ALL WEEK AND POSSIBLY LONGER. THE SUBCOMMITTEE HAS BEEN INSTRUCTED TO FILE A REPORT BY JUNE 25.
NEELY, WHO PROPOSED THE INQUIRY, HAS SAID THAT "A DESTRUCTIVE FLOOD OF IMPORTED OIL" HAS THROWN THOUSANDS OF PERSONS OUT OF WORK IN THE COAL, RAILROAD AND DOMESTIC OIL INDUSTRIES.
HE SAID HE ANTICIPATES THAT THE HEARINGS WILL LEAD TO HIGHER TARIFFS ON IMPORTED OIL.
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O(NU IN) (460)
NEW ORLEANS, MAY 21-(AP)-VICE PRESIDENT ALBEN BARKLEY SAYS THE UNITED STATES MUST MAINTAIN ARMED FORCES THROUGHOUT THE WORLD AND PERHAPS OCCUPY MORE COUNTRIES BEFORE THE COLD WAR ENDS.
HE DID NOT NAME THE COUNTRIES THAT MAY BE OCCUPIED NOR THE NATION THAT WOULD MAKE THE OCCUPATION NECESSARY. THE VICE PRESIDENT SAID, HOWEVER, THAT "WE MUST DRIVE BACK THIS MONSTER THAT HAS CREPT OVER THE EARTH, DESTROYING THE FREEDOM OF MAN."
"THERE SEEMS LITTLE PROSPECT OF A PEACE TREATY," THE VICE PRESIDENT SAID, "SO WEE MUST MAINTAIN ARMED FORCES ALL OVER THE WORLD AND WE MAY HAVE TO OCCUPY MORE COUNTRIES BEFORE THE COLD WAR IS ENDED. WE MUST DRIVE BACK THIS MONSTER THAT HAS CREPT OVER THE EARTH, DESTROYING THE FREEDOM OF MAN."
BARKLEY SPOKE HERE LAST NIGHT AT AN ARMED FORCES DAY BANQUET.
HE SAID AFTER WORLD WAR II THE UNITED STATES OPNED AN INSTITUTION COULD BE SET UP TO PREVENT FUTURE WARS.
"BUT WE COULDN'T FORESEE THAT ONE OF OUR PARTNERS IN THAT WAR WHO FOUGHT SIDE BY SIDE WITH US WOULD BECOME SO SELFISH AND SO DOMINEERING THAT IT WOULD BLOCK THE PEACE," THE VICE PRESIDENT SAID.
"WE RECOGNIZE THAT BECAUSE OF THAT NATION SO BRUTAL, WITH NO CONCERN FOR FELLOW MEN, WE NOW HAVE TO SPEND THREE TIMES AS MUCH ON NATIONAL DEFENSE AS WE WOULD IF PEACE HAD COME."
BARKLEY SAID THERE "SEEMS LITTLE PROSPECT OF A PEACE TREATY."
HIS FIRST MENTION OF SOVIET RUSSIA CAME LATER IN HIS ADDRESS. HE URGED THE PEOPLE NOT TO BECOME DISCOURAGED AND POINTED OUT THE CENTURIES-OLD FIGHT OF THE POLISH PEOPLE FOR THEIR INDEPENDENCE.
"THEY FIND THEMSELVES (NOW) WITH A GOVERNMENT IMPOSED ON THEM BY THE SOVIET UNION," HE SAID. "ALL OF THEIR FREEDOM OF LIBERTY, PURSUIT OF HAPPINESS, FREEDOM OF SPEECH, PRESS AND RELIGION ARE GONE BECAUSE COMMUNISM HAS SNUFFED THEM OUT."
BARKLEY SAID, "WE SHOULD ALL REJOICE IF TAXES WERE REDUCED AND THE BUDGET BALANCED, BUT WE CAN'T ENDANGER OUR COUNTRY TO SAVE A FEW DOLLARS."
HE SAID IT WOULD "COST FAR MORE TO FIGHT A THIRD WORLD WAR." FOR THAT REASON, HE ADDED, THE UNITED STATES MUST MAINTAIN ITS PEACETIME ARMED FORCES AT AN UNPRECEDENTED 1,500,000 MEN.
"THE WAR IS OVER, BUT THE DURATION MAY HAVE JUST STARTED," BARKLEY SAID. "WE ARE COMMITTED TO A POLICY THAT WE OURSELVES CANNOT BE SECURE IF THE REST OF THE WORLD IS INSECURE."
HE SAID THE UNITED STATES IS HELPING OTHER NATIONS GET TO THEIR FEET THROUGH THE MARSHALL PLAN AND OTHER FORMS OF AID.
"WE ASK NO REWARD EXCEPT THAT WE BE ALLOWED TO LIVE IN PEACE WITHOUT FEAR, SUSPICION AND UNDERGROUND MOVEMENTS," BARKLEY SAID. BUT HE ADDED, "WE CANNOT AFFORD TO TAKE THE CHANCE THAT OUR CITIES WILL BE DESTROYED BY THIS JUGGERNAUT THAT HAS RUN AROUND THE WORLD."
BARKLEY SAID WE WERE SAFE FROM INVASIONS EARLIER IN OUR HISTORY, BUT WE WENT TO WAR FOUR TIMES TO GAIN AND PRESERVE OUR FREEDOMS AND THOSE OF OTHER PEOPLES.
HE REFERRED TO THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR, IN WHICH WE GAINED OUR INDEPENDENCE; THE WAR OF 1812, IN WHICH WE WON THE RIGHT FOR THE FREEDOM OF THE SEAS; THE SPANISH-AMERICAN WAR, IN WHICH CUBA AND THE PHILIPPINES WERE FREED, AND THE FIRST WORLD WAR, IN WHICH WE AVENGED THE VIOLATION OF THE FREEDOM OF THE SEAS.

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(130)
BALTIMORE,MAY 21-(AP)-A GROUP OF JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY PROFESSORS TODAY CALLED ON THE SENATE SUBCOMMITTEE INVESTIGATING CHARGES AGAINST OWEN LATTIMORE TO "MAKE A DEFINITE PRONOUNCEMENT X X X ON THE TRUTH OR FALSITY" OF THE CHARGES.
THE ACTION WAS URGED IN A RESOLUTION UNANIMOUSLY ADOPTED BY THE JOHNS HOPKINS CHAPTER OF THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF UNIVERSITY PROFESSORS.
IT SENT A COPY OF THE RESOLUTION TO SENATOR TYDINGS (D-MD).

CHAIRMAN OF THE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE.
LAST TUESDAY LATTIMORE'S COLEAGUES SPONSORED A DINNER AND RECEPTION IN HIS HONOR AS A TESTIMONY TO THEIR FAITH IN HIS LOYALTY TO THIS COUNTRY.
THE DIRECTOR OF THE WALTER HINES PAGE SCHOOL OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS AT HOPKINS AND A NOTED AUTHORITY ON FAR EASTERN POLITICS, LATTIMORE HAS BEEN THE KEY FIGURE IN THE SUBCOMMITTEE'S PROBE. THE INVESTIGATION WAS LAUNCHED AFTER SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) CHARGED THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAD BEEN OVERRUN AND INFLUENCED BY COMMUNISTS.
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A35LA (FX)
BURBANK, CALIF., MAY 21-(AP)-THE PRIME MINISTER OF PAKISTAN AND HIS PARTY TOOK OFF FOR HOUSTON, TEX., IN PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S PLANE THE SACRED COW TODAY, CONTINUING HIS TOUR OF THE UNITED STATES.
LIAQUAT ALI KHAN SPENT THREE DAYS VISITING POINTS OF INTEREST IN AND AROUND LOS ANGELES. YESTERDAY HE FLEW TO EL CENTRO IN THE IMPERIAL VALLEY TO GREET COUNTRYMEN WHO ARE FARMERS THERE, RETURNING LAST NIGHT.
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A119DN
VOMLOUT)
HOUSTON, TEX., MAY 21-(AP)-LIAQUAT ALI KHAN OF PAKISTAN ARRIVED HERE AT 5:30 P.M. (CST) TODAY BY PLANE FROM BURBANK, CALIF.
A BUSY 24-HOUR SCHEDULE AWAITS THE PRIME MINISTER AND HIS WIFE, BEGUM LIAQUAT ALI KHAN, ON THE LONE TEXAS STOP OF THEIR UNITED STATES TOUR.
THE OFFICIAL RECEPTION COMMITTEE AT MUNICIPAL AIRPORT INCLUDED MAYOR OSCAR HOLCOMBE, JESSE JONES, HOUSTON NEWSPAPER PUBLISHER AND FORMER SECRETARY OF COMMERCE; WILL L.CLAYTON, HOUSTON COTTON MERCHANT AND FORMER UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE, AND BRIG.GEN.PAUL WAKEFIELD, REPRESENTING GOVERNOR ALLAN SHIVERS.
AN ROTC HONOR GUARD FROM HOUSTON'S LAMAR HIGH SCHOOL PRESENTED ARMS AS THE ELLINGTON AIR FORCE BASE BAND PLAYED THE NATIONAL ANTHEMS OF PAKISTAN AND THE UNITED STATES.
TOMORROW THE VISITORS WILL TOUR THE HOUSTON SHIP CHANNEL AND INSPECT THE HUGE SHELL OIL REFINERY AT DEER PARK.
A BARBECUE LUNCHEON WILL BE HELD AT THE J.D.HUDGENS RANCH IN WHARTON COUNTY, ABOUT 65 MILES SOUTHWEST OF HERE.
IN THE AFTERNOON THE PRIME MINISTER WILL INSPECT THE TEXAS GULF SULPHUR PLANT AT NEWGULF, WHIE HIS WIFE ATTENDS A TEA AT THE HOLCOMBE HOME.
A FORMAL DINNER CONCLUDES THE HOUSTON VISIT TOMORROW NIGHT.
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(TEX OUT)
FIRST LEAD
HOUSTON, MAY 21-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER LIAQUAT ALI KHAN OF PAKISTAN TONIGHT SAID THE INSTABILITY OF ASIA IS DUE ENTIRELY TO THE "MISERABLE CONDITION OF ITS PEOPLE."
"PEACE AND PROGRESS ARE INSEPARABLE," HE SAID, AS HE EXPLAINED THAT HIS OWN NEWLY FORMED NATION HAS GREAT NATURAL RESOURCES THAT ARE "UNFORTUNATELY UNDEVELOPED."
THE PRIME MINISTER AND HIS WIFE, BEGUM LIAQUAT ALI KHAN, ARRIVED HERE AT 5:50 P.M. (CST) BY PLANE FROM LOS ANGELES FOR THE LONE TEXAS STOP OF THEIR UNITED STATES TOUR.
AN ESTIMATED 2000 (CO) PEOPLE WITNESSED THEIR ARRIVAL AT THE MUNICIPAL AIRPORT.
THE PRIME MINISTER TOLD A PRESS CONFERENCE HE HOPES FOR A PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF THE DISPUTE WITH INDIA OVER POSSESSION OF THE STATE OF KASHMIR.
HE SAID HE ANTICIPATES NO TROUBLE WITH RUSSIA, ALTHOUGH ITS BORDER IS ONLY 18 MILES FROM THAT PORTION OF KASHMIR NOW OCCUPIED BY PAKISTAN.
HE ADDED:
"AS I HAVE SAID MANY TIMES BEFORE, IF THERE WERE TROUBLE BETWEEN PAKISTAN AND INDIA IT WOULD NOT BE CONFINED THERE."
HE SAID AMERICAN INDUSTRY IS BEING GIVEN EVERY CONSIDERATION IN BEING LURED TO PAKISTAN, INCLUDING A PERIOD OF LITTLE OR NO INCOME TAXES.
HIS COUNTRY DOES NOT WANT OUTSIDERS IN THE ARMAMENT, COMMUNICATIONS, RAILROAD OR HYDROELECTRIC POWER BUSINESS, HE SAID, BUT OUTSIDE OF THESE INDUSTRIES PAKISTAN WELCOMES ALL FOREIGN INVESTMENTS.
BUT, HE SAID, THERE IS ONE RULE THAT 51 PER CENT OF THE STOCK IN ANY NEW INDUSTRY MUST BE OFFERED FOR SALE TO CITIZENS OF PAKISTAN. IF THERE ARE NO BUYERS TO PAKISTAN THE MARKET IS OPEN TO ANYONE.
TOMORROW THE PRIME MINISTER IS TO INSPECT AN OIL REFINERY ON THE HOUSTON SHIP CHANNEL.
HE TOLD REPORTERS TONIGHT HIS COUNTRY NOW HAS PRODUCING OIL WELLS IN SOME AREAS.
HE SMILED AND ADDED:
"AND THERE DEFINITELY IS OIL IN SOME OTHER PLACES OR PEOPLE WOULD NOT BE GOING AROUND SMELLING PAKISTAN."
AS AN EXAMPLE OF THE UNDEVELOPED RESOURCES IN HIS COUNTRY HE SAID PAKISTAN PRODUCES 75 PER CENT OF THE WORLD SUPPLY OF JUTE BUT DOES NOT HAVE A SINGLE JUTE MILL.
MEMBERS OF THE PRIME MINISTER'S PARTY SAID THE CROWD THAT GREETED HIM AT THE AIRPORT HERE WAS THE LARGEST SO FAR ON HIS UNITED STATES TOUR. #

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(125)
SAN FRANCISCO, MAY 21-(AP)-THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS GAVE POSSIBLY SIGNIFICANT EMPHASIS TODAY TO THE INDIAN AMBASSADOR'S PRESENTATION OF HIS CREDENTIALS.
A LONG PEIPING BROADCAST, HEARD IN SAN FRANCISCO BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS, DESCRIBED EXCHANGES OF MUTUAL NATIONAL ESTEEM AND DESIRES FOR COOPERATION BETWEEN AMBASSADOR K.M. PANIKKAR, COMMUNIST PREMIER CHOU EN-LAI AND OTHER RED OFFICIALS.
PANIKKAR WAS QUOTED AS SAYING, "THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA AND THE REPUBLIC OF INDIA, REPRESENTING THE OLDEST COMMUNITIES IN THE WORLD, ARE IN POSITION NOW TO COOPERATE EFFECTIVELY FOR MUTUAL ADVANTAGE AND FOR THE WELFARE OF THEIR PEOPLE.
"THESE TWO SISTER REPUBLICS OF ASIA, WHICH BETWEEN THEM CONTAIN OVER ONE-THIRDD OF THE WORLD'S POPULATION, CAN, THROUGH THEIR CO-OPERATION, BECOME A GREAT AND INVINCIBLE FORCE FOR PEACE."
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B50
(210)
NEW YORK, MAY 21-(AP)-MRS.FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT SAID TONIGHT IF THE SENATE RATIFIES THE UNITED NATIONS COVENANT ON HUMAN RIGHTS "IT WILL BE THE FIRST STEP OF ENCOURAGEMENT IN THE STRUGGLE BETWEEN COMMUNISM AND DEMOCRACY."
MRS. ROOSEVELT SPOKE AT A WALDORF ASTORIA HOTEL DINNER DURING WHICH SHE WAS AWARDED A GOLD MEDAL FOR MERITORIOUS SERVICE TO THE UNDERPRIVILEGED.
THE AWARD AND DINNER WERE SPONSORED BY THE WILLIAMSBURG SETTLEMENT

OF BROOKLYN.
URGING THAT ALL SENATORS BE TOLD THE FEELING OF THEIR CONSTITUENTS ABOUT THE COVENANT, MRS. ROOSEVELT SAID: "I HOPE YOU ALL FEEL AS I DO.
"IF THE UNITED STATES DOESN'T RATIFY THE COVENANT ON HUMAN RIGHTS, WHO ELSE WILL?"
SHE SAID SHE THOUGHT IT WOULD BE "DIFFICULT" FOR ANYONE IN THE SENATE TO OPPOSE THE RATIFICATION OF THE COVENANT BECAUSE THERE WAS NOTHING IN IT THAT WAS UNCONSTITUTIONAL.
CLARE BOOTHE LUCE, FORMER REPUBLICAN CONGRESSWOMAN, SAID MRS. ROOSEVELT "HAS DONE MORE GOOD DEEDS ON A BIGGER SCALE, FOR A LONGER TIME, THAN ANY WOMAN WHO EVER APPEARED ON OUR PUBLIC SCENE.
"NO WOMAN HAS EVER SO COMFORTED THE DISTRESSED--OR DISTRESSED THE COMFORTABLE," MRS. LUCE SAID.
MRS. LUCE REFERRED TO PUBLISHED ATTACKS ON MRS. ROOSEVELT AND ADDED:
"THERE ARE SOME PEOPLE WHO STILL REFUSE TO ADMIRE MRS. ROOSEVELT FOR ANY REASON WHATSOEVER. THESE ARE, FOR THE MOST PART, UNHAPPY FOLK WHO HAVE NO HIGHER CONCEPT OF LIBERTY THAN THE RIGHT IT GIVES THEM TO HEAP PERSONAL INSULTS ON PUBLIC CHARACTERS WITH IMPUNITY."
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KX, WX (140)
NEW YORK, MAY 21-(AP)-ADM. WILLIAM H. P. BLANDY, THE MAN WHO DIRECTED THE BIKINI ATOM BOMB TESTS, SAID TODAY THAT REARMAMENT OF GERMANY WAS "ESSENTIAL TO THE DEFENSE OF WESTERN EUROPE."
"IF WAR WITH THE SOVIET UNION SHOULD COME," BLANDY SAID, "IT IS FANTASTIC TO SUPPOSE THAT WE CAN DEFEND WESTERN EUROPE WITHOUT GERMAN HELP."
BLANDY, NOW RETIRED, APPEARED ON THE OVERSEAS PRESS CLUB FORUM OF THE CBS TELEVISION NETWORK.
ESTIMATING THE RUSSIANS HAD 175 DIVISIONS ARMED AND PREPARED FOR WAR, BLANDY ADDED, "WE'D HAVE TO STRUGGLE TO MUSTER 30."
LIEUT. GEN. HAROLD L. GEORGE OF LOS ANGELES AND FORMER CHIEF OF THE WAR PLANS DIVISION, SAID "I DON'T THINK THIS COUNTRY WOULD SURVIVE IF 40 OR 50 ATOMIC BOMBS WERE DROPPED ON OUR INDUSTRIAL PLANTS WITHOUT WARNING."
"ANY PUDDLE JUMPER WITH AN A-BOMB," THE RETIRED AIR FORCE GENERAL SAID, "COULD CROSS THIS COUNTRY AND DROP ITS LOAD ON OAK RIDGE WITHOUT OUR EVER KNOWING IT.
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(180)
NEW YORK, MAY 21-(AP)-A ROMAN CATHOLIC PASTOR TODAY CRITICIZED SEN. DENNIS CHAVEZ (D-N.M.) FOR "ATTACKING THE INTEGRITY OF THE CONVERSION" OF FORMER COMMUNIST LOUIS BUDENZ.
THE REV. EDWARD LODGE CURRAN, PASTOR OF ST.JOSEPH'S CHURCH, BROOKLYN, ADDRESSED 500 MEMBERS OF THE CATHOLIC GUILD OF WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY EMPLOYES AT THEIR 13TH ANNUAL COMMUNION BREAKFAST.
"SENATOR CHAVEZ, INSTEAD OF ATTACKING THE INTEGRITY AND HONESTY OF THE CONVERSION OF BUDENZ, SHOULD BE DOWN IN WASHINGTON WORKING TO REMOVE THE COMMUNISTS PUT IN POSITION OF TRUST IN OUR GOVERNMENT BY HIS POLITICAL PARTY," FATHER CURRAN SAID.
CHAVEZ, HE ADDED, "IS MORE INTERESTED IN HIS OWN POLITICAL PARTY THAN IN ROUTING THE REDS FROM WASHINGTON."
THE SENATOR RECENTLY CHARGED THAT BUDENZ, FORMER MANAGING EDITOR OF THE COMMUNIST DAILY WORKER AND NOW A MEMBER OF THE FORDHAM UNIVERSITY FACULTY, USED THE CATHOLIC CHURCH AS "A CLOAK AND SHIELD" TO PROTECT HIMSELF IN GIVING "UNAMERICAN, UNCHRISTIAN DUBIOUS TESTIMONY."
FATHER CURRAN ALSO DEFENDED SEN. JOSEPH MC CARTHY (R-WIS) IN CONNECTION WITH MC CARTHY'S CHARGES OF COMMUNIST INFILTRATION INTO THE STATE DEPARTMENT.
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A95
NEW YORK, MAY 21-(AP)-SIR OWEN DIXON, UNITED NATIONS MEDIATOR, LEFT HERE BY PLANE TODAY ENROUTE TO NEW DELHI AND KARACHI WHERE HE HOPES TO SETTLE THE DISPUTE BETWEEN INDIA AND PAKISTAN OVER THE PRINCELY STATE OF KASHMIR.
SIR OWEN, A JUSTICE OF THE HIGH COURT OF AUSTRALIA, SAID ONE OF THE PROBLEMS TO BE DISCUSSED CONCERNS THE DEMILITARIZATION OF KASHMIR AS A PREREQUISITE TO HOLDING A PLEBISCITE THERE ON THE QUESTION OF RULE BY INDIA OR PAKISTAN.
HE SAID THE DEMILITARIZATION SHOULD BE ACHIEVED IN THREE MONTHS, ACCORDING TO A U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL REQUEST.
AT PRESENT INDIAN AND PAKISTAN FORCES ARE OBSERVING A TRUCE.
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A40 (300)
NEW YORK, MAY 21-(AP)-GEN.J.LAWTON ~~COLLINS~~, ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF, SAID TODAY THE ARMY HAS A NEW ANTI-AIRCRAFT ROCKET WHICH WILL FIRE 12 MILES IN THE AIR.
THE ROCKET, CALLED THE "LOKI," WILL BE "CAPABLE OF DESTROYING ATTACKING PLANES," GEN.COLLINS SAID IN A RADIO INTERVIEW TRANSCRIBED FOR THE CBS "PEOPLE'S PLATFORM" PROGRAM.
GEN.COLLINS SAID THE NEW WEAPON STILL WAS IN THE TESTING STAGE. HE POINTED OUT THAT LOKI WAS THE GOD OF NORSE MYTHOLOGY WHO WAS SUPPOSED TO RELEASE THE HOSTS OF HADES AND ADDED:
"THAT'S EXACTLY WHAT WE INTEND TO DO IF ANYONE EVER ATTACKS THE UNITED STATES."
HE DID NOT REVEAL FURTHER DETAILS OF THE NEW WEAPON.
GEN. COLLINS SAID THAT "WE FACED A VERY CRITICAL PROBLEM" WHEN IT WAS DISCOVERED THAT "THE POLICE STATES HAD US OUTNUMBERED IN TANKS BY MORE THAN SEVEN TO ONE."
"NOW, HOWEVER," HE SAID, "WE ARE WORKING UP NEW ANTI-TANK WEAPONS THAT ARE RELATIVELY INEXPENSIVE, THAT ARE LIGHT AND MANEUVERABLE AND EASY TO MANUFACTURE, AND WHICH WE BELIEVE WILL GO A LONG WAY TOWARD OVERCOMING THIS GREAT ADVANTAGE THAT THE OTHER FELLOW NOW HAS ON US."

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SECRETARY OF DEFENSE LOUIS A.JOHNSON, AMONG THE DEFENSE LEADERS WITH WHOM INTERVIEWS WERE HELD, SAID THAT UNIFICATION OF THE ARMED SERVICES "IS HERE, IT'S WORKING, AND THE NEXT YEAR WILL BE A LOT EASIER THAN THE YEAR JUST BEHIND US."
JOHNSON SAID IN THE COURSE OF THE INTERVIEW:
"SOMEBODY STARTED A REPORT A FEW DAYS AGO THAT I WAS RESIGNING JULY 1. THERE ISN'T A WORD OF TRUTH IN THAT AND HASN'T BEEN."
OTHERS ON THE PROGRAM WERE LT. GEN. IDWAL H. EDWARDS, U.S. AIR FORCE DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF FOR OPERATIONS; ADMIRAL LYNDE DUPUY MC CORMICK, VICE CHIEF U.S. NAVAL OPERATIONS, AND GEN. CLIFTON B. CATES, U.S. MARINE CORPS COMMANDANT.
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A155
(370)
NEW YORK, MAY 21-(AP)-FORMER OSS AGENT FRANK BIELASKI SAID TODAY THERE IS A PERSON INVOLVED IN THE AMERASIA CASE "OF GREATER FAME" THAN ANYONE PREVIOUSLY MENTIONED.
BUT SO FAR, HE SAID, THE MAN HASN'T EVEN BEEN INVESTIGATED.
BIELASKI, WHO TESTIFIED SECRETLY EARLY THIS MONTH BEFORE THE SENATE SUBCOMMITTEE INVESTIGATING ALLEGED COMMUNIST INFLUENCE IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT, WAS QUESTIONED ON THE NATIONAL BROADCASTING COMPANY'S "MEET THE PRESS."
THE FORMER DIRECTOR OF INVESTIGATION FOR THE OFFICE OF STRATEGIC SERVICES MADE THE ORIGINAL RAID ON THE OFFICES OF THE MAGAZINE AMERASIA.
LATER FBI RAIDS LED TO ARREST OF SIx PERSONS, INDICTMENT OF THREE, AND CONVICTION OF TWO ON CHARGES OF CONSPIRACY TO ILLEGALLY REMOVE GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS.
BIELASKI SAID ON THE BROADCAST THAT DOCUMENTS HE SAW DURING THE FIRST AMERASIA RAID WERE FROM MANY GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS BUT MOST OF THEM SHOWED THEY HAD COME THROUGH THE STATE DEPARTMENT.
HE WAS ASKED IF ALL THE PERSONS INVOLVED HAD BEEN MENTIONED.
"OH, NO," SAID BIELASKI. "OF MY OWN KNOWLEDGE THERE IS ONE INDIVIDUAL INVOLVED IN THIS CASE RIGHT UP TO HIS EARS, AND HIS NAME HAS NEVER BEEN MENTIONED.
"HE IS A PERSON, I THINK, OF GREATER FAME, SHALL I SAY, NATIONALLY AND INTERNATIONALLY THAN ANYONE WHO HAS BEEN MENTIONED IN THIS CASE."
"HAS HE BEEN CALLED BY ANY OF THE COMMITTEES?" BIELASKI WAS ASKED.
"HE HAS NEVER BEEN CALLED BY ANYBODY," HE REPLIED, "NOR DO I THINK HIS CONNECTION WITH THE CASE HAS EVER BEEN INVESTIGATED."
THE FORMER OSS MAN SAID HE COULD NOT NAME THE MAN BECAUSE IT "MIGHT INTERFERE WITH AN INVESTIGATION WHICH THE SENATE COMMITTEE MAY MAKE."
"IS HE IN THE GOVERNMENT?" HE WAS ASKED.
"NO," WAS HIS REPLY, "HE IS NOT IN THE GOVERNMENT."
"WAS HE IN THE GOVERNMENT?"
BIELASKI FIRST TURNED ASIDE THAT QUESTION, BUT LATER COMMENTED THAT "HE IS NOT KNOWN AS A GOVERNMENT MAN PARTICULARLY."
BIELASKI SAID LATENT FINGERPRINTS FOUND ON THE AMERASIA DOCUMENTS WERE "EXTREMELY INTERESTING" BUT WERE NEVER USED AS EVIDENCE BEFORE THE GRAND JURY.
HE DIDN'T CONNECT THE FINGERPRINTS WITH THE MYSTERY PERSON.
"SOME OF THE FINGERPRINTS X X X FURNISHED EVIDENCE OF A PRIMA FACIE CASE OF PERJURY WHICH HAS NEVER BEEN PROSECUTED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE," HE ADDED.
HE SAID HE BELIEVED AMERASIA COULD HAVE HAD "EVERY DOCUMENT FROM THE STATE DEPARTMENT THAT CONCERNED THE NEAR EAST GOING THROUGH THEIR ORGANIZATION."
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A32 (380)
BY RICHARD KASISCHKE
BERLIN, MAY 22-(AP)-MAYOR ERNST REUTER DECLARED TONIGHT WEST BERLIN WILL "DEFEND ITS FREEDOM" AGAINST ANY COMMUNIST ATTACK DURING THIS WEEK'S MASSING OF COMMUNIST YOUTH HERE.
BROADCASTING TO THE SURROUNDING RUSSIAN OCCUPATION ZONE, WHENCE THE WHITSUNTIDE WEEKEND YOUTH MARCHERS WILL COME, REUTER SAID:
"AFTER THE WHITSUNTIDE GATHERING THE WHOLE WORLD WILL SEE THAT IT TAKES MORE THAN (COMMUNIST) NOISE TO SHAKE THE WALLS OF FREE BERLIN."
EVEN AS REUTER SPOKE THE FAMED UNTER DEN LINDEN BOULEVARD IN THE SOVIET SECTOR OF THE CITY WAS BEING TRANSFORMED INTO AN AVENUE OF FLAGS AND REVIEWING STANDS FOR THE BIG WEEKEND SHOW. THE VANGUARD OF DELEGATES HAD ARRIVED, AND THOUSANDS OF OTHERS WERE REPORTED STARTING THEIR JOURNEYS.
THE COMMUNISTS HAVE ADVERTISED THAT 500,000 OF THEIR FREE GERMAN YOUTH (FDJ) WOULD CONVERGE ON THE CITY. THEY ORIGINALLY SAID THE YOUTH WOULD "STORM" ALL BERLIN, INCLUDING THE ALLIED-OCCUPIED WESTERN SECTORS.
ALLIED AND GERMAN PREPARATIONS TO RESIST ANY SUCH "STORMING" OF WEST BERLIN SUBSEQUENTLY APPEARED TO HAVE COOLED THE INITIAL COMMUNIST ARDOR.
SPEAKING OVER THE AMERICAN RADIO RIAS, REUTER CHARGED THE WHITSUNTIDE DEMONSTRATION WAS DIRECTLY INSTIGATED BY THE RUSSIAN OCCUPATION AUTHORITIES AS "ANOTHER MUSSOLINI MARCH ON ROME" -- THIS TIME TO SEIZE BERLIN.
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HE APPEALED TO GERMAN PARENTS IN THE RUSSIAN ZONE NOT TO LET THEIR CHILDREN BE USED FOR "A PUTSCH ATTEMPT WHICH COULD NEVER SUCCEED."
THE ANTI-COMMUNIST MAYOR SAID THE RUSSIANS AND THE EAST GERMAN COMMUNISTS HAD PLOTTED TO "SEND GERMAN YOUTH INTO THE FIRE" TO ACHIEVE THEIR AIMS OF OVERRUNNING BERLIN. HE ADDED:
"THE PURPOSE WAS CLEAR -- FREE BERLIN SHOULD BE CONQUERED AND SUDDENLY OVERRUN AND ANNEXED TO THE RUSSIAN OCCUPATION ZONE." X X X
WEST BERLINERS GOT ASSURANCE THAT FULL PROTECTIVE MEASURES -- INCLUDING STOCKS OF TEAR GAS -- HAD BEEN ARRANGED AGAINST ANY COMMUNIST INVASION.
THIS CAME FROM DEPUTY POLICE CHIEF HANS URBAN, WHO SPOKE TO A WEST BERLIN CLUB AUDIENCE.
"FOR EMERGENCY WE ARE ALSO PREPARED WITH TEAR GAS," HE SAID. "THE 13,000 WEST BERLIN POLICE ARE DEPENDABLE FORCES, IN CONTRAST TO THE (COMMUNIST) PEOPLE'S POLICE OF THE RUSSIAN SECTOR. WE HAVE RELIABLE INFORMATION THAT IF IT CAME TO A REAL CLASH AGAINST THE WEST, MORE THAN HALF OF THESE PEOPLE'S POLICE WOULD DESERT."
URBAN'S FIGURE OF 13,000 INDICATED THE WESTERN SECTOR MAY HAVE BEEN HEAVILY REINFORCED FOR WHITSUNTIDE. ORIGINALLY THESE HAD BEEN ESTIMATED BY ALLIED AUTHORITIES AT 9,000, WITH RECRUITING OF ANOTHER 2,000 AUTHORIZED.
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A131
(110)
BERLIN, MAY 22-(AP)-BRITISH OFFICIALS REPORTED TODAY THAT SOVIET ZONE BORDER CONTROL AUTHORITIES HAD TIGHTENED THEIR SLOWDOWN ON BERLIN'S BARGE TRAFFIC BY HALTING FOUR COAL BARGES INBOUND FROM WEST GERMANY.
THE COAL BARGES WERE HALTED AT WITTENBERGE, SOVIET CHECKPOINT BETWEEN EAST AND WEST GERMANY. THEY ADDED TO SOME 70 BARGES ALREADY DELAYED THERE IN A TWO WEEK SLOWDOWN WHILE COMMUNIST INSPECTORS CONDUCTED A CLOSE SEARCH FOR ALLEGED "CONTRABAND."
THE BRITISH SAID THE COMMUNISTS NOW WERE DEMANDING THAT COAL SHIPPED INTO BERLIN BY WATERWAYS MUST BE PACKED IN BAGS. THIS. THE COMMUNISTS SAID, WOULD PREVENT HIDING ALLEGED CONTRABAND UNDER THE LOADS.
BRITISH AND WEST GERMAN TRAFFIC MEN PROTESTED THAT BARGE-LADEN COAL HAD NEVER BEEN PACKED IN BAGS AND THAT IF THIS WERE DONE IT WOULD UPSET THE CONVEYOR LOADING AND UNLOADING SYSTEM.
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BERLIN, MAY 22-(AP)-THE WEST BERLIN NEWSPAPER DER KURIER SAID TODAY KURT MUELLER, WEST GERMANY'S NO.2 COMMUNIST, HAS BEEN HANDED OVER TO THE SOVIET SECRET POLICE (MVD) AND PROBABLY WILL BE DEPORTED TO RUSSIA.
MUELLER WAS ARRESTED RECENTLY AS A TRAITOR TO THE PARTY. HIS DETENTION WAS ANNOUNCED BY THE COMMUNIST EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT, APPARENTLY AFTER HE HAD BEEN KIDNAPPED FROM WEST GERMANY, WHERE HE WAS A MEMBER OF THE FEDERAL PARLIAMENT.
DER KURIER SAID MUELLER WAS A CAPTIVE IN THE BRANDENBURG POLITICAL PRISON AT POTSDAM, WHERE HE IS BEING GRILLED BY THE MVD. THE NEWSPAPER PREDICTED HE WOULD PROBABLY BE DEPORTED TO RUSSIA THERE TO DISAPPEAR, SINCE HE HAD BEEN NEWLY DENOUNCED BY MAX RIEMANN, NO.1 WEST GERMAN COMMUNIST. REIMANN CLAIMED THAT MUELLER, HIS CHIEF RIVAL FOR PARTY LEADERSHIP, HAD BEEN GUILTY OF TREACHEROUS ACTIVITY WITHIN THE PARTY SINCE 1933 BUT HAD BEEN ABLE TO SURVIVE THE LAST 17 YEARS BECAUSE HE "FOOLED THE PEOPLE INTO BELIEVING HE REGRETTED HIS EARLIER ERRORS."
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NIGHT LEAD RUSSIANS (330)
FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 22-(AP)-THE SOVIET MILITARY MISSION IN FRANKFURT WAS FENCED IN TONIGHT AFTER FIVE RUSSIANS WERE PICKED UP OUTSIDE THEIR COMPOUND FOR VIOLATING AN AMERICAN BAN ON THEIR TRAVELS.
THE MISSION OF UPWARDS OF 14 MEN WAS RESTRICTED TO ITS BLOCK-SQUARE FENCED-IN COMPOUND BY AN ORDER ISSUED LAST FRIDAY IN RETALIATION FOR RESTRICTIONS ON U.S. OFFICERS AT SOVIET HEADQUARTERS IN POTSDAM WHO ARE PROHIBITED FROM GOING ANYWHERE EXCEPT BETWEEN THEIR OFFICES AND HOMES.
TWO OF THE FIVE RUSSIANS -- ANLIEUTENANT AND A SERGEANT -- LANDED IN AN AMERICAN POLICE STATION AND ADMITTED THEY WERE AWARE OF THE AMERICAN RESTRICTIONS BUT THOUGHT THEIR IDENTITY CARDS PERMITTED THEM TO GO TO OTHER PARTS OF FRANKFURT. COL. A.B. O'CONNELL, FRANKFURT PROVOST MARSHAL, TOLD THEM THEY WERE WRONG. THE U.S. ARMY DISPATCHED 10 MILITARY POLICEMEN IN WHITE JEEPS AND ON MOTORCYCLES TO CIRCLE THE SOVIET COMPOUND. AS THEY APPROACHED THEY HALTED A MISSION CAR AND NABBED THREE OTHER RUSSIANS -- A MAJOR AND TWO CIVILIANS.
THEY, TOO, WERE TAKEN TO THE POLICE STATION. THEY WERE FOUND TO BE MEMBERS OF A RUSSIAN REPARATIONS MISSION, WHICH IS NOT AFFECTED BY THE AMERICAN RESTRICTIONS ON THE MILITARY MISSION.
ALL FIVE WERE RELEASED FROM POLICE CUSTODY AFTER COL. O'CONNELL HAD OBTAINED A PROMISE FROM THE SOVIET COMMANDER, COL. GEORGE PAVLOV, THAT THE AMERICAN ORDER WOULD BE OBEYED IN THE FUTURE. THEN THEY WERE ESCORTED BACK TO THE MISSION. LATER THE MAJOR WAS ALLOWED TO RETURN TO HIS HOME IN ANOTHER PART OF FRANKFURT.
THE ARMY KEPT ITS GUARD AROUND THE MISSION UNTIL O'CONNELL

CALLED ON PAVLOV. THE ARMED GUARD THEN WAS WITHDRAWN, LEAVING TWO REGULAR GERMAN POLICEMEN ON DUTY.

ALTHOUGH RESTRICTED TO THEIR COMPOUND, THE RUSSIANS WILL CONTINUE TO RECEIVE SUPPLIES DELIVERED FROM THE COMMISSARIES WHERE AMERICANS GET THEIR FOOD.

THE BRITISH HAVE RESTRICTED THE RUSSIAN MILITARY MISSION IN THEIR ZONE TO THE TOWN OF BAD SALZUFLEN, WHERE ITS HEADQUARTERS ARE LOCATED AND TO THE HIGHWAY LEADING TO THE SOVIET ZONE.

THE RUSSIANS ARE NOT CONFINED TO THEIR HOMES, BUT CAN WANDER ABOUT THE TOWN IF THEY CHOOSE. AN OFFICIAL SOURCE SAID TONIGHT IF A RUSSIAN SHOULD ENTER A VEHICLE, THE CAR WOULD BE FOLLOWED TO MAKE SUR IT KEPT ON THE HELMSTEDT AUTOBAHN LEADING TO BERLIN.

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FIRST LEAD RUSSIAN MISSION (A97) (200)

FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 22-(AP)-FIVE RUSSIANS WERE PICKED UP TODAY AMERICAN MILITARY POLICE ENFORCING RESTRICTIONS ON MOVEMENTS OF THE RUSSIAN MILITARY MISSION. ALL FIVE WERE RELEASED LATER.

THE AMERICANS PLACED AN ARMED GUARD AROUND THE RUSSIAN HEADQUARTERS COMPOUND HERE, BUT LATER REMOVED IT WHEN THE MEMBERS OF THE MISSION PROMISED NOT TO VIOLATE THE RESTRICTIONS AGAIN.

THREE OF THE RUSSIANS WHO WERE PICKED UP WERE RELEASED QUICKLY WHEN IT WAS FOUND THEY WERE NOT AFFECTED BY THE U.S. RESTRICTIONS, IMPOSED IN RETALIATION FOR A SOVIET CRACKDOWN ON MOVEMENTS OF AMERICA OFFICERS ATTACHED TO SOVIET HEADQUARTERS IN EAST GERMANY.

THE OTHER TWO, A RUSSIAN LIEUTENANT AND A SERGEANT, WERE HELD THRE HOURS WHILE THEIR DOCUMENTS WERE CHECKED AND THEN WERE RETURNED UNDER GUARD TO THE SOVIET MISSION.

COL. A.B. CONNEL, FRANKFURT PROVOST MARSHAL, ANNOUNCED THAT A GUARD OF FROM SIX TO TEN MILITARY POLICE, SENT TO KEEP THE RUSSIANS RESTRICTED TO THEIR OFFICE-LIVING QUARTERS, WAS WITHDRAWN AFTER THE RUSSIANS TOLD HIM THEY WERE AWARE OF TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS BUT HAD THOUGHT THEIR IDENTITY CARDS WOULD PERMIT THEM TO GO ABOUT FRANKFURT FREELY. WHILE THE TWO WERE BEING HELD, TWO OTHER RUSSIANS TRIED TO LEAVE THE COMPOUND, BUT RETIRED INTO THE MISSION BUILDING ON ORDERS OF THE M.P. PATROL.

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NIGHT LEAD SOCIALISTS

HAMBURG, GERMANY, MAY 22-(AP)-SOCIALIST LEADER KURT SCHUMACHER TODAY OPPOSED THE WEST GERMAN GOVERNMENT ON TWO ISSUES, THE PROPOSED FRENCH-GERMAN COAL AND STEEL MERGER AND GERMAN MEMBERSHIP IN THE ATLANTIC COUNCIL.

THE ONE-ARMED LEADER TOLD A PARTY CONVENTION THE RUHR'S COAL AND STEEL INDUSTRY MUST BECOME PUBLICLY OWNED BEFORE SOCIALISTS CAN AGREE TO THE MERGER PLAN. SOCIALISTS CANNOT AGREE TO WEST GERMANY'S JOINING THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL AT STRASBOURG IF THE SAAR ALSO IS A SEPARATE MEMBER, HE DECLARED.

KONRAD ADENAUER, CHRISTIAN DEMOCRAT CHANCELLOR OF THE WEST GERMAN GOVERNMENT, TOLD A CAMPAIGN RALLY AT COLOGNE YESTERDAY THAT POOLING GERMAN AND FRENCH COAL AND STEEL PRODUCTION WOULD SINK THE SAAR QUESTION INTO INSIGNIFICANCE.

HIS CABINET HAS APPROVED GERMAN MEMBERSHIP IN THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL'S ASSEMBLY, AN EMBRYO PARLIAMENT. HE AND OTHER GOVERNMENT SPOKESMEN HAVE ENTHUSIASTICALLY APPROVED THE COAL-STEEL MERGER IDEA AS A WAY OF MAKING WAR IMPOSSIBLE BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES. ADENAUER SAID IF THE OUTPUT OF THE SAAR'S COAL MINES WENT INTO A COMMON POOL THE QUESTION OF WHETHER THE BASIN IS FRENCH OR GERMAN WOULD BE UNIMPORTANT.

HE IS TO CONFER TOMORROW WITH JEAN MONNET, FRENCH ECONOMIC PLANNER, ON DETAILS OF THE PLAN.

FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER SCHUMAN IN A POLITICAL SPEECH AT NANTES YESTERDAY SAID FRANCE'S AFRICAN MARKETS WOULD BE OPENED TO GERMAN INDUSTRY BY THE PLAN.

SCHUMACHER DEMANDED THAT BERLIN AGAIN BECOME THE CAPITAL OF A UNITED GERMANY, THAT THE WESTERN POWERS GIVE GERMANY GREATER MILITARY SECURITY AGAINST AGGRESSION AND THAT THE GERMANS BE ALLOWED MORE POWER TO SETTLE POLITICAL AND INDUSTRIAL PROBLEMS THEMSELVES.

AS TO THE SAAR, HE SAID, "THERE CAN BE NO DEMOCRACY WITHOUT SELF-DETERMINATION OF THE PEOPLE AND THIS APPLIES TO THE SAAR AS WELL AS TO ANY OTHER COUNTRY."

U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J.MCCLOY DECLARED TODAY THAT ALLIED TROOPS IN GERMANY "ARE NO LONGER PRIMARILY AN OCCUPYING FORCE BUT A FORCE DEFENDING GERMANY AND EUROPE AGAINST A REVIVAL OF DICTATORSHIP AND OPPRESSION."

HE INTERPRETED RESULTS OF RECENT ATLANTIC PACT AND FOREIGN MINISTERS TALKS IN LONDON IN A SPEECH OPENING AN AMERICAN CULTURAL CENTER AT HANNOVER.

"IT IS THE GOAL OF THE WESTERN POWERS TO HELP GERMANY TO DEMOCRATIC UNITY UNDER A FREE GOVERNMENT, FREELY ELECTED," HE SAID. "THE COMMUNISTS ARE OPPOSING THIS UNITY."

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PRECEDE COLOGNE (110)

HAMBURG, GERMANY, MAY 22-(AP)-WEST GERMANY'S SOCIALISTS DEMANDED TODAY THAT THE RUHR'S INDUSTRIES BE TAKEN OVER BY THE STATE BEFORE CONSENTING TO ANY AGREEMENT FOR POOLING GERMAN-FRENCH COAL AND STEEL RESOURCES.

DR.KURT SCHUMACHER, LEADER OF THE SOCIAL DEMOCRATS, SAID HIS PARTY FELT THAT SOCIALIZATION OF THE RUHR'S INDUSTRIES SHOULD SUPPLANT INTERNATIONAL CONTROL. ONLY THEN, HE TOLD AN ANNUAL CONVENTION OF THE PARTY, COULD THE SOCIALISTS AGREE TO THE POOLING PLAN SUGGESTED BY FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN OF FRANCE.

SCHUMACHER'S PARTY IS THE MAIN OPPOSITION TO THE GOVERNMENT HEADED BY CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER, WHO IN A SPEECH YESTERDAY AT COLOGNE SAID THE FRENCH PLAN WOULD ELIMINATE FRENCH-GERMAN TENSION OVER THE SAAR.

ADENAUER TOLD A NORTH-RHINE WESTPHALIA STATE ELECTION CAMPAIGN RALLY YESTERDAY THAT, WITH THE SAAR EGION'S COAL OUTPUT GOING INTO A COMMON POOL, THE QUESTION OF WHETHER THE DISPUTED TERRITORY WAS FRENCH OR GERMAN WOULD LOSE ITS SIGNIFICANCE.

THE COAL-RICH SAAR BASIN HAS BEEN A CENTER OF DISPUTE BETWEEN GERMANY AND FRANCE FOR MORE THAN 150 YEARS. IT WAS RETURNED TO GERMANY AFTER A PLEBISCITE PRIOR TO WORLD WAR II. AFTER THE WAR, FRANCE PROMISED THE SAAR LIMITED AUTONOMY IN RETURN FOR RIGHTS TO ITS COAL PRODUCTION.

ADENAUER SAID HE EXPECTS TO CONFER THIS WEEK WITH JEAN MONNET, FRENCH ECONOMIC ADVISER CREDITED WITH AIDING FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN ON DETAILS OF THE MERGER PLAN.

ADENAUER ALSO CALLED ON WEST GERMANY TO ACCEPT AN INVITATION TO JOIN THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL AND TO TAKE ALL NECESSARY STEPS TO MAKE THE SCHUMAN PLAN A REALITY.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 10:30 A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY MONDAY MAY 22)
(ADVANCE)...HANNOVER, GERMANY, MAY 22-(AP)-WESTERN TROOPS IN GERMANY "ARE NO LONGER PRIMARILY AN OCCUPYING FORCE BUT A FORCE DEFENDING GERMANY AND EUROPE AGAINST A REVIVAL OF DICTATORSHIP AND OPPRESSION", U.S.HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J.MCCLOY TOLD THE GERMAN PEOPLE TODAY.
MCCLOY EMPHASIZED THE DEFENSIVE RATHER THAN POLICE ROLE OF AMERICAN, BRITISH AND FRENCH TROOPS IN A SPEECH HERE INTERPRETING THE RESULTS OF THE RECENT LONDON CONFERENCE. HE SPOKE AT THE OPENING OF AN AMERICAN CULTURAL CENTER.
"IT IS RECOGNIZED THAT THE WORLD IS DIVIDED BETWEEN THE FREE PEOPLES OF THE WEST AND THE OPPRESSED PEOPLES UNDER SOVIET DOMINATION," MCCLOY SAID. "IT IS THE GOAL OF THE WESTERN POWERS TO HELP GERMANY TO DEMOCRATIC UNITY UNDER A FREE GOVERNMENT, FREELY ELECTED. THE COMMUNISTS ARE OPPOSING THIS UNITY."
THE HIGH COMMISSIONER SAID IT WAS THE ALLIED AIM TO INTEGRATE GERMANY INTO A UNITED EUROPE. HE URGED THE GERMANS TO MAKE MORE ROOM FOR YOUTH IN HIGH GOVERNMENT OFFICES AND GIVE THEM A STRONGER VOICE IN GOVERNMENT AND POLITICAL AFFAIRS.

Earlier Mccloy told a roundtable conference of German newspapermen at Hermannsburg near Hannover that he could NOT conceive of the German people remaining neutral between good and evil.

"There is NO purpose in speaking of Europe as a third force and it would be unrealistic for the Germans to throw their weight one way or another in a new form of the balance of power," McCloy said, THAT WAS receiving his reaction to proposals from leading members of the west German government to consolidate as a third power in the east-west struggle.

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STUTTGART, GERMANY, MAY 22-(AP)-LEADERS OF A DISPLACED PERSONS' CAMP NEAR HERE TODAY REPORTED FINDING SKELETONS OF 120 TO 150 PERSONS THEY DESCRIBED AS EASTERN EUROPEAN REFUGEES SHOT BY RUSSIAN TROOPS IN 1945.
THE CAMP, IN ZUFFENHAUSEN, IS OCCUPIED BY UKRAINIANS, POLES AND WHITE RUSSIANS. THE SURROUNDING TERRITORY WAS TAKEN OVER BY THE FRENCH IN THE SUMMER OF 1945 AND IS NOW PART OF THE AMERICAN ZONE.
CAMP LEADERS TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THAT A RUSSIAN REPATRIATION COMMISSION VISITED THE CAMP IN JUNE, 1945, AND SHOT EASTERN EUROPEAN REFUGEES THEY SUSPECTED OF HAVING COLLABORATED WITH THE NAZIS OR WHO REFUSED TO RETURN TO THEIR HOMES.
LEADERS AMONG THE PRESENT INMATES INTRODUCED FOUR 1945 INMATES AND A FORMER GERMAN JANITOR AT THE CAMP, HERMANN OSTERTAG, WHO CLAIMED THE SHOOTINGS WERE A DAILY OCCURRENCE AT THE CAMP BETWEEN JUNE AND SEPTEMBER, 1945.
SOME OF THE BONES OF THE VICTIMS WERE DISCOVERED ACCIDENTALLY IN 1947, THE NEWS CONFERENCE WAS TOLD. OTHER BONES HAVE BEEN FOUND AT INTERVALS SINCE THEN, THE CAMP INMATES SAID.
UKRAINIANS, POLES AND WHITE RUSSIANS ARE TRADITIONALLY AMONG THE MOST BITTER ANTI-COMMUNIST ELEMENTS AMONG REFUGEES IN GERMANY.
U. S. ARMY AGENTS SAID THEY ARE INVESTIGATING THE REPORTS BUT DECLINED COMMENT UNTIL THEIR PROBE ENDS.
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BONN, GERMANY, MAY 22-(AP)-WEST BERLIN'S MAYOR ERNST REUTER CAME HERE TODAY TO CUT RED TAPE HOLDING UP FINANCIAL AID TO HIS CITY.
REUTER HAS BEEN PRESSING FOR QUICKER AND MORE EFFECTIVE HELP FOR WEST BERLIN IN THE FIGHT TO PREVENT COMMUNIST DOMINATION OF THE FORMER GERMAN CAPITAL.
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HE MET TODAY WITH WEST GERMAN CABINET MINISTERS AND ALLIED EXPERTS AT THE PETERSBERG, SEAT OF THE ALLIED HIGH COMMISSION.
AN ALLIED SPOKESMAN SAID NO DECISIONS WERE TAKEN AT THE MEETING. HE SAID REPORTS FROM EXPERTS WERE STUDIED AND THE PARTIES WILL REPORT BACK TO THEIR RESPECTIVE CHIEFS.
THE SPOKESMAN SAID THE THEME OF THE TALKS WAS METHODS OF SPEEDING UP THE DELIVERY OF FINANCIAL AID TO BERLIN, BOTH BY MONEY VOTED BY THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT AND E.C.A. COUNTERPART FUNDS -- DEUTSCHE MARKS DEPOSITED AGAINST DOLLAR AID RECEIVED BY GERMANY.
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PRAGUE, MAY 22-(AP)-NINE CZECHS HAVE BEEN CONVICTED OF HIGH TREASON AND ESPIONAGE AND OF ACTING ON ORDERS FROM THE U.S.EMBASSY IN PRAGUE IN ATTEMPTS TO OVERTHROW THE GOVERNMENT.

THE NINE WERE SENTENCED AFTER A TWO-DAY TRIAL LAST WEEK IN DOMAZLICE, BOHEMIA, IT BECAME KNOWN HERE TODAY.

THE DEFENDANTS, ALL OF WHOM CONFESSED, AND THEIR SENTENCES, WERE:

OTTO TULACKA, 36, ALLEGED LEADER OF THE GROUP, LIFE IMPRISONMENT; VLADIMIR HRUBY, 44, AND JINDRICH MARIK, 38, EACH TO 25 YEARS; DAVID PRCHLIK, 24-YEAR-OLD MEDICAL STUDENT, AND JOSEF SOUKUP, 54, MAJOR IN THE CZECH ARMY, EACH TO 20 YEARS; DR.JOSEF JARES, 40, TO 18 YEARS; KAREL TICHACEK, 28, TO 13 YEARS; KAREL PRUNER, 40, AND VACLAV SIP, 39, TO 11 YEARS.

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BELGRADE, YUGOSLAVIA, MAY 22-(AP)-YUGOSLAVIA AND GREECE HAVE TAKEN A STEP TOWARD BETTER DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS BY APPOINTING MINISTERS TO SERVE IN ATHENS AND BELGRADE.

MINISTERS WERE WITHDRAWN DURING THE GREEK CIVIL WAR, WHEN GREECE ACCUSED PREMIER MARSHAL TITO OF AIDING THE COMMUNIST-LED REBELS. THE TWO NEIGHBORING COUNTRIES HAVE BEEN HEADING TOWARD BETTER RELATIONS SINCE TITO BROKE WITH THE RUSSIAN-LED COMINFORM AND GREECE NAMED A MILDLY-LEFTIST PREMIER, GEN.NICHOLAS PLASTIRAS.

YUGOSLAVIA NAMED SERIF SEHOVIC TO REPRESENT TITO IN ATHENS. GREECE APPOINTED DEMETR PAPPAS AS MINISTER TO BELGRADE.

BOTH COUNTRIES HOPE FOR INCREASED TRADE AND RESUMPTION OF CONNECTING RAIL SERVICE.

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LONDON, SIXTY FIVE AMERICAN EDUCATORS FROM 41 STATES AFTER A STUDY OF EUROPE BELIEVE THAT PEACE CAN BE PRESERVED, THAT WESTERN EUROPE LOOKS BRIGHTER, AND THAT MARSHALL AID HAS BEEN AN INVESTMENT OF SUPERLATIVE VALUE.

THE EDUCATORS, MANY OF THEM SUPERINTENDENTS OF SCHOOLS AND COLLEGE PROFESSORS COMPLETED IN LONDON TODAY THE MISSION OF THE "FLYING CLASSROOM." THEY MADE AN AIRPLANE TOUR OF 11 NATIONS FOR SWIFT BUT INTENSIVE STUDIES OF POLITICAL, ECONOMIC AND EDUCATIONAL TRENDS.

THE STUDY TRIP WAS ORGANIZED BY THE MICHIGAN STATE COLLEGE AND WAS FINANCED BY INDUSTRIES, INDIVIDUALS AND EDUCATION DEPARTMENTS.

THE EDUCATORS WILL FLY BACK TO THE UNITED STATES TOMORROW PREPARED, SAID THEIR LEADER, CARL M. HORN OF MICHIGAN STATE COLLEGE, TO RELATE THEIR EXPERIENCES AND OPINIONS TO "A MILLION AMERICAN SCHOOL TEACHERS." IN LONDON THEY INTERVIEWED NUMEROUS GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS, VISITED PARLIAMENT AND SWAPPED NOTES WITH BRITISH EDUCATORS. THIS EVENING THEY WILL BE GUESTS OF AMBASSADOR AND MRS.LEWIS DOUGLAS.

THE GROUP RADIATED A GENERAL AIR OF GUARDED OPTIMISM ABOUT EUROPE, BUT THEIR VIEWS HAVE NOT YET BEEN COMPLETED. THIS WILL BE DONE, IN WRITTEN ANSWERS TO 80 FORMAL QUESTIONS, SUCH AS:

"WHAT WOULD YOU EXPECT TO HAPPEN IF JOSEPH STALIN DIED? SHOULD KING LEOPOLD RETURN TO THE THRONE OF BELGIUM? IS THE BRITISH STATE HEALTH SERVICE DESIRABLE?

MEMBERS OF THE GROUP SEEMED TO BE UNANIMOUS IN THE OPINION THAT MARSHALL AID HAS BEEN OF GREAT VALUE, AND MOST WERE INCLINED TO THINK THAT SOME MODIFIED FORM OF AMERICAN AID, SUITED TO THE NEEDS OF INDIVIDUAL EUROPEAN STATES, MUST CONTINUE AFTER 1952 WHEN MARSHALL AIR ENDS.

IT HAS GIVEN WESTERN EUROPE A STIMULUS FROM WHICH CAME STRENGTH TO OPPOSE THE SPREAD OF COMMUNISM, THEY SAID.

"YOU CAN VIRTUALLY FEEL THE EFFECTS. IT HAS RESTORED A SENSE OF SELF RESPECT, AND CREATED A FEELING OF INTERDEPENDENCE WHICH IS ESSENTIAL IF THE EUROPEAN STATES ARE TO BE INTEGRATED," SAID DR. CHARLES L. ANSPACH OF THE CENTRAL MICHIGAN COLLEGE OF EDUCATION.

THE EDUCATORS AGREED THAT THERE SEEMS TO BE MORE CONCERN IN THE UNITED STATES OVER THE LIKELIHOOD OF WAR THAN THERE IS IN EUROPE. MOST AGREED THAT WAR WITH RUSSIA CAN BE AVOIDED, BUT SOME MODIFIED THAT VIEW WITH A FEW "IFS."

"IF THE ATLANTIC PACT IS STRENGTHENED, IF TRADE BARRIERS ARE LOWERED, IF WESTERN NATIONS COOPERATIVE EFFECTIVELY," SAID HORN, "THERE WILL BE BASIS FOR A REAL HOPE THAT WAR CAN BE AVOIDED."

COMMUNISM IN ALL WESTERN EUROPEAN NATIONS IS A WANING FORCE, VIRTUALLY ALL OF THEM BELIEVED, AND NONE THOUGHT THAT THE REMOVAL OF STALIN BY DEATH OR OTHER CIRCUMSTANCE WOULD ALTER GREATLY THE TREND OF WORLD AFFAIRS.

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BY HAROLD K.MILKS

LONDON, MAY 22-(AP)-SOVIET RUSSIA THREW THE AUSTRIAN TREATY TALKS INTO A NEW DEADLOCK TODAY WITH A DEMAND THAT THE WESTERN POWERS FIRST ANSWER MOSCOW'S CHARGES OF TREATY VIOLATIONS IN TRIESTE.

INCLUSION OF THIS NEW DEMAND--WHICH THE WESTERN DEPUTIES CONTENDED HAD NO CONNECTION WHATEVER WITH THE AUSTRIAN QUESTION--CAME AT THE 254TH MEETING OF UNITED STATES, BRITISH, FRENCH AND RUSSIAN DELEGATES.

THE WESTERN ALLIES HAVE ALREADY WRITTEN OFF THE POSSIBILITY OF ARRIVING AT AN AGREEMENT WITH THE RUSSIANS ON AN AUSTRIAN TREATY AND HAVE TAKEN STEPS TO EASE OCCUPATION CONTROLS OVER AUSTRIA.

THE WESTERN DELEGATES REFUSED TO ACCEPT RUSSIAN DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER GEORGI ZARUBIN'S CONDITION THAT THE WESTERN POWERS ANSWER THE RUSSIAN NOTE ON TRIESTE BEFORE FURTHER MEETINGS ON THE AUSTRIAN TREATY ARE HELD.

THE NOTE, SENT APRIL 20, ACCUSED THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN OF SETTING UP A NAVAL BASE IN TRIESTE AND OF OTHERWISE VIOLATING THE ITALIAN TREATY. BOTH WASHINGTON AND LONDON REJECTED THE SOVIET CHARGES BUT HAVE NOT YET REPLIED FORMALLY TO MOSCOW'S NOTE.

WESTERN DEPUTIES SAID THE NEW DEMAND BY ZARUBIN WAS ANOTHER ATTEMPT BY RUSSIA TO DELAY CONCLUSION OF AN AUSTRIAN TREATY OF INDEPENDENCE. ONE OFFICIAL CHARACTERIZED ZARUBIN'S LATEST MOVE AS "PURE BLACKMAIL."

RUSSIA HAS NOW PRESENTED THREE NEW CONDITIONS FOR CONCLUDING THE AUSTRIA TREATY. ALL OF WHICH THE WESTERN DEPUTIES CLAIM HAVE

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NO CONNECTION WITH THE SUBJECT.
THESE ARE:
1. MOSCOW'S INSISTENCE ON SETTLEMENT OF ITS BILATERAL CLAIMS WITH AUSTRIA BEFORE AGREEING ON A TREATY DRAFT.
2. THE RUSSIAN CHARGE THAT THE WESTERN POWERS HAVE FAILED TO ACCEPT AND ENFORCE ADEQUATE DENAZIFICATION AND DEMILITARIZATION MEASURES IN AUSTRIA.
3. THE NEW QUESTION OF THE WESTERN POWERS' REPLY TO THE RUSSIAN NOTE ON TRIESTE.
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WITH LONDON

Vienna, Austria, May 22--(AP)--Austrians, told the Russia [redacted] deadlocked [redacted] with this country [redacted] prepared today for an indefinite occupation.

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They expect it to last longer than the seven years' stay of the Nazis.

Government circles here accepted [redacted] calmly the news the Soviet representative had refused to negotiate further on an Austrian independence treaty until the Western allies answer Moscow's charges of [redacted] Italian Peace Treaty violations with regard to Trieste.

"It has long been apparent that the Russians have had no intentions of agreeing to a treaty," one spokesman said. "They want to stay in Austria for purely selfish reasons. All their announced reasons for delaying the treaty are just so much propaganda.

"First it was theGerman assets, then the 'pea debt' (Russian claims on

Austria for postwar relief), then denazification. The l[redacted] claim, that the Trieste problem had to be settled first, is the [redacted] most ridiculous of all."

"The cold war isresponsible for the lack of an Austrian treaty. Two power groups regard Austria as a stronghold, a field that is not to be given on up to the other. They both say they would go if the other would go, so they both stay."

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London, May 22-(AP)-the united states and britian concluded talks today on how to get news about the free western world to radio listeners in the iron curtain countries.

although no details were revealed, it is understood that the two countries have decided on closer cooperation in all

overseas information work and the erection of many more transmitters to batter anglo-american programs through the soviet radio blockade.

both countries have sought in recent months to intensify the efforts to overcome soviet jamming of the voice of america and the british broadcasting corporation (bbc).

u.s. undersecretary of state edward w. barrett and christopher warner of the british foreign office met for the last time today to coordinate these plans.

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an official announcement said these talks will "be followed by similar informal discussions with other members of the the north atlantic treaty organization in line with the north atlantic agreement 'to promote and coordinate public information in furtherance of the objectives of the treaty.'"

barrett will leave tomorrow for rome and also visit paris before returning to washington.

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LONDON, MAY 22-(AP)-RUSSIA REPORTED TODAY THAT THREE AMERICAN-TRAINED SABOTEURS PARACHUTED INTO ALBANIA LAST JULY TO SPY ON PREMIER ENVER HOXHA'S COMMUNIST REGIME.
THE THREE, ALL ALBANIANS, WILL GO ON TRIAL IN TIRANA WEDNESDAY, THE CONTROLLED RUSSIAN NEWS AGENCY TASS SAID IN A DISPATCH FROM THE ALBANIAN CAPITAL.
"ALL RECEIVED SPECIAL TRAINING IN THE ESPIONAGE SCHOOL IN NAPLES WHICH IS HEADED BY REPRESENTATIVES OF THE AMERICAN INTELLIGENCE SERVICE IN ITALY," THE DISPATCH SAID.
"THE SCHOOL IN NAPLES IS NOT THE ONLY ONE OF ITS KIND. SIMILAR (AMERICAN-OPERATED) CENTERS FOR TRAINING SPIES AND SABOTEURS OPERATE IN ATHENS, BELGRADE AND OTHER CAPITALS."
TASS DESCRIBED THE THREE ALBANIANS AS BOTH SPIES AND SABOTEURS. IT DID NOT DESCRIBE THE CIRCUMSTANCES OF THEIR ARREST.
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PORTLAND, ENGLAND, MAY 22-(AP)-WESTERN UNION NAVIES SELF-CONSCIOUSLY OPENED HUSH-HUSH SEA MANEUVERS TODAY--WITH 30 DEAD-PAN SOVIET SKIPPERS WITHIN RADAR RANGE.
THE RUSSIAN MOTHERSHIP TAMBOV AND HER 29 TRAWLERS AND COASTERS--OFFICIALLY ON A SPRAT AND SARDINE FISHING JAUNT FROM THE BALTIC TO THE BLACK SEA--WERE OFF FALMOUTH YESTERDAY WHEN THE BRITISH CRUISERS SUPERB AND CLEOPATRA PLUS FOUR DESTROYERS LEFT PORTLAND FOR THE MANEUVER AREAS SOUTH OF BRITAIN.
THEN THE RUSSIANS UPPED ANCHOR AND MOVED NINE MILES WESTWARD TO MOUNTS BAY, WHERE THEY RE-ANCHORED.
"JUST CHANGING ANCHORAGE" WAS THE SOVIET REPLY TO A HOPEFUL MESSAGE FROM SHORE OFFICIALS.

BY MIDAFTERNOON, HOWEVER, THE RUSSIANS LEFT THEIR ANCHORAGE AND HEADED SOUTHWEST IN THE DICECTION OF THE BAY OF BI

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HEADED SOUTHWEST IN THE DIRECTION OF THE BAY OF BISCAY. THEY MOVED OFF IN BATCHES OF THREE, HEADED BY THE TAMBOV.

FIRST MOVES IN THE MANEUVERS ARE SLATED FOR TODAY, WHEN THREE DUTCH SUBMARINES PULL OUT OF PORTLAND ON THEIR WAY TO THE MANEUVER AREAS. THE ROYAL AIR FORCE COASTAL COMMAND PLANNED MOCK ATTACKS ON THEM.
YESTERDAY, THE BRITISH AIRCRAFT CARRIER THESEUS--WHICH IS NOT TAKING PART IN THE MANEUVERS--POPPED UP UNANNOUNCED IN MOUNTS BAY BESIDE THE RUSSIANS.
THE ADMIRALTY SAID NOTHING OFFICIALLY WAS KNOWN OF HER PRESENCE THERE BUT A SPOKESMAN COULDN'T SEE "ANY PARTICULAR SIGNIFICANCE" IN IT.
SINCE THE MANEUVER AREAS ARE WELL DOWN IN THE BAY OF BISCAY, THE SPRAT FISHERMEN WOULD HAVE TO PASS RIGHT THROUGH THEM IF THEY'RE EN ROUTE TO THE BLACK SEA AS ADVERTISED.
RUSSIAN CONVERSATION WITH CURIOUS NEWSMEN WAS LIMITED TO "WE FISH."
NAVY OFFICERS HERE KEPT THE ADMIRALTY IN LONDON POSTED ON MOVEMENTS OF THE SPRAT FLEET, BRITISH NEWSPAPERS WERE HIGHLY SUSPICIOUS, AND ENTERPRISING SOUTH COAST BOATMEN WERE RUNNING TRIPS "AROUND THE RUSSIAN FLEET" AT EIGHT SHILLINGS ($1.12) A TRIP.
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PARIS, MAY 22-(AP)-UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE CONFERRED TODAY WITH TWO OF FRANCE'S TOP FOREIGN OFFICE POLICY PLANNERS.

DURING THE MORNING HE SAW ALEXANDER PARODI, FOREIGN OFFICE SECRETARY GENERAL WHO FORMERLY WAS FRANCE'S CHIEF DELEGATE TO THE UNITED NATIONS. HE ALSO MET VINCENT BROUSTRAM, CHIEF OF THE FOREIGN OFFICE CONFERENCE SECRETARIAT.

THE FOREIGN OFFICE SAID THERE WOULD BE NO ANNOUNCEMENT ON THE SUBJECT OF THE TALKS BUT AN INFORMED DIPLOMAT SAID THE HOUR-LONG CONVERSATION "COVERED THE ENTIRE PROBLEM OF EAST-WEST RELATIONS."

LIE, WHO HAS JUST RETURNED FROM MOSCOW, HAS BEEN ENCOURAGING BIG NATIONS TOEND THE COLD WAR DISAGREEMENTS THROUGH A SECURITY COUNCIL MEETING WHICH WOULD HAVE HEADS OF STATES OR FOREIGN MINISTERS AS DELEGATES.

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VATICAN CITY, MAY 22-(AP)-THE VATICAN ORGAN OSSERVATORE ROMANO SUGGESTED TODAY A BETTER NAME THAN "LOKI" COULD HAVE BEEN FOUND FOR A NEW AMERICAN ANTI-AIRCRAFT ROCKET.

GEN.J.LAWTON COLLINS, U.S. ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF, ANNOUNCED THE NEW WEAPON SUNDAY AND SAID IT WAS CALLED LOKI AFTER A NORSE GOD WHO COULD RELEASE THE HOSTS OF HADES.

"THAT IS EXACTLY WHAT WE INTEND TO DO IF ANYONE EVER ATTACKS THE UNITED STATES," SAID THE GENERAL IN A RADIO INTERVIEW.

THE VATICAN NEWSPAPER SAID "A CHIEF OF STAFF TRANSFORMED INTO A DEVIL AND HEADING DEVILS X X X IS NOT A VERY PRETTY SIGHT." THE NAME, SAID THE PAPER, COULD NOT HAVE BEEN MORE UNHAPPILY CHOSEN.

"IF ONE REALLY HAS TO REFER TO SOMETHING WHICH IS ABOVE OR WHICH SUPPORTS THE FORCES OF MEN LET US TALK OF GOD AND NOT OF SATAN OR WHO WOULD UNLEASH HIM," SAID L'OSSERVATORE.

A133 (160)

STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN, MAY 22-(AP)-RUSSIA HAS REJECTED A NEW SWEDISH PROTEST -- THE NINTH -- AGAINST SOVIET INTERFERENCE WITH SWEDISH FISHING SHIPS IN THE BALTIC SEA, FOREIGN MINISTER OESTEN UNDEN TOLD PARLIAMENT TODAY.

SWEDEN, WHOSE PROTEST CALLED THE LATEST INCIDENT "ANOTHER RUSSIAN OUTRAGE AND FLAGRANT VIOLATION OF INTERNATION LAW" IN THE BALTIC, HAS OPENED NEGOTIATIONS WITH DENMARK FOR JOINT ACTION TO GUARD THE INTERESTS OF BOTH NATIONS IN THE BALTIC, UNDEN SAID.

SWEDISH PROTESTS HAVE BEEN GOING TO MOSCOW OVER A PERIOD OF 18 MONTHS. DENMARK HAS MADE SIMILAR PROTESTS AGAINST SEIZURE OR DETENTION OF DANISH FISHING SHIPS BY THE RUSSIANS. THE TWO SCANDINAVIAN NATIONS CONTEND THEIR SHIPS WERE OPERATING IN INTERNATIONAL WATERS. RUSSIA CLAIMS A BALTIC TERRITORIAL LIMIT OF 12 MILES. THE TRADITIONAL LIMIT NEVER HAS EXCEEDED SIX MILES.

THE LATEST SWEDISH PROTEST CONCERNED RUSSIAN PURSUIT OF THE SWEDISH FISHING SHIP LAREX IN MID-BALTIC. THE RUSSIAN VESSEL, THE SWEDES CHARGED, WAS ARMED WITH SIX NAVAL GUNS AND MACHINEGUNS. THE RUSSIANS DENIED THE INCIDENT EVER HAD TAKEN PLACE, UNDEN SAID.

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COLLINS A ROMAN CATHOLIC, COULD NOT BE REACHED BUT THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT IN WASHINGTON SAID IT HAD NO COMMENT ON THE NEWSPAPER'S STATEMENTS.

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B51 (Q)

ROME, MAY 22-(AP)-FOUR OF AMERICA'S LEADING FARM ORGANIZATION OFFICIALS TALKED TODAY WITH AGRICULTURE MINISTER ANTONIO SEGNI ON THE PROBLEM OF AIDING ITALY'S AILING FARM INDUSTRY.

THE AMERICANS, TOURING MARSHAL PLANS COUNTRIES AT THE INVITATION OF THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION, ARE ALLAN B. KLINE, PRESIDENT OF THE AMERICAN FARM BUREAU, OF CHICAGO; JAMES G. PATTON, PRESIDENT OF THE NATIONAL FARMERS UNION, DENVER; JESS T. SANDERS, LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL OF THE NATIONAL GRANGE, WASHINGTON, D.C., AND JOHN H. DAVIS, EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OF THE NATIONAL COUNCIL OF THE FARMERS COOPERATIVES, WASHINGTON.

KLINE AND PATTON ARE MEMBERS OF THE NATIONAL ADVISORY BOARD OF ECA.

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MAIN OBJECT OF THE PARTY'S TOUR IS TO OBSERVE "CONDITIONS AND PROGRESS" AT THE HALFWAY MARK OF THE EUROPEAN RECOVERY PROGRAM.

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NIGHT LEAD SWEDISH (250)

STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN, MAY 22-(AP)-RUSSIA HAS FLATLY DENIED THAT ONE OF HER PATROL BOATS CHASED A SWEDISH FISHING TRAWLER ACROSS THE BALTIC, FOREIGN MINISTER OESTEN UNDEN TOLD PARLIAMENT TODAY.

HE DENOUNCED THE INCIDENT AS AN "OUTRAGE AND FLAGRANT VIOLATION OF INTERNATIONAL LAW."

RUSSIA, IN A NOTE MAY 15, REJECTED SWEDEN'S DEMANDS FOR COMPENSATION FOR ECONOMIC LOSSES TO HER FISHERMEN IN A SERIES OF INCIDENTS IN THE BALTIC IN THE LAST 18 MONTHS, UNDEN SAID. RUSSIA ALSO REFUSED TO GIVE INSTRUCTIONS TO HER COAST GUARD TO SEE THAT "SWEDISH FISHING SHIPS IN INTERNATIONAL WATERS ARE NOT CAPTURED OR INTERFERRED WITH," THE FOREIGN MINISTER ADDED.

SWEDEN'S PROTEST, HER NINTH IN RECENT MONTHS, GREW OUT OF THE INCIDENT OF APRIL 16 IN WHICH SHE ALLEGED THE FISHING BOAT LAREX WAS CHASED FROM A POINT 45 MILES OFF THE RUSSIAN-OCCUPIED COAST ACROSS THE BALTIC TO WITHIN 50 MILE[illegible] SWEDISH ISLAND OF

GOTLAND.

UNDEN SAID THE CHASE LASTED TWO AND A HALF HOURS, DURING WHICH TIME THE RUSSIAN PATROL SHIP'S CREW MADE REPEATED ATTEMPTS TO BOARD THE FISHING CRAFT.

A FEW WEEKS BEFORE, THE LAREX AND ANOTHER FISHING BOAT THE MARION WERE CAPTURED BY THE RUSSIANS AND DETAINED FOR TWO WEEKS IN A SOVIET PORT WHILE THE CAPTAIN AND CREW WERE QUESTIONED WITHOUT BEING ALLOWED TO COMMUNICATE WITH THEIR FAMILIES OR SWEDISH AUTHORITIES. THE BOATS WERE 16 TO 21 MILES OFF THE SOVIET-HELD COAST, WHEN CAPTURED, UNDEN SAID.

RUSSIA IS CLAIMING A TERRITORIAL LIMIT OF 12 MILES INTO THE BALTIC. TRADITIONALLY, TERRITORIAL LIMITS IN THE BALTIC HAVE NEVER EXCEEDED SIX MILES AND IN MOST CASES HAVE BEEN BUT THREE MILES.

UNDEN SAID SWEDEN HAS OPENED NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE DANISH GOVERNMENT TO UNDERTAKE JOINT ACTION FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAINTAINING THE TRADITIONAL LIMIT.

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A108KX
(130)
NIGHT LEAD CHINESE
TAIPEI, FORMOSA, MAY 22-(AP)-CENTRAL HEADQUARTERS MEMBERS OF THE CHINESE NATIONALIST PARTY (THE KUOMINTANG) TOOK A SOLEMN OATH TODAY TO DIE WITH GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK IF NEED BE IN THE WAR AGAINST THE COMMUNISTS.
THEY VOWED TO GO THROUGH "FIRE AND WATER" TO HELP CHIANG "SAFEGUARD FORMOSA AND ACCOMPLISH THE DIVINE MISSION OF RESTORING THE REPUBLIC OF CHINA."
AS HOST AT A TEA FOR MEMBERS OF THE CONTROL YUAN---THE OFFICIAL "WATCHDOG" OF THE REGIME---CHIANG SAID LAST WEEK'S WITHDRAWAL FROM THE CHUSHAN ISLANDS, LEAVING FORMOSA AS THE ONLY REMAINING IMPORTANT NATIONALIST POSITION, "LAID THE CORNERSTONE FOR FINAL VICTORY" OVER THE REDS.
HE ENDORSED MEMBERS' SUGGESTIONS FOR A NEW AUSTERITY MOVEMENT ON FORMOSA AND FOR MOBILIZATION OF THE PUBLIC IN SUPPORT OF THE WAR EFFORT.
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CHINESE (200)
BY SPENCER MOOSA
TAIPEI, MAY 22-(AP)-NATIONALIST CHINESE SAY THE COMMUNIST SCHEDULE FOR THE INVASION OF FORMOSA HAS BEEN DISRUPTED BY THE BLOODLESS WITHDRAWAL FROM THE CHUSHAN ISLANDS.
THEY HAVE TWO THEORIES AS TO THE ORIGINAL RED INTENTION TOWARDS THE CHUSHANS:
1. THAT THE COMMUNISTS INTENDED TO DESTROY THE NATIONALIST FORCES THERE BEFORE ATTACKING FORMOSA.
2. THAT THE REDS WOULD HAVE SKIPPED THE CHUSHANS ALTOGETHER AND INVADED FORMOSA.
ONE THING THE COMMUNISTS DID NOT FIGURE ON WAS NATIONALIST ABANDONMENT OF THE ISLANDS, 100 MILES SOUTHEAST OF SHANGHAI. THAT MOVE SAVED 150,000 TROOPS, WHO HAVE BEEN MOVED TO FORMOSA.
BECAUSE OF THIS INCREASED STRENGTH HERE, NATIONALISTS SAY THE COMMUNISTS MUST REVISE THEIR INVASION PLANS.
CHINESE NEWSPAPERS SAY GEN. CHEN YI, RED COMMANDER IN EAST CHINA, HAS BEEN STRONGLY REPRIMANDED BY THE PEIPING GOVERNMENT FOR FAILURE TO DISTURB THE NATIONALIST WITHDRAWAL.
THE NEWSPAPERS ADD THAT SOVIET ADVISERS TO THE COMMUNISTS ALSO ARE DISPLEASED WITH CHEN.
THE COMMUNISTS ARE SUPPOSED TO HAVE HAD LONG RANGE, RUSSIAN SUPPLIED ARTILLERY ON ISLANDS ADJACENT TO CHUSHAN AND COULD HAVE SLAUGHTERED THOUSANDS OF NATIONALISTS IF THEY HAD OPENED UP ON THE WITHDRAWING TROOPS.
NAVAL HEADQUARTERS SAID A GUNBOAT IS BRINGING TO FORMOSA 69 RED PRISONERS TAKEN IN A WEEKEND CLASH ON CHINGCHOW ISLAND IN THE LADRONES.
A COMMUNIQUE SAID: MORE THAN 200 REDS LANDED FROM THE STEAMER PUTOO SATURDAY. THE STEAMER WAS SUNK. NATIONALIST NAVAL UNITS COUNTER ATTACKED, FIGHTING UNTIL NOON SUNDAY WHEN 143 REDS WERE KILLED AND THE REMAINDER CAPTURED.
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TOKYO, MAY 22-(AP)-KYODO NEWS AGENCY SAID A KOREAN STUDENT, LI SO SHAKU, 25, DIED TODAY OF INJURIES RECEIVED IN A KOREAN STUDENTS RIOT.
TWO OTHERS WERE INJURED SERIOUSLY.
THE BRAWL OCCURRED AT HOSEI UNIVERSITY WHERE 200 KOREAN STUDENTS WERE HOLDING A RALLY YESTERDAY. THIRTY MEMBERS OF THE RIGHTIST KOREAN RESIDENTS LEAGUE TRIED TO BREAK UP THE MEETING. POLICE QUELLED THE FIGHT.
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(PX)
TOKYO, MAY 22-(AP)-TWO AMERICAN SOLDIERS, ONE SERVING A LIFE TERM, ESCAPED YESTERDAY FROM THE EIGHTH ARMY STOCKADE.
THE ARMY IDENTIFIED THEM AS MELVIN C. MARTIN, 17, SPAVINAW, OKLA., SERVING LIFE FOR MANSLAUGHTER AND ROBBERY, AND JAMES T. STEWART, 21, (3516 SMEDLEY ST.) PHILADELPHIA, SERVING 17 YEARS FOR MANSLAUGHTER AND ROBBERY.
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(APW)
TOKYO, MAY 22-(AP)-THE JAPANESE FOREIGN OFFICE TODAY TENTATIVELY NAMED TWO MEN TO HEAD ITS OVERSEASON AGENCIES IN RIO DE JANEIRO AND SAO PAULO, BRAZIL.
IT SAID THE OFFICES WILL BE OPENED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.
THE MEN ARE KEIICHI TATSUKE, FORMER SECRETARY IN THE EMBASSY AT RIO DE JANEIRO, TO SAO PAULO, AND KAORU HARA, FORMER CONSUL-GENERAL AT SAO PAULO, TO RIO DE JANEIRO.
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B29KX (150)
SEOUL, MAY 22-(AP)-THE U.S.STATE DEPARTMENT IS ENCOURAGING THE TEACHING OF THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE IN THE SOUTH KOREA REPUBLIC.
DR.JAMES D.VAN PUTTEN, U.S. INFORMATION SERVICE DIRECTOR IN PEIPING FOR TWO AND ONE-HALF YEARS, WILL OPEN AN ENGLISH LANGUAGE SCHOOL NEXT MONDAY.
THE SCHOOL WILL HAVE EIGHT TEACHERS AND 60 STUDENTS. IT WILL EXPAND IN SIX MONTHS TO 12 TEACHERS AND 100 STUDENTS. MODERN METHODS WILL BE USED, VAN PUTTEN SAID, INCLUDING SOUND BOOTHS, TAPE RECORDERS AND PLAY BACK EQUIPMENT.
VAN PUTTEN, A NATIVE OF HOLLAND, MICH., SERVED ON ADM.WILLIAM F. HALSEY, JR.'S STAFF DURING THE WAR. HE SET UP THE SCHOOL SYSTEM ON GUAM AFTER AMERICANS WON BACK THE ISLAND.
EARLIER, VAN PUTTEN TAUGHT AT UNIVERSITY OF NANKING, WAS HEADMASTER OF AN AMERICAN SCHOOL AT KODIAKANAL, SOUTH INDIA, AND MADE A SURVEY FOR THE KING OF THAILAND.
HE WAS DEAN OF LEES COLLEGE, JACKSON, KY.; BLACKBURN COLLEGE, CARLINVILLE, ILL., AND PARK COLLEGE, PARKVILLE, MO. HE ATTENDED HOPE COLLEGE IN MICHIGAN AND THE UNIVERSITIES OF COLORADO AND CALIFORNIA.
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SOUTHEAST ASIA - REDS (570)
(EDITORS NOTE: THE FOLLOWING SURVEY OF SOUTHEAST ASIA BY CHARLES P. GORRY, ASSOCIATED PRESS PHOTOGRAPHER, IS BASED ON A TWO MONTHS TRIP THROUGH BURMA, THAILAND, INDOCHINA AND MALAYA. HE IS NOW BACK AT HIS TOKYO POST.)
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BY CHARLES P. GORRY
ASSOCIATED PRESS PHOTOGRAPHER
TOKYO, MAY 22-(AP)2

BY CHARLES P. GORRY
ASSOCIATED PRESS PHOTOGRAPHER
TOKYO, MAY 22-(AP)-THE DAY OF THE WHITE MAN IS ENDING IN SOUTHEAST ASIA AND THE DAY OF THE ASIATIC AND THE COMMUNIST IS DAWNING.
THAT IS THE MAJOR IMPRESSION I BROUGHT BACK TO JAPAN AFTER TWO MONTHS IN FOUR TENSE COUNTRIES IN WHICH THE PEOPLE TALK OF "WHEN" -- NOT "IF" -- THE COMMUNISTS WILL ARRIVE.
IT IS NOT JUST A PERSONAL IMPRESSION. IT IS WHAT I WAS TOLD BY BRITISH PLANTERS SIPPING GIN DRINKS IN SINGAPORE, BY AMERICANS WORKING AT A TIN MINE IN MALAYA, BY A GRIZZLED OLD FRENCHMAN WHO RUNS A HOTEL AT SIEMREAP ON THE HOT AND HUMID INDOCHINA SEACOAST.
IT IS WHAT I FELT AFTER TALKING WITH A TIRED FRENCH OFFICIAL IN PNOMPENH, INDOCHINA, WITH FRUSTRATED BRITISH AIRMEN AND SWEATING BRITISH SOLDIERS IN MALAYA, WITH A SOFT EYED POLITICIAN IN RANGOON AND WITH A CHINESE EDITOR IN SINGAPORE.
IN ALL THOSE TENSE COUNTRIES THERE IS ANOTHER FEELING: THAT IT IS VERY LATE, POSSIBLY TOO LATE, FOR THE WESTERN POWERS TO DO ANYTHING.
I LEARNED, TOO, THERE ISN'T A COLD WAR GOING ON IN MALAYA, INDOCHINA AND BURMA. IT IS A HOT WAR IN WHICH MEN ARE DYING EVERY DAY IN FIGHTS PITTING ROCKETS AGAINST BOWS AND ARROWS, AIRPLANES AND MACHINE GUNS AGAINST HOME MADE MINES AND ASIATICS AGAINST WHITE MEN.
THE WAR ISN'T ALL IN THE JUNGLE, EITHER. IT IS ON THE ROADS AND RAILWAYS, IN THE HOTEL LOBBIES AND CITY STREETS.
IT ISN'T A BIG WAR OF DIVISIONS AGAINST DIVISIONS, OF HUNDREDS OF AIRPLANES AGAINST OTHER AIR FLEETS. IT IS A WAR OF THE KNIFE AND THE QUICKLY THROWN GRENADE, OF SHADOW FIGHTING; A SMALL SCALE RAIDING WAR IN THE DARK AND RAIN.
BUT MEN ARE DYING EVERY DAY IN THAT WAR AND WHITE MEN ARE LOSING.
I STOPPED AT AMPANG, MALAYA, CLOSE BY THE BLUE STRAIT OF MALACCA BETWEEN MALAYA AND SUMATRA, WHERE TWO AMERICANS WERE WORKING IN A TIN MINE IN BANDIT COUNTRY. THEY ARE HERBERT WAY OF BERKELEY, CALIF., AND JOHN COOL OF BEANES, PENN.
STANDING ON A DREDGE GOUGING UP A RIVER BED, WAY POINTED TO A LOW RANGE OF HILLS A FEW THOUSAND YARDS AWAY.

"BANDIT COUNTRY," HE SAID, PATTING A .45 SLUNG AT HIS HIP.
COOL NODDED. THE BANDITS RAID THE VILLAGES AT NIGHT. MORE THAN LIKELY THEY ARE USING WEAPONS DROPPED OR FURNISHED THEM BY THE ALLIES TO FIGHT THE JAPANESE. IN THE DAYTIME THE RAF BOMBS AND STRAFES THE COUNTRYSIDE IN AN EFFORT TO KILL THEM. WAY AND COOL WONDER HOW MUCH LONGER THEY CAN STAY.
AND THE RAF PILOTS? IN KUALALUMPUR THEY TOLD ME THEY WERE FRUSTRATED BECAUSE THEY CAN'T SEE THEY ARE MAKING ANY PROGRESS AGAINST THE BANDITS.

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MALAYA SEEMED MORE UNSETTLED TO ME THAN DID INDOCHINA OR BURMA. IN THE LATTER COUNTRY EVERYBODY SEEMS TO BE FIGHTING EVERYBODY ELSE--AND TO BE MORE INTERESTED IN FIGHTING THAN IN THE WELFARE OF THEIR COUNTRY.
MOST OF THE FRENCHMEN I SAW IN INDOCHINA SHRUGGED IN DISCOURAGEMENT ABOUT THE WAR IN THAT COUNTRY. THEY SAY THEY AREN'T MAKING ANY HEADWAY EITHER.
I SAW A PLANE LOAD OF FRENCH PARATROOPERS TAKE OFF FROM PNOMPENH TO DROP AGAINST THE COMMUNIST-LED VIETMINH FORCES. I WAS TOLD LATER THE VIETMINHS KILLED MOST OF THEM AS THEY FLOATED DOWN.
THERE IS STRONG FEELING AGAINST THE UNITED STATES IN SOUTHEAST ASIA. THAT FEELING IS STRONG AMONG THE WHITE MEN STILL THERE AS WELL AS AMONG THE NATIVES. AMERICANS ARE BLAMED FOR THE PRESENT TROUBLE; THEY ARE BLAMED FOR LETTING THE TROUBLE START; THEY ARE BLAMED FOR NOT DOING SOMETHING TO STOP IT.
BUT I COULDN'T FIND ANYONE ANYWHERE WHO KNEW HOW TO STOP IT -- EXCEPT THE COMMUNISTS. THEY ARE PROMISING THE PEOPLE "LIBERATION" AND THE PEOPLE IN SOUTHEAST ASIA ARE LISTENING. NOT MANY OF THEM SEEM TO FEEL THEY WERE LIBERATED WHEN THE JAPANESE WERE BEATEN.
A BURMESE NEWSPAPERMAN INDICATED ONE WAY THE SOUTHEAST ASIANS ARE THINKING:
"WHEN THE COMMUNISTS COME THEY WILL CLEAN UP A LOT OF MISTAKES WHICH HAVE BEEN MADE OUT HERE SINCE THE END OF THE WAR. THEN WE'LL TAKE CARE OF THE COMMUNISTS."
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MANILA,TUESDAY, MAY 23-(AP)-PRESIDENT QUIRINO REJECTED TODAY ANY SUGGESTION THAT U. S. VICE PRESIDENT ALBEN BARKLEY BELIEVES AMERICAN TROOPS MAY HAVE TO OCCUPY THE PHILIPPINE REPUBLIC IN THE COLD WAR AGAINST COMMUNISM. BUT HE PLEDGED PHILIPPINES AID IF NEEDED.

IN WASHINGTON TODAY, BARKLEY SAID HE HAD IN MIND IN AN ARMED FORCES DAY TALK SATURDAY AT NEW ORLEANS THAT U. S. TROOPS MIGHT BE STATIONED IN SOME NORTH ATLANTIC COUNTRIES BY INVITATION. BARKLEY SAID SATURDAY THE UNITED STATES MUST MAINTAIN ARMED FORCES THROUGHOUT THE WORLD AND PERHAPS OCCUPY MORE COUNTRIES BEFORE THE COLD WAR ENDS.

"WE ARE COOPERATING WITH THE UNITED STATES," QUIRINO TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE. CALLING ATTENTION TO U. S. FORCES IN THE PHILIPPINES, HE SAID, "IF THEY WISH TO DEVELOP THESE BASES THEY ARE FREE TO DO SO."

"THE FUTURE IS PREGNANT WITH POSSIBILITIES," QUIRINO SAID. HE ADDED: HIS GOVERNMENT IS REORGANIZING PHILIPPINES FORCES TO MEET ANY EVENTUALITY. SHOULD THE COLD WAR TURN HOT, THE UNITED STATES CAN COUNT ON PHILIPPINES SUPPORT.

QUIRINO EARLIER ATTACKED A NEWS STORY BY A SCRIPPS-HOWARD WRITER AS "EXAGGERATED" IF NOT "FANTASTIC."

QUIRINO SAID THE ARTICLE , BY OLAND RUSSELL, STATED A COMMUNIST REVOLT THREATENS THE OVERTHROW OF THE PHILIPPINES GOVERNMENT. RUSSELL WAS AMONG AMERICAN NEWSMEN WHO VISITED MANILA BRIEFLY DURING A JAUNT TO FORMOSA.

"THE TROUBLE IS THAT PEOPLE ARE EXAGGERATING," QUIRINO SAID, WAVING A COPY OF THE STORY AT A NEWS CONFERENCE. "THERE IS A SYSTEMATIC CAMPAIGN TO DISCREDIT THE PHILIPPINES IN THE UNITED STATES. I DO NOT KNOW WHY."

QUIRINO SPECIFICALLY QUOTED A SECTION OF THE ARTICLE WHICH SAID "AMERICAN DIPLOMATIC AND MILITARY AUTHORITIES IN MANILA BRIEFED THE NEWSMEN."

"WHO SAID THIS GOVERNMENT IS GOING TO COLLAPSE?" QUIRINO ASKED. "WHO SAID THE GOVERNMENT IS HONEYCOMBED WITH GRAFT AND CORRUPTION?

"OTHERS ARE DOING THE TALKING BUT I AM ACTING....I FIGHT IT AND PRODUCE RESULTS."

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SINGAPORE, MAY 22-(AP)-THE SUPREME COURT TODAY ORDERED THE DUTCH CONSULATE TO HOLD 13-YEAR-OLD BERTHA HERTOGH HERE TO AWAIT AN APPEAL BY HER AMAH (NATIVE NURSE) FROM A COURT RULING ORDERING THE GIRL TURNED OVER TO HER PARENTS IN HOLLAND.

BERTHA, WHO HAD LIVED IN A NATIVE VILLAGE IN MALAYA WITH HER AMAH FOR EIGHT YEARS, INSISTS SHE DOES NOT WANT TO GO TO HER PARENTS. THE AMAH, AMINAH, IS FIGHTING TO KEEP HER.

THE GIRL BECAME SEPARATED FROM HER PARENTS IN JAVA DURING THE JAPANESE INVASION, WHEN BERTHA WAS NOT QUITE FIVE YEARS OLD. SHE HAD BEEN GIVEN UP FOR LOST, WHEN SHE WAS FOUND TWO WEEKS AGO IN THE NATIVE VILLAGE, DRESSED AS A NATIVE AND ATTENDING A NATIVE SCHOOL. SHE SPEAKS ONLY MALAY.

CHIEF JUSTICE C.H.MURRAY AYNSLEY AWARDED THE CHILD TO HER PARENTS, NOW IN HOLLAND, IN A RULING LAST WEEK. TODAY HE GRANTED A STAY TO HEAR THE APPEAL BY AMINAH, WHOM BERTHA REGARDS AS HER MOTHER. BERTHA HAD BEEN SCHEDULED TO SAIL FOR HOLLAND TOMORROW.

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SINGAPORE,TUESDAY, MAY 23-(AP)-THE MALAYA TRIBUNE SAID TODAY THAT SINGAPORE'S GOVERNMENT HAS TURNED DOWN AN INDONESIAN REQUEST FOR THE EXTRADITION OF CAPT.R.P.P.(TURK) WESTERLING. SINGAPORE GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS DENIED THE REPORT.

WESTERLING, A FORMER OFFICER IN THE DUTCH ARMY AND A HOLLANDER BY BIRTH, IS WANTED IN INDONESIA FOR LEADING AN ABORTIVE REVOLT IN WEST JAVA IN JANUARY. HIS PRIVATE ARMY CAPTURED BANDOENG IN 90 MINUTES BUT LATER WITHDREW FROM THE TOWN.

THE TRIBUNE SAID THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT'S LEGAL ADVISERS HAD RULED THAT INDONESIA HAD FAILED TO PROVE A CASE AGAINST WESTERLING, WHO FLED HERE FROM JAVA IN FEBRUARY. HE WAS CONVICTED OF ILLEGAL ENTRY INTO THE COLONY.

THE DUTCH CONSULATE AND THE INDONESIAN OFFICE SAID THEY KNEW NOTHING ABOUT THE REPORTED EXTRADITION REFUSAL.

THE TRIBUNE SAID WESTERLING, WHO HAS BEEN AT CHANGI PRISON SINCE HIS ARREST HERE FEB.26, WOULD LEAVE BY PLANE FOR HOLLAND SOON. A DEPORTATION ORDER AGAINST HIM HAS BEEN HELD UP PENDING ACTION ON THE EXTRADITION REQUEST.

WESTERLING ALSO WAS CONVICTED HERE OF ASSAULTING AN INDONESIAN CELLMATE.

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AUCKLAND, N.Z., MAY 22-(AP)-THE HEAD OF THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND HAS ADVISED ANGLICAN CHURCHES THROUGHOUT THE WORLD TO IGNORE VISITS OF THE "RED DEAN" OF CANTERBURY, DR.HEWLETT JOHNSON.

MAYOR JOHN C.ALLUM SAID TODAY HE WROTE RECENTLY TO DR.GEOFFREY FISHER, ARCHBISHOP OF CANTERBURY, ASKING HIM TO DEFINE THE POSITION OF THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND TOWARD THE DEAN OF CANTERBURY SO THE CITY AUTHORITIES WOULD KNOW HOW THE CHURCH STOOD WITH REGARD TO ANY VISIT DR.JOHNSON MIGHT MAKE HERE.

"MY ADVICE TO ANGLICAN CHURCHES OVERSEAS," THE ARCHBISHOP REPLIED, "IS THEY SHOULD COMPLETELY IGNORE A VISIT OF DEAN CANTERBURY.

"IT IS UNFORTUNATELY TRUE THAT DEAN CANTERBURY SO CONDUCTS HIMSELF AS TO CREATE EMBARRASSMENT AND DIFFICULTY WHEREVER HE GOES, NOT AS DEAN CANTERBURY OR AS AN ECCLESIASTIC, BUT PURELY AS AN INDIVIDUAL WHO DESIRES TO DECLARE HIS BELIEF ON CERTAIN POLITICAL MATTERS. THERE IS NO OBLIGATION ON CIVIC AUTHORITIES TO TAKE ANY NOTICE OF HIM. HE IS COMPLETELY UNREPRESENTATIVE OF THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND AND THIS COUNTRY."

DR.JOHNSON FREQUENTLY SPEAKS AT COMMUNIST-SPONSORED PEACE CONGRESSES OUTSIDE ENGLAND. THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND HAS DISAVOWED PRO-RUSSIAN SENTIMENTS EXPRESSED BY HIM, BUT IT HAS BEEN EXPLAINED THAT HE CANNOT BE REMOVED FROM OFFICE BECAUSE HE HAS NOT MADE HIMSELF LIABLE TO CHARGES IN EITHER A CIVIL OR ECCLESIASTICAL COURT.

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BY SEYMOUR TOPPING

PNOMPENH, INDOCHINA, MAY 21-(DELAYED)-(AP)-THE KING OF CAMBODIA DECLARED TODAY THAT IF HO CHI MINH'S COMMUNISTS SHOULD WIN IN VIETNAM, THIS LITTLE BUFFER STATE IN SOUTHEAST INDOCHINA WOULD SOON BECOME A RED PUPPET.

ALREADY, OFFICIAL FRENCH SOURCES SAY, ABOUT 3,000 OF HO'S COMMUNISTS FROM THE WARRING NORTH HAVE INFILTRATED INTO CAMBODIA AND

OPENED A CORRIDOR FOR SMUGGLING ARMS FROM BORDERING THAILAND (SIAM).
NORODOM SIANHOUK VARMEN, POPULAR 28-YEAR-OLD MONARCH OF COMBODIA, SAID IN AN EXCLUSIVE INTERVIEW THAT SUCCEESS FOR THE COMMUNISTS IN VIETNAM "WOULD MEAN THE END OF NATIONAL SOVEREIGNTY OF CAMBODIA."
CAMBODIA IS ONE OF THREE STATES WHICH MAKE UP INDOCHINA, WITH INTERNAL AUTONOMY WITHIN THE FRENCH UNION. IT HAS 3,500,000 POPULATION. THE OTHERS ARE VIETNAM, WITH 21,000,000, AND LAOS, ON THE WEST, WITH ABOUT 1,000,000.
THE UNITED STATES AND OTHER WESTERN NATIONS HAVE RECOGNIZED THESE THREE, AND CAMBODIA INTENDS SOON TO SEND A DIPLOMATIC MISSION TO WASHINGTON.
COMMUNIST CHINA, RUSSIA AND SOVIET SATELLITES HAVE RECOGNIZED HO CHI MINH'S ORGANIZATION AS THE GOVERNMENT OF VIETNAM. (HO CALLS HIS REGIME "THE REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM." SINCE THE FRENCH-SPONSORED REGIME OF BAO DAI ALSO IS CALLED VETNAM, HO'S SETUP OFTEN IS REFERRED TO AS VIETMINH--THE NAME OF ITS DOMINANT PARTY--FOR THE SAKE OF CLARITY.)
THE UNITED STATES HAS AGREED TO S MMEDIATE MILITARY AND FINANCIAL AID TO INDOCHINA IN THE FIGHT NST THE COMMUNISTS.
FIGHTING IS LARGELY IN THE NORTH AND --IN VIETNAM---WITH LAOS AND CAMBODIA RELATIVELY QUIET.
CAMBODIANS TRADITIONALLY DISTRUST THEIR VIETNAMESE NEIGHBORS, WHO ARE RACIALLY AND CULTURALLY DIFFERENT. HOWEVER, BANDS OF CAMBODIAN GUERRILLAS WHO CALL THEMSELVES ISSARAKS, ARE RESISTING THE FRENCH.
KING NORODOM DISCLOSED THAT SOME OF THESE ISSARAKS RECENTLY HAD REACHED AN AGREEMENT WITH THE INFILTRATING REDS FROM VIETNAM.
ESTIMATES OF ISSARAK STRENGTH ARE SOMETHING OVER 3,000, BUT THEY ARE DIVIDED INTO THREE CATEGORIES: NATIONALISTS SIMPLY OPPOSING THE FRENCH, PRO-REDS, AND PLAIN BANDITS WHO USE THE NAME AS A COVER. THERE ARE SIX MAIN AUTONOMOUS BANDS.
THE NAME "ISSARAK" IS A CONTRACTION FOR "LEAGUE FOR INDEPENDENCE OF CAMBODIA."
THE FRENCH-OFFICERED CAMBODIAN ARMY OF ABOUT 5,000 IS OPPOSING THE ISSARAKS. AGAINST THE INFILTRATING REDS FROM THE NORTH THE FRENCH HAVE ABOUT 6,000 OF THEIR OWN TROOPS, WITH FREQUENT REPLACEMENTS FROM THE MAIN FRENCH FORCE OF ABOUT 150,000 IN VIETNAM.
FRENCH SOURCES SAY THE REDS ARE SMUGGLING SOME ARMS OVERLAND THROUGH THE MOUNTAINS AND JUNGLES FROM SIAM.
THE CAMBODIAN KING TOLD THIS INTERVIEWER THAT HIS REGIME STILL WAS WRANGLING WITH THE FRENCH OVER THE TERMS OF THE AUTONOMY TREATY SIGNED LAST NOVEMBER. THIS TREATY GIVES CAMBODIA INTERNAL INDEPENDENCE BUT RETAINS FOR FRANCE CONTROL OF DEFENSE AND DIPLOMACY PLUS SPECIAL ECONOMIC AND CULTURAL INTERESTS.
THE KING SAID HE REGARDED THE TREATY ONLY AS THE BASIS FOR FURTHER NEGOTIATION FOR GREATER INDEPENDENCE.
A PLEASANT, INTELLIGENT YOUNG MAN, THE KING IS AN EXPERT HORSEMAN AND HANDLES HIMSELF EQUALLY WELL IN POLITICAL JOCKEYING. HIS CABINET TOOK A STRONG STAND TOWARDS THE FRENCH, BRINGING NEGOTIATIONS TO AN IMPASSE. LAST MONTH THE KING DISSOLVED THE CABINET AND TOOK OVER THE PREMIERSHIP HIMSELF.
WEARING WHITE WESTERN GARB, HE LIVES IN A PALACE APARTMENT FURNISHED IN THE WESTERN STYLE. THE REST OF THE MILE-SQUARE PALACE AND GROUNDS ARE STRIKINGLY ORIENTAL.
WITHIN HIGH YELLOW PLASTER WALLS ARE LAVISH CEREMONIAL HALLS, A TEMPLE WHERE GOLDEN BUDDHAS SIT ON A SILVER FLOOR, A BANQUET HALL WHERE THE ROYAL CAMBODIAN BALLET PERFORMS, AND STABLES FOR THE ROYAL WHITE ELEPHANTS.
TALL SPIRES AND ROOFS OF MULTI-COLORED TILE BESPEAK THE ARCHTECTURE OF CAMBODIA'S ANCIENT KHMER CIVILIZATION.
THE KHMERS DOMINATED CAMBODIA FROM THE 5TH TO THE 9TH CENTURY, WHEN THEIR POWER BEGAN TO DECLINE AND THEIR CULTURE BEGAN TO MERGE WITH MORE POWERFUL ASIAN CULTURES. THE NAME IS DERIVED FROM THE HINDU KAMBU, MYTHICAL FOUNDER OF THE KHMER CIVILIZATION.
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NIGHT LEAD MAO
NEW DELHI, INDIA, MAY 22-(AP)-MAO TZE-TUNG, CHINESE COMMUNIST LEADER, DENIED ANY "AGGRESSIVE AIMS" AND EMPHASIZED THE NEED FOR PEACE IN ASIA IN A TALK WITH INDIA'S AMBASSADOR, INFORMED SOURCES SAID TODAY.
MAO'S POLICY WAS OUTLINED, THE INFORMANTS SAID, TO INDIAN AMBASSADOR K.M.PANIKKAR WHO PRESENTED HIS CREDENTIALS TO THE CHINESE COMMUNIST REGIME AT PEIPING SATURDAY.
THE COMMUNIST CHIEF WAS QUOTED AS SAYING RED CHINA HAS "NO AGGRESSIVE INTENTIONS AGAINST ANYBODY--LEAST OF ALL AGAINST INDIA."
THE CHINESE PEOPLE, MAO WAS SAID TO HAVE TOLD PANIKKAR, HAVE ALWAYS CONSIDERED INDIA AS THEIR HEAVEN "TO WHICH GOOD CHINESE GO WHEN THEY DIE."
"STATES BASED ON WAR ALWAYS PERISH. SINCERE COOPERATION BETWEEN THE PEOPLES OF INDIA AND CHINA WILL GREATLY CONTRIBUTE TO LASTING PEACE IN ASIA AND THE WORLD."
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NEW DELHI, INDIA, MAY 22-(AP)-MAO TZE-TUNG HAS TOLD THE NEW INDIAN AMBASSADOR THAT COMMUNIST CHINA HAS "NO AGGRESSIVE INTENTIONS AGAINST ANYBODY--LEAST OF ALL AGAINST INDIA," RELIABLE INFORMANTS SAID TODAY.
THE INFORMANTS SAID THE CHINESE COMMUNIST CHIEF MADE THIS STATEMENT TO AMBASSADOR K.M.PANIKKAR WHEN THE ENVOY PRESENTED HIS CREDENTIALS AT PEIPING SATURDAY.
MAO IS REPORTED TO HAVE HAD A HALF HOUR CONVERSATION WITH THE INDIAN AMBASSADOR AND TO HAVE SPOKEN EMPHATICALLY ON THE NECESSITY FOR PEACE IN ASIA.
"STATES BASED ON WAR ALWAYS PERISH," MAO IS QUOTED AS SAYING. "SINCERE COOPERATION BETWEEN THE PEOPLES OF INDIA AND CHINA WILL GREATLY CONTRIBUTE TO LASTING PEACE IN ASIA AND THE WORLD."
THE CHINESE PREMIER-FOREIGN MINISTER, CHOU EN-LAI, WAS PRESENT DURING THE TALKS, DURING WHICH MAO CONVEYED PERSONAL GREETINGS TO INDIAN PRIME MINISTER JAWAHARLAL NEHRU SAND INDIAN PRESIDENT RAJENDRA PRASAD, THE INFORMANTS SAID. A TOAST WAS DRUNK TO INDIA'S PROSPERITY.
MAO IS SAID TO HAVE TOLD PANIKKAR "THE PEOPLE OF CHINA ALWAYS THOUGHT OF INDIA AS THE COUNTRY TO WHICH GOOD CHINESE GO WHEN THEY DIE."
"EVEN TODAY," MAO IS REPORTED TO HAVE ADDED, "THAT IS THE FEELING OF THE CHINESE COMMON PEOPLE."
TWO DAYS BEFORE THIS CHOU SPOKE FOR 90 MINUTES WITH AMBASSADOR PANIKKAR. THE TALK WAS ABOUT INDUSTRIAL AND AGRICULTURAL PROBLEMS OF BOTH COUNTRIES, INCLUDING THE RESETTLEMENT OF REFUGEES, ABOLITION OF ABSENTEE LANDLORDISM AND THE NEED FOR SPEEDY INDUSTRIALIZATION TO ASSURE INDEPENDENCE.
NOT A WORD WAS SPOKEN ABOUT THE POLITICAL PROBLEMS OF INDIA, THE INFORMANTS SAID.
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NEW DELHI, INDIA, MAY 22-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER JAWAHARLAL NEHRU SAID TODAY THE RESULTS OF HIS AGREEMENT WITH PRIME MINISTER LIAQUAT ALI KHAN OF PAKISTAN ON PROTECTION OF MINORITIES COULD BE VIEWED WITH "RESTRAINED OPTIMISM."

THE AGREEMENT ALREADY HAS PRODUCED A GREAT MEASURE OF RELIEF FROM TENSIONS AND FROM FEARS OF A CATASTROPHIC CLASH BETWEEN THE TWO DOMINIONS, THE PRIME MINISTER SAID.

NEHRU WAS REVIEWING FOR A NEWS CONFERENCE THE IMMEDIATE RESULTS OF HIS WORKING AGREEMENT WITH PAKISTAN. HE SAID THAT GENERALLY SPEAKING THE "MENTAL CLIMATE" HAS BEEN GOOD ON BOTH SIDES. HE NOTED THAT THE NUMBER OF HINDUS FLEEING FROM PAKISTAN'S EAST BENGAL WAS DECLINING SLOWLY, AND THAT THE NUMBER OF HINDUS RETURNING TO THEIR HOMES IN EAST BENGAL HAS BEEN SLOWLY RISING. NEHRU ADDED THAT THE AGREEMENT IS TO BE ALLIED TO UTTAR PRADESH, DELHI AND RAJASTHAN AS WELL AS BENGAL.

NEHRU DENIED A REPORT THAT THE AGREEMENT HE EFFECTED WITH PAKISTAN EARLY THIS MONTH WAS A RESULT OF AMERICAN PRESSURE. HE SAID HE WAS "NOT AWARE OF EVEN A HINT OF PRESSURE FROM ANY FOREIGN COUNTRY."

HE WAS ASKED IF THE AGREEMENT WOULD BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY STATEMENTS OF LIAQUAT ALI IN THE UNITED STATES CONCERNING DIFFERENCES IN THE HINDU AND MOSLEM WAYS OF LIFE. HE SAID THAT THIS WAS A MATTER OF PHILOSOPHICAL APPROACH WHICH WOULD HAVE NO PRACTICAL AFFECT ON THE WORKING OF THE AGREEMENT.

NEHRU SAID INDIA HAS DECIDED NOT TO RECOGNIZE EITHER OF THE CONTENDING GOVERNMENTS IN INDOCHINA AT THE PRESENT TIME SO LONG AS IT IS NOT CLEAR WHICH GOVERNMENT PREVAILS THERE. THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN RECOGNIZE THE FRENCH-SUPPORTED GOVERNMENT OF FORMER EMPEROR BAO DAI IN INDOCHINA, AND COMMUNIST NATIONS RECOGNIZE THAT OF THE VIET MINH LEADER, MOSCOW-TRAINED HO CHI MINH.

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TEL AVIV, ISRAEL, MAY 22-(AP)-AIRLIFT OPERATION "ALI BABA" IS BRINGING MORE THAN 60,000 JEWS FROM IRAQ FOR RESETTLEMENT IN ISRAEL THIS YEAR.

THAT'S THE NAME OF THE JEWISH STATE'S BIGGEST IMMIGRANT AIRBORNE OPERATION SINCE ISRAEL WAS FOUNDED IN 1948. THE TOTAL NUMBER OF JEWISH IMMIGRANTS FROM IRAQ--STILL TECHNICALLY AT WAR WITH ISRAEL--EVENTUALLY MAY REACH 120,000.

THE AIR IMMIGRATION PROGRAM, WHICH BEGAN FRIDAY, ALREADY HAS BROUGHT JEWISH IMMIGRANTS FROM ADEN AND IRAN. IT IS FINANCED BY TH AMERICAN JOINT DISTRIBUTION COMMISSION.

BECAUSE OF THE TECHNICAL STATE OF WAR STILL EXISTING--THOUGH ISRAEL HAS SIGNED ARMISTICES WITH HER ENEMY ARAB NEIGHBORS--THE SKYMASTER TRANSPORT PLANES OF THE NEAR EAST AIRLINES CANNOT FLY DIRECTLY FROM BAGHDAD TO TEL AVIV. IRAQI OFFICIALS REQUIRE THAT THE PLANES FLY FIRST TO THE BRITISH ISLAND OF CYPRUS.

THE INFLUX OF JEWISH IMMIGRANTS FROM ALL SOURCES THIS YEAR IS EXPECTED TO BOOST ISRAEL'S POPULATION BY 250,000, TO A TOTAL OF 1,500,000 PERSONS.

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RANGOON, BURMA, MAY 22-(AP)-AN AUTHORITATIVE SOURCE SAID TODAY CHINESE COMMUNIST TROOPS FROM YUNNAN PROVINCE HAD OCCUPIED A LARGE STRIP OF TERRITORY BETWEEN MANGSHIN AND MENGMAO ON THE CHINESE SIDE OF THE CHINESE-BURMA BORDER.

AN OFFICIAL SPOKESMAN HERE SAID ALL WAS QUIET ON THE BORDER AND THAT EVENTS ON THE CHINESE SIDE HAD NO REPERCUSSIONS IN BURMA.

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B45 (Q)

RANGOON, BURMA, MAY 22-(AP)-RETURNING REFUGEES SAID TODAY BURMESE COMMUNISTS IN PEGU DISTRICT HAD PUBLICLY HUMILIATED BUDDHIST MONKS AFTER SEIZING MONASTIC LANDS AS A "LESSON TO OTHERS."

THE REFUGEES SAID THE COMMUNISTS ALSO SEIZED FARMLANDS AND ORDERED THE FARMERS TO CONTRIBUTE "SURPLUS PRODUCE" TO THE CENTRAL PARTY FUND.

THESE REPORTS COINCIDED WITH A MEETING HERE OF THE RANGOON BRANCH OF THE ANTI-FASCIST PEOPLES FREEDOM LEAGUE, DURING WHICH EXPROPRIATION OF "MONOPOLIST HELD" LANDS WAS URGED.

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JAKARTA, BATAVIA, MAY 22-(AP)-ALTHOUGH FIGHTING HAS ENDED IN MAKASSAR, THE SITUATION IN THE CAPITAL OF EAST INDONESIA REMAINS EXPLOSIVE, INFORMED SOURCES SAID TODAY.

FIGHTING BROKE OUT MAY 15 BETWEEN DISSIDENT UNITS OF THE KNIL (DUTCH EAST INDIES ARMY) AND TROOPS OF THE INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT, ALTHOUGH AT CERTAIN TIMES BOTH REGULAR ARMIES WERE FIGHTING GUERRILLAS.

A NEUTRAL MILITARY SOURCE ESTIMATED THAT IN FIVE DAYS OF WARFARE SOME 500 HAD BEEN KILLED. THIS SOURCE ESTIMATED THE LOSSES OF THE INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT TROOPS AT ABOUT 200 KILLED. ABOUT 200 CIVILIANS AND GUERRILLAS ALSO WERE SAID TO HAVE BEEN KILLED.

IN THE PAST TWO DAYS DUTCH AND INDONESIAN MILITARY POLICE HAVE TEAMED TOGETHER TO MAINTAIN LAW AND ORDER.

AFTER THE MAY 15 OUTBREAK IN MAKASSAR, SCENE A MONTH BEFORE OF AN UNSUCCESSFUL REBELLION AGAINST THE UNITED STATES OF INDONESIA GOVERNMENT, DUTCH COMMANDERS HAD ORDERED INDONESIANS IN THE KNIL TO THEIR BARRACKS AND MET WITH INDONESIAN ARMY OFFICERS TO BRING THE SITUATION UNDER CONTROL. THE KNIL SOLDIERS HAVE NOT YET BEEN TRANSFERRED TO INDONESIAN ARMY COMMAND, AND MUCH BAD FEELING EXISTS BETWEEN THEM AND TROOPS OF THE FEDERAL INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT.

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MONTEVIDEO, URUGUAY, MAY 22-(AP)-A UNITED NATIONS SUB-COMMISSION ON FREEDOM OF INFORMATION TODAY REJECTED A PROPOSAL THAT NEWSMEN BE DIRECTED TO WORK FOR A SOLUTION OF THE WORLD'S ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL PROBLEMS AND PROMOTE PEACE.

U.S. DELEGATE CARROLL BINDER LED THE OPPOSITION WHICH MAINTAINED THAT NEWSMEN SHOULD NOT BE EMPLOYED FOR PROPAGANDA PURPOSES WHETHER GOOD OR BAD.

THE SUBCOMMISSION IS DRAWING UP A CODE OF ETHICS FOR JOURNALISTS.

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NIGHT LEAD TRUMAN-UN
BY DON SANDERS
WASHINGTON, MAY 22-(AP)-CRITICIZING RUSSIA FOR WHAT HE CALLED A "WILLFUL FLOUTING" OF THE UNITED NATIONS CHARTER, PRESIDENT TRUMAN SAID TODAY A STRENGTHENED UN -- BACKED BY A MORE POWERFUL WEST -- WILL SPEED THE DAY WHEN THE SOVIETS WILL MAKE AND KEEP AGREEMENTS.

WHILE MR.TRUMAN DID NOT DISCUSS THE ISSUES RAISED BY SOVIET DEMANDS THAT RED CHINA BE ADMITTED TO THE WORLD ORGANIZATION, IT WAS LEARNED THAT THE WESTERN POWERS HAVE DECIDED AGAINST THROWING OPEN THE DOOR AT THIS TIME.

RESPONSIBLE OFFICIALS WHO COULD NOT BE NAMED SAID SUCH A DECISION WAS REACHED AT LONDON BY THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS.

THE DECISION CAN BE EXPECTED TO RESULT IN THE INDEFINITE CONTINUATION OF THE SOVIET BLOC'S BOYCOTT OF SESSIONS OF UN AGENCIES AT WHICH NATIONALIST CHINA IS REPRESENTED.

IT WAS THIS BOYCOTT WHICH MR.TRUMAN TERMED A "WILLFUL FLOUTING BY THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT OF OBLIGATIONS ASSUMED BY IT UNDER THE (UN) CHARTER."

HE TOLD CONGRESS THAT IN THE FACE OF THIS BOYCOTT THE UN IS SENSIBLY PROCEEDING WITH BUSINESS AS USUAL.

OF THE MAJOR WESTERN POWERS, ONLY GREAT BRITAIN HAS RECOGNIZED THE RED CHINA REGIME WHICH HAS OVERRUN THE CHINESE MAINLAND.

THE POSITION OF THIS COUNTRY, AS VOICED BY SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON, IS THAT THE U.S. WILL NOT VOTE TO ADMIT REPRESENTATIVES OF THE COMMUNIST PEIPING GOVERNMENT BUT WILL ACCEPT ANY DECISION MADE BY THE UN MAJORITY.

MR. TRUMAN SAID IT IS CLEAR THAT POSTWAR PEACE HAS NOT BEEN ACHIEVED BECAUSE OF GREAT RUSSIAN-WESTERN ISSUES WHICH "ARISE FROM FAILURES BY THE SOVIET UNION TO CONFORM ITS CONDUCT TO THE PURPOSES AND PRINCIPLES" OF THE UN CHARTER.

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DECLARING THAT 1949 HAD PRODUCED A HEIGHTENED TENSION BETWEEN THE SOVIET BLOC AND THE WEST, THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE SAID EVENTS OF THE YEAR DEMONSTRATED THAT AGREEMENTS WITH RUSSIA "ARE VALID ONLY AS AND WHEN THEY RECORD EXISTING SITUATIONS OF FACT."

IN A LETTER TRANSMITTING TO CONGRESS THE ANNUAL REPORT ON U.S. PARTICIPATION IN THE WORLD ORGANIZATION, MR.TRUMAN CONTINUED:

"IT IS NOT ENOUGH TO HOPE FOR AGREEMENT OR TO MAKE PROPOSALS; IT IS ESSENTIAL TO CREATE THE CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH IT WILL BE TO THE INTEREST OF THE SOVIET UNION TO ENTER INTO AND TO KEEP AGREEMENTS.

"ALL INTERNATIONAL ACTIVITIES WHICH CREATE MORAL, ECONOMIC AND MILITARY STRENGTH AMONG THE NATIONS OF THE FREE WORLD WILL BROADEN THE AREA OF POSSIBLE AGREEMENT AND HASTEN ITS COMING."

HE ASSERTED THAT THE UNITED STATES WILL CONTINUE TO MAKE ITS "UTMOST CONTRIBUTION TO ATTAINING THE SITUATION OF FACT IN WHICH AGREEMENT CAN BECOME REALISTICALLY POSSIBLE" BY STRENGTHENING THE UN AND BY AIDING OTHER NATIONS.

HE OBVIOUSLY REFERRED TO SUCH PROJECTS AS THE MARSHALL PLAN AND THE NORTH ATLANTIC PACT WITH ITS RELATED PROGRAM OF ARMS AID TO BUILD WESTERN POWER AND DISCOURAGE COMMUNIST AGGRESSION.

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE'S LETTER AND THE ACCOMPANYING 240-PAGE REPORT, WHICH WAS PREPARED BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT, MADE IT CLEAR THE ADMINISTRATION INTENDS TO STRIVE TO MAKE THE UN A MORE WORKABLE WORLD ORGANIZATION--INCLUDING THE SOVIET BLOC.

MR.TRUMAN SAID THE BASIC CONFLICT BETWEEN RUSSIA AND THE WEST HAS TENDED TO OVERSHADOW A GREAT DEAL OF GOOD WHICH HE ATTRIBUTED TO THE WORLD ORGANIZATION.

POINTING TO THE SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES IN INDONESIA, PALESTINE AND KASHMIR, THE PRESIDENT SAID: "MANY LIVES HAVE BEEN SAVED IN MOVING SUCH CONFLICTS INDOORS -- FROM BATTLEGROUNDS TO CONFERENCE TABLES."

AMONG THE PROBLEMS WHICH THE UN HAS SO FAR FAILED TO SOLVE, HE LISTED THE LACK OF ANY INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENT ON CONTROL OF ATOMIC ENERGY, FAILURE TO END THE ARMS RACE AND THE LACK OF PEACE TREATIES WITH GERMANY AND JAPAN.

"TO THE EXTENT THAT SOLUTIONS OF PROBLEMS ARE DELAYED OR ARE OBTAINED PIECEMEAL," THE PRESIDENT SAID, "WE MUST BE REALISTICALLY PREPARED TO LIVE WITH THEM."

HOLDING OUT A HOPE THAT THE SOVIET MAY EVENTUALLY BECOME MORE COOPERATIVE IN THE FACE OF WORLD OPINION AROUSED IN UN FORUMS, MR. TRUMAN SAID:

"NO NATION, MEMBER OR NON-MEMBER, ATTENDING OR NON-ATTENDING, CAN AVOID ACCOUNTABILITY BEFORE THE UNITED NATIONS FOR ACTIONS AFFECTING THE PEACE. THE AROUSED OPINION OF MANKIND, WHEN BROUGHT TO SHARP AND IMMEDIATE FOCUS AS IT OFTEN IS IN THE UNITED NATIONS, IS NOT LIKELY TO BE DISMISSED EVEN BY A NATION THAT HAS STRONG BATTALIONS."

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(600) (TRUMAN UNITED NATIONS ADVANCE TO BE HELD FOR RELEASE EXPECTED SHORTLY AFTER 11 A.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY, MONDAY, MAY 22)
TRUMAN-UNITED NATIONS
BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER

MAY 23 1950

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, MAY 22-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY ASSAILED RUSSIA'S BOYCOTT OF THE UNITED NATIONS OVER THE CHINESE COMMUNIST ISSUE AS A "WILLFUL FLOUTING" OF THE U.N. CHARTER.

HE TOLD CONGRESS THE WORLD ORGANIZATION IS SENSIBLY CARRYING ON "BUSINESS AS USUAL."

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE ATTACKED THE RUSSIAN REFUSAL TO ATTEND U.N. SESSIONS WITH CHINESE NATIONALIST DELEGATES, IN A REPORT TO CONGRESS IN WHICH HE ALSO SAID THAT THE YEAR 1949 PRODUCED A TIGHTENING OF THE EAST-WEST CONFLICT.

AFTER REVIEWING NUMEROUS SPECIFIC ISSUES ON WHICH HE SAID THE SOVIETS BLOCKED CONSTRUCTIVE ACTION IN THE U.N. LAST YEAR, MR.TRUMAN DECLARED:

"THE YEAR ENDED WITH A DEEPENING OF THE TENSION WHICH HAS MARKED INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS THROUGHOUT THE POSTWAR PERIOD."

HE SAID THIS WAS TRUE FOR MANY REASON--WHICH STILL HOLD GOOD IN THE MIDDLE OF 1950. AMONG THEM HE LISTED FAILURE TO AGREE ON AN ATOMIC CONTROL PLANT, FAILURE TO PROGRESS TOWARD ENDING THE ARMAMENTS RACE, AND THE TENDENCY OF THE SOVIETS, WHILE BLOCKING GERMAN AND JAPANESE PEACE SETTLEMENTS, TO ISOLATE THEMSELVES INCREASINGLY FROM THE REST OF THE WORLD.

IN THIS CONNECTION THE PRESIDENT NOTED FOR THE FIRST TIME IN A UNITED NATIONS REPORT THAT RUSSIA NOW HAS "POSSESSION OF THE ATOMIC WEAPON." HE GAVE THE WORLD THE FIRST OFFICIAL WESTERN REPORT LAST SEPTEMBER 23 WHEN HE ANNOUNCED "AN ATOMIC EXPLOSION" HAD OCCURRED IN THE SOVIET UNION.

THE U.N. REPORT WAS PREPARED BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND MR.TRUMAN

SUBMITTED IT TO CONGRESS WITH A LETTER SETTING FORTH HIS PERSONAL VIEWS.

THE LETTER AND REPORT MADE CLEAR THAT THE PRESIDENT INTENDS TO STRIV FOR THE U.N. AS A UNIVERSAL ORGANIZATION--THAT IS, INCLUDING THE COMMUNIST AS WELL AS THE WESTERN POWERS. AT THE SAME TIME HE EMPHASIZED THAT WITHIN THIS FRAMEWORK THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT INTENDS TO DO EVERYTHING IT CAN TO STRENGTHEN THE WEST AND BLOCK PRESENT SOVIET POLICIES.

"OUR EXPERIENCES DURING 1949 IN THE UNITED NATIONS PROVIDED FURTHER DEMONSTRATION THAT, AS THE SECRETARY OF STATE HAS RECENTLY STATED, AGREEMENTS WITH THE SOVIET UNION AND ITS SATELLITES ARE VALID ONLY AS AND WHEN THEY RECORD EXISTING SITUATIONS OF FACT." MR.TRUMAN SAID.

"IT IS NOT ENOUGH TO HOPE FOR AGREEMENT OR TO MAKE PROPOSALS; IT IS ESSENTIAL TO CREATE THE CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH IT WILL BE TO THE INTEREST OF THE SOVIET UNION TO ENTER INTO AND TO KEEP AGREEMENTS. ALL INTERNATIONAL ACTIVITIES WHICH CREATE MORAL, ECONOMIC AND MILITARY STRENGTH AMONG THE NATIONS OF THE FREE WORLD WILL BROADEN THE AREA OF POSSIBLE AGREEMENT AND HASTEN ITS COMING."

THE PRESIDENT MADE TWO REFERENCES IN HIS LETTER TO THE SOVIET U.N. BOYCOTT.

DECLARING THAT "NO NATION CAN IGNORE THE QUESTION OF HOW ITS ACTIONS WILL APPEAR IN THE WORLD FORUMS OF THE UNITED NATIONS," MR. TRUMAN SAID:

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"NO NATION, MEMBER OF NON-MEMBER, ATTENDING OR NON-ATTENDING, CAN AVOID ACCOUNTABILITY BEFORE THE UNITED NATIONS FOR ACTIONS AFFECTING THE PEACE. THE AROUSED OPINION OF MANKIND, WHEN BROUGHT TO SHARP AND IMMEDIATE FOCUS AS IT OFTEN IS IN THE UNITED NATIONS, IS NOT LIKELY TO BE DISMISSED, EVEN BY A NATION THAT HAS STRONG BATTALIONS."

THE SECOND REFERENCE CAME WHEN MR.TRUMAN WOUND UP HIS LETTER WITH THESE STATEMENTS:

"THE WALKOUTS OF THE SOVIET UNION OVER CHINESE NATIONALIST REPRESENTATION IN THE UNITED NATIONS OCCURRED SINCE THE EVENTS OF 1949 DESCRIBED IN THIS REPORT. IN THE PRESENCE OF THIS WILLFUL FLOUTING BY THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT OF OBLIGATIONS ASSUMED BY IT UNDER THE CHARTER, THE UNITED NATIONS HAS TAKEN THE COMMON SENSE ATTITUDE OF PROCEEDING WITH ITS BUSINESS AS USUAL."

THE PRESIDENT PRAISED HIGHLY THE WORK OF THE UNITED NATIONS IN SETTLING THE INDOENESIAN DISPUTE, THE ARAB-JEWISH FIGHTING IN PALESTINE, AND THE INDIA-PAKISTAN TROUBLES OVER KASHMIR.

HE SAID THAT "MANY LIVES HAVE BEEN SAVED" AS A RESULT OF THE U.N. WORK ON THESE DISPUTES LAST YEAR AND THAT SUCH ATTACKS ON SPECIFIC PROBLEMS AS WELL AS ITS GENERAL WORK IN BEHALF OF PEACE SHOWED THAT THE U.N. "IS DISTINGUISHING BETWEEN REALITIES AND ILLUSIONS" AND IS STRIVING FOR "SOLID GAINS THROUGH ACTUAL PERFORMANCE."

(END ADVANCE TO BE HELD FOR RELEASE EXPECTED SHORTLY AFTER 11 A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, MONDAY, MAY 22)

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(ADVANCE TO BE HELD FOR RELEASE EXPECTED ABOUT 11 A.M.EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY MONDAY MAY 22)

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON,MAY 22-(AP)-THE TEXT OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S LETTER TO CONGRESS TRANSMITTING HIS 242 PAGE FOURTH ANNUAL REPORT ON THE UNITED NATIONS: (ABOUT 1600)

TO THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES:

I TRANSMIT HEREWITH TO THE CONGRESS, PURSUANT TO THE UNITED NATIONS PARTICIPATION ACT, MY FOURTH ANNUAL REPORT ON THE ACTIVITIES OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND THE PARTICIPATION OF THE UNITED STATES. THIS REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1949 TELLS AN IMPRESSIVE STORY OF ACCOMPLISHMENT, MUCH OF WHICH WE ARE PRONE TO OVERLOOK IN THE CLAMOR OF DAILY DIFFICULTIES. I COMMEND IT TO THE CAREFUL READING OF ALL OUR CITIZENS.

THE CHARTER OF THE UNITED NATIONS IS A CONTRACT AMONG THE MEMBERS TO SETTLE THEIR DISPUTES PEACEFULLY AND TO PROMOTE THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL ADVANCEMENT OF ALL PEOPLES FOR THE BUILDING AND MAINTENANCE OF A DURABLE WORLD ORDER.

WE SUPPORT THE UNITED NATIONS AND KEEP THIS CONTRACT BECAUSE THE CHARTER EXPRESSES OUR FUNDAMENTAL AIMS IN THE MODERN WORLD. WE KNOW THAT THE FULFILLMENT OF THE CHARTER WILL BEST ADVANCE OUR OWN VITAL INTERESTS--TO ATTAIN PEACE WITH JUSTICE, TO ASSURE FREEDOM, AND TO BRING ABOUT ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL PROGRESS, FOR OURSELVES AND ALL PEOPLES. IT IS FOR THIS REASON THAT SUPPORT OF THE UNITED NATIONS IS AND MUST BE POINT 1 OF OUR FOREIGN POLICY.

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MOST OF THE NATIONS OF THE WORLD SHARE THEIR OBJECTIVES AND ARE WORKING THROUGH THE UNITED NATIONS TO ACHIEVE THEM. THEY THEREFORE TEND INCREASINGLY TOWARD COMMON JUDGMENTS ON THE GREAT ISSUES CONFRONTING MANKIND. THE DECISIONS OF THE UNITED NATIONS IN 1949 SHOW TO A GREATER EXTENT THAN IN PREVIOUS YEARS THAT THE CONVICTIONS OF THE WORLD'S PEOPLES ON MATTERS OF FUNDAMENTAL CONCERN HAVE BECOME CLEAR AND FIRM WITH THE LESSONS OF POSTWAR EXPERIENCE.

RELATIONS AMONG NATIONS HAVE NEVER BEEN, AND PROBABLY NEVER WILL BE, FREE FROM DIFFICULTIES. THE INTENSITY OF THE EAST-WEST CONFLICT HAS OBSCURED THE FACT THAT CERTAIN CRITICAL DISPUTES HAVE ARISEN FROM PURELY LOCAL CONFLICTS AND THAT MANY SUCH PROBLEMS WOULD CONTINUE TO CONFRONT NATIONS EVEN IF RELATIONS BETWEEN THE SOVIET UNION AND THE REST OF THE WORLD WERE FAR DIFFERENT FROM WHAT THEY ARE TODAY. IN A TIME OF SWIFT AND PROFOUND CHANGE LIKE THE PRESENT, QUESTIONS OF ADJUSTMENT OF VIEWS AND INTERESTS AMONG NATIONS ARE MORE NUMEROUS AND URGENT THAN AT ANY PREVIOUS PERIOD IN HISTORY. THERE ARE FEW INTERNATIONAL PROBLEMS THAT FAIL TO CONFRONT US WITH THE NEED OF MAKING DECISIONS ON THE POLICY WE SHOULD FOLLOW OR THE NATIONAL ATTITUDE WE SHOULD EXPRESS IN THE UNITED NATIONS AND IN OUR DIRECT RELATIONS WITH OTHER STATES. THESE PROBLEMS MAKE DAILY DEMANDS OF US FOR SOBER JUDGMENT AND STRENGTH OF SPIRIT AND PURPOSE. THEY MAKE THE SAME OF EVERY NATION SEEKING TO CARRY OUT THE CHARTER.

THE UNITED NATIONS IS AN ORGANIZATION TO HELP MEMBERS RESOLVE INTERNATIONAL DIFFICULTIES. IT IS ALSO A MIRROR IN WHICH THE STATE OF WORLD AFFAIRS IS REFLECTED. WE CANNOT EXPECT FROM THE UNITED NATIONS IMMEDIATE SOLUTIONS OF PROBLEMS AS LARGE AND COMPLEX AS MANY THAT ARE BEFORE IT. BUT ALREADY WE HAVE SEEN HOW, BY ITS DEBATES AND DECISIONS, IT IS HELPING TO GUIDE THE NATIONS INTO THE WAYS OF PEACE. TO THE EXTENT THAT SOLUTIONS OF PROBLEMS ARE DELAYED OR ARE OBTAINED PIECEMEAL, WE MUST BE REALISTICALLY PREPARED TO LIVE WITH THEM. PERSISTENT EFFORT THROUGH THE UNITED NATIONS IS AN EXPRESSION OF OUR

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FAITH THAT THESE PROBLEMS CAN BE SOLVED.

THIS FAITH IS NOT MISPLACED. EXPERIENCE IS DEMONSTRATING THAT THE UNITED NATIONS PROCESSES OF DEBATE, CONSULTATION, CONCILIATION, AND AGREEMENT ARE CAPABLE OF BRINGING ABOUT THE PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES WHEREVER BOTH SIDES FUNDAMENTALLY RESPECT REASON AND PLEDGED UNDERTAKINGS ABOVE FORCE. THE REPORT FOR 1949 SHOWS HOW GREATLY THE UNITED NATIONS HAS CONTRIBUTED TO THE SETTLEMENT OF THE INDONESIAN DISPUTE, HOW IT HAS BROUGHT AN END TO THE FIGHTING IN PALESTINE AND IN KASHMIR, AND HOW IT CONTINUES TO WORK ENERGETICALLY TOWARD FURTHER PROGRESS IN THE SOLUTION OF THESE DISPUTES. MANY LIVES HAVE BEEN SAVED THROUGH THE SUCCESS OF THE UNITED NATIONS IN MOVING SUCH CONFLICTS INDOORS--FROM BATTLEGROUNDS TO CONFERENCE TABLES.

THE POWER OF THE UNITED NATIONS TODAY IS THAT OF MORAL FORCE. SUCH FORCE GATHERS ITS STRENGTH SLOWLY, BUT IT DOES SO SURELY. NO NATION CAN IGNORE THE QUESTION OF HOW ITS ACTIONS WILL APPEAR IN THE WORLD FORUMS OF THE UNITED NATIONS. NO NATION, MEMBER OR NON-MEMBER, ATTENDING OR NONATTENDING, CAN AVOID ACCOUNTABILITY BEFORE THE UNITED NATIONS FOR ACTIONS AFFECTING THE PEACE. THE AROUSED OPINION OF MANKIND, WHEN BROUGHT TO SHARP AND IMMEDIATE FOCUS AS IT OFTEN IS IN THE UNITED NATIONS, IS NOT LIGHTLY TO BE DISMISSED, EVEN BY A NATION THAT HAS STRONG BATTALIONS.

MUCH OF THE USEFUL WORK OF THE UNITED NATIONS IS AND SHOULD BE LONG-RANGE IN CHARACTER. IN SOME OF ITS FIELDS, THE TASKS ARE THOSE OF DEVELOPMENT OVER MANY YEARS, AS IN THE STEADY AND SEEMINGLY PROSAIC STEPS TOWARD THE BUILDING UP OF INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL HEALT THROUGH COOPERATIVE RELATIONS AMONG ALL NATIONS DESIRING TO HELP EACH OTHER. IT IS IN SUCH FAR-FLUNG AND MANIFOLD ACTIVITIES NO LESS THAN IN ITS EFFORTS TO HANDLE CRITICAL TENSIONS THAT THE UNITED NATIONS IS CREATING FUNDAMENTAL CONDITIONS NECESSARY FOR THE GROWTH OF PEACE. THE REPORT I SUBMIT THIS YEAR GIVES TO THIS WORK THE FULLER ATTENTION IT MERITS. IT SHOWS THAT IN ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL FIELDS THE UNITED NATIONS IS BECOMING INCREASINGLY EFFECTIVE IN IMPROVING THE DAILY LIFE OF MILLIONS OF PEOPLE. IN 1949 THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL PROPOSED, AND THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY UNANIMOUSLY ADOPTED, A PROGRAM OF TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE TO UNDERDEVELOPED AREAS WHICH IS DIRECTED TOWARD THE GOAL I OUTLINED AS POINT IV IN MY INAUGURAL ADDRESS. THIS PROGRAM OF THE UNITED NATIONS OFFERS SOLID PROMISE FOR WORLD ADVANCEMENT.

BY RELATED PROGRAMS, THE UNITED NATIONS IS PROMOTING ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT IN REGIONAL AREAS AND IN VARIOUS FIELDS OF ENDEAVOR. THROUGH A PROGRAM OF PUBLIC WORKS STARTED IN THE NEAR EAST, JOBLESS AND HOMELESS REFUGEES CAN FIND NEW HOMES AND THE FOUNDATION OF SELF-RELIANCE THROUGH BENEFICIAL EMPLOYMENT RATHER THAN RELIEF ALONE. SPECIAL TRAINING FELLOWSHIPS ARE BEING GIVEN BY THE UNITED NATIONS AND THE SPECIALIZED AGENCIES TO HUNDREDS OF STUDENTS FOR STUDY. UPON REQUEST, EXPERTS ARE BEING SENT TO DEMONSTRATE IN UNDERDEVELOPED AREAS THE ADVANCED KNOWLEDGE AND TECHNIQUES WHICH THE LOCAL PEOPLES CAN PUT TO PRACTICAL USE. EXPERT MISSIONS IN THE FIELDS OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE, AGRICULTURE, MEDICINE AND HEALTH, SOCIAL PROBLEMS, AND LABOR MATTERS HAVE BEEN SENT TO MANY COUNTRIES ON REQUEST OF GOVERNMENTS TO TACKLE URGENT PROBLEMS THAT STAND IN THE WAY OF IMPROVED STANDARDS OF LIVING. ALL THIS WORK WILL BE FURTHER INTENSIFIED AS THE EXPANDED PROGRAM OF TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE IS PUT IN OPERATION.

IN OTHER FIELDS ALSO, PROGRESS IS BEING PRESSED. THE NEW FIELD SERVICE AND PANEL OF FIELD OBSERVERS PROVIDE SPECIALIZED HELP FOR COMMISSIONS OF PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT. IT HAS BEEN AGREED THAT TWO OF THE FORMER ITALIAN COLONIES, LIBYA AND ITALIAN SOMALILAND, ARE TO BECOME INDEPENDENT STATES. THE ADVANCEMENT OF TRUST AREAS AND OTHER NON-SELF GOVERNING TERRITORIES IS STEADILY BEING FOSTERED THROUGH THE COOPERATION OF THE ADMINISTERING STATES AND THE UNITED NATIONS. ON LEGAL QUESTIONS IT IS GRATIFYING TO OBSERVE THE GRADUAL INCREASE IN THE USE OF THE INTERNATIONAL COURT OF JUSTICE. RESPECT FOR AND DEPENDENCE UPON THE PROCESSES OF LAW ARE ESSENTIAL IN THE BUILDING OF THE BETTER WORLD ORDER.

THESE CONSTRUCTIVE ACTIVITIES HAVE BEEN OVERSHADOWED BY THE UNSOLVED PROBLEMS ARISING FROM THE POLICIES AND ACTS OF THE SOVIET UNION WHICH LEAD TO TENSION AND IMPAIRMENT OF SECURITY IN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS. THE UNITED NATIONS RENDERED A GREAT SERVICE DURING 1949 BY ASSERTING, IN THE NOTABLE RESOLUTION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY ON "ESSENTIALS OF PEACE," THE STANDARDS OF CONDUCT NECESSARY TO RESTORE INTERNATIONAL CONFIDENCE. EACH OF THE 53 MEMBERS OTHER THAN THE COMMUNIST STATES REPRESENTED IN THE UNITED NATIONS GAVE ITS SUPPORT TO THIS FUNDAMENTAL CALL FOR ACTION TO BUILD PEACE. BY THIS AND OTHER STEPS, THE UNITED NATIONS MADE IT CLEAR THAT THE GREAT ISSUES OF SECURITY IN THE POSTWAR PERIOD ARE BETWEEN THE SOVIET UNION AND THE REST OF THE WORLD AT LARGE AND THAT THESE ISSUES ARISE FROM FAILURES BY THE SOVIET UNION TO CONFORM ITS CONDUCT TO THE PURPOSES AND PRINCIPLES OF THE CHARTER.

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THE INTERNATIONAL CONTROL OF ATOMIC ENERGY STANDS FOREMOST AMONG THE URGENT MATTERS CALLING FOR AGREEMENT. EFFECTIVE INTERNATIONAL REGULATION OF ARMAMENTS AND ARMED FORCES IS A RELATED PROBLEM OF URGENCY.

OUR EXPERIENCES DURING 1949 IN THE UNITED NATIONS PROVIDED FURTHER DEMONSTRATION THAT, AS THE SECRETARY OF STATE HAS RECENTLY STATED, AGREEMENTS WITH THE SOVIET UNION AND ITS SATELLITES ARE VALID ONLY AND WHEN THEY RECORD EXISTING SITUATIONS OF FACT. IT IS NOT ENOUGH TO HOPE FOR AGREEMENT OR TO MAKE PROPOSALS; IT IS ESSENTIAL TO CREATE THE CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH IT WILL BE TO THE INTEREST OF THE SOVIET O UNION TO ENTER INTO AND TO KEEP AGREEMENTS. ALL INTERNA

THE CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH IT WILL BE TO THE INTEREST OF THE SOVIET UNION TO ENTER INTO AND TO KEEP AGREEMENTS. ALL INTERNATIONAL ACTIVITIES WHICH CREATE MORAL, ECONOMIC, AND MILITARY STRENGTH AMONG THE NATIONS OF THE FREE WORLD WILL BROADEN THE AREA OF POSSIBLE AGREEMENT AND HASTEN ITS COMING.

WE ARE ENDEAVORING IN THE UNITED NATIONS AS IN OUR OTHER INTERNATIONAL ACTIONS TO MAKE CLEAR TO THE SOVIET UNION THAT WE SEEK TO CARR OUT THE CHARTER IN DEED AS IN WORD, AND THAT WE ASK NO MORE OR LESS FROM ANY OTHER MEMBER. IT WILL BE OUR PLAN IN THE FUTURE, AS IT HAS BEEN OUR PRACTICE IN THE PAST, TO DO ALL IN OUR POWER TO STRENGTH THE UNITED NATIONS AS THE PRIMARY INSTRUMENT FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF PEACE. BY OUR EFFORTS TO STRENGTHEN IT AND BY OUR RELATED ASSISTANCE TO OTHER NATIONS UNDER LEGISLATION ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS, WE SHALL SEEK TO

MAKE OUR UTMOST CONTRIBUTION TO ATTAINING THE SITUATION OF FACT IN WHIC AGREEMENT CAN BECOME REALISTICALLY POSSIBLE.

THE UNITED NATIONS SEEKS AGREEMENT AND THE EXECUTION IN GOOD FAITH OF AGREED UNDERTAKINGS. THIS IS THE TRUE BASIS OF A WORLD COMMUNITY FOUNDED ON LAW AND JUSTICE. WE, FOR OUR PART, WILL CONTINUE TO NEGOTIATE AND TO EXAMINE EVERY PROPOSAL IN OUR UNENDING EFFORT TO ACHIEVE SECURITY THROUGH EFFECTIVE AND DEPENDABLE AGREEMENT.

IT IS A SOURCE OF ENCOURAGEMENT THAT THE UNITED NATIONS IN CONDUCTING ITS WORK IS DISTINGUISHING BETWEEN REALITIES AND ILLUSIONS AND IS VIGILANTLY INSISTING, PROBLEM BY PROBLEM, UPON SOLID GAINS THROUGH ACTUAL PERFORMANCE. IT IS STRIVING FOR REAL PEACE, GENUINE FREEDOM, AND ACTUAL PROGRESS. THE FACT STANDS OUT IN ITS RECORD.

THE WALKOUTS OF THE SOVIET UNION OVER CHINESE NATIONALIST REPRESENTATION IN THE UNITED NATIONS OCCURRED SINCE THE EVENTS OF 1949 DESCRIBED IN THIS REPORT. IN THE PRESENCE OF THIS WILLFUL FLOUTING BY THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT OF OBLIGATIONS ASSUMED BY IT UNDER THE CHARTER, THE UNITED NATIONS HAS TAKEN THE COMMON SENSE ATTITUDE OF PROCEEDING WITH ITS BUSINESS AS USUAL.

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(END ADVANCE TO BE HELD FOR RELEASE EXPECTED ABOUT 11 A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY FOR MONDAY MAY 22)

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(150) FIRST LEAD FINANCE CENTER

WASHINGTON, MAY 22-(AP)-A HOUSE GROUP INVESTIGATING ALLEGED COMMUNISM AND IRREGULARITIES AT THE ARMY'S ST.LOUIS FINANCE CENTER TODAY INVITED SALLY DEWEY TO TESTIFY AT A PUBLIC HEARING HERE WEDNESDAY.

MRS. DEWEY, A FORMER EMPLOYE, IS CREDITED WITH SETTING OFF A SERIES OF INVESTIGATIONS OF THE FINANCE CENTER. REP. KARST (D-MO) HAS SAID THAT HER LIFE HAS BEEN THREATENED.

AN ARMED SERVICES SUBCOMMITTEE HEADED BY REP. KILDAY (D-TEX) SENT A TELEGRAM TO MRS. DEWEY INVITING HER TO APPEAR AT 9 A.M. (EST) WEDNESDAY.

SHE WAS ASKED TO WIRE BACK WHETHER SHE WILL BE ON HAND.

THE SUBCOMMITTEE DECIDED TO RESUME PUBLIC HEARINGS TOMORROW.

OFFICIALS OF THE GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE WILL BE CALLED TO TESTIFY.

THE SUBCOMMITTEE STILL HAS UNDER CONSIDERATION THE QUESTION OF GOING TO ST.LOUIS LATER FOR AN ON-THE-SPOT CHECKUP OF THE FINANCE CENTER. NO FINAL DECISION ON THAT WAS REACHED TODAY. #

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(240) GERMAN

WASHINGTON, MAY 22-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE ARE EXPECTED TO BEGIN CHARTING WAYS OF EASING ALLIED CONTROLS IN WEST GERMANY AT A MEETING NEXT MONTH IN LONDON.

REPRESENTATIVES OF THE THREE GOVERNMENTS WILL MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS WHICH CAN BE PUT INTO EFFECT WHEN THE ALLIED OCCUPATION STATUTE FOR WEST GERMANY IS REVISED IN SEPTEMBER.

THE EXACT DATE FOR THE THREE-POWER MEETING HAS NOT BEEN SET YET BUT STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS IN TOUCH WITH THE SITUATION SAID THEY BELIEVE IT WILL BE IN LATE JUNE.

THE DISCUSSIONS WILL CARRY OUT THE DECISION BY THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS IN LONDON MAY 14 TO RELAX CONTROLS "TO THE MAXIMUM EXTENT COMPATIBLE WITH THE BASIS OF THE OCCUPATION REGIME."

OFFICIALS SAID THE TALKS UNDOUBTEDLY WOULD TOUCH ON THESE POINTS:

1. WHETHER TO PERMIT THE WEST GERMANS TO PRODUCE MORE THAN THE 11,000,000 TONS OF STEEL NOW ALLOWED ANNUALLY.

2. WHETHER PRESENT CONTROLS ON WEST GERMAN SHIPBUILDING SHOULD BE EASED TO PERMIT CONSTRUCTION FOR WESTERN NATIONS.

3. HOW TO GIVE THE WEST GERMAN REPUBLIC LIMITED CONTROL OVER FOREIGN POLICY MATTERS, ESPECIALLY TRADE.

4. HOW TO ENCOURAGE FOREIGN INVESTMENT IN GERMANY.

THE THREE-POWER TALKS ARE EXPECTED TO LAST SEVERAL WEEKS. THE RESULTS PROBABLY WILL BE PASSED ON TO THE AMERICAN-BRITISH-FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTERS WHEN THEY MEET IN NEW YORK THIS SEPTEMBER UNDER PRESENT PLANS.

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PRECEDE NEW ORLEANS BARKLEY (200)

WASHINGTON, MAY 22-(AP)-VICE PRESIDENT BARKLEY SAID TODAY HE SEES NO PROSPECT FOR AN EXPANSION OF AMERICAN OCCUPATION FORCES UNLESS SOME NORTH ATLANTIC PACT COUNTRIES ASK FOR U.S. TROOPS.

BARKLEY TOLD A REPORTER THE WRONG EMPHASIS HAD BEEN PLACED ON A STATEMENT HE MADE IN A NEW ORLEANS SPEECH SATURDAY NIGHT. HE SAID THEN THE UNITED STATES "MUST MAINTAIN ARMED FORCES ALL OVER THE WORLD AND WE MAY HAVE TO OCCUPY MORE COUNTRIES BEFORE THE COLD WAR IS ENDED."

BARKLEY SAID TODAY:

"I DID NOT HAVE IN MIND ANY EXTENSION OF OUR OCCUPATION FORCES, WITH THE POSSIBLE EXCEPTION THAT SOME OF THE COUNTRIES IN THE NORTH ATLANTIC PACT MIGHT ASK FOR SOME AMERICAN FORCES TO BE STATIONED WITHIN THEM TO HELP ROUND OUT THEIR DEFENSES.

"I WAS SPEAKING PRIMARILY OF OUR RESPONSIBILITY TO MAINTAIN OUR ARMED FORCES AND OUR COMMITMENTS IN COUNTRIES WHERE SUCH FORCES ALREADY ARE STATIONED."

IN HIS NEW ORLEANS SPEECH BARKLEY SAID "WE MUST DRIVE BACK THIS MONSTER THAT HAS CREPT OVER THE EARTH, DESTROYING THE FREEDOM OF MAN."

HE DID NOT MENTION RUSSIA UNTIL LATER IN HIS ADDRESS.

IN WASHINGTON, THE WHITE HOUSE, STATE DEPARTMENT AND DEFENSE DEPARTMENT ALL DECLINED COMMENT ON BARKLEY'S REMARK. BARKLEY HIMSELF WAS NOT AVAILABLE IMMEDIATELY.

THE VICE PRESIDENT SAID IN HIS SPEECH THAT AFTER WORLD WAR II THE UNITED STATES HOPED AN INSTITUTION COULD BE SET UP TO PREVENT FUTURE WARS. HE ADDED:

AFTER WORLD WAR II, THE VICE PRESIDENT CONTINUED, THE UNITED STATES HOPED AN INSTITUTION COULD BE SET UP TO PREVENT FUTURE WARS. HE ADDED:

"BUT WE COULDN'T FORESEE THAT ONE OF OUR PARTNERS IN THAT WAR WHO FOUGHT SIDE BY SIDE WITH US WOULD BECOME SO SELFISH AND SO DOMINEERING THAT IT WOULD BLOCK THE PEACE.

"WE RECOGNIZE THAT BECAUSE OF THAT NATION SO BRUTAL, WITH NO CONCERN FOR FELLOW MEN, WE NOW HAVE TO SPEND THREE TIMES AS MUCH ON NATIONAL DEFENSE AS WE WOULD IF PEACE HAD COME."

THEN CAME HIS FIRST MENTION OF RUSSIA. CITING THE CENTURIES-OLD STRUGGLE OF THE POLISH PEOPLE FOR INDEPENDENCE, HE SAID:

"THEY FIND THEMSELVES WITH A GOVERNMENT IMPOSED ON THEM BY THE SOVIET UNION. ALL OF THEIR FREEDOM OF LIBERTY, PURSUIT OF HAPPINESS, FREEDOM F SPEECH, PRESS AND RELIGION ARE GONE BECAUSE COMMUNISM SNUFFED THEM OUT."

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THE VICE PRESIDENT CONTINUED, "WE SHOULD ALL REJOINCE IF TAXES WERE REDUCED AND THE BUDGET BALANCED, BUT WE CAN'T ENDANGER OUR COUNTRY TO SAVE A FEW DOLLARS. X X X (IT WOULD) COST FAR MORE TO FIGHT A THIRD WORLD WAR.

"THE WAR IS OVER, BUT THE DURATION MAY HAVE JUST STARTED. WE ARE COMMITTED TO A POLICY THAT WE OURSELVES CANNOT BE SECURE IF THE REST OF THE WORLD IS INSECURE."

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WASHINGTON,MAY 22-(AP)-VICE PRESIDENT BARKLEY SAID TODAY THAT THE COMMUNIST THEORY THAT MAN IS BUT A PAWN OF THE STATE IS "SINISTER AND DIABOLICAL, BOTH IN ITS METHODS AND ITS EFFECT."

THE TOTALITARIAN THEORY WHICH ABOLISHES RELIGION, THE FREEDOM OF WORSHIP, SPEECH, PRESS AND ASSEMBLY, HE DECLARED, IS THE "COMPLETE ANTITHESIS OF THE DEMOCRACY WHICH MAKES AMERICA, AND WHICH HAS MADE AMERICA THE GREATEST NATION IN ALL HISTORY."

THE VICE PRESIDENT SPOKE BEFORE SEVERAL THOUSAND PERSONS GATHERED ON THE CAPITOL PLAZA IN OBSERVANCE OF "I AM AN AMERICAN DAY."

BARKLEY SAID THAT U.S. TROOPS STATIONED IN OUTPOSTS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD ARE "HOLDING THE LINE IN BEHALF OF THE FREEDOM OF MAN.

"THEY ARE HOLDING THE LINE IN ORDER THAT HIS BODY, HIS SPIRIT, HIS SOUL AND HIS INTELLECT MAY NOT BE OVERCOME AND COMPLETELY CRUSHED BY THE JUGGERNAUT OF COMMUNISM AND THE RUTHLESS THEORY THAT MAN IS BUT A PAWN TO BE CRUSHED BY THE STATE FOR SAKE OF POWER ITSELF," HE SAID.

BARKLEY ADDED THAT THE "STUBBORN INTRANSIGENCE" OF ONE COUNTRY, ALTHOUGH HE DID NOT MENTION RUSSIA BY NAME, HAS COMPELLED THE UNITED STATES TO ASSUME WIDE INTERNATIONAL OBLIGATIONS.

HE SAID THE AGREEMENTS WHICH WE HAVE ENTERED INTO "FOR THE PROTECTION OF OURSELVES AND OTHER FREE PEOPLE" WILL MAKE IT DIFFICULT TO REDUCE, AND MAY CAUSE TO BE INCREASED, THE LARGEST PEACETIME ARMED FORCE IN HISTORY.

BARKLEY PLEDGED THE NATION TO DEFEND ITS IDEALS OF FREEDOM, BUT WARNED THAT SECURITY DOES NOT LIE ALONE IN THE ARMED FORCES.

"INVALUABLE AND INDISPENSABLE AS THEY ARE, THEY MUST BE FORTIFIED BY THE MORAL, AND SPIRITUAL, AND INTELLECTUAL STRENGTH OF THE PEOPLE BEHIND THEM," HE DECLARED.

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(190) NIGHT LEAD OIL-UNEMPLOYMENT

WASHINGTON, MAY 22-(AP)-COAL SPOKESMEN TOLD A SENATE SUBCOMMITTEE TODAY THAT OIL IMPORTS ARE SHRINKING EMPLOYMENT IN AMERICAN INDUSTRY.

THOMAS KENNEDY, VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED MINE WORKERS, AND D.T. BUCKLEY OF THE NATIONAL COAL ASSOCIATION, URGED A CURB ON THE USE OF FOREIGN OIL WHICH THEY SAID WAS ENTERING THIS COUNTRY AT UNFAIR PRICES.

THE SUBCOMMITTEE, HEADED BY SENATOR NEELY (D-WVA), IS INVESTIGATING "INCREASING UNEMPLOYMENT" IN THE COAL, RAILROAD, OIL, ZINC, LEAD AND SILVER INDUSTRIES.

KENNEDY DECLARED THAT 25,000 COAL MINERS EITHER LOST THEIR JOBS OR HAD THEIR WORK WEEK REDUCED LAST YEAR AS A RESULT OF THE IMPORTATION OF OIL MARKETED "AT RIDICULOUSLY LOW PRICES."

HE SAID 100,000,000 BARRELS OF OIL FOR FUEL AND INDUSTRIAL PURPOSES WAS IMPORTED LAST YEAR.

THE CURRENT RATE OF IMPORTATION, BUCKLEY SAID, IS "DESTROYING THE EQUIVALENT OF A YEAR'S WORK FOR 50,000 MINERS IN THE BITUMINOUS COAL INDUSTRY."

SENATOR TAFT (R-OHIO), SAYING MORE "FACTS" ARE NEEDED, SUGGESTED THAT THE SENATORS ASK THE TARIFF COMMISSION FOR A REPORT ON OIL IMPORTS. HE SAID THAT UNDER EXISTING LAW HIGHER TARIFFS CAN BE IMPOSED TO PREVENT "DUMPING" WITHOUT ACTION BY CONGRESS.

BUCKLEY SAID THE DOMESTIC OIL INDUSTRY, WHOSE REPRESENTATIVES ARE TO TESTIFY TOMORROW, HAD ASKED THE COMMISSION FOR RELIEF BUT "GOT NO RESULTS."

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)950) NIGHT LEAD COMMUNISTS

WASHINGTON,MAY 22-(AP)-THE SEALS WERE RIPPED OFF THE INVESTIGATION RECORD OF THE HOTLY-DISPUTED AMERASIA CASE OF 1945 IN CONGRESS TODAY. IT CAME AMID DISPUTED TALK OF A "COVER-UP" IN THE CASE WHICH PROMPTED REP.BROWN (R-OHIO) TO DECLARE THERE WERE HOUSE RUMORS THAT "THE FIX HAS BEEN PUT IN AGAIN."

BROWN SPOKE OUT AFTER REP.HOBBS (D-ALA) TOLD THE HOUSE HE BELIEVES THERE WAS A CONNECTION BETWEEN THE NOW DEFUNCT MAGAZINE AMERASIA AND RUSSIA.

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HOBBS MADE PUBLIC THE LONG SECRET RECORD OF A 1946 HOUSE INVESTIGATION INTO THE AMERASIA EPISODE, INCLUDING:

1. TESTIMONY BY A NAVAL INTELLIGENCE OFFICER THAT NAVAL LT.ANDREW ROTH, ONE OF THE PRINCIPALS ARRESTED IN THE AMERASIA CASE AND LATER CLEARED, WAS "SUSPECTED OR ALLEGED TO BE A FELLOW TRAVELER"--BUT ROTH WAS "COMMISSIONED IN SPITE OF THAT."

2. TESTIMONY THAT DOCUMENTS FOUND CACHED IN AMERASIA MAGAZINE HEADQUARTERS IN NEW YORK INCLUDED SECRETS FROM BRITISH INTELLIGENCE, U.S. NAVAL INTELLIGENCE, THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND OTHER GOVERNMENT SOURCES.

ALSO, THAT "EVERY ONE OF THEM BORE THE STAMP THAT POSSESSION OF THE DOCUMENTS IS A VIOLATION OF THE ESPIONAGE ACT."

THE LATTER TESTIMONY, GIVEN BY A WITNESS NAMED "BROOKS," THE UNDERCOVER NAME USED BY FORMER OSS AGENT FRANK BIELASKI, DECLARED THE WARNING ABOUT ESPIONAGE ACT VIOLATION WAS "STAMPED ALL OVER" THE DOCUMENTS.

ON THE SENATE SIDE, SENATOR TYDINGS (D-MD) INSISTED THAT THE AMERASIA CASE IS BEING THOROUGHLY INVESTIGATED, AND HE DECLARED:

"WHEN A REPORT IS MADE, EVERY PERTINENT QUESTION WHICH HAS BEEN ASKED ABOUT THIS CASE IS GOING TO BE ANSWERED FULLY."

TYDINGS IS CHAIRMAN OF A SENATE SUBCOMMITTEE INVESTIGATING CHARGES BY SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT IS INFESTED WITH COMMUNISTS AND THAT THE AMERASIA CASE IS THE KEY TO A RED NETWORK IN THE GOVERNMENT.

THE WARTIME CASE INVOLVED THE ALLEGED ILLEGAL REMOVAL OF STATE DEPARTMENT RECORDS AND THE SUBSEQUENT ARREST OF SIX PERSONS, INCLUDING TWO STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS AND EDITOR PHILIP JAFFE OF THE MAGAZINE "AMERASIA."

TWO OF THE SIX WERE FINED; JAFFE PAID $2,500. THE OTHER FOUR WERE CLEARED.

ON THE HOUSE FLOOR, THE AMERASIA INCIDENT CROPPED UP WHEN REP. HOBBS, WHO HEADED THE 1946 INVESTIGATION OF THE CASE, SPOKE OUT IN REPLY TO WHAT HE CALLED "A LARGE NUMBER OF UNWARRANTED STATEMENTS WHICH WON'T BEAR THE LIGHT OF DAY."

IN DECLARING HE BELIEVES THERE WAS A CONNECTION BETWEEN "AMERASIA" AND RUSSIA, HOBBS DID NOT ELABORATE. HE DID SAY THAT WHEN HIS SUBCOMMITTEE INVESTIGATED THE CASE, NONE OF THE MATERIAL BROUGHT TO ITS ATTENTION APPEARED SIGNIFICANT.

FOR THE FIRST TIME, THE ALABAMA LEGISLATOR MADE THE RECORD OF THE HOUSE INVESTIGATION A MATTER OF PUBLIC RECORD. HE DID SO BY THROWING ON THE TABLE A THICK FILE OF PHOTOGRAPHED TYPEWRITTEN PAGES FOR THE OFFICIAL HOUSE RECORD.

"THIS IS THE SEALED RECORD OF THE AMERASIA HEARING," HOBBS SAID.

REP.BROWN INTERRUPTED HOBBS TO DECLARE:

"THERE IS A FEELING THROUGHOUT THE NATION THERE HAS BEEN A COVER-UP IN THE AMERASIA CASE.

"MORE RECENTLY THERE HAVE BEEN DIRTY, SLY LITTLE RUMORS FLOATING THROUGH THE CLOAKROOMS THAT THE FIX HAS BEEN PUT IN AGAIN AND THAT THE WHOLE THING WILL BE COVERED UP ONCE MORE, AND THE WHOLE THING WHITEWASHED AGAIN."

BROWN DEMANDED THAT CONGRESS "GO TO THE BOTTOM OF THIS--LET THE CHIPS FALL WHERE THEY MAY."

HOBBS SAID HE AGREED, BUT HE SAID THERE HAD BEEN NO ATTEMPT BY HIS SUBCOMMITTEE IN 1946 TO HIDE ANY FACTS. HE SAID THE RECORD WAS SEALED AT THE REQUEST OF REP.DONDERO (R-MICH) TO AVOID ENDANGERING THE NATIONAL SECURITY. DONDERO LATER DENIED THIS TO NEWSMEN.

REP.COX (D-GA) TOLD THE HOUSE THAT "IF THE CASE HAD BEEN PROPERLY DEVELOPED, THE STATE DEPARTMENT WOULD HAVE BEEN IN UP TO ITS HEAD."

IN RELATED DEVELOPMENTS:

1. SENATOR MCCARTHY DEMANDED A NEW PROBE OF HIS CHARGES AND DENOUNCED THE CURRENT SENATE INVESTIGATION AS A "FOUL JOB."

THE WISCONSIN SENATOR SAID THE SENATE INQUIRY GROUP IS "DELIBERATELY" FALLING DOWN ON ITS ASSIGNED TASK OF EXPOSING ALLEGED COMMUNISTS IN THE GOVERNMENT.

AS ALTERNATIVES, HE PROPOSED EITHER A FEDERAL INVESTIGATION DIRECTED BY FBI CHIEF J.EDGAR HOOVER AND ADMIRAL R.H.HILLENKOETTER, HEAD OF THE U.S. CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY; OR, AN INDEPENDENT INQUIRY GUIDED BY SUCH MEN AS FORMER PRESIDENT HERBERT HOOVER AND FEDERAL JUDGE HAROLD MEDINA OF NEW YORK.

2. CHAIRMAN TYDINGS TOLD NEWSMEN HIS SUBCOMMITTEE KNOWS THE NAME OF AN INTERNATIONALLY "FAMED" PERSON CITED BY FRANK BIELASKI AND THAT THE MAN INVOLVED HAS NO CONNECTION WITH THE AMERASIA CASE.

TYDINGS DISPUTED STATEMENTS MADE IN A BROADCAST YESTERDAY BY BIELASKI, CHIEF INVESTIGATOR FOR THE WARTIME OFFICE OF STRATEGIC SERVICES (OSS), WHO LED THE FIRST RAID ON AMERASIA'S HEADQUARTERS.

BIELASKI SAID THE NAME OF ONE MAN INVOLVED IN THE AMERASIA CASE "UP TO HIS EARS" HAD NOT BEEN MADE PUBLIC. HE SAID THE INDIVIDUAL WAS "OF GREATER FAME NATIONALLY AND INTERNATIONALLY THAN ANYONE WHO HAS BEEN MENTIONED IN THIS CASE."

BUT TYDINGS TOLD NEWSMEN THAT BIELASKI HAD GIVEN THE NAME OF THE "FAMED" PERSON IN SECRET TESTIMONY BEHIND CLOSED DOORS, AND HE SAID BIELASKI REPLIED "NO" WHEN ASKED IF THE MAN HAD ANY CONNECTION WITH THE AMERASIA CASE.

"WE ASKED BIELASKI IF HE WAS SUGGESTING THAT WE INVESTIGATE THIS MAN AND HE SAID 'NO,'" TYDINGS SAID.

THE MARYLAND SENATOR WENT ON TO SAY THAT THE COMMITTEE'S INVESTIGATORS ARE WORKING ON THE AMERASIA CASE NOW AND THE INQUIRY MAY BE COMPLETED IN ABOUT THREE WEEKS.

3. VICE PRESIDENT BARKLEY DIRECTED THAT THE SENATE EXECUTIVE EXPENDITURES COMMITTEE CONSIDER AN INQUIRY INTO CHARGES THAT HUNDREDS OF SEXUAL PERVERTS ARE HOLDING GOVERNMENT JOBS. MCCARTHY HAS CHARGED THERE ARE PERVERTS AS WELL AS COMMUNISTS IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT. THE DEPARTMENT HAS DENIED IT.

PERVERTS OF BOTH SEXES ARE REGARDED AS POOR SECURITY RISKS BECAUSE THEY ARE POTENTIAL TARGETS FOR BLACKMAIL. SENATOR WHERRY (R-NEB) SAID IMPOUNDED RECORDS OF THE WASHINGTON POLICE DEPARTMENT, LISTING ABOUT 3,750 HOMOSEXUALS IN FEDERAL JOBS IN THE NATION'S CAPITAL, WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR STUDY.

THE COMMITTEE IS EXPECTED TO ASSIGN THE INVESTIGATION TO A SUB-COMMITTEE HEADED BY SENATOR HOEY (D-NC). SENATOR MCCARTHY IS A MEMBER OF THE SUBCOMMITTEE, BUT HE TOLD NEWSMEN THAT IN VIEW OF HIS CHARGES HE WOULD NOT TAKE PART IN THE INQUIRY.

4. WITH SUPPORT FROM SENATOR TAFT (R-OHIO), SENATOR HUMPHREY (D-MINN) ANNOUNCED IN THE SENATE HE INTENDS TO INTRODUCE A RESOLUTION FOR CREATION OF A COMMISSION ON NATIONAL SECURITY.

HUMPHREY SAID THE COMMISSION WOULD INVESTIGATE "THE MENACE OF THE FIFTH COLUMN" AND OTHER MAJOR ASPECTS OF NATIONAL SECURITY.

TAFT CALLED IT "A GOOD IDEA."

HUMPHREY READ FROM A WASHINGTON POST EDITORIAL PROPOSING SUCH A COMMISSION TO REPORT TO THE PEOPLE ON THE NATION'S SECURITY SITUATION.

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COMMUNISTS-PERVERTS

BY MARVIN L.ARROWSMITH

WASHINGTON, MAY 22-(AP)-SENATOR WHERRY (R-NEB) SAID TODAY THAT IMPOUNDED RECORDS OF THE WASHINGTON POLICE DEPARTMENT WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR A SENATE INQUIRY INTO FEDERAL EMPLOYMENT OF SEXUAL PERVERTS.

WHERRY AND SENATOR HILL (D-ALA) CONDUCTED A PRELIMINARY INVESTIGATION WHICH PROMPTED A SENATE APPROPRIATIONS SUB-COMMITTEE TO VOTE LAST WEEK FOR A FULL-SCALE STUDY OF THE SITUATION. THEY QUOTED POLICE OFFICIALS AS ESTIMATING THERE ARE ABOUT 3,750 HOMOSEXUALS IN GOVERNMENT JOBS IN THE NATION'S CAPITAL.

SUCH PERVERTS ARE REGARDED AS DANGEROUS SECURITY RISKS BECAUSE THEY GENERALLY ARE EASY PREY FOR BLACKMAILERS. BOTH HILL AND WHERRY HAVE STRESSED THAT COMMUNISTS IN THE ROLE OF BLACKMAILERS COULD DO REAL DAMAGE TO THE NATION.

"WE HAVE A LOT OF MATERIAL WHICH DID NOT GO INTO OUR REPORT TO THE SUBCOMMITTEE," WHERRY TOLD A REPORTER. "WE IMPOUNDED ALL THE POLICE DEPARTMENT RECORDS ON THE MATTER, AND ALL OF THOSE WILL BE HANDED OVER TO THE COMMITTEE WHICH CONTINUES THE INVESTIGATION."

VICE PRESIDENT BARKLEY IS EXPECTED TO ANNOUNCE SOON WHICH SENATE COMMITTEE WILL GET THE INVESTIGATION RESOLUTION INTRODUCED BY HILL ON BEHALF OF ALL THE MEMBERS OF THE APPROPRIATIONS UNIT.

HILL HAS RECOMMENDED THAT THE INQUIRY BE CONDUCTED BY THE SENATE EXPENDITURES COMMITTEE, WHICH HAS A SPECIAL INVESTIGATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE HEADED BY SENATOR HOEY (D-NC).

HOEY SAID THAT IF HIS GROUP GOT THE ASSIGNMENT THERE PROBABLY WOULD BE NO PUBLIC HEARINGS, BUT A QUIET INVESTIGATION BEHIND CLOSED DOORS.

THE RANKING REPUBLICAN ON THE HOEY SUBCOMMITTEE IS SENATOR MCCARTHY OF WISCONSIN, WHOSE CHARGES OF COMMUNISM AND HOMOSEXUALITY IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT TOUCHED OFF A SEPARATE SENATE INVESTIGATION BEING CONDUCTED BY A FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE.

WHERRY SAID HE WOULD PREFER HAVING THE INQUIRY ASSIGNED TO THE SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE "BECAUSE THE LAWS AND PENALTIES TO PREVENT HOMOSEXUALS FROM GETTING INTO THE GOVERNMENT NEED TO BE TIGHTENED."

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HE SAID, HOWEVER, THAT HE WOULD NOT OBJECT IF BARKLEY NAMED THE EXPENDITURES GROUP.

THE MC CARTHY-INSPIRED INVESTIGATION INTO COMMUNISM PRODUCED THREE WEEK-END DEVELOPMENTS.

IN ONE, A FORMER AGENT FOR THE OFFICE OF STRATEGIC SERVICES SAID THAT THERE WAS A PERSON INVOLVED IN THE AMERASIA MAGAZINE CASE "OF GREATER FAME" THAN ANYONE PREVIOUSLY MENTIONED. THE EX-AGENT, FRANK BIELASKI, SPOKE ON A RADIO PROGRAM OF THE 1945 CASE INVOLVING THE REMOVAL OF SECRET STATE DEPARTMENT DOCUMENTS. SIX PEOPLE WERE ARRESTED IN THE CASE; ULTIMATELY TWO OF THEM PAID FINES.

"THERE IS ONE INDIVIDUAL INVOLVED IN THIS CASE RIGHT UP TO HIS EARS, AND HIS NAME HAS NEVER BEEN MENTIONED," "BIELASKI SAID. "HE IS A PERSON, I THINK, OF GREATER FAME, SHALL I SAY, NATIONALLY AND INTERNATIONALLY, THAN ANYONE WHO HAS BEEN MENTIONED IN THIS CASE."

IN A SECOND DEVELOPMENT, A GROUP OF JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY PROFESSORS CALLED ON THE SENATE INVESTIGATING SUBCOMMITTEE TO "MAKE A DEFINIT PRONOUNCEMENT X X X ON THE TRUTH OR FALSITY" OF CHARGES MC CARTHY BROUGHT AGAINST OWEN LATTIMORE.

LATTIMORE IS A JOHNS HOPKINS PROFESSOR AND SOMETIME STATE DEPARTMENT CONSULTANT WHO HAS BEEN DESCRIBED BY MC CARTHY AS A TOP COMMUNIST AGENT LATTIMORE HIMSELF HAS DENOUNCED THE CHARGE AS THE UNFOUNDED ASSERTION A "CONTEMPTIBLE LIAR."

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IN A THIRD DEVELOPMENT, THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID MC CARTHY HAD DELIBERATELY MISQUOTED A CONGRESSIONAL REPORT IN ORDER TO IMPLY THAT LOYALTY FILES WERE WIDE OPEN TO ANYONE IN THE DEPARTMENT.

IT SAID IN A STATEMENT THAT MC CARTHY HAD QUOTED A HOUSE REPORT AS SAYING THAT "ALMOST ANYONE AND EVERYONE IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAD ACCESS TO THE FILES."

WHAT THE REPORT ACTUALLY SAID, THE DEPARTMENT REPORTED, WAS THAT MOST EVERYONE AND ANYONE IN THE DEPARTMENT'S DIVISION OF SECURITY HAD ACCESS. IT POINTED OUT THAT THIS DIVISION WAS ENTITLED TO AND NEEDED ACCESS.

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(470) NIGHT LEAD SOYBEANS

WASHINGTON,MAY 22-(AP)-REP.CRAWFORD (R-MICH) SAID TODAY IT APPEARED THAT A NEW YORK FIRM MADE A $2,700,000 BROKERAGE PROFIT ON A DEAL IN WHICH AMERICAN COTTON WAS SWAPPED FOR MANCHURIAN SOYBEANS.

HE CRITICIZED THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE FOR ARRANGING THE TRADE AT A TIME WHEN, CRAWFORD SAID, IT HAD $2,800,000 WORTH OF SURPLUS SOYBEANS ON HAND.

A DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN DEFENDED THE DEAL, BEING FINANCED BY THE ARMY, AND SAID THAT CRAWFORD'S ESTIMATE OF THE BROKERAGE FEE WAS EXAGGERATED. THIS OFFICIAL SAID HE DID NOT KNOW WHAT THE FEE WOULD BE.

CRAWFORD, IN A STATEMENT inserted FOR THE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD AND A BRIEF ELABORATING SPEECH, SAID HE WILL PROPOSE A FORMAL CONGRESSIONAL INVESTIGATION INTO THE TRANSACTION, WHICH HE BRANDED A "FOUL-SMELLING MESS."

THE TRANSACTION WAS ANNOUNCED EARLY THIS MONTH BY THE COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION, AN ARM OF THE AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT. THE CCC SAID IT WAS TRADING 45,000 BALES OF COTTON FOR 60,000 TONS OF MANCHURIAN SOYBEANS THROUGH THE WORLD COMMERCE CORP. OF NEW YORK.

THE SOYBEANS WILL BE USED BY OCCUPATION FORCES IN JAPAN. THE ARMY WILL PAY THE CCC FOR THE COTTON, WHICH WAS ACQUIRED THROUGH PRICE SUPPORT OPERATIONS.

CRAWFORD ASSERTED THAT THE OFFICERS AND FINANCIAL BACKERS OF THE WORLD COMMERCE CORPORATION "HAVE BEEN FOR THE MOST PART--AND STILL ARE--CLOSELY AND INTIMATELY CONNECTED WITH THE ADMINISTRATION AND ITS POLICY MAKERS."

IN NEW YORK, THE CORPORATION DECLINED COMMENT.

CRAWFORD SAID FRANK T.RYAN WAS PRESIDENT OF THE WORLD COMMERCE CORP. HE DID NOT IDENTIFY RYAN FURTHER. CRAWFORD ADDED THAT AMONG THOSE FINANCIALLY INTERESTED IN THE FIRM WERE FLOYD ODLUM'S ATLAS CORP.; THE MELLON INTERESTS OF PITTSBURGH,PA.; AND THE TRANSAMERICA CORP.

THE LATE EDWARD R.STETTINIUS, FORMER SECRETARY OF STATE, WAS CONNECTED WITH THE WORLD COMMERCE CORP. AND HIS BROTHER, HOWARD, IS A DIRECTOR, CRAWFORD SAID.

OTHER DIRECTORS, HE SAID, ARE MAJ.GEN.WILLIAM J.DONOVAN, WARTIME CHIEF OF THE OFFICE OF STRATEGIC SERVICES; JOSEPH J.GREW, FORMER AMBASSADOR TO JAPAN; AND REPRESENTATIVES OF THE FINANCIALLY INTERESTED CORPORATIONS.

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THE AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN SAID CRAWFORD APPARENTLY HAD NOT COMPUTED THE COST TO THE EXPORTING FIRM OF SHIPPING THE COTTON TO MANCHURIA.

WHILE ACKNOWLEDGING THAT THE FIRM WILL MAKE A PROFIT, THIS OFFICIAL SAID: "IF THE DEPARTMENT HAD MADE THE TRANSACTION ITSELF, IT UNDOUBTEDLY WOULD HAVE BEEN CRITICIZED FOR ENGAGING IN STATE TRADING IN COMPETITION WITH PRIVATE ENTERPRISE."

CRAWFORD SAID THE 45,000 BALES OF COTTON HAD A CASH VALUE OF ABOUT $7,300,000 ON MAY 11, WHEN THE TRANSACTION WAS ANNOUNCED. HE SAID HE UNDERSTOOD THAT THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS AGREED TO ACCEPT $20 A TON LESS THAN THE U.S. DOMESTIC PRICE FOR THE SOYBEANS.

"THIS WOULD THEN FIX THE VALUE OF THE SOYBEANS AT $4,600,000, AND PROVIDE A PROFIT OF OVER $2,700,000 FOR THE BROKERS," HE DECLARED.

CRAWFORD SAID THE CCC DID NOT SIGN THE CONTRACT DIRECTLY WITH THE CHINESE.

"THEY DID KNOW AND ADMITTED THEY KNEW WHERE THE SOYBEANS CAME FROM AND WHERE THE COTTON WAS GOING," HE CONTINUED. "WHY DO WE OFFICIALLY, AS A GOVERNMENT, DEAL WITH THE COMMUNISTS?"

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SOYBEANS

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, MAY 22-(AP)-REP.CRAWFORD (R-MICH) ACCUSED THE AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT TODAY OF SWAPPING $7,600,000 WORTH OF COTTON FOR $4,600,000 WORTH OF COMMUNIST-GROWN SOYBEANS WHEN IT ALREADY HAD $2,800,000 IN SURPLUS SOYBEANS ON HAND.

HE SAID THIS "FANTASTIC DEAL" NETTED A FIRM OF NEW YORKSBROKERS AN ESTIMATED PROFIT OF "OVER $2,700,000," AND ADDED IN A STATEMENT:

"IN THE NEAR FUTURE I HOPE TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS NOT ONLY AS TO A FORMAL INVESTIGATION BUT AS TO THE ACTION NECESSARY TO CORRECT THIS FOUL-SMELLING MESS."

CRAWFORD IDENTIFIED THE NEW YORK FIRM AS THE WORLD COMMERCE CORP., AND SAID ITS "OFFICERS AND FINANCIAL BACKERS HAVE BEEN FOR THE MOST PART--AND STILL ARE--CLOSELY AND INTIMATELY ASSOCIATED WITH THE

ADMINISTRATION AND ITS POLICY MAKERS."

THE MICHIGAN LAWMAKER SAID THAT UNDER TERMS OF THE DEAL, THE AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT'S COMMODITY CREDIT CORP. ARRANGED TO TRADE 45,000 BALES OF COTTON TO THE BROKERS FOR 60,000 TONS OF MANCHURIAN SOYBEANS NEEDED BY THE U.S. ARMED FORCES IN JAPAN.

"THE 45,000 BALES OF COTTON WERE VALUED ON THE NEW ORLEANS CASH MARKET ON MAY 11 AT $7,301,250," CRAWFORD SAID. "THE ACTUAL COST TO THE COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION IS BELIEVED TO BE IN EXCESS OF $7,603,000, WHICH DOES NOT INCLUDE STORAGE OR HANDLING COSTS."

HE SAID THE MARKET VALUE OF THE SOYBEANS ON MAY 11 WOULD HAVE BEEN $5,800,000, BUT ADDED THAT THE COMMUNISTS WERE REPORTED TO BE GETTING ABOUT $4,600,000 FOR THEM. THAT, HE SAID, "WOULD PROVIDE A PROFIT OF OVER $2,700,000 FOR THE BROKERS."

CRAWFORD SAID THE DEPARTMENT DECIDED NOT TO BUY SOYBEANS ON THE U.S. MARKET BECAUSE THE PRICE WAS TOO HIGH.

HE QUOTED GOVERNMENT REPORTS AS SAYING THAT U.S. STOCKS OF SOYBEANS WERE 119,663,000 BUSHELS ON APRIL 1, COMPARED WITH 115,052,000 BUSHELS LAST YEAR AND 88,462,000 THE YEAR BEFORE. FURTHERMORE, HE ADDED, A RECORD CROP IS IN PROSPECT FOR NEXT YEAR.

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(120) CHINA

WASHINGTON, MAY 22-(AP)-THE WESTERN POWERS HAVE DECIDED AGAINST OPENING THE WAY NOW FOR ADMISSION OF COMMUNIST CHINA TO THE UNITED NATIONS.

RESPONSIBLE OFFICIALS SAID TODAY THIS DECISION WAS REACHED AT LONDON BY THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS.

THE NET EFFECT IS EXPECTED TO BE INDEFINITE CONTINUATION OF SOVIET BLOC'S BOYCOTT OF SESSIONS OF UN AGENCIES AT WHICH NATIONALIST CHINA IS REPRESENTED.

THE LONDON MEETING LEFT THE AMERICAN OFFICIAL POSITION ON THE ISSUE UNCHANGED. AS STATED BY SECRETARY ACHESON, THIS IS THAT THE UNITED STATES WILL NOT VOTE TO ADMIT COMMUNIST CHINA REPRESENTATIVES BUT WILL ACCEPT THE DECISION OF THE MAJORITY.

ACHESON SAID IN MARCH THAT THE UNITED STATES CONTINUES TO RECOGNIZE THE NATIONALIST REGIME AS CHINA'S U.N. SPOKESMAN.

THE FOREIGN MINISTERS DECIDED AGAINST ANY CHANGE IN THEIR ATTITUDE AFTER HAVING CONFERRED WITH SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE, WHO WAS ON HIS WAY TO MOSCOW. DIPLOMATIC REPORTS ARE THAT LIE SOUGHT TO INFLUENCE FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER SCHUMAN TO SWITCH FRANCE'S BACKING IN AN EFFORT TO BREAK THE DEADLOCK.

OFFICIALS FAMILIAR WITH THE BIG THREE DISCUSSIONS DECLINED TO SPECULATE ON THE CONSIDERATIONS WHICH RESULTED IN THEIR DECISION.

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GREECE

WASHINGTON, MAY 22-(AP)-THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID TODAY GREECE "HAS TURNED THE CORNER" TO ECONOMIC RECOVERY EVEN THOUGH "THE SHADOW OF COMMUNISM STILL HANGS OVER THAT COUNTRY."

IT THUS SUMMED UP THE SITUATION IN GREECE IN A STATEMENT MARKING THE THIRD ANNIVERSARY OF THE AMERICAN AID PROGRAM WHICH HELPED SAVE GREECE FROM COMMUNISM.

THE DEPARTMENT SAID THE COMMUNIST GUERRILLAS WHO AT ONE TIME NUMBERED 20,000 NOW HAVE "VANISHED" AND THEIR LEADERS HAVE ACKNOWLEDGED COMPLETE DEFEAT.

"IN 1947, IT WAS POSSIBLE TO VENTURE OUT OF THE GREEK CITIES ONLY IN ARMED CONVOY AND OVER RUTTED, ALMOST IMPASSABLE ROADS. TODAY TRAVEL ANYWHERE IN GREECE IS SECURE," IT SAID.

IT ALSO SAID THE DEFENSE AND NATIONAL ECONOMY OF GREECE HAS BEEN "SUBSTANTIALLY STRENGTHENED" BUT ADDED:

"MUCH REMAINS TO BE DONE IN GREECE IN THE WAY OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND THE SHADOW OF COMMUNISM STILL HANGS OVER THAT COUNTRY.

"NEVERTHELESS, THE FACT REMAINS THAT GREECE, WHICH WAS FACING IMMINENT DISASTER IN 1947, HAS TURNED THE CORNER TO REHABILITATION AND RECOVERY."

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD ADLER-DRAPER (260)

BY GEORGE MILLER

(NY) HARTFORD, CONN., MAY 22-(AP)-MRS. HESTER MCCULLOUGH TESTIFIED TODAY THAT SHE STILL BELIEVES ENTERTAINERS PAUL DRAPER AND LARRY ADLER ARE TRAITORS, BUT NOT COMMUNISTS.

ON THE STAND TO DEFEND HERSELF AGAINST A $200,000 LIVEL SUIT BROUGHT BY THE ENTERTAINERS, THE GREENWICH CONN., HOUSEWIFE WAS ASKED IN CROSS-EXAMINATION:

"DO YOU STILL THINK THAT MR. DRAPER AND ADLER ARE TRAITORS?"

SHE REPLIED: "I WOULD SAY SO--YES."

FREDERICK H.WIGGIN, THE ENTERTAINERS' COUNSEL, THEN ASKED HER: "DO YOU NOW THINK THEY ARE MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY?"

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A. "NO, SIR."

Q. "DO YOU THINK THEY ARE COMMUNISTS?"

A. "I NEVER DID THINK THEY WERE COMMUNISTS. I HAVE ALWAYS SAID THEY WERE PRO-COMMUNISTS."

WIGGIN RECALLED THAT MRS. MCCULLOUGH WAS QUOTED AS SAYING IN A SPEECH TO THE GREENWICH KIAWANIS CLUB ON DEC. 30, 1948, THAT "ANYONE INTERESTED IN COMMUNISM IS INTERESTED IN OVERTHROWING OUR GOVERNMENT, AND SHOULD BE TREATED AS TRAITORS."

HE ASKED HER IF SHE STILL FELT THIS WAY.

"YES," SHE ANSWERED, "I STILL DO."

WIGGIN THEN REFERRED TO A CALIFORNIA LEGISLATIVE REPORT ON COMMUNISM--A REPORT MRS. MCCULLOUGH HAS CITED AS ONE BASIS OF HER CHARGES OF PRO-COMMUNISM AGAINST THE ENTERTAINERS.

WIGGIN QUOTED THE REPORT AS SAYING THAT "THE ACID TEST FOR BOTH COMMUNISTS AND FELLOW-TRAVELERS WAS OPPOSITION TO IMPERIALIST WAR DURING THE HITLER-STALIN PACT OF 1939-41."

HE RECALLED DRAPER'S TESTIMONY THAT HE TRIED TO ENLIST IN THE CANADIAN AND U.S. AIRFORCE AND NAVY BEFORE JUNE 21, 1941, AND ASKED MRS. MCCULLOUGH IF THIS WOULD NOT "BE INCONSISTENT WITH THE COMMUNIST LINE."

"IT'S HARD TO TELL," MRS. MCCULLOUGH SAID. "I WOULDN'T KNOW. I WOULDN'T CALL IT PARTICULARLY FOLLOWING THE LINE."

MRS. MCCULLOUGH SAID SHE FELT IT HER CIVIC DUTY TO PROTEST THE APPEARANCE OF DRAPER AND ADLER AT A GREENWICH CONCERT.

SHE TOLD A FEDERAL COURT JURY SHE CARRIED HER UNSUCCESSFUL OBJECTIONS TO THE TOP CITY OFFICIAL--FIRST SELECTMAN WILBUR PECK OF GREENWICH.

"I FELT IT WAS HIS (PECK'S) CIVIC DUTY AS WELL AS MINE TO LOOK INTO THE ORGANIZATIONS," THE 32-YEAR-OLD GREENWICH,CONN., HOUSEWIFE SAID. SHE REFERRED TO ALLEGED COMMUNIST FRONT ORGANIZATIONS WHICH SHE CLAIMED THE ENTERTAINERS SUPPORTED.

"YOU CAN'T SIT BACK LIKE A BUNCH OF CAPITALISTIC FAT CATS AND DO NOTHING WHEN THESE PEOPLE COME HERE FOR LARGE FEES," SHE TESTIFIED SHE TOLD PECK.

SHE SAID SHE WAS ACCOMPANIED ON HER VISIT TO PECK, WHO ALSO WAS AN OFFICIAL OF THE GREENWICH COMMUNITY CONCERT ASSOCIATION, SPONSOR OF THE CONCERT, BY HER HUSBAND, JOHN. HE IS ASSISTANT PICTURE EDITOR OF TIME MAGAZINE.

A LETTER OF PROTEST SHE WROTE FORMED THE BASIS OF THE $200,000 CIVIL LIBEL SUIT BROUGHT BY ADLER, HARMONICA PLAYER, AND DRAPER, DANCER, AGAINST MRS.MC CULLOUGH. THE ENTERTAINERS CHARGED SHE DAMAGED THEIR REPUTATIONS IN THE LETTER BY ACCUSING THEM OF BEING PRO-COMMUNIST.

LATER IN THE DAY SHE TESTIFIED THAT "IF A REAL AMERICAN WANTS TO STAND UP FOR HIS COUNTRY AND KEEP PEOPLE WHO ARE TRYING TO BETRAY IT OUT OF HIS TOWN HE GETS SUED. COMMUNISTS SEEM TO HAVE THE FREEDOM OF SPEECH IN THIS COUNTRY."

MRS. MCCULLOUGH TESTIFIED SHE WAS QUITE UPSET ABOUT PUBLICATION OF THE LETTER.

UNDER EXAMINATION BY DEFENSE COUNSEL, MACDONALD DEWITT, SHE TESTIFIED SHE HAD NOT INTENDED TO CAUSE PUBLICATION OF THE LETTER IN THE NEW YORK JOURNAL-AMERICAN DEC. 19, 1948, OR ITS SUBSEQUENT PUBLICATION TWO DAYS LATER IN GREENWICH TIME, ANOTHER NEWSPAPER.

DEWITT READ EXCERPTS FROM A CALIFORNIA LEGISLATIVE REPORT ON COMMUNISM IN QUESTIONING MRS.MCCULLOUGH. THE BULKY 1948 DOCUMENT DEALT WITH ORGANIZATIONS WHICH SHE HAD SAID IN HER LETTER THE ENTERTAINERS SUPPORTED.

FEDERAL JUDGE J.JOSEPH SMITH HAD RULED PORTIONS OF THE REPORT MIGHT BE READ, BUT HE RULED AGAINST ADMISSION OF THE ENTIRE REPORT AS EVIDENCE.

MRS.MCCULLOUGH TESTIFIED SHE "CERTAINLY DID" BELIEVE PASSAGES IN THE REPORT RELATING TO THE JOINT ANTI-FASCIST REFUGEE COMMITTEE. ALSO SHE SAID SHE RELIED ON THESE PASSAGES IN COMPOSING HER LETTER.

THE CALIFORNIA REPORT SAID THE COMMITTEE HAD "FURNISHED TRANSPORTATION AND SUPPORT FOR COMMUNIST AGENTS" AND ALSO STATED ITS POLICY "WAS IN CONCERT WITH THE SOVIET UNION."

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CHINA-KOO

(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 12:30 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, MONDAY, MAY 22)

(ADVANCE) (WX) DETROIT, MAY 22-(AP)-AMBASSADOR V.K.WELLINGTON KOO SAID TODAY NATIONALIST CHINA COULD MAINTAIN FORMOSA AS A BASTION AGAINST COMMUNISM WITH $10,000,000 A MONTH IN U.S. MILITARY AND ECONOMIC AID.

UNLESS THE CLOSE COOPERATION OF THE NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT IS ENLISTED, HE SAID, THE TASK OF SAVING ASIA FROM THE COMMUNISTS "WILL BE COSTLY, DIFFICULT AND UNCERTAIN OF RESULTS."

IT WOULD BE A MISTAKE. HE SAID IN A TALK PREPARED FOR THE ECONOMIC CLUB OF DETROIT, NOT TO INCLUDE NATIONALIST CHINA IN ANY PLANS FOR AN ALL-EMBRACING UNITED FRONT IN ASIA TO OFFSET COMMUNISM.

"HER SACRIFICES FOR THE CAUSE OF THE FREE WORLD HAVE BEEN GREAT AND HER BRAVE AND DETERMINED FIGHT AGAINST THE RECOGNIZED COMMON MENACE MERITS AID AND ASSISTANCE."

THE AMBASSADOR LIKENED THE PRESENT SITUATION CONFRONTING THE NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT TO THAT WHICH CONFRONTED FRANCE WHEN THE MAGINOT LINE COLLAPSED.

"THE GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF FREE CHINA, FINDING THEMSELVES IN THE SITUATION OF THE EUROPEAN DEMOCRACIES IN 1940, ARE NO LESS IMBUED WITH SUCH FIRM RESOLVE TO FIGHT ON AGAINST COMMUNIST AGGRESSION," HE CONTINUED.

"I HOPE THE STATESMEN OF THE WEST, WHO PERCEIVE THE GRAVITY OF THE SITUATION AND THE VITAL ISSUES AT STAKE FOR THE FREE WORLD, WILL NOT FEEL DISCOURAGED TO EXTEND A HELPING HAND IN THE COMMON INTEREST OF WORLD PEACE AND FREEDOM."

NATIONALIST CHINA, HE SAID, WANTS BOTH MILITARY AND ECONOMIC AID.

"BY MILITARY AID I DO NOT MEAN AMERICAN SOLDIERS, SAILORS AND AIRMEN TO HELP IN THE FIGHTING, BUT ONLY LIGHT ARMS AND AMMUNITION, REPLACEMENT PARTS AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE."

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PHOENIX, ARIZ., MAY 22-(AP)-MISS EMY YAMAMOTO, 25, JAPANESE--AMERICAN, TODAY WON THE FIRST ROUND IN HER FIGHT TO RETAIN HER AMERICAN CITIZENSHHIP.

SHE HAD BEEN NOTIFIED BY THE U. S. STATE DEPARTMENT THAT SHE HAD LOST HER CITIZENSHIP BY VOTING IN THE JAPANESE NATIONAL ELECTION CALLED BY GEN. DOUGLAS MACARTHUR IN 1946.

IN FEDERAL COURT HERE TODAY JUDGE DAVE W. LING RULED SHE HAD VOTED UNDER DURESS AND THEREFORE DID NOT LOSE HER AMERICAN CITIZENSHIP.

MISS YAMAMOTO TESTIFIED SHE HAD VOTED BECAUSE SHE WAS TOLD SHE WOULD LOSE HER FOOD RATION CARD IF SHE REFUSED.

MISS YAMAMOTO HAD GONE TO JAPAN IN JUNE OF 1941 TO VISIT RELATIVES IN OSAKA. FOR FIVE YEARS SHE WAS FORCED TO WORK IN THE KURI NAVAL BASE.

HER TWO BROTHERS SERVED IN THE U. S. ARMY DURING THE WAR AND HER FATHER WORKED IN A DEFENSE PLANT IN CHICAGO. THE FAMILY NOW LIVES IN CHICAGO.

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SAN FRANCISCO, MAY 22-(AP)-IN JAPAN---NEARLY FIVE YEARS AFTER THE WAR---"THERE ARE STILL VERY FEW PEOPLE WHO CAN THINK FOR THEMSELVES," A JAPANESE PUBLISHER SAID TODAY.

CHICAGO HONDA, WHOSE MAINICHI IS PRINTED IN FOUR CITIES WITH A COMBINED DAILY CIRCULATION OF 5,200,000 ARRIVED WITH FIVE JAPANESE

GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS FOR A 45-DAY TOUR OF THE UNITED STATES.
HONDA ADDED IN HIS INTERVIEW "IT WILL TAKE A LONG, LONG TIME FOR THE JAPANESE PEOPLE TO LEARN DEMOCRACY."
HE SAID 80 PER CENT OF THE JAPANESE PEOPLE ARE ANTI-COMMUNIST BUT "THEY HAVE BEEN USED TO THE DICTATORSHIP OF THE EXTREME RIGHT FOR SO LONG THAT THE EXTREME LEFT --- THE COMMUNIST PARTY --- IS GETTING A LOT OF RECRUITS."
ARRIVING WITH HONDA WERE IWATARO UCHIYAMA, GOVERNOR OF KANAGAWA PREFECTURE; SHIGEKAGA TASAKA, DEPUTY MAYOR OF OSAKA; NOBUZO MORI, MAYOR OF HANDA; MAKOTO UBUKATA, MAYOR OF NUMATA; AND TOORU NAKAGAWA, WHO REPRESENTS THE JAPANESE EQUIVALENT OF THE FBI.
THE GROUP WILL VISIT LOS ANGELES;, KANSAS CITY, DALLAS, ST. PAUL, MINNEAPOLIS, ST. LOUIS, CHICAGO, WASHINGTON, NEW YORK AND BOSTON.
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SAN FRANCISCO, MAY 22-(AP)-THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS OFFERED TIBET "REGIONAL AUTONOMY" TODAY IF THAT REMOTE MOUNTAIN COUNTRY WOULD JOIN THE RED REGIME PEACEFULLY.
TIBET FOR MANY YEARS HAS BEEN UNDER THE NOMINAL SUZERAINTY OF CHINA BUT HAS BEEN INDEPENDENT FOR ALL PRACTICAL PURPOSES. LAST JUNE IT KICKED OUT THE CHINESE NATIONALIST MISSION.
THE COMMUNISTS FOR MONTHS HAVE BEEN MAKING ALTERNATELY THREATENING AND CAJOLING GESTURES IN THAT DIRECTION.
TODAY'S OFFER WAS A COMBINATION OF THE TWO. IN THE FORM OF A BROADCAST BY THE OFFICIAL PEIPING RADIO, IT QUOTED A BROADCAST IT SAID WAS BEAMED TO TIBET FROM SINING BY HSIJAO CHIA-TSO, VICE-CHAIRMAN OF TSINGHAI PROVINCE. THE PEIPING BROADCAST WAS HEARD BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS IN SAN FRANCISCO.
HSIJAO SAID THAT IF THE TIBETANS AND THEIR RULER, THE DALAI LAMA, WOULD "ACHIEVE PEACEFUL LIBERATION," THEY COULD HAVE REGIONAL AUTONOMY, BUT WARNED THEM THAT TIBET WAS "CERTAIN TO BE LIBERATED" ANYHOW. HE CITED FEATS OF THE COMMUNIST ARMIES AND SAID THE TIBETANS COULD NOT COUNT ON "GEOGRAPHICAL DIFFICULTIES" OR AMERICAN OR BRITISH HELP.
THE TIBETANS WERE INVITED TO SEND A DELEGATION WITH FULL NEGOTIATING POWERS TO CONDUCT TALKS IN PEIPING "AS SOON AS POSSIBLE."
ACTUALLY, A TIBETAN DELEGATION ALREADY IS IN INDIA AND HAS SAID IT INTENDS TO GO TO HONG KONG IN JUNE TO TRY TO ESTABLISH CONTACT WITH THE REDS.
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NEW YORK, MAY 22-(AP)-A ROMAN CATHOLIC PRIEST SAID YESTERDAY THAT SEN.DENNIS CHAVEZ (D-N.M.) SPOKE OUT OF TURN IN "ATTACKING THE INTEGRITY OF THE CONVERSION" OF LOUIS BUDENZ, WHO BROKE WITH THE COMMUNISTS AND RETURNED TO THE CATHOLIC FAITH.
THE SENATOR, A CATHOLIC, WAS CRITICIZED BY THE REV.EDWARD LODGE CURRAN AT A COMMUNION BREAKFAST.
THE PRIEST DECLARED:
"SENATOR CHAVEZ, INSTEAD OF ATTACKING THE INTEGRITY AND HONESTY OF THE CONVERSION OF BUDENZ, SHOULD BE DOWN IN WASHINGTON WORKING TO REMOVE THE COMMUNISTS PUT IN POSITIONS OF TRUST IN OUR GOVERNMENT BY HIS (DEMOCRATIC) POLITICAL PARTY."
FATHER CURRAN SAID CHAVEZ "IS MORE INTERESTED IN HIS OWN POLITICAL PARTY THAN IN ROUTING THE REDS FROM WASHINGTON."
THE PRIEST'S CRITICISM AROSE FROM CHAVEZ' RECENT CHARGE THAT BUDENZ, FORMER MANAGING EDITOR OF THE COMMUNISTS' DAILY WORKER, USED THE CATHOLIC CHURCH AS "A CLOAK AND SHIELD" TO PROTECT HIMSELF IN GIVING "UN-AMERICAN, UNCHRISTIAN, DUBIOUS TESTIMONY."
BUDENZ, NOW ON THE FACULTY OF FORDHAM UNIVERSITY, HAS APPEARED AS A WITNESS SEVERAL TIMES IN INVESTIGATIONS OF COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES.
FATHER CURRAN DEFENDED SEN.JOSEPH MCCARTHY (R-WIS) IN CONNECTION WITH HIS CHARGES OF COMMUNIST INFILTRATION INTO THE STATE DEPARTMENT.
THE PRIEST, PASTOR OF ST.JOSEPH'S CHURCH IN BROOKLYN, SPOKE BEFORE 500 MEMBERS OF THE CATHOLIC GUILD OF WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY EMPLOYES AT THEIR ANNUAL COMMUNION BREAKFAST.
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NEW YORK, MAY 22-(AP)-MRS.FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT DREW A SPIRITED TRIBUTE LAST NIGHT FROM CLARE BOOTHE LUCE, THE FORMER CONNECTICUT REPUBLICAN CONGRESSWOMAN.
"MRS.ROOSEVELT HAS DONE MORE GOOD DEEDS ON A BIGGER SCALE, FOR A LONGER TIME, THAN ANY OTHER WOMAN WHO EVER APPEARED ON OUR PUBLIC SCENE," MRS.LUCE DECLARED.
"NO WOMAN HAS EVER SO COMFORTED THE DISTRESSED--OR DISTRESSED THE COMFORTABLE."
THE TWO WOMEN APPEARED AT A BANQUET WHERE MRS.ROOSEVELT RECEIVED A GOLD MEDAL FOR MERITORIOUS SERVICE TO THE UNDERPRIVILEGED. THE AWARD WAS FROM THE WILLIAMSBURG SETTLEMENT OF BROOKLYN.
REFERRING TO PUBLISHED ATTACKS ON MRS.ROOSEVELT, MRS.LUCE ADDED:
"THERE ARE SOME PEOPLE WHO STILL REFUSE TO ADMIRE MRS.ROOSEVELT FOR ANY REASON WHATSOEVER. THESE ARE, FOR THE MOST PART, UNHAPPY FOLK WHO HAVE NO HIGHER CONCEPT OF LIBERTY THAN THE RIGHT IT GIVES THEM TO HEAP PERSONAL INSULTS ON PUBLIC CHARACTERS WITH IMPUNITY."
IN HER ADDRESS ACCEPTING THE AWARD, MRS.ROOSEVELT TOLD OF THE WORK OF THE UNITED NATIONS COMMITTEE ON HUMAN RIGHTS, OF WHICH SHE IS A MEMBER, AND CALLED FOR SENATE RATIFICATION OF THE U.N. COVENANT ON HUMAN RIGHTS.
"IF THE UNITED STATES DOES NOT RATIFY THE COVENANT," SHE ASKED, "WHO WILL?"
SHE SAID ITS APPROVAL BY THE SENATE WOULD BE "THE FIRST STEP OF ENCOURAGEME..." IN THE STRUGGLE BETWEEN COMMUNISM AND DEMOCRACY.
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NEW YO... MAY 22-(AP)-LAMBERTUS N. PALAR, CHIEF INDONESIAN DELEGATE TO THE UNITED NATIONS, SAID TODAY THE PEOPLE OF INDONESIA AND SOUTHEAST ASIA "FEEL THAT THE UNITED NATIONS SHOULD RECOGNIZE COMMUNIST CHINA."
ARRIVING BY PLANE FROM AMSTERDAM, PALAR TOLD REPORTERS RUSSIAN WALKOUTS FROM U.N. SESSIONS HAD PARALYZED THE U.N. AND SAID "THIS SITUATION CANNOT GO ON."
HE SAID INDONESIANS AND SOUTHEAST ASIANS FEEL COMMUNIST CHINA

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SHOULD BE RECOGNIZED TO "OVERCOME THIS PROBLEM" AND BECAUSE OF THEIR BELIEF THAT MAO TZE-TUNG, HEAD OF THE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT, IS "THE REAL RULER OF CHINA."

PALAR CONCEDED SUCH RECOGNITION BY THE UNITED NATIONS WOULD BE CONSIDERED A MORAL VICTORY FOR THE COMMUNISTS "FOR THE TIME BEING."

HE ADDED SOUTHEAST ASIANS BELIEVE THAT ONLY THE LEADERS OF CHINA ARE COMMUNISTS AND THAT WHEN THE CHINESE PEOPLE "BECOME BETTER INFORMED" AND THE ECONOMIC SITUATION IMPROVES "THE NONCOMMUNISTS WILL BE IN THE MAJORITY IN CHINA."

PALAR SAID HE HAD BEEN IN INDONESIA FOR ABOUT TWO MONTHS PREPARING FOR DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH RUSSIA. HE ALSO SPENT EIGHT DAYS IN MOSCOW CONFERRING WITH SOVIET OFFICIALS.

HE SAID BOTH COUNTRIES AGREED IN PRINCIPLE ON DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS BUT THAT THERE ARE STILL SOME TECHNICAL MATTERS TO BE WORKED OUT.

HE RETURNED TO RESUME HIS U.N. POST AT LAKE SUCCESS.

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NEW YORK, MAY 22-(AP)-THE TIMES TODAY CRITICIZED THE ABANDONMENT OF INDONESIA'S FEDERAL FORM OF GOVERNMENT AS A DEVELOPMENT SOME PERSONS WILL REGARD AS "AN ACT OF BAD FAITH," AND MANY WILL CONSIDER "ARBITRARY."

PROCLAMATION OF A UNITARY STATE, SAID AN EDITORIAL, IS LIKELY TO AUGMENT RATHER THAN DIMINISH DISORDERS NOW PROGRESSING IN THE NEW COUNTRY.

IT WAS BECAUSE OF THE PLURAL CHARACTER OF THE ARCHIPELAGO AND "THE WIDE DIFFERENCES, ETHNICALLY, POLITICALLY AND CULTURALLY, AMONG ITS MANY GROUPS" THAT THE FEDERAL EXPERIMENT WAS PROPOSED IN ESTABLISHING INDONESIAN INDEPENDENCE, SAID THE TIMES.

THE IMMEDIATE RESULT OF FEDERAL ABDNONMENT FIRST WILL "CONVINCE MANY PERSONS THE INDONESIANS WERE SOMETHING LESS THAN STRAIGHTFORWARD WHEN THEY ACCEPTED THE FEDERAL PLAN WITH APPARENTLY NO INTENTION OF CARRYING IT OUT." FURTHER, THE PRESENT MOVE "WILL CREATE A NUMBER OF DISSIDENT MINORITY GROUPS WHO WILL NOT BE SATISFIED TO BE RULED BY A REGIME THAT IS ESSENTIALLY JAVENESE."

THESE EVENTS "WILL NOT BREED CONFIDENCE" IN THE INDONESIANS FUTURE AGREEMENTS AT A TIME WHEN THEY NEED TO INSPIRE IT, THE PAPER SAID. "INDONESIA NEEDS HELP AND IS ASKING FOR IT, BUT IS NOT TAKING A COURSE OF ACTION THAT WILL MAKE THE EXTENSION OF HELP ANY EASIER."

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NEW YORK, MAY 22-(AP)-YUKIO OZAKI, 91-YEAR-OLD MEMBER OF THE JAPANESE DIET, MAY BE THE GREATEST BENEFICIARY FROM HIS OWN PRESS CONFERENCE HERE LAST WEEK.

AIDED BY A HEARING DEVICE HE BROUGHT FROM JAPAN THE VETERAN LEGISLATOR AND FORMER MAYOR OF TOKYO HAD A LITTLE TROUBLE HEARING NEWSMENS' QUESTIONS.

SO TODAY HE WAS MEASURED FOR A NEW HEARING AID. SOME OF HIS FRIENDS COMMENTED AFTER THE PRESS CONFERENCE MAY 19 THAT HE SHOULD HAVE A NEW HEARING DEVICE.

THE WORD GOT TO THE HEARING FOUNDATION CORPORATION, A PHILANTHROPIC ORGANIZATION, WHICH MADE ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE FITTING AND WILL PRESENT THE DEVICE WEDNESDAY.

A CAST OF OZAKI'S FAULTY EAR WAS MADE TO FIT THE SPECIAL DEVICE.

U OZAKI, WHO BECAME BEST KNOWN TO AMERICANS FOR HIS PRESENTATION OF THE CHERRY TREES TO WASHINGTON, D.C., SPENT SUNDAY AS A GUEST OF DEWITT WALLACE, EDITOR OF READERS DIGEST, AT PLEASANTVILLE, N.Y., DISCUSSING OZAKI'S PLANS FOR SIMPLIFYING THE JAPANESE LANGUAGE.

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NEW YORK, MAY 22-(AP)-AN ATTORNEY FOR JOHN DAVID PROVOO, WHO IS ACCUSED OF WARTIME TREASON, TODAY WITHDREW A REQUEST TO TAKE DEPOSITIONS FROM 83 WITNESSES IN TOKYO, HONG KONG AND AUSTRALIA.

ATTORNEY PETER L.F. SABBATINO SAID HE WOULD PRESENT A SIMILAR BUT BRIEFER MOTION IN THE NEAR FUTURE.

U.S. ATTORNEY IRVING H. SAYPOL SAID THE PETITION WAS WITHDRAWN AT HIS SUGGESTION BECAUSE THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT COFFERS ARE TOO "THREADBARE" TO BEAR THE COST OF TAKING THAT NUMBER OF DEPOSITIONS.

FEDERAL JUDGE HENRY W. GODDARD TOLD SABBATINO THAT EVEN IF THE REQUEST HAD NOT BEEN WITHDRAWN "I WOULD HAVE SCRUTINIZED THE LIST OF PROSPECTIVE WITNESSES VERY CAREFULLY."

HE SAID HE WOULD NOT "ORDER THAT THE TAXPAYERS' MONEY BE SPENT ON THE MERE POSSIBILITY OF GETTING EVIDENCE."

PROVOO, A FORMER AMERICAN ARMY SERGEANT, IS ACCUSED OF AIDING THE JAPANESE AFTER THEY CAPTURED HIM ON CORREGIDOR IN 1942.

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LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 22-(AP)-RUSSIA WALKED OUT OF THE UNITED NATIONS POPULATION COMMISSION TODAY IN THE DISPUTE OVER CHINA'S REPRESENTATION. THE RUSSIANS ARE NOW BOYCOTTING 28 U.N. BODIES.

THE SOVIET UKRAINE, ALSO A MEMBER OF THE 12-NATION COMMISSION, ANNOUNCED BY MESSAGE IT WOULD NOT ATTEND MEETINGS SO LONG AS A NATIONALIST CHINESE IS A MEMBER OF THE COMMISSION.

PAVEL CHERNYSHEV, RUSSIA, MOVED FOR EXCLUSION OF THE CHINESE NATIONALIST, FRANKLIN HO. CHAIRMAN ALBERTO ARCA PARRO, PERU, RULED THE MOVE WAS OUT OF ORDER BECAUSE THE COMMISSION HAS NO POWER TO EXPEL MEMBERS.

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WITH LAKE SUCCESS

FLORENCE, ITALY, MAY 22-(AP)-CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND HUNGARY TODAY WALKED OUT OF THE FIFTH GENERAL CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED NATIONS EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL (UNESCO) IN PROTEST AGAINST THE SEATING OF THE DELEGATION FROM NATIONALIST CHINA.

POLAND, THE THIRD SATELLITE NATION OF EASTERN EUROPE WHICH BELONGS TO THE 56-NATION AGENCY, WAS NOT REPRESENTED AT THE OPENING DAY SESSIONS.

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LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 22-(AP)-U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE'S VISIT TO MOSCOW EARLIER THIS MONTH WAS REPORTED TONIGHT TO HAVE BEEN "VERY PROFITABLE."

THE REPORT WASUCONTAINED IN A MESSAGE TO U.N. HEADQUARTERS HERE FROM THE U.N. INFORMATION OFFICE IN PARIS. REFERRING TO A TRIP FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN MADE TO NANTES YESTERDAY FOR A POLITICAL RALLY, THE MESSAGE QUOTED SCHUMAN AS HAVING TOLD NEWSMEN ABOARD THE TRAIN:

"MR. TRYGVE LIE'S TRIP TO MOSCOW HAS BEEN VERY PROFITABLE. I HAD X X X IN MY OFFICE A MAN (LIE) WHO HAD AT LAST AGAIN BECOME AN OPTIMIST. THIS IS AN IMPRESSION WHICH IS COMFORTING. X X X

"ONE MUST NOT REJOICE TOO EASILY, BUT AT THIS TIME I HAVE THE PLEASURE OF NOTING AN UNHOPED FOR LESSENING OF TENSION. THREE WEEKS AGO, ONLY, WE FOUND OURSELVES AT A DEAD END, THE SPECTER OF WAR DOMINATED THE WORLD, THE SITUATION WAS DISAPPOINTING. WELL, WE HAVE SCORED SOME POINTS. I HOPE WE SHALL SCORE MORE."

IN THE COURSE OF A "SAVE-THE-U.N." MISSION, LIE HAS BEEN CONFERRING WITH TOP OFFICIALS OF THE MAJOR POWERS INCLUDING PRESIDENT TRUMAN. IN MOSCOW HE TALKED WITH PRIME MINISTER STALIN AND OTHER SOVIET LEADERS. HE CALLED ON SCHUMAN ON HIS RETURN TO PARIS FROM THE SOVIET CAPITAL. LIE EXPECTS TO ARRIVE IN NEW YORK THURSDAY AND WANTS TO CONFER AGAIN WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN NEXT WEEK.

LIE HAS BEEN RETICENT THUS FAR IN HIS PUBLIC COMMENTS ON WHAT PROGRESS, IF ANY, HE HAS MADE IN EASING EAST-WEST TENSIONS.

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TOKYO, MAY 17-(AP)-AMERICAN, BRITISH AND JAPANESE COTTON MAKERS TODAY CONCLUDED A SERIES OF MEETINGS IN OSAKA AT WHICH THE NIPPONESE AGREED THEY SHOULD ASK MORE FOR THEIR PRODUCTS, AND PLUMPED FOR MORE SPINDLES ON WHICH TO PRODUCE MORE CLOTH.

THE AMERICANS AND BRITISH ARE DUE HERE TOMORROW FOR FURTHER VISITS WITH OCCUPATION OFFICIALS BEFORE DEPARTING FRIDAY. x5

IN OSAKA, SIR RAYMOND STREAT, HEAD OF THE BRITISH DELEGATION, SAID THE THREE NATIONS HAD TAKEN "THE FIRST STEPS ALONG THE ROAD" AWAY FROM DIFFICULTIES POSED IN WORLD MARKETS 20 YEARS AGO BY "DISLOCATION AND JAPANESE COMPETITION."

HE DENIED, HOWEVER, THE AMERICANS AND BRITISH HAD COME HERE "TO PROPOSE AGREEMENT ON DIVISION OF MARKETS OR PRICES OR ANY SUCH THINGS."

ONE COMMITTEE OF AMERICAN, BRITISH AND JAPANESE COTTON MEN REPORTED "THE SALE OF FOREIGN MARKETS OF COTTON GOODS AT UNNECESSARILY LOW PRICES SERIOUSLY DIMINISHED THE RETURN WHICH SUCH EXPORTS COULD AND SHOULD MAKE TO THE NATIONAL ECONOMY OF JAPAN."

THE COMMITTEE NOTED "IT WAS RECOGNIZED THE PRESENT METHOD OF SELLING JAPANESE GOODS WOULD HAVE TO BE IMPROVED" AND ADDED "THE JAPANESE MEMBERS OF THE SUBCOMMITTEE WERE UNANIMOUSLY AGREED UPON THIS POINT."

SIR RAYMOND SAID THE DELEGATES HESITATED TO SAY HOW MANY SPINDLES JAPANESE MANUFACTURERS SHOULD OPERATE BUT ONE OF THE SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS SAID THE JAPANESE CONTENDED THEY "SHOULD BE PERMITTED TO EXCEED THE LIMIT OF 4,000,000 SPINDLES" SET BY OCCUPATION AUTHORITIES.

THE SAME REPORT SAID THE JAPANESE HAD 3,700,000 SPINDLES INSTALLED ON MARCH 31 BUT WERE OPERATING ONLY 3,281,000. THIS DOES NOT INCLUDE THE APPROXIMATELY 400,000 SPINDLES INSTALLED IN RAYON PLANTS.

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(ADVANCE)...TEHRAN, MAY 18-(AP)-FOR 11 MONTHS THE GIANT ANGLO-IRANIAN OIL CO. HAS BEEN WILLING TO DOUBLE PAYMENTS TO IRAN BUT THE

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IRANIAN PARLIAMENT CONTINUES TO STALL RATIFICATION OF THE AGREEMENT.

POLITICS AND NATIONALISM ARE RESPONSIBLE, IT IS GENERALLY AGREED HERE.

BOTH IRAN AND ANGLO-IRANIAN INITIALED A NEW AGREEMENT MORE THAN A YEAR AGO. THE TERMS WOULD ROUGHLY BOOST DIRECT ROYALTY, DIVIDEND AND OTHER PAYMENTS FROM ABOUT 9,000,000 POUNDS ($25,200,000) TO MORE THAN 18,500,000 ($51,800,000).

ANGLO-IRANIAN SPOKESMEN SAY THAT UNDER THE INITIALED AGREEMENT THEY WOULD BE PAYING IRAN ABOUT 17 SHILLINGS 5 PENCE ON EACH METRIC TON OF PRODUCTION. THAT'S OVER $2.43. THE COMPANY CLAIMS IT WOULD BE THE HIGHEST PAYMENT MADE BY ANY MAJOR OPERATING OIL COMPANY.

BUT LAST JULY THE IRANIAN PARLIAMENT DECLINED TO RATIFY THE NEW AGREEMENT WITHOUT EVEN BRINGING IT TO A VOTE. THERE IS NO INDICATION HERE OF ANY IMMEDIATE PROSPECTS FOR A BREAK IN THE STALEMATE.

ANGLO-IRANIAN SAYS IT WILL STAND ON THE INITIALED AGREEMENT. IRANIAN OFFICIALS HAVE PRODUCED NO SUGGESTED ALTERNATIVE PROPOSAL.

BOTH BRITISH AND IRANIANS CONCEDE IT IS TO THE BEST INTERESTS OF BOTH PARTIES TO REGULARIZE OPERATIONS.

MEANWHILE, ANGLO-IRANIAN CONTINUES TO PAY UNDER TERMS OF A 1933 AGREEMENT WHILE MAINTAINING RESERVES TO MAKE RETROACTIVE PAYMENTS ON THE NEW SCALE. PRESUMABLY THIS WILL BE NECESSARY.

SINCE IRAN IS THE LARGEST SOURCE OF STERLING OIL AND BRITAIN IS FIGHTING TO CONSERVE DOLLARS, SMOOTH RELATIONS BETWEN ANGLO-IRANIAN AND IRAN ARE IMPORTANT.

LAST YEAR THE COMPANY PRODUCED 25,500,000 METRIC TONS OF OIL. ABADAN REFINERY IS THE LARGEST IN THE WORLD. ANGLO-IRANIAN, WITH 40,000 EMPLOYEES, IS THE BIGGEST EMPLOYER IN THE COUNTRY. MOREOVER, IT IS THE HARD CORE OF THE IRANIAN ECONOMY NOW THAT IRAN IS IN THE THROES OF BUSINESS DEPRESSION.

THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT IS DIRECTLY CONCERNED BECAUSE IT IS A MAJORITY STOCKHOLDER IN THE COMPANY, WHOSE BOOK VALUE--FAR BELOW ITS ACTUAL WORTH--IS 137,000,000 POUNDS ($383,600,000).

IMPORTS INTO IRAN ARE RUNNING FOUR TIMES EXPORTS. A SOUND FINANCIAL POSITION FOR THE COUNTRY IS POSSIBLE ONLY BECAUSE ANGLO-IRANIAN PAYS AROUND 12,000,000 POUNDS IN ROYALTIES AND TAXES AND ALSO BRINGS IN ANOTHER 16 TO 19,000,000 POUNDS TO PAY OPERATING EXPENSES.

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UNDER THE 1933 AGREEMENT ANGLO-IRANIAN AGREED TO:

1. ROYALTY OF FOUR GOLD SHILLINGS PER TON. (A GOLD SHILLING IS SLIGHTLY OVER TWO SHILLINGS STERLING. THE SHILLING IS 14 CENTS.) THIS WAS PAID ON ALL PRODUCTION EXPORTED OR SOLD IN IRAN.

2. PAY 20 PER CENT OF ANNUAL PROFITS DISTRIBUTED TO STOCKHOLDERS ABOVE FIVE PERCENT (617,000 POUNDS) TO IRAN.

3. PAY TAXES OF ONE GOLD SHILLING ON THE FIRST 6,000,000 TONS PRODUCED ANNUALLY AND NINE PENCE ON PRODUCTION ABOVE THIS.

4. GIVE IRAN A SHARE IN THE GENERAL RESERVES EQUAL TO 20 PER CENT AFTER TAX DEDUCTIONS.

5. GUARANTEE MINIMUM PAYMENTS OF 750,000 POUNDS ANNUALLY FROM DIVIDENDS AND GENERAL RESERVE COMBINED.

WHILE TERMS OF THE PROPOSED AGREEMENT HAVE NOT BEEN CIRCULATED PUBLICLY, IT IS UNDERSTOOD THEY CALL FOR:

1. ROYALTY OF SIX GOLD SHILLINGS PER TON.

2. DIVIDEND PAYMENTS AS UNDER THE 1933 AGREEMENT.

3. TAX OF ONE GOLD SHILLING PER TON ON TOTAL PRODUCTION.

4. ANNUAL PAYMENT OF IRAN'S SHARE OF THE COMPANY'S GENERAL RESERVE EQUAL TO 20 PER CENT OF THE RESERVE BEFORE INSTEAD OF AFTER TAX DEDUCTIONS.

5. A HIGHER MINIMUM ANNUAL PAYMENT FROM THE DIVIDENDS AND GENERAL RESERVE COMBINED.

6. PAYMENT OF RETROACTIVE ROYALTY AND TAX IN INSTALLMENTS OF ABOUT 3,700,000 POUNDS PLUS A SHARE IN THE ACCUMULATED RESERVES THROUGH 1947 OF 3,100,000 POUNDS AND FOR 1948 OF 3,900,000 POUNDS.

WITH A FALLING WORLD MARKET FOR OIL, OIL MEN CONSIDER THE BRITISH PROPOSALS FAIR. THEY DOUBT WHETHER BRITAIN WOULD OFFER AS MUCH IF IRAN INSISTED UPON RENEGOTIATION.

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INFORMED SOURCES HERE BLAME IRAN'S FAILURE TO RATIFY THE AGREEMENT ON THE FACT THAT POLITICIANS HERE, AS ELSEWHERE IN THE MIDDLE EAST, FIND BAITING JOHN BULL A POLITICALLY SALEABLE COMMODITY. THEY SAY NO GOVERNMENT OR PARLIAMENT DEPUTY WANTS TO BE LABELED "PRO-BRITISH"--AND POLITICAL OPPONENTS HAVE MADE JUST THAT CHARGE AGAINST THOSE FAVORING RATIFICATION.

THIS POPULAR ANTI-BRITISH SENTIMENT GOES BACK TO BRITAIN'S IMPERIALISTIC PAST. MODERN BRITAIN IS STILL PAYING THE PENALTY IN UNPOPULARITY HERE.

ANGLO-IRANIAN PIONEERED DEVELOPMENT OF MIDDLE EAST OIL FIELDS, WHICH TODAY CONSTITUTE THE WORLD'S BIGGEST RESERVES. IT BEGAN OPERATING HERE IN 1901. IN 1933 THE ORIGINAL AGREEMENT WAS REVISED AND EXTENDED UNTIL 1993.

IN 1947 THE IRANIAN PARLIAMENT PASSED A LAW THAT IRAN SHOULD INSIST ON "FULL RIGHTS" IN OIL CONCESSIONS. IT WAS AFTER THAT TALKS BEGAN ON THE INITIALLED BUT UNRATIFIED AGREEMENT.

ANGLO-IRANIAN HAS NOT OBJECTED TO RENEGOTIATION OF THE 1933 AGREEMENT, CONCEDING IT WAS DRAWN UP WHEN WORLD OIL PRICES WERE AT AN ALL-TIME LOW.

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PARIS, MAY 18-(AP)-WESTERN EUROPEAN NATIONS HAVE MADE A BIG NEW STEP TOWARD AGREEMENT ON A NEW SYSTEM OF PAYING FOR EACH OTHER'S GOODS THAT WOULD REMOVE A MAJOR BARRIER TO FREER TRADE, IT WAS LEARNED TODAY.

THE SYSTEM, CALLED THE EUROPEAN PAYMENTS UNION (EPU), HAS BEEN REVISED MAINLY TO MAKE ANY COUNTRY'S MONEY GOOD ANYWHERE ELSE IN EUROPE. IT IS A PLAN ORIGINATED AT THE REQUEST OF THE UNITED STATES BY THE 16 NATIONS WHO GET MARSHALL PLAN AID.

A HIGH AMERICAN SOURCE SAID TODAY "THERE ARE GROUNDS FOR OPTIMISM" THAT THE PLAN WILL BE PUT INTO EFFECT. HE SAID EXPERTS WOULD START TO WORK ON IT TUESDAY AND PROBABLY WOULD NEED TWO OR THREE MONTHS TO WORK OUT THE DETAILS.

MEMBER NATIONS OF THE ORGANIZATION FOR EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COOPERATION (OEEC), THE MARSHALL PLAN COUNTERPART, ARE OPTIMISTIC, HE ADDED. BRITAIN'S OPPOSITION TO FULL PARTICIPATION IN THE EPU HAS BEEN THE MAIN DETERRENT TO ITS APPROVAL. WITHIN THE LAST WEEK,

IT IS NOW LEARNED, THAT OPPOSITION HAS LARGELY BEEN DISSOLVED.

A BRITISH TREASURY SPOKESMAN SAID IN LONDON TODAY BRITAIN HAD AGREED TO PARTICIPATE ON CERTAIN CONDITIONS. THE EXACT EXTENT OF THOSE CONDITIONS, HOWEVER, COULD NOT BE LEARNED IMMEDIATELY IN LONDON OR PARIS, WHERE THE OEEC HAS ITS HEADQUARTERS.

MOST EUROPEAN NATIONS HAVE FELT IT WOULD BE USELESS TO PERFECT A PAYMENTS SYSTEM WITHOUT BRITISH PARTICIPATION BECAUSE OF THE MASSIVE FLOW OF BRITISH STERLING TO EUROPE IN RETURN FOR GOODS.

BRITAIN, ON THE OTHER HAND, HAS UNTIL NOW DECLINED TO ENTER FULL PARTICIPATION BECAUSE OF FEARS SUCH A MOVE MIGHT LESSEN HER NECESSARILY TIGHT GRIP CONTROL OF STERLING.

THE CONCESSIONS MADE BY BRITAIN IN HER NEW OFFER OF PARTICIPATION WERE BELIEVED BASED ON ASSURANCES FROM THE UNITED STATES THAT A SUPPLY OF DOLLARS WOULD BE AVAILABLE TO OFFSET DANGEROUS PRESSURE ON STERLING.

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THE DOLLAR SUPPLY WAS MADE AVAILABLE BY CONGRESS IN A $600,000,000 ALLOCATION AS PART OF THE 1950 MARSHALL PLAN APPROPRIATION. CONGRESS SAID THAT THE AMOUNT COULD BE MADE AVAILABLE TO UNDERWRITE THE EPU, OR TO BULWARK ANY PARTICIPATING NATIONS THAT NEEDED AID.

UNDER THE EPU, NATIONS WHICH GO CONSISTENTLY INTO DEBT BY LIVING O/ER THEIR INCOME--IMPORTING MORE THAN THEY EXPORT--WILL BE DISCOURAGED FROM PILING UP BIG DEBTS BY BEING REQUIRED TO PAY PART OF THEIR INDEBTEDNESS IN GOLD OR DOLLARS. CREDITOR NATIONS, WHICH SELL MORE ABROAD THAN THEY BUY, ALSO WILL BE LIMITED IN THE AMOUNT OF GOLD AND DOLLARS THEY CAN WITHDRAW FROM THE EPU.

AMERICA'S INTEREST IN THE EPU HAS CENTERED ON FOUR OBJECTIVES FOR EUROPE BEFORE THE MARSHALL PLAN ENDS IN MID-1952. THESE ARE:

1. EFFECTIVE TRANSFERABILITY, MEANING THAT "ANY TRADER IN ANY COUNTRY COULD GET WHATEVER CURRENCY HE NEEDS TO BUY ANY GOODS HE WANTS FROM ANY OTHER COUNTRY."

2. ELIMINATION OF DISCRIMINATORY TRADE PRACTICES, PARTLY JUSTIFIED BY CURRENCY PROBLEMS.

3. ELIMINATION OF SUCH TRADE BARRIERS AS QUANTITATIVE RESTRICTIONS ON EXPORTS OR IMPORTS.

4. THE FULL FREEDOM OF TRADE THAT WOULD RESULT FROM COMPLETE AVAILABILITY OF ALL CURRENCIES TO ALL COUNTRIES.

THE IDEA BEHIND THE SCHEME, FROM THE AMERICAN VIEWPOINT, IS THAT AID TO ANY PARTICIPATING COUNTRY WILL BE DETERMINED BY WHETHER THAT COUNTRY IS USING CREDITS TO BUILD ITSELF INDUSTRIALLY--OR IN SOME INSTANCES MILITARILY.

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AMERICA MAY BE IN THE POSITION OF WISHING TO ENCOURAGE EITHER ONE OR THE OTHER.

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NIGHT LEAD BERLIN (450)
BY RICHARD KASISCHKE
BERLIN,MAY 23-(AP)-EAST GERMANY'S BLUE-SHIRTED COMMUNIST YOUTH GOT A WARNING FROM THEIR OWN POLICE TODAY TO KEEP OUT OF WESTERN BERLIN O THEIR WHITSUNTIDE DEMONSTRATION MARCH.
THIS PUT THE FINAL DAMPER ON BOATS FROM SOME COMMUNIST QUARTERS THAT HALF A MILLION YOUNG REDS--WHOSE ADVANCE FORMATIONS ALREADY WERE MASSING HERE--WOULD STORM ALL BERLIN THIS WEEKEND.
EASTERN BERLIN POLICE TOLD THEM THEY WOULD FIND TROUBLE--AS ALLIED AUTHORITIES AND WESTERN GERMAN POLICE ALREADY HAD SAID--IF THEY CROSSED THE LINE.
THE WEST WENT AHEAD WITH PREPARATIONS AGAINST ANY KIND OF DEMONSTRATION THAT MIGHT BREAK OUT SUNDAY DURING THE DAWN-TO-DUSK PARADE.
WEST BERLIN'S 13,000 POLICE WILL HAVE QUANTITIES OF TEAR GAS BOMBS AND SPECIAL WATER-SPOUTING TRUCKS ON HAND. THEY WILL BE BACKED BY 7,000 TO 8,000 ALLIED TROOPS WITH GUNS AND ARMOR.
THE WARNING TO BE ORDERLY AND NOT STRAY OUT OF BOUNDS WAS GIVEN TO 50,000 YOUNGSTERS ALREADY RALLIED HERE. AMONG THEM WERE 20,000 CHILDREN FROM SIX TO 14 WHO WERE HERDED DURING THE DAY INTO A SOVIET SECTOR TENT CITY IN SPECIAL TRAINS FROM EASTERN GERMANY.
MORE SPECIAL TRAINS AND 7,000 BIG TRUCKS WILL SWELL THE TOTAL TO 500,000 BY FRIDAY, SOVIET AUTHORITIES SAID.
THE WARNING NOT TO VENTURE IN WESTERN BERLIN IN UNIFORM WAS GIVEN BY WALDEMAR SCHMIDT, EAST BERLIN'S "PEOPLE'S POLICE" CHIEF, BEFORE A GATHERING OF THE "FREE GERMAN YOUTH" (FDJ).
WEARING OF UNIFORMS AND MARCHING UNDER BANNERS AND OTHER ARMY-LIKE TRAPPINGS IS FORBIDDEN IN THE WEST UNDER FOUR-POWER RULES TO WHICH THE RUSSIANS THEMSELVES ONCE AGREED.
SCHMIDT'S OWN POLICE ORGANIZATION WAS THE OBJECT OF A FORMAL PROTEST TODAY IN NOTES TO MOSCOW BY THE THREE WESTERN ALLIES, WHO CONTEND IT IS AN ILLEGAL ARMY.
SCHMIDT TOLD THE YOUNG BLUE-SHIRTS THEY WOULD BE VICTIMS OF "SABOTAGE AND PROVOCATIONS" IF THEY ENTERED WESTERN BERLIN.
WEST BERLIN'S ANTI-COMMUNIST MAYOR ERNEST REUTER DECLARED: "EVERYBODY KNOWS THAT THE CHILDISH IDEA OF CONQUERING BERLIN THROUGH A MARCH ON THE CITY, WHICH WAS PLANNED BY THE COMMUNISTS, HAS ALREADY FAILED. THERE WILL BE NO MARCH ON OR THROUGH WESTERN BERLIN."
COMMUNIST SPOKESMAN GERHART EISLER, A FUGITIVE FROM A PERJURY CONVICTION IN THE UNITED STATES, EMPHASIZED IN AN OFFICIAL STATEMENT THAT THE DEMONSTRATION WILL BE ORDERLY.
EISLER, INFORMATION OFFICER FOR THE SOVIET ZONE REGIME, TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE:

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"WE HAVE OUR SECTOR SO ORGANIZED THAT OUR YOUTH WILL NOT BE PROVOKED. WE DON'T WANT TO GIVE WESTERN SECTORS A CHANCE TO ARREST OUR BOYS AND GIRLS."
HE URGED FOREIGN CORRESPONDENTS TO TELL THE WORLD THAT THE MARCH OF GERMAN COMMUNIST YOUTH WOULD BE PEACEFUL. HE TOLD THE REPORTERS AND PHOTOGRAPHERS THEY WOULD HAVE "EVERY OPPORTUNITY" TO OBSERVE AND REPORT THE SUNDAY MARCH.
RUSSIAN AND CHINESE COMMUNIST YOUNGSTERS ARE DUE TO JOIN THE GERMAN COMMUNISTS THURSDAY FOR SPORTS AND CULTURAL PROGRAMS AND COMPETITION. OTHER DELEGATES ARE COMING FROM ITALY, FRANCE, ENGLAND AND SOVIET SATELLITE COUNTRIES IN EASTERN EUROPE, COMMUNIST LEADERS SAID.
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FIRST LEAD COMMUNIST YOUTH
BERLIN,MAY 23-(AP)-THE EAST GERMAN COMMUNISTS PROMISED TODAY THEIR YOUTH MARCH ON BERLIN, ALREADY UNDERWAY, WILL BE PEACEFUL THROUGHOUT.
GERHART EISLER, SPOKESMAN FOR THE SOVIET ZONE REGIME, TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE:
"WE HAVE OUR SECTOR (RUSSIAN) SO ORGANIZED THAT OUR YOUTH WILL NOT BE PROVOKED. WE DONT WANT TO GIVE WESTERN SECTORS A CHANCE TO ARREST OUR BOYS AND GIRLS."
EISLER MADE A SPECIAL POINT OF URGING FOREIGN CORRESPONDENTS TO "TELL THE ENTIRE WORLD" THAT THE MARCH OF A HALF MILLION GERMAN COMMUNIST YOUTH (FDJ) WILL BE QUIET AND ORDERLY.
FIFTY THOUSAND YOUNGER MEMBERS OF THE FDJ ARE ALREADY IN BERLIN FOR THE DEMONSTRATION. TWENTY THOUSAND "YOUNG PIONEERS," THOSE UNDER 14, STREAMED IN TODAY ON SPECIAL TRAINS THAT DEPOSITED THEM IN THE RUSSIAN SECTOR.

AS THEY ASSEMBLED, WEST BERLIN'S MAYOR ERNST REUTER, IN A BROADCAST TO THE RUSSIAN OCCUPATION ZONE, WARNED THAT HIS SECTOR WOUULD "DEFEND ITS FREEDOM" AGAINST ANY "PUTSCH ATTEMPT X X X TO CONQUER AND SUDDENLY OVERRUN FREE BERLIN."
MEANWHILE THE SOVIET SECTOR WAS FESTOONED WITH FLAGS AND NUMEROUS REVIEWING STANDS WERE UNDER CONSTRUCTION. THE COMMUNISTS HAVE ADVERTISED THAT 500,000 MEMBERS OF THEIR FREE GERMAN YOUTH (FDJ) WOULD ASSEMBLE IN THE CITY FOR A WEEKEND OF DEMONSTRATIONS.
THE REDS FIRST SAID THEIR MARCHERS WOULD STORM ALL BERLIN INCLUDING THE ALLIED-OCCUPIED ZONES, BUT EXTENSIVE WESTERN PREPARATIONS TO MEET ANY SUCH ATTACK WERE FOLLOWED BY A SOFT PEDALING OF COMMUNIST THREATS.
SOME 20,000 EAST GERMAN CHILDREN, ALL UNDER 14, STREAMED INTO BERLIN THIS MORNING AND CAMPED IN A TENT SETTLEMENT ON THE OUTSKIRTS OF THE SOVIET SECTOR.
THIS TENT "REPUBLIC" OF THE COMMUNIST-OFFICERED YOUNG PIONEERS (JP) WILL BE OPENED FORMALLY TOMORROW AS PART OF THE WHITSUN PROGRAM OF THE FDJ. THE YOJGSTERS RANGE IN AGE FROM SIX TO 13. THE FDJ MEMBERSHIP IS FOR THOSE OF 14 TO 24, INCLUDING MANY YOUNG POLICE RECRUITS.
THE SOVIET EAST ZONE SECURITY MINISTRY BANNED WESTERN NEWS PHOTOGRAPHERS FROM THE JP TENT CITY.
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BERLIN, MAY 23-(AP)-GERHART EISLER, SPOKESMAN FOR THE GERMAN REGIME IN THE SOVIET OCCUPATION ZONE, ASSURED WESTERN NEWSMEN TODAY THEY WOULD HAVE EVERY OPPORTUNITY TO COVER THE COMMUNIST YOUTH PROGRAM IN BERLIN THIS WEEKEND.
HE HAD NO IMMEDIATE EXPLANATION, HOWEVER, WHEN TOLD THAT TODAY EAST GERMAN SECURITY POLICE STOPPED NEWSMEN FROM VISITING A TENTED CITY IN EAST BERLIN OCCUPIED BY THE YOUNG PIONEERS, ONE OF THE PARTICIPATING YOUTH GROUPS.
EISLER WAS INFORMED THAT TWO OF THOSE WHO WERE STOPPED REPRESENTED PRAVDA, THE OFFICIAL SOVIET COMMUNIST PARTY NEWSPAPER, AND THE NEW YORK TIMES. COMMENTED EISLER:
"WELL, THAT IS A VERY BEAUTIFUL TEAM."
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BERLIN,MAY 23-(AP)-BRANDENBURG GATE, DIVIDING EAST AND WEST BERLIN, IS AN ARTISTIC VICTIM OF THE COLD WAR.

THE TALL GRECIAN COLUMNS A YARD EASTWARD OF THE SOVIET-BRITISH SECTOR BOUNDARY WERE FORMERLY TOPPED BY A QUADRIGA--A BRONZE STATUE OF A GODDESS DRIVING A FOUR-HORSE CHARIOT.

HALF DESTROYED IN WARTIME, THE STATUE WAS TAKEN DOWN EARLY THIS YEAR BY THE EAST BERLIN GOVERNMENT TO BE MELTED AS SCRAP.

EASTERN OFFICIALS SAID THEY INTENDED TO CAST A DUPLICATE AND RESTORE BRANDENBURG GATE TO ITS OLD GLORY. BUT COMPLICATIONS WERE ADMITTED TODAY.

THE ORIGINAL PLASTER FORM OF THE QUADRIGA IS IN WEST BERLIN. IT'S VALUED AT 12,000 WEST MARKS (APPROXIMATELY $3,000) AND THE SOVIET SECTOR OF THE CITY DOESN'T HAVE FUNDS TO BUY IT.

THE COST OF BRONZE AND LABOR FOR A NEW QUADRIGA IS ESTIMATED AT MORE THAN 100,000 WEST MARKS, WHICH THE EAST GOVERNMENT ALSO LACKS. ($24,000)

WESTERN CULTURAL EXPERTS SAID THERE WAS NO LIKELIHOOD OF RESTORING BRANDENBURG GATE "UNTIL IT BELONGS TO ALL BERLIN INSTEAD OF THE RUSSIANS."

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BONN,GERMANY,MAY 23-(AP)-OFFICIALS SAID TODAY THREE GERMAN REFUGEES FROM SILESIA HAVE BEEN CHARGED WITH THE MURDER OF SIR JOHN SHEEHY, BRITISH MILITARY GOVERNMENT FINANCIAL ADVISER WHO WAS SHOT TO DEATH BY INTRUDERS IN HIS HOME NEAR HERFORD A YEAR AGO.

THEY WILL APPEAR BEFORE A CONTROL COMMISSION COURT AT MINDEN, IN THE BRITISH ZONE. POLICE SAID ROBBERY WAS THE APPARENT MOTIVE.

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SCHUMAN PLAN (ROUNDUP) (430)

BONN, GERMANY, MAY 23-(AP)-THE SCHUMAN PLAN TO LINK FRENCH COAL AND GERMAN STEEL PRODUCTION WON APPROVAL WITH RESERVATIONS TODAY FROM GERMAN SOCIALISTS AND FROM NEIGHBORING BELGIUM.

THEIR CAUTIOUS ENDORSEMENTS CAME ALONG WITH FRENCH SUGGESTIONS THAT THE PROPOSED POOL OF HEAVY INDUSTRY SHOULD BE WIDENED TO EMBRACE OTHER EUROPEAN NATIONS. BRITAIN MAINTAINED A POSITION OF RESERVED INTEREST.

THE SOVIET EAST AND FRENCH COMMUNISTS IN THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY IN PARIS ARE AGAINST THE PLAN PROPOSED BY FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN TO LINK BASIC INDUSTRIES ACROSS NATIONAL FRONTIERS.

JEAN MONNET, FRENCH ECONOMIC EXPERT, CALLED TODAY ON ALLIED HIGH COMMISSIONERS HERE TO EXPLAIN THE PLAN. OCCUPATION AUTHORITIES CONTROL GERMAN FOREIGN RELATIONS.

MONNET, THE TRAVELING SALESMAN FOR SCHUMAN'S PROPOSAL, ALSO MET CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER. A COMMUNIQUE SAID THE TWO MEN FOUND THEMSELVES IN COMPLETE AG' 'EMENT, ESPECIALLY REGARDING THEIR INTEREST "IN A QUICK REAL TION OF THE PROPOSAL."

LATER VICE CHANCELLOR FRANZ BLUECHER TOLD NEWSMEN HE BELIEVED THE SCHUMAN PLAN "WILL BEGIN TO TAKE SHAPE" IN TWO WEEKS. HE SAID MONNET WILL MEET REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NETHERLANDS, BELGIUM AND LUXEMBOURG WITHIN THE NEXT FEW DAYS AND WILL DISCUSS EXPANSION OF THE SCHUMAN PLAN WITH THEM.

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DELEGATES OF THE ANTI-COMMUNIST INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE OF FREE TRADE UNIONS, A GROUP WITH REPRESENTATIVES FROM EIGHT NATIONS MEETING AT DUESSELDORF, ALSO EXPRESSED "SATISFACTION" WITH THE SCHUMAN PLAN.

IN PARIS SCHUMAN TOLD THE FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY NEGOTIATIONS ON SETTING UP HIS PLAN WOULD OPEN WITHIN SEVERAL WEEKS AND PROBABLY WOULD INCLUDE COUNTRIES OTHER THAN GERMANY.

IN A CLOSED SESSION THE FOREIGN MINISTER ASSURED THE COMMITTEE PARLIAMENT WOULD BE CALLED ON TO RATIFY ANY AGREEMENTS FOR MERGING INDUSTRIES ACROSS THE BORDERS.

THE PLAN AIMS TO DO AWAY WITH PREFERENTIAL DEVICES FAVORING

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HOME INDUSTRY. SCHUMAN PROPOSED ORIGINALLY THAT FRANCE AND GERMANY ELIMINATE SURCHARGES THAT INCREASE THE COST OF GERMAN-CONSUMED FRENCH COAL AND FRENCH-CONSUMED GERMAN ORE.

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GERMAN SOCIALISTS HEADED BY DR. KURT SCHUMACHER DECLARED RUHR INDUSTRY MUST BE SOCIALIZED BEFORE ANY MERGER COULD BE EFFECTED. IN A RESOLUTION ALMOST UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED BY NEARLY 400 DELEGATES AT HAMBURG THE GERMAN SOCIALISTS SAID "AN ORGANIZATION OF WESTERN EUROPE UNDER THE ASPECTS OF INDUSTRIAL INTERESTS IS A MORTAL THREAT TO DEMOCRACY." THEY CONTENDED ALSO THAT A POOL MIGHT BE INFLUENCED BY SPECULATORS.

FRENCH COMMUNISTS, LARGEST SINGLE PARTY IN THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY, CALLED THE PLAN AN AMERICAN-PROMOTED EFFORT TO SELL OUT TO GERMANY.

IN BELGIUM, FOREIGN MINISTER PAUL VAN ZEELAND SAID BELGIAN COAL AND STEEL INDUSTRIES WOULD "LOYALLY COLLABORATE" IN THE SCHUMAN PLAN IF SOME CONDITIONS ARE MET.

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"RESPECTIVE GOVERNMENTS MUST APPLY THE AGREEMENT LIBERALLY," HE SAID. "PRODUCTION AGREEMENTS, SALE AND DISTRIBUTION MUST HAVE XXX CLAUSES RELATING TO CUSTOMS AND LICENSES."

IN MOSCOW, PRAVDA DECLARED COMMUNISTS WOULD BE CALLED ON TO RESIST THE POOLING PLAN.

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VIENNA, AUSTRIA, MAY 23-(AP)-AUSTRIAN OFFICIALS TODAY ACCEPTED CALMLY RUSSIA'S LATEST DEADLOCKING OF THE AUSTRIAN TREATY NEGOTIATIONS IN LONDON. THEY SAID IT INDICATED THEIR COUNTRY WAS IN FOR AN INDEFINITE OCCUPATION, PROBABLY LONGER THAN THE SEVEN YEARS THE NAZIS STAYED.

THE SOVIETS IN LONDON AGAIN BLOCKED NEGOTIATIONS PROGRESS YESTERDAY, THIS TIME WITH A DEMAND THAT THE WESTERN POWERS FIRST ANSWER RUSSIAN CHARGES THAT THEY HAVE BEEN VIOLATING THE ITALIAN PEACE TREATY IN TRIESTE.

WESTERN DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTERS MEETING WITH THE RUSSIANS ASSERTED THE TRIESTE ISSUE HAD NO CONNECTION WITH THE AUSTRIAN QUESTION. ONE GOVERNMENT SOURCE HERE TERMED THE SOVIET DEMAND "RIDICULOUS."

VICE-CHANCELLOR ADOLF SCHAERF BLAMED THE COLD WAR FOR THE LACK OF AN AUSTRIAN TREATY.

"TWO POWER GROUPS REGARD AUSTRIA AS A STRONGHOLD, A FIELD THAT IS NOT TO BE GIVEN UP TO THE OTHER," HE DECLARED. "THEY BOTH SAY THEY WOULD GO IF THE OTHER WOULD GO, SO THEY BOTH STAY."

THE WESTERN ALLIES, AFTER 254 MEETINGS OF U.S., BRITISH, FRENCH AND RUSSIAN DELEGATES TO THE TREATY TALKS, NOW CONSIDER PROSPECTS OF AGREEMENT WITH THE RUSSIANS ON A TREATY TO BE HOPELESS AND HAVE TAKEN STEPS TO EASE OCCUPATION CONTROLS OVER AUSTRIA.

RUSSIA ON APRIL 20 ACCUSED THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN OF USING TRIESTE AS A NAVAL AND MILITARY BASE. BOTH WESTERN GOVERNMENTS REJECTED THE SOVIET CHARGES BUT HAVE NOT REPLIED FORMALLY YET TO THE RUSSIAN NOTE.

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NIGHT LEAD LIE

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BY GLENN WILLIAMS

LONDON, MAY 23-(AP)-SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE WOUND UP THE EUROPEAN END OF HIS SAVE-THE-U.N. CAMPAIGN TODAY IN TALKS WITH PRIME MINISTER CLEMENT ATTLEE AND FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN.

AN OFFICIAL STATEMENT SAID ONLY THAT THEY "HAD A FULL AND FRANK DISCUSSION UPON THE PROBLEMS AT PRESENT FACING THE UNITED NATIONS."

LIE, THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF THE UNITED NATIONS, DECLINED TO TELL REPORTERS WHETHER HE IS CARRYING BACK TO THE WESTERN POWERS ANY AGREEMENT OR MESSAGE FROM SOVIET PRIME MINISTER JOSEPH STALIN.

"I CAN NOT SAY," HE REPLIED WHEN ASKED ABOUT THE POSSIBILITIES OF A WORD FROM STALIN TO THE WEST AS A RESULT OF HIS KREMLIN TALK LAST WEEK.

LIE EXPECTS TO LEAVE FOR NEW YORK BY PLANE TOMORROW.

HE HAS PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON NEXT ON A CALLING LIST THAT HAS TAKEN HIM FROM LAKE SUCCESS AND WASHINGTON TO LONDON, PARIS AND MOSCOW TO SEE WHETHER THERE CAN BE PEACE BETWEEN EAST AND WEST.

LIE HAS TWO IMMEDIATE OBJECTIVES:

1. TO END THE RUSSIAN BOYCOTT AGAINST THE U.N. OVER THE CHINA REPRESENTATION QUESTION. SINCE JAN. 10 THE RUSSIANS HAVE STAYED AWAY FROM OR WALKED OUT OF ALL U.N. SESSIONS WHERE NATIONALIST CHINA IS

SEATED; RUSSIA CONTENDS THE SEATS BELONG NOW TO RED CHINA.
2. TO RESTORE TALKS BETWEEN RUSSIAN AND WESTERN FOREIGN MINISTERS IN A SITG NLG GTPAL

2. TO RESTORE TALKS BETWEEN RUSSIAN AND WESTERN FOREIGN MINISTERS IN A SPECIAL HIGH-LEVEL MEETING OF THE 11-NATION SECURITY COUNCIL THAT WOULD TACKLE ALL OUTSTANDING WORLD POLITICAL PROBLEMS SUCH AS PROPOSED CONTROL OF ATOMIC ENERGY.

A FRENCH FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMAN IN PARIS DENIED TODAY THAT LIE HAD OFFERED A CONCRETE 20-YEAR PEACE PROGRAM DURING TALKS WITH TOP OFFICIALS THERE. THE PARIS FOREIGN OFFICE ALSO DENIED PUBLISHED REPORTS THAT LIE HAD TRIED TO SET UP A BIG FOUR POWER MEETING OUTSIDE THE SECURITY COUNCIL AND WITHOUT CINA.

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LONDON, MAY 23-(AP)-TRYGVE LIE ARRIVED FROM PARIS TODAY TO CONTINUE THE SECOND ROUND OF HIS "SAVE-THE-U.N." TALKS WITH BRITISH GOVERNMENT LEADERS, INCLUDING PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE AND FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN. HE HOPES TO SAIL FOR NEW YORK WEDNESDAY.

COMMENTING ON SPECULATION ABOUT LIE'S TALKS WITH FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN, THE FRENCH FOREIGN OFFICE SAID IT KNEW NOTHING ABOUT PUBLISHED REPORTS THAT LIE HAD SUBMITTED MEMORANDA TO THE BIG FOUR POWERS CALLING FOR A 20-YEAR PEACE PROGRAM.

REPORTS ON BOTH SIDES OF THE ATLANTIC HAD SAID THE SECRETARY GENERAL SUGGESTED A MEETING OF THE U.S., BRITAIN, FRANCE AND RUSSIA AS A PRELUDE TO A SPECIAL SECURITY COUNCIL SESSION TO HANDLE THE QUESTION OF CHINA'S REPRESENTATION IN THE U.N. SOVIET DELEGATES HAVE BEEN BOYCOTTING U.N. BODIES BECAUSE OF THE PRESENCE OF NATIONALIST INSTEAD OF COMMUNIST CHINESE REPRESENTATIVES.

LIE PROPOSED THE 20-YEAR PEACE PROGRAM IN MARCH, IN A SPEECH BEFORE THE NATIONAL B'NAI B'RITH CONVENTION IN WASHINGTON. IN THAT SPEECH HE SUGGESTED THAT TOP DIPLOMATS MEET WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL WITH SUCH A PEACE PROGRAM IN MIND, IN ATTEMPTS TO IRON OUT THE CHIEF DIFFICULTIES. HE POINTED OUT THAT COUNCIL RULES CALL FOR REGULAR MEETINGS AT WHICH FOREIGN MINISTERS OR EVEN HEADS OF GOVERNMENTS COULD REVIEW THE WORLD SITUATION, BUT NOTED THAT NO SUCH MEETINGS HAD BEEN HELD.

THIS GAVE AN INDICATION OF WHAT LIE HAD IN MIND BEFORE HE WENT TO MOSCOW TO SEE PRIME MINISTER STALIN.

SPECULATION HAS BEEN CENTERING AROUND THE POSSIBILITY OF A MEETING OF THE BIG FOUR WITHOUT CHINA. COMMENTING ON THIS, THE FRENCH FOREIGN OFFICE HAD ONLY THIS TO SAY:

"THE FOREIGN OFFICE DENIES ANY INFORMATION WHICH MIGHT LEAD ONE TO THINK THAT MR. TRYGVE LIE, ON HIS RETURN FROM MOSCOW, HAS GIVEN MINISTER SCHUMAN ANY MEMORANDA."

LIE HAD VISITED WASHINGTON, LONDON AND PARIS BEFORE GOING TO MOSCOW LAST WEEK. ON THE RETURN TRIP HE WAS CONFERRING AGAIN IN PARIS AND LONDON ON THE AIMS OF HIS MISSION.

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PAYMENTS UNION
BY PRESTON GROVER

PARIS, MAY 23-(AP)-A NEW EUROPEAN PAYMENTS UNION, MADE POSSIBLE BY A BRITISH DECISION TO PITCH IN FULLY WITH OTHER EUROPEAN COUNTRIES IN BREAKING DOWN CURRENCY BARRIERS, WILL GO INTO EFFECT JULY 1.

THIS WAS DISCLOSED TODAY AT A MEETING OF EXPERTS OF THE ORGANIZATION FOR EUROPEAN ECONOMIC RECOVERY (OEEC), MARSHALL PLAN AGENCY, WHO HAVE BEEN WORKING ON THE SCHEME FOR MONTHS.

THE PLAN HAS AS ITS AIM THE FREEST FLOW OF TRADE SINCE THE WAR AND GIVES EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COOPERATION ITS BIGGEST BOOST SNCE THE START OF THE MARSHALL PLAN.

DETAILS OF THE SCHEME ARE NOT FULLY WORKED OUT. A SOMEWHAT DETAILED BUT STILL INCOMPLETE OUTLINE WILL BE SUBMITTED TO MIMISTERS REPRESENTING THE MARSHALL PLAN COUNTRIES AT A MEETING JUNE 2. THERE WILL BE UNOTHER MEETING OF THE OEEC MINISTERS JUNE 20 TO EXAMINE PROGRESS OF THE SCHEME.

OEEC OFFICIALS SAIF THE WHOLE FRAMEWORK NEED NOT BE READY FOR THE PAYMENTS UNION TO GO INTO OPERATION ON THE SCHEDULED DATE, JULY 1. THE MAIN DECISIONS HAVE BEEN MADE, THEY SAID, AND THE REST IS TECHNICAL.

THE FULL IMPACT OF BRITAIN'S DECISION TO ABANDON BILATERALISM IN HER EUROPEAN TRADE WAS FELT FULLY FOR THE FIRST TIME AT TODAY'S MEETING.

IN NON-TECHNICAL TERMS THIS IS WHAT HAPPENED:

PRIOR TO THE AGREEMENT, POST-WAR TRADE BETWEEN EUROPEAN NATIONS, AND MOST OTHERS--HAS BEEN ON A BASIS OF SEPARATE AGREEMENTS BETWEEN TWO NATIONS. THIS WAS CALLED BILATERAL GTRADE. BRITAIN, FOR INSTANCE, WOULD SELL MACHINERY TO ITALY. ITALY WOULD PAY LIRA TO BRITAIN. IN THE OLD DAYS OF MULTILATERAL TRADE, BRITAIN COULD HAVE BOUGHT GOODS IN FRANCE OR THE UNITED STATES WITH THE LIRA. FRANCE OR THE UNITED STATES WOULD, IN TURN, USE THE LIRA TO BUY GOODS IN ITALY.

BUT SINCE THE WAR, IT HAS NOT BEEN THAT WAY. FOR EXAMPLE, THE LIRA THAT ENGLAND RECEIVED FOR MACHINERY COULD BE SPENT ONLY IN ITALY. ITALY WANTED TO GET CUSTOMERS FOR HER INDUSTRY. THE WAY IT WORKED OUT, HOWEVER, WAS THAT FOR MONTHS ON END THERE MIGHT NOT BE MANY THINGS FOR SALE IN ITALY THAT BRITAIN WANTED. SO TRADE SLOWED DOWN.

TRADE SLOWED DOWN IN SPITE OF THE FACT THAT FRANCE MIGHT WANT TO BUY A LOT OF THINGS IN ITALY BUT DID NOT HAVE THE LIRA. FRANCE MIGHT HAVE POUNDS SHE GOT FOR SELLING WINE TO ENGLAND, BUT UNDER POST-WAR BILATERAL PRACTICE SHE HAD TO USE THE POUNDS TO BUY THINGS IN ENGLAND OR SOME OF THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH COUNTRIES OR OTHER MEMBERS OF THE STERLING BLOC.

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WHAT HAPPENS NOW, AFTER JULY 1?

MUCH OF THIS WILL BE CHANGED, IN WESTERN EUROPE ESPECIALLY. EACH COUNTRY WILL POOL ITS TRADE CREDITS AND DEFICITS IN A CENTRAL CLEARING HOUSE TO BE CALLED THE EUROPEAN PAYMENTS UNION.

IF ITALY SELLS RAYON TO HOLLAND AND GETS GUILDERS IN RETURN SHE WILL REPORT THAT TO THE PAYMENTS UNION. ITALY MAY NOT WANT TO BUY ANYTHING FROM HOLLAND AT THE MOMENT, BUT WOULD LIKE TO PAY A DEBT TO SWITZERLAND. UNTIL THE NEW PLAN GOES INTO EFFECT SHE PROBABLY COULDN'T. BUT UNDER THE NEW SYSTEM SWITZERLAND WILL BE GLAD TO ACCEPT THE GUILDERS THROUGH THE PAYMENTS UNION BECAUSE THEY MAY BE USED IN TURN BY WAY OF THE CLEARING HOUSE TO PAY OFF SOME SWISS DEBTS TO OTHER COUNTRIES.

IN TRYING TO WORK OUT OF THE OLD COMPLICATIONS THE EXPERTS HAD THEIR GREATEST DIFFICULTY IN MAKING SOME SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT FOR BRITAIN'S STERLING. EVERYBODY SEEMED TO RECOGNIZE THAT SPECIAL TREATMENT WAS NECESSARY.

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AMERICAN OFFICIALS CREDIT BRITAIN HERSELF WITH WORKING OUT THE SOLUTION WHICH ADVANCED THE WHOLE SCHEME TREMENDOUSLY.

THE KEY PART OF THE PLAN IS THAT STERLING IS RECOGNIZED AS AN INTERNATIONAL CURRENCY. ABOUT HALF OF THE WORLD TRADES IN STERLING. MOST OTHER EUROPEAN CURRENCIES ARE NOT ACCEPTED IN WORLD TRADE WITH ANY SUCH DEGREE OF FREEDOM.

IN COMING INTO THE EUROPEAN PAYMENTS UNION, BRITAIN INSISTED THAT THIS FACT BE RECOGNIZED. SPECIAL CONDITIONS ARE BEING WORKED OUT TO PREVENT STERLING'S POSITION BEING HARMED.

FOR INSTANCE, IN THE MONTHLY OR QUARTERLY BALANCE IN TRADE THAT WILL BE WORKED OUT THROUGH THE PAYMENTS UNION, EACH COUNTRY MUST SUBMIT ALL THE EUROPEAN CURRENCIES IT HAS SO THESE CAN BE USED TO PAY OFF ANY TRADE DEFICITS IT MAY HAVE.

BUT THAT PART OF THE AGREEMENT WILL NOT APPLY TO BRITISH POUNDS. A COUNTRY WHICH HAS SOME STERLING CREDIT CAN KEEP IT IN ITS RESERVES OR SPEND IT IN THE "STERLING AREA," THE AREA MADE UP PRINCIPALLY OF THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH COUNTRIES WHERE STERLING CAN BE SPENT WITHOUT RESTRAINT.

BRITAIN ALLOWS POUNDS TO BE SPENT OUTSIDE THE AREA ONLY BY SPECIAL PERMIT. ONCE POUNDS GET OUTSIDE THE STERLING AREA, BRITAIN MIGHT HAVE TO BUY THEM BACK WITH DOLLARS--AND SHE IS SHORT ON DOLLARS.

DOLLARS AND GOLD ALSO WILL HAVE A SPECIAL POSITION. IF A COUNTRY STARTS IMPORTING MORE THAN IT CAN HOPE TO PAY FOR IN TRADE WITH OTHER EUROPEAN COUNTRIES, IT WILL HAVE TO MAKE UP AT LEAST A PART OF THE DIFFERENCE IN GOLD OR DOLLARS.

A BRAKE THUS IS APPLIED TO A COUNTRY GOING TOO DEEPLY INTO DEBT WITH ITS FELLOW EUROPEAN COUNTRIES.

SOME COUNTRIES, SUCH AS GREECE AND TURKEY, HOWEVER, WILL BE ALLOWED TO RUN AN EXTRA LARGE DEFICIT WITHOUT PENALTY. THE WEST IS TRYING TO HELP TURKEY BUILD UP ITS INDUSTRIAL POWER. GREECE IS IN NEED OF SPECIAL HELP TO STABILIZE ITS HARD-WON VICTORY OVER COMMUNIST GUERRILLAS.

IN SUCH CASES, THE UNITED STATES UNDER THE MARSHALL PLAN WILL PUT IN ENOUGH TO PREVENT THESE COUNTRIES STAGNATING FOR LACK OF FOREIGN CURRENCY TO PAY THEIR DEBTS. THESE COUNTRIES MAY BE RUNNING TRADE DEFICITS FOR A LONG TIME.

HOW WILL THE EUROPEAN PAYMENTS UNION GET ITS STARTING CAPITAL? THE RECENTLY ENACTED EUROPEAN AID BILL SET ASIDE $600,000,000 OF MARSHALL PLAN FUNDS FOR JUST SUCH PURPOSES.

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paris, may 23--(ap)--[redacted] foreign minister robert schuman, initiator of the sweeping plan to pool his country's coal and steel output with that of germany, told the french cabinet today he wants the greatest possible number of european countries to take part in the scheme.

supporting his [redacted] proposal that preferential rates for shipping coal and steel between [redacted] france and germany be wiped out as a first step in breaking down trade barriers, schuman pointed out that his plan was still only an offer which was awaiting negotiation.

the groundwork for these negotiations started today when french economic expert jean monnet called on the allied high commissioners in bonn, germany, to explain to them the details of the schuman plan.

an allied spokesman said the question of what aspects of the plan should be handled by the german government directly and what should be in the province of the high commission -- which maintains control over germany's foreign affairs -- was to be discussed. #

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 9:30 A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, TUESDAY, MAY 23)
(ADVANCE)-PARIS, MAY 23-(AP)-FRANCE ACCUSED RUSSIAN TODAY OF BREAKING THE FOUR-POWER AGREEMENT ON DEMILITARIZING GERMANY BY PERMITTING FORMATION OF A 50,000-MAN MILITARIZED POLICE FORCE IN THE SOVIET OCCUPATION ZONE.

A FORMAL PROTEST NOTE DELIVERED IN MOSCOW THIS AFTERNOON SUGGESTED TO RUSSIA THAT DISSOLVING THE MILITARIZED POLICE WOULD BE A WELCOME MOVE TOWARD EASING INTERNATIONAL TENSION.

THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT CHALLENGED THE SOVIETS TO BACK UP THEIR FREQUENT CALLS FOR PEACE IN THE WORLD WITH A FAITHFUL OBSERVANCE OF PREVIOUS COMMITMENTS TO KEEP THE FORMER REICH DISARMED.

"THE GOVERNMENT OF THE FRENCH REPUBLIC," SAID THE NOTE, "BELIEVES ITSELF OBLIGED TO EMPHASIZE THAT THE RECONSTITUTION IN EASTERN GERMANY OF FORMATIONS OF A MILITARY CHARACTER IS A FORMAL CONTRADICTION WITH ENGAGEMENTS TAKEN SEVERAL TIMES BY THE OCCUPYING POWERS."

THE NOTE CHARGED THAT THE EQUIPMENT SUPPLIED TO THE AST GERMAN POLICE FORCE "GOES BEYOND THAT OF A NORMAL FORCE."

"ITS TRAINING AND ITS EQUIPMENT HAVE IN EFFECT A DEFINITELY MILITARY CHARACTER," THE NOTE DECLARED. "ITS EQUIPMENT INCLUDES NOTABLY: MACHINEGUNS, MORTARS, ANTI-TANK GUNS AND EVEN SEVERAL LIGHT ARMORED VEHICLES."

THE FRENCH NOTE REMINDED THE RUSSIANS THAT THE FOUR POWERS HAD AGREED IN A "MOST FORMAL MANNER"ON THE DISARMAMENT OF GERMANY IN A DECLARATION ON JUNE 5, 1945, IN CONNECTION WITH THE GERMAN SURRENDER. THIS, THE NOTE SAID WAS REAFFIRMED ON SEPT. 29 OF THE SAME YEAR AND FORTIFIED BY AN ALLIED CONTROL COUNCIL LAW DISSOLVING ALL GERMAN MILITARY FORMATIONS.

THE NOTE SAID FRANCE, THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN HAD SCRUPULOUSLY OBSERVED THESE COMMITMENTS IN THEIR RESPECTIVE ZONES AND WOULD CONTINUE TO DO SO.

RUSSIA'S PROFESSIONS ON BEHALF OF PEACE ARE "SINGULARLY WEAKENED," THE NOTE SAID, BY THE CONTRADICTION BETWEEN THESE FOUR-POWER ACCORDS ON DEMILITARIZATION AND THE AUTHORIZATION BY THE RUSSIAN OCCUPATION OFFICIALS OF A MILITARIZED POLICE FORCE.

EXPRESSING THE HOPE THAT THE RUSSIANS WILL REMEDY THIS "CONTRADICTION," THE NOTE ADDED:

"THE DISSOLUTION OF THE CORPS OF MILITARIZED POLICE EXISTING IN EASTERN GERMANY WOULD, IN EFFECT, BE CONSIDERED BY INTERNATIONAL OPINION AS A CONCRETE GESTURE OF PARTICULAR SIGNIFICANCE."

(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 9:30 A.M. EST, TODAY, TUESDAY, MAY 23)
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PARIS,MAY 23-(AP)-FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN SAID TODAY NEGOTIATIONS PROBABLY WOULD OPEN IN SEVERAL WEEKS ON HIS PROPOSAL TO POOL THE COAL AND STEEL INDUSTRIES OF WESTERN EUROPE.

HE INDICATED TO THE FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY (LOWER HOUSE OF PARLIAMENT) THAT THESE NEGOTIATIONS MAY INCLUDE OTHER COUNTRIES THAN GERMANY.

PARLIAMENT, HE SAID, WOULD BE CALLED UPON TO RATIFY ALL AGREEMENTS MADE WITH OTHER NATIONS ON THE MERGING OF THEIR HEAVY INDUSTRIES.
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PARIS, MAY 23-(AP)-SIX TEEN-AGE ORPHANS FROM THE NATIONAL HOME OF THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS, EATON RAPIDS, MICH., SAIL FOR THE UNITED STATES MAY 29 AFTER A TWO-MONTH VISIT IN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES.

AS PART OF "OPERATION FREEDOM" ORGANIZED BY THE LADIES AUXILIARY OF THE VETERANS' ORGANIZATION, THE AMERICAN YOUTHS WILL TAKE WITH THEM SIX EUROPEAN TEENAGERS FROM THE COUNTRIES THEY VISITED--BRITAIN, FRANCE, GERMANY, ITALY, GREECE, AND BELGIUM.

THE EUROPEAN YOUTHS WILL HAVE A FOUR-MONTH STAY IN THE UNITED STATES. THEY WERE SELECTED BY THE AMERICAN ORPHANS WITH THE HELP AND ADVICE OF THE FOSTER PARENTS PLAN FOR WAR CHILDREN.

THE AMERICANS AND THE GUESTS THEY CHOOSE ARE: PATTIE WITHERON-KONSTANTINOS SATIROFF FROM GREECE; BARBARA HEATON--BEATRICE LI DONNICI FROM ITALY; DOROTHY GRAY--RENE GIELIS FROM BELGIUM; GEORGE VAN LOON-IRMGARD REMME FROM GERMANY; PETER VALEK--HUBERT LEBRUN DE LISLE FROM FRANCE; PAUL ROBINSON--MARGARET CRATON FROM BRITAIN.
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B28 (Q)
(200)
THE HAGUE, THE NETHERLANDS, MAY 23-(AP)-IN A FINAL STATEMENT ENDING A WORLD COURT HEARING TODAY, DR. LUCAS STEYN OF SOUTH AFRICA DECLARED THERE IS NO OBLIGATION FOR HIS COUNTRY TO PLACE FORMER GERMAN SOUTHWEST AFRICA UNDER A U.N. TRUSTEESHIP.

FOR A WEEK THE COURT HAS HEARD ARGUMENTS ON THE DISPUTED TERRITORY WHICH SOUTH AFRICA HAS HELD UNDER A LEAGUE OF NATIONS MANDATE SINCE 1919. THE CASE WAS REFERRED TO THE COURT BY THE UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR AN ADVISORY OPINION EXPECTED IN A FEW WEEKS.

DR.STEYN SAID DISSOLUTION OF THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS HAD THE EFFECT OF EXTINGUISHING ALL INTERNATIONAL LEGAL RIGHTS AND OBLIGATIONS UNDER THE OLD MANDATE SYSTEM. ELSEWHERE IN THE WORLD, THE U.N. TRUSTEESHIP COUNCIL HAS TAKEN OVER SUPERVISION OF MANDATED TERRITORIES.

THE UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA SPOKESMAN DECLARED HIS COUNTRY'S DECISION NOT TO RECOGNIZE U.N. AUTHORITY OVER SOUTHWEST AFRICA "DOES NOT MEAN THAT THE UNION GOVERNMENT DOES NOT RECOGNIZE ANY OBLIGATIONS AT ALL TOWARDS THESE PEOPLES. WHAT WE SUBMIT IS THAT THERE ARE NO OBLIGATIONS WHICH ARE INTERNATIONAL LEGAL OBLIGATIONS."

SOUTH AFRICA'S CLAIM WAS DISPUTED BY THE UNITED STATES, EGYPT, INDIA, AND POLAND. THEY ARGUED THE TERRITORY--AS LARGE AS FRANCE WITH 340,000 INHABITANTS WHICH WAS TAKEN FROM GERMANY IN WORLD WAR I-IS STILL SUBJECT TO INTERNATIONAL CONTROL.
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A65 (100)
STOCKHOLM, MAY 23-(AP)-AN UNUSED, UNDAMAGED AMERICAN FLYER'S JACKET HAS BEEN PICKED UP BY A SWEDISH FISHERMAN 60 MILES OFF THE LATVIAN COAST.
THE SWEDISH NAVAL COMMAND SAID THE JACKET WAS THE TYPE USED BY U.S. AIRFORCE PERSONNEL AND IS BEING SENT TO UNITED STATES AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS AT WIESBADEN, GERMANY.
THE UNOPENED POCKETS OF THE JACKET CONTAINED SIGNAL FLARES, FLASHLIGHTS AND WHISTLES.
IT WWAS THE FIRST FIND IN SEVERAL WEEKS WHICH POSSIBLY COULD BE CONNECTED WITH THE MISSING U.S. NAVY PRIVATEER BELIEVED SHOT DOWN BY THE RUSSIANS APRIL 8.
THE NEW FIND WAS BROUGHT TO THE SWEDISH NAVY BASE OF KARLSKRONA BY THE FISHING VESSEL ERNA.
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NIGHT LEAD UNESCO (260)
BY GEORGE PALMER
FLORENCE, ITALY, ITALY, MAY 23-(AP)-MARSHAL TITO'S GOVERNMENT TODAY CALLED FOR A 1950 WORLD PEACE CONFERENCE OF INTELLECTUALS FROM ALL U.N. MEMBERS, INCLUDING RUSSIA AND YUGOSLAVIA'S COMINFORM FOES.
VLADISLAW RIBNIKAR, CHIEF YUGOSLAV DELEGATE, MADE THE PROPOSAL IN A RESOLUTION OFFERED BEFORE THE FIFTH GENERAL CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED NATIONS EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL ORGANIZATION (UNESCO) HERE.
HOWLAND SARGENT, CHIEF OF THE UNITED STATES DELEGATION, TOLD REPORTERS HE "AGREED IN PRINCIPLE" WITH THE YUGOSLAV PROPOSAL, BUT SAID IT WOULD HAVE TO BE STUDIED FROM PRACTICAL ANGLES.
THE BELGRADE DELEGATE ASKED JAIME TORRES BODET, MEXICAN DIRECTOR GENERAL OF UNESCO, TO ISSUE INVITATIONS TO A CONFERENCE IN EUROPE TO "STRENGTHEN INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION AND FIGHT AGAINST THE WAR PSYCHOSIS AND A TENDENCY OF WAR BETWEEN CERTAIN DIFFERENT IDEOLOGIES."
HE DESCRIBED "THE ARTIFICIAL MAINTENANCE OF A WAR PSYCHOSIS" AS THE "MOST SERIOUS OBSTACLE TO EFFECTIVE INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION."
TOUCHING ON THE BELGRADE-MOSCOW SPLIT, RIBNIKAR MENTIONED "NATIONS THAT BOSS" AND SAID SMALL COUNTRIES SHOULD NOT BE EXPECTED TO SACRIFICE ALL THEIR CREATIVE ENERGY TO "STRATEGIC BLOCS WHICH CREATE A DANGER OF WAR."
UNDER THE RESOLUTION URGED BY YUGOSLAVIA, A MEMBER OF UNESCO ONLY TWO MONTHS, TORRES BODET WOULD INVITE "ALL NATIONAL PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS OF SCIENTISTS, TEACHERS, WRITERS, ARTISTS, MUSICIANS, SCENARIO WRITERS AND JOURNALISTS IN ALL MEMBER STATES OF THE UNITED NATIONS, AND PROMINENT PEOPLE WHO HAVE DISTINGUISHED THEMSELVES IN THE ENDEAVOR TO PROMOTE PEACE."
EARLIER, TORRES BODET, IN AN ADDRESS URGED ALL NATIONS OF THE WORLD "WITHOUT DISTINCTION OF IDEOLOGICAL TENDENCY OR PARTY," TO UNITE IN THE "FIGHT AGAINST THE OBSESSION OF WAR."
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first lead unesco

florence, italy, may 23--(ap)--Yugoslavia called today for a 1950 world peace conference in Europe this year of intellectuals, educators, scientists and journalists--including Russia and her cominform allies.

Vladislav Ribnikar, chief Yugoslav delegate, made the proposal at the fifth general conference here of the united nations education, scientific and cultural organization (unesco).

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Ribnikar, whose country russia calls "enemy," asked that the peace congress be called to "strengthen international cooperation and fight against the war psychosis and a tendency of war between certain different ideologies."

Ribnikar asked Jaime Torres Bodet, Mexican director general of the 56-nation u. n. specialized agency, to "take any necessary measures to call before the end of 1950 a congress for peace."

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Ribnikar said afterwards that the Yugoslav intention

is that "all members of the united nations" should attend the proposed

peace meeting.

urged the 500 delegates and observers to the conference

Earlier Torres Bodet had [redacted] to "fight against the

obsession of war."

THE CZECHOSLOVAK AND HUNGARIAN DELEGATIONS, WHO WALKED OUT OF THE MEETING YESTERDAY IN PROTEST AGAINST THE PRESENCE OF NATIONALIST CHINA, CONTINUED THEIR BOYCOTT TODAY.

"FEAR CAN CORRUPT THE VERY AIM AND ESSENCE OF EDUCATION AND RESEARCH," TORRES BODET SAID.

"IT CAN DISTORT THEM ENTIRELY TO MEET THE DEMANDS OF ANOTHER WAR. IT CAN TRANSFORM THESE FACTORS OF PEACE INTO INSTRUMENTS OF HATE AND DESTRUCTION."

HE URGED DELEGATES TO MAKE UNESCO "THE CONSCIENCE OF THE UNITED NATIONS" IN A WORLDWIDE FIGHT FOR LASTING PEACE AND DECLARED THAT "NEVER BEFORE HAVE EDUCATION, SCIENCE, CULTURE AND MASS COMMUNICATION BEEN SUCH IMPORTANT FACTORS IN POLITICAL ACTION AND PRACTICE."

HE CALLED UPON ALL NATIONS TO WORK TOGETHER AND CONTRIBUTE ALL IN THEIR POWER TO THE U.N. MISSION OF PEACE.

BY WORKING OUT PROBLEMS TOGETHER, HE SAID, NATIONS CAN "INFUSE A SPIRIT OF JUSTICE AND CONCORD IN THEIR DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN POLICIES."

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NIGHT LEAD CZECH (240)

PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, MAY 23-(AP)-THE CZECHOSLOVAK FOREIGN MINISTRY TONIGHT DEMANDED THAT THE UNITED STATES REDUCE ITS AMERICAN DIPLOMATIC STAFF IN THIS COUNTRY TO 12 AND ITS CZECH EMPLOYES TO SEVEN.

THE DEMAND FOLLOWED THE RECENT TWO-THIRDS REDUCTION OF THE AMERICAN DIPLOMATIC STAFF IN RESPONSE TO THE APRIL 28 REQUEST OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT.

THE FOREIGN MINISTRY NOTE SAID THE "UNJUSTIFIED REPRISAL" OF THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT LAST WEEK IN ORDERING A CORRESPONDING TWO-THIRDS REDUCTION IN CZECH DIPLOMATIC PERSONNEL IN THE UNITED STATES WAS A "CRUDE VIOLATION OF USUAL INTER-STATE RELATIONS." CZECH CONSULATES AT PITTSBURGH AND CLEVELAND ALSO WERE CLOSED DOWN BY THE AMERICAN ORDER.

(GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS IN WASHINGTON INDICATED THE UNITED STATES PROBABLE WILL REPLY WITH A SECOND ROUND OF RETALIATION. STATE DEPARTMENT RECORDS LISTED ABOUT 16 CZECH OFFICIALS AND AN EQUAL NUMBER OF CLERICAL EMPLOYES STILL IN THE UNITED STATES.

(ORIGINALLY THE AMERICAN DIPLOMATIC STAFF IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA NUMBERED 67, THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID. BUT NOW NUMBERS ONLY 15 DUE TO VARIOUS WITHDRAWALS DEMANDED BY THE PRAGUE REGIME).

THE FOREIGN MINISTRY NOTE ASKED THAT THE TOTAL OF AMERICAN DIPLOMATIC PERSONNEL IN THE EMBASSY HERE AND IN THE CONSULATE AT BRATISLAVA BE LIMITED TO 12, AND THAT THE REDUCTION BE CARRIED OUT WITHIN TWO WEEKS.

IT SAID THE 12 SHOULD INCLUDE FOUR OFFICIALS, SEVEN NON-DIPLOMATIC STAFF AND ONE OTHER EMPLOYE. THE REDUCTION WOULD MEAN THAT EACH COUNTRY WOULD THEN BE REPRESENTED BY AN EQUAL NUMBER OF PERSONS, THE NOTE SAID.

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PRECEDE LONDON EMBASSY

PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, MAY 23-(AP)-THE CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT TOLD THE UNITED STATES TODAY TO REDUCE THE NUMBER OF ITS DIPLOMATIC STAFF MEMBERS IN THIS COUNTRY TO 12.

THIS NUMBER IS TO INCLUDE MEMBERS OF THE U.S. EMBASSY IN PRAGUE AND IN THE BRATISLAVA CONSULATE.

(THE EFFECT OF THIS ORDER PROBABLY WOULD BE TO REDUCE THE NUMBER OF THE AMERICAN STAFF IN PRAGUE TO FOUR OR FIVE. AN APRIL 28 ORDER BY THE CZECHOSLOVAK COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT REDUCED THE PRAGUE STAFF FROM ITS ORIGINAL 67 TO ABOUT 15 MEMBERS.)

THE NEW CZECH DEMAND WAS MADE IN A NOTE OF THE FOREIGN MINISTRY HANDED TO THE EMBASSY TODAY. THE NOTE ASKED THAT THE REDUCTION BECOME EFFECTIVE WITHIN TWO WEEKS.

THE NOTE SAID THE STAFF OF THE AMERICAN OFFICES IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA SHOULD INCLUDE "ON THE BASIS OF RECIPROCITY" FOUR OFFICIALS ON THE DIPLOMATIC LIST, SEVEN NON-DIPLOMATIC STAFF MEMBERS AND ONE OTHER EMPLOYE. THIS DOES NOT INCLUDE THE CZECH NATIONALS EMPLOYED BY THE EMBASSY, WHO SHOULD BE REDUCED TO SEVEN, THE GOVERNMENT SAID.

THE DEMAND WAS IN RETALIATION FOR AN AMERICAN DEMAND FOR A TWO-THIRDS REDUCTION OF THE CZECH DIPLOMATIC STAFF IN THE UNITED STATES. THE NOTE SAID THIS NEW REDUCTION OF AMERICAN REPRESENTATIVES WOULD MEAN THAT EACH COUNTRY NOW WOULD BE REPRESENTED BY AN EQUAL NUMBER OF PERSONS.

THE FOREIGN MINISTRY DESCRIBED AS "UNJUSTIFIED REPRISAL" THE AMERICAN REQUEST TO CLOSE DOWN THE CZECH CONSULATES IN PITTSBURGH AND CLEVELAND AND TO REDUCE CZECH REPRESENTATION IN THE UNITED STATES BY TWO THIRDS. THIS, THE MINISTRY SAID, WAS A "CRUDE VIOLATION OF THE USUAL INTER-STATE RELATIONS."

(THE AMERICAN DEMAND UPON CZECHOSLOVAKIA WAS IN ITSELF A REPRISAL FOR THE ORIGINAL CZECH ORDER. IN WASHINGTON GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS INDICATED A NEW U.S. RETALIATION WOULD MEET TODAY'S CZECH ORDER.)

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LONDON, MAY 23-(AP)-CZECHOSLOVAKIA DEMANDED TODAY THAT THE UNITED STATES CUT ITS DIPLOMATIC STAFF IN PRAGUE TO FOUR OR FIVE OFFICIALS, ADVICES FROM PRAGUE SAID.

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30.24- 11267

London, May 23-(ap)-The communist czechoslovak government is about to order a new cut in the u.s. diplomatic staff, advices from prague said today.

The american staff, which had numbered about 67, already has been reduced to about 15 by the cut ordered by czechoslovakia late in april. the prague advices said the new order now is being prepared by the czech government, which has accused u.s. embassy and consular staff member of being involved in spying.

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PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, MAY 23-(AP)-THE COMMUNIST-CONTROLLED CZECHOSLOVAK CABINET DECIDED TODAY TO SET UP A NEW MINISTRY--THE MINISTRY OF NATIONAL SECURITY--WITH LADISLAV KOPRIVA AS THE MINISTER.
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THE SETTING UP OF THE NEW MINISTRY BY THE CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT PROBABLY IS A PHASE OF THE RECENT GOVERNMENT SHAKEUP IN WHICH DEFENSE MINISTER LUDVIK SVOBODA WAS REPLACED BY THE ARDENT COMMUNIST ALEXEI CEPICKA, SON-IN-LAW OF PRESIDENT KLEMENT GOTTWALD.
THIS CHANGE WAS ONE OF SEVERAL ANNOUNCED AT THE END OF APRIL. SVOBODA JOINED THE COMMUNIST PARTY ONLY AFTER IT CAME TO POWER IN 1948. HE WAS ASSIGNED A NEW JOB--DIRECTOR OF THE STATE OFFICE FOR PHYSICAL CULTURE AND SPORT.
KOPRIVA IS ANOTHER ARDENT COMMUNIST OF LONG STANDING. HE WAS CZECHOSLOVAKIA'S REPRESENTATIVE IN RECENT MEETINGS OF THE COMMUNIST INTERNATIONAL INFORMATION BUREAU AND HE ALSO HAS BEEN AN ACTIVE FIGURE BEHIND THE SCENES IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA'S COMMUNIST PARTY PURGE.
IT WAS KOPRIVA WHO ISSUED TO THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE IN MARCH THE REPORT OF THE PURGE OF "TITOIST CLIQUE" ELEMENTS FROM THE GOVERNMENT AND THE PARTY.
HIS APPOINTMENT NOW AS SECURITY MINISTER IS IN LINE WITH SIMILAR TIGHTENING UP IN OTHER RUSSIAN SATELLITE COUNTRIES, WHERE MOSCOW-TRAINED COMMUNISTS WHOLLY LOYAL TO THE KREMLIN HAVE BEEN REPLACING THOSE WHO WERE MORE NATIONALIST-MINDED.
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BELGRADE, MAY 23-(AP)-YUGOSLAVIA SENT EIGHT GREEK CHILDREN BACK TO THEIR PARENTS TODAY AFTER MORE THAN TWO YEARS OF EXILE FROM THEIR NATIVE LAND. THIS WAS THE FIRST COMLIANCE BY YUGOSLAVIA TO A UNITED NATIONS CALL FOR RETURN OF REFUGEE CHILDREN WHO HAVE BEEN SEPARATED FROM THEIR PARENTS BY THE CIVIL WAR
IN GREECE.
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(180) CZECH
WASHINGTON, MAY 23-(AP)-GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS INDICATED TODAY THE UNITED STATES WILL RETALIATE PROMPTLY IF COMMUNIST CZECHOSLOVAKIA INSISTS ON A FURTHER REDUCTION IN THE AMERICAN EMBASSY STAFF AT PRAGUE.
PRAGUE REPORTED THAT THE CZECH GOVERNMENT NOW HAS DEMANDED THAT U.S. DIPLOMATIC STAFF BE REDUCED TO 12. THE STAFF HAS JUST BEEN TRIMMED FROM ITS ORIGINAL 67 TO ABOUT 15 AT THE DEMAND OF THE PRAGUE REGIME.
THE AMERICAN RESPONSE TO THE EARLIER DEMAND WAS TO ORDER THE CLOSING OF CZECH CONSULATES IN PITTSBURGH AND CLEVELAND. A CONSULATE AND COMMERCIAL ATTACHE'S OFFICE REMAIN IN OPERATION IN NEW YORK AS WELL AS THE EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON.
STATE DEPARTMENT RECORDS LIST ABOUT 16 CZECH OFFICIALS AND AN EQUAL NUMBER OF CLERICAL EMPLOYES LEFT IN THIS COUNTRY. ABOUT A DOZEN ARE ON DUTY IN NEW YORK. THE EMBASSY STAFF IN WASHINGTON, HEADED BY AMBASSADOR VLADIMIR OUTRATA, INCLUDES FOUR OTHER OFFICIALS.
A PRAGUE NEWS DISPATCH WAS THE FIRST WORD THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAD OF A NEW DEMAND BY CZECHOSLOVAKIA. AT THE TIME IT ARRIVED, THE EMBASSY HAD NOT REPORTED SUCH A DEMAND.
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(140)
ATHENS, MAY 23-(AP)-OPPOSITION GROUPS LED BY FORMER FOREIGN MINISTER CONSTANTIN TSALDARIS CALLED ON THE GOVERNMENT TODAY TO PRESS FOR UNION OF CYPRUS WITH GREECE.
CYPRUS, A MEDITERRANEAN ISLAND MOSTLY PEOPLED BY GREEKS, IS RULED BY BRITAIN. IT IS THE SITE OF A LISTENING POST WHICH MONITORS IRON CURTAIN BROADCASTS AND IS A NAVAL AND AIR BASE.
THE CYPRUS QUESTION HAS BEEN AVOIDED BY PREVIOUS GREEK

POST-WAR GOVERNMENTS OF WHICH TSALDARIS HAS BEEN A MEMBER.

A DELEGATION OF CYPRIOTS, HEADED BY THE GREEK ORTHODOX ARCHBISHOP OF CYRENIA, IS HERE EN ROUTE TO LONDON AND UNITED NATIONS HEADQUARTERS IN LAKE SUCCESS TO DEMAND UNION WITH GREECE.

THE ARCHBISHOP BROUGHT WITH HIM THE RESULTS OF AN UNOFFICIAL PLEBISCITE CONDUCTED BY THE CHURCH. HE SAID IT SHOWED MORE THAN 95 PER CENT OF THE POPULATION WANTED UNION WITH THE GREEK "MOTHERLAND".

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MOSCOW,MAY 23-(AP)-THE COMMUNIST PARTY ORGAN PRAVDA TODAY URGED GERMAN WORKERS TO FORM A "NATIONAL FRONT" FOR ALL-OUT RESISTANCE TO THE FRENCH PLAN FOR POOLING OF FRENCH AND GERMAN COAL AND STEEL.

"THE TRANSPORT OF MILITARY MATERIALS SHOULD BE HINDERED AND RESISTANCE STRENGTHENED AGAINST DISMANTLING (OF GERMAN INDUSTRY) AND NEO-FASCISM," THE NEWSPAPER SAID.

(THE PROPOSAL TO FORM THE HEAVY INDUSTRY POOL, MADE BY FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN, HAS BEEN ENDORSED BY THE FRENCH CABINET AND BY WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER.)

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MOSCOW, MAY 23-(AP)-PRAVDA INDICATED TODAY THE SOVIET UNION WILL IGNORE, OFFICIALLY, THE LATEST UNITED STATES NOTE ON THE BALTIC SEA PLANE INCIDENT.

(THE LATEST AMERICAN NOTE, DATED MAY 5, REPEATED CHARGES THAT THE RUSSIANS WERE SOLELY RESPONSIBLE FOR THE LOSS OF A U.S. NAVY PRIVATEER PLANE AND ITS CREW OF TEN, WHICH THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID RUSSIAN FIGHTERS SHOT DOWN OVER THE OPEN BALTIC SEA APRIL 8. IT ACCUSED RUSSIA OF IGNORING INTERNATIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES IN DEALING WITH THE INCIDENT, AND LEFT THE WAY OPEN FOR POSSIBLE FUTURE APPEAL TO THE UNITED NATIONS.)

THE COMMUNIST PARTY NEWSPAPER SAID THE AMERICAN NOTE WAS "A COLLECTION OF UNSUPPORTED DECLARATIONS IN SHARP CONTRADICTION WITH EXACTLY ESTABLISHED FACTS WHICH ARE KNOWN NOW TO THE ENTIRE WORLD."

THE EDITORIAL, ENTITLED "STATE DEPARTMENT MORALS," IMPLIED THAT THE NOTE OF MAY 5 REQUIRES NO ANSWER, SINCE IT WAS A REPETITION OF THE PREVIOUS NOTE OF APRIL 18, WHICH WAS ANSWERED APRIL 21.

"CERTAIN OFFICIALS" OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT, PRAVDA SAID, APPARENTLY WERE DISSATISFIED BECAUSE THE SOVIETS DID NOT ANSWER THE NOTE OF MAY 5.

"THEY HAVE FORGOTTEN, EVIDENTLY, IT IS THE EXISTING PRACTICE OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT NOT TO ANSWER MANY SOVIET NOTES," PRAVDA ADDED.

THE NEWSPAPER SAID THE UNITED STATES NEVER REPLIED TO A RUSSIAN NOTE OF FEB. 1, DEMANDING THE EMPEROR HIROHITO OF JAPAN BE TRIED AS A WAR CRIMINAL; A NOTE OF APRIL 20 ON THE STATUS OF TRIESTE, AND NOTES OF JULY 7, 1948 AND FEB. 15, 1949, ON A CHARGE OF INTERFERENCE BY AMERICAN PLANES WITH NAVIGATION IN THE FAR EAST.

OF THE LATEST NOTE ON THE BALTIC INCIDENT, PRAVDA SAID THE UNITED STATES HAD BEEN PUT IN A DIFFICULT POSITION AND ITS ONLY WAY OUT WAS TO ACCEPT THE SOVIET PROTEST (THAT THE PLANE VIOLATED SOVIET TERRITORY.) PRAVDA SAID THE STATE DEPARTMENT TRIED TO FIND ANOTHER WAY OUT AND THE RESULT WAS THE MAY 5 NOTE, WHICH IT SAID WAS NOTHING BUT A REPETITION OF THE ORIGINAL ONE.

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD CHINESE.

BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI,FORMOSA, WEDNESDAY, MAY 24-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES CONSUL GENERAL TODAY "STRONGLY ADVISED" AMERICANS ON FORMOSA TO LEAVE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE UNLESS THEY INTEND TO REMAIN REGARDLESS OF MILITARY DEVELOPMENTS.

AN OFFICIAL NOTICE SIGNED BY CONSUL ROBERT STRONG INFORMED AMERICANS IN THIS MORNING'S MAIL:

"THERE CAN BE NO ASSURANCE THAT THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT WILL BE ABLE TO PROVIDE TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES IN ANY EMERGENCY THAT MAY ARISE."

AMERICANS ON THIS CHINESE NATIONALIST HOLDOUT BASTION INDICATED YESTERDAY THEY INTENDED TO REMAIN DESPITE THE THREAT OF A COMMUNIST INVASION WITHIN THE NEXT THREE MONTHS. IT WAS TOO EARLY TO DETERMINE REACTION TO STRONG'S NOTICE.

WASHINGTON ASKED THE U. S. AID CHIEF HERE YESTERDAY FOR HIS VIEWS ON FUTURE ECONOMIC GRANTS FOR NATIONALIST CHINA. THIS WAS TAKEN AS A HINT THE PROGRAM WILL CONTINUE.

DR. RAYMOND MOYER, HEAD OF THE ECONOMIC CO-OPERATION ADMINISTRATION HERE, SAID THE REQUEST WAS "PRESUMABLY IN EXPECTATION OF FAVORABLE ACTION" ON A BILL BEFORE CONGRESS TO EXTEND AID FOR ANOTHER YEAR. THE CURRENT ECA PROGRAM ENDS JUNE 30.

"THIS APPEARS TO INDICATE," HE SAID IN A STATEMENT, "THAT ECA IN WASHINGTON IS NOT CLOSING DOWN THE PROGRAM IN FORMOSA."

OTHER AMERICANS APPEARED BENT ON REMAINING HERE DESPITE THE THREAT OF A COMMUNIST INVASION WITHIN THE NEXT THREE MONTHS.

A SURVEY BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS SHOWED NO ONE IS PREPARING TO LEAVE SIMPLY BECAUSE OF THE INVASION MENACE. MOST OF THE AMERICANS ARE MISSIONARIES OR BUSINESSMEN.

SOME OF THEM SAID THEY INTENDED TO LEAVE IF AN INVASION SEEMED IMMINENT.

THE CIVIL WAR WAS IN A LULL. PRESUMABLY THE COMMUNISTS ARE BUSY 100 MILES AWAY ON THE MAINLAND PREPARING FOR THE INVASION ACROSS FORMOSA STRAIT.

THE DEFENSE MINISTRY CHARGED THAT 400,000 RUSSIANS WOULD SETTLE IN MANCHURIA UNDER TERMS AGREED UPON IN MOSCOW. IT SAID 20,000 ALREADY HAD ARRIVED.

THE MINISTRY ALSO ALLEGED THAT 30,000 RUSSIAN ADVISERS AND TECHNICIANS WERE ATTACHED TO THE CHINESE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT AND ARMY. THE LATTER WERE SAID TO BE HELPING PREPARE FOR THE FORMOSA VENTURE.

THE MINISTRY MAINTAINED THAT PEIPING STILL WAS SHIPPING FOOD AND

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SLAVE LABOR TO RUSSIA IN EXCHANGE FOR ARMS AND AMMUNITION.
(CHINESE PRESS REPORTS IN HONG KONG SAID THE NATIONALISTS HAD REPULSED A COMMUNIST ATTEMPT TO SEIZE THE WANSHAN ISLANDS. NATIONALISTS USE THE ISLANDS WEST OF HONG KONG IN BLOCKADING CHINA'S SOUTH COAST.
(THE INDEPENDENT WAH KIU YAT PO SAID THE LAST INVADER WAS DRIVEN OFF SUNDAY. THE NATIONALISTS CLAIMED THEY KILLED 1,000 INVADERS AND SANK 70 JUNKS).
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CHINESE (250)
BY SPENCER MOOSA
TAIPEI,MAY 23-(AP)-DR.RAYMOND MOYER, HEAD OF THE ECA IN FORMOSA, SAID TODAY WASHINGTON HAD REQUESTED HIS VIEWS ON CONTINUED AMERICAN AID TO CHINA.
THE ECA PROGRAM FOR FORMOSA IS SCHEDULED TO END JUNE 30.
DR.MOYER SAID THE REQUEST FOR HIS ADVICE WAS "SENT PRESUMABLY IN EXPECTATION OF FAVORABLE ACTION" BY CONGRESS ON A PROPOSAL TO EXTEND AID TO FORMOSA. HE ADDED "THIS APPEARS TO INDICATE THAT ECA IN WASHINGTON IS NOT CLOSING DOWN THE PROGRAM IN FORMOSA."
MOYER DENIED REPORTS THAT HIS OFFICE HAD BEEN ALERTED TO CLOSE.
A QUICK SURVEY BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS SHOWED NO AMERICAN IN THIS NATIONALIST CAPITAL WAS PREPARING TO LEAVE. NONE SEEMED WORRIED ABOUT ANY IMPENDING CRISIS.
THE U.S. CONSULATE HAS SUGGESTED THAT AMERICANS WITHOUT ANY COMPELLING REASON TO REMAIN SHOULD LEAVE WHILE NORMAL TRANSPORTATION IS AVAILABLE.
MOST AMERICANS--BUSINESS MEN, MISSIONARIES AND STAFFS OF OFFICIAL AGENCIES--PLAN TO LEAVE IF RED INVASION SEEMS IMMINENT.
THE NATIONALIST DEFENSE MINISTRY ANNOUNCED RUSSIA PLANNED TO SEND 400,000 SOVIET RESIDENTS TO MANCHURIA UNDER THE SINO RED-SOVIET AGREEMENT SIGNED IN MOSCOW. THE MINISTRY SAID MORE THAN 20,000 RUSSIANS ALREADY HAD ARRIVED IN HARBIN, CHANGCHUN, MUKDEN AND OTHER MANCHURIAN CITIES.
THE MINISTRY ALSO ASSERTED 30,000 RUSSIAN ADVISERS AND TECHNICIANS ARE ATTACHED TO THE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT AND ARMY IN PEIPING. THE ADVISERS ARE HELPING THE CHINESE REDS PLAN INVASION OF FORMOSA, THE MINISTRY SAID.
IT CHARGED FURTHER THAT THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS WERE CONTINUING TO SHIP FOOD AND SLAVE LABOR TO THE SOVIET UNION IN RETURN FOR RUSSIAN ARMS AND AMMUNITION.
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A64FX
HONG KONG,MAY 23-(AP)-CHINESE REPORTS AGREED TODAY THAT THE REDS FAILED IN THEIR FIRST ATTEMPT TO INVADE WANSHAN (LADRONE) ISLAND, BUT PREDICTED A SECOND ATTEMPT.
A WANSHAN DISPATCH TO THE NEWSPAPER WAH KIU YAT PO, AN INDEPENDENT, SAID THE NATIONALISTS HAD DRIVEN OFF THE LAST CHINESE COMMUNIST INVADER SUNDAY. NATIONALIST CLAIMS RAN TO 1,000 REDS KILLED AND 70 JUNKS SUNK.
TRAFFIC PLYING THE HONG KONG-MACAO STEAMER ROUTE WHICH SKIRTS WANSHAN WAS RESUMED TODAY. IT WAS ABANDONED FRIDAY ON THE ADVICE OF HONG KONG HARBOR AUTHORITIES.
CC330APD NM

B44KX (Q)
APW (160)
TOKYO,MAY 23-(AP)-THE CHINESE COMMUNIST PEIPING RADIO BROADCAST TODAY THAT "UNLESS THERE IS AN IMMEDIATE CHANGE IN THE ACTIONS AND ATTITUDE OF GREAT BRITAIN, THE ONLY CONSEQUENCE CAN BE TO AROUSE THE ANGER OF THE CHINESE PEOPLE."
THE STATEMENT, ATTRIBUTED TO A SPOKESMAN FOR THE COMMUNIST-APPROVED DEMOCRATIC LEAGUE, ADDED:
"IN SUCH A CASE, SINO-BRITISH RELATIONS WOULD BE UNABLE TO PROCEED ON THE RIGHT TRACK AND DIPLOMATIC TALKS NOW GOING ON BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES WOULD NOT ACHIEVE ANY GOOD RESULT."
(THE BRITISH HAVE RECOGNIZED COMMUNIST CHINA BUT THE REDS HAVE DALLIED ON SETTING UP DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS.)
THE BROADCAST, MONITORED HERE, IS THE SECOND ATTACK IN TWO DAYS ON WHAT THE REDS CALL BRITISH "DUPLICITY"IN DEALING WITH THE COMMUNISTS. THE BROADCAST COMPLAINED OF BRITISH TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS AND GROUNDING OF FORMER NATIONALIST PLANES THE REDS CLAIM IN HONG KONG AND BRITISH REFUSAL TO VOTE "FOR OUR REPRESENTATION TO THE UNITED NATIONS."
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A134KX
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TOKYO,WEDNESDAY, MAY 24-(AP)-RUSSIA BOYCOTTED ANOTHER SESSION OF THE ALLIED COUNCIL FOR JAPAN TODAY. BUT THIS TIME THE SOVIETS GAVE NO REASON.
THE RUSSIANS HAVE WALKED OUT OR BOYCOTTED EIGHT PREVIOUS MEETINGS OF THE FOUR-POWER COUNCIL. EACH TIME IT WAS BECAUSE SOVIET FAILURE TO COMPLETE REPATRIATION OF JAPANESE WAR PRISONERS WAS ON THE AGENDA.
THE AGENDA FOR TODAY'S MEETING WAS BLANK.
LT. GEN. KUZMA DEREVYANKO, HEAD OF THE SOVIET MISSION, COULD NOT BE REACHED FOR COMMENT ON HIS ABSENCE.
THE COUNCIL WAS FORMED AT MOSCOW IN DECEMBERR, 1945, TO ADVISE AND CONSULT WITH GENERAL MACARTHUR ON OCCUPATION AFFAIRS. MEMBERS ARE RUSSIA, UNITED STATES, BRITISH COMMONWEALTH AND CHINA.
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B39KX (Q)
(LPA)
TOKYO,MAY 23-(AP)-THE FREIGHTER AIO AGUAPEY, FIRST POSTWAR ARGENTINE SHIP TO REACH JAPAN, DELIVERED 9,200 TONS OF WHEAT AND 100 TONS OF RELIEF GOODS TODAY.
THE 9,600-TON VESSEL INAUGURATED THE ARGENTINE-JAPAN SERVICE WHICH PREVIOUSLY HAD BEEN HANDLED CHIEFLY BY THE JAPANESE.
AMERICO GUERRA, ARGENTINE GOVERNMENT REPRESENTATIVE ABOARD, SAID REOPENING OF THE STEAMSHIP LINE WOULD PLAY A SIGNIFICANT ROLE IN RELATIONS BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES.
THE RELIEF SHIPMENT WAS DONATED BY EVA PERON, WIFE OF THE ARGENTINE PRESIDENT.
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A36FX
SEOUL, MAY 23-(AP)-MINISTER OF JUSTICE KWON KEUNG YUL RESIGNED TODAY. HE WAS THE FIFTH KOREAN CABINET MEMBER TO BOW OUT IN THREE WEEKS.
FT140APD NM

A35FX
SEOUL, MAY 23-(AP)-THE GOVERNMENT TODAY INVITED U.S.DEFENSE SECRETARY JOHNSON AND GEN.OMAR BRADLEY TO VISIT SOUTH KOREA DURING THEIR FAR EAST TRIP.
FT141APD

A34FX
SEOUL, MAY 23-(AP)-THE DEFENSE MINISTRY TODAY REPORTED 27 GUERRILLAS FROM COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA WERE KILLED SUNDAY 70 MILES NORTH OF SEOUL. THAT, IT SAID, COMPLETED AN ARMY WIPE-OUT OF 700 GUERRILLAS WHO CAME DOWN FROM THE NORTH MARCH 27.
FT139APD

A119FX
MANILA,MAY 23-(AP)-MAYOR MANUEL DE LA FUENTE, A FORMER BOXER, REFUSED TODAY TO JOIN OTHER CITY OFFICIALS IN A PRAYER FOR DEMOCRACY.
"I WOULD RATHER FIGHT IT OUT," SAID DE LA FUENTE, WHOSE PUGILISTIC CAREER INCLUDED SCRAPS WITH SOME OF THE BEST.
AN HOUR OF PRAYER HAD BEEN PROPOSED BY CITY COUNCILLORS. THEY OPPOSE LEGISLATION TO REPLACE MANILA'S REPRESENTATIVE FORM OF GOVERNMENT WITH A COMMISSION.
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B24 (Q)
SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA, MAY 23-(AP)-AN AUSTRALIAN GOVERNMENT DELEGATION LEFT BY PLANE FOR MANILA TONIGHT TO ATTEND THE MAY 26 CONFERENCE OF SOUTHEAST ASIAN AND WESTERN PACIFIC COUNTRIES IN THE PHILIPPINES SUMMER CAPITAL AT BAGUIO.
DR.J.W.BURTON, SECRETARY IN THE EXTERNAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT, HEADED THE DELEGATION, ACCOMPANIED BY A.TANG, COUNCILLOR IN CHARGE OF THE UNITED NATIONS DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT, AND K.WALLER, FORMER AUSTRALIAN CONSUL GENERAL IN MANILA.
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B127 (Q)
SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA, MAY 23-(AP)-MEMBERS OF THE AUSTRALIAN WAR CRIMES COURT WHICH WILL TRY JAPANESE PRISONERS NEXT MONTH ON MANUS ISLAND, IN THE ADMIRALTIES, LEFT BY PLANE TODAY TO START PREPARATIONS.
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43'8$8,& 9;34 5£3 :9745 28)) ?3)8375. COL. N.J. QUINTON, FORMER PRESIDENT OF THE AUSTRALIAN WAR CRIMES COURT AT HONG KONG, IN ASSOCIATION WITH BRIGADIER K.TOWNLEY. A NEW ZEALAND OFFICER ALSO WILL SIT ON THE COURT. THE TRIALS ARE EXPECTED TO LAST FOR SEVERAL MONTHS.
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B27 (Q)
(150)
CANBERRA, AUSTRALIA, MAY 23-(AP)-JOSEPH B.CHIFLEY, OPPOSITION LABOR PARTY LEADER, TODAY ACCUSED EXTERNAL AFFAIRS MINISTER PERCY SPENDER OF "FAWNING AND SLOBBERING" OVER INDONESIA'S PRESIDENT SOEKARNO. CHIFLEY WAS PRIME MINISTER OF THE LABOR GOVERNMENT DISPLACED BY A LIBERAL-COUNTRY PARTY COALITION.
IN A HEATED DEBATE IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OVER THE PROPOSED BILL TO OUTLAW THE COMMUNIST PARTY, CHIFLEY SAID THE LIBERAL PARTY LEADER, PRIME MINISTER ROBERT G.MENZIES, HAD ONCE DESCRIBED SOEKARNO AS A "COMMUNIST AND JAPANESE COLLABORATOR" BEFORE HE CAME TO OFFICE LAST DECEMBER.
BUT NOW, CHIFLEY COMPLAINED, MENZIES' GOVERNMENT HAS CABLED SOEKARNO, CONGRATULATING HIM AND PROPOSING AID TO HIS RECENTLY FORMED U.S.I. GOVERNMENT.
IN REPLY, MENZIES TERMED CHIFLEY'S REMARKS "MOST OFFENSIVE SUGGESTIONS." HE SAID SPENDER HAD SHOWN ONLY NORMAL DIPLOMATIC COURTESIES TO SOEKARNO WHILE HE WAS PASSING THROUGH THE U.S.I. CAPITAL AT JAKARTA RECENTLY. HE ADDED THAT CHIFLEY'S LABOR GOVERNMENT HAD BEEN HOSTILE TO THE DUTCH AND HAD DONE ALL IN ITS POWER TO DRIVE THEM FROM INDONESIA.
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MANILA,MAY 23-(AP)-BURMA APPARENTLY HAS CHANGED HER MIND ABOUT ATTENDING THE BAGUIO CONFERENCE OF SOUTHEAST ASIA NATIONS.
CARLOS P.ROMULO, SECRETARY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, ANNOUNCED TODAY THE BURMESE GOVERNMENT HAD EXPRESSED REGRET OVER ITS INABILITY TO ATTEND.
YESTERDAY PRESIDENT QUIRINO SAID BURMA WOULD ATTEND.
ROMULO SAID HE STILL AWAITED WORD FROM NEW ZEALAND AS TO ITS INTENTION.
SEVEN OTHER NATIONS HAVE INDICATED ACCEPTANCE. THEY ARE AUSTRALIA, CEYLON, INDIA, INDONESIA, PAKISTAN, THAILAND ANDHTHE PHILIPPINES.
THE CONFERENCE AT THE PHILIPPINES SUMMER CAPITAL OPENS FRIDAY.
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A20 (400)

BY ARTHUR GAVSHON

PRETORIA, SOUTH AFRICA, MAY 23-(AP)-THE UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA HAS LAUNCHED A HUSH HUSH URANIUM PRODUCTION PROJECT WHICH GOVERNMENT LEADERS THINK WILL HELP THE WEST MAINTAIN WORLD ATOMIC SUPREMACY.

QUALIFIED INFORMANTS CONNECTED WITH THE PROJECT DISCLOSED TODAY THAT A NUMBER OF PILOT PLANTS HAVE SWUNG INTO PRODUCTION AT KEY POINTS ALONG THE RICH WITWATERS RAND GOLD REEF. THE PLANTS ARE EXTRACTING PRECIOUS URANIUM-- THE FISSIONABLE MATERIAL WHICH GIVES ATOMIC BOMBS THEIR FORCE--FROM GOLD ORE WHICH SEEMS TO BE IN ALMOST LIMITLESS SUPPLY HERE.

THE INFORMANTS EXPRESSED THE VIEW THAT IF THE WITWATERS RAND PROJECT FULFILLS EXPECTATIONS THIS COUNTRY LIKELY WILL BECOME THE MOST IMPORTANT SOURCE OF URANIUM IN QUANTITY IN THE WORLD.

EXPERIMENTS UNDER WAY IN THE PILOT PLANTS ARE EXPECTED TO LEAD TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A WHOLE CHAIN OF SIMILAR PROCESSING FACTORIES ALONG THE WITWATERS RAND IN WHICH URANIUM WILL BE RECLAIMED FROM NORMALLY WASTED GOLD TAILINGS.

THERE ARE BETWEEN 40 AND 50 PRODUCING GOLD MINES ALONG THE WITWATERS RAND, WHICH IS LOCATED SOUTH AND WEST OF PRETORIA AND EXTENDS UNDER JOHANNESBURG.

LAST YEAR THOSE MINES MILLED SOMETHING LIKE 57,000,000 TONS OF GOLD ORE. THE AMOUNT OF URANIUM CONTAINED IN GOLD ORE IS NOT GREAT BUT AS THE THEN DDVINIST

GREAT BUT AS THE THEN MINES MINISTER ERIC LOUW TOLD THE UNION PARLIAMENT ON JUNE 16, 1949: "IN THE TOTAL X X X IT MEANS A VERY BIG AMOUNT OF URANIUM."

THE SIGNIFICANCE OF SOUTH AFRICA'S ROLE IN THE WORLD URANIUM RUSH SEEMS TO LIE IN THE FACT THAT THE EARTH'S SUPPLIES OF THE JIENT ARE LI

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SEEMS TO LIE IN THE FACT THAT THE EARTH'S SUPPLIES OF THE ELEMENT ARE LIMITED. SOUTH AFRICA'S RESOURCES HAVE LURED AMERICAN AND BRITISH ATOMIC ENERGY OFFICIALS HERE SEVERAL TIMES SINCE 1946.

THE UNION ALREADY HAS OFFERED TO SELL HER POTENTIAL URANIUM OUTPUT TO AMERICAN AND BRITISH ATOMIC ENERGY AUTHORITIES. BOTH THESE COUNTRIES KNOW SOUTH AFRICA'S OUTPUT WOULD HELP THEM HIT THEIR TARGETS IN LONG-RANGE PEACETIME DEVELOPMENT OF ATOMIC POWER AND IN THE STORAGE OF ATOMIC WEAPONS.

JOINT AMERICAN-BRITISH-SOUTH AFRICAN CONSULTATION AND RESEARCH PRECEDED THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE WITWATERS RAND PILOT PLANTS WHICH ARE BEING MANNED ENTIRELY BY UNION SCIENTISTS AND TECHNICIANS. THREE-POWER COLLABORATION IN RESEARCH STILL IS CONTINUING.

MONTHS OF NEGOTIATIONS HAVE FAILED TO PRODUCE AN ACCORD BETWEEN THE THREE COUNTRIES ON PRICES, CONTRACTS AND TERMS OF SALE OF THE ELEMENT. THE DEAL SO FAR HAS BEEN SNARLED OVER THE DOLLAR-SHORT SOUTH AFRICAN'S TERMS WHICH THE UNITED STATES REPORTEDLY THINKS ARE TOO STIFF.

OFFICIALS OF EACH COUNTRY FREEZE INTO SILENCE OVER THE ACTUAL PROGRESS OF NEGOTIATIONS EXCEPT TO SAY THEY ARE GOING ON. THE LASTO SET OF TALKS, HELD HERE EARLY THIS YEAR, WERE SUMMARILY ADJOURNED TO ALLOW THE DELEGATES TO CONSULT THEIR GOVERNMENTS. A NEW PARLEY OVER PRICE IS EXPECTED LATER THIS YEAR.

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RANGOON, BURMA, MAY 23-(AP)-INFORMED SOURCES SAID TODAY THERE IS A 50-50 CHANCE THAT THE REBEL WHITE-BAND PEOPLE'S VOLUNTEER ORGANIZATION (PVO) WILL SOON REACH A PEACE AGREEMENT WITH THE BURMA GOVERNMENT.

THESE SOURCES SAID DISCUSSIONS ARE PROCEEDING BETWEEN PVO VICE-PRESIDENT BO LA YAUNG AND BURMESE DEFENSE MINISTER BO NE WIN ON THE BASIS OF REORGANIZING PVO INTO A NEW POLITICAL GROUP AFTER ITS MEMBERS LAY DOWN THEIR ARMS.

THE WHITE-BAND PVO, IN THE EARLY POSTWAR PERIOD, WAS THE MAIN PROP OF THE BURMESE GOVERNMENT. IT FELL OUT WITH THE GOVERNMENT IN LATE 1948 WHEN THE GOVERNMENT DECLINED TO NEGOTIATE PEACE TERMS WITH BURMESE COMMUNISTS.

LA YAUNG IS REPORTED TO HAVE ASSURED THE GOVERNMENT HIS COMRADES ARE READY FOR PEACE FOLLOWING THE RECENT GOVERNMENT OFFER OF AMNESTY. THE PVO CHIEF, BO PO KUN, A FORMER EDUCATION MINISTER, WAS SAID TO BE AWAITING THE OUTCOME OF THE TALKS AT MINHLA, NORTH OF RANGOON.

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SRINAGAR, KASHMIR, MAY 23-(AP)-A FORMER GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL OF THE WEST CHINA PROVINCE OF SINKIANG SAID HERE TODAY THAT 5,000 SINKIANG GUERRILLAS WERE FIGHTING THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS IN THE MOUNTAINS NEAR THE CAPITAL CITY OF URUMCHI.

ISA YUSUF BEG EFFANDI, FORMER GENERAL SECRETARY OF THE PROVINCE WHO LEFT WHEN THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS TOOK OVER, TOLD NEWSMEN THAT GUERRILLAS "ALL OVER THE VAST MOUNTAINOUS COUNTRY" AIMED AT "GIVING NO RESPITE TO THE COMMUNISTS, AND AT THROWING OFF THE REGIME WHENEVER THE OPPORTUNITY COMES."

COMMUNIST RADIO BROADCASTS HEARD FROM URUMCHI TWO WEEKS AGO SAID A TERRITORIAL FORCE HAD BEEN RAISED IN SINKIANG TO PUT DOWN XZBANDITS," FIVE OF WHOM WERE SAID TO HAVE BEEN KILLED NEAR URUMCHI.

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AFIQIM, ISRAEL, MAY 23-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER DAVID BEN-GURION SAID TODAY THAT RUSSIA HAD GIVEN NATIONAL FREEDOM TO EVERYONE IN THE SOVIET UNION EXCEPT THE JEWS, AND ASKED THAT ZIONISTS IN RUSSIA BE ALLOWED TO LEAVE FOR ISRAEL IF THEY WISH.

SPEAKING AT A CELEBRATION OF THE 25TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE FOUNDING OF THIS COMMUNAL SETTLEMENT IN THE JORDAN VALLEY NEAR TIBERIAS, BEN-GURION EMPHASIZED THE OUTSTANDING PART RUSSIAN JEWRY HAD HAD IN BUILDING ISRAEL. AFIQIM WAS FOUNDED BY RUSSIAN JEWS.

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MONTEVIDEO, URUGUAY, MAY 23-(AP)-A SUBCOMMISSION OF THE UNITED NATIONS ADOPTED A CODE OF ETHICS FOR JOURNALISTS TONIGHT.
A PREAMBLE TO THE CODE SAID ITS PURPOSE WAS TO SAFEGUARD FREEDOM OF INFORMATION AND THE PRESS WHICH, IT SAID, CAN BEST BE ACCOMPLISHED BY NEWSMEN SEEKING TRUTH WITH A SPIRIT OF RESPONSIBILITY.
BEFORE FINAL ACCEPTANCE, THE COMMISSION, LED BY UNITED STATES DELEGATE CARROLL BINDER, BEAT DOWN THE SO-CALLED "PROPAGANDA CLAUSES" WHICH WOULD HAVE PLEDGED NEWSMEN TO "WORK FOR PEACE."
THE PEACE PROPOSALS WERE SPONSORED BY LEBANON AND YUGOSLAVIA.
BINDER SAID ADOPTION OF SUCH A CLAUSE WOULD BE DANGEROUS BECAUSE IT WOULD MAKE FOSTERING PROPAGANDA, NO MATTER HOW WORTHY, PART OF A NEWSMAN'S JOB.
THE COMMISSION'S MEETINGS WERE BOYCOTTED BY RUSSIA BECAUSE OF THE PRESENCE OF CHINESE NATIONALIST DELEGATES.
THE CODE, AS ADOPTED--ITS ENFORCEMENT WILL BE UP TO NEWSMEN THEMSELVES--CALLS FOR:
FACTUALLY ACCURATE AND OBJECTIVE NEWS COVERAGE, NO ACCEPTANCE OF BRIBES, NO CALUMNY, LIBEL OR PLAGIARISM, VOLUNTARY CORRECTIONS OF FALSE NEWS, IDENTIFICATION OF RUMORS AS SUCH, RESPONSIBILITY FOR ALL STATEMENTS PUBLISHED, RESPECT FOR THE PRIVATE LIVES OF INDIVDUALS, RESPECT FOR THE CONFIDENCE OF NEWS SOURCES, AND WIDE BACKGROUND KNOWLEDGE OF FOREIGN COUNTRIES BY CORRESPONDENTS COVERING THOSE COUNTRIES.
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montevideo, uruguay, may 23--(ap)--the following is the text of a code of ethics for the newspaper profession adotped here today by the united nations subcommission on freedom of information and the press:

preamble: whereas freedom of information and the press is vital to all fundamental freedoms consecrated by the charter of the united nations and the universal declaration of human rights and peace and humanity

whereas that freedom can best be safeguarded by the personnel of the press and other means of information constantly maintaining and promoting through their voluntary action a spirit of responsibility in which they seek the truth, report facts or comment thereon.

therefore the following code of ethics is proclaimed as a standard practice and professional conduct of everyone engaged in gathering, transmission and dissemination of news and comments thereon.

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article first: (1) all engaged in the gathering, transmission and dissemination of news and commenting theron shall make the utmost endeavor to ensure that the information the public receives is factually accurate abd objective. every item of information whenever open to doubt shall be checked and no fact distorted or an essential fact suppressed. they shall never publish any matter or be a party to publishing information known to be false. personal interests shall not influence professional conduct. whether for publication or suppression, acceptance of inducement of a bribe is one of the

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gravest professional offenses.

(2) calumny, slander, libel, unfounded accusation and plagiarism are also serious professional offenses.

3—Any published information which is found inaccurate shall be to be voluntarily and immediately rectified.

4—Rumors and unconfirmed news shall be identified and treated as such.

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Article II

1—All engaged in gathering, transmission and [redacted] dissemination of news and commenting thereon shall seek to maintain full public confidence in the integrity and dignity of their profession. They shall assign and accept only such tasks as are compatible with this integrity and dignity and shall guard against exploitation of their status.

2—Full responsibility shall be assumed for all information and comments published. If responsibility is disclaimed this shall be explicitly stated in advance.

3—[redacted] The reputation of individuals shall be [redacted] respected.

news regarding their private life which is likely to harm reputations

shall not be published unless in the public interest as distinguished from public curiosity. Charges against anyone shall not be made without an opportunity for reply.

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4—Discretion shall be observed in information on matters revealed in confidence. Professional secrecy must be observed and this privilege may always be invoked, taking the law of the country into account.

Article [redacted]

All engaged in gathering information about countries other than their own or commenting on them shall make the utmost endeavor to acquire the necessary background knowledge conductive to accurate objective reporting

and comment concerning these countries.

(End Text)

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CANBERRA, AUSTRALIA, MAY 23-(AP)-A GOVERNMENT BILL TO OUTLAW THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN AUSTRALIA PASSED ALL STAGES IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TODAY. IT NOW GOES TO THE LABOR-CONTROLLED SENATE. LABOR HAS AGREED IN PRINCIPLE TO THE BILL, BUT HAS SAID IT WILL TRY TO AMEND IT.
GOVERNMENT SUPPORTERS OF PRIME MINISTER ROBERT G. MENZIES TURNED DOWN A LABOR AMENDMENT IN THE HOUSE WHICH WOULD HAVE PLACED THE BURDEN OF PROOF OF COMMUNIST AFFILIATION WITH THE GOVERNMENT. THE VOTE WAS 60 TO 40.
EARLIER, AT A NEWS CONFERENCE, MENZIES SAID NO DECLARATIONS OF COMMUNIST AFFILIATION WOULD BE MADE WITHOUT A CABINET DECISION BASED ON THE RECOMMENDATION OF A PANEL OF CIVIL SERVANTS.
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NIGHT LEAD RUSSIAN

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BY JOHN M. NIGHTOWER
WASHINGTON, MAY 23-(AP)-THE WESTERN POWERS ACCUSED RUSSIA TODAY OF BUILDING A SECRET GERMAN ARMY UNDER THE GUISE OF A POLICE FORCE.
IN SEPARATE NOTES TO THE KREMLIN, THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE DECLARED THE SO-CALLED EAST GERMAN POLICE FORCE IS ARMED WITH MILITARY WEAPONS AND VIOLATES EVERY AGREEMENT MADE BY THE FOUR POWERS AGAINST THE MILITARIZATION OF GERMANY.
IN VARYING DEGREES OF BLUNTNESS, THE WESTERN GOVERNMENTS THEN SAID IT WOULD BE A GOOD IDEA FOR THE RUSSIANS TO DISBAND THIS EAST GERMAN FORCE -- ALTHOUGH OBVIOUSLY NONE EXPECT THAT TO HAPPEN. THE PROTESTS WERE MOSTLY "FOR THE RECORD" -- ANOTHER WESTERN BLAST AT THE EAST IN THE COLD WAR.
THE AMERICAN NOTE SAID THE RUSSIAN CONDUCT IN THIS CASE IS SIMPLY ANOTHER ACTION BY WHICH THE SOVIETS HAVE "DESTROYED WORLD CONFIDENCE" IN THEIR SINCERITY AND PEACEFUL INTENTIONS. THE AMERICAN NOTE ADDED:
"IF THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT WISHES TO RESTORE IN SOME MEASURE INTERNATIONAL CONFIDENCE IN ITS ALLEGED ATTACHMENT TO PEACE, IT CANNOT FAIL TO DISSOLVE IMMEDIATELY THE MILITARIZED UNITS WHICH IT HAS SET UP IN EASTERN GERMANY."
THE 50,000-MAN POLICE FORCE, THE UNITED STATES TOLD RUSSIA, IS ARMED WITH MACHINE GUNS, HOWITZERS, ANTI-AIRCRAFT CANNON, MORTARS AND TANKS. IT RECEIVES BASIC INFANTRY, ARTILLERY, AND ARMORED WEAPONS TRAINING. IT DOES NOT HAVE ORDINARY POLICE DUTIES, THE UNITED STATES SAID.
THE AMERICAN NOTE THEN POINTED TO THE YALTA AGREEMENT, THE POTSDAM AGREEMENT, AND OTHER PACTS, ALL OF WHICH BAR MILITARY ORGANIZATIONS IN GERMANY. RUSSIA WAS A PARTY TO ALL THOSE AGREEMENTS, MADE IN THE DAYS WHEN THE BIG FOUR GOVERNMENTS STILL EXPECTED EAST-WEST COOPERATION IN PREVENTING A GERMAN MILITARY REVIVAL.
THE UNITED STATES SAID THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A MILITARY

IN PREVENTING A GERMAN MILITARY REVIVAL.
THE UNITED STATES SAID THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A MILITARY FORCE IN EASTERN GERMANY WAS IMPOSSIBLE WITHOUT SOVIET APPROVAL AND "IS AN ACTION SQUARELY IN OPPOSITION TO THE EFFORTS BEING MADE BY THE UNITED STATES AND OTHER NATIONS TO CREATE A STABLE AND LASTING PEACE."
THE BRITISH NOTE, PARALLELING THE AMERICAN, ACCUSED THE RUSSIANS OF PROMOTING "THE REVIVAL OF THE MILITARISTIC AND AGGRESSIVE SYSTEM WHICH THE FOUR OCCUPYING POWERS FOUGHT TOGETHER TO DESTROY."

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THE FRENCH NOTE WAS CONSIDERABLY MORE GUARDED IN ITS LANGUAGE. IT SAID THE EAST GERMAN POLICE HAVE "IN EFFECT A DEFINITELY MILITARY CHARACTER."
"THE GOVERNMENT OF THE FRENCH REPUBLIC," THE PARIS PROTEST SAID, "FEELS ITSELF OBLIGED TO EMPHASIZE THAT THE RECONSTITUTION IN EAST GERMANY OF FORMATIONS OF A MILITARY CHARACTER IS A FORMAL CONTRADICTION WITH ENGAGEMENTS TAKEN SEVERAL TIMES BY THE OCCUPYING POWERS."
THE FRENCH NOTE SUGGESTED THAT THE DISSOLUTION OF THE MILITARIZED POLICE FORCE WOULD "BE CONSIDERED BY INTERNATIONAL OPINION AS A CONCRETE GESTURE OF PARTICULAR SIGNIFICANCE."
THE STATE DEPARTMENT ALONG WITH ITS PROTEST RELEASED A SUMMARY OF WHAT THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT KNOWS ABOUT THE FORCE. THIS SAID:
"THE FORCE WAS ESTABLISHED IN AUGUST, 1949, UNDER GENERAL INSPEKTEUR (CQ) WILHELM ZAISSER, A SPANISH CIVIL WAR VETERAN WHO WAS KNOWN IN THAT CONFLICT AS "GENERAL GOMEZ."
THE SYSTEM COVERS TRAINING OF BOTH OFFICERS AND ENLISTED PERSONNEL AND VERY GOOD RELATIONS EXIST BETWEEN THE GERMAN OFFICERS AND THE RUSSIAN ARMY OFFICERS WHO WORK WITH THEM.
THERE IS IN THE FORCE A LOW STATE OF MORALE INDUCED AMONG OTHER THINGS BY SUBSTANDARD PERSONNEL AND POOR FACILITIES, BY DRASTIC RESTRICTIONS ON PERSONAL FREEDOM AND BY THE LACK OF PURPOSE. MANY MEMBERS OF THE FORCE WERE "VIRTUALLY COERCED INTO ENLISTING." DESERTERS HAVE INCREASED FROM 20 PER MONTH AT THE END OF LAST YEAR TO 80 PER MONTH AT THE END OF APRIL.
THE GOVERNMENT'S SUMMARY OF THE ORGANIZATION SAID THAT AT SOME FUTURE TIME IT SHOULD BE CAPABLE EITHER OF PROVIDING THE CORE OF AN EXPANDED GERMAN ARMY OR SERVING AS A MILITIA TO SUPPRESS INTERNAL DISORDER AND MAINTAIN COMMUNIST-SOVIET CONTROL.
POLITICAL TRAINING PARALLELS THE MILITARY TRAINING AND IS APPARENTLY EFFECTIVE AMONG THE OLD LINE GERMAN COMMUNISTS IN THE UNIT BUT ON THE LOWER LEVELS "POLITICAL RELIABILITY X X X IS POOR."
THE IDEA OF PROTESTING AGAINST THIS EAST GERMAN FORCE WAS ADVOCATED BY SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON IN TALKS WITH BRITISH FOREIGN MINISTER BEVIN AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER SCHUMAN AT LONDON DURING THE PAST TWO WEEKS. THE BRITISH AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTERS WERE NOT TOO ENTHUSIASTIC ABOUT MAKING A PUBLIC ISSUE OF THE MATTER. THEY FINALLY KNOCKED DOWN ACHESON'S IDEA OF A JOINT THREE-POWER PROTEST TO MOSCOW.
THE DEVICE OF "PARALLEL" PROTESTS WAS WORKED OUT INSTEAD. THIS ALLOWED THE FRENCH TO TAKE A LESS DRASTIC ATTITUDE THAN THE AMERICANS, AND THE BRITISH TO WRITE A NOTE WHICH DIFFERED FROM THAT OF THE UNITED STATES IN VARIOUS MINOR RESPECTS.
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WASHINGTON, MAY 23-(AP)-THE TEXT OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S ANNOUNCEMENT OF A UNITED STATES NOTE DEMANDING THAT RUSSIA DISSOLVE THE EAST GERMAN POLICE FORCE FOLLOWS: (ABOUT 2,200)

FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF A NOTE PRESENTED TO THE SOVIET FOREIGN OFFICE IN MOSCOW TODAY BY THE AMERICAN AMBASSADOR. THE ACCOMPANYING DATA IS FOR THE INFORMATION OF THE PRESS AND WAS NOT PART OF THE NOTE GIVEN TO THE SOVIETS. THE DECISION TO MAKE THIS PROTEST RESULTS FROM THE RECENT LONDON CONFERENCE OF FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE U.S., U.K. AND FRANCE.

"I HAVE THE HONOR TO EXPRESS TO YOU THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT'S GRAVE CONCERN AT A DEVELOPMENT IN EASTERN GERMANY WHICH IS ALREADY KNOWN TO THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS.

"THERE HAS BEEN CREATED IN THE PART OF GERMANY THAT IS SUBJECT TO SOVIET CONTROL A POLICE FORCE WHICH HAS, BY REASON OF ITS MILITARY TRAINING AND EQUIPMENT, THE CHARACTER OF AN ARMY. THIS ORGANIZATION IS CALLED THE MAIN ADMINISTRATION FOR TRAINING (HAUPTVERWALTUNG FUER AUSBILDUNG), AND IT AMOUNTS TO ABOUT 50,000 MEN. IT IS NOT AN ORDINARY POLICE FORCE, AND IT DOES NOT HAVE ORDINARY POLICE DUTIES. IT RECEIVES BASIC INFANTRY, ARTILLERY, AND ARMORED TRAINING AND IS EQUIPPED WITH MILITARY WEAPONS, INCLUDING MACHINE GUNS, HOWITZERS, ANTI-AIRCRAFT CANNON, MORTARS, AND TANKS. IT MUST BE REGARDED, THEREFORE, AS A MILITARY FORCE.

"THE SOVIET UNION HAS MANY TIMES EXPRESSED ITS ADHERENCE TO THE PRINCIPLE OF THE COMPLETE DISARMAMENT AND DEMILITARIZATION OF GERMANY. IN PARTICULAR, YOU WILL RECALL THE FOLLOWING INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENTS TO WHICH THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT WAS A PARTY:

"A. JOINT REPORT OF FEBRUARY 11, 1945, FOLLOWING THE ANGLO-SOVIET-AMERICAN CONFERENCE IN THE CRIMEA:

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"'IT IS OUR INFLEXIBLE PURPOSE TO DESTROY GERMAN MILITARISM AND NAZISM AND TO ENSURE THAT GERMANY WILL NEVER AGAIN BE ABLE TO DISTURB THE PEACE OF THE WORLD. WE ARE DETERMINED TO DISARM AND DISBAND ALL GERMAN ARMED FORCES; BREAK UP FOR ALL TIME THE GERMAN GENERAL STAFF THAT HAS REPEATEDLY CONTRIVED THE RESURGENCE OF GERMAN MILITARISM; REMOVE OR DESTROY ALL GERMAN MILITARY EQUIPMENT; . . .'

"B. DECLARATION REGARDING THE DEFEAT OF GERMANY AND THE ASSUMPTION OF SUPREME AUTHORITY BY THE ALLIED POWERS, SIGNED BY GENERAL EISENHOWER, MARSHAL ZHUKOV, FIELD MARSHAL MONTGOMERY AND GENERAL TASSIGNY ON BEHALF OF THEIR RESPECTIVE GOVERNMENTS ON JUNE 5, 1945:

"'THE FOUR ALLIED GOVERNMENTS WILL TAKE SUCH STEPS, INCLUDING THE COMPLETE DISARMAMENT AND DEMILITARIZATION OF GERMANY, AS THEY DEEM REQUISITE FOR FUTURE PEACE AND SECURITY.'

"C. JOINT REPORT OF AUGUST 2, 1945, FOLLOWING THE ANGLO-SOVIET-AMERICAN CONFERENCE IN BERLIN (POTSDAM):

"'3. THE PURPOSES OF THE OCCUPATION OF GERMANY BY WHICH THE CONTROL COUNCIL SHALL BE GUIDED ARE

"'(I) THE COMPLETE DISARMAMENT AND DEMILITARIZATION OF GERMANY ... TO THESE ENDS: (A) ALL GERMAN LAND, NAVAL AND AIR FORCES... AND ALL OTHER MILITARY AND QUASIMILITARY ORGANIZATIONS ... SHALL BE COMPLETELY AND FINALLY ABOLISHED IN SUCH MANNER AS PERMANENTLY TO PREVENT THE REVIVAL OR REORGANIZATION OF GERMAN MILITARIZATION AND NAZISM.'

"D. AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENTS OF THE UNITED KINGDOM, THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND THE UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS AND THE PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT OF THE FRENCH REPUBLIC ON CERTAIN ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS TO BE IMPOSED ON GERMANY, DATED SEPTEMBER 20, 1945:

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"'1. ALL GERMAN LAND, NAVAL AND AIR FORCES ... AND ALL OTHER MILITARY AND QUASI-MILITARY ORGANIZATIONS, ... SHALL BE COMPLETELY AND FINALLY ABOLISHED IN ACCORDANCE WITH METHODS AND PROCEDURES TO BE LAID DOWN BY THE ALLIED REPRESENTATIVES.

"'2. ALL FORMS OF MILITARY TRAINING, MILITARY PROPAGANDA AND MILITARY ACTIVITIES OF WHATEVER NATURE, ON THE PART OF THE GERMAN PEOPLE, ARE PROHIBITED, AS WELL AS THE FORMATION OF ANY ORGANIZATION INITIATED TO FURTHER ANY ASPECT OF MILITARY TRAINING AND THE FORMATION OF WAR VETERANS' ORGANIZATIONS OR OTHER GROUPS WHICH MIGHT DEVELOP MILITARY CHARACTERISTICS OR WHICH ARE DESIGNED TO CARRY ON THE GERMAN MILITARY TRADITION, WHETHER SUCH ORGANIZATIONS OR GROUPS PURPORT TO BE POLITICAL, EDUCATIONAL, RELIGIOUS, SOCIAL, ATHLETIC OR RECREATIONAL OR OF ANY OTHER NATURE.'

"E. CONTROL COUNCIL LAW NO. 34, ENTITLED 'DISSOLUTION OF THE WEHRMACHT', DATED AUGUST 20, 1946:

"'ARTICLE I. ... ALL GERMAN LAND, NAVAL AND AIR FORCES, WITH ALL THEIR ORGANIZATIONS, STAFFS, AND INSTITUTIONS, ... AND ALL OTHER MILITARY AND QUASI-MILITARY ORGANIZATIONS, TOGETHER WITH ALL CLUBS AND ASSOCIATIONS WHICH SERVE TO KEEP ALIVE THE MILITARY TRADITION IN GERMANY, ARE HEREBY CONSIDERED DISBANDED, COMPLETELY DISSOLVED AND DECLARED ILLEGAL.

"'ARTICLE II. THE MAINTENANCE, FORMATION AND RECONSTITUTION

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"'ARTICLE II. THE MAINTENANCE, FORMATION AND RECONSTITUTION OF ANY OF THE AGENCIES OR ORGANIZATIONS ENUMERATED IN ARTICLE I UNDER ANY NAME OR FORM WHATSOEVER, AND THE TAKING OVER OF ALL OR ANY OF THE FUNCTIONS OF SUCH AGENCIES OR ORGANIZATIONS IN THE FUTURE BY OTHER AGENCIES IS PROHIBITED AND DECLARED ILLEGAL.'

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"IT IS CLEAR FROM THESE AGREEMENTS THAT THE GOVERNMENT OF THE SOVIET UNION IS COMMITTED UNEQUIVOCALLY TO THE PRINCIPLE THAT GERMANY WILL BE DEMILITARIZED, THAT HER MILITARY FORCES WILL BE COMPLETELY AND FINALLY ABOLISHED, AND THAT NO REVIVAL OF GERMAN MILITARY ACTIVITIES WILL BE ALLOWED. THE BRITISH, FRENCH, AND AMERICAN GOVERNMENTS WERE

ALSO PARTIES TO THESE AGREEMENTS AND ARE EQUALLY COMMITTED TO THE SAME PRINCIPLE. THEY HAVE, ACCORDINGLY, TAKEN EFFECTIVE STEPS TO PREVENT ANY FORM OF REARMAMENT OR REMILITARIZATION IN THEIR ZONES OF OCCUPATION. THE SOVIET UNION, ON THE OTHER HAND, HAS DIRECTLY VIOLATED ALL THESE AGREEMENTS. THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A MILITARY FORCE, OR MILITARIZED POLICE, IN EASTERN GERMANY COULD NOT HAVE BEEN ACCOMPLISHED WITHOUT THE DELIBERATE APPROVAL OF THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT, AND IT IS AN ACTION SQUARELY IN OPPOSITION TO THE EFFORTS BEING MADE BY THE UNITED STATES AND OTHER NATIONS TO CREATE A STABLE AND LASTING PEACE.

"REPRESENTATIVES OF THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT HERE, ON NUMEROUS OCCASIONS, SPOKEN OF THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT'S DESIRE FOR PEACE. SUCH VERBAL PROTESTATIONS, HOWEVER, CAN HARDLY BE EXPECTED TO RECEIVE CREDENCE AMONG THE FREE PEOPLES OF THE WORLD WHEN THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT IS SIMULTANEOUSLY CREATING A MILITARY FORCE OF CONSIDERABLE SIZE AND STRENGTH IN GERMANY IN VIOLATION OF ITS SOLEMN INTERNATIONAL COMMITMENTS. BY THIS AND OTHER LIKE ACTIONS THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT HAS DESTROYED WORLD CONFIDENCE IN THE SINCERITY OF ITS PROMISES AND HAS CREATED THROUGHOUT THE WORLD WIDESPREAD DOUBT AS TO ITS PACIFIC INTENTIONS. IF THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT WISHES TO RESTORE IN SOME MEASURE INTERNATIONAL CONFIDENCE IN ITS ALLEGED ATTACHMENT TO PEACE, IT CANNOT FAIL TO DISSOLVE IMMEDIATELY THE MILITARYZED UNITS WHICH IT HAS SET UP IN EASTERN GERMANY."

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DATA ON EAST GERMAN PARAMILITARY POLICE MAY 24 1950

THE SOVIETS HAVE CREATED, IN THE EAST ZONE OF GERMANY, A MILITARY FORCE OF BETWEEN FORTY AND FIFTY THOUSAND MEN. THIS FORCE IS COMPOSED OF THIRTY-NINE BEREITSCHAFTEN (ALERT UNITS) TO TRAIN ENLISTED PERSONNEL AND AT LEAST ELEVEN OFFICER TRAINING SCHOOLS. THE FORCE IS ARMED WITH STANDARD GERMAN INFANTRY WEAPONS, BUT ITS MILITARY CAPABILITIES ARE AT PRESENT NEGLIGIBLE. HOWEVER, IN THE FUTURE IT COULD FORM THE NUCLEUS OF A NEW GERMAN ARMY OR AN INTERNAL SECURITY FORCE TO MAINTAIN COMMUNIST CONTROL. THE CREATION OF SUCH AN ORGANIZATION IS IN DIRECT CONTRAVENTION TO VARIOUS INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENTS TO WHICH THE SOVIET UNION IS A PARTY.

THE RECENT TRIAL OF EIGHT SOVIET ZONE PARAMILITARY POLICE HAS CORROBORATED BY JUDICIAL EVIDENCE THE EXISTENCE OF THIS MILITARY FORCE. ON APRIL 13 GERMAN POLICE OF THE AMERICAN SECTOR OF BERLIN ARRESTED TWO OFFICERS AND EIGHT ENLISTED MEN OF THE SOVIET ZONE POLICE; THESE MEN WERE ARMED WITH AN AUTOMATIC ASSAULT RIFLE, TWO MACHINE-PISTOLS, AND EIGHT AUTOMATIC PISTOLS. THESE MEN WERE CHARGED AND LATER CONVICTED OF WEARING A UNIFORM OF AN ILLEGAL PARAMILITARY ORGANIZATION, ILLEGAL POSSESSION OF WEAPONS, AND THE TRANSPORTATION OF WAR MATERIAL. FULL CONFESSIONS BY TWO OF THE POLICE, HEINZ ERICH HOCHT AND WILHEL ROLOFF, PLUS TESTIMONY BY SOVIET ZONE POLICE DESERTERS, WHO HAD FLED FROM MILITARY TRAINING OF THE POLICE UNITS, GAVE DETAILED EVIDENCE OF THE MILITARY NATURE OF THE ORGANIZATION AND OF THE FACT THAT IT IS IN NO SENSE AN ORDINARY POLICE FORCE.

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THE EXISTENCE OF THE PARAMILITARY HAUPTVERWALTUNG FUER AUSBILDUNG (MAIN ADMINISTRATION FOR TRAINING) HAD ALREADY BEEN KNOWN. THIS ORGANIZATION, ORIGINALLY DESIGNATED "VERWALTUNG FUER SCHULUNG" (ADMINISTRATION FOR SCHOOLING), WAS ESTABLISHED IN AUGUST 1949 UNDER GENERALINSPEKTUR WILHELM ZAISSER. IT ORIGINALLY CONSISTED OF SEVERAL OFFICER TRAINING SCHOOLS AND A NUMBER OF SCHOOLS FOR THE MILITARY TRAINING OF ENLISTED PERSONNEL. THE LATTER SCHOOLS, FREQUENTLY REFERRED TO AS "BEREITSCHAFTEN" (ALERT UNITS), HAD A TABLE OF ORGANIZATION STRENGTH OF APPROXIMATELY 250 MEN. PERSONNEL FOR BOTH TYPES OF SCHOOLS WERE TRANSFERRED FROM EXISTING POLICE ORGANIZATIONS OR RECRUITED DIRECTLY FROM CIVILIAN LIFE AND WERE ARMED WITH STANDARD GERMAN INFANTRY WEAPONS. IN SEPTEMBER A SOVIET OFICER WAS ASSIGNED TO EACH SCHOOL AS AN ADVISER TO THE COMMANDER, SOVIET MEDIUM TANKS WERE ASSIGNED TO SEVERAL SCHOOLS, AND AN INTENSIVE RECRUITING PROGRAM WAS UNDERTAKEN. IN OCTOBER, THE VERWALTUNG FUER SCHULUNG WAS REDESIGNATED THE HAUPTVERWALTUNG FUER AUSBILDUNG (HVA), THE SCHOOLS FOR ENLISTED PERSONNEL WERE OFFICIAL REDESIGNATED BEREITSCHAFTEN, ANE THE ENTIRE ORGANIZATION WAS EXTENSIVELY REORGANIZED AND EXPANDED.

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AT THE BEGINNING OF 1950 GENERALINSPEKTEUR WILHELM ZAISSER, CHIEF OF THE HVA, WAS DIRECTLY RESPONSIBLE TO GENERALMAJOR (U.S. EQUIVALENT-BRIGADIER GENERAL) PETRAKOVSKY, A MEMBER OF THE SOVIET CONTROL COMMISSION. IN FEBRUARY ZAISSER WAS RELIEVED AS HEAD OF THE HVA AND APPOINTED AS HEAD OF THE NEW EAST ZONE MINISTRY OF STATE SECURITY. THE NAME OF A NEW CHIEF FOR THE HVA HAS NOT YET BEEN ANNOUNCED. THE HEADQUARTERS OF THE HVA CONSISTS OF SECTIONS FOR ADMINISTRATION, SUPPLY AND "POLITKULTUR". ITS FIELD ORGANIZATION CONSISTS OF ELEVEN OFFICER-TRAINING SCHOOLS, WITH STRENGTHS OF APPROXIMATELY 1,000 EACH, AND AT LEAST THIRTY-NINE BEREITSCHAFTEN VARYING IN STRENGTH BETWEEN APPROXIMATELY 800 AND 1,200. SOME UNITS ARE UNDER STRENGTH AT PRESENT. TOTAL CURRENT STRENGTH IS PROBABLY BETWEEN FORTY AND FIFTY THOUSAND OFFICERS AND ENLISTED MEN.

THE 39 BEREITSCHAFTEN, OR ALERT UNITS, ARE ORGANIZED AS MILITARY FORMATIONS OF A PARTICULAR ARM OR SERVICE (I.E., INFANTRY, ARTILLERY, ARMORED, SIGNAL, ETC.) AND ARE SUBDIVIDED INTO 3 "KOMMANDOS" OF APPROXIMATELY 250 MEN EACH. UNITS ARE EQUIPPED WITH GERMAN SMALL ARMS, LIGHT AND HEAVY MACHINE GUNS, MORTARS UP TO 80 MM AND LIGHT ARTILLERY. A FEW SOVIET T-34 TANKS (MEDIUM) HAVE BEEN ASSIGNED TO CERTAIN UNITS. AMMUNITION FOR ARMS IS AVAILABLE BUT IN SHORT SUPPLY.

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TRAINING IN THE BEREITSCHAFTEN IS CLEARLY MILITARY--CLOSE AND EXTENDE ORDER DRILL, FAMILIARIZATION WITH AND FIRING OF INDIVIDUAL WEAPONS, SMALL UNIT EXERCISES--AND INCLUDES POLITICAL INDOCTRINATION. TACTICAL TRAINING ABOVE KOMMANDO LEVEL HAS NOT BEEN UNDERTAKEN PROBABLY BECAUSE OF THE LOW LEVEL OF INDIVIDUAL TRAINING AND LACK OF APPROPRIATE AREAS. THE FOLLOWING FACTORS HAVE PRODUCED A GENERALLY LOW STATE OF MORALE; (I) SUB-STANDARD PERSONNEL, POOR HOUSING, AND TRAINING FACILITIES; (II) SEVERE RESTRICTIONS ON PERSONAL FREEDOM AS COMPARED TO OTHER POLICE PERSONNEL; AND (III) LACK OF A MOTIVATING ENTHUSIASM ON THE PART OF ENLISTED PERSONNEL, MANY OF WHOM WERE VIRTUALLY COERCED INTO ENLISTING. AS A RESULT OF THE EMPHASIS ON MILITARY TRAINING OF THE ALERT UNITS, THE NUMBER OF DEFECTORS HAS BEEN INCREASING. THE RATE

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OF DEFECTION FROM THE SOVIET ZONE POLICE INCREASED FROM 20 PER MONTH AT THE END OF 1949 TO 80 PER MONTH AT THE END OF APRIL, 1950.
WITH SOME EXCEPTIONS THE CAPABILITIES OF THE BEREITSCHAFTEN FOR TACTICAL EMPLOYMENT ARE CURRENTLY NEGLIGIBLE. AT SOME TIME IN THE FUTURE, THEY SHOULD, HOWEVER, BE CAPABLE OF (I) PROVIDING A CADRE FOR AN EXPANDED GERMAN ARMY OR (II) ACTING AS A SMALL, RELATIVELY WELL-TRAINED MILITIA TO SUPPRESS INTERNAL DISORDER AND MAINTAIN COMMUNIST-SOVIET CONTROL.

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THE ELEVEN SCHOOLS OF THE HAUPTVERWALTUNG FUER AUSBILDUNG, DESIGNED TO PROVIDE GENERAL AND ADVANCED TRAINING FOR OFFICER CANDIDATES, ARE DIVIDED ACCORDING TO ARM OR SERVICE AND ARE ORGANIZED IN TEN COMPANIES OF APPROXIMATELY 100 MEN EACH. IN ADDITION TO INFANTRY, ARTILLERY, SIGNAL, AND ARMORED SCHOOLS, THERE IS A SCHOOL FOR FUTURE POLI-KULTUR OFFICERS (OFFICERS RESPONSIBLE FOR PROPER POLITICAL INDOCTRINATION OF PERSONNEL; CORRESPONDING TO THE DEPUTIES FOR POLITICAL AFFAIRS (FORMERLY KOMMISSARS) IN THE SOVIET ARMY). THE CALIBRE OF THE OFFICER CANDIDATES APPEARS TO BE LITTLE HIGHER THAN THAT OF ENLISTED PERSONNEL IN THE BEREITSCHAFTEN. THEIR MORALE IS LOW, AND, UNDOUBTEDLY, A HIGH DEGREE OF ATTRIBITION IS EXPECTED.
TRAINING AT THE OFFICERS' SCHOOLS APPEARS TO PARALLEL THAT OF THE ALERT UNITS THAT PRESUMABLY IS CARRIED OUT ON A HIGHER LEVEL AND REQUIRES HIGHER STANDARDS OF PROFICIENCY. ARMAMENT

ALERT UNITS THAT PRESUMABLY IS CARRIED OUT ON A HIGHER LEVEL AND REQUIRES HIGHER STANDARDS OF PROFICIENCY. ARMAMENT IS ALSO SIMILAR TO THAT OF THE BEREITSCHAFTEN, WITH SMALL ARMS FOR ALL PERSONNEL AND HEAVIER EQUIPMENT GENERALLY IN SHORT SUPPLY, ALTHOUGH THERE ARE INDICATIONS THAT CERTAIN SCHOOLS RECEIVE PRIORITY IN THE ALLOCATION OF ARMORED VEHICLES AND MEDIUM ARTILLERY. IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT THE STUDENT STRENGTH IS CONSIDERABLY IN EXCESS OF THAT REQUIRED BY THE PRESENT BEREITSCHAFT ORGANIZATION. THIS MAY BE EXPLAINED BY A PLANNED EXPANSION OF THE NUMBER AND/OR STRENGTH OF THE BEREITSCHAFTEN, BY THE ALLOWANCE FOR AN EXTREMELY HIGH RATE OF ATTRITION IN THE SCHOOLS, OR A COMBINATION OF BOTH.

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THE DEVELOPMENT OF A SERVICE-TYPE COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK APPEARS TO BE PROCEEDING SLOWLY BUT METHODICALLY. IN THE FALL OF 1949 A COURIER SERVICE WAS ESTABLISHED CONNECTING HQ WITH THE BEREITSCHAFTEN AND THE OFFICERS SCHOOLS. A SPECIAL DIRECT TELEPHONE NET, SEPARATE FROM THE REGULAR SYSTEM, HAS BEEN NOTED. THERE IS ALSO TELETYPE AND-OR RADIO EQUIPMENT CONNECTING VARIOUS UNITS AND SCHOOLS, MUCH OF IT IN IN OPERATIVE CONDITION. THE ESTABLISHMENT OF BEREITSCHAFTEN SIGNAL UNITS MAY INDICAE PLANS FOR FURTHER EXPANSION OF COMMUNICATIONS FACILITIES.
KEY PERSONNEL OF THE ORGANIZATIONS CONSIST LARGELY OF THE FOLLOWING OVERLAPPING GROUPS: (I) PERSONNEL WHO SERVED WITH ZAISSER (THEN KNOWN AS GENERAL GOMEZ) IN THE SPANISH CIVIL WAR; (II) OLD-LINE GERMAN COMMUNISTS WHO SPENT VARIOUS PERIODS IN VOLUNTARY EXILE IN THE USSR FROM 1933 TO 1945; AND (III) EX-GERMAN ARMY OFFICERS WHO GRADUATED FROM SOVIET PRISONER-OF-WAR CAMPS AND ANTIFA SCHOOLS. ON THE LOWER ECHELONS, POLITICAL RELIABILITY DECREASES, REACHINGTOWEST POINT

SOVIET PRISONER-OF-WAR CAMPS AND ANTIFA SCHOOLS. ON THE LOWER ECHELONS, POLITICAL RELIABILITY DECREASES, REACHING ITS LOWEST POINT WITH THE "POLIZEISCHULER" (RECRUITS). ON ALL LEVELS, "POLITICAL IMMATURITY" IS BEING ATTACKED THROUGH THE USUAL COMMUNIST MECHANISMS OF EXTENSIVE PROGRAMS OF POLITICAL INDOCTRINATION, PARTY APPARATUS AND CONTROL, THE SYSTEM OF POLIT-KULTUR OFFICERS, COMPULSORY OFF-DUTY POLITICAL STUDIES, AND THE CONTINUAL USE OF THE NORMAL PROPAGANDA MEDIA. DESPITE THESE TECHNIQUES, POLITICAL RELIABILITY ON THE LOWER LEVELS IS POOR.

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COMPLETE CONTROL OF THE HAUPTVERWALTUNG FUER AUSBILDUNG IS MAINTAINED BY THE SOVIETS. THE CHAIN OF COMMAND FROM GENERALMAJOR PETRAKOVSKY OF THE SOVIET CONTROL COMMISSION TO ZAISSER, CHIEF OF THE HVA, WAS MENTIONED ABOVE. THIS POLICY CONTROL IS REINFORCED BY THE ASSIGNMENT OF A SOVIET FIELD GRADE OFFICER TO EACH SCHOOL AND BEREITSCHAFT. THESE OFFICERS, CALLED "SOVIETNIKS" BY THE GERMAN PERSONNEL, WEAR THE STANDARD GEMAN POLICE UNIFORMS WHEN ON DUTY AN

STANDARD GERMAN POLICE UNIFORMS WHEN ON DUTY AND THEORETICALLY FUNCTION AS ADVISERS TO THEIR GERMAN COUNTERPART COMMANDERS. IT IS OF INTEREST THAT RELATIONS BETWEEN THE GERMAN COMMANDERS AND THE "SOVIETNIKS" APPEAR TO BE EXTREMELY CORDIAL.

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BY THOMAS P. WHITNEY
MOSCOW, MAY 23-(AP)-THE NOTES OF THE THREE WESTERN POWERS ALLEGING THAT THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT IS ENCOURAGING SEMI-MILITARY FORMATIONS IN EASTERN GERMANY ARE LIKELY TO SET OFF A HOT AND LENGTHY DIPLOMATIC CORRESPONDENCE ON GERMAN QUESTIONS, WESTERN OBSERVERS SAID TONIGHT.
A STUDY OF THE SOVIET PRESS IN RECENT DAYS MAY FURNISH THE KEY TO WHAT THE SOVIET ANSWER WILL BE.
ONLY TODAY PRAVDA, THE SOVIET UNION'S MOST IMPORTANT NEWSPAPER, PRINTED AN ARTICLE DECLARING WEST GERMAN INDUSTRY IS WORKING INTENSIVELY ON WAR ORDERS. THE ARTICLE SAID TANKS, ARMOR PLATE, AMMUNITION, LONG-RANGE BOMBER PARTS AND MANY OTHER WAR GOODS WERE BEING PRODUCED AT MAJOR INDUSTRIAL PLANTS IN THE WESTERN ZONES.
THE ARTICLE FURTHER DECLARED THAT THE PROPOSED POOLING OF FRENCH AND GERMAN COAL AND STEEL PRODUCTION WAS DESIGNED TO PREPARE THE WEST FOR WAR.
THE PRESS ALSO HAS ASSERTED ON PREVIOUS OCCASIONS THAT THE WESTERN POWERS WERE VIOLATING AGREEMENTS FOR THE DEMILITARIZATION OF GERMANY AND WERE ENCOURAGING MILITARY AND FASCIST ORGANIZATIONS.
THE NOTES OF THE UNITED STATES, BRITISH AND FRENCH GOVERNMENTS WERE SENT TO THE SOVIET FOREIGN OFFICE AT 5 P.M. THEY WERE SENT BY ORDINARY MESSENGER, AND WERE NOT TAKEN PERSONALLY TO FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI VISHINSKY BY THE AMBASSADORS.

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NIGHT LEAD ACHESON

BY FRANCIS J.KELLY

WASHINGTON,MAY 23-(AP)-SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON IS GOING TO DELIVER A PUBLIC REPORT MAY 31 ON THE LONDON COLD WAR STRATEGY TALKS, THEN PULL DOWN THE BLINDS FOR A SECRET QUESTION-AND-ANSWER SESSION WITH CONGRESSMEN.

ONLY THE 433 PRESENT MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE AND THE 96 SENATORS ARE ELIGIBLE FOR THE SECOND OR BUTTONED-UP PHASE OF THE DISCUSSIONS--A TOTAL HARDLY MORE THAN HALF AGAIN AS LARGE AS THE POPULATION OF HINSDALE COUNTY,COLO. (1940 CENSUS).

THE LAWMAKERS, CYNICALLY ACCUSTOMED TO WASHINGTON'S POROUS WALLS, ANTICIPATED EXTENSIVE LEAKAGE FROM THE CONFIDENTIAL CONFERENCE.

"YOU FELLOWS WILL HAVE IT WITHIN AN HOUR," CHAIRMAN CONNALLY (D-TEX) OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE PREDICTED TO REPORTERS.

SENATOR SMITH (R-NJ), A MEMBER OF THE SAME COMMITTEE, SAID ANY OFF-THE-RECORD REMARKS BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE PROBABLY WOULDN'T STAY THAT WAY LONG.

ACHESON IS KNOWN TO BE EAGER NOT ONLY TO BOLSTER A BI-PARTISAN FOREIGN POLICY, BUT TO IMPROVE HIS PERSONAL RELATIONS WITH CONGRESS. HIS PROPOSED HUSH-HUSH HUDDLE WITH THE LAWMAKERS IS CONSIDERED A MOVE IN THAT DIRECTION.

THE SECRETARY OF STATE IS RETURNING BY SHIP FROM ENGLAND, WHERE HE CONFERRED WITH HIS BRITISH AND FRENCH COUNTERPARTS AND LATER WITH THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF ALL THE NATIONS JOINED FOR COMMON DEFENSE UNDER THE ATLANTIC PACT. HE IS TO REPORT TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN ON MONDAY, THE 29TH, THEN APPEAR BEFORE CONGRESS TWO DAYS LATER, IN THE CONGRESSIONAL LIBRARY.

THE FIRST PART OF HIS REPORT WILL BE PUBLIC AND PROBABLY WILL BE BROADCAST, LINCOLN WHITE, THE STATE DEPARTMENT PRESS OFFICER, SAID. THEN THE OFFICIAL CURTAIN GOES DOWN AND ACHESON, LOCKED UP WITH THE CONGRESSMEN, WILL ENDEAVOR TO ANSWER THEIR SPECIFIC QUESTIONS.

SENATOR SALTONSTALL (R-MASS) MAY HAVE GIVEN A HINT OF THE TREND OF SOME OF THE QUESTIONING, IN A REMARK IN THE SENATE TODAY. THE NEW ENGLANDER ASKED DEMOCRATIC LEADER LUCAS WHETHER THERE WOULD BE A DISCUSSION OF CERTAIN AGREEMENTS REGARDING ECONOMIC HELP TO EUROPE AFTER 1952, WHICH SANTONSTALL SAID HE UNDERSTOOD WERE REACHED IN THE LONDON TALKS.

LUCAS REPLIED HE IS SURE THAT ACHESON WILL ANSWER "IN A FORTHRIGHT WAY" ANY QUESTIONS PUT TO HIM.

"CONFIDENTIAL" TALKS TO CONGRESS ARE NO NOVELTY. SEVERAL WERE HELD AT THE LIBRARY OF CONGRESS DURING AND AFTER THE WAR. IN EACH CASE THE GIST OF THE DISCUSSIONS WAS PUBLIC KNOWLEDGE IN A MATTER OF HOURS.

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(500) NIGHT LEAD OIL

WASHINGTON,MAY 23-(AP)-AN INVESTIGATION OF THE OIL INDUSTRY WAS URGED TODAY AS SENATORS HEARD ADDITIONAL WITNESSES ARGUE THAT PRESENT OIL IMPORTS ARE SO EXCESSIVE THEY THREATEN THIS NATION'S ECONOMY.

THE DEMAND FOR AN INVESTIGATION CAME FROM REP.CANNON (D-MO).

CANNON PLUGGED FOR HIS OWN RESOLUTION WHICH WOULD SET ASIDE $250,000 FOR A STUDY BY THE FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION. CANNON TOLD A HOUSE COMMERCE SUBCOMMITTEE THE IDEA WOULD BE TO SEE IF A NATIONAL OIL PMLICY IS NEEDED AND TO DETERMINE HOW CONSUMERS MAY BE SURE OF FAIR PRICES.

THE QUESTION OF OIL IMPORTS CAME UP IN A SENATE LABOR SUBCOMMITTEE. IT'S STUDYING UNEMPLOYMENT, NOT ONLY IN OIL, BUT ALSO IN COAL, SILVER, ZINC, LEAD AND RAILROAD INDUSTRIES.

REPRESENTATIVES OF BOTH INDEPENDENT PETROLEUM AND COAL INDUSTRIES INSISTED THAT CONGRESS SHOULD DO SOMETHING TO PLUG THE STEADY FLOW OF FOREIGN OIL INTO THIS COUNTRY.

HOW? EITHER BY HIGHER TARIFFS OR SOME SORT OF QUOTA SYSTEM.

1. EBERSOLE GAINES OF MT.HOPE, W.VA., PRESIDENT OF THE NEW RIVER CO., A SOFT COAL PRODUCER, SAID FOREIGN OIL IS PRODUCED SO CHEAPLY AMERICAN COAL AND OIL CAN'T POSSIBLY COMPETE WITH IT.

"IF THIS FOREIGN OIL CONTINUES TO BE DUMPED, COAL MINES WILL GO OUT OF EXISTENCE, COAL MINERS WILL BE SCATTERED," GAINES SAID. "SHOULD A SUDDEN NEED ARISE FOR AN UNLIMITED SUPPLY OF FUEL SUCH AS AROSE IN WORLD WARS I AND II FUEL AND INDUSTRIAL ENERGY SIMPLY WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE."

H.B.FELL OF ARDMORE, OKLA., EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT OF THE INDEPENDENT PETROLEUM ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA, SAID EMPLOYMENT IN THE DOMESTIC CRUDE PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS PRODUCTION INDUSTRIES HAS SLUMPED BADLY.

HE GAVE THESE EMPLOYMENT FIGURES:

AUGUST, 1948--266,000.

FEBRUARY, 1950--251,800.

FELL SAID THE U.S.NOW BRINGS IN AN AVERAGE OF 820,000 BARRELS OF OIL DAILY AS COMPARED WITH A 1935-39 IMPORT AVERAGE OF 153,000 BARRELS A DAY.

"WE AS A NATION," HE SAID, "ARE SHIFTING OUR DEPENDENCE FOR AN OIL SUPPLY FROM THE THOUSANDS OF DOMESTIC PRODUCERS TO A MONOPOLISTIC COMBINE OF A FEW COMPANIES."

OUTSIDE THE U.S., AND NOT COUNTING RUSSIA AND MEXICO, FELL SAID THE WORLD OIL INDUSTRY IS DOMINATED BY THESE SEVEN COMPANIES:

STANDARD OIL CO. (NJ), SOCONY-VACUUM OIL CO., STANDARD OIL CO. OF CALIFORNIA, GULF OIL CORP., THE TEXAS CO., DUTCH-SHELL GROUP AND THE ANGLO-IRANIAN OIL CO.

O.C.BAILEY OF EL DORADO, ARK., CHAIRMAN OF THE ARKANSAS OIL AND GAS COMMISSION, SAID THE TAX ON IMPORTED CRUDE AND ITS PRODUCTS SHOULD BE INCREASED TO $1.05 A BARREL. THE PRESENT TARIFF IS 10 1/2 CENTS A BARREL.

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"MY REASON FOR MAKING THIS RECOMMENDATION IS THAT A SIMILAR PROCEDURE

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WAS FOLLOWED IN 1932 AND WAS EFFECTIVE," HE SAID.

R.G.LAWTON, VICE PRESIDENT OF THE MCALESTER FUEL CO., MAGNOLIA, ARK., SAID FOREIGN OIL IS CAUSING INSTABILITY IN WILDCATTING AND DRILLING OPERATIONS.

IN ARGUING FOR AN OIL INVESTIGATION, CONGRESSMAN CANNON WASN'T SO MUCH CONERNED WITH UNEMPLOYMENT AS HE WAS WITH THE CONSUMER.

HE SAID THAT OIL IS USED INCREASINGLY IN AGRICULTURE. THE PRICE OF OIL, WHATEVER IT MAY BE, IS THEN PASSED ON TO THE HOUSEWIFE IN HER FOOD BILL, CANNON POINTED OUT.

CANNON SAID THE INVESTIGATION SHOULD INCLUDE THESE QUESTIONS:

1. IS THERE A MONOPOLY IN THE PRODUCTION OF CRUDE OIL?

2. HAS THE INTERSTATE OIL COMPACT COMMISSION GONE BEYOND OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION AND BECOME AN INSTRUMENT THROUGH WHICH SUPPLY AND PRICES ARE AFFECTED?

3. IS OWNERSHIP OF FOREIGN FIELDS BY AMERICAN CORPORATIONS A VITAL FACTOR IN THE OIL PICTURE?

A.D.SAPPINGTON OF COLUMBIA, MO., GENERAL COUNSEL FOR THE MISSOURI FARMERS ASSOCIATION, SAID THAT UNLESS SOMETHING IS DONE, A FEW MAJOR COMPANIES SOON MAY OWN AND CONTROL THE INDUSTRY.

HE SAID HE PARTICULARLY WOULD LIKE TO KNOW WHETHER IMPORTS ARE USED BY MAJOR COMPANIES TO "SQUEEZE OUT COMPETITION" BY INDEPENDENT REFINERIES.

SHORTLY AFTER CANNON TESTIFIED, THE NATIONAL GRANGE ANNOUNCED IT WOULD SUPPORT THE RESOLUTION CALLING FOR AN INVESTIGATION.

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(360) NIGHT LEAD COMMUNISTS

WASHINGTON, MAY 23-(AP)-SENATOR TYDINGS (D-MD) SAID TODAY SENATE INVESTIGATORS HAVE BEEN INSTRUCTED TO FIND OUT, IF THEY CAN, WHY ONLY TWO PERSONS WERE FINED IN THE "AMERASIA" GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS CASE OF 1945.

TYDINGS TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE HIS SENATE INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE IS "RUNNING DOWN ALL THE ANGLES WITHOUT FANFARE AND WITHOUT PUBLICITY."

THE FIVE-MAN TYDINGS COMMITTEE IS LOOKING INTO CHARGES BY SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WISC) THAT THE AMERASIA CASE IS THE KEY TO AN ALLEGED NETWORK OF COMMUNISTS IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

COMMITTEE INVESTIGATORS HEADED BY CHIEF COUNSEL EDWARD P. MORGAN WENT TO THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT TODAY TO BEGIN AN EXAMINATION OF SECRET GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS FOUND BY FBI AGENTS WHEN THEY RAIDED AMERASIA MAGAZINE HEADQUARTERS IN NEW YORK IN JUNE, 1945. THE MAGAZINE IS NO LONGER PUBLISHED.

AFTER WEEKS OF INVESTIGATION, INCLUDING THE SHADOWING OF SUSPECTS, FBI AGENTS ARRESTED SIX PERSONS IN MID 1945 ON CHARGES OF ILLEGAL REMOVAL OF GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS. AMONG THEM WAS AMERASIA'S EDITOR, PHILIP JAFFE, AND TWO STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS, JOHN STEWART SERVICE AND EMMANUEL SIGURD LARSEN.

JAFFE PAID A FINE OF $2,500; LARSEN PAID $500. THE CASES AGAINST THE OTHER FOUR WERE DROPPED.

SENATOR MCCARTHY HAS CHARGED THAT THE FEDERAL PROSECUTOR FAILED TO PRESENT A FULL AND PROPER CASE TO THE FEDERAL DISTRICT JUDGE WHO LEVIED THE TWO FINES AFTER A BRIEF SATURDAY COURT SESSION FIVE YEARS AGO.

ON THE HOUSE SIDE, REP. DONDERO (R-MICH) TOLD A REPORTER TODAY:

"THE WHOLE CASE IS A STRANGE AND MYSTERIOUS SITUATION. THE FBI MADE THE SIX ARRESTS AFTER DAYS AND WEEKS OF SURVEILLANCE. THEY GAVE THE GRAND JURY EVERYTHING, AND THEN FOUND THEMSELVES WITH ONLY TWO CASES.

"IT WAS THE GREATEST REPUDIATION OF ALL TIME OF ONE OF THE FINEST AND MOST EFFICIENT AGENCIES (THE FBI) ANYWHERE IN THE WORLD."

HOWEVER, REP. HOBBS (D-ALA), WHO HEADED A HOUSE INVESTIGATION OF AMERASIA IN 1946, CONTENDED THAT FEDERAL RAIDERS SEIZED THE EVIDENCE ILLEGALLY WITHOUT SEARCH WARRANTS AND THUS MADE IT DIFFICULT TO BRING THE CASE INTO COURT.

TYDINGS DISCOUNTED TESTIMONY THAT A LARGE NUMBER OF THE DOCUMENTS WERE MARKED "SECRET" AND STAMPED WITH A WARNING THAT UNAUTHORIZED POSSESSION WAS A VIOLATION OF THE ESPIONAGE ACT. HE SAID:

"IT WAS A WARTIME PRACTICE TO PUT 'SECRET' ON THEM, IN SOME CASES WHERE THERE WAS LITTLE JUSTIFICATION FOR IT."

ASKED WHETHER THE COMMITTEE HAS TURNED UP ANY EVIDENCE THAT THE CASE WAS MISHANDLED BY THE GOVERNMENT IN 1945, TYDINGS REPLIED:

"AS FAR AS I HAVE GONE IN THE STUDY, YOU COULD COME UP WITH AN OPINION EITHER WAY, PARTICULARLY IF YOU ARE NOT A LAWYER."

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(450) NIGHT LEAD FINANCE CENTER

WASHINGTON, MAY 23-(AP)-REP. KILDAY (D-TEX) SAID TODAY HE WILL ASK SUBPOENA POWER TO SUMMON MRS. SALLY DEWEY AS A STAR WITNESS IN THE CURRENT HOUSE INVESTIGATION INTO ALLEGED MULTI-MILLION-DOLLAR OVERPAYMENTS TO ARMY FAMILIES.

LATER, CHAIRMAN VINSON (D-GA) OF THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE INTRODUCED A RESOLUTION ASKING THE HOUSE FOR AUTHORITY TO SUBPOENA MRS.DEWEY AND OTHER WITNESSES.

THE HOUSE IS EXPECTED TO VOTE APPROVAL AFTER IT HAS BEEN CLEARED BY THE RULES COMMITTEE.

KILDAY SAID CONGRESSIONAL INVESTIGATORS MAY GO TO ST.LOUIS FOR ON-THE-SPOT HEARINGS IN THE CASE.

KILDAY IS CHAIRMAN OF A HOUSE ARMED SERVICES SUBCOMMITTEE WHICH IS LOOKING INTO CHARGES OF COMMUNISM AND MALADMINISTRATION IN THE ARMY FINANCE CENTER AT ST.LOUIS.

MRS. DEWEY, AN ATTORNEY, WHO FORMERLY WORKED WITH MILITARY INTELLIGENCE AT THE CENTER, DECLINED TO TESTIFY BEFORE THE HOUSE GROUP.

SHE EXPLAINED IN A TELEGRAM TO KILDAY THAT SHE HAS ALREADY GIVEN ALL HER INFORMATION TO ARMY COUNTER INTELLIGENCE, A CIVIL SERVICE SUBCOMMITTEE, AND TO THE U.S. GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE (GAO).

IN ST.LOUIS, MRS. DEWEY TOLD NEWSMEN IT WOULD BE "A WASTE OF PUBLIC FUNDS" TO REPEAT HER PREVIOUS TESTIMONY. SHE SAID THAT AFTER READING ACCOUNTS OF THE HOUSE GROUP'S INQUIRY SO FAR, SHE BELIEVES SOME OF ITS MEMBERS ARE "TRYING TO WHITEWASH" HIGH-RANKING OFFICERS INVOLVED IN THE CASE.

HOWEVER, KILDAY SAID HE WILL INSIST THAT MRS. DEWEY BE BROUGHT TO

WASHINGTON TO TESTIFY.

"WE WILL OFFER A RESOLUTION TO GIVE US SUBPOENA POWER AND EXPENSE MONEY TO BRING MRS. DEWEY HERE," KILDAY ANNOUNCED. HE SAID HE EXPECTS IT WILL TAKE ABOUT TWO WEEKS.

MRS. DEWEY HAS MADE 112 ALLEGATIONS AGAINST THE CENTER.

CHARLES A. JOHNSON, GAO LEGISLATIVE ATTORNEY, TOLD THE KILDAY SUBCOMMITTEE TODAY THAT THE FIRST INKLING THE GAO HAD OF OVERPAYMENTS CAME FROM AN EXAMINATION OF RECORDS IN JANUARY, 1947.

BY APRIL 1, 1950, HE SAID, INVESTIGATORS FOUND OVERPAYMENTS OF MORE THAN $157,000,000. BUT HE SAID $82,000,000 OF THE OVERPAYMENTS HAS BEEN RECOVERED, CLAIMS TO $15,000,000 WERE WAIVED, AND GAO IS NOW SEEKING TO COLLECT $31,000,000 MORE.

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JOHNSON SAID A SPECIAL CLAIMS UNIT TO RECOVER THE MONEY BEGAN OPERATIONS IN ST.LOUIS ON MAY 8.

THE GAO ATTORNEY TESTIFIED HE KNEW OF NO CASES INVOLVING GROSS NEGLIGENCE OR ATTEMPT TO DEFRAUD THE GOVERNMENT IN CONNECTION WITH THE OVERPAYMENTS.

HE SAID A SPECIAL BOARD OF INQUIRY CONSIDERED 320 CASES INVOLVING $24,000, AND EACH CASE RESULTED IN A FINDING OF NO GROSS NEGLIGENCE. IN THE ABSENCE OF A FINDING OF NEGLIGENCE, JOHNSON EXPLAINED, AN EMPLOYE CANNOT BE HELD RESPONSIBLE FOR OVERPAYMENTS.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS QUESTIONED JOHNSON AT LENGTH ABOUT ONE OF MRS. DEWEY'S CHARGES THAT AN UNIDENTIFIED WOMAN EMPLOYE, ~~LATER DISMISSED ON LOYALTY GROUNDS~~, TRIED TO SNEAK 800 SERVICEMEN'S ALLOTMENT CHECKS OUT OF THE ST.LOUIS CENTER. who is still working in the center.

JOHNSON SAID HE HAD BEEN UNABLE TO FIND EVIDENCE TO SUPPORT OR DISPROVE THE CHARGE. HE SAID THE INVESTIGATION WAS HAMPERED BY A TIME LAG, BECAUSE WHEN GAO INVESTIGATORS STARTED LOOKING INTO THE CASE, MANY PERSONS WHO MIGHT HAVE GIVEN INFORMATION HAD LEFT THE SERVICE.

THE WITNESS SAID HIS INVESTIGATORS COULD FIND NO EVIDENCE THAT THE CHECKS HAD BEEN REMOVED.

JOHNSON TOLD THE SUBCOMMITTEE THAT 486 CASES OF OVERPAYMENTS TO FILIPINO WARTIME SCOUTS HAD BEEN FOUND SO FAR. HE SAID THESE AMOUNTED TO $280,000 AND $60,000 HAS BEEN RECOVERED.

MEANWHILE, A HOUSE CIVIL SERVICE SUBCOMMITTEE, HEADED BY REP. KARST (D-MO), CONTINUED A SEPARATE INVESTIGATION OF THE ST.LOUIS CENTER.

THE KARST COMMITTEE SAID IN A REPORT THE GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE "ESTIMATES" THAT THE CENTER MADE ERRONEOUS RETROACTIVE PAYMENTS IN 2,500 TO 4,500 CASES AFFECTING FORMER PHILIPPINE SCOUTS. TOTAL OVERPAYMENTS WERE ESTIMATED AT BETWEEN $2,500,000, AND $5,000,000.

THE KARST REPORT SAID THE ACCOUNTING OFFICE "FOUND THAT IN AT LEAST ONE CASE," U.S. WAR BONDS IN EXCESS OF $70,000 WERE SOLD BY ARMY DISBURSING OFFICERS TO AN UNAUTHORIZED ALIEN IN VIOLATION OF ARMY REGULATIONS IN ORDER TO CIRCUMVENT BRITISH CURRENCY REGULATIONS.

JOHNSON TOLD THE KILDAY SUBCOMMITTEE THAT BY "SOME CONNIVANCE" A $70,000 WAR BOND WAS SOLD BY THE ARMY DISBURSING OFFICE IN BRITISH-OWNED TRINIDAD, WHERE THE UNITED STATES HAD A WARTIME BASE, TO A PERSON NOT IN THE MILITARY SERVICE.

JOHNSON SAID THIS WAS A VIOLATION OF WAR DEPARTMENT REGULATIONS, BUT HE SAID THERE WAS "NO EVIDENCE INDICATING THE UNITED STATES LOST A NICKEL" IN THE TRANSACTION.

KARST TOLD A REPORTER TODAY HIS CIVIL SERVICE SUBCOMMITTEE IS GOING TO PROVE ITS SEVEN ORIGINAL CHARGES "AND GET OUT". HE SAID HE REFERRED TO THE SEVEN SITUATIONS THAT PROMPTED THE ORIGINAL INVESTIGATION:

1. THE PRESENCE OF ALLEGED COMMUNISTS AND FELLOW TRAVELLERS IN THE EMPLOYMENT OF THE ARMY FINANCE CENTER.
2. THE SUITABILITY OF CERTAIN CIVILIAN EMPLOYEES OCCUPYING POSITIONS OF RESPONSIBILITY AT THE CENTER.
3. FALSIFICATION OF PERSONNEL RECORDS.
4. COERCION OF WITNESSES TO DISCREDIT LOYALTY INVESTIGATIONS.
5. UNDUE INFLUENCE ON CIVILIAN AND MILITARY OFFICIALS AT THE ARMY FINANCE CENTER BY OUTSIDE INTERESTS.
6. VIOLATIONS OF CIVIL SERVICE RULES AND REGULATIONS.
7. GENERAL LAXITY OF OFFICIALS AT THE FINANCE CENTER IN PROVIDING ADEQUATE SAFEGUARDS TO PROTECT THE INTERESTS OF THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT.

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WASHINGTON,MAY 23-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES INTENDS TO CONTINUE AMERICAN ECONOMIC AID TO CHINESE NATIONALIST HELD FORMOSA, THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID TODAY.

ALTHOUGH THE CURRENT ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION (ECA) PROGRAM FOR FORMOSA IS SCHEDULED TO END JUNE 30, THE DEPARTMENT NOTED THAT LEGISLATION IS AWAITING FINAL CONGRESSIONAL ACTION WHICH WOULD MAKE AVAILABLE $40,000,000 (M) IN DIRECT AID FOR ANOTHER YEAR.

THE ADMINISTRATION'S INTENT WAS RESTATED AFTER PUBLICATION OF REPORTS THAT THE ECA MISSION IN FORMOSA HAD BEEN ALERTED FOR POSSIBLE ORDERS TO QUIT THE ISLAND. PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS RULED OUT FURTHER AMERICAN MILITARY BACKING FOR THE CHIANG KAI-SHEK REGIME.

"THE ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE PROGRAM TO FORMOSA IS CONTINUING," A STATEMENT SAID. "LEGISLATION IS NOW BEFORE THE CONGRESS WHICH WHEN PASSED WILL PROVIDE FUNDS TO CONTINUE ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE TO FORMOSA. IS IT IS OUR INTENTION TO CONTINUE THIS PROGRAM."

THE LEGISLATION, ALREADY APPROVED IN DIFFERENT FORMS BY BOTH SENATE AND HOUSE, CALLS FOR USING SOME $94,000,000 (M) IN LEFTOVER CHINA AID FUND UP TO MID-1951. OF THIS $40,000,000 (M) IS CURRENTLY EARMARKED FOR FORMOSA, THE SAME AMOUNT FOR THE "GENERAL AREA" OF CHINA WHICH INCLUDES SOUTHEAST ASIA, AND THE REMAINDER FOR POSSIBLE FAMINE RELIEF IN COMMUNIST CHINA AND FOR EXCHANGE OF STUDENTS.

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AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE

WASHINGTON,MAY 23-(AP)-A 22-YEAR-OLD CZECHOSLOVAKIAN GIRL WHOSE PLANS TO MARRY A VETERAN WERE CANCELLED AFTER SHE REACHED AMERICA APPEARED TODAY TO BE A STEP CLOSER TO PERMANENT RESIDENCE IN THIS COUNTRY.

REP.HERBERT MEYER (R-KAS) TOLD A REPORTER THE HOUSE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE HAS APPROVED LEGISLATION HE INTRODUCED PROVIDING THAT JIRINA ZIZKOVSKY, NOW LIVING WITH FRIENDS IN KANSAS CITY,MO. (7332 WABASH) BE CONSIDERED TO HAVE BEEN ADMITTED TO THE UNITED STATES

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FOR PERMANENT RESIDENCE.
THE CONGRESSMAN EXPECTS THE BILL TO BE CONSIDERED BY THE HOUSE ABOUT JUNE 6. A SIMILAR MEASURE BY SENATOR SCHOEPPEL (R-KAS) IS PENDING BEFORE THE SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE.
MEYER SAID MISS ZIZKOVSKY CAME TO THE UNITED STATES JULY 5, 1949, BEING ADMITTED WITH THE UNDERSTANDING THAT SHE WAS TO MARRY A VETERAN FROM MCCUNE,KAS., WHOM SHE HAD MET IN EUROPE.
SHORTLY BEFORE THE WEDDING DATE, A DIFFERENCE OF OPINION ABOUT RELIGIOUS MATTERS RESULTED IN CANCELLATION OF PLANS, MEYER DECLARED.
THE GIRL WORKED FOR A SHORT TIME IN PARSONS,KAS., VISITED A CZECHO-SLOVAKIAN FAMILY IN THE NORTHWEST AND THEN WENT TO LIVE WITH FRIENDS IN KANSAS CITY.
SHE NOW IS WORKING THERE FOR AN ENGRAVING FIRM AND IS FINANCIALLY ABLE TO TAKE CARE OF HERSELF, MEYER SAID HE WAS INFORMED.
HE ADDED THAT AFTER THE PROPOSED WEDDING WAS CANCELLED, IMMIGRATION AUTHORITIES ASSERTED THE GIRL WOULD HAVE TO BE DEPORTED WITHIN A SHORT TIME DESPITE HER DESIRE TO REMAIN IN AMERICA.
MEYER ASKED THAT THE TIME BE EXTENDED TO MARCH 1 AND MEANWHILE INTRODUCED THE LEGISLATION. THIS, HE SAID, ALLOWS THE GIRL TO REMAIN HERE UNTIL CONGRESS ACTS.

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WASHINGTON, MAY 23-(AP)-ESTABLISHMENT OF A CIVIL GOVERNMENT FOR GUAM WAS APPROVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TODAY.
THE MEASURE AUTHORIZES THE SETTING UP OF A GUAM CONGRESS, AND CONTINUES IN EFFECT ADMINISTRATION BY A GOVERNOR APPOINTED BY THE PRESIDENT. CARLTON SKINNER IS THE PRESENT GOVERNOR.
IN ADDITION THE BILL SETS UP REGULATIONS FOR GIVING FULL UNITED STATES CITIZENSHIP TO RESIDENTS OF GUAM WHO HAVE LIVED THERE SINCE 1899 OR WERE BORN THERE SINCE THAT DATE. AT PRESENT THE PEOPLE OF GUAM ARE U.S. NATIONALS.
THE BILL ALSO SETS UP A JUDICIAL SYSTEM WITH A THREE-MEMBER SUPREME COURT TO BE APPOINTED BY THE PRESIDENT AND LOWER COURTS TO BE CREATED BY THE GUAM LEGISLATURE.
THE BILL NOW GOES TO THE SENATE WHERE SIMILAR LEGISLATION IS AWAITING ACTION.

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(450) NIGHT LEAD FOREIGN AID
WASHINGTON, MAY 23-(AP)-A BILL AUTHORIZING $3,120,550,000 IN FOREIGN ECONOMIC AID WAS PASSED BY THE HOUSE, 247 TO 88, TODAY BUT RAN INTO IMMEDIATE DIFFICULTIES IN THE SENATE.
THE MEASURE IS DESIGNED TO HELP WESTERN EUROPE AND OTHER AREAS COMBAT THE SPREAD OF COMMUNISM.
WHEN THE BILL REACHED THE SENATE FLOOR, SENATOR TAFT (R-OHIO) PROMPTLY CHALLENGED A SECTION DEALING WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S "POINT FOUR" PROGRAM OF AID TO UNDEVELOPED AREAS OF THE WORLD.
THE OHIO SENATOR ANNOUNCED HE WOULD SEEK TO HAVE A SENATE-HOUSE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE AGREEMENT ON THE BILL REJECTED. HE SAID THE LANGUAGE IN THE COMPROMISE MEASURE EXTENDED THE PROGRAM BEYOND THE SCOPE OF THE ADMINISTRATION'S ORIGINAL PROPOSAL.
TAFT CHARGED SPECIFICALLY THAT THE BILL INCLUDED A "DELIBERATE PLAN" TO PROMOTE THE FLOW OF U.S. PRIVATE CAPITAL ABROAD.
CHAIRMAN CONNALLY (D-TEX) OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE DENIED THERE WAS ANY INTENT TO SUBSIDIZE OR GUARANTEE FOREIGN INVESTMENTS, BUT AT ONE POINT HE TOLD THE SENATE:
"I HAVE VERY LITTLE FAITH IN THE POINT FOUR PROGRAM."
CONNALLY SAID IF AN AMERICAN INVESTOR WANTS TO PUT MONEY INTO ONE OF THE UNDEVELOPED AREAS, THE BILL MERELY DECLARES THE U.S. GOVERNMENT WILL TRY TO GET AN AGREEMENT FROM THE COUNTRY INVOLVES THAT THE AMERICAN "WON'T BE HI-JACKED, ROBBED OR FLIM-FLAMMED."
CONNALLY ALSO SAID HE HAD "VERY LITTLE FAITH" THAT THE MEASURE WOULI RESULT IN INCREASED AMERICAN INVESTMENTS ABROAD, ALTHOUGH IT WOULD PROVIDE TECHNICAL AID TO HELP BACKWARD COUNTRIES.

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SENATOR DONNELL (R-MO) SAID HE VIEWED THE LANGUAGE OF THE BILL AS HOLDING OUT "GLOWING, GLITTERING HOPE" TO U.SS. INVESTORS THAT THEY WOULD BE PROTECTED, WHEREAS ACTUALLY IT GIVES THEM NO PROTECTION AT ALL, HE SAID.
"I DON'T LIKE IT," DONNELL INSISTED.
BUT SENATOR SALTONSTALL (R-MASS) DISAGREED. HE SAID THE BILL HOLDS OUT NO FALSE HOPES, AND SENATOR SMITH (R-NJ) COMMENTED:
"WE DON'T GUARANTEE A THING."
SENATORS RUSSELL (D-GA), MILLIKIN (R-COLO) AND KEM (R-MO) EXPRESSED REPEATED CONCERN THAT THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION'S "POINT FOUR" PROGRAM WOULD BE USED AS THE SPRINGBOARD FOR NEW FOREIGN AID PROGRAMS.
CONNALLY ASSURED THEM THEY WERE "UNDULY ALARMED" AND FINALLY READ OUT A SECTION OF THE SENATE-HOUSE CONFERENCE AGREEMENT DENYING ANY COMMITMENT TOWARD A NEW LONG-TERM AID PROGRAM.
"NOW IF THAT DOESN'T COVER THE LANGUAGE, I DON'T KNOW WHAT DOES," CONNALLY SAID.
IN THE HOUSE, PASSAGE OF THE MEASURE WAS MARKED BY GALLERY CHEERS FOR A GOP CRITIC OF THE VAST FOREIGN AID PROGRAM.
ACTING SPEAKER MCCORMACK (D-MASS) HAD TO CAUTION SPECTATORS AGAINST APPLAUSE AFTER REP.RICH (R-PA), AN OUTSPOKEN ECONOMY ADVOCATE, SHOUTED:
"WHERE ARE YOU GOING TO GET THE MONEY?
"NO ONE ON EITHER SIDE OF THE HOUSE KNOWS WHERE YOU ARE GOING TO GET THE THREE BILLION DOLLARS FOR THE STATE DEPARTMENT TO SQUANDER ALL OVER THE WORLD," RICH DECLARED.
THE LEGISLATION AUTHORIZES FUNDS FOR A THIRD YEAR OF THE FOUR-YEAR MARSHALL PLAN FOR EUROPEAN RECOVERY, ALONG WITH OTHER MULTI-MILLION-GRANTS TO SOUTH KOREA, NON-COMMUNIST CHINA, PALESTINE REFUGEES, CHILDREN'S AID AND THE "POINT FOUR" PROGRAM.
A SEPARATE BILL PROVIDING THE ACTUAL CASH WILL BE SUBJECT TO LATER VOTES IN BOTH CHAMBERS OF CONGRESS.

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A45WX (NL FOREIGN AID, UN, MILITARY)
(200) NIGHT LEAD UNITED NATIONS
WASHINGTON, MAY 23-(AP)-SENATOR KNOWLAND CHARGED TODAY THAT TRYGVE LIE IS A "PARTISAN" OF RUSSIA AND HE ACCUSED THE UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY GENERAL OF SEEKING TO "APPEASE" THE SOVIETS.

WARNING THAT ANOTHER "MUNICH" MIGHT BE IN THE MAKING, THE CALIFORNIA REPUBLICAN TOLD THE SENATE THAT "APPEASEMENT IN 1950, AS IN 1938, IS BUT SURRENDER ON THE INSTALLMENT PLAN."

KNOWLAND ASSERTED THAT ON HIS RECENT VISIT TO MOSCOW LIE SOUGHT TO "ENTICE" THE SOVIET UNION BACK INTO THE U.N. BY OFFERING A "DEAL" ON THE DISPUTE OVER CHINESE REPRESENTATION ON THE SECURITY COUNCIL.

NOTING THAT RUSSIA HAD BOYCOTTED THE U.N. BECAUSE OF WESTERN REFUSAL TO SEAT CHINESE COMMUNISTS IN PLACE OF THE NATIONALIST DELEGATES, KNOWLAND SAID THAT TO YIELD TO MOSCOW NOW WOULD MEAN A CONSTANT REPETITION OF THE "WALK OUT" TACTIC.

"PERHAPS THE NEXT 'WALK OUT' WILL BE ON THE ISSUE OF OUR REFUSAL TO ACCEPT THE SOVIET FORMULA ON ATOMIC ENERGY," HE SAID. "OR MAYBE IT WILL BE ON THE REFUSAL OF THIS NATION AND OUR WESTERN ALLIES TO REPUDIATE THE NORTH ATLANTIC PACT."

KNOWLAND DID NOT DETAIL THE SO-CALLED" DEAL" ON THE CHINESE ISSUE, BUT HE SAID "NOW IS THE TIME FOR THIS GOVERNMENT TO SPEAK OUT IN CLEAR AND UNMISTAKABLE LANGUAGE THAT WE WILL HAVE NO PART" OF IT.

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NIGHT LEAD MILITARY CONSTRUCTION
WASHINGTON, MAY 23-(AP)-THE HOUSE APPROVED TODAY A $930,000,000 MILITARY CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM WHICH PROVIDES, AMONG OTHER THINGS, FOR THE BUILDING OF AN ATOMIC POWERED SUBMARINE.

BY A VOICE VOTE IT PASSED AND SENT TO THE SENATE TWO MEASURES AUTHORIZING:

1. $350,000,000 FOR A NAVY MODERNIZATION PROGRAM. IN ADDITION TO THE ATOMIC SUB, THIS IS TO COVER THE COST OF BUILDING THREE OTHER UNDERWATER CRAFT, TWO OF WHICH ARE TO BE 250-TON MIDGETS. THE FUND ALSO IS TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONVERSION OF A CRUISER INTO A GUIDED MISSILE SHIP; STRENGTHENING AN AIRCRAFT CARRIER'S DECKS TO HANDLE JET PLANES; AND THE CONSTRUCTION OF 79 AMPHIBIOUS VESSELS, EIGHT MINE LAYERS, AND A HIGH-SPEED TARGET SUBMARINE.

2. $580,000,000 FOR PUBLIC WORKS CONSTRUCTION AT MILITARY AND NAVAL INSTALLATIONS IN THIS COUNTRY AND OVERSEAS.

HOUSE PASSAGE CAME AFTER CHAIRMAN VINSON (D-GA) OF THE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE TOLD HIS COLLEAGUES THIS COUNTRY HAS "GOT TO KEEP ABREAST" OF RUSSIA WHICH HE SAID POSSESSES THE WORLD'S LARGEST SUBMARINE FLEET.

THE LEGISLATION DOES NOT PROVIDE THE ACTUAL FUNDS WHICH MUST BE VOTED IN A SEPARATE MEASURE.

SUMNER PIKE, ACTING CHAIRMAN OF THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION, SAID TONIGHT IT MAY TAKE ABOUTUFIVE YEARS TO BUILD AN ATOMIC POWERED SUBMARINE. FIRST AN ATOMIC POWER PLANT WOULD HAVE TO BE BUILT AND TESTED ON LAND, HE SAID, AND IT WOULD TAKE ADDITIONAL TIME TO FIND OUT WHETHER "IT WOULD BE ANY GOOD FOR A SUBMARINE."

PIKE SPOKE ON THE "TIME FOR DEFENSE" PROGRAM AIRED BY THE AMERICAN BROADCASTING COMPANY.

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(200) NIGHT LEAD IRAN ARMS
WASHINGTON, MAY 23-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES PROMISED MILITARY ASSISTANCE TO IRAN TODAY, INCREASING TO 13 THE LINEUP OF NATIONS COMMITTED TO RESIST COMMUNIST EXPANSION WITH AMERICAN AID.

THE UNEASY SOUTHERN NEIGHBOR OF SOVIET RUSSIA AGREED BELATEDLY TO TERMS BY WHICH ARMS AND MILITARY EQUIPMENT VALUED AT AN ESTIMATED $10,000,000 WILL BE PROVIDED IN THE NEXT SEVERAL MONTHS.

A FORMAL EXCHANGE OF NOTES SPELLING OUT THE UNDERSTANDING WAS FOLLOWED BY A STATE DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCEMENT THAT "THE UNITED STATES WILL IMMEDIATELY ARRANGE FOR THE MANUFACTURE OR OTHER PROCUREMENT OF MILITARY ITEMS TO BE FURNISHED IRAN."

THESE ARE EXPECTED TO INCLUDE SMALL ARMS, ANTI-TANK WEAPONS, AND COMMUNICATIONS AND TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT, ALL PRIMARILY OF A DEFENSIVE NATURE.

THE ASSISTANCE IS ON A SMALLER SCALE THAN SOUGHT BY THE SHAH OF IRAN ON HIS VISIT TO THE UNITED STATES LAST YEAR.

IRAN WAS THE LAST TO QUALIFY OF THE NATIONS NAMED SPECIFICALLY BY CONGRESS IN THE CURRENT $1,310,000,000 ARMS PROGRAM. SHIPMENTS ALREADY ARE IN PROGRESS TO EIGHT WESTERN EUROPEAN MEMBERS OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC PACT AND TO GREECE, TURKEY, KOREA AND THE PHILIPPINES.

THE IRANIAN DELAY WAS DUE IN LARGE PART TO RECENT ECONOMIC DIFFICULTIES AND INTERNAL GOVERNMENT SHIFTS IN IRAN WHICH AROUSED THE CONCERN OF AMERICAN OFFICIALS OVER THE STABILITY OF THE OIL RICH COUNTRY IN THE FACE OF CONTINUING SOVIET PRESSURE.

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(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, MAY 23(AP)-ASHER LEE, A FORMER BRITISH AIR MINISTRY INTELLIGENCE OFFICER, SAYS THE RUSSIANS HAVE NO AIRPLANE WORTHY OF DELIVERING THE ATOM BOMB.

APPRAISING THE SOVIET AIR FORCE IN A BOOK TO BE PUBLISHED TOMORROW BY HARPER & BROTHERS, LEE SAYS THE RUSSIANS ARE TRYING TO BUILD A SIX-ENGINE LONG RANGE BOMBER TO COMPETE WITH THE B-36. BUT THUS FAR.

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HE SAYS, IT IS ONLY IN THE PROTOTYPE STAGE, WHICH MEANS CONSTRUCTION OF THE FIRST PLANE.

"UNTIL IT REACHES SOVIET BOMBER SQUADRONS," LEE SAYS, "THE SOVIET ATOM BOMB WILL NOT HAVE FOUND A BOMB RACK WORTHY OF ITS HIRE. ONE CAN SAY THAT THE SOVIET LONG RANGE BOMBER FORCE LACKS NOT ONLY OPERATIONAL EXPERIENCE IN THE USE OF RADAR AND IN OVERSEAS FLYING; IT ALSO LACKS A LONG RANGE INTER-CONTINENTAL BOMBER."

THE RUSSIANS COULD PUT UP ABOUT 1,000 FOUR-ENGINED BOMBERS, MOST OF WHICH HAVE A MAXIMUM COMBAT REACH OF ABOUT 1,000 MILES AND A BOMB LOAD OF 10,000 POUNDS OR LESS, LEE SAYS.

HE ADDS, HOWEVER, "THERE IS NO REASON WHY THESE STRENGTH AND PERFORMANCE FIGURES SHOULD NOT BE DOUBLED BY THE MIDDLE 1950'S."

LEE SAYS RUSSIA IS BUILDING "NOT LESS THAN 7,500 SINGLE AND TWIN-ENGINE JET AIRCRAFT A YEAR." THAT IS THREE TIMES THE UNITED STATES' ANNUAL PRODUCTION OF MILITARY PLANES OF ALL TYPES--COMBAT, TRANSPORT AND TRAINING.

LEE RATES TOTAL AIRCRAFT PRODUCTION IN RUSSIA AT 40,000 TO 50,000 A YEAR.

DISTANCE PREVENTS RUSSIA FROM BOMBING NEW YORK OR WASHINGTON FROM ITS PRESENT BASES, HE SAYS, BUT IT IS DEVELOPING AIR BASES "IN NORTHEASTERN SIBERIA OPPOSITE TO ALASKA."

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(150) MEMORIAL DAY

WASHINGTON, MAY 23-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN ASKED THE AMERICAN PEOPLE TODAY TO OBSERVE MEMORIAL DAY "AS A DAY OF PRAYER FOR PERMANENT PEACE."

IN A PROCLAMATION, HE DESIGNATED THE HOUR BEGINNING AT 11 A.M. (EASTERN DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME), TUESDAY, MAY 30, "AS A PERIOD IN WHICH ALL OUR PEOPLE MAY UNITE IN PRAYER, EACH IN ACCORDANCE WITH HIS OWN RELIGIOUS FAITH, FOR DIVINE AID IN BRINGING ENDURING PEACE TO A TROUBLED WORLD."

THE PRESIDENT ACTED UNDER A CONGRESSIONAL RESOLUTION WHICH CALLED FOR MEMORIAL DAY TO BE OBSERVED BOTH BY TRIBUTES TO THE HEROIC DEAD AND BY NATION-WIDE PRAYER FOR PEACE.

SENATOR FERGUSON (R-MICH) AND REP. MICHENER (R-MICH) SPONSORED THE RESOLUTION, PICKING UP A SUGGESTION FROM CARL M.SAUNDERS, EDITOR OF THE JACKSON (MICH) CITIZEN PATRIOT.

SAUNDERS RECEIVED A PULITZER PRIZE FOR AN EDITORIAL URGING DESIGNATION OF MEMORIAL DAY TO PRAY FOR PEACE.

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(170) POINT FOUR

WASHINGTON,MAY 23-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES IS REPORTED READY TO SEND A "POINT FOUR" SURVEY MISSION TO THE STRATEGIC MIDDLE EAST AS SOON AS COUNTRIES THERE AGREE TO RECEIVE IT.

GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS SAID TODAY THAT ECONOMIC AID TO THESE COUNTRIES HINGES ON AN ON-THE-SPOT STUDY OF PROPOSED PROJECTS. THE STUDY WILL BE MADE, THEY ADDED, AS SOON AS THE MIDDLE EASTERN GOVERNMENTS APPROVE.

MISSION ACCEPTANCE OF PROPOSED PROJECTS WOULD PUT THE COUNTRIES IN LINE FOR MONEY AND TECHNICAL GUIDANCE UNDER PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S SO-CALLED POINT 4 PROGRAM FOR AIDING ECONOMICALLY UNDERDEVELOPED AREAS OF THE WORLD. CONGRESS HAS AUTHORIZED $35,000,000 FOR THE PROGRAM.

ARAB GOVERNMENTS IN THE MIDDLE EAST, ANGERED BY U.S. SUPPORT OF ISRAEL, UP TO NOW HAVE SUPPLIED VERY LITTLE INFORMATION ON WAYS IN WHICH THEY CAN BE HELPED, THE OFFICIALS SAID.

DETAILED PLANS FOR ACTION ALREADY ARE AVAILABLE FOR LATIN AMERICA AND SOUTHEAST ASIA, TWO OTHER AREAS INCLUDED IN THE AID PROGRAM.

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CIVIL DEFENSE

BY DOUGLAS B.CORNELL

WASHINGTON,MAY 23-(AP)-AN EMERGENCY CIVIL DEFENSE PLAN IS GOING TO BE READY SOON FOR THE NATION'S A-BOMB WORRIED CITIES.

MAYORS HAVE BEEN COMPLAINING THAT THEIR TOWNS CAN'T FIND OUT WHAT THEY OUGHT TO DO ABOUT CIVIL DEFENSE.

NOW THE GOVERNMENT'S CIVIL DEFENSE OFFICE, IN THE NATIONAL SECURITIES RESOURCES BOARD (NSRB), IS TRYING TO GET A PROGRAM READY THIS SUMMER THAT WILL SHOW THEM WHAT TO DO WITH THE MANPOWER AND RESOURCES THEY HAVE NOW.

SPECIAL SURVEYS GETTING UNDERWAY HERE AND IN SEATTLE AND CHICAGO, WHERE AUTHORITIES WILL WORK ON THE ASSUMPTION THAT THE CITIES HAVE BEEN ATOM BOMBED, WILL BE THE BASIS FOR THE FILL-IN PROGRAM.

LATER ON, BY SEPTEMBER 1, NSRB INTENDS TO HAVE A MORE PERMANENT CIVIL DEFENSE PLAN READY FOR STATES AND COMMUNITIES.

NSRB OFFICIALS SAY NO CHANGE IN POLICY HAS BEEN MADE--THAT THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT ISN'T STEPPING IN TO GIVE THE ORDERS AND FOOT THE BILL FOR CIVIL DEFENSE. IT STILL PLANS TO SUPPLY GUIDANCE AND ADVICE, AND LEAVE IT TO STATES AND CITIES TO MAKE THE DETAILED ARRANGEMENTS AND PAY MOST OF THE CHECKS.

NOR DOES THE FACT THAT AN EMERGENCY PLAN IS BEING DEVELOPED INDICATE, NSRB AUTHORITIES SAY, THAT THE GOVERNMENT CONSIDERS AN ATTACK ANY MORE LIKELY NOW THAN IN RECENT WEEKS AND MONTHS.

ERIC BIDDLE, A CONSULTANT IN THE CIVILIAN MOBILIZATION OFFICE AT NSRB, IS CHAIRMAN OF THE GOVERNMENT'S COMMITTEE WORKING WITH WASHINGTON, SEATTLE AND CHICAGO AUTHORITIES.

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A 23-POINT CHECK LIST WAS PASSED AROUND AND EXPERTS IN 36 FIELDS ARE SUPPOSED TO SUPPLY ANSWERS WITHIN A WEEK, TELLING WHAT THEY WOULD PLAN TO DO, WHAT THEY WOULD NEED IN THE WAY OF HANDLING PEOPLE AND EQUIPMENT, IN EVENT OF A NATIONAL EMERGENCY AND BEFORE AND AFTER AN ATOMIC ATTACK.

LATER IN THE WEEK, OFFICIALS FROM SEATTLE AND CHICAGO, AND REPRESENTATIVES OF STATES OF WASHINGTON AND ILLINOIS, HAVE BEEN ASKED TO COME IN FOR CONFERENCES.

WITH THE INFORMATION GATHERED FROM STUDIES IN THE THREE CITIES, NSRB HOPES TO PUT TOGETHER A PROGRAM THAT WILL BE VALUABLE TO OTHER

CITIES.

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BIDDLE SAYS THAT IN PREPARING AN INTERIM PLAN THAT WILL BE PRACTICAL AND USEFUL UNTIL A MORE PERMANENT PLAN CAN BE ESTABLISHED, IT IS NECESSARY TO FIND OUT WHAT STATES AND CITIES CAN ACCOMPLISH USING ONLY THE RESOURCES ALREADY ON HAND. HE EXPLAINED:

"THE METHOD IS TO ESTABLISH THE DETAILS OF AN AIR RAID WITH ATOMIC WEAPONS, INCLUDING THE NUMBER OF ATOMIC BOMBS DROPPED AND THE X X X LOCATION OF EACH. SINCE DATA IS AVAILABLE ON THE EFFECTS OF ATOMIC WEAPONS, THE WASHINGTON CIVIL DEFENSE AUTHORITIES CAN DETERMINE PROBABLE RESULTS."

THE SPECIALISTS THEN WOULD DETERMINE HOW TO USE WHAT MUNICIPAL AND PRIVATE FACILITIES WOULD BE LEFT FOR CIVIL DEFENSE PURPOSES.

THE EMERGENCY PLAN IN WASHINGTON WILL COVER FIVE BIG FIELDS--PUBLIC WORKS, PUBLIC SERVICES, PUBLIC SAFETY, PUBLIC HEALTH AND DISASTER RELIEF. THESE ARE BROKEN DOWN INTO 36 SMALLER, MORE SPECIFIC FIELDS, SUCH AS PROTECTIVE STRUCTURES, BRIDGES, TELEPHONES, POWER, GAS, FUEL, TRANSPORTATION, FIRE AND POLICE SERVICES, ANTI-SABOTAGE PRECAUTIONS, DEMOLITION, FIRST AID, EVACUATION, AND HOSPITAL SERVICES.

MARYLAND AND VIRGINIA, AND THEIR COUNTIES AROUND WASHINGTON, HAVE BEEN INVITED TO SEND OBSERVERS TO THE WASHINGTON STUDY. THE SEATTLE AND CHICAGO PROJECTS ALSO WILL BE PUT ON A

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HE GAVE "DELIBERATELY ROUGH" FIGURES ESTIMATING THE COST PER KILOWATT OF ELECTRICAL POWER CAPACITY OF "RESEARCH" REACTORS AT $11,752--COMPARED TO BETWEEN $100 AND $200 FOR CORRESPONDING CAPITAL INVESTMENT FOR COAL-FIRED STEAM PLANTS.

HE ALSO SAID THE PROPOSED $25,000,000 (M) NAVAL REACTOR DESIGNED TO PROPEL A SUBMARINE WOULD ENTAIL AN ESTIMATED $14,000-PER-KILOWATT CAPITAL COST.

SAYING THAT THE HIGH COST AND SCARCITY OF ATOMIC FUELS--FISSIONABLE MATERIALS LIKE URANIUM-235---WAS ONE OF THE KEY PROBLEMS IN THE WHOLE REACTOR PROGRAM, HAFSTAD ASSERTED:

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"ESPECIALLY IN VIEW OF HIGH MILITARY DEMANDS FOR FISSIONABLE MATERIAL FOR A-BOMBS, IT IS CONCEIVABLE THAT THERE WILL BE LITTLE LEFT OVER EVEN FOR MILITARY MOBILE POWER UNITS, LET ALONE FOR CIVILIAN POWER INSTALLATIONS COMPETING, OR TRYING TO COMPETE, WITH COAL AND WATER POWER."

THAT IS WHY, HE SAID, THE COMMISSION CAN BE EXPECTED TO CONTINUE "TO SUPPORT VIGOROUSLY" EXPERIMENTS DESIGNED TO PERFECT A PROCESS FOR "BREEDING" ATOMIC FUELS.

BREEDING IS A THEORETICALLY POSSIBLE PROCESS OF CONVERTING A NON-FISSIONABLE FORM OF URANIUM INTO FISSIONABLE PLUTONIUM. SOME FISSIONABLE MATERIAL WOULD BE CONSUMED IN THE PROCESS, BUT THE END RESULT WOULD BE A NET GAIN IN PRECIOUS FUEL.

HAFSTAD POINTED OUT THAT THERE IS ANOTHER MAJOR PROBLEM IN SHIELDING THE REACTORS TO PROTECT PERSONS FROM THEIR HARMFUL RAYS.

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SECOND LEAD GOLD

PHILADELPHIA,MAY 23-(AP)-A SHORT, PUDGY PHILADELPHIAN WAS CHARGED TONIGHT WITH "DEALING" WITH BRITISH SPY KLAUS FUCHS AND OTHER COMMUNISTS AND SENT TO JAIL IN DEFAULT OF $100,000 BAIL.

THE PHILADELPHIA, 39-YEAR-OLD HARRY GOLD, WAS ACCUSED OF TAKING ATOMIC BOMB SECRETS FROM DR. FUCHS, FORMER TOP BRITISH SCIENTIST NOW SERVING A 14-YEAR TERM FOR ESPIONAGE.

GOLD WENT BEFORE U.S. DISTRICT JUDGE JAMES P.MCGRANERY IN FEDERAL COURT HERE TONIGHT AND WAS ORDERED HELD IN BAIL FOR A FURTHER HEARING (AT 10 A.M., EST) JUNE 12.

MCGRANERY TOLD GOLD DURING THE THE HASTILY CALLED HEARING THAT HE DID NOT HAVE TO SPEAK WITHOUT BENEFIT OF COUNSEL.

AND GOLD SPOKE ONLY TWICE. HE ADMITTED THAT HE WAS GOLD AND REQUESTED PERMISSION TO TELEPHONE HIS BROTHER IN PHILADELPHIA TO GET HIM A LAWYER.

THE BROTHER'S NAME AND THAT OF THE REQUESTED LAWYER WERE NOT DISCLOSED.

THE HEARING WAS CALLED SHORTLY AFTER A JOINT ANNOUNCEMENT OF GOLD'S ARREST WAS MADE IN WASHINGTON BY ATTORNEY GENERAL J.HOWARD MCGRATH AND FBI BOSS J.EDGAR HOOVER.

THEY ANNOUNCED THAT GOLD HAD ADMITTED CONTACTS WITH FUCHS AND HAD GIVEN A DETAILED ACCOUNT OF HIS ACTIVITIES.

THE HEARING BEFORE JUDGE MCGRANERY LASTED ONLY 15 MINUTES. THE FEDERAL JUDGE WAS CALLED FROM A LECTURE TO OFFICIATE AT THE PROCEEDINGS HE TOLD A REPORTER THAT THE CALL WAS NOT UNEXPECTED.

IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE HEARING, GOLD WAS TAKEN TO MOYAMENSING PRISON.

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FBI AGENTS HERE REFUSED TO DISCUSS THE CASE, SAYING THAT ALL ANNOUNCEMENTS WOULD COME FROM WASHINGTON.

FUCHS IS THE BRITISH ATOMIC SCIENTIST WHO IS JAILED IN ENGLAND FOR ESPIONAGE.

FBI DIRECTOR J.EDGAR HOOVER AND ATTORNEY GENERAL J.HOWARD MCGRATH SAID IN A JOINT STATEMENT AT WASHINGTON THAT DR.FUCHS HAD TURNED OVER SECRETS ABOUT THE ATOMIC BOMB TO GOLD.

GOLD WAS DESCRIBED IN THE ANNOUNCEMENT AS AN INTERMEDIARY USED BY THE SOVIET INTELLIGENCE SERVICE TO MAKE IMPORTANT CONTACTS IN THIS COUNTRY.

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DR.FUCHS WAS ARRESTED IN ENGLAND THE FIRST WEEK IN FEBRUARY AND CONFESSED TO PASSING ATOMIC SECRETS TO THE RUSSIANS. HE WAS SENTENCED TO 14 YEARS IN PRISON AFTER BEING RELIEVED OF HIS JOB AS A TOP ATOMIC RESEARCHER FOR THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT.

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IN LONDON, IT WAS DISCLOSED THAT TWO FBI AGENTS QUESTIONED DR.FUCHS LAST SATURDAY AND AGAIN TODAY. THE PHYSICIST IS SERVING 14 YEARS FOR PASSING ATOM SECRETS TO RUSSIA.

AS A BRITISH RESEARCH WORKER, DR.FUCHS FREQUENTLY VISITED THE UNITED STATES DURING THE WAR AND POSTWAR PERIOD. AS AN OFFICIAL BRITISH GOVERNMENT VISITOR HE HAD ACCESS TO IMPORTANT ATOMIC LABORATORY WORK AT LOS ALAMOS, N.M., AND ELSEWHERE.

THE FBI SAID IT HAD LEARNED THAT GOLD FIRST MET DR.FUCHS IN NEW YORK'S EAST SIDE EARLY IN 1944, AND THAT THEY HAD OTHER SUBSEQUENT CONTACTS IN BROOKLYN, THE BRONX, MANHATTAN AND QUEENS.

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THE ANNOUNCEMENT ASSERTED:

"GOLD LATER MET FUCHS IN CAMBRIDGE, MASS., AT WHICH TIME HE RECEIVED BOTH WRITTEN AND ORAL INFORMATION WHICH FUCHS PROVIDED AS A RESULT OF HIS WORK AT LOS ALAMOS. IN 1945, GOLD AGAIN MET FUCHS IN SANTA FE, N.M., AND FUCHS TURNED OVER INFORMATION TO GOLD. THE LAST MEETING GOLD HAD WITH FUCHS OCCURRED IN SEPT., 1945."

THE FBI, WHICH INDICATED THAT IT HAS LONG BEEN WATCHING GOLD, QUOTED HIM AS HAVING TOLD FBI AGENTS WHO TOOK HIM INTO CUSTODY AT PHILADELPHIA:

"I THOUGHT THAT I WOULD BE HELPING A NATION WHOSE FINAL AIMS I APPROVED ALONG THE ROAD TO INDUSTRIAL STRENGTH. PARTICULARLY WAS I TAKEN WITH THE IDEA THAT WHATEVER I DID WOULD GO TO HELP MAKE LIVING CONDITIONS FAR MORE ADVANCED ALONG THE ROAD AS WE KNOW THEM HERE IN THE UNITED STATES."

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GOLD WAS ALSO QUOTED AS SAYING HE "FELT THAT AS AN ALLY I WAS ONLY HELPING THE SOVIET UNION OBTAIN CERTAIN INFORMATION THAT I THOUGHT IT WAS ENTITLED TO."

THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT DECLINED TO SAY EXACTLY WHERE IN PHILADELPHIA GOLD WAS ARRESTED.

HE WAS DESCRIBED AS HAVING BEEN BORN IN SWITZERLAND OF PARENTS WHO BOTH WERE NATIVES OF RUSSIA.

GOLD CAME TO THE UNITED STATES IN 1914 WHEN HE WAS FOUR YEARS OLD AND CLAIMS DERIVATIVE CITIZENSHIP IN THIS COUNTRY AS A RESULT OF THE NATURALIZATION OF HIS PARENTS HERE. THEIR FAMILY NAME OF GOLODNITSKY WAS CHANGED TO GOLD WHEN THEY WERE NATURALIZED. THE DEPARTMENT SAID.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT BY MCGRATH AND HOOVER SAID AT THE TIME OF HIS ARREST GOLD WAS ENGAGED IN CHEMICAL RESEARCH IN CONNECTION WITH HEART AILMENTS IN A PHILADELPHIA HOSPITAL, WHICH THE DEPARTMENT DID NOT IDENTIFY.

GOLD IS SINGLE AND LIVES AT 6823 KINDRED STREET, PHILADELPHIA.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT GAVE THIS BRIEF BIOGRAPHICAL BACKGROUND:

HARRY GOLD ATTENDED NIGHT SCHOOL AT THE DREXEL INSTITUTE IN PHILADELPHIA, THE UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA AND COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY IN NEW YORK CITY WHILE WORKING FOR A LABORATORY IN PHILADELPHIA. HE LATER WENT TO XAVIER UNIVERSITY IN CINCINNATI AND THERE RECEIVED A BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE IN 1940 SUMMA CUM LAUDE--OR WITH HIGHEST PRAISE. HE WAS LATER ASSOCIATED WITH A NEW YORK LABORATORY FROM 1946 TO 1948 AFTER SPENDING MOST OF HIS TIME AFTER GRADUATION IN NEW YORK CITY.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF HIS ARREST FOLLOWED QUESTIONING OF DR.FUCHS IN THE BRITISH WORMWOOD SCRUBS PRISON BY ASSISTANT FBI DIRECTOR HUGH H. CLEGG AND SPECIAL AGENT ROBERT J.LAMBTHER.

FUCHS, ONE OF THE TOP SCIENTISTS AT BRITAIN'S HARWELL ATOMIC RESEARCH STATION, WAS ARRESTED FEB. 3. HE CONFESSED PASSING ATOM SECRETS TO RUSSIA. DURING PART OF THE TIME HE WAS IN CONTACT WITH RUSSIAN AGENTS, HE WAS WORKING AT U.S. ATOM ESTABLISHMENTS AS PART OF A BRITISH TEAM.

HE PLEADED GUILTY AT HIS TRIAL MARCH 1 AND WAS SENTENCED TO 14 YEARS IMPRISONMENT, THE MAXIMUM UNDER THE LAW.

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WASHINGTON,MAY 23-(AP)-THERE HAVE BEEN FEW PROSECUTIONS IN THE POSTWAR YEARS ON ESPIONAGE CHARGES SUCH AS THAT SET IN MOTION TONIGHT WITH THE ARREST OF A PHILADELPHIAN.

HARRY GOLD, 39, A CHEMICAL RESEARCHER, WAS CHARGED TONIGHT WITH CONSPIRING WITH A RUSSIAN AGENT TO FURNISH HIM DEFENSE SECRETS, INCLUDING ATOMIC INFORMATION. THE SOVIET AGENT WAS NOT NAMED.

THE MOST-PUBLICIZED POSTWAR ESPIONAGE CASE WAS THAT OF JUDITH COPLON, 28-YEAR-OLD FORMER GOVERNMENT WORKERS, AND VALENTIN A. GUBITCHEV, A RUSSIAN ENGINEER.

THEY WERE CONVICTED IN NEW YORK OF CONSPIRACY TO COMMIT ESPIONAGE. BOTH WERE SENTENCED TO 15 YEARS, BUT GUBITCHEV WAS ALLOWED TO RETURN TO RUSSIA RATHER THAN SERVE HIS SENTENCE. MISS COPLON HAS APPEALED THE CONVICTION, AS WELL AS ONE IN WASHINGTON ON CHARGES OF TAKING SECRET GOVERNMENT PAPERS.

LT.NICOLAI G.REDIN, A YOUNG SOVIET NAVAL OFFICER, WAS CHARGED WITH ESPIONAGE BUT WAS ACQUITTED AT SEATTLE,WASH., IN JULY, 1946. HE HAD BEEN CHARGED WITH ATTEMPTING TO OBTAIN PLANS OF A NEW NAVY SHIP.

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LONDON, MAY 23-(AP)-TWO FBI AGENTS TODAY QUESTIONED DR.KLAUS FUCHS WHO IS SERVING 14 YEARS IN PRISON FOR PASSING ATOM SECRETS TO RUSSIA.

THE QUESTIONING WAS DIRECTED BY V. H. CLEGG, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF THE FBI, IN WORMWOOD SCRUBS PRISON WHERE FUCHS IS SERVING HIS SENTENCE.

THE AGENTS TALKED TO FUCHS LAST SATURDAY. THEY RETURNED TODAY FOR FURTHER TALKS AFTER STUDYING ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS THEY FIRST PUT TO HIM.

TODAY'S QUESTION AND ANSWER SESSION WITH THE GERMAN-BORN THEORETICAL PHYSICIST REPORTEDLY TOOK ABOUT TWO HOURS. THE FBI IS SEEKING TO LEARN HOW MUCH INFORMATION FUCHS GAVE TO THE RUSSIAN AGENTS IN LONDON, NEW YORK AND BOSTON.

THE FBI IS ALSO INTERESTED IN TRACKING DOWN ALL AVENUES WHICH FUCHS MAY HAVE USED IN FUNNELLING TOP SECRET ATOM INFORMATION TO RUSSIA.

BRITISH SECURITY OFFICERS WERE PRESENT AT THE QUESTIONING.

TWO FBI MEN CAME HERE ESPECIALLY TO TALK WITH FUCHS AND RECEIVED PERMISSION FROM THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT FOR THE INTERVIEW.

THE BRITISH SECURITY OFFICERS ACCOMPANYING THE FBI AGENTS TO THE PRISON WERE MEMBERS OF SCOTLAND YARD'S FAMED SPECIAL BRANCH (CAP S, B)

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HOUSTON,TEX.,MAY 23-(AP)-THE PRIME MINISTER OF PAKISTAN, LIAQUAT ALI KHAN AND HIS WIFE, BEGUM LIAQUAT ALI KHAN, CONCLUDED THEIR TEXAS VISIT AT A DINNER LAST NIGHT AND WERE TO LEAVE TODAY FOR NEW ORLEANS.

IN A SPEECH AT THE DINNER, GIVEN BY THE FOREIGN TRADE COMMITTEE OF THE HOUSTON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, THE PRIME MINISTER SAID THAT THE WORLD'S PROFIT MOTIVE SHOULD BE COMBINED WITH INTERNATIONAL SOCIAL OBJECTIVES.

LIAQUAT ALI KHAN ALSO SAID PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S PROPOSAL THAT THE UNITED STATES FOSTER CAPITAL INVESTMENTS IN AREAS NEEDING DEVELOPMENT IS PRACTICAL INTERNATIONALISM.

AFTER REVIEWING PAKISTAN'S STRUGGLE FOR INDUSTRIALIZATION, THE ASIATIC LEADER SAID:

"...CAPITAL MUST TAKE, IN THE WORLD TODAY, A MORE ENLIGHTENED VIEW OF ITS RESPONSIBILITY AND OF ITS POTENTIALITIES FOR GOOD THAN IT HAS HITHERTO BEEN CONSTRAINED TO DO.

"WE DO NOT PREACH THAT THE PROFIT MOTIVE BE ABANDONED. FOR THE SAKE OF WORLD PEACE AND WORLD EQUILIBRIUM WE ONLY SUGGEST THAT THE PROFIT MOTIVE SHOULD BE COMBINED WITH INTERNATIONAL SOCIAL OBJECTIVES."

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KX (APW) (210)

FIRST LEAD PAKISTAN

NEW ORLEANS, MAY 23-(AP)-THE PRIME MINISTER OF PAKISTAN SAID TONIGHT THAT "THE GREATEST THREAT TO THE PEACE OF THE WORLD WOULD BE UNSTABILITY IN ASIA."

LIAQUAT ALI KHAN TOLD THE FOREIGN POLICY ASSOCIATION THAT "UNLESS ASIA IS STABILIZED, WORLD PEACE IS NOT POSSIBLE."

HE CALLED FOR INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION TO SAVE THE WORLD FROM "THE HORRORS OF WAR AND PERHAPS TOTAL DESTRUCTION." HE SAID PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S "FAMOUS POINT FOUR" IS AN EXAMPLE OF THE "MOST EFFICACIOUS AND FAR REACHING COOPERATION THAT THE WORLD NEEDS TODAY."

LIAQUAT ALI ARRIVED THIS MORNING, THE 20TH DAY OF HIS "MISSION OF PEACE" TO THE UNITED STATES.

WHILE HE TOURED INDUSTRIAL PLANTS--JUTE BAG FACTORIES USING MATERIALS FROM HIS OWN NATION--THE BEGUM LIAQUAT ALI KAHN VISITED CHARITY HOSPITAL AND LATER SPOKE AT TULANE UNIVERSITY.

THE PRIME MINISTER SAID THE GREATEST FACTOR IN ASIA TODAY "IS THE BACKWARDNESS AND POVERTY OF THE PEOPLE AND THE MENTAL CONFUSION AND BOUTS WHICH ARISE IN THE MINDS OF MULTITUDES WHO HAVE BECOME POLITICALLY FREE BUT ARE POOR AND IGNORANT."

"IN THE MIDST OF THESE DISQUIETING CIRCUMSTANCES, PAKISTAN," HE SAID, "WITH ITS RELIGIOUS BELIEF IN DEMOCRACY AND WITH THE UNITY OF ITS PEOPLE -- SO RARE AMONGST THE NEW NATIONS OF ASIA--STANDS FIRM AS THE MOST STABILIZING FACTOR IN AN UNEASY CONTINENT."

EARLIER, THE PRIME MINISTER SAID RELIGION WOULD BAR ANY FOREIGN IDEOLOGY FROM HIS COUNTRY.

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B78KX (LANDON-Q)

(170)

EMPORIA,KAS.,MAY 23 (AP)-ALF M.LANDON, REPUBLICAN PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEE IN 1936, SAID TODAY THE OBJECTIVE OF THE UNITED STATES SHOULD BE THE DESTRUCTION OF THE ORGANISM OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY.

"THE ONLY WAY TO CLEAR AN AREA OF RATTLESNAKES IS TO DESTROY THEIR NESTS," HE TOLD A COLLEGE OF EMPORIA CONVOCATION.

"THE MAIN NEST OF COMMUNISTS IS IN THE KREMLIN. AS LONG AS WE CONTINUE TO TACKLE COMMUNISM ONLY IN PLACES REMOTE FROM THE CENTER, SUCH AS GREECE, CHINA OR IRAN, WE CAN GAIN ONLY INDECISIVE RESULTS AT THE EXPENSE OF GREAT EFFORT."

LANDON SAID THAT WITH THE SOVIET POSSESSION OF THE ATOMIC BOMB THE AMERICAN POSITION HAS BEEN ALTERED COMPLETELY.

"TODAY OUR SITUATION IS EXTREME. WITHIN THE NEXT FEW YEARS IT CAN BE HOPELESS."

HE SAID THE PRIMARY WEAKNESS OF THE AMERICAN POLICY LIES IN "THE FACT THAT IT NEVER HAS AIMED AT A CLEAR CUT, POSITIVE OBJECTIVE."

"THE INADEQUACY OF AMERICAN FOREIGN POLICY CAN BE SEEN ON ANY MAP. IT IS AN IRONIC FACT THAT THE UNITED STATES AT THE PEAK OF HER POWER STANDS ALMOST AT BAY BEFORE THE ASSAULTS OF A NATION INFERIOR TO US SPIRITUALLY, POLITICALLY AND INDUSTRIALLY."

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A170KX (SINO)
(170)
SAN FRANCISCO,MAY 23 (AP)-THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS TODAY ACCUSED GREAT BRITAIN OF AIDING CHINA'S NATIONALISTS WHILE SEEKING TO ESTABLISH DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH THE RED REGIME.

A PEIPING BROADCAST QUOTED A SPOKESMAN FOR THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AS SAYING "IT IS COMPLETELY NECESSARY TO ASK THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT TO CLARIFY FURTHER AGAIN ITS POSITION WITH REGARD TO... THESE INCONSISTENCIES BETWEEN DECLARATION AND ACTION."

THIS IS IN ADDITION TO THE REQUEST MAY 8 ASKING FOR CLARIFICATION OF THE BRITISH POSITION.

THE SPOKESMAN ISSUED A STATEMENT REVIEWING NEGOTIATIONS SINCE THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT ON JAN. 6 ADVISED RED FOREIGN MINISTER CHOU EN-LAI OF A DESIRE TO ESTABLISH DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS.

IT ALSO WAS A REVIEW OF RECENT BROADCAST ATTACKS ON GREAT BRITAIN. THE COMMUNISTS DON'T LIKE IT BECAUSE THE BRITISH HAVE FAILED TO SUPPORT THEIR BID FOR A SEAT IN THE UNITED NATIONS AND HAVE SO FAR REFUSED TO HAND OVER 70 FORMER NATIONALIST TRANSPORT PLANES IN HONG KONG.

J.C.HUTCHISON, BRITISH CHARGE D'AFFAIRES, HAS BEEN IN PEIPING SINCE FEBRUARY NEGOTIATING WITH COMMUNIST OFFICIALS.

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SAN FRANCISCO, MAY 23-(AP)-A DISMAL PICTURE OF THE PROSPECTS OF RESTORING TRADE WITH COMMUNIST RULED CHINA WAS GIVEN TODAY BY A STATE DEPARTMENT ATTACHE JUST RETURNED FROM SHANGHAI.

FREDERICK W.HINKE, UNTIL RECENTLY A COMMERCIAL ATTACHE AT THE ONCE BUSY PORT, SAID:

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"I DON'T THINK TRADE WITH THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS SHOULD BE ENCOURAGED. IT WILL BE EXCEEDINGLY DIFFICULT UNTIL THEY DEVELOP A BETTER SENSE OF PROPORTION."

HE SAID THE COMMUNIST REGIME MUST FIRST CONFORM TO "ACCEPTED STANDARDS OF BEHAVIOUR IN THE COMMERCIAL AS WELL AS OTHER FIELDS.

"IT'S A TWO-WAY PROPOSITION. THE SITUATION WON'T GET ANY BETTER AS LONG AS THE CHINESE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT FOLLOWS A PATTERN DICTATED BY THE SOVIET UNION."

HINKE, WHOSE HOME IS IN SANTA PAULA, CALIF., LEFT SHANGHAI APRIL 24, WITH THE LAST 24 AMERICAN CONSULAR OFFICIALS DEPARTING FROM THE CHINESE MAINLAND.

ANOTHER MEMBER OF THE GROUP WHO ARRIVED ON THE WILSON WAS O.EDMUND CLUBB, VETERAN OF 22 YEARS IN THE CONSULAR CORPS AND CONSUL GENERAL IN PEIPING UNTIL LAST APRIL 12.

CLUBB, WHO HAD BEEN IN PEIPING SINCE 1947, SAID HE PLANS TO VISIT HIS FAMILY IN ST.PAUL, MINN., AND THEN REPORT FOR A NEW ASSIGNMENT IN WASHINGTON.

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LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 23-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS SAID TODAY 27,000 VISITORS FROM 31 COUNTRIES AND TERRITORIES VISITED THE U.N. DURING APRIL. APPROXIMATELY 19,000 MORE WERE TURNED AWAY BECAUSE OF LACK OF SPACE, THE U.N. ADDED.

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B22
NIGHT LEAD GRAND JURY (100)
NEW YORK, MAY 23-(AP)-A SPECIAL GRAND JURY INVESTIGATING COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES QUESTIONED WILLIAM W.REMINGTON, COMMERCE DEPARTMENT EMPLOYE, FOR A SECOND TIME TODAY AND CALLED HIM BACK FOR FURTHER TESTIMONY TOMORROW.

REMINGTON HAS BEEN CALLED A COMMUNIST BY ELIZABETH BENTLEY, SELF-STYLED EX-COURIER FOR A SOVIET SPY RING. HE HAS DENIED THE CHARGE AND RECENTLY WON AN OUT-OF-COURT SETTLEMENT OF A LIBEL SUIT AGAINST MISS BENTLEY.

THE FEDERAL GRAND JURY ALSO LISTENED TODAY TO JOSEPH NORTH, FORMER WRITER FOR THE COMMUNIST DAILY WORKER. MISS BENTLEY HAS SAID IT WAS NORTH WHO INTRODUCED REMINGTON TO HER FRIEND JACOB GOLOS, WHOM SHE DESCRIBED AS THE HEAD OF AN ESPIONAGE RING.

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B124 (120)
NEW YORK, MAY 23-(AP)-THE 62-YEAR-OLD FORMER GENERAL DIRECTOR OF HUNGARIAN CATHOLIC ACTION ARRIVED TODAY TO BECOME A PARISH PRIEST IN CHICAGO AT THE INVITATION OF SAMUEL CARDINAL STRITCH.

THE RT. REV. MONSIGNOR SIGISMUND MIHAILOVICS, WHO SAID HE HAD BEEN A CLOSE ASSOCIATE OF JOSEPH CARDINAL MINDSZENTY, ARRIVED ON THE ITALIAN LINER CONTE BIANCAMANO.

FATHER MIHAILOVICS SAID HE NOW WAS THE SPIRITUAL LEADER OF ALL HUNGARIAN CATHOLICS OUTSIDE THAT COUNTRY, NUMBERING ABOUT 100,000, "TO KEEP THEM TOGETHER SPIRITUALLY AND PREPARE FOR THE LIBERATION" OF THEIR NATIVE LAND.

THE PRIEST SAID HE ESCAPED FROM HUNGARY IN JUNE 1948, SHIPPING ACROSS THE BORDER, WITHOUT MONEY OR DOCUMENTS.

HE SAID THAT "NOT EVEN IN BUDAPEST" WAS IT KNOWN WHERE CARDINAL MINDSZENTY WAS, WHETHER HE WAS ALIVE OR DEAD OR WHAT HIS HEALTH MIGHT BE.

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A59 (350)
NEW YORK, MAY 23-(AP)-LOUIS BUDENZ SAYS A WOMAN COMMUNIST ENTERED THE WHITE HOUSE BEFORE THE YALTA CONFERENCE IN 1945 AND OBTAINED INFORMATION WHICH STRENGTHENED STALIN'S POSITION AT THE CONFERENCE.
BUDENZ, FORMER MANAGING EDITOR OF THE DAILY WORKER, COMMUNIST DAILY NEWSPAPER, WHO TURNED AGAINST THE PARTY IN 1945, WROTE THIS IN A NEW BOOK.
HE SAID "A PROFESSOR IN A PENNSYLVANIA COLLEGE X X X SERVED AS A COURIER AND INFORMATION GATHERER IN WASHINGTON" FOR THE COMMUNISTS AND THAT SHE SUCCEEDED IN "ENTERING THE WHITE HOUSE AND BRINGING BACK INFORMATION VALUABLE TO STALIN FOR THE YALTA CONFERENCE."
HE ADDED:
"SHE WAS INSTRUMENTAL IN GETTING VARIOUS GOVERNMENTAL MOVES MADE WHICH ENHANCED THE POLITICAL POSITION OF THE COMMUNISTS.
BUDENZ GAVE NO FURTHER INFORMATION REGARDING THE WOMAN.
IN HIS BOOK, "MEN WITHOUT FACES" (HARPER), BUDENZ SAID ALSO THAT "FOR WEEKS PRIOR TO THE YALTA CONFERENCE, COMMUNIST AGENTS IN WASHINGTON HAD BEEN TOLD TO GATHER EVERY RELIABLE BIT OF DATA AVAILABLE ON PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S HOPES, PLANS AND FEARS IN THE WAR.
"ALL THIS INFORMATION WAS X X X FORWARDED TO MOSCOW. SINCE STALIN COULD CHECK THIS INFORMATION AGAINST THAT COMING IN FROM OTHER AGENTS, IT CAN BE APPRECIATED HOW WELL PREPARED THE SOVIET DICTATOR WAS FOR HIS MEETING WITH ROOSEVELT AND CHURCHILL."
BUDENZ SAID "THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS HAVE BEEN CONTRIBUTED BY A GROUP OF EXCEPTIONALLY HIGHLY PAID PROFESSIONAL PEOPLE TO FINANCE DIRECTLY SUBVERSIVE WORK AGAINST THE UNITED STATES IN HAWAII.
"SINCE 1937, TO MY KNOWLEDGE, AN INTELLECTUAL OF SOME WEALTH AND SOCIAL STANDING HAS DIRECTED ESPIONAGE WORK IN WASHINGTON AIMED AT BENEFITING SOVIET RUSSIA IN ASIA. X X X
"I KNOW THAT THE INFLUENCE OF THE COMMUNISTS IN VARIOUS KEY DEPARTMENTS IN WASHINGTON X X X WAS PARTICULARLY EFFECTIVE IN CAUSING THE UNITED STATES TO 'PULL ITS PUNCHES' IN REGARD TO POLAND AND CHINA."
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B93 (420)
NEW YORK, MAY 23-(AP)-FEDERAL JUDGE WILLIAM BONDY TODAY ADJOURNED UNTIL THURSDAY ARGUMENT ON A MOTION FOR A NEW HEARING FOR FREDERICK E. BAUER, A FORMER SOLDIER HELD FOR DEPORTATION.
THE GOVERNMENT REQUESTED THE ADJOURNMENT BECAUSE THE ASSISTANT U.S. ATTORNEY HANDLING THE CASE IS ENGAGED IN PROSECUTING ANOTHER CASE.
BAUER WAS IN COURT WITH HIS INDIANA-BORN WIFE, WILMA, AND THEIR TWO CHILDREN, CARMEN, TWO, AND FREDERICK, SIX MONTHS OLD.
U.S. ATTORNEY IRVING H. SAYPOL TOLD THE COURT THAT BAUER WAS ADJUDGED "BY A JUDICIAL DECISION TO BE A GERMAN SPY." HE SAID HE HOPED BAUER WOULD TAKE THE STAND SO THAT THE GOVERNMENT COULD CROSS-EXAMINE HIM. SAYPOL ALSO SAID THAT IF THE HEARING IS GRANTED, THE PROCEEDP TAKE A DAY TO A D

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GUNTHER JACOBSON, ATTORNEY FOR BAUER, TOOK EXCEPTION TO SAYPOL'S CHARACTERIZATION OF BAUER AS A GERMAN SPY. JACOBSON SAID THAT "THE CONTRARY IS THE TRUTH," BECAUSE AN ARMY REPORT SAID BAUER COMMITTED NO ACT OF ESPIONAGE.
JACOBSON SAID BAUER WAS BEEN HELD ON ELLIS ISLAND SINCE DEC. 12, 1945. HIS TWO CHILDREN WERE BORN IN STATEN ISLAND AND HAVE LIVED ON ELLIS ISLAND SINCE.
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"I KNOW OF NO OTHER COUNTRY IN THE WORLD WHERE THIS JUDICIAL TWIDDLE-DEE AND TWIDDLE-DUM COULD GO ON," SAYPOL SAID.
AS BAUER WAS ESCORTED FROM THE BUILDING, HE WAS ASKED WHETHER IT WAS TRUE HE HAD ADMITTED BEING A SPY.
"THAT IS NOT SO," HE ANSWERED. "THAT HAS BESMIRCHED THIS CASE FROM THE BEGINNING. IF I HAD ADMITTED THAT, I WOULD NOT BE ALIVE TODAY."
BAUER, 39, WAS BORN IN ALSACE, THE SON OF A GERMAN ARMY OFFICER. HE CAME TO THE UNITED STATES IN 1930 AND WAS NATURALIZED IN OCTOBER, 1935. MEANTIME, HE STUDIED LAW AND BECAME A PATENT ATTORNEY, ADMITTED TO PRACTICE IN FEDERAL COURTS AND BEFORE THE UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT.

B94
ON A TRIP TO GERMANY TO WORK AS AN EXPERT ON U.S.PATENT LAWS, HE SAID HE WAS DRAFTED INTO THE GERMAN ARMY. THE COURTS RAVE RULED THAT HE THEREBY LOST HIS AMERICAN CITIZENSHIP.
BAUER SAID HE TRICKED THE NAZIS TO APPOINT HIM A SPY SO THAT HE COULD GET BACK TO THE UNITED STATES. AFTER HE RETURNED HERE, HE SAID HE NEVER CARRIED OUT HIS ASSIGNMENT.
HE ENTERED THE AMERICAN ARMY IN 1942, BECAME A STAFF SERGEANT AND WAS ARRESTED AT FORT HARRISON, IND., FOR AN INVESTIGATION OF CHARGES HE WAS A GERMAN SPY. THE GOVERNMENT SAID HE WAS DISCHARGED FROM THE ARMY WITHOUT HONOR.
MRS. BAUER IS A NATIVE OF ROCKVILLE, IND.
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NIGHT LEAD DRAPER-ADLER (450)

BY GEORGE MILLER

(NY) HARTFORD, CONN., MAY 23-(AP)-MRS.HESTER R.MCCULLOUGH CONCLUDED HER DEFENSE IN A $200,000 LIBEL SUIT TODAY AFTER GIVING HER OPINION THAT PAUL DRAPER AND LARRY ADLER, THE ENTERTAINERS WHO BROUGHT THE SUIT, ARE CONCEALED COMMUNISTS.

DRAPER AND ADLER BEGAN CALLING REBUTTAL WITNESSES AS SOON AS THE 32-YEAR-OLD GREENWICH, CONN., HOUSEWIFE LEFT THE WITNESS STAND. THE CASE IS EXPECTED TO GO TO A FEDERAL COURT JURY THURSDAY NIGHT.

MRS.MCCULLOUGH, NEAR THE END OF HER CROSS-EXAMINATION, VIRTUALLY REPEATED THE ACCUSATION THAT LED TO THE SUIT'S BEING FILED AGAINST HER.

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"DO YOU THINK THEY (DRAPER AND ADLER) ARE CONCEALED COMMUNISTS?" ASKED FREDERICK H.WIGGIN, COUNSEL FOR THE PLAINTIFFS.

"YES, SIR, I DO," MRS.MCCULLOUGH REPLIED.

BASIS FOR THE SUIT IS A PUBLISHED LETTER IN WHICH MRS.MCCULLOUGH, WIFE OF A TIME MAGAZINE EDITOR, ACCUSED DRAPER AND ADLER OF PRO-COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES. THE LETTER PROTESTED THE APPEARANCE OF DRAPER, A DANCER, AND ADLER, A HARMONICA PLAYER, AT A GREENWICH CONCERT EARLY LAST YEAR.

TODAY MRS.MCCULLOUGH TESTIFIED SHE HATED NOT ONLY COMMUNISTS BUT "CAPITALISTIC FAT CATS," PRESENT-DAY LIBERALS, AND NEW DEALERS. SHE DEFINED A LIBERAL " IN THE MISUSE OF THE WORD TODAY" AS "SOMEONE WHO HAD LEFTISH AFFILIATIONS."

WIGGIN ASKED AT ONE POINT IF MRS.MCCULLOUGH REGARDED THE LATE FRANKLIN D.ROOSEVELT AS AN "INCOMPLETE AMERICAN"--AN EXPRESSION SHE HAD USED TO DESRRIBE SOME PERSONS WHOSE POLITICAL OPINIONS SHE DEPLORED.

"I THINK PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT SOLD US OUT," THE DEFENDANT REPLIED. "I THINK HE ATTEMPTED TO APPEASE STALIN."

"THE PHRASE 'SOLD US OUT' IMPLIES SOMETHING PRETTY BAD," WIGGIN SAID.

"IT WAS PRETTY BAD," MRS.MCCULLOUGH SAID.

THE LAWYER ASKED MRS.MCCULLOUGH IF SHE HATED MANY OF HER GREENWICH NEIGHBORS.

"NO, I THINK HATE IS TOO STRONG A WORD. I FEEL SORRY FOR THEM," SHE REPLIED.

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MRS.MCCULLOUGH HAD TESTIFIED EARLIER THAT VARIOUS NEIGHBORS URGED HER TO CALL OFF HER CAMPAIGN TO STOP THE DRAPER-ADLER CONCERT. SHE SAID SHE HAD TOLD GREENWICH'S FIRST SELECTMAN, WILBUR PECK: "YOU CAN'T SIT BACK LIKE A BUNCH OF CAPITALISTIC FAT CATS AND DO NOTHING WHEN THESE PEOPLE COME HERE FOR LARGE FEES."

WIGGIN QUESTIONED MRS.MCCULLOUGH FURTHER ABOUT HER STATEMENT YESTERDAY THAT SHE REGARDS ADLER AND DRAPER AS TRAITORS TO THEIR COUNTRY.

SHEISAID SHE DID NOT THINK THEY WERE "THE KIND OF TRAITORS" WHO SHOULD BE IMPRISONED OR PUT TO DEATH.

"I THINK I'D TRY TO EXPOSE THEM," SHE SAID.

"WOULD YOU TRY TO HURT THEM IN THE BOX OFFICE?" THE LAWYER ASKED.

"YES, SIR," MRS.MCCULLOUGH REPLIED.

DRAPER RETURNED TO THE WITNESS STAND TODAY AND DENIED DEFENSE TESTIMONY THAT HE ONCE PLEDGED $22,500--THE EXPECTED PROCEEDS FROM A LATIN-AMERICAN TOUR--TO THE JOINT ANTI-FASCIST REFUGEE COMMITTEE.

"I NEVER HAD THAT MUCH MONEY AT THE SAME MOMENT IN MY LIFE," HE SAID.

A FORMER F.B.I. UNDERCOVER AGENT, JOHN HUBER, TESTIFIED EARLIER THAT HE HEARD DRAPER MAKE THE PLEDGE DURING A BENEFIT SHOW FOR THE COMMITTEE, WHICH HAS BEEN CITED BY THE U.S. ATTORNEY GENERAL AS SUBVERSIVE.

DRAPER ALSO DENIED TESTIMONY BY WILLIAM ROWE SIMPSON, A RETIRED NEW YORK PAWNBROKER, WHO SAID THE DANCER SPOKE TO HIM IN 1947 OF A COMING "NEW ORDER" IN WHICH WEALTH WOULD BE MORE EVENLY SHARED.

DRAPER CALLED AS ONE OF HIS REBUTTAL WITNESSES GERALD MURPHY, PREFIDENT OF MARK ROSS, NEW YORK LEATHER GOODS FIRM, WHO SAID HE HAS KNOWN THE DANCER SINCE BOYHOOD AND REGARDS HIS REPUTATION AS "ONE OF UNQUESTIONABLE LOYALTY."

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"I THOUGHT OF HIM ALWAYS AS AN ARTIST WHO GAVE HIS SERVICES TO ORGANIZATIONS WHICH WERE REPRESENTED AS BEING LIBERAL," MURPHY SAID.

DRAPER AND ALLER HAVE ADMITTED AIDING A NUMBER OF ORGANIZATIONS CITED AS SUBVERSIVE BY THE U.S. ATTORNEY GENERAL AND THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES. BOTH HAVE DENIED KNOWINGLY HELPING COMMUNIST CAUSES.

THEY CONTEND THAT MRS.MCCULLOUGH'S PUBLISHED LETTER INJURED THEIR REPUTATIONS AND CAUSED THEM TO LOSE ENGAGEMENTS.

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A192
AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD LIE-BEVIN (780)
BY SYDNEY MIRKIN
LONDON, MAY 24-(AP)-BRITAIN'S LABOR GOVERNMENT CAME OUT TODAY FOR ADMISSION OF RED CHINA TO THE UNITED NATIONS.
THE ANNOUNCEMENT WAS MADE BY FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEGIN ALMOST SIMULTANEOUSLY WITH A CAUTIOUSLY WORDED STATEMENT FROM U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE SAYING THERE IS HOPE OF ENDING THE COLD WAR BY CAREFUL NEGOTIATION.
DIPLOMATIC SOURCES IN PARIS SAID FRANCE WILL NOT STAND IN THE WAY OF ADMITTING CHINA COMMUNISTS TO THE U.N.
THE AMERICAN POSITION, ABOUT TME SAME AS THE FRENCH, IS THAT THE UNITED STATES WILL NOT SPONSOR RED CHINA BUT WILL AGREE TO ANY MAJORITY DECISION.
RUSSIA HAS BOYCOTTED U.N. MEETINGS SINCE LAST JAN. 10 BECAUSE OF THE PRESENCE OF CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S NATIONALIST DELEGATES, CONTENDING THEIR BIG POWER SEATS NOW BELONG TO MAO TZE-TUNG'S REDS.
OBSERVERS SPECULATED THAT THE CHINA DIPLOMATIC DEVELOPMENTS SPRANG PARTLY AT LEAST FROM LIE'S CURRENT SAVE-THE-U.N. MISSION. IT HAS TAKEN HIM IN A MONTH TO THE FOUR BIG POWER CAPITALS--WASHINGTON, LONDON, PARIS AND MOSCOW--AND PART OF THE WAY BACK ON A SECOND ROUND.
SINCE LEAVING MOSCOW, WHERE HE HAD A 90-MINUTE TALK LAST WEEK WITH PRIME MINISTER JOSEPH STALIN, LIE REVISITED THE TOP OFFICIALS OF FRANCE AND BRITAIN AND EXPECTS TO SEE PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON IN WASHINGTON AGAIN NEXT WEEK. LIE TALKED WITH MR. TRUMAN AND ACHESON BEFORE SAILING FOR EUROPE APRIL 22.
AFTER HIS SECOND ROUND WASHINGTON CONFERENCE, LIE MAY RETURN TO EUROPE WITHIN THE NEXT TWO MONTHS WITH SOME SPECIFIC PROPOSALS, IT WAS REPORTED.
INFORMED SOURCES SAID THERE MAY BE A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL IN EUROPE, POSSIBLY GENEVA, THIS SUMMER WITH FOREIGN MINISTERS OR EVEN GOVERNMENT HEADS SITTING IN.
THEY SAID LIE LEFT COPIES OF HIS 10-POINT, 20-YEAR PEACE PROGRAM IN EACH OF THE FOUR CAPITALS HE VISITED.

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A193
LIE HAS CAMPAIGNED OPENLY FOR SEVERAL WEEKS FOR SEATING RED CHINA IN THE U.N. AS A "COMMON SENSE" MEANS OF GETTING RUSSIA BACK AND IN RECOGNITION OF MAO'S ACTUAL RULE OVER THE CHINA MAINLAND AND ITS 470,000,000 PEOPLE. LIE REGARDS THE QUESTION AS THE IMMEDIATE ISSUE THAT MUST BE CLEARED UP TO GET THE RUSSIANS BACK INTO BIG POWER DISCUSSION OF PRESSING WORLD PROBLEMS.
BEFORE DEPARTING BY PLANE TONIGHT AT THE END OF HIS EUROPEAN TOUR, LIE MADE A FORMAL STATEMENT SAYING A BASIS EXISTS FOR CONSTRUCTIVE NEGOTIATIONS TO REDUCE THE TENSIONS OF THE COLD WAR.
"X X X I CAN ONLY SAY THAT I AM NOT DISSATISFIED WITH MY TALKS IN THE THREE EUROPEAN CAPITALS," LIE'S STATEMENT SAID. "I RETURN TO THE HEADQUARTERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS WITH THE BELIEF THAT THE POSSIBILITY OF CONSTRUCTIVE NEGOTIATION EXISTS.
"BUT THE RESULTS OF THESE EXCHANGES OF VIEW AND IDEAS ON THE UNITED NATIONS AND THE SO-CALLED 'COLD WAR' CANNOT BE JUDGED EXCEPT AS THEY BECOME APPARENT DURING THE NEXT TWO OR THREE MONTHS. IT IS NECESSARY TO BE PATIENT."
THE FOREIGN OFFICE DISCLOSED THAT LIE AND BEVIN TALKED ABOUT THE ATOM BOMB YESTERDAY.
ATOMIC CONTROL IS ONE OF THE MAJOR SUBJECTS LIE HOPES THE BIG POWERS WILL TAKE UP AGAIN WHEN RUSSIA IS LURED BACK TO U.N. MEETINGS.
BEVIN MADE THE STATEMENT ON CHINA IN RESPONSE TO QUESTINS IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS.
"WE THINK IT IS BETTER FOR THE NEW CHINA TO BE INSIDE THE U.N.," HE SAID. "WE DO NOT WANT TO OSTRACIZE ANYONE ON POLITICAL GROUNDS.
HE DECLARED RUSSIA IS "ON STRIKE" AND HOLDING UP THE WORK OF THE U.N. BY HER BOYCOTTS AFFECTING NEARLY 30 U.N. ORGANS. "AND THAT WON'T DO," THE AILING FOREIGN SECRETARY ADDED.
HE WAS CHALLENGED BY WAR-TIME FOREIGN SECRETARY ANTHONY EDEN DURING THE DEBATE.
EDEN, DEPUTY LEADER OF THE CONSERVATIVE PARTY, QUESTIONED THE WISDOM OF BRITAIN'S DIPLOMATIC RECOGNITION OF RED CHINA IN JANUARY, SAYING
THE STEP WAS "NOT FORTUNATE EITHER IN ITS TIMING OR ITS METHOD."
BEVIN REPLIED:
"ALTHOUGH IT MAY BE AN UNPLEASANT DECISION TO HAVE RECOGNIZED THE COMMUNISTS, I HAVE SEARCHED MY CONSCIENCE AS TO THE ALTERNATIVE AND HAVE COME TO THE CONCLUSION THAT THE ADVICE I GAVE TO THE CABINET WAS RIGHT AND IN A FEW YEARS TO COME I THINK IT WILL TURN OUT TO BE RIGHT. X X I THINK IT WAS RIGHT AT THAT TIME NOT TO LEAVE THE RUSSIANS TO ASSUME THAT THEY WERE THE ONLY PEOPLE WHO WISHED TO DO ANYTHING AT ALL FOR CHINA."

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A94
BRITAIN IS THE FIRST AND ONLY WESTERN BIG POWER TO RECOGNIZE RED CHINA BUT SHE HAS NEVER SUPPORTED ANY VOTES AT LAKE SUCCESS TO UNSEAT THE NATIONALISTS.
MAO'S GOVERNMENT HAS PRODDED THE BRITISH AND HINTED BROADLY THAT THE EXCHANGE OF DIPLOMATS BETWEEN LONDON AND PEIPING AWAITS SUCH SUPPORT.
SECURITY COUNCIL NATIONS ARE DIVIDED ON THE CHINA QUESTION. RUSSIA, YUGOSLAVIA, BRITAIN, NORWAY AND INDIA RECOGNIZE THE RED REGIME; THE UNITED STATES, FRANCE, EGYPT, ECUADOR AND CUBA STILL MAINTAIN RELATIONS WITH CHIANG KAI-SHEK.
BUT ONLY INDIA AND YUGOSLAVIA HAVE JOINED RUSSIA IN MOVES TO OUST THE NATIONALISTS. AT LEAST SEVEN AFFIRMATIVE VOTES OUT OF THE 11 ARE NEEDED FOR APPROVAL BY THE COUNCIL.
THE ISSUE IS COMPLICATED BY THE FACT THAT CHINA AS A DESIGNATED BIG POWER HAS THE VETO PRIVILEGE IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL AND COULD KILL ANY OUSTER MOVE IF IT CAN PROVE THAT IT IS A SO-CALLED SUBSTANTIVE QUESTION RATHER THAN MERELY PROCEDURAL.
THE UNITED STATES CONTENDS THAT THE QUESTION IS NOT SUBJECT TO VETO.
IN FRANCE'S CASE THE QUESTION IS COMPLICATED BY FRENCH INTERESTS IN INDOCHINA.
THE FRENCH POSITION IS THAT COMMUNIST CHINA'S RECOGNITION OF HO CHI MINH'S REGIME, WHICH IS FIGHTING THE FRENCH-SPONSORED VIETNAM OF EX-EXMPEROR BAO DAI FOR CONTROL OF INDOCHINA, "HAS MADE IT VERY DIFFICULT FOR FRANCE TO TAKE ANY ACTION IN SUPPORT OF THE COMMUNIST CHINA GOVERNMENT IN THE UNITED NATIONS."

BEVIN ALSO DISCUSSED IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS THE MATTER OF A PEACE TREATY WITH JAPAN. HE SAID THAT IN THIS CONNECTION "WE CANNOT MOVE WITHOUT THE UNITED STATES."

HE SAID BRITAIN STILL WANTED ALL COUNTRIES THAT FOUGHT IN THE WAR AGAINST JAPAN TO HELP MAKE THE TREATY AND DID NOT INTEND TO TELL AUSTRALIA SHE SHOULD NOT DO SO.

THERE IS NOTHING "IN THE AGREEMENT AT POTSDAM OR ELSEWHERE" AGAINST THE PARTICIPATION OF ALL THESE COUNTRIES, HE SAID.

"THERE HAS NOT BEEN ABSOLUTE AGREEMENT ABOUT THE FORM OF THE TREATY IN THE UNITED STATES WHO WILL HAVE TO PLAY THE BIGGEST ROLE," HE DECLARED, "AND WE HAVE PLACED AT ITS DISPOSAL OUR OWN VIEWS AND THE VIEWS OF OTHER GOVERNMENTS CONCERNED."

HE RECALLED THAT THE COLOMBO COMMONWEALTH CONFERENCE HAD DISCUSSED THE TREATY AND HAD SET UP A COMMITTEE OF HIGH COMMISSIONERS IN LONDON WHO HAD MET AND FORWARDED "CERTAIN CONCLUSIONS" TO THEIR GOVERNMENTS.

BEVIN SAID BRITAIN HAS "VERY VITAL INTERESTS" IN SOUTH AND SOUTHEAST ASIA "RIGHT THE WAY DOWN FROM AFGHANISTAN."

HE SAID "THERE ARE SIGNS THAT EVEN OUR RUSSIAN FRIENDS ARE NOT SATISFIED WITH THE RESULTS THEY ARE ACHIEVING" ELSEWHERE.

"THEREFORE," HE SAID, "I BELIEVE OUR TASK IN THE FAR EAST IS TO STRENGTHEN OUR POSITION."

HE SAID BRITAIN "HAS TRIED IN A FRIENDLY WAY TO GET EVERYONE, DUTCH, FRENCH AND OTHERS," TO RECOGNIZE THE EMERGENCE OF NATIONALISM.

"THE REASON IS ASSOCIATED WITH ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT," HE SAID. "IF THE PEOPLE ARE INTERESTED IN THE GOVERNMENT AND IN TAKING THE RESPONSIBILITY FOR GOVERNMENT, THERE IS PRODUCED A NEW PSYCHOLOGY AND A NEW ACCEPTANCE OF RESPONSIBILITY ESPECIALLY BY THE PEOPLE WHO HAD BEEN CONTROLLED HITHERTO FROM THE OUTSIDE."

BEVIN EXPRESSED BELIEF THAT AS A RESULT OF BRITISH POLICY "FRIENDSHIP IN THE TERRITORY IS BETTER THANHIT HAS EVER BEEN."

HE SAID SOUTHEAST ASIA WOULD BE "THE BIGGEST AREA FOR CAPITAL DEVELOPMENT BUT NOT FOR EXPLOITATION." HE DECLARED COORDINATED ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT OF THE AREA "WOULD GIVE ONE OF THE BIGGEST STABILIZING INFLUENCES, IF HANDLED RIGHT, FOR MAINTAINING THE PEACE OF THE WORLD."

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FIRST LEAD BEVIN-LIE (ROUNDUP) (600)

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(ADVANCE) LONDON, MAY 24-(AP)-TRYGVE LIE, SUMMING UP HIS TALKS IN LONDON, PARIS AND MOSCOW, DECLARED TONIGHT THE POSSIBILITY EXISTS OF CONSTRUCTIVE NEGOTIATIONS TO "REDUCE THE TENSIONS OF THE COLD WAR AND ULTIMATELY BRING IT TO AN END."

THE UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY-GENERAL MADE THIS STATEMENT SHORTLY AFTER FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN ANNOUNCED BRITAIN FEELS COMMUNIST CHINA SHOULD HAVE A SEAT IN THE UNITED NATIONS. THE CHINA ISSUE IS THE PRINCIPAL OBSTACLE IN THE WAY OF NORMAL FUNCTIONING OF THE U.N. RUSSIA AND BRITAIN HAVE RECOGNIZED COMMUNIST CHINA; FRANCE AND THE U.S. HAVE NOT.

AT LAKE SUCCESS, SOVIET AND NATIONALIST CHINA DELEGATIONS WITHHELD COMMENT ON BEVIN'S STATEMENT. U.N. SOURCES WOULD NOT SAY WHETHER IT MEANT BRITAIN WAS READY NOW TO VOTE FOR THE OUSTING OF THE NATIONALIST CHINESE.

INFORMED DIPLOMATS IN PARIS SAID FRANCE WOULD NOT STAND IN THE WAY OF COMMUNIST CHINA'S BEING SEATED IN THE U.N. IN PLACE OF THE NATIONALISTS.

BEIN, WHO SAW LIE YESTERDAY, BLAMED RUSSIA FOR THE CHINA DEADLOCK AND CHALLENGED HER TO RETAKE HER PLACES ON THE U.N. BODIES SHE HAS BEEN BOYCOTTING.

LIE, LEAVING BY AIR TONIGHT FOR U.N. HEADQUARTERS AT LAKE SUCCESS, PROMISED TO CONTINUE HIS EFFORTS FOR A RENEWED APPROACH WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE UNITED NATIONS TO END THE COLD WAR. A SPOKESMAN FOR THE SECRETARY GENERAL SAID LIE WOULD MEET PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON IN WASHINGTON SOME TIME NEXT WEEK, AT THEIR CONVENIENCE. HE SAW PRESIDENT TRUMAN BEFORE COMING TO EUROPE.

THE TEXT OF LIE'S STATEMENT:

"I HAVE BEEN ASKED TO MAKE A STATEMENT ABOUT THE RESULTS OF MY TALKS WITH GOVERNMENT LEADERS IN LONDON, PARIS AND MOSCOW BEFORE LEAVING EUROPE TO RETURN TO LAKE SUCCESS.

"AT THIS TIME I CAN ONLY SAY THAT I AM NOT DISSATISFIED WITH MY TALKS IN THE THREE EUROPEAN CAPITALS. NO DOORS HAVE BEEN CLOSED. I RETURN TO THE HEADQUARTERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS WITH THE BELIEF THAT THE POSSIBILITY OF CONSTRUCTIVE NEGOTIATION EXISTS. BUT THE RESULTS OF THESE EXCHANGES OF VIEWS AND IDEAS ON THE UNITED NATIONS AND THE SO-CALLED 'COLD WAR' CANNOT BE JUDGED EXCEPT AS THEY BECOME APPARENT DURING THE NEXT TWO OR THREE MONTHS. IT IS NECESSARY TO BE PATIENT.

"THE FACT THAT MY VISITS AS SECRETARY-GENERAL TO THE FOUR (CORRECT) CAPITALS HAVE AROUSED SO MUCH PUBLIC INTEREST DEMONSTRATES NOT ONLY THE GRAVITY OF THE PRESENT DIVISION BETWEEN THE TWO SIDES IN THE COLD WAR. IT ALSO DEMONSTRATES THAT THE UNITED NATIONS OFFERS THE ONLY WAY BY WHICH THIS DIVISION CAN BE BRIDGED AND-- IN THE LONG RUN PEACE BE MAINTAINED.

"I CANNOT LEAVE EUROPE WITHOUT THANKING ALL THE PEOPLE EVERYWHERE WHO HAVE EXPRESSED THEIR SUPPORT FOR MY EFFORTS. I HAVE NEVER BEFORE RECEIVED SO MANY LETTERS AND TELEGRAMS AND PERSONAL GOOD WISHES FROM KNOWN AND UNKNOWN PEOPLE IN ALL WALKS OF LIFE AS DURING MY VISITS TO MOSCOW, PARIS AND LONDON. I AM GRATEFUL ESPECIALLY FOR THE MESSAGES FROM THE UNITED NATIONS ASSOCIATIONS AND OTHER PEACE GROUPS, THE WAR VETERANS OF FRANCE WITH THREE MILLION MEMBERS, MANY GROUPS OF MOTHERS AND CHILDREN, AND SUCH STATEMENTS AS THE MOTION SIGNED BY 144 MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF COMMONS OF THE UNITED KINGDOM AND THE RESOLUTION THAT WAS ADOPTED BY THE CONGRESS OF THE MRP (POPULAR REPUBLICAN MOVEMENT) IN FRANCE.

"I CAN ASSURE THEM ALL THAT I SHALL CONTINUE MY EFFORTS IN SUPPORT OF A RENEWED UNITED NATIONS APPROACH BY THE GOVERNMENTS AIMED AT REDUCING THE TENSIONS OF THE COLD WAR AND ULTIMATELY BRINGING IT TO AN END." (END TEXT)

BEVIN'S PARLIAMENTARY UNDERSECRETARY, ERNEST DAVIES, TOLD THE HOUSE OF COMMONS THAT INTERNATIONAL CONTROL OF MASS DESTRUCTION WEAPONS WAS ONE OF THE SUBJECTS DISCUSSED BY BEVIN AND LIE. CONTROL OF ATOMIC ENERGY REPRESENTS ONE OF THE MAJOR EAST-WEST DEADLOCKS IN THE U.N.

IN COMMONS, BEVIN BLAMED RUSSIA FOR THE CHINA DEADLOCK. HE ASSAILED

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RUSSIA'S WALKOUTS FROM U.N. BODIES OVER THE ISSUE.
"THE ONUS OF KEEPING CHINA OUT OF THE UNITED NATIONS IS ON RUSSIA," THE FOREIGN SECRETARY SAID. "THEY ARE NOT TAKING THEIR PART. THEY MUST RETURN TO WORK PENDING NEGOTIATIONS."
THE FOREIGN SECRETARY PLEADED FOR AN END TO THAT DEADLOCK.
"WE THINK IT X X X SECOND GRAPH (A129)
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LONDON,MAY 24-(AP)-BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN DECLARED TODAY THAT THE 50,000-MAN POLICE FORCE WHICH THE WESTERN ALLIES SAY RUSSIA IS MILITARIZING IN EAST GERMANY MIGHT BE USED TO FOMENT A GERMAN CIVIL WAR.
SPEAKING IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS, HE SAID:
"THE DEVELOPMENT THERE IS SIGNIFICANT. IT MAY NOT BE A CHALLENGE TO US DIRECTLY BUT IT MAY BE AN ATTEMPT TO USE THESE FORCES IN A VERY BRUTAL CIVIL WAR, AND WE HAVE TO WATCH THAT EXTREMELY CAREFULLY.
"I THOUGHT THE RUSSIANS WERE GOING TO START MORE THAN THEY DID WHEN THE BERLIN BLOCKADE BEGAN.
"NOW THEY HAVE RESTUDIED THE PROBLEM, I SUPPOSE, AND ARE TRYING TO CREATE NEW TACTICS AND NEW METHODS."
THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE PROTESTED TO MOSCOW YESTERDAY THAT THE SO-CALLED EAST GERMAN POLICE FORCE ACTUALLY IS BEING GIVEN MILITARY TRAINING AND EQUIPMENT IN VIOLATION OF FOUR POWER AGREEMENTS TO KEEP GERMANY DISARMED.
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(300) FOLO LONDON LIE-BEVAN
WASHINGTON,MAY 24-(AP)-TRYGVE LIE'S EXPRESSED HOPE THAT THE POSSIBILITY EXISTS OF "CONSTRUCTIVE NEGOTIATION" WITH RUSSIA WAS WELCOMED--BUT WITH CONSIDERABLE SKEPTICISM--IN CONGRESS TODAY.
LIE, THE SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS, MADE THE STATEMENT IN LONDON AFTER A SERIES OF TALKS WITH PREMIER STALIN AND OTHER TOP RUSSIAN OFFICIALS.
TYPICAL OF THE GUARDED COMMENT HERE WAS THAT OF REP.EATON (R-NJ), THE SENIOR REPUBLICAN ON THE HOUSE FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE. HE SAID THAT WHILE HE HOPES LIE'S VIEWS ARE CORRECT "NOTHING HAS SHOWN ANY REASON TO BELIEVE RUSSIAN PROMISES."
"I DON'T SEE ANY DEVIATION IN THEIR PURPOSE TO CONQUER THE WORLD," EATON SAID. "IF MR.LIE CAN GIVE THE FREE PEOPLE OF THE WORLD A REAL ASSURANCE THAT THE RUSSIAN GOVERNMENT IS PREPARED TO COOPERATE WITH US TOWARDS PERMANENT WORLD PEACE AND PROGRESS THEN HE DESERVES THE GRATITUDE OF MANKIND."
BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN'S ANNOUNCEMENT THAT BRITAIN FAVORS ADMISSION OF COMMUNIST CHINA TO THE UNITED NATIONS OCCASIONED LITTLE SURPRISE AND NO APPARENT ENTHUSIASM.
SAID CHAIRMAN CONNALLY (D-TEXAS) OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE:
"IT HAS BEEN KNOWN GENERALLY THAT THE BRITISH FAVORED THIS RECOGNITION FOR THE COMMUNIST REGIME IN CHINA. IT WAS SOMETHING WE HAD TO FACE UP TO SOONER OR LATER."
CONNALLY SAID HE KNEW OF NO PRESENT CONSIDERATION BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF RECOGNITION FOR THE CHINESE COMMUNIST REGIME.
SENATOR BREWSTER (R-ME) SAID HE THINKS THE PRESENT U.S.STAND AGAINST RECOGNITION SHOULD CARRY CONSIDERABLE WEIGHT BECAUSE THIS COUNTRY "IS PAYING THE BILLS" FOR BRITAIN AND "THE ONE WHO PAYS THE FIDDLER SHOULD CALL THE TUNE." BREWSTER CONTINUED:
"BRITAIN HAS RECOGNIZED THE COMMUNIST REGIME IN CHINA AND HAS BEEN INSULTED EVER SINCE. NOW THEY ARE TRYING TO BUY COMMUNIST RECOGNITION. IT IS THE MOST HUMILIATING EPISODE IN BRITAIN'S HISTORY IN THE PAST CENTURY."
ON LIE'S HOPE FOR NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE SOVIETS, CHAIRMAN KEE (D-WVA) OF THE HOUSE FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE SAID HE HOPES LIE MAY PROVE TO BE CORRECT.
"THE CESSATION OF THE COLD WAR IS A SITUATION TO BE DEVOUTLY HOPED FOR," KEE SAID. "I WOULD LIKE TO SEE IT ALL STOPPED. IT WOULD LIFT A BURDEN FROM THE SHOULDERS NOT ONLY OF THE PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES BUT OF THE WHOLE WORLD."
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LONDON,MAY 24-(AP)-FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN TOLD THE HOUSE OF COMMONS TODAY BRITAIN FEELS COMMUNIST CHINA SHOULD BE GIVEN A SEAT IN THE UNITED NATIONS.
"WE THINK IT IS BETTER FOR THE NEW CHINA TO BE INSIDE THE U.N.," HE SAID, "WE DO NOT WANT TO OSTRACIZE ANYONE ON POLITICAL GROUNDS."
AT THE SAME TIME, BEVIN ACCUSED THE SOVIET UNION OF BEING "ON STRIKE" AGAINST THE UNITED NATIONS.
"THEY ARE HOLDING UP THE WORK OF THE U.N.," HE SAID, "AND THAT WON'T DO."
BEVIN MADE HIS STATEMENTS DURING A DEBATE ON BRITISH POLICY ON THE FAR EAST AND SOUTHEAST ASIA.
BRITAIN HAS ALREADY RECOGNIZED THE NEW COMMUNIST REGIME IN CHINA BUT THUS FAR HAS BEEN UNABLE TO ESTABLISH DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH THE MAO TZE-TUNG REGIME.
REGARDING BRITISH RECOGNITION OF COMMUNIST CHINA, BEVIN SAID:
"ALTHOUGH IT MAY BE AN UNPLEASANT DECISION TO HAVE RECOGNIZED THE COMMUNISTS, I HAVE SEARCHED MY CONSCIENCE AS TO THE ALTERNATIVE AND HAVE COME TO THE CONCLUSION THAT THE ADVICE I GAVE TO THE CABINET WAS RIGHT AND IN A FEW YEARS TO COME I THINK IT WILL TURN OUT TO BE RIGHT."
"I DON'T THINK WE TOOK THE WRONG STEP. I THINK IT WAS RIGHT AT THAT TIME NOT TO LEAVE THE RUSSIANS TO ASSUME THAT THEY WERE THE ONLY PEOPLE WHO WISHED TO DO ANYTHING AT ALL FOR CHINA."
BEFORE BEVIN MADE HIS DEFENSE OF THE LABOR GOVERNMENT'S ACTION, ANTHONY EDEN, DEPUTY CONSERVATIVE PARTY LEADER, HAD ATTACKED THE RECOGNITION STEP.
"THE TRUTH IS THAT RECOGNITION HAS IN FACT BROUGHT US NO ADVANTAGE AT ALL," HE TOLD THE HOUSE.
HE CLAIMED THAT THE RECOGNITION WAS "NOT FORTUNATE EITHER IN ITS TIMING OR ITS METHOD."

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BEVIN ALSO DISCUSSED THE QUESTION OF A PEACE TREATY WITH JAPAN.
"WE CANNOT MOVE WITHOUT THE UNITED STATES," HE SAID. "BUT WE WANT THE COUNTRIES WHO FOUGHT IN THE JAPANESE WAR TO MAKE THE PEACE TREATY. I THINK THAT IS PERFECTLY REASONABLE."
SPEAKING OF OTHER ASIA ISSUES, BEVIN SAID:
"THERE ARE SIGNS THAT RUSSIA IS NOT SATISFIED WITH THE RESULTS BEING ACHIEVED IN SOUTHEAST ASIA. OUR FRIENDSHIPS IN THAT AREA ARE BETTER THAN THEY HAVE EVER BEEN."
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YORK, ENGLAND, MAY 24-(AP)-THE ARCHBISHOP OF YORK SAID TODAY THERE PROBABLY IS MORE RELIGIOUS FREEDOM IN THE SOVIET UNION THAN IN MANY OF HER SATELLITE NATIONS.
"IT IS PROBABLE THAT THE RUSSIAN CHURCH, ONCE SUBJECTED TO SEVERE PERSECUTION, HAS NOW UNDER SOVIET RULE AS MUCH FREEDOM, THOUGH FAR LESS PRESTIGE AND POWER, AS IT HAD UNDER THE CZARS," ARCHBISHOP DR. CYRIL F. GARBETT TOLD A CHURCH CONFERENCE.
"BUT IN OTHER COMMUNIST COUNTRIES A POLICY OF PERSECUTION HAS BEEN ADOPTED."
THE ARCHBISHOP, WHO IS THE SECOND RANKING PRELATE IN THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND, SAID "THE UNITED NATIONS ORGANIZATION SO FAR APPEARS TO HAVE PAID STRANGELY LITTLE ATTENTION TO THE MOST FLAGRANT DENIALS OF RELIGIOUS FREEDOM. AT LEAST, IF NOTHING ELSE, IT SHOULD CONDEMN HE STATES RESPONSIBLE FOR THESE VIOLATIONS OF HUMAN RIGHTS."
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SOUTHAMPTON, ENG., MAY 24-(AP)-ALEXANDER S.PANYUSHKIN, SOVIET AMBASSADOR TO THE UNITED STATES, ARRIVED TONIGHT ABOARD THE POLISH LINER BATORY EN ROUTE TO HIS FIRST VISIT HOME IN FOUR YEARS.
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NIGHT LEAD BERLIN (530)
BY THOMAS A. REEDY
BERLIN, MAY 24-(AP)-TRAINED CHILD BATTALIONS HIGH-STEPPED THROUGH A LIGHT RAIN TODAY AND FORMALLY OPENED EAST GERMANY'S FIVE-DAY COMMUNIST YOUTH RALLY.
TEN THOUSAND YOUNG PIONEERS, THE LOWEST AGE BRACKET OF THE FREE COMMUNIST YOUTH (FJD), WERE GIVEN THE HONOR OF MARCHING INTO THAELMANN STADIUM AND RAISING THE FLAG ON SUNDAY'S RALLY DEDICATED TO LOVE OF STALIN. THE PIONEERS ALL WORE BLUE AND WHITE UNIFORMS.
A CLOUDY SKY HELPED THESE BABIES OF GERMAN COMMUNISM--RANGING IN AGES FROM SIX TO 14--ENDURE THE MARCHING AND THREE HOURS OF STANDING AT ATTENTION. NEVERTHELESS SEVERAL DOZEN OF THE SMALLER ONES COLLAPSED AND NEEDED THE AID OF NURSES.
MEANWHILE, EAST GERMAN INSPECTORS CLAMPED A NEW FREIGHT TRAFFIC SLOWDOWN ON BERLIN'S LIFELINE HIGHWAY TO THE WEST. ONLY FOUR TRUCKS AN HOUR WERE ALLOWED TO PASS THEIR CHECKPOINT AND A LINE OF 120 TRUCKS FORMED AT THE ZONAL BARRIER.
A FLEET OF 36 AMERICAN. BRITISH AND FRENCH MILITARY POLICE JEEPS BEGAN PATROLLING THE 100-MILE HIGHWAY THROUGH THE SOVIET ZONE WITH ORDERS TO TOLERATE NO GERMAN POLICE ATTEMPTS TO DETOUR TRAFFIC. IF SOVIET TROOPS ENFORCED THE DETOUR, HOWEVER, THE PATROLS HAD ORDERS TO SUBMIT UNDER PROTEST.
POLICE HAD ORDERED A 36-MILE DETOUR BEGINNING TOMORROW TO ALLOW THE UNRESTRICTED MOVEMENT OF COMMUNIST YOUTH CONVOYS TO BERLIN.
EASTERN RAILROAD STATIONS DISGORGED THOUSANDS OF FDJ MEMBERS DURING THE DAY. CLAD IN BLUE SHIRTS AND CARRYING LITTLE HANDBAGS, THEY MARCHED THROUGH THE STREETS TO ASSEMBLY POITNGOZTLOD

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THE PIONEERS WILL BE PART OF SUNDAY'S GIANT PARADE WHEN FDJ LEADERS SAID THEY WILL MASS 500,000 MARCHERS. WHETHER SO MANY ACTUALLY WILL SHOW UP SEEMED IN QUESTION TODAY, HOWEVER.
TWENTY THOUSAND OF THE YOUNG PIONEERS WERE ADVERTISED TO FILL THE STADIUM, BUT EVEN EAST GERMAN POLICE ESTIMATED THAT NOT MORE THAN 10,000 TOOK PART.
DRESSED IN WHITE BLOUSES, THE BOYS WEARING BLUE KNEE-LENGTH PANTS AND THE GIRLS BLUE SKIRTS, THE YOUNG PIONEERS MARCHED TO MUSIC OF A POLICE BAND IN REVIEW BEFORE PRESIDENT WILHELM PIECK, EAST GERMANY'S APOSTLE OF COMMUNISM, AND SOVIET AMBASSADOR GREGORI M.PUSHKIN.
AT A SIGNAL THEY WHIPPED LITTLE SCARVES FROM THEIR NECKS AND TURNED THE FIELD INTO A SEA OF WAVING BLUE. THEY LIFTED PIPING CHEERS FOR PIECK, PRIME MINISTER OTTO GROTEWOHL, EAST BERLIN MAYOR FRIEDRICH EBERT, AND CHANTED STALIN'S NAME AT A SIGNAL.
OVER A LOUDSPEAKER YOUNGSTERS FROM EACH EAST GERMAN STATE BOASTED OF YOUNG PIONEER MEMBERSHIP, WHICH THEY SAID AVERAGED BETTER THAN 50 PER CENT OF ALL CHILDREN IN THEIR AREAS.
PIECK, IN AN ADDRESS, TOLD THEM THEY "HOLD THE FUTURE" OF ALL GERMANY IN THEIR HANDS.
OLDER MEMBERS OF THE FDJ BLUE SHIRTS RAN THE SHOW UNDER THE DIRECTION OF CHAIRMAN ERICH HONECKER. SQUADRONS OF EAST GERMAN POLICE UNDER POLICE PRESIDENT WALDEMAR SCHMIDT CONTROLLED THE DEMONSTRATION THROUGHOUT.
AT FIRST THE POLICE PREVENTED WESTERN JOURNALISTS FROM ENTERING THE AREA OF THE TRIBUNE WHERE THE OFFICIALS STOOD. THE YOUTH OFFICIALS UNRAVELLED THAT SNAG.
POLICE ALSO SET UP A SERIES OF DETROURS ON MAIN ROUTES IN EAST BERLIN TO GIVE FREE PASSAGE TO MARCHING BRIGADES. IN SOME CASES TRAFFIC WAS MOVED MILES OFF ITS NORMAL COURSE.
BRITISH AUTHORITIES FORMALLY PROTESTED TO THE RUSSIANS OVER A HOLDUP OF MORE THAN 60 BARGES, SOME FOR PERIODS OF MORE THAN TWO WEEKS, AT THE SOVIET ZONE CONTROL POINT AT WITTENBERG ON THE ELBE.
EAST GERMAN AUTHORITIES HAVE ATTRIBUTED THE DELAY TO THE NECESSITY OF INSPECTING THE CARGOES.
APPARENTLY HOPING TO QUELL FEARS THAT THE YOUTH MARCH MIGHT LEAD TO DISORDERS, GROTEWOHL DECLARED IN A STATEMENT THAT "PARENTS NEED HAVE NO FEAR THAT ANYTHING WILL HAPPEN TO THEIR CHILDREN IN BERLIN."
REPORTS THAT THE RALLY WAS INTENDED TO STAGE A PUTSCH AGAINST WEST BERLIN, HE SAID, "ARE ONLY LIES OF THE WARMONGERS."
THE YOUTH LEADERS THEMSELVES SEVERAL WEEKS AGO ADVERTISED THE RALLY AS A "MARCH ON BERLIN," BUT CHANGED THEIR TONE WHEN FIRM PREPARATIONS WERE MADE BY WEST BERLIN AUTHORITIES.
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BERLIN,MAY 24-(AP)-A FLEET OF 36 AMERICAN, BRITISH AND FRENCH MILITARY POLICE JEEPS TODAY BEGAN AN INTENSIFIED PATROL OF BERLIN'S MAIN ROAD LINK WITH THE WEST, THE 100-MILE SUPERHIGHWAY THROUGH THE RUSSIAN ZONE.
THE PATROL WAS PART OF A "PRELIMINARY ALERT" TO WHICH 8,000 ALLIED TROOPS AND 13,000 WEST BERLIN POLICE WERE ORDERED AS MORE AND MORE YOUNG COMMUNISTS HEADED FOR EAST BERLIN'S RALLY OF RED YOUTH THIS WEEKEND.
ALLIED-CONTROLLED FORCES WILL GO ON A "FULL ALERT" SATURDAY WHEN THE FINAL CONTINGENT OF 500,000 YOUNG COMMUNIST DEMONSTRATORS FROM THE SOVIET ZONE IS EXPECTED IN THE EASTERN SECTOR OF THE CITY.
THE EAST GERMAN COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT HAS WARNED THAT REGULAR TRAFFIC ON THE AUTOBAHN WILL BE SUBJECT TO A 36-MILE DETOUR FROM TOMORROW ON TO ALLOW UNRESTRICTED MOVEMENT OF COMMUNIST YOUTH CONVOYS.
ALLIED OFFICIALS SAID THEY WOULD NOT TOLERATE INTERFERENCE WITH VEHICLES OF THE WESTERN POWERS. ALLIED MILITARY POLICE WERE UNDER ORDERS TO IGNORE HIGHWAY COMMANDS OF THE EAST GERMAN POLICE BUT IF SOVIET TROOPS ENFORCED THE DETOUR, THEY WERE TO FOLLOW IT SUBJECT TO PROTEST.
SOVIET-LICENSED NEWSPAPERS BITTERLY COMPLAINED AT THE ARREST OF 11 LEIPZIG DELEGATES IN A COMMUNIST-BANNERED TRUCK IN THE AMERICAN SECTOR OF BERLIN YESTERDAY.
BUT THE WEST CITY ATTORNEY-GENERAL ANNOUNCED THAT RIGOROUS PROSECUTION FACED ALL WHO MIGHT VIOLATE ALLIED SECTOR LAWS AGAINST RESISTANCE TO STATE AUTHORITY, RIOTING OR DISTURBING THE PEACE.

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COMMUNIST LEADERS APPEARED ELATED AT THE PROSPECTS OF WORLDWIDE PUBLICITY FOR THE WHITESUN "MARCH ON BERLIN," WHICH THEY CONTENDED WOULD PROVE GERMANY'S YOUNGER GENERATION IS WHOLEHEARTEDLY BEHIND THEIR POLITICAL PROGRAM.
THE RALLY IS DEDICATED TO "PEACE" -- WITH WESTERN POWERS ACCUSED OF THREATENING WAR -- AND TO "UNITY" OF ALL GERMANY, AS PART OF THE SOVIET BLOC.
COMMUNIST SPOKESMEN REPEATED THAT THE ENTIRE DEMONSTRATION WOULD BE CONFINED TO EAST BERLIN AND ALLIED SECTORS WOULD NOT BE TRESPASSED.
WESTERN OFFICIALS, ALTHOUGH RELAXING NONE OF THEIR PROTECTIVE MEASURES, APPEARED TO BELIEVE THAT THE COMMUNISTS MEANT WHAT THEY NOW SAID AND THE WEEKEND WOULD BE RELATIVELY QUIET. EARLY THIS YEAR, RED ORATORS HAD BOASTED THEY WOULD "STORM" ALL BERLIN AT WHITSUN.
ORIGINAL HINTS OF VIOLENCE HAD CAUSED HUNDREDS OF WEST GERMAN AND FOREIGN REPORTERS TO BE ASSIGNED TO THE "BERLIN STORY" THIS WEEK.
GERHART EISLER, PROPAGANDA CHIEF OF THE EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT, WAS DELUGED WITH WESTERN REQUESTS FOR PRESS PASSES TO COMMUNIST YOUTH PARADES, SPORT FESTIVALS AND POLITICAL MEETINGS.
HIS OFFICE SAID 600 PRESS APPLICATIONS HAD BEEN RECEIVED BUT ONLY 100 COULD BE GRANTED.
THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT MADE ANOTHER GESTURE OF GENEROSITY TOWARD THE EASTERN REGIME TODAY BY TURNING BACK TO ITS CONTROL THE "HOUSE OF SOVIET CULTURE" AND TWO OTHER MEETING HALLS IN EAST BERLIN. LAST WEEK THE RUSSIANS GAVE BACK 23 INDUSTRIAL ENTERPRISES WHICH HAD BEEN OPERATED SINCE THE WAR AS SOVIET STOCK COMPANIES.
COMMUNIST PRIME MINISTER OTTO GROTEWOHL CONFIRMED THAT THE "HOUSE OF SOVIET CULTURE" WOULD CONTINUE TO BE A CENTER OF PRO-SOVIET LECTURES BOOKS AND FILMS. THE COSTS WILL BE MET DIRECTLY BY THE EAST GERMAN TAXPAYER IN THE FUTURE.
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A152 (120)
BERLIN, MAY 24-(AP)-BRITISH AUTHORITIES TODAY ACCUSED THE RUSSIANS OF VIOLATING FOUR-POWER AGREEMENTS FOR UNRESTRICTED COMMUNICATIONS BETWEEN BERLIN AND WEST GERMANY BY HOLDING UP BARGE TRAFFIC.
THE BRITISH COMPLAINT WAS MADE IN A LETTER OF PROTEST SENT BY MAJ. GEN. G.K.BOURNE, BRITISH COMMANDANT, TO HIS SOVIET COUNTERPART, MAJ. GEN. ALEXANDER KOTIKOV.
THE LETTER REFERRED TO THE HOLDUP OF MORE THAN 60 BARGES, SOME FOR PERIODS OVER TWO WEEKS, AT THE SOVIET ZONE CONTROL POINT AT WITTENBERGE ON THE ELBE.
GEN. BOURNE REQUESTED IMMEDIATE RELEASE OF THE BARGES, MANY OF WHICH ARE LOADED WITH BERLIN SCRAP METAL CONSIGNED FOR THE WEST. EAST GERMAN COMMUNIST INSPECTORS HAVE ATTRIBUTED THE HOLDUP OF BARGES TO THE NECESSITY OF INSPECTING THEIR CARGOES METICULOUSLY FOR ALLEGED CONTRABAND.
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NIGHT LEAD COAL-STEEL (180)
BONN, GERMANY, MAY 24-(AP)-FORMAL NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN FRANCE AND WEST GERMANY ON THE SCHUMAN PLAN TO POOL COAL AND STEEL WILL BEGIN SHORTLY AFTER NEXT WEEKEND, CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER'S CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATIC PARTY SAID TONIGHT.
THIS STATEMENT FOLLOWED THE VISIT HERE OF JEAN MONNET, FRENCH ECONOMIC EXPERT WHO IS CREDITED WITH DRAFTING THE PROPOSAL ADVANCED BY FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN.
THE COMMENTARY SAID THE TALKS "CAN BE REGARDED AS THE BEGINNING OF THE REALIZATION OF THE SCHUMAN PLAN."
ROBERT M.HANES, AMERICAN CHIEF OF THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION MISSION TO WEST GERMANY, TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THAT BRITAIN AND THE BENELUX COUNTRIES--BELGIUM, THE NETHERLANDS AND LUXEMBOURG--WILL BE INVITED TO JOIN FRENCH-GERMAN TALKS ON DETAILS OF THE PLAN.
HE SAID IT ENVISAGES "THE COMPLETE ABANDONMENT OF TARIFFS ON COAL AND STEEL", AND WAS A "GREAT CONCEPTION" FOR UNIFYING WESTERN EUROPE.
IN PARIS, SCHUMAN IN A REPORT TO THE FRENCH CABINET PREDICTED SEVERAL EUROPEAN COUNTRIES WOULD ACCEPT THE IDEA IN PRINCIPLE IN THE NEAR FUTURE AND IMMEDIATELY AFTERWARD WOULD BE INVITED TO TAKE PART IN ACTUAL NEGOTIATIONS.
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A73
BONN, GERMANY, MAY 24-(AP)-DR.KONRAD ADENAUER, WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR, SAID TONIGHT WEST GERMANY WOULD NOT JOIN THE ATLANTIC DEFENSE PACT EVEN SHOULD SHE BE INVITED.
HE TOLD A GROUP OF BELGIAN NEWSPAPERMEN THAT GERMANY SUFFERED TOO HEAVILY FROM THE WAR AND COULD NOT AFFORD ANY FURTHER "BLOOD SACRIFICES."
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A3
BONN,GERMANY,MAY 24-(AP)-THE WESTERN ALLIES HAVE BANNED REVIVAL OF THE GERMAN SPORTS ORGANIZATION "DEUTSCHER TURNER BUND" ON THE GROUND THAT IT IS NATIONALISTIC AND SEMI-MILITARY.
A LETTER TO THIS EFFECT FROM THE HIGH COMMISSION TO CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER WAS PUBLISHED TODAY. THE LETTER SAID THE ALLIES HAD NO OBJECTION TO THE FORMATION OF AN ATHLETIC FEDERATION WITH STRICTLY SPORTS OBJECTIVES. THE DEUTSCHER TURNER BUND YEAR BOOK OF 1939 BOASTED 250,000 OF ITS MEMBERS WERE IN THE SA (NAZI BROWNSHIRTS) AND SS (ELITE CORPS).
MJ414PED

A95
(100)
HEIDELBERG, GERMANY, MAY 24-(AP)-ONE THOUSAND GERMAN ANTI-COMMUNIST YOUTHS, MASSED HERE TONIGHT,HEARD CHARGES THAT EAST GERMAN YOUTH WHO BOYCOTTED THE BERLIN COMMUNIST YOUTH RALLY WILL BE SENT TO FORCED LABOR CAMPS.
SHOUTS OF "PFUI" RANG OUT AT EVERY MENTION OF JOSEPH STALIN'S NAME AS YOUTH AND POLITICAL LEADERS IN THIS OLD UNIVERSITY CITY CALLED ON WEST GERMAN YOUTH TO STAY OUT OF BERLIN NEXT SUNDAY.
SPEAKERS WARNED AGAINST BELIEVING COMMUNIST STATEMENTS THAT THE UNIFORMED YOUTHS OF RUSSIAN-OCCUPIED EAST GERMANY WILL NOT TRY TO INVADE WEST BERLIN DURING THE DEMONSTRATION SCHEDULED FOR NEXT SUNDAY.
RQ950PED

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A67 (AX FW)
FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 24-(AP)-AMERICAN MILITARY ATTACHES FROM EMBASSIES THROUGHOUT EUROPE MET TODAY IN A SECRET SESSION. SUCH CONFERENCES ARE HELD ANNUALLY.
ARMY AUTHORITIES DESCRIBED THE MEETING HERE AS DEALING WITH ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS.
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A148
HAMBURG, GERMANY, MAY 24-(AP)-DR. KURT SCHUMACHER WAS RE-ELECTED CHAIRMAN OF THE WEST GERMAN SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC PARTY TODAY AT ITS CONVENTION HERE. THE SOCIALISTS ALSO RE-ELECTED ERICH OLLENHAUER VICE-CHAIRMAN.
SOME MINOR OPPOSITION WAS VOICED AGAINST SCHUMACHER AND HIS POLICIES BUT HE RECEIVED ALMOST UNANIMOUS SUPPORT IN THE VOTE.
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B133 (120) Q
FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 24-(AP)-BRITAIN AND THE BENELUX COUNTRIES--BELGIUM, HOLLAND AND LUXEMBOURG--WILL BE INVITED TO FRENCH-GERMAN TALKS ON POOLING COAL AND STEEL OUTPUT, ROBERT M.HANES, CHIEF OF THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION (ECA) MISSION TO WEST GERMANY, SAID TODAY.
FRANCE'S ECONOMIC EXPERT, JEAN MONNET, HAS BEEN IN WEST GERMANY FOR THE PAST TWO DAYS EXPLAINING TO ALLIED HIGH COMMISSIONERS AND GERMAN GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS THE PLAN PROPOSED BY FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN.
HANES ALSO ANNOUNCED THE APPOINTMENT OF TWO ECA OFFICIALS TO DIRECT WEST GERMANY'S AND WEST BERLIN'S DRIVES TO GET MORE DOLLARS.
PAUL S.NEVIN, OF DETROIT, MICH., WILL DIRECT THE DRIVE TO PUSH WEST GERMAN EXPORTS TO AMERICA. HE HAS BEEN CHIEF OF THE U.S. HIGH COMMISSION'S ECONOMIC OFFICE IN BREMEN. WILLIAM E.WEISS, JR., OF NEW YORK CITY, WILL HANDLE THE BERLIN DRIVE.
RW235PED

MAY 25 1950

A49
TRADE (400)
BY PRESTON GROVER
PARIS, MAY 24-(AP)-WESTERN EUROPE TAKES ITS BIGGEST STEP TOWARD POSTWAR FREE TRADE ON JULY 1.
ON THAT DATE, MARSHALL PLAN EXPERTS ANNOUNCED YESTERDAY, THE NEW EUROPEAN PAYMENTS UNION WILL GO INTO EFFECT. THE UNION WILL SET UP A CURRENCY POOL AIMED AT FREEING TRADE WITHIN EUROPE'S BORDERS FROM THE BARTER BASIS WHICH HAS STRAIT-JACKETED IT SINCE THE WAR.
OFFICIALS OF THE ORGANIZATION FOR EUROPEAN ECONOMIC RECOVERY (OEEC), WHICH ADMINISTERS THE MARSHALL PLAN, SAID DETAILS OF THE PROGRAM STILL ARE BEING WORKED OUT. BUT MAIN DECISIONS HAVE BEEN MADE, THEY DECLARED, PERMITTING THE UNION TO START WORKING AT THE END OF JUNE.
MINISTERS REPRESENTING THE MARSHALL PLAN COUNTRIES WILL CHECK ON PROGRESS OF THE PREPARATIONS AT MEETINGS JUNE 2 AND JUNE 20.
WITH NO COMMON CURRENCY POOL HERETOFORE, WESTERN EUROPE'S COUNTRIES HAVE BEEN RESTRICTED IN THEIR PURCHASES TO BUYING FROM COUNTRIES TO WHICH THEY SOLD. THE NEW UNION WILL PERMIT A SWAPPING OF CREDITS.
ITALY, FOR EXAMPLE, MAY HAVE DUTCH GUILDERS BUT NO FRENCH FRANCS. IF SHE WANTS TO BUY FROM FRANCE, SHE MAY USE HER GUILDERS IN THE POOL TO GET FRANCS WHICH ANOTHER NATION HAS TURNED IN. THE POOL WILL FUNNEL THE GUILDERS ON TO SOME PROSPECTIVE CUSTOMER OF THE NETHERLANDS.
A SPECIAL EXCEPTION HAS BEEN MADE TO PROTECT THE BRITISH POUND, THE MEDIUM FOR ABOUT HALF THE WORLD'S TRADE. POUNDS WILL STILL BE SPENT OUTSIDE THE STERLING AREA -- MADE UP PRINCIPALLY OF THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH COUNTRIES -- ONLY WITH SPECIAL BRITISH PERMISSION. OTHERWISE BRITAIN MIGHT HAVE TO REDEEM THEM IN DOLLARS, OF WHICH SHE IS SHORT.
POUNDS HELD BY ANY NATION ALSO MAY BE HELD IN RESERVE FOR FUTURE PURCHASES IN THE STERLING AREA. OTHER EUROPEAN CURRENCY CREDITS WILL BE TURNED IN TO THE COMMON FUND REGULARLY FOR MONTHLY OR QUARTERLY BALANCING UP.
EXCESSIVE TRADE DEFICITS BY MOST COUNTRIES WILL BE GUARDED AGAINST. EXCEPT IN SPECIAL CASES, ANY COUNTRY IMPORTING MORE THAN SHE CAN HOPE TO PAY FOR IN TRADE WILL HAVE TO MAKE UP AT LEAST PART OF THE DIFFERENCE FROM HER USUALLY-SCARCE DOLLAR AND GOLD STOCKS.
SUCH COUNTRIES AS GREECE AND TURKEY, HOWEVER, WILL GET SPECIAL TREATMENT. THE WEST WANTS TO BUILD UP BOTH, TURKEY BECAUSE SHE IS BACKWARD INDUSTRIALLY, GREECE BECAUSE HER ECONOMY IS WARPED BY THE CIVIL WAR.
SUCH COUNTRIES WILL BE ALLOWED UNUSUALLY LARGE DEFICITS. U.S. FUNDS THROUGH THE MARSHALL PLAN WILL UNDERWRITE THE DISPARITY. MARSHALL PLAN FUNDS FROM A SPECIAL $600,000,000 GRANT IN THE LAST EUROPEAN AID BILL ALSO WILL PROVIDE STARTING CAPITAL FOR THE EUROPEAN PAYMENTS UNION.
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A165
WITH BEVIN
PARIS, MAY 24-(AP)-FRANCE WILL NOT STAND IN THE WAY OF COMMUNIST CHINA JOINING THE UNITED NATIONS, INFORMED DIPLOMATS PREDICTED TODAY.
A HIGH LEVEL INFORMANT ADDED, HOWEVER, THAT FRANCE "FINDS IT EXTREMELY DIFFICULT TO ACTIVELY FAVOR SUPPORT OF THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS.
THE FOREIGN OFFICE HAD NO OFFICIAL COMMENT ON BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN'S PARLIAMENTARY STATEMENT TODAY THAT COMMUNIST CHINA SHOULD BE SEATED IN THE U.N.
COMMUNIST CHINA HAS RECOGNIZED THE GUERRILLA REGIME OF MOSCOW-TRAINED HO CHI MINH IN INDOCHINA, WHOSE FORCES ARE FIGHTING FRANCE. "THIS MAKES IT VERY DIFFICULT FOR FRANCE TO TAKE ANY ACTION IN SUPPORT OF THE COMMUNIST CHINESE" A FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMAN SAID.
TU143PED

MAY 25 1950

B12 (Q)
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NIGHT LEAD UNESCO (170)
FLORENCE, ITALY, MAY 24-(AP)-A UNITED STATES DELEGATE SAID TODAY AN INTENSIFIED PROGRAM FOR RE-EDUCATING THE GERMAN PEOPLE WOULD BE A MAJOR FACTOR IN ELIMINATING ONE OF THE THREATS TO WORLD PEACE.
HOWLAND H.SARGEANT, CHIEF U.S. DELEGATE TO THE FIFTH GENERAL CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED NATIONS EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL ORGANIZATION (UNESCO), URGED THE AGENCY TO FOCUS ITS ATTENTION ON THE GERMAN PROBLEM.
"THROUGHOUT THE WORLD TODAY THERE ARE SPECIFIC DANGER POINTS, CENTERS OF POTENTIAL DISCORD WHICH ALL CAN FORESEE AS THREATS TO PEACE," SARGEANT SAID. "I BELIEVE THAT THE POINT AT WHICH OUR EFFORTS SHOULD BE FOCUSSED AND INTENSIFIED IS IN GERMANY."
THE U.S. DELEGATE SAID THAT IF GERMANY IS TO WIN A PLACE IN THE COMMUNITY OF FREE AND PEACEFUL NATIONS, IT IS ESSENTIAL THAT ALL GERMANS -- ABOVE ALL THE YOUTH -- SHOULD RECOGNIZE THEIR RESPONSIBILITIES IN THE PROTECTION OF INDIVIDUAL RIGHTS AND OF THE PROCESSES OF JUSTICE.
THE CONFERENCE HAS BEFORE IT A REPORT ON THE GERMAN REFUGEE PROBLEM WHICH CLAIMS THERE ARE 750,000 HOMELESS YOUTHS BETWEEN THE AGES OF 14 AND 25 ROAMING GERMANY.
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B71 (Q)
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FLORENCE, ITALY, MAY 24-(AP)-SIR SARVEPALI RADHAKRISHNAN OF INDIA TODAY CALLED ON DELEGATES TO THE UNITED NATIONS EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL ORGANIZATION (UNESCO) TO BECOME LEADERS OF A SOCIAL REVOLUTION TO BRING NEW LIFE TO THE WORLD.
"A WORLDWIDE SOCIAL REVOLUTION IS ONE," THE INDIAN AMBASSADOR TO MOSCOW SAID IN A SPEECH TO THE FIFTH GENERAL UNESCO CONFERENCE HERE. "IT IS BOUND TO BE SUCCESSFUL, EITHER IN A FEW YEARS OF PEACE IF WE ARE WISE, OR IN A LONG PERIOD OF CHAOS IF WE ARE BLIND."
RADHAKRISHNAN URGED DELEGATES TO TAKE THE LEAD IN THIS REVOLUTION INSTEAD OF ACTING AS SPOKESMAN FOR THE STATUS QUO, AND ASKED:
"WHY GIVE OTHERS A SEEMING MONOPOLY ON SOCIAL CHANGE?"
"ONLY IF WE BECOME THE LEADERS OF SUCH A SOCIAL REVOLUTION CAN WE APPEAL TO AND ATTRACT THE ALLEGIANCE OF THE ASIAN PEASANT, THE AFRICAN NATIVE AND OPPRESSED MINORITIES EVERYWHERE THE MISSION TO LEAD THE WORLD TO A NEW LIFE IF OFFERED TO US."
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MAY 25 1950

A95
(400)
BY EDDY GILMORE
MOSCOW, MAY 24-(AP)-PRAVDA, INDICATING IT HAD THE LATEST WESTERN POWER NOTES TO THE SOVIET UNION IN MIND, COMMENTED TODAY THAT "WHOEVER SOWS TOTAL DIPLOMACY SHALL REAP TOTAL CATASTROPHE."
THE COMMUNIST PARTY NEWSPAPER MADE NO DIRECT REFERENCE TO THE AMERICAN-BRITISH-FRENCH NOTES CHARGING THE SOVIET UNION WITH ENCOURAGING MILITARY-TYPE FORMATIONS IN EAST GERMANY. BUT IT APPEARED PLAIN PRAVDA WAS REFERRING TO THESE AS WELL AS OTHER WESTERN MEASURES.
PRAVDA MEANS U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON WHEN IT USES THE TERM "TOTAL DIPLOMACY." THE NEWSPAPER SAID AMERICAN RULING CIRCLES, BY TOTAL DIPLOMACY, AIM AT "A NEW STRENGTHENING OF SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITY."
BLACKMAIL, THREATS AND SCARES ARE "CONSTITUENT ELEMENTS OF TOTAL DIPLOMACY," PRAVDA SAID, ADDING THAT SUCH DIPLOMACY IS NOT, HOWEVER, ANY SIGN OF STRENGTH.
"IT CANNOT CHANGE THE ADVANCING COURSE OF THE POWERFUL INTERNATIONAL MOVEMENT OF PEACE PARTISANS," PRAVDA SAID. "THE RANTING AND RAGING IN THE WARMONGER CAMP ONLY STRENGTHENS THE WILL OF THE PEACE PARTISANS TO STAND FOR THE CAUSE OF PEACE AND THE INTERNATIONAL SECURITY OF PEOPLES.
"HISTORICAL EXPERIENCE TEACHES -- WHOEVER SOWS TOTAL DIPLOMACY SHALL REAP TOTAL CATASTROPHE. IT WAS SO IN THE PAST AND WILL BE SO IN THE FUTURE."
YESTERDAY PRAVDA PRINTED AN ARTICLE CHARGING THAT WEST GERMAN INDUSTRY IS PRODUCING TANKS, ARMOR PLATE AND OTHER WAR MATERIAL, AND ON PREVIOUS OCCASIONS THE SOVIET PRESS HAS ACCUSED THE WEST OF VIOLATING AGREEMENTS FOR THE DEMILITARIZING OF GERMANY AND ENCOURAGING MILITARY AND FASCIST ORGANIZATIONS. (THESE ARE THE SAME CHARGES THE WEST HAS MADE AGAINST THE SOVIET UNION).
EVER SINCE ACHESON'S FIRST CALL FOR TOTAL DIPLOMACY, SOVIET COMMENTATORS HAVE BEEN TAKING EDITORIAL POTSHOTS AT IT. HARDLY A DAY GOES BY BUT THAT ONE OF THEM GIVES IT A GOING OVER.
THE RUSSIANS APPEAR CONVINCED THAT THERE WILL BE A LARGE NUMBER OF NOTES AND DIPLOMATIC MOVES UNDER THE HEADING OF TOTAL DIPLOMACY. THEY MAKE NO SECRET OF THE FACT THAT THEY BELIEVE ALL THIS WILL STEM FROM THE UNITED STATES. UNDER THIS HEADING THEY INCLUDED YESTERDAY'S THREE-POWER PROTEST ON THE EAST GERMAN POLICE, DESPITE THAT IT WAS DELIVERED IN THREE SEPARATE NOTES.
FOREIGN OBSERVERS HERE APPEAR CONVINCED THE RUSSIANS WILL NOT WANT TO LET THE UNITED STATES TAKE THE OFFENSIVE IN ANY DIPLOMATIC DRIVE. THEY ARE EXPECTED TO DO EVERYTHING TO MEET THIS CHALLENGE OF TOTAL DIPLOMACY.
FOREIGN ENVOYS HERE ARE GETTING READY FOR A BARRAGE OF NOTES, DIPLOMATIC MOVES AND COUNTER-MOVES. THEY SPECULATE THAT THIS SUMMER WILL BE A BUSY ONE FOR THE FOREIGN MINISTRY -- AND THAT THE DIPLOMATIC MOVES WILL NOT BY ANY MEANS BE RESTRICTED TO GERMANY.
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B144 (Q)

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MOSCOW, MAY 24-(AP)-NEW TIMES, MOSCOW'S FOREIGN POLICY WEEKLY, SAID TODAY "THE WHOLE DEMOCRATIC CAMP HAS SINCERE SYMPATHY FOR THE ARAB STATES."

THIS WAS THE FIRST SOVIET PRESS COMMENT ON THE STATEMENT OF THE NATIONAL ECONOMY MINISTER OF SYRIA SUGGESTING A SOVIET-ARAB STATES PACT.

THIS SUGGESTION, NEW TIMES SAID, "OPENED FLOODGATES OF PUPULAR SENTIMENT THROUGHOUT THE ARAB WORLD FAVORING FRIENDLY RELATIONS WITH THE U.S.S.R.." THE PROPOSAL SHOWED, THE NEWSPAPER SAID, "ON WHOSE SIDE THE SYMPATHY OF THE ARAB PEOPLES LIES IN THE STRUGGLE BETWEEN THE CAMP OF DEMOCRACY AND THE CAMP OF IMPERIALISM."

(WHAT THE SYRIAN MINISTER OF ECONOMY, MAARUF DAWALEEBI, IS REPORTED TO HAVE SAID IS THAT HE WOULD PREFER TO SEE ARAB COUNTRIES "BECOME A SOVIET REPUBLIC RATHER THAN FALL PREY TO WORLD JEWRY." HIS STATEMENT WAS IN CONNECTION WITH EXPRESSIONS OF ARAB IMPATIENCE WITH UNITED STATES SUPPORT OF ISRAEL.)

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MAY 25 1950

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NIGHT LEAD CHINESE (300)

BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI,FORMOSA,MAY 24-(AP)-AIR AND SEA ATTACKS SANK MORE THAN 50 COMMUNIST INVASION CRAFT NEAR QUEMOY, NATIONALIST ISLAND OUTPOST OPPOSITE FORMOSA, MILITARY AUTHORITIES SAID TODAY.

THE SEA FIGHTING BROKE OUT YESTERDAY IN WAITAO BAY, JUST NORTH OF QUEMOY. THE NAVY SAID ITS WARSHIPS CAUGHT MORE THAN 100 CRAFT IN THE BAY AND SANK AT LEAST 20 OF THEM. THE WARSHIPS ALSO ENGAGED RED SHORE BATTERIES AND SILENCED THEM ALL, THE NAVY ASSERTED.

NATIONALIST WARPLANES TOOK OVER THE ATTACK TODAY. AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS REPORTED A STEAMBOAT AND MORE THAN 30 JUNKS WERE SUNK ALONG THE COAST NEAR QUEMOY.

FORMOSA, FEVERISHLY PREPARING FOR A POSSIBLE RED INVASION, HEARD CHIANG KAI-SHEK BOAST YESTERDAY THAT THIS BIG ISLAND "IS IMPREGNABLE NOW."

THE GENERALISSIMO, SPEAKING AT A MEETING OF MINORITY PARTIES, SAID FORMOSA HAD BEEN STRENGTHENED BY THE ARRIVAL OF THE GARRISONS FROM ABANDONED CHUSHAN AND HAINAN ISLANDS OFF THE EAST AND SOUTH COASTS

"WE CAN NO LONGER BE DEFEATED BY THE ENEMY," HE DECLARED.

THE NATIONALISTS WERE HEARTENED BY THE WASHINGTON ANNOUNCEMENT THAT ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION (ECA) AID TO FORMOSA WOULD CONTINUE.

A RENEWAL OF U. S. CONSULAR ADVICE TO AMERICANS TO WITHDRAW FROM FORMOSA CREATED VERY LITTLE FLURRY BUT MANY AMERICANS THOUGHT IT WAS BADLY TIMED.

IT CAME ON THE HEELS OF RUMORS, DENIED BOTH HERE AND IN WASHINGTON, THAT THE ECA INTENDED TO PULL OUT. THERE IS NO SIGN THAT YESTERDAY'S CONSULATE WARNING APPLIED TO ANY OFFICIAL U. S. PERSONNEL.

THE AIR FORCE SAID 10 TRANSPORT PLANES, EACH LOADED WITH THREE TONS OF RICE, TOOK OFF TODAY TO MAKE AIR DROPS IN FAMINE REGIONS. DESTINATIONS WERE NOT DISCLOSED.

CENTRAL NEWS AGENCY SAID NATIONALIST WARPLANES RECENTLY SPOTTED COMMUNIST TROOPS ENGAGED IN MANEUVERS AT THE SOUTHEAST PORT OF AMOY AND DROPPED TWO BOMBS ON THE PARADE GROUNDS, KILLING MORE THAN 400. (A DISPATCH FROM AMOY TO THE HONG KONG NEWSPAPER WAH KIU YAT PO SAID THE ATTACK WAS LAST FRIDAY. IT ESTIMATED CASUALTIES AT 300 RED SOLDIERS KILLED AND 100 WOUNDED.)

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FIRST LEAD CHINESE (100)

BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI, MAY 24-(AP)-NATIONALIST WARSHIPS TODAY SANK 20 CHINESE COMMUNIST JUNKS IN WEITAO BAY NEAR AMOY TO LEND EMPHASIS TO TAIPEI'S CELEBRATION OF CONTINUED AMERICAN AID.

NAVAL GUNS AND RED SHORE BATTERIES FOUGHT A DUEL. THE NAVY SAID THE SHORE BATTERIES WERE SILENCED WITHOUT DAMAGE OR CASUALTIES TO NATIONALISTS.

WEITAO BAY IS NORTH OF QUEMOY ISLAND, NATIONALIST DEFENSE BASE JUST OFF THE MAINLAND PORT OF AMOY. THE NAVY SAID THE REDS HAD ASSEMBLED 100 VESSELS, MOSTLY LARGE JUNKS, THERE.

WASHINGTON NEWS OF CONTINUED AMERICAN MARSHALL PLAN AID FOR FORMOSA SENT TAIPEI TO REJOICING.

IN A TALK TO MINORITY PARTY MEMBERS, GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK SAID:

"FORMOSA IS NOW IMPREGNABLE. WE CAN NO LONGER BE DEFEATED BY THE ENEMY."

THE GENERALISSIMO REMARKED THAT FORMOSA WAS STRENGTHENED BY TROOPS WITHDRAWN FROM HAINAN AND THE CHUSHAN ISLANDS.

RENEWAL OF U.S. CONSULAR ADVICE TO AMERICANS TO QUIT FORMOSA--UNLESS THEY INTEND TO REMAIN REGARDLESS OF MILITARY DEVELOPMENTS--WAS ACCEPTED AS ROUTINE.

THERE WAS NO INDICATION IT EMBRACED OFFICIAL U.S. AGENCIES.

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MAY 25 1950

A140KX

(140)

NIGHT LEAD INVASION

BY WILLIAM R.MOORE

HONG KONG, THURSDAY, MAY 24-(AP)-THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS TODAY LAUNCHED A NEW ASSAULT ON THE WANSHAN (LADRONE) ISLANDS, MAIN BASE FOR THE NATIONALIST BLOCKADE OF CANTON.

THE SOUND OF BIG GUNS COULD BE HEARD ON THE WESTERN PART OF HONG KONG ISLAND, ABOUT 40 MILES NORTHEAST OF THE WANSHANS.

THE ROYAL BRITISH NAVY HERE CONFIRMED THAT ANOTHER RED INVASION ATTEMPT BEGAN TODAY. IT HAD NO DETAILS, HOWEVER.

TWO HUNDRED JUNKS REPORTEDLY CARRIED THE FIRST RED INVASION FORCE AGAINST THE ISLANDS LAST WEEK BUT RAN INTO HEAVY NATIONALIST LAND AND SEA OPPOSITION.

A DISPATCH FROM PORTUGUESE MACAO TO THE INDEPENDENT HONG KONG NEWSPAPER WAH KIU YAT PO SAID TODAY THE NATIONALISTS HAVE CONCENTRATED 60 NAVAL CRAFT IN THE WANSHAN AREA, INCLUDING GUNBOATS AND ARMORED JUNKS. THIS INDICATED, THE REPORT SAID, THAT THE NATIONALISTS INTENDED TO TRY TO HANG ON TO THEIR BASE FOR BLOCKADING THE PEARL RIVER ESTUARY.

THE PEARL LEADS TO CANTON, THE REDS' SOUTHERN CHINA METROPOLIS.

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A52FX
CHINESE (190)
BY STANLEY RICH
HONG KONG,MAY 24-(AP)-EMBATTLED DEFENDERS OF NATIONALIST CHINA'S WANSHAN ISLANDS, (LADRONES) NEAR PORTUGUESE MACAO, BRACED TONIGHT FOR THEIR SECOND RED ASSAULT THIS MONTH.
THE NEWSPAPER WAN KIU YAT PO SAID RED GEN.LIN PIAO WAS ASSEMBLING ASSAULT TROOPS NORTH OF MACAO. HE WAS SAID TO BE COMMANDEERING MOTOR-BOATS AND JUNKS TO INVADE THE BLOCKADE BASE FOR THE SOUTH CHINA COAST.
NATIONALIST REINFORCEMENTS WERE RUSHED TO WANSHAN, MAIN ISLAND OF THAT GROUP. THE FIRST RED ASSAULT 10 DAYS AGO WAS REPULSED.
OTHER NEWSPAPER REPORTS FROM SOUTH CHINA SAID:
RUSSIAN MILITARY EQUIPMENT, INCLUDING YAK JET PLANES, WAS POURING INTO CANTON.
NATIONALIST BOMBERS KILLED OR WOUNDED 500 PERSONS, MOST OF THEM PARADING RED SOLDIERS, AT AMOY.
SINO-RED TROOPS TESTED RUSSIAN GUNS AT WHITE CLOUD AIRPORT FOR 11 HOURS SUNDAY. THE DIN OF FIRING THREW CANTON INTO MOMENTARY PANIC UNTIL COMMUNIST AUTHORITIES EXPLAINED.
RUSSIAN FLIERS ON FRIDAY TESTED ABOUT 10 YAK JET PLANES AT WHITE CLOUD FIELD.
NATIONALIST BOMBERS CAUGHT A RED MILITARY PARADE AT AMOY AND KILLED OR WOUNDED 400 SOLDIERS. ANOTHER BOMB KILLED 100 CIVILIANS IN THE DOCK AREA.
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MAY 25 1950

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VOLADOR (230)
HONG KONG,MAY 24-(AP)-GORDON ROSS AND 11 CREWMEN OF THE $20,000 YACHT VOLADOR HAVE DISAPPEARED FOR THE SECOND TIME THIS YEAR.
THEY LEFT HERE MAY 17 FOR FT.BAYARD ON THE NEARBY CHINA COAST TO TRY TO RETRIEVE THE YACHT FROM CHINESE COMMUNISTS. THEY HAVE NOT BEEN HEARD FROM SINCE.
ROSS, A FORMER U.S. NAVY LIEUTENANT COMMANDER, CHARTERED THE TUG ALICIA MOLLER FOR THE TRIP. THE TUG IS SIX DAYS OVERDUE HERE AND HER OWNERS EXPRESSED CONCERN TODAY.
FT.BAYARD IS A FORMER FRENCH CONCESSION RETURNED TO CHINA AND NOW IN THE HANDS OF THE COMMUNISTS.
ROSS, HIS 11-YEAR-OLD SON, AND THE CREW WERE IMPRISONED FOR TWO MONTHS EARLY THIS YEAR BY THE COMMUNISTS AT FT.BAYARD. THEY HAD PUT IN THERE FOR FUEL ON A TRIP FROM THE PHILIPPINES TO HONG KONG. THEIR OUTDATED MAPS SHOWED IT WAS A FRENCH PORT.
THE GROUP WAS RELEASED APRIL 20 AND CAME HERE.
ROSS TRIED UNSUCCESSFULLY TO RETRIEVE THE OLD YACHT FROM THE REDS. LESS THAN A MONTH AGO, THINKING HE HAD PERMISSION TO REGAIN HIS BOAT, HE SAILED FOR FT.BAYARD TO RECLAIM IT BUT SHORE BATTERIES DROVE HIS PARTY AWAY.
LAST WEEK HE SAID HE HAD PERMISSION OF CANTONESE REDS TO RETURN TO FT.BAYARD AND GET HIS SHIP.
ROSS' SON, STILL HERE, SAID HE WAS CONFIDENT HIS FATHER WOULD RETURN WITH THE VOLADOR. ROSS, FORMERLY OF YAKIMA, WASH., LIVES IN SANTA MONICA, CALIF.
THE AMERICAN HOPES TO REFIT THE CRAFT WITH NEW SAILS, TAKE HER TO THE UNITED STATES AND SELL HER. HE TOLD FRIENDS HE PLANNED TO USE THE MONEY TO OPEN A MOTEL ON THE PAN AMERICAN HIGHWAY IN SOME CENTRAL AMERICAN COUNTRY.
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B23KX Q
(APW)
HONG KONG,MAY 24-(AP)-MARINE OFFICIALS DISCLOSED TODAY THAT AN ARMED CHINESE COMMUNIST JUNK WHICH DRIFTED INTO BRITISH WATERS MONDAY NIGHT HAS BEEN DISARMED AND RELEASED.
THE JUNK, PRESUMABLY TAKING PART IN A RED INVASION ATTEMPT OF THE WANSHAN ISLANDS, WAS PICKED UP BY THE BRITISH ABOUT 16 MILES WEST OF HONG KONG PROPER. AUTHORITIES SAID MORE THAN 40 RED TROOPS WERE TAKEN OFF THE JUNK AND TURNED OVER TO THE COMMUNISTS AT THE HONG KONG BORDER.
A MARINE POLICE OFFICIAL SAID THE INCIDENT WAS SETTLED IN A "HAPPY AND SATISFACTORY MANNER."
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B51KX (Q)
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TOKYO,MAY 24-(AP)-THE SON OF KOREA'S FORMER CROWN PRINCE IS CLERKING IN AN AMERICAN STORE HERE TO RAISE FUNDS TO ATTEND CENTRE COLLEGE IN DANVILLE, KY.
KYU LEE, 18, IS A CASHIER AT ROGERS, A SPECIALTY STORE FOR U.S. OCCUPATION PERSONNEL. HE SAID HE HAS BEEN ACCEPTED FOR ENTRANCE AT CENTRE BUT IS AWAITING PASSPORT CLEARANCE.
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MAY 25 1950

B49KX (Q)
(APW)
TOKYO,MAY 24-(AP)-BRITISH COMMONWEALTH OCCUPATION FORCE ELEMENTS PARADED TODAY IN THE IMPERIAL PALACE PLAZA IN HONOR OF EMPIRE DAY.
A NAVAL DETACHMENT FROM THE BRUISER BELFAST AND 700 SOLDIERS PARTICIPATED. GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR, OCCUPATION COMMANDER, EXTENDED GREETINGS TO THEM.
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(120) (Q)
SINGAPORE, MAY 24-(AP)-BRITAIN'S COLONIAL SECRETARY JAMES GRIFFITHS, ARRIVING HERE TODAY, SAID HIS GOVERNMENT "REALLY MEANS BUSINESS" IN ITS CONTINUING WARFARE WITH CHINESE COMMUNIST GUERRILLAS IN MALAYA.
HERE FOR AN INSPECTION TOUR WITH WAR MINISTER JOHN STRACHEY, GRIFFITHS ADDED:
"THAT'S WHY WE CAME HERE, TO BRING ENCOURAGEMENT FROM OUR GOVERNMENT TO THE PEOPLE OF MALAYA."
STRACHEY SAID HE AND GRIFFITHS "HOPE TO COVER AS MUCH OF THE CIVIL AND MILITARY SIDES OF THE MALAYAN PROBLEM AS POSSIBLE."
GRIFFITHS DECLINED TO SAY HOW LONG BRITAIN INTENDED TO REMAIN IN MALAYA BUT DECLARED:
"WE HAVE NO INTENTION OF LEAVING UNTIL OUR TASK HAS BEEN COMPLETED. WE CERTAINLY INTEND TO HOLD MALAYA AGAINST THE ENCROACHMENT OF COMMUNISM.
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NIGHT LEAD

MANILA,MAY 24-(AP)-DELEGATIONS FROM AUSTRALIA, CEYLON, INDIA, PAKISTAN AND INDONESIA ARRIVED TODAY TO ATTEND THE CONFERENCE OF SOUTHEAST ASIA NATIONS SPONSORED BY THE PHILIPPINES.

ALL WILL LEAVE TOMORROW BY PLANE FOR THE SUMMER CAPITAL OF BAGUIO, NORTH OF MANILA FOR THE OPENING OF THE CONFERENCE FRIDAY. THAILAND ALSO HAS ACCEPTED AN INVITATION TO ATTEND.

EARLIER, PRESIDENT ELPIDIO QUIRINO SAID NATIONALIST CHINA AND SOUTH KOREA WERE NOT INVITED BECAUSE BOTH INSISTED ON A MILITARY AND ANTI-COMMUNIST UNION.

THE CONFERENCE WILL DISCUSS ECONOMIC AND CULTURAL CO-OPERATION.

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MANILA,MAY 24-(AP)-PRESIDENT QUIRINO SAID TONIGHT NATIONALIST CHINA AND SOUTH KOREA WERE NOT INVITED TO THE BAGUIO CONFERENCE OF SOUTHEAST ASIA NATIONS BECAUSE BOTH INSISTED ON A MILITARY AND ANTI-COMMUNIST PLATFORM.

THE CONFERENCE OPENS FRIDAY. EIGHT COUNTRIES ARE EXPECTED.

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BY ARTHUR GAVSHON

PRETORIA,UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA,MAY 24-(AP)-SOUTH AFRICA IS BUILDING UP TO A HIGHLY SECRET URANIUM INDUSTRY IN HER RICH GOLD FIELDS.

THE UNION GOVERNMENT HAS LAUNCHED A PRODUCTION PROJECT DESIGNED TO EXTRACT URANIUM FROM PREVIOUSLY-WASTED BY-PRODUCTS OF THE UNION'S GOLD PRODUCTION. IF SOUTH AFRICAN EXPECTATIONS ARE FULFILLED, THE OUTPUT MAY KEEP THE WEST SUPREME IN PRODUCTION OF ATOMIC ENERGY.

TOP SECRET EXPERIMENTS ARE UNDERWAY IN A NUMBER OF PILOT PLANTS ALONG THE RICH WITWATERS RAND GOLD REEF, THE VAST DEPOSIT WHICH EXTENDS SOUTH AND WEST OF PRETORIA TO JOHANNESBURG.

SUCCESSFUL PRODUCTION, PERSONS CONNECTED WITH THE PROJECT SAID, COULD MAKE SOUTH AFRICA THE WORLD'S LARGEST SUPPLIER OF URANIUM, AN ESSENTIAL ATOMIC ENERGY RAW MATERIAL OF WHICH THE EARTH OFFERS A LIMITED KNOWN SUPPLY.

ALREADY THE UNION GOVERNMENT HAS OFFERED TO SELL HER POTENTIAL URANIUM OUTPUT TO THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN. THE THREE COUNTRIES STILL ARE NEGOTIATING OVER TERMS, WITH THE UNITED STATES REPORTED AS THINKING SOUTH AFRICA'S DEMANDS ARE TOO STIFF.

THE 40 TO 50 MINES ALONG THE WITWATERS RAND LAST YEAR PRODUCED SOME 57,000,000 TONS OF GOLD ORE. THE AMOUNT OF URANIUM IN EACH TON IS NOT GREAT BUT "IN THE TOTAL X X X IT MEANS A VERY BIG AMOUNT OF URANIUM," ERIC LOUW, THEN MINES MINISTER, TOLD THE UNION PARLIAMENT ON JUNE 16, 1949.

THOUGH UNION SCIENTISTS AND TECHNICIANS MAKE UP THE ENTIRE STAFF OF THE PILOT URANIUM PRODUCTION PLANTS, AMERICAN AND BRITISH RESEARCH WAS UTILIZED IN ESTABLISHING THE PRODUCTION FACILITIES. THIS THREE-POWER RESEARCH COLLABORATION IS CONTINUING.

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BEIRUT, LEBANON, MAY 24-(AP)-TWO MEMBERS OF THE OUTLAWED "SYRIAN POPULAR PARTY" WERE SENTENCED TO DEATH LATE YESTERDAY AFTER THEY WERE CONVICTED OF TRYING TO ASSASSINATE PREMIER SOLH LAST YEAR.

THEY WERE TEWFIC HAMDAN AND ILYA KHALIEEH.

TWO OTHERS, JOSEPF HADDAD AND ADIB ABOUSLEIMAN, ALSO WERE CONVICTED OF COMPLICITY IN THE ABORTIVE PLOT ON MARCH 9, 1949, AND SENTENCED TO LIFE IMPRISONMENT AT HARD LABOR. FOUR OTHERS WERE IMPRISONED FOR TERMS VARYING FROM ONE TO SIX YEARS.

TWO BYSTANDERS WERE KILLED IN THE ATTEMPT TO ASSASSINATE SOLH, WHO ESCAPED UNINJURED.

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AMMAN, JORDAN, MAY 24-(AP)-A UNITED NATIONS SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY AT LEAST FIVE ARAB PEASANTS HAVE BEEN KILLED IN INCIDENTS ALONG THE ISRAELI-JORDAN FRONTIER IN THE LAST FEW DAYS.

THE INFORMANT SAID THE INCIDENTS ARE BEING INVESTIGATED BY JORDAN AND ISRAELI DELEGATES ON THE U.N. ARMISTICE COMMISSION SET UP UNDER THE RHODES AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES.

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RANGOON, BURMA, MAY 24-(AP)-THE BURMESE GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED TODAY IT HAS REACHED A CEASEFIRE AGREEMENT WITH THE WHITE BAND PVO (PEOPLE'S VOLUNTEER ORGANIZATION). THE GROUP, NUMBERING MORE THAN 10,000 MEN, IS ONE OF THREE REBEL FORCES THAT HAS FOUGHT THE GOVERNMENT FOR TWO YEARS.

AN OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT SAID THE PVO MEN WOULD BE MESSAGED IMMEDIATELY BY THEIR LEADERS TO LAY DOWN THEIR ARMS AND AWAIT FURTHER INSTRUCTIONS.

THE AGREEMENT WAS ANNOUNCED AFTER 12 DAYS OF TALKS BETWEEN BURMESE DEFENSE MINISTER GENERAL BO NE WIN AND PVO VICE PRESIDENT BO LA YAUNG.

LA YAUNG TOLD NEWSMEN AGREEMENT WAS REACHED ON GENERAL PRINCIPLES REQUIRING THE SURRENDER OF HIS PARTY MEN WHO IN THE EARLY POSTWAR PERIOD WERE THE MAIN PROP OF THE GOVERNMENT. HE SAID DETAILS HAD YET TO BE WORKED OUT.

LA YAUNG SAID HE MESSAGED PVO LEADER BO PO KUN, A FORMER CABINET MINISTER, TO EMPLANE FOR RANGOON IMMEDIATELY TO FINALIZE THE SURRENDER TERMS. THE SUCCESSFUL OUTCOME OF THE TALKS, HE SAID, HINGED UPON A DECISION OF THE BURMA GOVERNMENT TO PERMIT THE SURRENDERING PVO MEN TO REGROUP INTO A NEW POLITICAL PARTY.

SURRENDER OF THE PVO WOULD LEAVE THE GOVERNMENT WITH TWO MAIN FOES IN THE DRAWN OUT CIVIL WAR--THE KARENS WHO WANT AN INDEPENDENT STATE, AND THE COMMUNISTS. BOTH REBEL GROUPS HAVE LOST MUCH TERRITORY RECENTLY. THE COMMUNISTS ARE NOW CONCENTRATING ON NUISANCE RAIDS AIMED AT SABOTAGING COMMUNICATIONS.

THE PVO FELL OUT WITH THE GOVERNMENT IN LATE 1948 WHEN THE GOVERNMENT REFUSED TO NEGOTIATE A TRUCE WITH THE COMMUNISTS. ALTHOUGH NOT THE MOST POWERFUL OF THE GOVERNMENT'S ADVERSARIES, THEY HAVE WIELDED CONSIDERABLE INFLUENCE OVER A LARGE SECTION OF THE PEOPLE.

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NIGHT LEAD BURMA

BY DOUGLAS LACKERSTEEN

RANGOON, BURMA, MAY 24-(AP)-BURMA'S HARASSED GOVERNMENT GOT A PRELIMINARY AGREEMENT TODAY FROM ONE OF ITS THREE MAJOR FOES TO LAY DOWN ARMS AND MAKE PEACE.

THE AGREEMENT CALLS FOR A COUNTRY-WIDE SURRENDER OF WHITE BAND PEOPLE'S VOLUNTEER ORGANIZATION (PVO) FORCES WHO RECENTLY BROKE AWAY FROM COMMUNIST FACTIONS.

A PVO SURRENDER WOULD LEAVE THE GOVERNMENT ARMY THE PROBLEM OF TAKING THE COMMUNISTS AND THE KAREN TRIBESMEN WHO ARE FIGHTING TO SET UP A STATE OF THEIR OWN IN BURMA'S MANY-SIDED CIVIL WAR.

PVO VICE-PRESIDENT BO LAYAUNG SAID HE HAD REACHED AN AGREEMENT IN PRINCIPLE WITH DEFENSE MINISTER GENERAL NE WIN FOR THE SURRENDER OF PVO FIGHTING MEN BUT THAT DETAILS ARE STILL TO BE WORKED OUT.

THE PVO'S, WHO ARE ESTIMATED TO NUMBER MORE THAN 10,000, ARE NOT THE MOST POWERFUL OF THE GOVERNMENT'S ENEMIES BUT THEY ARE INFLUENTIAL AMONG MANY BURMESE. ORIGINALLY SUPPORTERS OF THE GOVERNMENT, THEY BROKE AWAY LAST YEAR BECAUSE THE GOVERNMENT REFUSED TO NEGOTIATE WITH THE COMMUNISTS.

THIS DEVELOPMENT WAS HAILED IN GOVERNMENT CIRCLES AS A FAVORABLE SIGN THAT PEACE MAY BE WON WITHIN THE YEAR OF HOSTILITIES EXPIRING JUNE 19.

LAYAUNG SAID HE HAD MESSAGED BO PO KUN, A FORMER GOVERNMENT CABINET MINISTER WHO IS PVO LEADER, TO COME TO RANGOON BY PLANE AND SIGN THE SURRENDER TERMS.

PEACE TALKS BEGAN BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT AND PVO LEADERS MAY 12 AFTER THE PVO BREAK WITH THE COMMUNISTS. THE SUCCESS OF THE TALKS HINGED ON THE GOVERNMENT'S AGREEMENT THAT THE PVO WOULD BE ALLOWED TO FORM A NEW PARTY LOYAL TO THE GOVERNMENT.

THE OTHER TWO ENEMIES, COMMUNISTS AND KARENS, HAVE LOST MUCH TERRITORY RECENTLY, AND THE PVO SURRENDER WOULD LEAVE THE GOVERNMENT FORCES FREE TO CONCENTRATE MORE ON THEM.

OBSERVERS SAID COMMUNIST RAIDS ARE THE NUISANCE TYPE CONCENTRATED ON SABOTAGING COMMUNICATIONS.

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TEL AVIV, ISRAEL, MAY 24-(AP)-A MILITARY COURT SENTENCED ISRAELI ARMY SERGEANT MELECH REICHER TO 10 YEARS IN PRISON TODAY ON CHARGES OF HANDING MILITARY DOCUMENTS TO MEMBERS OF ISRAEL'S COMMUNIST PARTY. TWO COMMUNISTS TO WHOM REICHER WAS SAID TO HAVE PASSED THE DOCUMENTS WILL BE TRIED LATER IN A CIVIL COURT. THE NATURE OF THE DOCUMENTS WAS NOT DISCLOSED.

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TEL AVIV, MAY 24-(AP)-AN AUTHORITATIVE SOURCE SAID TODAY ISRAEL INTENDS TO PAY AN INDEMNITY OF $54,000 TO THE FAMILY OF COUNT FOLKE BERNADOTTE, U.N.MEDIATOR WHO WAS ASSASSINATED IN JERUSALEM IN SEPTEMBER, 1948.

THIS SOURCE SAID THE ISRAEL GOVERNMENT IS ALSO EXPECTED TO PAY $3,000 TO THE UNITED NATIONS AS A SPECIAL PREMIUM ON WAR RISK INSURANCE CARRIED BY THE SWEDISH MEDIATOR AND OTHER U.N. PERSONNEL IN ISRAEL.

THE INFORMANT SAID THESE DECISIONS WOULD BE OUTLINED IN ISRAEL'S FORMAL REPLY TO SWEDISH CHARGES THAT ISRAEL HID EVIDENCE OF BERNADOTTE'S SLAYING. THE SWEDISH CHIEF PROSECUTOR CHARGED ISRAELI SHOWED "ASTONISHING NEGLIGENCE" IN THE SEARCH FOR THE ATTACKERS, AND DEMANDED FURTHER INVESTIGATION.

ISRAEL'S REPLY IS DUE TO BE MADE PUBLIC THIS WEEK. PAYMENT OF INDEMNITY TO THE MEDIATOR'S FAMILY WILL BE MADE IN STOCKHOLM. ISRAEL HAS CONSISTENTLY MAINTAINED SHE TOOK ALL ACTION POSSIBLE TO FIN THE KILLERS AND DECLARED THE FLUID WAR SITUATION THEN EXISTING IN JERUSALEM MADE A THOROUGH SEARCH EXTREMELY DIFFICULT.

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NIGHT LEAD

MONTEVIDEO, URUGUAY, MAY 24-(AP)-A UNITED NATIONS SUBCOMMISSION ON FREEDOM OF INFORMATION AND THE PRESS TONIGHT ADOPTED A RESOLUTION CONDEMNING GOVERNMENT RESTRICTIONS ON NEWSREEL PHOTOGRAPHERS.

THE VOTE WAS SEVEN TO THREE WITH ONE ABSTENTION. CARROLL BINDER OF THE UNITED STATES WAS AMONG THOSE VOTING FOR THE MEASURE.

THE RESOLUTION RECOMMENDS THAT ALL GOVERNMENTS PERMIT NEWSREELMEN FREELY TO ENTER AND LEAVE THEIR TERRITORIES. IT OPPOSES CONFISCATION OF EQUIPMENT OR IMPOSITION OF RESTRICTIONS WITHOUT JUSTIFIABLE LEGAL CAUSE. IT OPPOSES CONFISCATION AND CENSORSHIP OF NEWSREELS IN WHOLE OR IN PART EXCEPT FOR REASONS OF PUBLIC MORALE OR NATIONAL DEFENSE.

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MONTEVIDEO, URUGUAY, MAY 24-(AP)-A UNITED NATIONS SUBCOMMISSION LAST NIGHT APPROVED A CODE OF ETHICS CALLING FOR JOURNALISTS TO BE FACTUALLY ACCURATE AND OBJECTIVE IN THEIR WORK.

THE CODE, WHICH IF APPROVED BY THE U.N. ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL WILL DEPEND FOR ENFORCEMENT ON THE JOURNALISTS THEMSELVES, CONDEMNS ACCEPTANCE OF BRIBES, CALUMNY, LIBEL OR PLAGIARISM.

IT ALSO CALLS FOR VOLUNTARY CORRECTIONS OF FALSE NEWS, IDENTIFICATION OF RUMORS AS SUCH, ASSUMPTION OF RESPONSIBILITY FOR ALL STATEMENTS PUBLISHED OR SPECIFIC DISCLAIMERS, IN ADVANCE, WHERE RESPONSIBILITY IS NOT ASSUMED; PUBLICATION OF NEWS OF INDIVIDUALS' PRIVATE LIVES ONLY IN THE PUBLIC INTEREST, NOT TO SATISFY PUBLIC CURIOSITY; RESPECT FOR THE CONFIDENCE OF NEWS SOURCES AND WIDE BACKGROUND KNOWLEDGE OF FOREIGN COUNTRIES BY CORRESPONDENTS COVERING THOSE COUNTRIES.

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San Juan, Puerto Rico, May 24-(ap)-Puerto Rican Communists will not fight against russia in any war, cesar andreu iglesias, president of the puerto rican communist party, told a rally at ponce today.

The statement, similar to those made by communist leaders in many countries, was followed by approval of a resolution by some 100 delegates to seek signatures demanding that the atom bomb be outlawed.

the delegates, about 100 in number, also voted to continue organizing the party on an island-wide basis and to demand the independence of puerto rico from the united states.

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD ESPIONAGE-GOLD ROUNUP
BY ARTHUR EDSON
WASHINGTON, MAY 24-(AP)-NEW ARRESTS IN THE ANGLO-AMERICAN ATOMIC SPY CASE WERE PREDICTED ON CAPITOL HILL TODAY AS OFFICIALS DISCLOSED THAT THE FBI SIFTED THROUGH A LIST OF 1,200 PERSONS TO BRING ABOUT THE ARREST OF HARRY GOLD.
IT WAS ALSO DISCLOSED THAT A "TRICK QUESTION" BY FBI AGENTS TRAPPED GOLD AND LED TO HIS REPORTED CONFESSION OF SERVING AS A GO-BETWEEN IN A SOVIET ESPIONAGE RING.
GOLD, 39, A $4,600-A-YEAR HOSPITAL BIO-CHEMIST, IS BEING HELD UNDER HEAVY GUARD IN PHILADELPHIA IN DEFAULT OF $100,000 BAIL.
OFFICIALS SAID THE QUESTION THAT BROKE DOWN GOLD'S STUBBORN DENIALS OF WRONGDOING CAME WHEN FBI AGENTS CASUALLY ASKED HIM WHETHER HE HAD EVER BEEN IN THE WESTERN PART OF THE UNITED STATES.
WHEN HE REPLIED NO, THEY CONFRONTED HIM WITH EVIDENCE SHOWING ME MET DR.KLAUS FUCHS, THE CONVICTED BRITISH ATOMIC SCIENTIST, IN NEW MEXICO FIVE YEARS AGO.
THAT WAS WHEN GOLD ALLEGEDLY ADMITTED HE PASSED ON U.S. ATOMIC SECRETS FROM DR.FUCHS TO SOVIET AGENTS.
OFFICIALS SAID THE TRAIL FROM DR.FUCHS TO GOLD LED FBI AGENTS THROUGH A LONG, PAINSTAKING QUEST IN WHICH 1,200 PERSONS WHO MIGHT HAVE BEEN IN CLOSE CONTACT WITH THE BRITISH SCIENTIST WERE CHECKED.
EVENTUALLY, THE HUNT NARROWED DOWN TO A SMALL GROUP OF CHEMISTS IN THE NEW YORK-PHILADELPHIA AREA, AND FINALLY TO GOLD'S ARREST.
WHILE THE FBI KEPT A TIGHT SILENCE ON THE POSSIBILITY OF NEW ARRESTS, OFFICIALS MADE IT CLEAR THAT THE FUCHS CASE IS BY NO MEANS CLOSED WITH THE ARREST OF GOLD.

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IN LONDON, FBI AGENTS SOUGHT TO JOG THE SOMEWHAT HAZY MEMORY OF DR.FUCHS FOR FURTHER CLUES TO AN INTERNATIONAL SPY RING. TWO AGENTS QUESTIONED DR.FUCHS AT OLD WORMWOOD SCRUBS PRISON FOR THE THIRD TIME SINCE SATURDAY. FUCHS IS SERVING A 14-YEAR TERM.
THEY REFUSED TO INDICATE, HOWEVER, WHETHER THE STEPPED-UP QUIZZING MAY LEAD TO MORE ARRESTS.
BUT ON CAPITOL HILL, LAWMAKERS OF BOTH HOUSES WHO ARE IN CLOSE TOUCH WITH ATOMIC MATTERS FREELY PREDICTED THAT NEW BREAKS MAY COME SOON.
SENATOR EDWIN C.JOHNSON (D-COLO) AND REP.ELSTON (R-OHIO), BOTH MEMBERS OF THE JOINT SENATE-HOUSE ATOMIC COMMITTEE, SAID THEY BELIEVE THERE MUST HAVE BEEN OTHERS INVOLVED IN THE FUCHS-GOLD CONSPIRACY AND THAT ADDITIONAL ARRESTS WILL BE FORTHCOMING.
AMONG OTHER THINGS, IT IS KNOWN THE FBI WOULD LIKE TO FIND OUT WHETHER GOLD WAS ORIGINALLY LINED UP FOR HIS COURIER JOB BY JACOB GOLOS, ALLEGED TOP RUSSIAN AGENT WHO DIED OF A HEART ATTACK IN THIS COUNTRY IN 1943.

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IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT FUCHS, WHEN HE WAS FIRST QUESTIONED BY BRITISH OFFICIALS AND THE FBI, SAID HE DID NOT REMEMBER THE NAME OF THE AMERICAN TO WHOM HE HANDED OVER ATOMIC SECRETS TO BE DELIVERED TO THE RUSSIANS. HOWEVER, HE IS UNDERSTOOD TO HAVE DESCRIBED THE AMERICAN CONTACT AS A BIOLOGICAL CHEMIST, AND TO HAVE RECENTLY IDENTIFIED GOLD FROM PHOTOS SHOWN HIM BY THE FBI.
GOLD, WHO HAS ADMITTED DEALINGS WITH FUCHS IN THE UNITED STATES IN 1944 AND 1945, PRESUMABLY PASSED THE SECRETS TO A SOVIET OFFICIAL. THIS OFFICIAL IS NOW BELIEVED TO BE BACK IN HIS HOME COUNTRY.
THE FBI IS INVESTIGATING WHETHER GOLD RENDERED OTHER SERVICES TO THE RUSSIANS EVEN BEFORE HE MET FUCHS, PRESUMABLY AS A RESULT OF DIRECTIVES FROM SOVIET SUPERIORS.
THE FBI, AS A RESULT OF ITS OWN INVESTIGATION EXTENDING BACK BEFORE THE FUCHS ARREST? COUPLED WITH STATEMENTS MADE BY FUCHS LATER, HAD GREATLY NARROWED ITS HUNT FOR THE FUCHS CONTACT SEVERAL WEEKS AGO AS A RESULT OF EXHAUSTIVE CHECKS ON CHEMISTS IN THE NEW YORK CITY AREA, WHERE GOLD FORMERLY WORKED.
THE AGENTS WENT TO GOLD'S HOME IN PHILADELPHIA ON MAY 15 AND ASKED HIM FOR AN ACCOUNT OF HIS WARTIME MOVEMENTS AND ACTIVITIES. GOLD, IT IS LEARNED, DESCRIBED THESE AS ENTIRELY INNOCENT. BUT ACCORDING TO INFORMED SOURCES HE MADE THE MISTAKE OF DISCLAIMING ANY KNOWLEDGE OF THE WESTERN UNITED STATES.
HE WAS THEN CONFRONTED WITH FBI EVIDENCE THAT HE HAD A MEETING WITH FUCHS IN SANTE FE. N.M.. IN 1945, WHEN FUCHS WAS ASSOCIATED WITH THE

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LOS ALAMOS, N.M., ATOM BOMB PROJECT.
OFFICIALS SAID THAT GOLD'S PREVIOUS STORY THEN BEGAN TO BREAK DOWN, FINALLY ENDING WITH A CONFESSION OF THE FUCHS CONTACTS WHICH RESULTED IN HIS ARREST LAST NIGHT.
WHETHER OTHER LEADS ON AMERICAN CONTACTS ARE STILL BEING FOLLOWED, THE FBI DOES NOT SAY. HOWEVER, IT IS CLEARLY INDICATED THAT THE BUREAU DOES NOT CONSIDER THE FUCHS MATTER CLOSED WITH THE GOLD ARREST.
CONGRESSMEN SEEMED SURE OTHER ARRESTS WILL FOLLOW.
SENATOR JOHNSON TOLD A REPORTER THAT AT THE TIME FUCHS WAS ARRESTED HE THOUGHT THERE WERE SOME "ROOKS IN THIS COUNTRY."

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"I THINK MR.GOLD IS ONE OF THOSE ROOKS AND I THINK MAYBE THERE ARE OTHERS," HE SAID. "I BELIEVE THERE WILL BE FURTHER ARRESTS AS I DON'T BELIEVE ONE MAN COULD HAVE DONE ALL OF THOSE THINGS."
ELSTON SAID:
"IT IS INCONCEIVABLE THAT GOLD AND FUCHS WERE THE ONLY ONES INVOLVED. THERE MUST HAVE BEEN OTHERS."
OTHER MEMBERS OF THE IMPORTANT ATOMIC ENERGY COMMITTEE HAD SIMILAR REACTIONS.
SENATOR MILLIKIN (R-COLO) SAID:
"I AM DELIGHTED THAT THE FBI IS PURSUING ALL THE LEADS MADE AVAILABLE FROM THE FUCHS CASE. FUCHS UNDOUBTEDLY WAS ASSISTED BY CONSPIRATORS IN THIS COUNTRY AND, OF COURSE, THEY SHOULD BE SEARCHED OUT AND IMPRISONED."
SENATOR RUSSELL (D-GA) SAID HE HOPES FUCHS WILL BE ABLE TO SUPPLY OTHER LEADS. FROM THESE, HE SAID, HE HOPES THEY CAN "APPREHEND AND ARREST EVERY PERSON IN THE UNITED STATES WHO HAS BEEN GUILTY OF A TREASONABLE ACT."
REP. PRICE (D-ILL) SAID:
"I WOULD NOT BE SURPRISED IF THERE ARE MORE ARRESTS IN THIS CASE. IT DOESN'T SEEM LIKELY THAT GOLD AND FUCHS WERE THE ONLY ONES INVOLVED. THE FBI IS WORKING DILIGENTLY ON THIS CASE AND HAS BEEN ALL ALONG."
TWO REPUBLICAN REPRESENTATIVES WHO ARE NOT MEMBERS OF THE ATOMIC COMMITTEE--VELDE OF ILLINOIS AND FELLOWS OF MAINE--SAID THE ESPIONAGE CASE ILLUSTRATES THE NEED TO "CONTINUE TO LOOK UNDER THE BED."
VELDE, A FORMER FBI MAN, SAID THIS IS THE QUESTION PUZZLING HIM:
"WHY DID WE WAIT SO LONG TO MAKE THIS FIRST ARREST?"
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NIGHT LEAD GOLD (WITH WASHINGTON) (230)
BY DONALD B.SCHWIND
LONDON, MAY 24-(AP)-SCOTLAND YARD MEN AND AN AMERICAN FBI AGENT WORKING ON THE KLAUS FUCHS-HARRY GOLD ATOMIC SPY CASE TOOK A BUNDLE OF SECRET DOCUMENTS OFF A PASSENGER PLANE FROM NEW YORK TODAY.
THE PAPERS FROM NEW YORK WERE "SAFE-HANDED" ENROUTE IN CARE OF THE FLIGHT CAPTAIN AS SPECIAL COURIER WHO KEPT THEM UNDER GUARD ALL THE WAY, IT WAS LEARNED.
WHAT CONNECTION THEY HAVE WITH THE SENSATIONAL BREAK IN THE PROBE INTO LEAKS OF ATOMIC SECRETS WAS NOT DISCLOSED.
BUT THE INVESTIGATION AT THIS END HAS BEEN INTENSIFIED INSCE
THE ARREST LAST NIGHT OF HARRY GOLD IN PHILADELPHIA.
AN OFFICIAL AMERICAN SOURCE SAID DR. KLAUS FUCHS, CONVICTED OF GIVING ATOMIC SECRETS TO RUSSIA, WAS QUESTIONED FOR THE THIRD TIME THIS MORNING AT OLD WORMWOOD SCRUBS PRISON.
THE ARREST OF GOLD GAVE FBI AGENTS THE GO-AHEAD FOR CLOSER AND BROADER QUESTIONING OF THE CONVICTED BRITISH SCIENTIST. TWO TOP AGENTS HAVE BEEN QUIZZING FUCHS SINCE SATURDAY AND WILL STAY ON HERE AS A RESULT OF GOLD'S ARREST.
"THE GOLD ACTIVITY IN WASHINGTON AND PHILADELPHIA MEANS WE WILL HAVE TO PROLONG OUR VISIT SLIGHTLY," V.H.CLEGG, ASSISTANT TO FBI CHIEF J.EDGAR HOOVER, TOLD REPORTERS.
CLEGG DECLINED TO INDICATE WHETHER THE STEPPED-UP QUIZZING OF FUCHS MAY LEAD TO NEW ARRESTS OR IS INTENDED ONLY TO CLINCH THE CASE AGAINST GOLD.
(SENATOR JOHNSON (D-COLO) PREDICTED IN WASHINGTON THAT THE ARREST OF GOLD IS ONLY THE BEGINNING OF A ROUNDUP OF FUCHS' ALLEGED ACCOMPLICES.)
CLEGG SAID HE HAS BEEN EXCHANGING INFORMATION ALMOST DAILY WITH WASHINGTON. "NATURALLY," HE SAID, "WE HAVE BEEN MAKING OUR REPORTS." U.S. SOURCES DESCRIBED FUCHS AS "MOST COOPERATIVE."
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A175WX ((GOLD)
ESPIONAGE-GOLD (300)
WASHINGTON, MAY 25-(AP)-SENATOR EDWIN C.JOHNSON (D-COLO) PREDICTED TODAY THE FBI ARREST OF A PHILADELPHIA CHEMIST AS AN ASSOCIATE OF BRITISH ATOMIC SPY KLAUS FUCHS IS ONLY THE BEGINNING OF A ROUND-UP OF OTHER ACCOMPLICES.
HARRY GOLD, A 39-YEAR-OLD RESEARCH CHEMIST OF RUSSIAN EXTRACTION, WAS ARRESTED LAST NIGHT IN PHILADELPHIA ON CHARGES OF RECEIVING ATOMIC BOMB SECRETS FROM FUCHS AND TURNING THEM OVER TO RUSSIA. FUCHS NOW IS SERVING A 14-YEAR PRISON TERM IN GREAT BRITAIN FOR BETRAYING U.S. AND BRITISH ATOMIC SECRETS TO THE SOVIETS.
TWO FBI AGENTS NOW ARE IN LONDON QUESTIONING FUCHS WHO WAS A KEY OFFICIAL IN THE BRITISH ATOMIC PROGRAM AT THE TIME OF HIS ARREST LAST FEBRUARY.
JOHNSON, A MEMBER OF THE JOINT SENATE-HOUSE ATOMIC COMMITTEE, TOLD REPORTERS HE SUSPECTED WHEN FUCHS WAS ARRESTED THERE WERE "SOME ROOKS IN THIS COUNTRY." HE ADDED:
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SENATOR MCMAHON (D-CONN), CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT COMMITTEE, SAID THE COMMITTEE HAD BEEN KEPT ADVISED OF DEVELOPMENTS IN THE FUCHS MATTER.
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A185PX
NIGHT LEAD ESPIONAGE ARREST (450) (WITH BUDGET)
PHILADELPHIA,MAY 24-(AP)-A MILD-MANNERED, STOOP-SHOULDERED BIOLOGICAL SCIENTIST WAS UNDER HEAVY GUARD TODAY CHARGED WITH BEING THE GO-BETWEEN THROUGH WHOM DR.KLAUS EMIL FUCHS DELIVERED SOME OF AMERICA'S ATOM BOMB SECRETS TO RUSSIA.
THIRTY-NINE-YEAR-OLD HARRY GOLD WAS HELD IN DEFAULT OF $100,000 BAIL. THE FBI SAID HE HAD ADMITTED THE CHARGE, AND QUOTED HIM AS SAYING:
"I THOUGHT I WAS HELPING A NATION, WHOSE FINAL AIMS I APPROVED, ALONG THE ROAD TO INDUSTRIAL STRENGTH."
DR.FUCHS ONCE WAS GREAT BRITAIN'S TOP ATOMIC SCIENTIST. HE NOW IS SERVING A 14-YEAR PRISON TERM IN BRITAIN AND HAS ADMITTED HIS PART IN AN ESPIONAGE PLOT TO AID RUSSIA.
THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF GOLD'S ARREST, AND A SWIFT HEARING LAST NIGHT, SHOCKED AND STUNNED HIS FATHER, BROTHER, RESEARCH AIDES AND NEIGHBORS.
"HARRY WAS ALWAYS A GOOD BOY," SOBBED 70-YEAR-OLD SAMUEL GOLD, U.S.-NATURALIZED NATIVE OF KIEV, RUSSIA. AND HARRY'S BROTHER, JOSEPH, 33, AN ARMY VETERAN OF THE PACIFIC, TOLD REPORTERS:
"ALL I KNOW IS THAT MY BROTHER IS NOT A COMMUNIST AND HAS NEVER BEEN A COMMUNIST."
NEIGHBORS SAID THEY KNEW HARRY GOLD ONLY AS A MILD-MANNERED, PLEASANT CHAP, COULD NOT REMEMBER THAT HE EVER HAD DISCUSSED POLITICS OR COMMUNISM WITH THEM. HIS BROTHER RECALLED HARRY HAD BEEN CLASSIFIED 4-F IN THE WARTIME DRAFT BECAUSE OF HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE.
AND AT PHILADELPHIA GENERAL HOSPITAL, WHERE GOLD HAD A $4,600-A-YEAR JOB IN BIOLOGICAL RESEARCH, DR.PASCHAL F.LUCCHESI, THE SUPERINTENDENT, SAID HE KNEW HIM ONLY AS "QUIET, HARD-WORKING, CONSCIENTIOUS AND DEEPLY INTERESTED IN HIS WORK."
THERE WAS NOTHING SECRET CONNECTED WITH HIS RESEARCH INTO HEART CONDITIONS, DR.LUCCHESI SAID.
BUT THE FBI TOLD OF WARTIME BEETINGS BETWEEN GOLD AND DR.FUCHS. THE SWORN INFORMATION NAMED A "JOHN DOE" THE "REPRESENTATIVE OFFICER, AGENT AND EMPLOYE OF A FOREIGN GOVERNMENT--THE UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS," AS THE MAN TO WHOM GOLD DELIVERED THE SECRETS GIVEN HIM BY FUCHS.
THESE INCLUDED, THE INFORMATION SAID, "DOCUMENTS, WRITINGS, SKETCHES, NOTES AND INFORMATION RELATING TO THE NATIONAL DEFENSE. AND IT CHARGED GOLD DELIVERED THEM TO THE UNIDENTIFIED SOVIET AGENT "WITH INTENT AND REASON TO BELIEVE THAT IT WAS TO BE USED TO THE INJURY OF THE UNITED STATES AND TO THE ADVANTAGE OF A FOREIGN NATION--THE UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS."
A JOINT STATEMENT BY FBI CHIEF J.EDGAR HOOVER AND THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT SAID GOLD FIRST MET DR.FUCHS IN NEW YORK EARLY IN 1944, THAT THEY HAD SUBSEQUENT MEETINGS IN BROOKLYN, THE BRONX, MANHATTAN AND QUEENS, N.Y.
AT THAT TIME, GOLD WAS AN OBSCURE CHEMIST, WORKING HERE FOR A PENNSYLVANIA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY SUBSIDIARY THAT MADE RUM AND ALCOHOL. LIKE THE HOSPITAL, THE SUGAR FIRM SAID TODAY THERE WAS NOTHING SECRET CONNECTED WITH THE WORK. HE WAS FURLOUGHED WHEN THE PLANT CLOSED IN 1946, AND WENT TO WORK AT THE HOSPITAL TWO YEARS AGO.

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GOLD, A BACHELOR, LIVED WITH HIS FATHER AND BROTHER IN A QUIET NORTHEAST PHILADELPHIA RESIDENTIAL NEIGHBORHOOD FOR FIVE YEARS. HIS MOTHER DIED TWO YEARS AGO OF A HEART ATTACK.
"YOU WOULDN'T REALLY TAKE A SECOND LOOK AT HIM," DR.LUCCHESI SAID.
"HE'S ONLY ABOUT FIVE FEET FOUR INCHES TALL, HAS STOOPED SHOULDERS, AND ALWAYS SEEMED TO MIND HIS OWN BUSINESS."
GOLD WASHURRAIGNED SWIFTLY LAST NIGHT BEFORE U.S. DISTRICT JUDGES JAMES P.MCGRANERY, A

GOLD WAS ARRAIGNED SWIFTLY LAST NIGHT BEFORE U.S. DISTRICT JUDGES JAMES P.MCGRANERY, AND COMMITTED TO MOYAMENSING PRISON. TODAY HE WAS TRANSFERRED TO HOLMESBURG COUNTY PRISON, WHERE AUTHORITIES SAID THEY HAVE BETTER FACILITIES FOR GUARDING HIM. PRISON OFFICIALS SAID HE WAS BEING KEPT ALONE IN A CELL, WITH A GUARD STATIONED OUTSIDE THE DOOR.
AFTER GRADUATING FROM SOUTH PHILADELPHIA HIGH SCHOOL, GOLD WORKED AS A LABORATORY TECHNICIAN AND SAVED ENOUGH TO ATTEND NIGHT SCHOOL AT DREXEL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY AND THE UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA. HE ALSO STUDIED AT COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY WHILE WORKING IN NEW YORK.
IN 1940 HE RECEIVED THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE FROM XAVIER UNIVERSITY, CINCINNATI. HE WAS GRADUATED SUMMA CUM LAUDE--WITH HIGHEST HONOR.
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ESPIONAGE ARREST
BY ORLO ROBERTSON
PHILADELPHIA,MAY 24-(AP)-A 39-YEAR OLD PHILADELPHIA RESEARCH CHEMIST OF RUSSIAN EXTRACTION IS HELD TODAY IN $100,000 BAIL, CHARGED WITH RECEIVING ATOMIC BOMB SECRETS FROM DR.KLAUS FUCHS AND TURNING THEM OVER TO SOVIET RUSSIA.
DR.FUCHS IS THE FORMER TOP BRITISH ATOMIC SCIENTIST SERVING 14 YEARS FOR PASSING ATOM SECRETS TO RUSSIA.
ARREST OF HARRY GOLD, SENIOR BIO-CHEMIST IN ONE OF PHILADELPHIA'S LARGEST HOSPITALS FOR THE LAST TWO YEARS, WAS ANNOUNCED IN WASHINGTON LAST NIGHT BY ATTORNEY GENERAL MCGRATH AND FBI DIRECTOR J.EDGAR HOOVER.
A FEW MINUTES LATER IN THE PHILADELPHIA CHAMBERS OF FEDERAL JUDGE JAMES P.MCGRANERY, THE SHORT, PUDGY GOLD WAS GIVEN A 15-MINUTE HEARING AND HUSTLED OFF TO PHILADELPHIA'S MOYAMENSING PRISON IN LIEU OF BAIL.
GOLD'S WORK AT PHILADELPHIA GENERAL HOSPITAL WAS ON FEDERALLY-FINANCED HEART RESEARCH.
JUDGE MCGRANERY SET JUNE 12 AT 10 A.M. FOR A FURTHER HEARING. THE TIME OF HIS ARREST WAS NOT DISCLOSED.
THE JURIST TOLD GOLD DURING THE HASTILY CALLED HEARING THAT HE DID NOT HAVE TO SPEAK WITHOUT BENEFIT OF COUNSEL.
AND GOLD SPOKE ONLY TWICE. HE ADMITTED HE WAS THE GOLD NAMED IN THE WARRANT AND REQUESTED PERMISSION TO TELEPHONE A BROTHER IN PHILADELPHIA

TO OBTAIN COUNSEL. JUDGE MCGRANERY GRANTED THE REQUEST.
LATER THE BROTHER, JOSEPH, TOLD REPORTERS HE HAD RECEIVED A CALL FROM HARRY. JOSEPH SAID HIS OLDER BROTHER HAD BEEN EMPLOYED AT THE PHILADELPHIA GENERAL HOSPITAL AS A CIVIL SERVICE SENIOR BIO-CHEMIST.
IN ANNOUNCING THE ARREST, MCGRATH SAID THE CHARGES WERE BASED ON INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY DR.FUCHS, WHO WAS ARRESTED IN FEBRUARY AND PLEADED GUILTY MARCH 1.
IN LONDON, IT WAS DISCLOSED TWO FBI AGENTS QUESTIONED DR.FUCHS LAST SATURDAY AND AGAIN YESTERDAY.
THE JOINT STATEMENT, ISSUED BY THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT AND HOOVER, SAID GOLD ADMITTED CONTACTS WITH FUCHS AND HAD GIVEN DETAILED ACCOUNTS OF HIS ACTIVITIES SINCE FIRST MEETING THE SCIENTIST IN NEW YORK'S EAST SIDE EARLY IN 1944. THEY HAD SUBSEQUENT CONTACTS IN BROOKLYN, THE BRONX, MANHATTAN AND QUEENS, N.Y., THE FBI SAID.
DURING THE WAR AND POSTWAR PERIOD, DR.FUCHS FREQUENTLY VISITED THE UNITED STATES. AS AN OFFICIAL BRITISH GOVERNMENT ATOMIC SCIENTIST HE HAD ACCESS TO IMPORTANT ATOMIC LABORATORY WORK AT LOS ALAMOS, N.M. AND ELSEWHERE.
DR.FRANKLIN C.FETTER, CHIEF RESIDENT PHYSICIAN AT PHILADELPHIA GENERAL HOSPITAL, SAID GOLD WAS IN CHARGE OF BIOLOGICAL RESEARCH IN THE HEART STATION OF THE HOSPITAL.
THE RESEARCH PROJECT ON WHICH GOLD WAS EMPLOYED WAS DIRECTED BY THE NATIONAL HEART INSTITUTE OF THE UNITED STATES PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE. IT WAS AIMED PARTICULARLY AT INVESTIGATION OF RHEUMATIC FEVER, OFTEN CONNECTED WITH HEART DISEASES.
PHILADELPHIA GENERAL WAS AMONG EIGHT PHILADELPHIA INSTITUTIONS GRANTED $1,060,000 FOR THE RESEARCH IN 1949.
DR.HERBERT BEGANZ, A RESIDENT PHYSICIAN AT PHILADELPHIA GENERAL, DESCRIBED GOLD AS "A HARD WORKER, WHO OFTEN WORKED LATE AT NIGHT," HE CONTINUED:

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"THERE WAS NO SECRECY CONNECTED WITH THE WORK AT THE HOSPITAL. THERE ARE NO SECRET PROJECTS HERE AND NOTHING THAT HAS TO DO WITH ATOMIC ENERGY RADIUM OR ANYTHING IN THAT LINE."
ON LEARNING OF HIS ARREST, AND OF THE CHARGES AGAINST HIM, GOLD'S NEIGHBOR'S EXPRESSED MIXED REACTIONS. ONE DECLARED, "IF HE WAS MIXED UP IN ANYTHING LIKE THAT, I HOPE THEY STRING HIM UP." OTHERS, WHO DESCRIBED HIM AS A QUIET, MILDLY SOCIABLE MAN, WHO "SEEMED TO THINK PRETTY STRAIGHT," WERE SHOCKED. ONE OF THESE SAID:
"I JUST CAN'T BELIEVE IT. HE SEEMED LIKE SUCH A NICE FELLOW. HE WAS SO QUIET. IN FACT, THE WHOLE FAMILY SEEMED NICE."
SINGLE, HARRY LIVED WITH HIS BROTHER AND FATHER SAMUEL, A CABINET MAKER. THE MOTHER DIED ABOUT TWO YEARS AGO. JOSEPH IS EMPLOYED AT THE NAVAL AIR SUPPLY DEPOT HERE, AND IS A VETERAN OF ARMY SERVICE IN THE PACIFIC.
THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT SAID HARRY WAS BORN IN SWITZERLAND AND THAT BOTH HIS PARENTS WERE NATIVES OF RUSSIA. HE CAME TO THE UNITED STATES IN 1914 WHEN HE WAS FOUR YEARS OLD AND CLAIMS DERIVATIVE CITIZENSHIP AS A RESULT OF THE NATURALIZATION OF HIS PARENTS. THEIR FAMILY NAME OF GOLODNITSKY WAS CHANGED TO GOLD WHEN THEY WERE NATURALIZED, THE DEPARTMENT SAID.
THE FBI, WHICH INDICATED IT HAS BEEN WATCHING GOLD FOR A LONG TIME, QUOTED HIM AS TELLING BUREAU AGENTS WHEN HE WAS TAKEN INTO CUSTODY:
"I THOUGHT THAT I WOULD BE HELPING A NATION WHOSE FINAL AIMS I APPROVED ALONG THE ROAD TO INDUSTRIAL STRENGTH. PARTICULARLY WAS I TAKEN WITH THE IDEA THAT WHATEVER I DID WOULD GO TO HELP MAKE LIVING CONDITIONS FAR MORE ADVANCED ALONG THE ROAD AS WE KNOW THEM HERE IN THE UNITED STATES."
GOLD ALSO WAS QUOTED BY THE FBI AS SAYING HE "FELT THAT AS AN ALLY I WAS ONLY HELPING THE SOVIET UNION OBTAIN CERTAIN INFORMATION THAT I THOUGHT IT WAS ENTITLED TO."
THE WASHINGTON ANNOUNCEMENT SAID THAT AFTER GOLD FIRST MET DR.FUCHS IN 1944, HE LATER SAW THE BRITISH PHYSICIST IN CAMBRIDGE, MASS., AT WHICH TIME HE RECEIVED BOTH WRITTEN AND ORAL INFORMATION WHICH FUCHS PROVIDED AS A RESULT OF FUCHS' WORK AT LOS ALAMOS.
"IN 1945, GOLD AGAIN MET FUCHS IN SANTA FE, N.M., AND FUCHS TURNED OVER INFORMATION TO GOLD," THE STATEMENT SAID, ADDING: "THE LAST MEETING GOLD HAD WITH FUCHS OCCURRED IN SEPT. 1945."
THE JOINT JUSTICE DEPARTMENT-FBI STATEMENT GAVE THIS BACKGROUND FOR GOLD:
HE ATTENDED NIGHT SCHOOL AT DREXEL INSTITUTE IN PHILADELPHIA, THE UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA AND COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY IN NEW YORK WHILE WORKING FOR A LABORATORY IN PHILADELPHIA.
HE LATER WENT TO XAVIER UNIVERSITY IN CINCINNATI AND THERE RECEIVED A BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE IN 1940 SUMMA CUM LAUDE (WITH HIGHEST PRAISE). LATER HE WAS ASSOCIATED WITH A NEW YORK LABORATORY FROM 1946 TO 1948 AFTER SPENDING MOST OF HIS TIME AFTER GRADUATION IN NEW YORK CITY.
THE PHILADELPHIA GENERAL HOSPITAL, WHERE HE WAS EMPLOYED AT THE TIME OF HIS ARREST, IS A 2,000-BED INSTITUTION--ONE OF THE LARGEST OF ITS KIND IN THE COUNTRY. THE MUNICIPAL OWNED INSTITUTION TREATS APPROXIMATELY 25,000 PATIENTS ANNUALLY.
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WITH ESPIONAGE ARREST (230)
PHILADELPHIA,MAY 24-(AP)-THE FATHER AND BROTHER OF HARRY GOLD, 39-YEAR-OLD SCIENTIST CHARGED WITH TURNING OVER ATOMIC BOMB SECRETS TO RUSSIA, SAID TODAY THEY COULD NOT BELIEVE HE HAD BEEN DISLOYAL TO HIS COUNTRY.
"HARRY WAS ALWAYS A GOOD BOY," SAID 70-YEAR-OLD SAMUEL GOLD.
"ALL I KNOW IS THAT MY BROTHER IS NOT A COMMUNIST, AND HAS NEVER BEEN A COMMUNIST," 33-YEAR-OLD JOSEPH GOLD TOLD A (PHILADELPHIA EVENING BULLETIN) REPORTER. JOSEPH, AN ARMY VETERAN OF THE PACIFIC, IS AN EMPLOYE OF THE NAVAL AVIATION SUPPLY DEPOT HERE.
THE THREE MEN--FATHER AND TWO SONS--HAVE LIVED ALONE IN THEIR NEAT BRICK ROW HOUSE IN A QUIET NORTHEAST PHILADELPHIA NEIGHBORHOOD SINCE MRS.GOLD DIED OF A HEART ATTACK TWO YEARS AGO.
SAMUEL GOLD SAID HIS SON WAS BORN IN SWITZERLAND AND CAME TO PHILADELPHIA WITH HIS RUSSIAN-BORN PARENTS WHEN HE WAS FOUR. HE BECAME A U.S. CITIZEN WHEN THE PARENTS WERE NATURALIZED.
HARRY ATTENDED NIGHT SCHOOL AT DREXEL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY AND THE UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA, ALSO STUDIED AT COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY WHILE WORKING IN NEW YORK, AND IN 1940 RECEIVED THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE AT XAVIER UNIVERSITY, CINCINNATI. HE WAS GRADUATED SUMMA CUM LAUDE--WITH HIGHEST HONOR.
JOSEPH SAID THAT HARRY WAS REJECTED BY SELECTIVE SERVICE DURING THE WAR AND CLASSIFIED 4-F BECAUSE OF HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE.
AT PHILADELPHIA GENERAL HOSPITAL, WHERE HE HAS BEEN EMPLOYED ABOUT TWO YEARS AS A SENIOR BIOCHEMIST ON A FEDERALLY-FINANCED HEART RESEARCH PROJECT, ASSOCIATES DESCRIBED HIM AS "VERY ORDINARY."
DR.PASCHAL F.LUCCESI, SUPERINTENDENT AND MEDICAL DIRECTOR SAID HE WAS "KNOWN AS QUIET, HARD-WORKING, CONSCIENTIOUS AND DEEPLY INTERESTED IN HIS WORK."
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(300) AMS BUDGET
SECOND NIGHT LEAD COMMUNISTS
WASHINGTON, MAY 24-(AP)-REPUBLICAN SENATOR MCCARTHY AND TWO GOP HOUSE MEMBERS TODAY ATTACKED ATTORNEY GENERAL MCGRATH FOR SAYING THERE ARE NO COMMUNISTS IN THE GOVERNMENT AT A TIME WHEN A FEDERAL GRAND JURY IS CONSIDERING THE REMINGTON CASE.

MCCARTHY TOLD THE SENATE THAT MCGRATH HAD INDIRECTLY ADVISED THE GRAND JURY IN NEW YORK TO DROP ITS INVESTIGATION OF WILLIAM W.REMINGTON, COMMERCE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL.

IN THE HOUSE, REP.VELDE (R-ILL), A FORMER FBI AGENT, CALLED MCGRATH'S STATEMENT "OUTRAGEOUS" AND SAID THE ATTORNEY GENERAL SHOULD WITHDRAW IT "UNTIL THE REMINGTON CASE IS DISPOSED OF."

VELDE SAID THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE HAS RECENTLY TURNED UP "THREE WITNESSES WHO HAVE POSITIVELY STATED" THAT REMINGTON WAS A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY. REMINGTON HAS DENIED IT.

REP.SHAFER (R-MICH) TERMED MCGRATH'S STATEMENT "ONE OF THE BOLDEST ATTEMPTS TO INFLUENCE A GRAND JURY'S DELIBERATION BY THE HEAD OF A LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY IN THE HISTORY OF OUR COUNTRY."

MCGRATH MADE THE STATEMENT LAST NIGHT IN ADDRESSING A CONFERENCE ON CITIZENSHIP. HE SAID COMMUNISTS IN THIS COUNTRY ARE KNOWN TO THE FBI AND "WE KNOW OF NONE IN THE GOVERNMENT TODAY."

IN OTHER MAJOR DEVELOPMENTS:

1. OFFICIALS SAID THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S LOYALTY BOARD WILL BEGIN CLOSED-DOOR HEARINGS FRIDAY IN CONNECTION WITH SENATOR MCCARTHY'S DISLOYALTY CHARGES AGAINST JOHN STEWART SERVICE.

MCCARTHY HAS CHARGED SERVICE HAS A "CRYSTAL CLEAR" RECORD OF PRO-COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES. SERVICE, A CAREER DIPLOMAT, HAS DENIED IT.

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2. SENATE INVESTIGATORS SET FRIDAY TO HEAR TESTIMONY FROM RAYMOND M.HITCHCOCK, CHIEF FEDERAL PROSECUTOR IN THE "AMERASIA" DOCUMENTS CASE OF 1945.

HITCHCOCK, NOW PRACTICING LAW IN BUFFALO, N.Y., PRESENTED THE CASE TO A GRAND JURY AND HANDLED THE GOVERNMENT'S PLEAS IN COURT WHICH RESULTED IN FINES AGAINST TWO OF THE SIX PERSONS ARRESTED FOR THE ALLEGED ILLEGAL REMOVAL OF GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS.

PHILIP JAFFE, EDITOR OF THE NOW DEFUNCT MAGAZINE "AMERASIA", PAID A $2,500 FINE. EMMANUEL S.LARSEN, A STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL, PAID $500. THE OTHER FOUR, INCLUDING JOHN S.SERVICE, WERE CLEARED.

3. SENATOR MCCARTHY ISSUED A NEW BLAST ACCUSING THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF TRYING TO SELL THE AMERICAN PEOPLE A "DELIBERATE FRAUD AND DECEPTION" IN THE CASE OF OWEN LATTIMORE.

THE WISCONSIN LEGISLATOR SAID HE WILL "EXPOSE" THE ALLEGED DECEPTION IN A SPEECH TOMORROW NIGHT BEFORE A CONVENTION OF CATHOLIC EDITORS AT ROCHESTER, N.Y.

AT THAT TIME, HE SAID, HE WILL MAKE PUBLIC THE PHOTOGRAPHIC COPIES OF "PERTINENT PARTS" OF GOVERNMENT LOYALTY FILES BEARING ON THE LATTIMORE CASE.

MCCARTHY HAS NAMED LATTIMORE, A JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY PROFESSOR AND OCCASIONAL STATE DEPARTMENT CONSULTANT ON FAR EAST AFFAIRS, AS RUSSIA'S NO. 1 SPY IN THE UNITED STATES. LATTIMORE HAS DENIED THE CHARGE UNDER OATH AND CALLED MCCARTHY A LIAR.

MCCARTHY TOLD NEWSMEN THE FILES HE PLANS TO DISCLOSE ARE FROM THE LOYALTY RECORDS OF THE OLD OFFICE OF WAR INFORMATION (OWI). HE SAID THE ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS ARE NOW HELD BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

DURING THE WAR, LATTIMORE SERVED AS DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF OWI IN CHARGE OF PACIFIC OPERATIONS.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAS DECLARED IT HAS NO LOYALTY FILE ON LATTIMORE AND SAID THE FAR EAST EXPERT WAS NEVER ON ITS PAYROLL.

TODAY, HOWEVER, AFTER MCCARTHY CAME UP WITH HIS NEW ATTACK, THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID IT HAS A LOYALTY REPORT ON LATTIMORE FROM RECORDS OF THE NOW DEFUNCT OWI.

PRESS OFFICER LINCOLN WHITE DECLINED TO DISCLOSE THE CONTENTS OF THE REPORT.

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HE SAID NO ACTION HAS BEEN TAKEN ON THE BASIS OF THE OWI DATA ON LATTIMORE BECAUSE LATTIMORE WAS NOT AMONG OWI EMPLOYES TRANSFERRED TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT WHEN OWI WAS ABSORBED BY THE DEPARTMENT AT THE END OF THE WAR.

WHITE ALSO DECLARED THERE HAS BEEN NO NEED TO RUN A LOYALTY CHECK ON LATTIMORE, BECAUSE, HE SAID, LATTIMORE WAS NEVER AN EMPLOYE OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

IN EXPLAINING WHY HE PLANS TO MAKE THE DOCUMENTS PUBLIC, MCCARTHY SAID IN A STATEMENT:

"IF THIS WERE MERELY FOR THE PURPOSE OF FURNISHING A LINK IN THE LATTIMORE CHAIN OF EVIDENCE, I WOULD NOT PRODUCE THESE FILES IN PUBLIC AT THIS TIME.

"IT IS NECESSARY, HOWEVER, TO MAKE THESE FILES AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC TO EXPOSE THE DELIBERATE FRAUD AND DECEPTION WHICH THE STATE DEPARTMENT ATTEMPTED TO SELL THE AMERICAN PEOPLE IN ITS WHITE PAPER, IN WHICH IT TRIED TO DISCREDIT THE FACTS AND EVIDENCE WHICH I HAVE PRODUCED."

MCCARTHY TOLD REPORTERS HE MEANT THE "WHITE PAPER" ISSUED BY ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE EDWARD W. BARRETT IN REPLY TO A SPEECH MCCARTHY MADE TO THE AMERICAN SOCIETY OF NEWSPAPER EDITORS ON APRIL 20.

IN THAT SPEECH, MCCARTHY REVIEWED HIS CASE AGAINST LATTIMORE AND ATTACKED SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON. BARRETT IN TURN ISSUED A POINT-BY-POINT REPLY TO MANY OF MCCARTHY'S ACCUSATIONS.

MCCARTHY SAID IF HE WERE "MERELY TO INFORM" THE PUBLIC OF WHAT IS IN THE OWI FILES, HE KNEW WHAT WOULD HAPPEN.

"ACHESON'S OFFICIAL SPOKESMAN, BACKED UP BY ALL THE POWER AND PRESTIGE OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT, WOULD SAY, 'MCCARTHY LIES. THERE IS NO SUCH EVIDENCE IN THE FILES,'" THE SENATOR SAID.

"THEREFORE, I FEEL I HAVE NO CHOICE BUT TO MAKE THOSE FILES PUBLIC."

HE SAID HE HAS CAREFULLY ELIMINATED "ANY MATERIAL WHICH MIGHT IN ANY WAY INTERFERE WITH THE WORKINGS OF OUR INVESTIGATIVE AGENCIES."

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(350) PMS BUDGET
AMERASIA-COMMUNISTS
BY MARVIN L. ARROWSMITH

WASHINGTON,MAY 24-(AP)-SENATOR KNOWLAND (R-CALIF) CALLED TODAY FOR A THOROUGH PUBLIC AIRING OF THE 1945 AMERASIA CASE INVOLVING ALLEGED THEFT OF SECRET GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS.

KNOWLAND SAID A SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ALREADY LOOKING INTO THE CONTROVERSIAL CASE OUGHT TO GET TO THE BOTTOM OF THE SITUATION AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE. HE IS DRAFTING A SENATE SPEECH URGING QUICK ACTION.

THE CALIFORNIAN TALKED TO REPORTERS AFTER SENATOR TYDINGS (D-MD), WHO HEADS THE INQUIRY COMMITTEE, SAID THE GROUP HAS RECEIVED BEHIND-

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CLOSED-DOORS TESTIMONY THAT 99 PER CENT OF THE HUNDREDS OF CONFIDENTIAL DOCUMENTS RECOVERED IN THE CASE WERE "HIGHLY CASUAL"--OF VERY LITTLE IMPORTANCE.

THE REMAINING ONE PER CENT, TYDINGS TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE LATE YESTERDAY, MAY HAVE BEEN OF SOME IMPORTANCE TO NATIONAL SECURITY.

TYDINGS ADDED THAT THE COMMITTEE'S STAFF IS ENGAGED IN AN ANALYSIS OF THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT'S COMPLETE RECORD OF THE 1945 CASE. HE SAID THAT INCLUDES THE DOCUMENTS SEIZED IN FBI RAIDS, AS WELL AS THE MINUTES OF A GRAND JURY WHICH CONSIDERED THE CASE.

"WE HAVE EVERYTHING FROM A TO Z, FROM ALPHA TO OMEGA," TYDINGS DECLARED.

AMERASIA WAS THE NAME OF A FAR EASTERN AFFAIRS MAGAZINE, NO LONGER PUBLISHED, WHICH HAD HEADQUARTERS IN NEW YORK. AFTER RAIDS FIVE YEARS AGO BY THE FBI AND AGENTS OF THE WARTIME OFFICE OF STRATEGIC SERVICES (OSS), SIX PERSONS WERE ARRESTED ON CHARGES OF CONSPIRING TO GET ILLEGAL POSSESSION OF GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS.

AMONG THOSE ARRESTED WERE TWO STATE DEPARTMENT EMPLOYES--CAREER DIPLOMAT JOHN S.SERVICE, AND EMMANUEL LARSEN. ANOTHER WAS THE EDITOR OF THE MAGAZINE, PHILIP JAFFE.

JAFFE WAS FINED $2,500 AND LARSEN $500. SERVICE WAS EXONERATED AND RETURNED TO DUTY IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT. BESIDES SERVICE, TWO OTHERS WERE NOT INDICTED. THE SIXTH CASE WAS DROPPED.

TYDINGS SAID HIS COMMITTEE'S INVESTIGATION HAS DISCLOSED THAT THE GRAND JURY WHICH HANDLED THE CASE VOTED UNANIMOUSLY AGAINST INDICTING SERVICE.

THE AMERASIA CASE CAME TO LIFE AGAIN RECENTLY WHEN SENATOR MC CARTHY (R-WIS) BEGAN CONTENTING THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAS BEEN INFILTRATED BY A LOT OF COMMUNISTS AND FELLOW TRAVELERS. HE ACCUSED SERVICE OF BEING PRO-COMMUNIST.

SERVICE HAS DENIED THE ACCUSATION. HE IS EXPECTED TO COME BEFORE THE INQUIRY COMMITTEE LATER TO MAKE A FORMAL REPLY AT A PUBLIC HEARING. HIS LOYALTY RECORD IS BEING CHECKED AT PRESENT BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT--WHICH WARMLY DEFENDED HIM AGAINST MC CARTHY'S CHARGE--AND BY THE PRESIDENTIAL LOYALTY REVIEW BOARD.

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(450) NIGHTLEAD FINANCE CENTER

WASHINGTON,MAY 24-(AP)-CONGRESSMEN LOOKING INTO REPORTS OF FINANCIAL IRREGULARITIES AND COMMUNISM AT THE ARMY FINANCE CENTER AT ST.LOUIS MADE NO PROGRESS TODAY IN CHECKING CONFLICTING STORIES ABOUT AN ALLEGED ATTEMPT TO REMOVE 800 ALLOTMENT CHECKS MADE OUT TO DEPENDENTS OF SERVICE MEN.

THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICES SUBCOMMITTEE WHICH IS MAKING THE INVESTIGATION PROBABLY WILL MOVE TO ST.LOUIS LATER FOR ON-THE-SPOT TESTIMONY.

THIS IS THE SIXTH INVESTIGATION OF THE FINANCE CENTER--THE SECOND BY A HOUSE UNIT.

CHARLES JOHNSON, A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE (GAO) WHICH CONDUCTED ONE OF THE PREVIOUS INQUIRIES, TOLD THE SUBCOMMITTEE HE HAD NO PROOF THAT THERE EVER WAS AN ATTEMPT TO TAKE THE CHECKS OUT OF THE BUILDING--OR ANY PROOF THAT THERE WAS NOT.

THE PREVIOUS INVESTIGATIONS STEMMED FROM STORIES TOLD BY MRS.SALLY DEWEY, WHO WORKED AT THE CENTER, WAS LATER DISMISSED, BUT SINCE HAS BEEN PUT BACK ON THE ARMY'S PAYROLL AS AN EMPLOYE OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DIVISION IN ST.LOUIS.

THE SUBCOMMITTEE HAS ANNOUNCED IT WILL TRY TO SUBPOENA HER FOR DIRECT TESTIMONY. SHE DECLINED AN INVITATION TO APPEAR VOLUNTARILY, SAYING IT WOULD BE A WASTE OF MONEY TO BRING HER TO WASHINGTON AS SHE ALREADY HAD TOLD ALL SHE KNEW.

JOHNSON IDENTIFIED THE WOMAN ACCUSED BY MRS.DEWEY OF TRYING TO TAKE THE CHECKS AS BURDELLA EADDY, A NEGRO. BUT JOHNSON WOULD NOT SAY WHETHER HE BELIEVES THE ATTEMPT WAS MADE.

"ON ONE SIDE OF THE LEDGER, THERE IS A POSSIBILITY IT COULD HAVE HAPPENED," HE SAID. "THERE WAS A LACK OF ADEQUATE CONTROLS OVER CHECKS A GUARD SAID HE SAW MISS EADDY START TO LEAVE THE BUILDING AND THEN RETURN. THAT IS THE ONLY PLACE WE HAVE DEFINITE TESTIMONY ON THIS SIDE.

"ON THE OTHER SIDE, NONE OF THE EMPLOYES SUPPOSEDLY WORKING AT THEIR DESKS AT THE TIME SAW ANYONE PICK UP ANY CHECKS. AND NO CHECKS WERE FOUND TO BE MISSING."

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THE CHECKS IN QUESTION WERE SOME THAT HAD BEEN RETURNED TO THE CENTER AS UNCLAIMED OR IMPROPERLY ADDRESSED.

JOHNSON ADDED THAT MISS EADDY HAS DENIED THAT SHE MADE ANY SUCH ATTEMPT TO TAKE THE CHECKS. HE SAID SHE STILL IS EMPLOYED AT THE CENTER.

ANOTHER WITNESS, GEORGE KETTERING, A GAO INVESTIGATOR, TESTIFIED TODAY THAT THE COMMANDING GENERAL AT THE CENTER HELD BACK INFORMATION ON THIS CASE FROM GOVERNMENT INVESTIGATORS BECAUSE HE BELIEVED THEY REPRESENTED A HOUSE CIVIL SERVICE SUBCOMMITTEE, WHICH ALSO HAS BEEN LOOKING INTO THE CENTERJ'S OPERATIONS.

KETTERING SAID HE FOUND OUT BY TALKING TO SUBORDINATES THAT HE DIDN'T HAVE ALL THE INFORMATION. HE TESTIFIED THAT BRIG.GEN.E.J.BEAN LATER DISCLOSED THAT HE HAD THE FILE OF MISSING PAPERS IN HIS SAFE.

REP.ELSTON (R-OHIO) ASKED WHY THE GENERAL HELD BACK THE FILE. KETTERING SAID THAT BEAN TOLD HIM HE THOUGHT THE INVESTIGATORS WERE FROM THE CIVIL SERVICE SUBCOMMITTEE AND THAT "HE DIDN'T FEEL HE WAS GETTING A SQUARE DEAL." KETTERING DID NOT EXPLAIN FURTHER.

HE SAID THE FILE CONTAINED SPECIFIC INFORMATION ABOUT WHAT SECURITY OFFICERS AT THE CENTER DID WHEN MRS.DEWEY TIPPED THEM THAT A WOMAN WAS ABOUT TO LEAVE WITH A BUNDLE OF UNCLAIMED CHECKS.

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RADIO-RUSSIA

BY EDWARD E.BOMAR

WASHINGTON,MAY 24-(AP)-THE WESTERN POWERS ARE TAKING TO THE AIR WAVES IN AN EFFORT TO SPREAD TO ALL THE WORLD THEIR CHARGES THAT RUSSIA IS REARMING EASTERN GERMANY IN VIOLATION OF SOLEMN PROMISES.

THE PROTESTS TO MOSCOW, MADE YESTERDAY BY THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE, WERE BROADCAST OVER EUROPE AND INTO THE SOVIET BLOC COUNTRIES BY MASSED TRANSMITTERS OF THE VOICE OF AMERICA AND THE

BRITISH BROADCASTING CORP.

THE COUNTER-PROPAGANDA STROKE, AGREED TO AT THE LONDON STRATEGY MEETING OF THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS, WAS TIMED FOR A CRITICAL WEEK IN BERLIN. COMMUNIST YOUTHS FROM THE SOVIET ZONE ARE PLANNING A DEMONSTRATION FOR SUNDAY. WESTERN BERLIN OFFICIALS HAVE WARNED RUSSIA THEY WILL FIGHT ANY EFFORT TO "SUDDENLY OVERRUN FREE BERLIN."

ALSO THE RUSSIANS ARE STEPPING UP THEIR CLAIMS TO LEADERSHIP IN A WORLD "PEACE OFFENSIVE" TO WHAT THEY CALL WAR-MONGERING AMONG THE WESTERN POWERS.

THE WESTERN PROTESTS, SENT SEPARATELY TO MOSCOW, WERE SUPPORTED BY A MASS OF DETAILED EVIDENCE THAT RUSSIA HAS ACTIVELY FOSTERED AN EAST GERMAN FORCE OF SOME 50,000 MEN.

"BY THIS AND OTHER LIKE ACTIONS THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT HAS DESTROYED WORLD CONFIDENCE IN THE SINCERITY OF ITS PROMISES AND HAS CREATED THROUGHOUT THE WORLD WIDESPREAD DOUBT AS TO ITS SPECIFIC INTENTIONS," SAID THE AMERICAN NOTE DELIVERED BY AMBASSADOR ALAN G.KIRK.

"IF THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT WISHES TO RESTORE IN SOME MEASURE INTERNATIONAL CONFIDENCE IN ITS ALLEGED ATTACHMENT TO PEACE, IT CANNOT FAIL TO DISSOLVE IMMEDIATELY THE MILITARIZED UNITS WHICH IT HAS SET UP IN EASTERN GERMANY."

THE BRITISH AND FRENCH COMMUNICATIONS DIFFERED IN DETAIL BUT FOLLOWED THE SAME PATTERN. SINCE THERE IS NO EXPECTATION THAT MOSCOW WILL RESPOND BY DISSOLVING THE FORCE, THE CLEAR INTENT WAS TO PUT RUSSIA ON THE SPOT IN WORLD OPINION.

THE WEST FOR MONTHS HAS BEEN ACCUMULATING EVIDENCE THAT MOSCOW IS ACTIVELY BACKING FORMATION OF THE EAST GERMAN "ALERT UNITS" EVEN THOUGH RUSSIA JOINED THE OTHER WORLD WAR II ALLIES IN REPEATED PLEDGES NOT TO PERMIT GERMAN REARMAMENT.

BY COINCIDENCE THE PROTEST NOTES FOLLOWED A CONFERENCE IN LONDON AIMED AT CLOSER AMERICAN AND BRITISH COOPERATION IN TRYING TO BREAK THROUGH THE SCREEN OF SOVIET "JAMMING" OF WESTERN RADIO BROADCASTS INTO THE SOVIET UNION.

THE UNITED STATES WAS REPRESENTED BY ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE EDWARD W.BARRETT. BARRETT SAID IN ADVANCE THAT IT WAS HOPED TO ENLIST THE RADIO TRANSMITTERS OF OTHER WESTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES IN THE CONTINUING BRITISH-AMERICAN JOINT EFFORT TO BLAST THROUGH THE RUSSIAN INTERFERENCE WITH NEWS AND OPINION FROM THE NON-COMMUNIST WORLD.

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD FOREIGN AID

BY ROGER D.GREENE

WASHINGTON,MAY 24-(AP)-THE SENATE TODAY AGREED TO VOTE AT 3:30 P.M. (E.S.T.) TOMORROW IN THE FINAL SHOWDOWN ON A BILL AUTHORIZING $3,120,550,000 IN ECONOMIC AID TO WESTERN EUROPE AND OTHER NON-COMMUNIST AREAS.

THE MEASURE PASSED THE HOUSE YESTERDAY, 247 TO 88. SENATE PASSAGE WOULD SEND IT TO THE WHITE HOUSE FOR PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S SIGNATURE.

THE AGREEMENT TO END DEBATE CAME AS REPUBLICAN SENATORS PRESSED AN ATTACK ON A SECTION OF THE BILL AUTHORIZING $35,000,000 FOR THE ADMINISTRATION'S POINT FOUR PROGRAM TO AID BACKWARD AREAS OF THE WORLD.

SENATOR TAFT (R-OHIO) DENOUNCED THE POINT FOUR PROVISION AS THE OPENING WEDGE FOR POURING AMERICAN DOLLARS OVERSEAS "FOR ALL TIME TO COME."

OTHER REPUBLICANS--INCLUDING SENATORS MALONE (NEV), JENNER (IND) AND BRIDGES (NH)--TOOK THE SAME TACK IN AN ATTEMPT TO SEND THE BILL BACK TO A SENATE-HOUSE CONFERENCE FOR FURTHER CONSIDERATION.

JENNER BLASTED THE POINT FOUR PROJECT AS "PART OF THE COMMUNIST PLAN TO FORCE THE WESTERN WORLD TO DESTROY ITSELF AND TO FORCE AMERICA TO SPEND HERSELF INTO BANKRUPTCY."

THE INDIANA SENATOR SAID THE PROGRAM WAS "DESIGNED IN MOSCOW TO FINANCE REVOLUTIONARY MOVEMENTS IN THE UNDER-DEVELOPED, BACKWARD AREAS AGAINST EXPLOITATION BY THE WESTERN IMPERIAL POWERS."

ALTHOUGH THE REPUBLICANS POURED ON A HEAVY FIRE OF CRITICISM, THERE WAS NO OBJECTION WHEN SENATOR CONNALLY (D-TEX) PROPOSED THAT THE CHAMBER VOTE ON THE HUGE GLOBAL AID BILL TOMORROW AFTERNOON.

THE SENATE WILL MEET AT 10 A.M. (E.S.T.) AND BEGIN VOTING AFTER FIVE AND A HALF HOURS OF DEBATE.

MALONE AND TAFT BOTH HAMMERED ON THE THEME THAT THE POINT FOUR PROGRAM IS DESIGNED TO CARRY ON AFTER THE EUROPEAN RECOVERY PROGRAM EXPIRES--WITHOUT ANY LIMIT ON TIME OR FUNDS.

MALONE SAID THAT UNDER THE WORDING OF THE BILL, AMERICAN FUNDS COULD BE USED EVEN TO DEVELOP RUSSIA.

"OR ANY OF THE COMMUNIST COUNTRIES," TAFT AMENDED.

CHAIRMAN CONNALLY (D-TEX) OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE HAS INSISTED THAT THE ADMINISTRATION HAS NO DESIRE OR INTENTION TO HELP COMMUNIST NATIONS THROUGH THE POINT FOUR PROGRAM.

BUT TAFT SAID THE WAY THE LEGISLATION IS WORDED, U.S. AID WOULD BE "WIDE OPEN TO ALL COUNTRIES," AND HE DECLARED:

"IT MARKS A SUBSTANTIAL CHANGE FROM THE EUROPEAN RECOVERY PROGRAM IN THAT IT WOULD BE A PERMANENT PROGRAM FOR ALL TIME TO COME."

TAFT NOTED THAT THE FOREIGN AID BILL, AS ORIGINALLY PASSED BY THE SENATE, PUT A FIVE-YEAR LIMIT ON THE POINT FOUR PROGRAM, BUT HE SAID IT HAD BEEN STRUCK OUT IN THE SENATE-HOUSE CONFERENCE REPORT ON THE MEASURE.

WHEN THE SENATE FIRST VOTED ON THE MEASURE ADMINISTRATION FORCES BARELY SUCCEEDED IN KEEPING THE POINT FOUR SECTION IN THE BIG AID BILL. THE VOTE THEN WAS 37 TO 36.

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SENATOR BRIDGES (R-NH) ASKED MALONE IF HE FELT THAT THE POINT FOUR PROJECT--NAMED AFTER THE FOURTH POINT IN PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S 1947 INAUGURAL ADDRESS--WAS INTENDED TO BE "THE VEHICLE FOR USE BEYOND THE ECA" TO CONTINUE AMERICAN FOREIGN AID.

"THERE IS NO QUESTION ABOUT IT," MALONE REPLIED.

MALONE SAID THE PROJECT IS NEITHER LIMITED AS TO TIME NOR AS TO THE AMOUNT OF MONEY TO BE SPENT.

"THE COST," HE SAID, "WILL DEPEND ONLY ON HOW MUCH THE STATE DEPARTMENT CAN SOFTEN UP CONGRESS FOR FUTURE APPROPRIATIONS."

THE NEVADA SENATOR WENT ON TO ATTACK THE POINT FOUR PROJECT AS AN "OPEN AND ABOVE-BOARD ADMISSION FOR THE FIRST TIME" OF THE ADMINISTRATION'S PLANS FOR CONTINUING FOREIGN AID INDEFINITELY.

MALONE SAID IT WAS ALL PART OF A PROGRAM STARTING WITH LENDLEASE, THE BRITISH LOAN, THE UNITED NATIONS RELIEF AND REHABILITATION ADMINISTRATION (UNRRA) AND THE MARSHALL PLAN, THAT WAS INTENDED TO BE PERMANENT FROM THE BEGINNING.

"NOW," HE SAID, "THE ADMINISTRATION IS ONLY NOT FRANK IN TELLING HOW MUCH IT IS GOING TO COST."

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FIRST LEAD MIDDLE EAST ARMS
BY JOHN SCALI

WASHINGTON, MAY 24-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND OFFICIALS OF BRITAIN AND FRANCE ARE PLANNING TO ANNOUNCE JOINTLY TOMORROW AN AGREEMENT TO SHIP LIMITED QUANTITIES OF ARMS TO MIDDLE EASTERN COUNTRIES FOR DEFENSIVE PURPOSES.

OFFICIALS SAID TONIGHT THAT THE THREE POWERS HAVE DECIDED ON THIS COMMON POLICY AS ONE MEANS OF SUPPORTING THEIR OVER-ALL STRATEGY IN THE COLD WAR WITH RUSSIA.

THE PRESIDENT WAS UNDERSTOOD TO CONSIDER THE AGREEMENT OF MAJOR SIGNIFICANCE, INASMUCH AS THEIR HAS BEEN SOME FRICTION BETWEEN THE WESTERN POWERS ON MIDDLE EASTERN QUESTIONS.

MR.TRUMAN, IT WAS UNDERSTOOD, PLANNED TO MAKE THE ANNOUNCEMENT TOMORROW FORENOON. FOR RELEASE AT 10 A.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME.

THE POLICY PRESUMABLY WOULD APPLY TO BOTH ARAB COUNTRIES AND ISRAEL.

ISRAEL HAS REQUESTED HEAVY MILITARY EQUIPMENT FROM THE UNITED STATES. BUT UNTIL NOW THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAS DECLINED TO SHIP ANY ON THE GROUNDS THAT SUCH SUPPLIES ARE MORE URGENTLY NEEDED IN WESTERN EUROPE FOR ATLANTIC PACT COUNTRIES.

THE THREE-POWER DECISION WOULD IN EFFECT UPHOLD BRITAIN'S MOVES IN SENDING ARMS TO ARAB COUNTRIES WITH WHICH IT HAS TREATY OBLIGATIONS.

SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON HAS ENDORSED THIS MOVE IN THE PAST DESPITE BITTER CRITICISM FROM SOME AMERICAN CONGRESSMEN WHO CONTEND THE SHIPMENTS ARE INTENDED FOR AGGRESSIVE WAR AGAINST ISRAEL.

RELIABLE DIPLOMATIC INFORMANTS SAID BRITISH FOREIGN MINISTER BEVIN, FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER SCHUMAN AND ACHESON THOROUGHLY DISCUSSED THE MIDDLE EASTERN ARMS QUESTION IN THEIR RECENT LONDON MEETINGS.

IT WAS REPORTED THAT ALL THREE FOUND THEMSELVES IN HEARTY AGREEMENT ON THE POLICY OF LIMITED SHIPMENTS OF ARMS NEEDED TO BOLSTER INTERNAL SECURITY ONLY.

ANY ARMS APPLICATIONS PRESUMABLY WOULD HAVE TO BE ACCOMPANIED BY SOLEMN PROMISES THAT SUCH SUPPLIES WOULD BE ONLY USED FOR DEFENSIVE PURPOSES.

AMERICAN OFFICIALS ARE KNOWN TO BE CONCERNED AT THE LACK OF ADEQUATE EQUIPMENT IN THE ARAB ARMIES. THEY FEAR THAT IN THE EVENT OF HOSTILITIES ENEMY FORCES MIGHT MARCH THROUGH THE MIDDLE EAST WITHOUT EVEN TOKEN RESISTANCE FROM ARAB NATIONS BECAUSE OF THEIR PRESENT SHORTAGE OF AMMUNITION, GUNS AND OTHER SUPPLIES.

THE THREE-POWER DECISION WOULD NOT AUTOMATICALLY ASSURE ISRAEL A FAVORABLE REPLY ON ITS REQUEST FOR HEAVY AMERICAN MILITARY EQUIPMENT. OFFICIALS SAID THE POLICY WOULD APPLY ONLY TO SUCH ARMS AS THE THREE POWERS FELT THEY COULD SEND SAFELY AND WOULD NOT GIVE THE MIDDLE EASTERN COUNTRIES ANY HIGHER PRIORITY THAN THEY NOW HAVE.

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TREASURE CHEST
BY WILLIAM F.ARBOGAST

WASHINGTON,MAY 24-(AP)-AN ORIENTAL TREASURE CHEST FILLED WITH GOLD AND PRECIOUS GEMS, AND IN CUSTODY OF GENERAL DOUGLAS MAC ARTHUR, HAS AROUSED THE CURIOSITY OF CONGRESS.

AN INVESTIGATOR FOR THE HOUSE INTERSTATE AND FOREIGN COMMERCE COMMITTEE HAS BEEN ASSIGNED TO THE JOB OF GETTING THE DETAILS, PARTICULARLY PLANS FOR DISPOSITION OF THE TREASURE OF UNTOLD VALUE.

A SUBCOMMITTEE HEARD ABOUT THE FABULOUS CHEST FROM FORMER SECRETARY OF WAR ROBERT P.PATTERSON DURING UNHERALDED HEARINGS ON LEGISLATION DEALING WITH ALIEN PROPERTY AND WAR CLAIMS.

MEMBERS DISCLOSED THE TESTIMONY TODAY.

GENERAL MACARTHUR, PATTERSON TESTIFIED, HAS THE KEY TO THE CHEST AND IS AWAITING ORDERS AS TO DISPOSITION OF THE TREASURE WHICH PATTERSON SAID CONSISTS OF "JEWELRY, PRECIOUS ITEMS, GOLD AND FOREIGN CURRENCY." IT WAS SEIZED FROM THE JAPANESE AT THE END OF THE WAR, BUT THE COMMITTEE DOES NOT KNOW WHERE THE JAPANESE GOT IT.

PATTERSON SAID THE TREASURE IS IN TOKYO. HE DID NOT ESTIMATE ITS VALUE BUT COMMITTEE MEMBERS SAID IT WAS SUFFICIENT TO "PAY A POTENTATE'S RANSOM SEVERAL TIMES OVER."

FROM GENERAL LUCIUS CLAY, FORMER AMERICAN MILITARY GOVERNOR OF GERMANY, THE COMMITTEE RECEIVED SOME INTERESTING INFORMATION ON WAR LOOT TAKEN FROM THE NAZIS.

CLAY TESTIFIED THAT THE INVADING AMERICANS SEIZED BETWEEN 250 AND 300 MILLION DOLLARS WORTH OF NAZI GOLD WHICH WAS SPLIT UP AMONG 16 NATIONS CLAIMING REPARATIONS FROM GERMANY. RUSSIA WAS NOT ONE OF THEM.

CLAY ESTIMATED AT "MANY MILLIONS OF DOLLARS" THE VALUE OF PROPERTY THAT HAD BELONGED TO HERMANN GOERING, HITLER'S REICHMINISTER. IT WAS TURNED OVER TO GOERING'S WIDOW AND LATER WAS CONFISCATED BY THE GERMAN GOVERNMENT WHEN THE WIDOW WAS HELD TO BE A NAZI.

GOERING'S HOLDINGS INCLUDED CORPORATION STOCKS, LANDS AND REAL ESTATE. REP.HINSHAW (R-CALIF) A COMMITTEE MEMBER, SAID IT ALSO INCLUDED "THE CROWN JEWELS OF HERMANN GOERING, A LARGE PIECE CROWNED WITH VERY LARGE STONES, PRECIOUS STONES, PERHAPS DIAMONDS."

SUCH A DISPLAY WAS IN CHARACTER FOR GOERING, WHO LOVED TO DRESS IN THE TRAPPINGS OF ROYALTY.

HINSHAW SAID HE SAW THE GOERING JEWELS WHEN HE VISITED GERMANY AFTER THE WAR.

CLAY TOLD THE COMMITTEE THAT SEVERAL MILLION PIECES OF ART WHICH RANGED FROM PRICELESS PAINTINGS DOWN TO CHEAP CHINAWARE, WERE RETURNED TO THEIR OWNERS FROM WHOM THE NAZIS HAD STOLEN THEM.

JEWELRY, GOLD TEETH AND OTHER VALUABLES TAKEN FROM CONCENTRATION CAMP VICTIMS, HE SAID, ORIGINALLY WERE TURNED OVER TO STORM TROOPERS AND DEPOSITED IN GERMAN BANKS. THE AMERICANS TURNED THEM OVER TO RELIEF ORGANIZATIONS WHICH SOLD THEM FOR AN ESTIMATED $30,000,000 AND USED THE MONEY TO HELP SURVIVORS.

THE SUBCOMMITTEE, HEADED BY REP.BECKWORTH (D-TEX) IS STUDYING THE CLAIMS OF WAR VICTIMS FOR DAMAGES. ITS MEMBERS ARE HOPEFUL THAT SOME OF THE TREASURES IMPOUNDED BY AMERICAN TROOPS WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE TO HELP PAY SOME OF THE CLAIMS.

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WASHINGTON, MAY 24-(AP)-THE GOVERNMENT TODAY CRACKED DOWN ON A SWISS FIRM ACCUSED OF SELLING AMERICAN CHEMICALS TO A RUSSIAN SATELLITE IN VIOLATION OF U.S. EXPORT CONTROLS.

THE SWISS CONCERN, IDENTIFIED AS PAUL WORMSER AND COMPANY OF ZURICH WAS STRIPPED OF EXPORT LICENSES AND PROHIBITED FROM GETTING ANY U.S. GOODS THAT ARE SUBJECT TO EXPORT CONTROLS.

THE ACTION BY THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT WAS THE FIRST AGAINST A FOREIGN FIRM SINCE THIS COUNTRY BANNED SHIPMENT OF "WAR POTENTIAL" GOODS TO RUSSIA AND EASTERN EUROPEAN NATIONS IN ITS SPHERE.

THE DEPARTMENT ACCUSED THE SWISS CONCERN OF IMPORTING AN AMERICAN INDUSTRIAL CHEMICAL BY REPRESENTING THAT IT WAS TO BE USED IN SWITZERLAND AND THEN RE-SHIPPING IT TO COMMUNIST-DOMINATED CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

CZECHOSLOVAKIA IS BARRED FROM BUYING SUCH GOODS FROM THIS COUNTRY.

SIMILAR ACTIONS CAN BE EXPECTED AGAINST OTHER EUROPEAN IMPORTERS, ACCORDING TO OFFICIALS OF THE DEPARTMENT'S OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE (OIT) WHOSE ENFORCEMENT AGENTS TRACKED DOWN THE SWISS CONCERN'S CHEMICALS DEAL.

THE DEPARTMENT SAID WORMSER CAME TO THIS COUNTRY "PURPORTEDLY TO DEFEND HIMSELF AGAINST THE CHARGES" AT A HEARING BEFORE AN OIT COMMISSIONER, BUT "RETURNED TO SWITZERLAND WITHOUT APPEARING AT THE HEARING."

THE CASE INVOLVED PURCHASE OF 20 TONS OF DIOCTYL PHTHALATE IN THE U.S. THE DEPARTMENT SAID WORMSER FALSELY TOLD THE AMERICAN EXPORTER, WHO WAS NOT NAMED, AND THE U.S. LEGATION IN BERN, SWITZERLAND, THAT THE MATERIAL WAS TO BE USED IN SWITZERLAND'S PAINT AND VARNISH INDUSTRY.

THE DEPARTMENT SAID WORMSER "INTENDED AT THE TIME OF PURCHASE" TO RESHIP THE CHEMICALS TO CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

DIOCTYL PHTHALATE IS USED PRINCIPALLY IN MAKING PLASTICS, AS WELL AS IN PAINTS AND VARNISHES.

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A146WX
WORLD FEDERATION (280)
WASHINGTON, MAY 24-(AP)-TWO GROUPS OF VETERANS AND FARMERS TODAY SUPPORTED A PROPOSAL FOR DEVELOPING THE UNITED NATIONS INTO A WORLD FEDERATION. A THIRD ORGANIZATION OF RETIRED MILITARY OFFICERS OPPOSED IT.

RUSSELL SMITH, LEGISLATIVE SECRETARY OF THE NATIONAL FARMERS UNION, TOLD A SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE:

"WE FEEL DEEPLY AND INSTINCTIVELY THAT ANY STEP TOWARD WORLD HARMONY MUST BE TAKEN THROUGH THE UNITED NATIONS."

LOUIS C. PAKISER, NATIONAL EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE AMERICAN VETERANS COMMITTEE, TESTIFIED:

"WE MUST PREVENT ANOTHER WORLD CONFLICT. AVC FEELS THAT TO ACCOMPLISH THIS END WE MUST SET OUR SIGHTS ON LAW FOR ALL NATIONS."

THEIR VIEWS WERE GIVEN IN PREPARING STATEMENTS AS THE SUBCOMMITTEE REOPENED HEARINGS ON SENATORS' RESOLUTIONS CALLING FOR A STRONGER UNITED NATIONS, AND MOVES TOWARD AN ATLANTIC UNION OR WORLD FEDERATION.

THE WORLD FEDERATION RESOLUTION, INTRODUCED BY SENATOR TOBEY (R-NH) AND 18 OTHER SENATORS, WOULD MAKE WORLD FEDERATION A BASIC OBJECTIVE OF AMERICAN FOREIGN POLICY.

RALPH S.PARR, RETIRED NAVAL COMMANDER REPRESENTING THE NATIONAL SOJOURNERS, INC., AN ORGANIZATION OF RETIRED MILITARY OFFICERS, OPPOSED THE PLAN.

"WE FEEL THAT IN THE FACE OF THIS WELL-ORGANIZED DRIVE TO LEAD THE UNITED STATES INTO A WORLD FEDERATION OF NATIONS, WE MUST EXPRESS OUR FIRM OPPOSITION," HE SAID IN A STATEMENT.

HE SAID HIS ORGANIZATION SUPPORTS THE U.N. BUT IS OPPOSED "TO ANY INTERNATIONAL COMMITMENT WHEREBY WE SURRENDER ANY PORTION OF OUR SOVEREIGNTY X X X."

PAKISER CONTENDED THAT CRITICS OF THE RESOLUTION HAVE "WOEFULLY MISUNDERSTOOD" THE BASIC PURPOSE OF THE PROPOSAL. HE DENIED SUCH A MOVE WOULD MEAN THE LOSS OF SOVEREIGNTY BY THE UNITED STATES. HE ARGUED THE REAL PURPOSE IS "THE CONTROL OF ALL WEAPONS OF MASS DESTRUCTION AND THE POWER TO PREVENT AGGRESSION."

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(500) AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD DRAFT
WASHINGTON,MAY 24-(AP)-A "DRAFTLESS DRAFT" BILL, PROVIDING A TWO-YEAR EXTENSION OF THE SELECTIVE SERVICE LAW BUT BARRING INDUCTIONS UNLESS CONGRESS GIVES THE WORD, PASSED THE HOUSE LATE TODAY AND WENT TO THE SENATE.

THE HOUSE APPROVED THE LEGISLATION BY A STANDING VOTE OF 216 TO 11, WITH INDIVIDUAL LAWMAKERS NOT RECORDED BY NAME.

IT WOULD EXTEND SELECTIVE SERVICE, ON A STAND-BY-BASIS, FOR TWO YEARS BEYOND THE EXPIRATION DATE OF THE PRESENT LAW, NEXT JUNE 24. YOUTHS ATTAINING THEIR 18TH BIRTHDAYS WOULD BE REQUIRED TO REGISTER WITH THEIR LOCAL DRAFT BOARDS, AS AT PRESENT, BUT THEY COULD NOT BE ORDERED INTO UNIFORM UNLESS CONGRESS DECLARED THE EXISTENCE OF A NATIONAL EMERGENCY REQUIRING EXPANSION OF THE ARMED FORCES.

THE OFFICIAL TITLE OF THE BILL WAS CHANGED TO THE "MANPOWER REGISTRATION ACT," TO CONFORM TO STAND-BY CHARACTER OF THE PROJECT.

BEFORE FINALLY APPROVING THE MEASURE, THE HOUSE KNOCKED DOWN FOUR AMENDMENTS INTENDED TO PREVENT SEGREGATION AND RACIAL DISCRIMINAION IN THE MILITARY SERVICES. THESE WERE OFFERED BY REPS.POWELL (D-NY) AND JAVITS (D-LIB, NY).

THE HOUSE ALSO SHOUTED DOWN A MOTION BY REP.HOFFMAN (R-MICH) TO SHELVE THE DRAFT EXTENSION PROPOSAL. REP.MILLER (R-NEB) PROPOSED POSTPONEMENT OF THE BILL FOR SIX MONTHS AS A "PEACE MOVE", BUT THAT ALSO WAS SWAMPED.

ALTHOUGH PASSAGE WAS A FOREGONE CONCLUSION, THE HOUSE TALKED DRAFT AND WAR FOR MORE THAN TWO HOURS BEFORE THE DECISIVE VOTE.

THE NEW MANPOWER REGISTRATION ACT WOULD CONTINUE REGISTRATION AND CLASSIFICATION OF YOUTHS BETWEEN 18 AND 26 UNTIL JUNE 24, 1952.

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THE BILL ALSO WOULD EXTEND THE PRESIDENT'S POWER T MOBILIZE INDUSTRY AND TAKE OVER PLANTS ESSENTIAL TO WAR PRODUCTION--SUBJECT, AS IN THE CASE OF INDUCTIONS, TO CONGRESSIONAL DECLARATION OF AN EMERGENCY.

THE BILL WOULD END VOLUNTARY ENLISTMENTS BY 18-YEAR-OLDS, AND HALT ALL VOLUNTARY ENLISTMENTS FOR PERIODS OF LESS THAN TWO YEARS.

CHAIRMAN VINSON (D-GA) OF THE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE TOLD THE HOUSE AT THE OUTSET OF THE DEBATE THAT "THIS NATION MUST BE PREPARED

FOR AN INDEFINITE TIME IN THE FUTURE TO COUNTER PROMPTLY, WITH EVERY MEANS AVAILABLE, AN ATTACK BY MODERN WEAPONS."

HE ALSO CALLED THE LAWMAKERS' ATTENTION TO THE CAUTION SOUNDED BY GEN.OMAR N.BRADLEY, CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF: "IT IS NOT ENOUGH THAT WE PLAN TO WIN WARS AFTER THEY START--WE MUST PREVENT THEM BEFORE WE BEGIN."

REP.GAVIN (R-PA) ESTIMATED THAT BY KEEPING THE DRAFT LAW ON THE BOOKS, FOUR MONTHS TIME COULD BE SAVED IN MOBILIZATION. VINSON HAD STRESSED THE IMPORTANCE OF TIME IN AN AGE OF ATOMIC WARFARE, DECLARING "NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY YOUR TIME."

VINSON SAID HE HOPES CHAIRMAN SYMINGTON OF THE NATIONAL SECURITY RESOURCES BOARD WILL SUBMIT TO CONGRESS AT LEAST BY JANUARY A COMPLETE MOBILIZATION PLAN FOR CAPITAL, LABOR, AND MANPOWER.

SUCH LEGISLATION, VINSON SAID, SHOULD BE ENACTED AND "PUT ON THE SHELF" FOR USE IN THE EVENT OF AN EMERGENCY.

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(250) PERVERTS

WASHINGTON,MAY 24-(AP)-AN INVESTIGATION OF SEXUAL PERVERTS IN ALL FEDERAL AGENCIES WAS UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED BY THE SENATE EXPENDITURES COMMITTEE TODAY IN A MOVE TO TIGHTEN THE NATION'S SECURITY.

THE COMMITTEE, HEADED BY CHAIRMAN MCCLELLAN (D-ARK), VOTED 10 TO 0 TO PROVIDE $25,000 FOR THE INQUIRY. QUICK SENATE APPROVAL IS EXPECTED

WASHINGTON POLICE OFFICIALS HAVE TESTIFIED THERE ARE ABOUT 3,750 HOMOSEXUALS ON GOVERNMENT PAYROLLS IN THE NATION'S CAPITAL.

PERVERTS ARE OFFICIALLY RATED AS BAD SECURITY RISKS ON THE GROUND THEY ARE AN EASY MARK FOR BLACKMAILERS AND LIKELY TOOLS OF COMMUNIST CONSPIRATORS.

SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WISC) HAS CHARGED THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT IS INFESTED WITH BOTH COMMUNISTS AND PERVERTS. THE DEPARTMENT HAS DENIED IT. ASSISTANT UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE JOHN PEURIFOY DISCLOSED SOME WEEKS AGO THAT 91 SEXUAL PERVERTS HAD BEEN FIRED FROM THE DEPARTMENT.

MCCARTHY, TOP-RANKING GOP MEMBER OF THE EXPENDITURES COMMITTEE, HAS ANNOUNCED HE WILL NOT TAKE PART IN THE INVESTIGATION IN VIEW OF THE CHARGES HE HAS LEVELLED AGAINST THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

TODAY'S ACTION SENDS THE RESOLUTION CALLING FOR THE INQUIRY TO THE SENATE RULES COMMITTEE FOR CLEARANCE TO THE SENATE FLOOR. THE RESOLUTION WAS INTRODUCED BY MEMBERS OF A SENATE APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE AFTER HEARING TESTIMONY FROM WASHINGTON POLICE OFFICIALS.

ONLY THREE MEMBERS OF THE 13-MAN EXPENDITURES COMMITTEE DID NOT VOTE TODAY. SENATORS VANDENBERG (R-MICH) AND LEAHY (D-RI) WERE ABSENT. MCCARTHY ABSTAINED FROM VOTING.

IMPOUNDED RECORDS OF THE WASHINGTON POLICE DEPARTMENT, LISTING KNOW HOMOSEXUALS IN FEDERAL JOBS, WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR THE INQUIRY.

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(150) CZECH

WASHINGTON, MAY 24-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES TODAY LABELED "OFFENSIVE" A RESOLUTION OF THE COMMUNIST CZECHOSLOVAK NATIONAL ASSEMBLY CALLING ON THE WESTERN POWERS TO REVERSE THEIR "IMPERIALIST" POLICIES.

AMBASSADOR VLADIMIR OUTRATA PRESENTED THE RESOLUTION TO UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE JAMES E. WEBB ON APRIL 27 WITH A REQUEST THAT HE TRANSMIT IT TO CONGRESS.

WEBB, AFTER CONSULTING LEADERS OF THE SENATE AND HOUSE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEES, RETURNED IT TO THE EMBASSY BY MESSENGER TODAY ALONG WITH A TART NOTE SAYING:

"ASTONISHED BY THE OFFENSIVE AND BASELESS REFERENCES TO THE UNITED STATES CONTAINED IN THE RESOLUTION, THIS GOVERNMENT IS COMPLETELY UNABLE TO UNDERSTAND HOW ONE GOVERNMENT, UTTERING PROFESSIONS OF PEACE, COULD SEND TO ANOTHER GOVERNMENT AN OFFICIAL COMMUNICATION SO INCONSISTENT WITH MUTUAL UNDERSTANDING AND NORMAL RELATIONS BETWEEN NATIONS.

"IT IS OBVIOUS THAT THIS RESOLUTION, FAR FROM MAKING A CONTRIBUTION TO PEACE, INCREASES THE DIFFICULTY OF DEVELOPING INTERNATIONAL AMITY."

THE RESOLUTION WAS ADOPTED BY THE CZECH PARLIAMENT ON FEBRUARY 22. IT ACCUSES THE "IMPERIALIST POWERS" LED BY THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN OF PURSUING A POLICY OF AGGRESSION AND THREATENING WORLD PEACE IN A "DESPERATE ATTEMPT" TO SAVE THE "CRUMBLING CAPITALIST ORDER" AND TO "DESTROY THE TRUE DEMOCRACIES"--ALL THIS IN CONTRAST TO THE SOVIET UNION WHICH "LEADS THE CAMP OF PEACE AND PROGRESS."

THE RESOLUTION "DEMANDS" THAT THE WESTERN POWERS CEASE THE "IMPERIALIST PRODUCTION" OF ARMS AND CALLS ON ALL WORLD PARLIAMENTS TO TAKE A STAND AGAINST WAR PREPARATIONS AND IN SUPPORT OF THE WORLD PEACE MOVEMENT.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID THE RESOLUTION WAS A PART OF THE COMMUNIST "PEACE" CAMPAIGN SPONSORED BY THE WORLD CONGRESS OF THE PARTISANS OF PEACE. THE PRESIDENT OF THE WORLD CONGRESS IS FREDERIC JOLIOT-CURIE, WHO HAS JUST BEEN FIRED AS HEAD OF THE FRENCH ATOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

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B93LX (Q)

PRECEDE TOKYO (DAY) (130)

DANVILLE, KY., MAY 24-(AP)-PRINCE KYU LEE, SON OF THE FORMER CROWN PRINCE OF KOREA, AND PRINCE HIROAKI FUSHIMI, SON OF THE FORMER HEAD OF JAPAN'S HOUSE OF PEERS, WILL ATTEND CENTRE COLLEGE ON FOUR-YEAR SCHOLARSHIPS.

BOTH 18, THE BOYS ARE SENIOR HONOR STUDENTS AT PEERS SCHOOL IN TOKYO.

THE YOUTHS HEARD ABOUT CENTRE FROM THOMAS C.FISHER, SHELBY COUNTY NATIVE AND FORMER LOUISVILLE RESIDENT, WHO IS NOW U.S. ARMY JUDGE ADVOCATE IN KOREA.

LEE'S UNCLE WAS THE LAST EMPEROR OF KOREA.

FUSHIMI'S FATHER, HIROSJI FUSHIMI, WAS A LIEUTENANT COMMANDER IN THE JAPANESE NAVY AND WAS KILLED AT SHANGHAI IN 1938. FUSHIMI IS INTERESTED IN POLITICAL SCIENCE AND ASPIRES TO BECOME A DIPLOMAT.

FISHER WROTE CENTRE PRESIDENT WALTER A.GROVES THAT "BOTH BOYS ARE INCLINED TOWARD CHRISTIANITY." LEE IS A MEMBER OF THE CONFUCIAN AND FUSHIMI A MEMBER OF THE HINTO RELIGION.

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CHICAGO, MAY 24-(AP)-WILHELM ~~KAISEN~~, LORD MAYOR OF BREMEN, GERMANY, CONFERRED WITH OFFICERS OF THE COUNCIL OF STATE GOVERNMENTS HERE TODAY ON HIS VISIT TO CHICAGO.

KAISEN, WHO ALSO IS PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF BREMEN, AND FRANK BANE, DIRECTOR OF THE COUNCIL, DESCRIBED THE VISIT AS A COURTESY CALL." THE COUNCIL IS AN ORGANIZATION DEVOTED TO IMPROVING RELATIONS BETWEEN THE STATES IN THE UNITED STATES.

EARLIER, KAISEN, ACCOMPANIED BY HIS INTERPRETER AND SECRETARY, DR. KARL CARSTENS, WAS GUEST AT A LUNCHEON GIVEN BY HOTEL-MAN OTTO K. EITEL. KAISEN WAS WELCOMED AT THE LUNCHEON BY MARTIN H. KENNELLY, MAYOR OF CHICAGO, AND CHRISTIAN KIESSLING, AN OFFICIAL OF THE GERMAN CLUB OF CHICAGO.

KAISEN PLANS TO MEET NEWSMEN AT A CONFERENCE TOMORROW. HE ALSO HOPES TO VIST THE STOCKYARDS.

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MAY 25 1950

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(130) AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE

WASHINGTON,MAY 24-(AP)-REP.MEYER (R-KAS) ASSERTED TODAY THAT THE UNITED STATES SHOULD STEER CLEAR OF THE INTERNATIONAL TRADE ORGANIZATION.

"IF WE SIGN UP WITH ITO OUR STANDARD OF LIVING WILL GO DOWN," HE SAID IN A STATEMENT.

MEYER DESCRIBED ITO AS "ANOTHER FREE TRADE MOVEMENT WITH 58 MEMBERS OF WHICH 54 HAVE ALREADY SIGNED UP" IN WHICH REPRESENTATIVES WILL MEET ONCE A YEAR, ADD UP PRODUCTION AND MARKETS OF THE WORLD AND DIVIDE MARKETS ON A POPULATION BASIS.

"WE WILL HAVE JUST ONE VOTE IN THIS SCHEME, SUCH AS SIAM FOR INSTANCE," HE SAID.

"AND WE WILL HAVE TO TAKE AND LIKE WHAT THE REPRESENTATIVES SAY WILL BE OUR SHARE OF THE WORLD MARKETS WHILE, IN TURN, THESE COUNTRIES CAN FLOOD OUR COUNTRY WITH CHEAP SLAVE LABOR PRODUCTS."

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INDO-CHINA

WASHINGTON, MAY 24-(AP)-SENATOR FLANDERS (R-VT) TODAY URGED THAT U.S. MEDICAL AND AGRICULTURE MISSIONARIES BE SENT TO INDO-CHINA TO COMBAT COMMUNISM.

HE SAID HE BELIEVES THAT "THE MOST APPRECIATED AND THE LEAST EXPENSIVE SERVICE" THE UNITED STATES COULD RENDER INDO-CHINA WOULD BE A MEDICAL MISSION.

HE SAID THERE IS NOW "LITERALLY NO MEDICINE IN RURAL INDO-CHINA."

FLANDERS, IN A STATEMENT PREPARED FOR THE SENATE, ADDED THAT ANOTHER OPPORTUNITY FOR THE UNITED STATES TO IMPROVE ITS STANDING IN INDO-CHINA WOULD BE TO HELP THE NATIVES IMPROVE THEIR AGRICULTURAL METHODS.

"THIS IS NOT A QUESTION OF TRACTORS AND MODERNAGRICULTURE APPARATUS," HE SAID. "IMPROVED HAND IMPLEMENTS WOULD GO A LONG WAY."

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A54WX

WASHINGTON, MAY 24-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY CALLED UPON THE AMERICAN PEOPLE TO OBSERVE OCT. 24 AS UNITED NATIONS DAY BY CEREMONIES DEDICATED TO SECURING "ENDURING WORLD PEACE."

IN A PROCLAMATION OBSERVING THE UNITED NATIONS' FIFTH ANNIVERSARY THAT DATE, HE SAID THE NEED FOR AN INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION TO INSURE PEACE "HAS NEVER BEEN MORE URGENT."

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A35WX (110)

WASHINGTON,MAY 24-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS REJECTED PUBLICLY A SUGGESTION THAT THE UNITED STATES SURRENDER TO RUSSIA.

AIDED BY ATTORNEY GENERAL MC GRATH, HE LUGGED AN IRON BENCH ACROSS THE WHITE HOUSE LAWN YESTERDAY TO PROVIDE A ROSTRUM FROM WHICH HE TOLD A GROUP OF DELEGATES TO THE FIFTH ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF CITIZENSHIP:

"I HAD A CARD FROM LOS ANGELES THIS MORNING, IN WHICH THE WRITER SUGGESTED TO ME IN ALL SERIOUSNESS THAT THE PROPER THING TO DO WAS TO SURRENDER TO RUSSIA. HE SAID WE MAY LOSE OUR FREEDOM BUT IT IS BETTER TO LOSE OUR FREEDOM THAN TO LOSE OUR LIVES. NOW, WHAT DO YOU THINK OF THAT? THAT IS PATRICK HENRY IN REVERSE, IF I KNOW ANYTHING."

MR.TRUMAN DID NOT IDENTIFY THE AUTHOR OF THE SUGGESTION.

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MAY 25 1950

ALI (270)

NIGHT LEAD

SCHENECTADY, N.Y., MAY 24-(AP)-LIAQUAT ALI KHAN SAID TONIGHT THAT PAKISTAN WOULD BE A FRIEND TO THE UNITED STATES IF THIS COUNTRY SHARED ITS EXPERIENCE AND KNOWLEDGE WITH THE EAST.

THE PRIME MINISTER OF PAKISTAN DECLARED IN A "FAREWELL" RADIO BROADCAST (WGY) THAT IT WAS THE MORAL RESPONSIBILITY OF THE WEST TO HELP STABILIZE THE EAST.

"IF YOU DO THESE THINGS, WE ARE FOR YOU," HE SAID.

BEFORE THE BROADCAST, THE PRIME MINISTER TOLD 4,000 SCHOOL CHILDREN THAT "PEACE IN THE WORLD DEPENDS UPON PEACE IN ASIA."

LIAQUAT ALI AND HIS WIFE, THE BEGUM, APPEARED AT A CONVOCATION FOR PUPILS FROM SCHENECTADY HIGH SCHOOLS.

THIS INDUSTRIAL CITY OF 80,000 WAS ONE OF THEIR LAST STOPS ON A THREE-WEEK TOUR OF THE UNITED STATES.

THE PREMIER, WHOSE NATION HAS 80,000,000 PEOPLE, WAS IMPRESSED BY THE TURNOUT OF PUPILS. HE SAID IT WAS "THE GREATEST WE'VE HAD ON OUR TRIP."

THE 55-YEAR-OLD PREMIER DECLARED:

"FUTURE PEACE DEPENDS UPON STABILITY IN ASIA, WHICH IN TURN DEPENDS UPON SUPPORT BY THE WEST. IT IS YOUR DUTY TO YOURSELF TO HELP.

"YOU ARE THE FUTURE OF YOUR COUNTRY AND THE FUTURE HOPE OF THOSE WHO BELIEVE IN PEACE. IT IS OUR HOPE THAT YOUR OUTLOOK WILL BE ONE OF INTERNATIONALISM, NOT NATIONALISM."

EARLIER TODAY THE PREMIER TOURED GENERAL ELECTRIC AND AMERICAN LOCOMOTIVE COMPANY FACTORIES AND LABORATORIES. A LUNCHEON WAS GIVEN IN HIS HONOR.

HIS WIFE VISITED MONT PLEASANT HIGH SCHOOL AND UNION COLLEGE,

LUNCHED WITH A WOMEN'S CIVIC COMMITTEE AND INSPECTED A HOSPITAL.
THE PRIME MINISTER SAID AT A NEWS CONFERENCE THAT ECONOMIC IMPROVEMENT AND STABILITY IN NATIONS SUCH AS PAKISTAN "IS ESSENTIAL TO WORLD PEACE."
"IT IS THE DUTY OF THE WEST," HE SAID, "TO HELP PEOPLE IN THE EAST IMPROVE THEIR ECONOMIC CONDITIONF BY AFFORDING US THEIR KNOWLEDGE, THEIR EXPERIENCE AND BY MAKING INVESTMENTS TO BUILD UP INDUSTRIES."
HE AND THE BEGUM WILL LEAVE BY PLANE (MILITARY TRANSPORT) FOR BOSTON TOMORROW AT 8 A.M. EST.
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MAY 25 1950

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NIGHT LEAD ADLER-DRAPER (300)
BY GEORGE MILLER
(NY) HARTFORD, CONN., MAY 24-(AP)-COUNSEL FOR LARRY ADLER AND PAUL DRAPER TOLD A FEDERAL JURY TODAY THAT "RED HERRINGS" HAD BEEN USED IN AN ATTEMPT TO BRAND THE ENTERTAINERS AS PRO-COMMUNIST.
SUMMING UP IN THE ENTERTAINERS' LIBEL SUIT, ATTORNEY THEW WRIGHT, JR., SAID THE CONDUCT OF THE TWO PERFORMERS SHOWED THEY WERE LOYAL AMERICANS, AND DID NOT FOLLOW THE COMMUNIST LINE.
DRAPER, THE DANCER, AND HARMONICA PLAYER ADLER ARE SUING MRS.HESTER MCCULLOUGH OF GREENWICH, CONN., FOR $200,000. THEY CHARGE SHE HURT THEIR REPUTATIONS AND CAUSED THEM TO LOSE BOOKINGS BY ACCUSING THEM OF PRO-COMMUNIST LEANINGS.
FEDERAL JUDGE J.JOSEPH SMITH SAID THE CASE WILL GO TO THE JURY FRIDAY, AFTER HE MAKES HIS CHARGE.
WRIGHT SAID THE "ACID TEST FOR BOTH COMMUNISTS AND FELLOW TRAVELERS" WAS WHETHER THEY FOLLOWED THE COMMUNIST LINE BY OPPOSING THE ALLIED WAR EFFORT DURING THE HITLER-STALIN PACT OF 1939-41.
DURING THIS TIME, HE ADDED, BOTH ADLER AND DRAPER "GAVE LAVISHLY OF THEIR TIME TO BRITISH WAR RELIEF."
WHEN THE PARTY LINE REVERTED TO A POLICY OF NON-COOPERATION WITH THE ALLIES AFTER V-J DAY, WRIGHT SAID, "WHERE WERE ADLER AND DRAPER?"
"THEY WERE BOTH OVERSEAS ENTERTAINING FOR THE ARMED FORCES," HE ADDED. "I SUPPOSE THEY HAD A SPECIAL DISPENSATION FROM UNCLE JOE."
HE TOLD THE JURY:
"I THINK THAT SOME OF THE THINGS YOU HAVE BEEN EXPOSED TO ARE REALLY RED HERRINGS."
ASSERTING THAT MRS.MCCULLOUGH'S PUBLISHED CHARGES AGAINST THE ENTERTAINERS HAD DAMAGED THE PLAINTIFF'S CAREERS, WRIGHT SAID:
"DRAPER CAN'T WORK AT ALL--NO JOBS, NO BOOKINGS. ADLER IS LIVING WITH HIS FAMILY IN EUROPE."
WRIGHT SAID THE PLAINTIFFS HAD SUPPORTED ONLY ONE ORGANIZATION LISTED AS SUBVERSIVE BY THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE AFTER THE LISTING WAS ISSUED. THIS, HE SAID, WAS THE SPANISH REFUGEE APPEAL, AFFILIATED WITH THE JOINT ANTI-FASCIST REFUGEE COMMITTEE.
WRIGHT RECALLED TESTIMONY BY ALEN CORELLI, HEAD OF THE NEW YORK THEATER AUTHORITY WHICH IS THE CLEARING HOUSE FOR BENEFIT SHOWS IN THE ENTERTAINMENT INDUSTRY. CORELLI TESTIFIED HE EXAMINED THE REFUGEE' COMMITTEE'S BOOKS AND WAS SATISFIED WITH THEM, BEFORE APPROVING A CARNEGIE HALL BENEFIT BY DRAPER AND ADLER IN OCTOBER, 1949.
"DRAPER AND ADLER DIDN'T CONDUCT ANY INVESTIGATION OF THEIR OWN, INASMUCH AS THE THEATER HAD INVESTIGATED AND OKAYED THE BENEFIT," WRIGHT SAID.
THE ATTORNEY ADDED: "A LOT OF PEOPLE WHOSE LOYALTY COULD NOT BE QUESTIONED HAVE BEEN LED INTO A LOT OF THINGS THAT HAVE LATER BEEN CALLED COMMUNIST FRONTS."
HE SAID THE IDEA OF GUILT BY ASSOCIATION "IS NONSENSE."
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DAYTON, O., MAY 24-(AP)-MAJ.GEN.WILLIAM (WILD BILL) DONOVAN LAST NIGHT CALLED FOR SEIZURE OF RUSSIAN CITIZENS AND THEIR PROPERTY IN THE UNITED STATES "FOR COMMUNIST AFFRONTS IN THE COLD WAR."
SPEAKING BEFORE THE DAYTON COUNCIL ON WORLD AFFAIRS, THE WARTIME HEAD OF THE OFFICE OF STRATEGIC SERVICES SAID SUCH ACTION WOULD SHOW "WE HAVE THE WILL AND THE RESOLUTION FOR ACTION."
CITING THE 19-MONTH IMPRISONMENT OF MARINES ELMER BENDER AND WILLIAM SMITH BY CHINESE COMMUNISTS AND THE LOSS OF THE NAVY PRIVATEER PLANE OVER THE BALTIC, DONOVAN ASKED:
"ARE WE NO LONGER ABLE OR WILLING TO PROTECT OUR MEN WHEN THEY ARE DETAINED BY FOREIGN COUNTRIES? THE LACK OF ACTION ON OUR PART HAS HAD TREMENDOUS EFFECT ON THE MORALE OF OUR MEN OVERSEAS.
"WE ARE LOSING THE COLD WAR BECAUSE WE ARE NOT WAGING IT."
DONOVAN EXPRESSED CONFIDENCE THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE WILL SOLIDIFY THE CONTINENT'S MASSES INTO A UNITED ORGANIZATION. HE SAID THE COUNCIL IS A GENUINE GRASS-ROOTS EXPRESSION OF THE PEOPLE OF EUROPE.
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MAY 25 1950

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NIGHT LEAD
LONG BEACH, CALIF., MAY 24-(AP)-EFFECTIVENESS OF THE HYDROGEN BOMB AS A SUPER WEAPON "SEEMS NOW TO BE GROSSLY EXAGGERATED," A NOTED PHYSICIST DECLARED TODAY IN URGING THAT THE AMERICAN PEOPLE BE TOLD MORE ABOUT THEIR GOVERNMENT'S ATOMIC PROGRAM.
DR. ROBERT F. BACHER OF THE CALIFORNIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY TOLD THE NATIONAL CONGRESS OF PARENTS AND TEACHERS "IF WE GO INTO A LARGE-SCALE PROGRAM FOR THE PRODUCTION OF FISSIONABLE MATERIAL FOR HYDROGEN BOMBS, WE WILL MOST CERTAINLY BE SACRIFICING THE PRODUCTION OF FISSIONABLE MATERIAL."
THE KEY TO THE ENTIRE ATOMIC ENERGY PROGRAM IS THIS MATERIAL, EXPLAINED DR. BACHER, DIRECTOR OF CALTECH'S HARMON BRIDGE PHYSICS LABORATORY. DESCRIBING IT AS MORE VALUABLE THAN "ALL THE GOLD IN FORT KNOX," THE SCIENTIST SAID THE MATERIAL CAN BE USED TO PRODUCE ATOM BOMBS OR ATOMIC POWER.
IF IT IS PRODUCED FOR THESE PURPOSES IT CAN BE SAVED, HE SAID. HOWEVER, IF IT IS USED TO PRODUCE TRITIUM FOR HYDROGEN BOMBS, IT DEGENERATES. HE ADDED.

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"HAVING ONCE GIVEN UP FISSIONABLE MATERIAL TO PRODUCE TRITIUM, IT IS NOT POSSIBLE TO TURN THE TRITIUM BACK INTO FISSIONABLE MATERIAL. HERE IS A PLOWSHARE THAT ONCE BEATEN INTO A SWORD CAN NOT BE BEATEN BACK AT ALL. WORST OF ALL, THE SWORD IN THIS CASE SEEMS TO HAVE AN EDGE THAT DULLS WITH THE RUST OF TIME."

DR. BACHER LABELED AS "VERY DUBIOUS" A NATIONAL POLICY WHICH CONVERTS ANY APPRECIABLE AMOUNT OF VITAL FISSIONABLE MATERIAL INTO A DECAYING FORM. HE SAID IF IT CONTRIBUTED GREATLY TO NATIONAL SECURITY, THAT WOULD BE AN ARGUMENT IN ITS FAVOR.

"BUT," HE DECLARED, "AS A WEAPON, THE HYDROGEN BOMB PROMISES TO BE DESTRICTIVE BUT TO ADD VERY LITTLE TO OUR MILITARY EFFECTIVENESS."

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"THE FALLACIOUS BELIEF HELD BY MANY THAT IN SECRECY THERE IS SECURITY, HAS LED US ALREADY TO ABANDON SOME OF OUR MOST DEEPLY ROOTED DEMOCRATIC PRINCIPLES," HE SAID. "THE FUTURE OF OUR DEMOCRACY MAY DEPEND UPON WHAT WE DO ABOUT ATOMIC ENERGY."

THUS THE KEYING OF THE NATION'S ATOMIC PROGRAM TO NATIONAL SECURITY "IS NOT A MILITARY DECISION ALONE, NOR IS IT A DECISION WHICH SHOULD BE MADE BEHIND CLOSED DOORS," THE SCIENTIST DECLARED.

DECLARING "WE MAY BE CONFRONTED WITH THE DECISION ON THE USE OF OUR FISSIONABLE MATERIAL AND ITS POTENTIAL PRODUCTION FAIRLY SOON," DR. BACHER SAID THE AMERICAN PUBLIC SHOULD HAVE INFORMATION TO HELP IT DECIDE THIS VITAL QUESTION.

HE SAID IT WOULD BE "MOST HELPFUL" TO THE PUBLIC TO KNOW ABOUT HOW MANY ATOM BOMBS THE NATION HAS.

COMPARING THE EFFECTIVENESS OF ATOMIC AND HYDROGEN BOMBS, DR. BACHER SAID "A HYDROGEN BOMB WHICH IS A THOUSAND TIMES MORE POWERFUL THAN AN ATOMIC BOMB MIGHT CAUSE MORE DESTRUCTION BUT WOULD PROBABLY NOT BE MUCH MORE EFFECTIVE THAN 10 ATOMIC BOMBS.

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MAY 25 1950

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LOS ANGELES, MAY 24-(AP)-THE U.S. WILL HAVE NO GUIDED MISSILES READY FOR COMBAT TESTS FOR SEVERAL YEARS, SAYS A ROCKET AUTHORITY.

"PROGRESS, HOWEVER, IS ENCOURAGING," E.P.WHEATON, GUIDED MISSILES ENGINEER FOR DOUGLAS AIRCRAFT CO., TOLD THE AMERICAN ROCKET SOCIETY YESTERDAY. "OUR MISSILE RESEARCH HAS REACHED THE POINT WHERE WE ARE OUT OF THE RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT STAGE AND INTO THE ENGINEERING STAGE."

INTERCONTINENTAL MISSILES AS WEAPONS ARE IMPOSSIBLE UNTIL MACHINES CAN BE ENDOWED WITH HUMAN JUDGMENT, HE SAID.

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A74 (100)

LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 24-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL TODAY ACCEPTED A GENERAL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION TO MAKE A WIDER USE OF PRIVATE CONCILIATION EFFORTS IN THE EARLY STAGES OF DISPUTES.

MOST DELEGATES WERE AGREED THAT BEHIND-THE-SCENES TALKS HAVE BEEN SUCCESSFUL IN SEVERAL INSTANCES IN THE PAST AND MIGHT BE BETTER IN MANY CASES THAN A PUBLIC DEBATE AT THE COUNCIL TABLE.

THE COUNCIL ADOPTED A RESOLUTION AGREEING TO USE CONCILIATION PROCEDURE WHENEVER AN APPROPRIATE OCCASION ARISES.

RUSSIA CONTINUED TO BOYCOTT THE 11-NATION BODY IN PROTEST AGAINST THE PRESENCE OF THE CHINESE NATIONALIST DELEGATION.

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A41 (100)

LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 24-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS TODAY PUBLISHED A PROPOSED CODE OF EITHICS FOR NEWSMEN WHICH WAS APPROVED IN MONTEVIDEO, URUGUAY, YESTERDAY BY THE U.N. SUB-COMMISSION ON THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION.

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AMONG OTHER OBLIGATIONS LAID DOWN IN THE CODE WAS ONE THAT ALL PERSONS ENGAGED IN GATHERING, TRANSMITTING AND DISSEMINATING INFORMATION MUST MAKE THE UTMOST ENDEAVOR TO ENSURE THE INFORMATION IS FACTUALLY ACCURATE.

A FEW HOURS LATER THE U.N. PUT OUT A NEW PRESS RELEASE WHICH LET THE PRESS SECTION IN FOR A ROUND OF RIBBING. THE RELEASE WAS HEADED "CORRECTION" AND EXPLAINED THAT AN INCORRECT QUOTATION HAS BEEN USED IN PART OF THE TEXT "DUE TO A GARBLED CABLE."

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LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 24-(AP)-ISRAEL WILL SUBMIT A NEW PROPOSAL TO THE UNITED NATIONS TRUSTEESHIP COUNCIL THIS WEEK-END ON THE FUTURE OF JERUSALEM, INFORMED QUARTERS SAID TODAY.

THE PROPOSAL IS EXPECTED TO CONTAIN A PROVISION FOR LIMITED U.N. PARTICIPATION IN THE JERUSALEM GOVERNMENT. THIS IS A COUNTER-PROPOSAL TO THE ONE APPROVED BY THE COUNCIL EARLIER THIY YEAR FOR AN INTERNATIONAL REGIME IN THE HOLY CITY.

THE IDEA OF AN INTERNATIONAL REGIME ALREADY HAS BEEN TURNED DOWN BY ISRAEL AND JORDAN, THE TWO COUNTRIES WHOSE FORCES ACTUALLY OCCUPY THE DIVIDED HOLY CITY. ISRAEL PREVIOUSLY HAD OFFERED TO ACCEPT U.N. SUPERVISION OVER THE HOLY PLACES, BUT HAS INSISTED THAT THE PART OF JERUSALEM OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL WOULD BE RULED BY THE ISRAELI GOVERNMENT. JORDAN HAS NEVER AGREED TO THE U.N. TAKING PART IN JERUSALEM'S AFFAIRS.

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MAY 25 1950

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LAKE SUCCESS,MAY 24-(AP)-WORD REACHED HERE TODAY THAT A TEMPORARY EMPLOYE OF THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION (WHO) WAS KILLED BY A MAN-EATING TIGER RECENTLY IN NORTHEASTERN INDIA. THE MAN WORKED FOR A WHO TEAM ENGAGED IN ANTI-MALARIA WORK.

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SPECIAL TRANSMISSION

(KX APW) (400)

NEW YORK, MAY 24-(AP)-WITH HIS CHARACTERISTIC BLUNTNESS, JAPAN'S ELDER STATESMAN, DR.YUKIO OZAKI DECLARED TONIGHT THAT THE SITUATION IN HIS COUNTRY IS "DANGEROUS" AND THAT FOR ITS "DECENT FUTURE" AMERICA MATERIAL AND MORAL AID WILL BE IMPERATIVE.

AT A DINNER IN HIS HONOR AT THE WALDORF-ASTORIA HOTEL SPONSORED BY THE AMERICAN COUNCIL ON JAPAN THE 91-YEAR-OLD VETERAN PARLIAMENTARIAN SAID:

"TODAY, THE SITUATION IN JAPAN, IN MY OPINION, IS VERY DANGEROUS. JAPAN, I FEAR, FACES A SIMILAR FATE AS THAT OF KOREA. MANY PEOPLE

FEEL THAT THE KOREAN SITUATION IS CRUCIAL BECAUSE IT IS DIVIDED BY RUSSIA AND AMERICA AND EVEN AFTER THE AMERICAN OCCUPATION ENDS, KOREA WILL NOT BE UNITED.

"A SIMILAR SITUATION WILL ARISE IN JAPAN AFTER THE AMERICAN OCCUPATION ENDS, IT IS NOW QUITE EVIDENT. FOR THE DECENT FUTURE OF JAPAN, IT IS ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY TO HAVE AMERICAN HELP, NOT ONLY MATERIAL AID BUT MORAL AID AND SOME SAFEGUARDS SHOULD BE BUILT TO ANTICIPATE SUCH A SIMILAR SITUATION DEVELOPING IN JAPAN."

DR.OZAKI EXPRESSED THE OPINION THE TIME HAD COME FOR A UNIVERSAL LANGUAGE. COMMENTING, "THE WORLD HAS BECOME SO SMALL THAT IT IS NOW IMPERATIVE THAT WE CREATE SOME SORT OF A UNIVERSAL LANGUAGE."

HE SAID PEACE FOR JAPAN NOW WAS IMPOSSIBLE AND ADDED:

"AS I SEE THE SITUATION, JAPAN CANNOT ALONE MAINTAIN PACIFIC PEACE OR EVEN HER INTERNAL PEACE WITHOUT AMERICAN HELP. I FEEL THAT THE UNITED NATIONS IS IDEALLY THE BEST ORGANIZATION TO MAINTAIN THE TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY OF JAPAN AFTER THE OCCUPATION, BUT THE PRESENT CONDITION OF THE UNITED NATIONS AS IT IS CONSTITUTED APPEARS TO MAKE THIS A NEBULOUS HOPE, IF NOT AN IMPOSSIBLE TASK."

THE MAN WHO SENT THE CHERRY TREES TO WASHINGTON, EXCLAIMED: "WOULD THAT I WERE STILL MAYOR OF TOKYO! IF SUCH WAS MY POSITION, I KNOW I WOULD FIND SOME WAY TO SHOW THE APPRECIATION OF THE PEOPLE OF JAPAN FOR YOUR GREATNESS OF HEART TOWARD A FALLEN FOE."

WILLIAM R.CASTLE, FORMER UNITED STATES AMBASSADOR TO JAPAN, SAID THE COUNCIL WAS PROUD TO HAVE DR.OZAKI AS ITS GUEST "BECAUSE HE REPRESENTS THE IDEALISM, THE FORTHRIGHTNESS, THE INTEGRITY OF THE GREAT PROGRESSIVE ELEMENTS IN THE ORIENT."

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MAY 25 1950

A130

FIRST LEAD RALLY (110)

NEW YORK,MAY 24-(AP)-A HECKLER INTERRUPTED AN ADDRESS BY GEN. LUCIUS D.CLAY TONIGHT, AND THREW A "HOLD BERLIN" RALLY INTO TEMPORARY DISORDER.

AS POLICE SEIZED THE HECKLER, AND HUSTLED HIM FROM THE TOWN HALL AUDITORIUM, NEARLY 100 PEOPLE LEFT THEIR SEATS AND FOLLOWED THE SHOUTING MAN OUTSIDE.

EARLIER, NEARLY 1,000 CHANTING PICKETS HAD BEEN ROUTED FROM IN FRONT OF THE HALL BY MOUNTED POLICE AND FOOT PATROLMEN.

THE RALLY WAS SPONSORED BY COMMON CAUSE, INC., AN ORGANIZATION TO COMBAT COMMUNISM.

AS CLAY WALKED TO THE CENTER OF THE PLATFORM TO BEGIN A PREPARED ADDRESS, THE HECKLER AROSE IN THE BALCONY, AND SHOUTED:

"GENERAL CLAY! I WANT TO ASK YOU A QUESTION. HOW ABOUT ILSE KOCH AND HUMAN SKIN?"

THE HECKLER'S REFERENCE WAS TO THE WIFE OF THE COMMANDANT OF THE NOTORIOUS NAZI CONCENTRATION CAMP AT BUCHENWALD. CLAY, WHILE AMERICAN MILITARY GOVERNOR IN GERMANY, REDUCED TO FOUR YEARS A LIFE SENTENCE IMPOSED ON HER BY A MILITARY COURT FOR HER PART IN THE BUCHENWALD ATROCITIES.

CLAY, HIS VOICE UNSTEADY, SAID TO THE HECKLER:

"I AM NEVER UNWILLING TO GIVE ANYBODY HIS VIEWPOINT ON ANY QUESTION, BUT I ALSO BELIEVE THAT ANY FAIR-MINDED AMERICAN IS WILLING TO LISTEN."

MRS. KOCH DURING HER TRIAL WAS ACCUSED OF MAKING LAMPSHADES FROM THE SKIN OF CAMP INMATES. AFTER HER RELEASE SHE WAS ARRESTED BY GERMAN OFFICIALS. SHE NOW IS IN AN ASYLUM FOR A MENTAL EXAMINATION PRIOR TO FACING TRIAL BY A GERMAN COURT FOR WAR CRIMES CHARGES.

AS THE HECKLER TONIGHT CONTINUED TO SHOUT QUESTIONS AT CLAY, TWO DETECTIVES SEIZED HIM AND ESCORTED HIM OUT, FOLLOWED BY MORE THAN 100 PERSONS.

"I CAME HERE TONIGHT WITH A PREPARED SPEECH," CLAY SAID. "BUT NOW I AM NOT GOING TO MAKE THAT."

REFERRING TO THE YELLING, SIGN-CARRYING THRONG THAT ORIGINALLY GATHERED OUTSIDE THE HALL TO PROTEST THE MEETING, CLAY SAID:

"HAVING LIVED THROUGH THE BLOCKADE OF BERLIN, I AM NOT DISMAYED BY A BLOCKADE IN NEW YORK."

CLAY SPOKE ONLY BRIEFLY. HE EXPRESSED CONFIDENCE THAT WEST BERLINERS WOULD HAVE THE "MORAL COURAGE" TO REPEL A PROJECTED COMMUNIST YOUTH DEMONSTRATION THIS WEEKEND.

THE UNIDENTIFIED HECKLER WAS NOT ARRESTED. POLICE TOOK HIM TO THE STREET, AND ORDERED HIM NOT TO RETURN. WHEN REPORTERS ASKED THE MAN HIS NAME, HE SAID:

"I'M JUST A PLAIN GI."

SOME PEOPLE WHO HAD LEFT THE AUDITORIUM WITH HIM CALLED OUT, "LET HIM SPEAK, LET HIM SPEAK."

THE PICKETS HAD FORMEK OUTSIDE BEFORE THE RALLY BEGAN.

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NEW YORK, MAY 24-(AP)-TIME MAGAZINE, DECLARING "THE U.S.NOW HAS A NEW FRONTIER AND A NEW ALLY IN THE COLDWAR"--INDO-CHINA--DEVOTES FOUR PAGES OF ITS CURRENT ISSUE TO THIS NEW ALLY WHICH THE MAGAZINE CONCLUDES, "ALL IN ALL IS A WEAK REED."

THE MAY 29 ISSUE BEARS A COVER ICTURE OF VIET NAM'S BAO

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TIME DECLARES:

"INDO-CHINA XXX HAS BECOME A DANGEROUS LIABILITY FOR FRANCE--NOR DOES ANY REALISTIC FRENCHMAN THINK IT EVER CAN AGAIN BE AN ASSET. WHY, THEREFORE, SPEND MORE BLOOD AND TREASURE IN THANKLESS JUNGLE STRIFE? WHY NOT PULL OUT?

"THE ANSWER IS: MORE THAN FRENCH WAR WEARINESS AND PRESTIGE ARE AT STAKE. IF INDO-CHINA FALLS TO COMMUNISM, SO, IN ALL PROBABLITY, WILL ALL OF SOUTHEAST ASIA.

THE MAGAZINE CHARGES THAT THE FRENCH HAVE "MADE MORE THAN THE USUAL COLONIAL MISTAKES." "ALL TOO OFTEN," SAYS TIME, "ESPECIALLY SINCE THEY PUT THE FOREIGN LEGION AND ITS GERMAN MERCENARIES TO THE WORK OF

RESTORING ORDER AFTER WORLD WAR II, THEY HAVE BEEN ARROGANT AND BRUTAL TOWARD THE INDO-CHINESE.

"THEY ARE PAYING FOR IT NOW, FOR THE BULK OF COMMUNIST HO CHI MINH'S SUPPORT COMES FROM THE ANTI-FRENCH, OR ANTI-COLONIAL INDO-CHINESE. A SIGN OVER AN INDO-CHINESE VILLAGE STREET TELLS THE STORY: IT READS 'COMMUNISM. NO. COLONIALIS. NEVER.'"

SUMMING UP, TIME GIVESHTHIS OPINION:

"ALL IN ALL, THE NEW U.S.ALLY IN SOUTHEAST ASIA IS A WEAK REED. AND THE ALLIANCE IS AS IRONIC AS ANYTHING IN HISTORY. FOR THE SAME U.S.GOVERNMENT WHICH ABANDONED THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS BECAUSE THEY WERE NOT GOOD ENOUGH WAS COMMITTED BY LAST FORTNIGHT'S DECISION TO DEFEND A PLAYBOY EMPEROR (BAO DAI) AND THE WORST AND ALMOST THE LAST EXAMPLE OF WHITE MAN'S ARMED IMPERIALISM IN ASIA.

"NEVERTHELESS, INDO-CHINA HAD TO BE DEFENDED--IF IT COULD BE DEFENDED. SO HAD FORMOSA, LAST STAND OF CHINA'S NATIONALISTS, WHICH HAS ADVANTAGES NOT TO BE FOUND IN INDO-CHINA--A STRONG GOVERNMENT, A WELL-TRAINED DEFENDING FIGHTING FORCE, AND EASILY DEFENSIBLE TACTICAL POSITION.

"THE U.S. DECISION TO GO INTO SUCH A DOUBTFUL PROJECT AS THE DEFENSE OF INDO-CHINA WAS THE RESULT OF AN IDEA THAT IT OUGHT TO DO SOMETHING, SOMEHOW, TO STOP THE COMMUNISTS IN SOUTHEAST ASIA.

"BUT THE U.S.POLICY IN INDO-CHINA WAS A PIECEMEAL OPERATION. NOT UNTIL IT SAW THE SOUTHEAST ASIA PROBLEM WHOLE, UNTIL IT WENT TO THE HELP OF ALL THREATENED GOVERNMENTS, WOULD THE U.S.BE MAKING SOLDIER'S OR STATESMEN'S SENSE."

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NEW YORK, MAY 24-(AP)-SIXTY-THREE EDUCATION ADMINISTRATORS RETURNED FROM EUROPE TODAY BELIEVING RUSSIA WOULD NOT SEEK WAR "IF IT IS SURE THE UNITED STATES WILL WHOLEHEARTEDLY BACK THE WESTERN NATIONS AND HIT HARD IN THE EVENT OF WAR."

THE SIX WEEKS TOUR, SPONSORED BY MICHIGAN STATE COLLEGE, THE UNITED STATES BUREAU OF EDUCATION AND THE NATIONAL EDUCATION ASSOCIATION, ENDED AT 4 A.M. (EST) WHEN THE EDUCATORS STEPPED FROM A PAN AMERICAN CLIPPER FROM LONDON.

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE GROUP, CARL W.HORN, DIRECTOR OF CONTINUING EDUCATION AT MICHIGAN STATE COLLEGE, EXPRESSED THE OPINION ABOUT WAR.

HE SAID THE GROUP BELIEVED THERE WAS MORE THOUGHT OF THE DANGER OF COMMUNISM EXISTING IN THE U.S.THAN IN EUROPE.

HE ADDED THAT "THE GREATEST DANGER FROM COMMUNISM IS IN ITALY AND SOMEWHAT LESS IN FRANCE. WE FEEL, HOWEVER, THAT THERE IS A GREAT HAZARD FROM COMMUNISM IN GERMANY AND, OF COURSE, THERE IS ALWAYS THE DANGER OF A MOVE BY THE RUSSIANS TOWARD FINLAND.

"WE SAW THE PRECARIOUS POSITION THE FINNS ARE IN AND WE SAW THE STAND THEY HAVE TAKEN."

HORN SAID THAT THE GROUP BELIEVED THE MARSHALL PLAN "HAS DONE A GREAT DEAL TO STEM THE TIDE OF COMMUNISM GENERALLY, AND WE WERE IMPRESSED BY THE RECOGNITION BY THE PEOPLE OF EUROPE OF THE EXTENT OF MARSHALL PLAN AID.

"THE AVERAGE MAN KNOWS IT AND OUR ANTI-COMMUNIS PROPAGANDA IS GETTING ACROSS TO THEM BETTER."

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NEW YORK, MAY 24-(AP)-FORMER COMMUNIST LOUIS BUDENZ SAYS IN HIS NEW BOOK THAT A WOMAN COMMUNIST SUCCEEDED IN "ENTERING THE WHITE HOUSE AND BRINGING BACK INFORMATION VALUABLE TO STALIN FOR THE YALTA CONFERENCE."

BUDENZ IDENTIFIES HER AS "A PROFESSOR IN A PENNSYLVANIA COLLEGE" WHO "SERVED AS A COURIER AND INFORMATION GATHERER IN WASHINGTON" FOR THE COMMUNISTS.

"SHE WAS INSTRUMENTAL," BUDENZ WRITES, "IN GETTING VARIOUS GOVERNMENTAL MOVES MADE WHICH ENHANCED THE POLITICAL POSITION OF THE COMMUNISTS."

NO FURTHER INFORMATION ABOUT THE WOMAN IS GIVEN IN THE BOOK, "MEN WITHOUT FACES" (HARPER).

THE AUTHOR, FORMER MANAGING EDITOR OF THE DAILY WORKER WHO BROKE WITH THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN 1945 AND RETURNED TO THE ROMAN CATHOLIC FAITH, WROTE:

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"FOR WEEKS PRIOR TO THE YALTA CONFERENCE, COMMUNIST AGENTS IN WASHINGTON HAD BEEN TOLD TO GATHER EVERY RELIABLE BIT OF DATA AVAILABLE ON PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S HOPES, PLANS AND FEARS IN THE WAR.

"ALL THIS INFORMATION X X X WAS FORWARDED TO MOSCOW. SINCE STALIN COULD CHECK THIS INFORMATION AGAINST THAT COMING IN FROM OTHER AGENTS, IT CAN BE APPRECIATED HOW WELL PREPARED THE SOVIET DICTATOR WAS FOR HIS MEETING WITH ROOSEVELT AND CHURCHILL."

DISCUSSING COMMUNISM IN VARIOUS LANDS, BUDENZ, NOW ON THE FACULTY OF FORDHAM UNIVERSITY, DECLARED:

"THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS HAVE BEEN CONTRIBUTED BY A GROUP OF EXCEPTIONALLY HIGHLY PAID PROFESSIONAL PEOPLE TO FINANCE DIRECTLY SUBVERSIVE WORK AGAINST THE UNITED STATES IN HAWAII.

"SINCE 1937, TO MY KNOWLEDGE, AN INTELLECTUAL OF SOME WEALTH AND SOCIAL STANDING HAS DIRECTED ESPIONAGE WORK IN WASHINGTON AIMED AT BENEFITTING SOVIET RUSSIA IN ASIA. X X X

"I KNOW THAT THE INFLUENCE OF THE COMMUNISTS IN VARIOUS KEY DEPARTMENTS IN WASHINGTON X X X WAS PARTICULARLY EFFECTIVE IN CAUSING THE UNITED STATES TO 'PULL ITS PUNCHES' IN REGARD TO POLAND AND CHINA."

BUDENZ, WHO HAS APPEARED FREQUENTLY IN COMMUNIST TRIALS AND INVESTIGATIONS, SAID HE WAS WILLING TO SUPPORT HIS ACCUSATIONS WITH NAMES, DATES AND PLACES "BEFORE ANY GOVERNMENTAL AGENCY IN EXECUTIVE SESSION."

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Bernard Baruch claims credit for [redacted] application of "cold war" in present situation, and he in turn credits Herbert Bayard Swope, who helped Baruch with speeches. Baruch told South Carolina legislature April 16, 1947: "We are today in the midst of a cold war." Walter Lippmann also recalled as an early user, but claims no credit; he says [redacted] Le Guerre Froid used in france even after first war.

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(300) SECOND NIGHT LEAD MIDDLE EAST ARMS
BY EDWARD E.BOMAR
WASHINGTON, MAY 25-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE LAUNCHED TODAY A NEW JOINT EFFORT TO BRING STABILITY TO THE MIDDLE EAST WITH A DECLARATION THAT THEY WILL ACT QUICKLY TO PREVENT ANY AGGRESSION BY EITHER THE ARAB STATES OR ISREAL.
THE THREE POWERS ANNOUNCED AT THE SAME TIME A UNIFORM POLICY TO CONTROL THEIR SALE OF ARMS TO THE MIDDLE EAST TROUBLED SPOT. IT IS AIMED AT MAINTAINING A ROUGH BALANCE OF POWER AMONG THE UNEASY NEIGHBORS.
PRESIDENT TRUMAN, HAILING THE AGREEMENT, DECLARED THAT THE UNITED STATES IS CONVINCED THE RESULT WILL BE "INCREASED CONFIDENCE IN FUTURE SECURITY" AMONG BOTH JEWS AND ARABS WHICH WILL CONTRIBUTE TO THE MAINTENANCE OF PEACE.
THE NEW APPROACH TO A SETTLEMENT WAS WORKED OUT AT THE LONDON MEETING OF THE WESTERN FOREIGN MINISTERS AND WAS ANNOUNCED IN A JOINT DECLARATION WHICH SAID:
1. THE THREE GOVERNMENTS RECOGNIZE THAT THE ARAB STATES AND ISRAEL NEED A "CERTAIN LEVEL" OF ARMED FORCES TO ASSURE INTERNAL SECURITY AND LEGITIMATE SELF DEFENSE, AND TO ENABLE THEM TO JOIN IN A DEFENSE OF THE ENTIRE NEAR EAST. WITH THIS WAS COUPLED A RESTATEMENT OF OPPOSITION TO ANY ARMS RACE.
2. ASSURANCES ALREADY HAVE BEEN RECEIVED FROM THE SEVEN NATIONS THAT THE ARMS THEY BUY WILL NOT BE USED FOR AGGRESSION.
3. IF THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE FIND EVIDENCE THAT ANY ONE OF THE MIDDLE EAST STATES IS PREPARING TO VIOLATE FRONTIERS OR ARMISTICE LINES THE POWERS WILL "IMMEDIATELY TAKE ACTION BOTH WITHIN AND OUTSIDE THE UNITED NATIONS."
AS A RESULT OF THE NEW UNIFORM ARMS POLICY, DIPLOMATIC OFFICIALS DECLARED THEY LOOK FOR A NET REDUCTION (CORRECT) IN THE SALE OF MILITARY EQUIPMENT TO THE AREA. THIS EXPLANATION WAS GIVEN SEVERAL HOURS AFTER THE ISSUANCE OF THE JOINT ANNOUNCEMENT, AND SERVED TO CLARIFY EARLIER OFFICIAL INTERPRETATIONS WHICH HAD PLACED MORE EMPHASIS ON THE SALE OF ARMS.
IN TEL AVIV, ISRAEL'S GOVERNMENT WELCOMED THE BIG POWER STATEMENT AND TOOK IT AS A GUARANTEE OF ISRAEL'S BOUNDARIES.
THE BIG THREE LAST YEAR SPOKE OUT AGAINST AN ARMS RACE BETWEEN THE ARABS AND JEWS. TODAY'S JOINT DECLARATION MARKED AN EFFORT TO SETTLE DIFFERENCES IN POLICIES AMONG THE THREE GOVERNMENTS THEMSELVES. THEY WILL REPORT TO EACH OTHER WHEN THEY MAKE AN ARMS SALE AND ACT TO MAINTAIN A BALANCE OF POWER IN THE AREA.
UNTIL NOW THE UNITED STATES HAS BEEN A TARGET OF ARAB CRITICISM FOR ARMS SALES TO ISRAEL, AND BRITAIN HAS BEEN ASSAILED IN ISRAEL FOR ITS BACKING OF SOME OF THE ARAB STATES.
ALONG WITH THE ISRAEL, THE ARAB STATES NOTIFIED WERE EGYPT, IRAQ, SAUDI ARABIA, TRANS JORDAN, SYRIA AND LEBANON.
MR.TRUMAN COMMENTED:
"DURING THE RECENT MEETING IN LONDON, THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE UNITED STATES, THE UNITED KINGDOM, AND FRANCE HAD AN OPPORTUNITY TO REVIEW THE SECURITY AND ARMAMENTS SITUATION IN THE NEAR EAST AND TO CONSIDER WHAT ACTION THEIR GOVERNMENTS MIGHT TAKE TO PROVIDE GREATER STABILITY IN THE AREA. AS A RESULT OF THIS CONSULTATION, A THREE-POWER DECLARATION IS BEING ISSUED. THIS IS ANOTHER OF THE MANY VALUABLE RESULTS OF THE LONDON MEETING.

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THE PARTICIPATION OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT IN THE DECLARATION EMPHASIZES THIS COUNTRY'S DESIRE TO PROMOTE THE MAINTENANCE OF PEACE IN THE FAR EAST. IT IS THE BELIEF OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT THAT THE DECLARATION WILL STIMULATE, IN THE ARAB STATES AND ISRAEL, INCREASED CONFIDENCE IN FUTURE SECURITY, THUS ACCELLERATING THE PROGRESS NOW BEING MADE IN THE NEAR EAST AND CONTRIBUTING TOWARD THE WELL-BEING OF THE PEOPLES THERE."
THE NEW DEPARTURE IN RELATIONS WITH THE ARAB WORLD AND ISRAEL DOES NOT INVOLVE ANY IDEA OF SUPPLYING ARMS IN THE SAME WAY THESE ARE BEING TURNED OVER TO NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY MEMBERS, OFFICIALS STRESSED. THE POLICY APPLIES TO SALES ALONE AND OFFICIALS DECLARED THAT THESE HAVE BEEN SMALL IN VOLUME.
CONGRESSIONAL LEADERS WERE CONSULTED BEFORE THE UNITED STATES JOINED IN THE DECLARATION, REPORTERS WERE TOLD.
OFFICIALS DIRECTLY CONCERNED IN FRAMING THE NEW POLICY DECLARED IT IS AIMED PRIMARILY AT RESTORING CONFIDENCE AND STABILITY IN THE MIDDLE EAST. BLOCKING ANY EXPANSIVE AMBITIONS BY SOVIET UNION WAS DESCRIBED AS ONLY A "PERIPHERAL OBJECTIVE."
THE AREA IS RECOGNIZED AS A VASTLY IMPORTANT AREA FROM THE STANDPOINT OF GRAND STRATEGY, BECAUSE OF ITS OIL AND THE SUEZ CANAL, BUT ITS DEFENSE IN A MAJOR CONFLICT IS RECOGNIZED AS BEYOND THE CAPABILITIES OF THE ARABS AND ISRAEL.
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SECOND LEAD MIDDLE EAST
BY JOHN SCALI
WASHINGTON,MAY 25-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE TODAY ANNOUNCED A JOINT AGREEMENT TO SUPPLY ARMS TO THE MIDDLE EAST--FOR DEFENSE ALONE. PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAILED IT AS A MOVE TO STIMULATE "INCREASED CONFIDENCE IN FUTURE SECURITY" IN THAT AREA.
THE PRESIDENT EXPRESSED THIS VIEW IN A STATEMENT COMMENTING ON THE THREE-POWER ACCORD REACHED AT LONDON DURING THE FOREIGN MINISTERS CONFERENCE EARLY THIS MONTH.
UNDER THE AGREEMENT, ARMS CAN BE SENT TO BOTH THE ARAB NATIONS AND ISRAEL IF THEY GIVE ASSURANCES THEY WILL NOT USE THE MILITARY EQUIPMENT "TO UNDERTAKE ANY ACT OF AGGRESSION AGAINST ANOTHER STATE."
THE AGREEMENT MARKED AN END TO LONG-STANDING DIFFERENCES AMONG THE WESTERN POWERS OVER THE QUESTION OF PROVIDING WEAPONS TO THE FORCES RECENTLY ENGAGED IN BITTER FIGHTING OVER THE PARTITION OF PALESTINE.

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MR.TRUMAN SAID THE UNITED STATES BELIEVES THE ACTION "WILL STIMULATE, IN THE ARAB STATES AND ISRAEL, INCREASED CONFIDENCE IN FUTURE SECURITY, THUS ACCELERATING THE PROGRESS NOW BEING MADE IN THE NEAR EAST AND CONTRIBUTING TOWARD THE WELL-BEING OF PEOPLES THERE."
HE ADDED:
"THE PARTICIPATION OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT IN THE DECLARATION EMPHASIZES THIS COUNTRY'S DESIRE TO PROMOTE THE MAINTENANCE OF PEACE IN THE NEAR EAST."
THE PRESIDENT DECLINED TO ANSWER ANY QUESTIONS ON THE STATEMENT AT HIS NEWS CONFERENCE.

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THE TEXT OF HIS STATEMENT:
DURING THE RECENT MEETING IN LONDON, THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE UNITED STATES, THE UNITED KINGDOM, AND FRANCE HAD AN OPPORTUNITY TO REVIEW THE SECURITY AND ARMAMENTS SITUATION IN THE NEAR EAST AND TO CONSIDER WHAT ACTION THEIR GOVERNMENTS MIGHT TAKE TO PROVIDE GREATER STABILITY IN THE AREA. AS A RESULT OF THIS CONSULTATION, A THREE-POWER DECLARATION IS BEING ISSUED. THIS IS ANOTHER OF THE MANY VALUABLE RESULTS OF THE LONDON MEETING.
THE PARTICIPATION OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT IN THE DECLARATION EMPHASIZES THIS COUNTRY'S DESIRE TO PROMOTE THE MAINTENANCE OF PEACE IN THE NEAR EAST. IT IS THE BELIEF OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT THAT THE DECLARATION WILL STIMULATE, IN THE ARAB STATES AND ISRAEL, INCREASED CONFIDENCE IN FUTURE SECURITY, THUS ACCELERATING THE PROGRESS NOW BEING MADE IN THE NEAR EAST AND CONTRIBUTING TOWARD THE WELL-BEING OF THE PEOPLES THERE.
THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE AGREEMENT WAS MADE SIMULTANEOUSLY IN LONDON, PARIS AND WASHINGTO

ALTHOUGH THERE WAS NO REFERENCE IN THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE STRATEGIC IMPORTANCE OF THE MIDDLE EAST IN THE EAST-WEST COLD WAR, OFFICIALS HERE WERE OF THE OPINION THE BIG-THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS HAD THIS STRONGLY IN MIND.
THEIR JOINT STATEMENT SAID THE THREE GOVERNMENTS RECOGNIZED THAT THE ARAB STATES AND ISRAEL "NEED TO MAINTAIN A CERTAIN LEVEL OF ARMED FORCES FOR THE PURPOSE OF INSURING THEIR INTERNAL SECURITY, THEIR SELF DEFENSE AND TO PERMIT THEM TO PLAY THEIR DUE PART IN THE DEFENSE OF THE WHOLE AREA."
REQUESTS BY MIDDLE EASTERN COUNTRIES FOR AMS "WILL BE APPRAISED IN THE LIGHT OF THESE PRINCIPLES," THE STATEMENT ADDED.
THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID THAT MIDDLE EASTERN COUNTRIES NOW RECEIVING ARMS FROM THE THREE POWERS ALREADY HAVE GIVEN ASSURANCES THE WEAPONS WOULD NOT BE USED FOR ACTS OF AGGRESSION. SIMILAR ASSURANCES WILL BE REQUESTED OF OTHER STATES IN THE AREA BEFORE FUTURE ARMS SHIPMENTS ARE AUTHORIZED, IT SAID.
THIS WOULD INDICATE THAT EGYPT AND HASHEMITE JORDAN, TWO OF THE ARAB COUNTRIES WHICH FOUGHT AGAINST ISRAEL OVER PALESTINE PARTITION HAVE PLEDGED THEMSELVES TO PEACE. THEY HAVE BEEN RECEIVING ARMS AID FROM BRITAIN.
SHOULD ANY NATION RECEIVING ARMS UNDER THE ARRANGEMENT SHOW SIGNS OF PREPARING TO "VIOLATE BORDERS OR TRUCE LINES," THE STATEMENT SAID THE THREE POWERS WOULD "ACT AT ONCE" THROUGH THE UNITED NATIONS "TO PREVENT SUCH VIOLATION."
THE ARRANGEMENT WAS TO BE ANNOUNCED SIMULTANEOUSLY IN WASHINGTON, LONDON AND PARIS.

MR.TRUMAN WAS SAID TO FEEL THAT THE AGREEMENT IS OF TOP IMPORTANCE IN VIEW OF THE FRICTION WHICH HAS EXISTED AMONG THE WESTERN POWERS OVER SENDING ARMS INTO THE TOUCHY PALESTINE AREA.
OFFICIALS SAID SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON, BRITISH FOREIGN MINISTER BEVIN AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER SCHUMAN REACHED THE DECISION TO SEND THE MIDDLE EAST "STRICTLY DEFENSIVE" MILITARY SUPPLIES AT THEIR RECENTLY-CONCLUDED CONFERENCE IN LONDON.
THE THREE FOREIGN POLICY CHIEFS ARE REPORTED TO HAVE EXAMINED THE MIDDLE EASTERN PICTURE IN DETAIL AND TO HAVE REACHED COMPLETE AGREEMENT ON COORDINATING THEIR POLICIES THERE MORE CLOSELY.
THE DECISION ON ARMS SHIPMENTS IN EFFECT APPROVES BRITAIN'S PAST POLICY OF SHIPPING ARMS TO EGYPT AND HASHEMITE JORDAN, COUNTRIES WITH WHICH IT HAS AGREEMENTS FOR MILITARY AID.
THE ISRAELI GOVERNMENT AND NUMEROUS AMERICAN CONGRESSMEN HAVE BITTERLY DENOUNCED THE BRITISH FOR THIS POLICY, CLAIMING THE ARMS ARE INTENDED FOR AGGRESSION AGAINST THE NEW JEWISH STATE.
TO COUNTER THIS SITUATION, ISRAEL HAS APPEALED TO THE UNITED STATES FOR HEAVY AMERICAN SUPPLIES SUCH AS TANKS, ARTILLERY, AND JET PLANES. THE UNITED STATES DELAYED ITS ANSWER PENDING A DISCUSSION OF JOINT POLICY WITH FRANCE AND BRITAIN.
WHILE THE DECISION NOW REACHED COULD PAVE THE WAY FOR AMERICAN ARMS AID TO ISRAEL, MILITARY LEADERS HERE HAVE BEEN MORE CONCERNED AT THE WEAKENED STATE OF THE ARAB FORCES THAN AT THE CONDITION OF THE VICTORIOUS ISRAELI ARMY.
OFFICIALS FAMILIAR WITH THE SITUATION SAID THE NORTH ATLANTIC PACT COUNTRIES OF WESTERN EUROPE WILL CONTINUE TO HAVE PROMPT PRIORITY ON ALL AVAILABLE AMERICAN MILITARY SUPPLIES AND NEWLY MANUFACTURED EQUIPMENT.
BUT, THEY SAID, A STEADIER FLOW OF AMERICAN ARMS TO THE MIDDLE EAST CAN BE EXPECTED, SINCE SOME AMERICAN SURPLUS IS AVAILABLE WHICH IS NOT NEEDED URGENTLY IN THE NORTH ATLANTIC AREA.
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(EDITORS: A LEAD MIDDLE EAST ARMS IS EXPECTED FOR RELEASE AT 10 A.M. EST)
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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 10 A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, THURSDAY, MAY 25)
WITH WASHINGTON MIDDLE EAST
(ADVANCE) LONDON, MAY 25-(AP)-A BRITISH FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY THE AMERICAN-BRITISH-FRENCH AGREEMENT TO ARM THE MIDDLE EAST IS AIMED AT HALTING A FRANTIC REARMAMENT RACE IN THAT AREA AND STRENGTHENING THE ECONOMIC POSITIONS OF GOVERNMENTS THERE.
SUCH A PROGRAM IS DESIGNED, THE SPOKESMAN SAID, TO HELP PROTECT THE MIDDLE EAST COUNTRIES AGAINST COMMUNIST PENETRATION.
BRITAIN ALREADY SUPPLIES ARMS TO EGYPT, IRAQ, JORDAN AND SAUDI ARABIA, UNDER TREATIES WITH THOSE COUNTRIES. THE SPOKESMAN SAID ALL FOUR HAD FURNISHED ASSURANCES UNDER TERMS OF THE NEW THREE-POWER AGREEMENT THAT THEY WOULD REQUEST ARMS ONLY FOR INTERNAL SECURITY.
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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 10 A.M. E.S.T. TODAY, THURSDAY, MAY 25)
(ADVANCE)...PARIS, MAY 25-(AP)-FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF A STATEMENT BY THE FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTRY, PUBLISHED BY THE FRENCH NEWS AGENCY, CONCERNING ARMS AID TO COUNTRIES OF THE MIDDLE EAST BY THE GOVERNMENTS OF THE UNITED STATES, GREAT BRITAIN AND FRANCE:
"THE GOVERNMENTS OF THE UNITED KINGDOM, FRANCE AND THE UNITED STATES HAVING HAD THE OPPORTUNITY DURING THE RECENT MEETING IN LONDON OF THE FOREIGN MINISTERS TO EXAMINE CERTAIN QUESTIONS RELATING TO PEACE AND TO THE STABILITY OF THE ARAB STATES AND THE STATE OF ISRAEL AND ESPECIALLY TO THE QUESTION OF SHIPMENTS OF ARMS AND WAR MATERIAL TO THESE STATES HAVE DECIDED TO MAKE THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT:

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"1. THE THREE GOVERNMENTS RECOGNIZING THAT THE ARAB STATES AND THE STATE OF ISRAEL NEED ALL TO MAINTAIN A CERTAIN LEVEL OF ARMED FORCES FOR THE PURPOSE OF INSURING THEIR INTERNAL SECURITY, THEIR SELF DEFENSE AND TO PERMIT THEM TO PLAY THEIR DUE PART IN THE DEFENSE OF THE WHOLE AREA, EVERY REQUEST FOR ARMS OR [redacted] MATERIAL FOR THESE COUNTRIES WILL BE APPRAISED IN THE LIGHT OF THESE PRINCIPLES. THEREFOR THE THREE GOVERNMENTS WANT TO [redacted] THE TERMS OF THE STATEMENT MADE BY THEIR REPRESENTATIVES IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL ON AUG. 4, 1949, A STATEMENT BY WHICH THEY INDICATED THEIR OPPOSITION TO THE DEVELOPMENT OF AN ARMS RACE BETWEEN THE ARAB STATES AND ISRAEL.

"2. THE THREE GOVERNMENTS STATE THAT THEY HAVE RECEIVED FROM ALL COUNTRIES PRESENTLY THE RECIPIENTS OF ARMS SHIPMENTS THE ASSURANCE THAT THE BUYER-STATE DOES NOT INTEND TO UNDERTAKE ANY ACT OF AGGRESSION AGAINST ANOTHER STATE. SIMILAR ASSURANCES WILL BE REQUESTED FROM EVERY OTHER STATE IN THE AREA TO WHICH THEY WOULD AUTHORIZE SHIPMENTS OF ARMS IN THE FUTURE.

"3. THE THREE GOVERNMENTS TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO STATE THE DEEP INTEREST THEY TAKE IN THIS QUESTION, THEIR WISH TO HELP TO RESTORE AND MAINTAIN PEACE AND STABILITY IN THIS AREA AND THEIR UNFAILING OPPOSITION TO ANY USE OF FORCE OR ANY THREAT TO RESORT TO FORCE BETWEEN ANY STATES OF THIS AREA.

"THE THREE GOVERNMENTS IF THEY SAW THAT ANY OF THESE STATES WAS PREPARING TO VIOLATE BORDERS OR TRUCE LINES WOULD NOT FAIL, ACCORDING TO THEIR OBLIGATIONS AS MEMBERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS, TO ACT AT ONCE IN THE FRAME OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND BESIDE THIS FRAME TO PREVENT SUCH VIOLATION."

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PARIS--EMBARGOED MIDEAST ARMS STATEMENT (B10) SECOND GRAF BEGINNING "1. THE THREE GOVERNMENTS ETC. READ X X X EVERY REQUEST FOR ARMS OR WAR (NOT WATER) MATERIALS ETC. IN SECOND SENTENCE SAME GRAF REAE X X HREE GOVERNMENTS WANT TO RECALL (NOT REMEMBER) AND REAFFIRM ETC.

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WITH WASHINGTON MIDDLE EAST (350)

BY STAN SWINTON

CAIRO, EGYPT, MAY 25-(AP)-WESTERN DIPLOMATS TODAY HAILED THE WESTERN POWERS' DECISION ON SUPPLYING ARMIS TO THE MIDDLE EAST AS A MAJOR STEP TOWARD STABILIZING THIS TURBULENT PORTION OF THE WORLD.

THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE ANNOUNCED THAT THEY WILL SELL ARMS ON AN EQUAL BASIS TO THE JEWS AND ARABS. THEY SPECIFIED THAT THE PURCHASERS MUST PLEDGE THAT THEY PLAN NO AGGRESSION AGAINST THEIR NEIGHBORS AND MUST USE THE MILITARY SUPPLIES FOR LEGITIMATE DEFENSIVE PURPOSES AND FOR ASSURING THE INTERNAL SECURITY OF THE ARAB STATES AND ISRAEL.

DIPLOMATIC SOURCES EXPRESSED THE OPINION THAT THE ARAB STATES WILL WELCOME THE BIG THREE DECISION FOR THESE REASON:

1--THE UNITED STATES NOW WILL SELL MUCH DEFENSIVE ARMS AS RIFLES AND MACHINEGUNS TO THE ARAB STATES. THIS MEETS A LONGTIME ARAB REQUEST. A U.S. SPOKESMAN SAID EVERY ARAB STATE URGENTLY HAS REQUESTED THE RIGHT TO PURCHASE AMERICAN ARMS DURING THE PAST YEAR.

2--THE BIG THREE DID NOT MAKE THE CONCLUSION OF A FORMAL PEACE WITH ISRAEL AS A CONDITION TO THE ARMS SHIPMENTS. THIS IS WHAT THE ARABS WANTED. THEY REPEATEDLY HAVE DECLINED TO MAKE A FORMAL PEACE WITH ISRAEL OR TO END THE ECONOMIC BLOCKADE OF THE JEWISH STATE.

3--THE BIG THREE WARNING TO MIDDLE EAST COUNTRIES TO REFRAIN FROM VIOLATING FRONTIERS OR ARMISTICE LINES SHOULD END ARAB FEARS THAT ISRAEL MIGHT OCCUPY ARAB PALESTINE BY FORCE. WHETHER JUSTIFIED OR NOT THESE FEARS HAVE BEEN VERY REAL CAUSING NATIONS LIKE EGYPT TO SPEND ONE-THIRD OF THEIR BUDGET ON ARMS. (MOST OF ARAB PALESTINE HAS BEEN INCORPORATED INTO JORDAN--AN ACTION WHICH THE OTHER ARAB STATES HAVE NOT RECOGNIZED).

4--ARAB UNITY SHOULD BE HELPED BY THE ELIMINATION OF EGYPTIAN AND SAUDI ARABIAN FEARS THAT SYRIA MIGHT BE FORCED INTO A UNION BY IRAQ OR JORDAN. THE CAIRO NEWSPAPER AL ZAMAN PREDICTED THE FIRST RESULT OF THE BIG THREE MOVE WOULD BE THE RESTORATION OF SYRIAN STABILITY. SYRIA HAS HAD THREE COUPS IN THE LAST YEAR BECAUSE OF A TUG-OF-WAR BETWEEN PRO-UNION AND ANTI-UNION GROUPS WITH UNDERCOVER SUPPORT FROM CONTENDING ARAB FACTIONS.

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IN TEL AVIV THE ISRAELI GOVERNMENT ISSUED A FORMAL STATEMENT EXPRESSING SATISFACTION WITH THE THREE-POWER ACTION. GOVERNMENT SOURCES EXPRESSED THE OPINION THE WESTERN POWERS' DECISION IN EFFECT GUARANTEED ISRAEL'S TERRITORIAL BOUNDARIES.

A UNITED NATIONS SPOKESMAN SAID THE BIG THREE ACTION COULD BE REGARDED AS PROVIDING A FAVORABLE ATMOSPHERE FOR PEACE NEGOTIATIONS BUT WAS "NO SUBSTITUTE FOR PEACE" BETWEEN ISRAEL AND THE ARAB NATIONS.

HE ADDED THAT RENEWED EFFORTS HAD BEEN MADE BY THE PALESTINE CONCILIATION COMMISSION IN GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, THIS WEEK TO BREAK THE MONTHS LONG STALEMATE IN PEACE NEGOTIATIONS.

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TEL AVIV, ISRAEL, MAY 25-(AP)-ISRAEL PROMISED TONIGHT TO REFRAIN FROM ANY ACT OF AGGRESSION AGAINST ANY STATE IF SHE GETS ARMS FROM THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE.

THE GOVERNMENT ISSUED A FORMAL STATEMENT SAYING THIS WAS ISRAEL'S REACTION TO THE THREE-POWER DECLARATION THAT MIDDLE EAST NATIONS MUST GIVE ASSURANCE THAT ANY ARMS AID RECEIVED WOULD BE USED SOLELY FOR DEFENSE.

THE GOVERNMENT EXPRESSED SATISFACTION AT THE THREE-POWER ACTION, VIEWING IT AS CONFIRMATION OF ISRAEL'S RIGHT TO BUY ARMS FOR

DEFENSE, AND OF HER CONTENTION THAT THE ARMS RACE IN THE MIDDLE EAST MUST END.

GOVERNMENT SOURCES EXPRESSED THE OPINION THAT THE THREE-POWER DECLARATION IN EFFECT GUARANTEED THE PRESENT TERRITORIAL BOUNDARIES OF THIS NATION. THEY SAID IT INDICATED THE WESTERN NATIONS WOULD INTERVENE, IF NECESSARY, TO HALT ANY ATTACK UPON ISRAEL.

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LONDON,MAY 25-(AP)-FBI MEN PUSHED FORWARD TODAY WITH THE JOB OF UNRAVELING RUSSIA'S ATOM SPY NET WITH THE HELP OF CONVICTED BRITISH SCIENTIST DR.KLAUS FUCHS.

V.H.CLEGG AND ROBERT LAMPHER, WHO CAME HERE FROM THE UNITED STATES TO QUESTION FUCHS, WORKED OVER A SHEAF OF SECRET DOCUMENTS FLOWN HERE LAST NIGHT.

BRITISH PRESS ASSOCIATION SAID THE G-MEN VISITED FUCHS THIS MORNING AND SHOWED HIM PHOTOGRAPHS OF AMERICAN SPY SUSPECTS. THERE WAS NO CONFIRMATION OF THIS FROM ANY OFFICIAL SOURCE.

OFFICIAL AMERICAN SOURCES CONTINUED THEIR RETICENCE ABOUT THE ACTIVITIES OF CLEGG AND LAMPHER, SAYING ONLY THAT "THEIR WORK IS CONTINUING."

THE TWO HAVE SEEN FUCHS AT WORMWOOD SCRUBS PRISON ALMOST EVERY DAY SINCE THEY ARRIVED HERE LAST WEEKEND. FUCHS IS SERVING A 14-YEAR SENTENCE FOR PASSING ATOM SECRETS TO RUSSIA.

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A179

(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 130 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY, THURSDAY, MAY 25)

(ADVANCE)-LONDON, MAY 25-(AP)-RUSSIA AND HER SATELLITES ARE PRODUCING BETWEEN 25,000 AND 40,000 WARPLANES ANNUALLY, A LEADER IN BRITISH AVIATION SAID TONIGHT.

SIR RICHARD FAIREY, PLANE BUILDER, MADE THAT TESTIMATE DURING THE WILBUR WRIGHT MEMORIAL LECTURE TO THE ROYAL AERONAUTICAL SOCIETY.

A LARGE PROPORTION OF RUSSIA'S NEW OUTPUT INCLUDES JET FIGHTERS AND BOMBERS COPIED FROM THE AMERICAN B-29 SUPERFORT, THE BRITISH PLANE MANUFACTURER SAID.

THE AUTHORITATIVE "JANES ALL THE WORLD'S AIRCRAFT" REPORTED SEVERAL MONTHS AGO THAT RUSSIA NOW HAS IN PRODUCTION AT LEAST SEVEN TYPES OF JET WARPLANES, INCLUDING TWO MULTI-JET BOMBERS BELIEVED CAPABLE OF CARRYING ATOM BOMBS.

(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 1:30 P.M., EST, TODAY, THURSDAY, MAY 25)

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LONDON, MAY 25-(AP)-THE TIRANA RADIO ANNOUNCED TONIGHT THREE ALBANIANS CHARGED WITH BEING AMERICAN-TRAINED SABOTEURS WHO WERE PARACHUTED INTO ALBANIA HAD CONFESSED AND BEEN CONVICTED.

THE BROADCAST, MONITORED HERE BY TELERADIO, DID NOT SAY WHETHER SENTENCE HAD BEEN PASSED ON THEM.

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(120)

LONDON, MAY 25-(AP)-YUGOSLAVIA TODAY DEMANDED COMPENSATION FROM ALBANIA FOR THE WOUNDING OF A YUGOSLAV FRONTIER GUARD, THE BELGRADE RADIO SAID TONIGHT.

THE BROADCAST, QUOTING THE YUGOSLAV NEWS AGENCY TANJUG, SAID THE DEMAND WAS MADE IN A NOTE. IT CHARGED ALBANIAN SOLDIERS WITH FIRING MORE THAN 3,350 ROUNDS FROM TWO MACHINEGUNS AND 15 RIFLES TUESDAY AT TWO YUGOSLAV FRONTIER GUARDS IN THE MT.KALABAKA DISTRICT.

ONE GUARD, IDENTIFIED AS CETKO UMKOVIC, WAS WOUNDED. THE NOTE ASKED THAT HE BE COMPENSATED AND HIS ASSAILANTS PUNISHED. IT CHARGED ALBANIA WITH "EXCLUSIVE RESPONSIBILITY" FOR THE EXISTING STATE OF AFFAIRS ALONG THE YUGOSLAV-ALBANIAN FRONTIER.

THE TWO COUNTRIES HAVE BEEN SWAPPING SIMILAR CHARGES SINCE THE SPLIT BETWEEN YUGOSLAV PREMIER MARSHAL TITO AND THE MOSCOW-DIRECTED COMINFORM IN 1948.

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NEW YORK, MAY 25-(AP)-MARSHAL TITO SAID TONIGHT IN A BROADCAST FROM YUGOSLAVIA THAT IT IS FUTILE TO TALK OF OUTLAWING ATOMIC WEAPONS WHILE THE QUESTION OF PEACE ITSELF IS IN THE BALANCE.

THE YUGOSLAV PREMIER SPOKE OVER THE ABC NETWORK IN REPLY TO QUESTIONS ADDRESSED TO HIM BY MEMBERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS CORRESPONDENTS' ASSOCIATION.

THE INTERVIEW WAS CARRIED ON BY TELEPHONE WITH TITO'S REPLIES TRANSLATED AT THIS END OF THE WIRE AND THE ENTIRE SERIES OF QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS TRANSCRIBED FOR BROADCASTING.

"IT IS ESSENTIAL," TITO SAID, "TO SETTLE FIRST THE QUESTION OF PEACE ITSELF X X X AND I AM CONVINCED THAT IT WILL THEN BE EASY TO SETTLE THE QUESTION OF THE CONTROL OF ATOMIC ENERGY AS WELL."

TITO SAID THE FAILURE OF THE U.N. TO OUTLAW ATOMIC WEAPONS WAS DUE TO THE FACT THAT "THIS QUESTION HAS NOT BEEN APPROACHED AT THE RIGHT TIME."

"IT IS ESSENTIAL URGENTLY TO ELIMINATE FROM RELATIONS BETWEEN STATES THOSE ELEMENTS WHICH ARE CONSTANTLY CAUSING INCREASING INTERNATIONAL TENSION," HE SAID.

TITO DID NOT REFER DIRECTLY TO HIS SPLIT WITH THE COMINFORM, BUT HE DEPLORED THE TENDENCY OF BIG POWERS TO INTERFERE IN THE AFFAIRS OF SMALL COUNTRIES AND "THE TENDENCY TOWARD THE POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC SUBJUGATION OF ECONOMICALLY WEAK AND UNDER-DEVELOPED COUNTRIES."

TITO SAID THAT THE SECOND WORLD WAR HAD SHOWN THAT MILLIONS OF PEOPLE CAN BE KILLED AND DESTRUCTION WROUGHT THROUGHOUT THE WORLD EVEN WITHOUT THE ATOMIC WEAPON.

"THEREFORE," HE SAID, "IT IS NOT ONLY A QUESTION OF OUTLAWING THE ATOMIC WEAPON BUT ALSO A QUESTION OF DISARMAMENT IN GENERAL.

"NOT EMPTY DECLARATIONS AND CATCH WORDS BUT CONCRETE ACTS CAN SHOW WHO IS FOR PEACE AND WHO IS NOT; SUCH ACTS ALONE CAN LEAD TO PEACE."

TITO SAID IT IS ONLY THROUGH THE U.N. THAT THESE DIFFICULTIES CAN BE OVERCOME AND THE WAY CLEARED FOR THE CONTROL OF ATOMIC ENERGY, THE OUTLAWING OF ATOMIC WEAPONS AND DISARMAMENT IN GENERAL.

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(160)
LONDON, FRIDAY, MAY 26-(AP)-BRITAIN HAS TOLD FRANCE SHE IS READY TO JOIN THE FRENCH AND WEST GERMANS IN TALKS ON FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN'S PLAN FOR A EUROPEAN STEEL AND COAL POOL.
THIS WORD LEAKED OUT AFTER THE BRITISH CABINET MET IN LONDON LAST NIGHT AND BRITISH AMBASSADOR SIR OLIVER HARVEY SAW SCHUMAN IN PARIS.
ON MAY 9 ON THE EVE OF THE LONDON CONFERENCE OF UNITED STATES, BRITISH AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTERS, SCHUMAN PROPOSED THAT AS A BASIS FOR POLITICAL UNITY FRANCE AND WEST GERMANY PUT THEIR STEEL AND COAL INDUSTRIES UNDER A COMMON AUTHORITY THAT OTHER NATIONS SHOULD BE INVITED TO JOIN.
BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN SAID LATER THE IDEA SOUNDED GOOD BUT HE WOULD LIKE MORE DETAILS. SIR OLIVER IS PRESUMED TO HAVE CONVEYED SOME SUCH THOUGHT TO SCHUMAN.
SCHUMAN TOLD THE FRENCH CABINET WEDNESDAY THAT DIRECT NEGOTIATIONS ON THE PLAN WOULD START SOON.
BRITAIN FACES THE PROBLEM OF RECONCILING ANY OVERALL INDUSTRIAL CONTROL WITH HER OWN NATIONAL PLANNING WHICH AIMS PRIMARILY AT HELPING HER DOLLAR EXPORT DRIVE.
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PARIS,MAY 25-(AP)-POLAND PROTESTED TODAY FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN'S PLAN FOR POOLING THE FRENCH AND GERMAN COAL AND STEEL INDUSTRIES.
THE PROTEST, APPARENTLY VERBAL, WAS DELIVERED TO THE FRENCH FOREIGN OFFICE ON THE QUAI D'ORSAY BY POLISH AMBASSADOR JERSY PUTRAMENT.
POLISH SOURCES SAID THE AMBASSADOR HAD TOLD THE FOREIGN MINISTRY THAT THE POLISH PEOPLE SEE IN "SUCH A CARTEL" A BASIS FOR A DEVELOPMENT OF GERMAN IMPERIALISM "IN ITS NEW ROLE OF VASSAL SUBJECTED TO THE FINANCIAL OLIGARCHY OF THE GREAT AMERICAN TRUSTS."
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Warsaw, Poland, May 25--(AP)--Vice-Premier Alexander Zawadski [redacted] accused speculators, the bourgeoisie and the kulaks (prosperous peasants) of continuing to resist Polish socialism.

In a speech delivered to the presidium of Warsaw's "National Council" and released today, Zawadski said these "national councils" are expected to become tools in the fight against the "remnants of the vile and rotten bourgeois ideology."

March 20 the Polish parliament unanimously voted to eliminate the existing organs of local government and set up a series of "national councils" on the village, district and state levels. These councils are responsible to the highest bodies of the central government.

Western diplomats held that by passing the act, Parliament abdicated such authority as it previously had enjoyed.

Zawadski claimed that the old municipal administrative apparatus had many shortcomings and was obsolete. He said it had failed to establish the closest possible relations between the working masses and the machinery of government.

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Neither Zawadski nor any other government spokesman who has preceded him has explained exactly how the new "national councils" operate. [redacted] they have become the administrative and executive units at all levels of provincial government from the smallest village to the largest city. They are responsible to a new office set up in the Council of Ministers (Cabinet).

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A49 (200)
BERLIN, MAY 25-(AP)-THE EAST GERMAN COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT TODAY ACCUSED THE AMERICANS OF AN "ENORMOUS CRIMINAL PLOT"--SPRAYING POTATO BUGS OVER EAST GERMANY FROM PLANES. THE CHARGE GOT A BIG LAUGH FROM THE AMERICANS.
THE ALLEGATION WAS BROADCAST BY THE SOVIET-CONTROLLED NEWS AGENCY ADN. IT GAVE THIS ACCOUNT:
EAST GERMAN AUTHORITIES CHARGED THAT LAST NIGHT SOME AMERICAN PLANES FLEW OVER FORBIDDEN AREAS OF THE SOVIET OCCUPATION ZONE--THAT IS, OUTSIDE THE PRESCRIBED AIR CORRIDORS TO BERLIN--AND SPREAD POTATO BUGS.
THE REGIONS THUS BOMBARDED INCLUDED THE SAXONY TOWNS OF ZWICKAU, WERDAU, LICHTENTANNE, EIBENSTOCK AND BERNDDORF.
"POTATO BUGS WERE FOUND IN BUNCHES UP TO 100 AFTER AN AMERICAN PLANE HAD PASSED. IT WAS OBSERVED THAT ONE PLANE WAS A TWIN-ENGINED CRAFT WHICH LATER HEADED TOWARD THE AMERICAN OCCUPATION ZONE.
"AN EXTENSIVE EXTERMINATION CAMPAIGN HAS BEEN MOBILIZED BY ALL ORGANIZATIONS. THERE IS GREAT INDIGNATION AMONG THE POPULATION ABOUT THIS CRIMINAL PLOT."
IN WIESBADEN AMERICAN AIRMEN LAUGHED HEARTILY WHEN THEY WERE TOLD OF THE POTATO BUG REPORT.
"ARE YOU JOKING?" INQUIRED AN AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN.
ASSURED ADN HAD ISSUED SUCH AN ACCUSATION, HE SAID IT WAS "RIDICULOUS" AND THERE WAS NOTHING TO IT.
ONE AIRMEN OFFERED THE FACETIOUS COMMENT THAT "WE PAINT THE FOUR FREEDOMS ON THE BACK OF EACH BUG." ANOTHER ONE SAID HE DIDN'T KNOW THERE WAS A POTATO BUG THIS SIDE OF KANSAS.
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A110 (120)
BERLIN,MAY 25-(AP)-EAST GERMANY WILL EXCLUDE THE RUSSIAN SECTOR OF BERLIN FROM ITS ELECTION NEXT OCT. 15 FOR FEAR THE BONN REPUBLIC MIGHT THEN INCORPORATE WEST BERLIN AS A STATE, COMMUNIST SOURCES DISCLOSED TODAY.
HANS JENDRETZKI, LOCAL CHAIRMAN OF THE SOCIALIST UNITY (COMMUNIST) PARTY, SAID THE FOUR SECTORS OF BERLIN WOULD CONTINUE, AS BEFORE, UNDER THE CONTROL OF THE SOVIET UNION, UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE.
WEST BERLIN'S GERMAN GOVERNMENT HAS REPEATEDLY DEMANDED THAT THE THREE ALLIED SECTORS BE RECOGNIZED AS A 12TH STATE OF WEST GERMANY.
COMMUNISTS DESCRIBE EAST BERLIN AS THE CAPITAL OF THE EAST GERMAN REPUBLIC AND HAVE THEIR MINISTRIES IN THE SOVIET SECTORS. BUT THE QUESTION OF BERLIN VOTING RIGHTS WAS LEFT VAGUE UNTIL TODAY.
THE ALLIES PERMIT WEST BERLIN TO HAVE VOTELESS OBSERVERS IN THE WEST GERMAN PARLIAMENT.
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NIGHT LEAD COM UNISTS (600)
BY THOMAS A.REEDY
BERLIN, MAY 25-(AP)-PROBLEMS OF THE COMMUNIST YOUTH "MARCH ON BERLIN" SWAMPED SOVIET SECTOR OFFICIALDOM WITH GROWING CONFUSION TODAY BUT WESTERN OFFICIALS PREDICTED THE FIVE-DAY RALLY PROBABLY WOULD NOT DISTURB THEIR PART OF THE CITY MUCH.
"WE WILL COUNT OURSELVES LUCKY IF THERE ARE NO INCIDENTS," U.S.COMMANDANT MAJ.GEN.MAXWELL D.TAYLOR SAID, HOWEVER.
HE CALLED THE SCHEDULED WHITSUNTIDE MARCH OF 500,000 BLUE-SHIRTED COMMUNIST "FREE GERMAN YOUTH" (FDJ) "SIMPLY ANOTHER INCIDENT" IN THE SOVIET CAMPAIGN TO HARASS WESTERN ALLIES IN BERLIN.
TAYLOR SAID THE INFLUX OF SO MANY BOYS AND GIRLS INTO EAST BERLIN IS ALMOST CERTAIN TO CREATE SOME CONFUSION WHICH MIGHT LEAD TO MINOR INCIDENTS.
BUT HE SAID THE COMMUNISTS HAD DROPPED THEIR AGGRESSIVE TONE WHICH A MONTH AGO HAD THREATENED TO TURN THE RALLY INTO A "PUTSCH."
CONFUSION FIRST AROSE OUT OF DIRECTIVES BY EAST GERMAN AUTHORITIES NOT VERY CLEARLY OUTLINING RESTRICTIONS AND DETOURS FOR WEEKEND TRAFFIC ON THE SUPER-HIGHWAY LINKING BERLIN WITH WESTERN GERMANY THROUGH THE SOVIET ZONE.
UNITED STATES, BRITISH AND FRENCH OFFICIALS FEARED THE RESTRICTIONS, IMPOSED TO SPEED UP THE TRANSPORT OF THE YOUTH, MIGHT DEVELOP INTO A TEMPORARY BLOCKADE.
SOVIET COLONEL ALEXEI JELISAROV SAID, HOWEVER, THERE WOULD BE ONLY A SHORT DETOUR AND ASSURED THE WESTERN ALLIES THEIR NORMAL TRAFFIC WOULD NOT BE HAMPERED.
ALL AMERICANS HAVE BEEN ORDERED OFF THE AUTOBAHN AT NIGHT LEST THEY GET LOST IN THE SOVIET ZONE ON THE DETOUR. AMERICAN

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JEEP PATROLS CRUISED THE HIGHWAY TO BE SURE THE RUSSIANS KEPT THEIR WORD AND TO DIRECT TRAFFIC OVER THE DETOUR.

CONFUSION ALSO APPARENTLY REIGNED IN THE OFFICE OF GERHART EISLER, FUGITIVE FROM THE U.S. AND PROPAGANDA CHIEF OF THE EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT.

HIS OFFICE WAS ADMITTEDLY SWAMPED BY THE MACHINERY FOR GRANTING PASSES TO THE HUNDREDS OF WESTERN NEWSMEN WHO HAVE COME TO COVER THE BIG EVENT.

EAST BERLIN "PEOPLE'S POLICE- SHOWED THEY DIDN'T ALWAYS RECOGNIZE THE SPECIAL WHITSUNTIDE PASSES EISLER HANDED OUT.

POLICE ARRESTED FRANK NOEL, ASSOCIATED PRESS PHOTOGRAPHER, SEARCHED AND HELD HIM FOR AN HOUR ON THE CLAIM THAT HIS PASS WAS NO GOOD AND HIS CREDENTIALS WERE NOT IN ORDER.

HAROLD (HAL) WILLIAMS, CORRESPONDENT FOR THE BALTIMORE SUN, WAS DISACREDITED AND BANNED FROM THE RALLY ON CHARGES THAT HE HAD TAKEN PICTURES YESTERDAY "DESIGNED TO FALSIFY THE SENSE AND PURPOSE OF THE MEETING." WILLIAMS PROTESTED AT YOUTH HEADQUARTERS THAT HE DIDN'T EVEN HAVE A CAMERA WITH HIM. THE AGENCY LATER RETRACTED THE CHARGE AGAINST HIM WITHOUT EXPLANATION.

LATER FRED MORGAN, PHOTOGRAPHER FOR THE NEW YORK DAILY NEWS, SAID THE COMMUNISTS HAD WITHDRAWN HIS CREDENTIALS FOR THE YOURTH RALLY. MORGAN SAID THE COMMUNIST PRESS HEADQUARTERS HAD ACCUSED HIM OF TALKING PICTURES WHICH WOULD PUT THE YOUTH RALLY IN A BAD LIGHT AND "FALSIFY ITS PURPOSE."

THE PHOTOGRAPHER SAID WILLIAMS WAS WITH HIM AT THE RALLY OPENING YESTERDAY AND THAT THE COMMUNIST PRESS HEADQUARTERS APPARENTLY HAD CONFUSED THEIR NAMES.

HE DENIED THE COMMUNIST CHARGES, SAYING THAT REPRESENTATIVES OF FDJ HAD ACCOMPANIED HIM THROUGH THEIR EAST BERLIN TENT CITY AND GIVEN HIM PRIOR APPROVAL FOR THE PICTURES HE WAS TAKING.

MORGAN SAID THAT THE PRESS HEADQUARTERS CLAIMED "I POSED SOME OF THEIR YOUNG PIONEERS (CHILDREN UNDER 14) SO THAT THEY WOULD LOOK UNHAPPY INSTEAD OF SMILING." HE COUNTERED HE HAD JUST ASKED THE CHILDREN TO "STAND UP AND LOOK NATURAL."

THE BULK OF THE YOUTH WILL ARRIVE BY TRAIN AND ROAD CONVOY BETWEEN NOW AND SATURDAY FOR THE CLIMAX DAWN-TO-DUSK PARADE ON SUNDAY. THOUSANDS ALREADY HERE STOOD ON THE RUSSIAN SECTOR BORDER AT BRANDENBURG GATE FOR HOURS WITHOUT MAKING A MOVE TO PENETRATE THE CORDON OF WEST BERLIN POLICE. EAST BERLIN POLICE WARNED THEM TO STAY OUT OF THE WEST.

GENERAL TAYLOR SAID BLUE-SHIRTED YOUTH WHO MIGHT WANDER SINGLY OR IN SMALL GROUPS INTO THE WESTERN SECTOR WOULD NOT BE ARRESTED IF THEY BEHAVED.

HE COMMENTED THAT THERE ARE "NOT ENOUGH TROOPS IN THE WESTERN WORLD TO SEAL OFF" THE 103-MILE FRONTIER SEPARATING THE EAST AND WEST SECTORS OF THE CITY. BUT WEST BERLIN POLICE AND WESTERN ALLIED TROOPS, AFTER TRAINING FOR WEEKS FOR EXPECTED TROUBLE DURING THE RALLY, WERE IN TENSE READINESS TO DEAL WITH POSSIBLE INCIDENTS.

TAYLOR SAID ANY VIOLENCE ARISING FROM THE BIG MARCH WOULD BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE COMMUNIST LEADERS, HE ADDED THAT THE PEOPLE OF EASTERN GERMANY WOULD NOT EASILY FORGIVE THE COMMUNISTS FOR PUSHING THEIR CHILDREN INTO TROUBLE.

EAST GERMAN PARENTS ALREADY WERE REPORTED DISTURBED OVER THE POSSIBILITY THAT THE RALLY MIGHT FLARE INTO VIOLENCE. AN FDJ LEADER WHO DESCRIBED HIMSELF AS A "DESERTER" WAS QUOTED SUNDAY AS SAYING THIS MIGHT CUT THE EXPECTED NUMBER ATTENDING FROM 500,000 DOWN TO 250,000.

AS THE RALLY STARTED ROLLING. DELEGATES OF THE FDJ WERE FORMED INTO AN HONOR GUARD AT TREPTOWER PARK, RUSSIA'S LARGEST BERLIN WAR MEMORIAL, WHERE THOUSANDS OF SOVIET TROOPS ARE BURIED.

THE YOUNGSTERS TOOK AN OATH THAT "IN RECOGNITION OF OUR RESPONSIBILITY TO THE SOVIET UNION AND OUR ORGANIZATION, WE SILL SO FULFILL OUR SERVICE THAT IT WILL BRING HONOR TO THE FREE GERMAN YOUTH AND TO EVERY HONORABLE YOUNG GERMAN."

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COMMUNISTS (210)

BERLIN, MAY 25-(AP)-RED POLICE POSTED GUARDS ALONG THE RUSSIAN SECTOR BOUNDARY TODAY TO KEEP SOME 100,000 "FREE GERMAN YOUTH" (FDJ) MARCHERS, NOW IN EAST BERLIN, FROM STRAYING TO THE WEST.

SOVIET-CONTROLLED NEWSPAPERS BLARED A WARNING THAT "ANGLO-AMERICAN INCENDIARIES ARE THROWING YOUNG GERMAN PEACE FIGHTERS IN JAIL JUST FOR WEARING THE BLUE SHIRT."

WEST GERMAN POLICE CONFIRMED THAT THEY HAVE ARRESTED 15 FDJ MEMBERS SINCE MONDAY FOR RIDING IN TRUCKS DECORATED WITH COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA. RED OFFICIALS CHARGED THAT THE ARREST TOTAL WAS FAR HIGHER.

MEANWHILE, FDJ COHORTS CONTINUED TO POUR INTO EAST BERLIN BY TRAIN AND TRUCK EVERY HOUR. WITH 100,000 ALREADY HERE, COMMUNIST YOUTH OFFICIALS PREDICTED THAT THE FIGURE WOULD DOUBLE BY TOMORROW.

APPARENTLY APPREHENSIVE WHETHER THEY CAN KEEP THE SWELLING MASS FROM FLOODING OVER INTO THE WESTERN SECTOR, THE EAST GERMANS ANNOUNCED HOPEFULLY:

"OUR PEOPLE'S POLICE WILL PROTECT OUR PEACE FIGHTERS FROM UNWITTINGLY OVERSTEPPING THE SECTOR BOUNDARY AT THE MOST DANGEROUS POINTS."

THE COMMUNIST POLICE FORCE, BOLSTERED BY MORE THAN 15,000 REINFORCEMENTS FOR THE WHITSUNTIDE YOUTH DEMONSTRATIONS, SUFFERED TWO DESERTIONS LAST NIGHT.

TWO YOUNG PATROLMEN IN UNIFORM APPEALED TO WESTERN AUTHORITIES FOR ASYLUM.

DR.OTTO SUHR, CHAIRMAN OF THE WEST CITY ASSEMBLY SCOFFED AGAIN AT OLD RUMORS OF WHITSUN VIOLENCE. "THE WEST GIVES IT MORE THOUGHT THAN WE DO IN BERLIN," HE SAID. "WE WILL OBSERVE WHITSUN AS WE ALWAYS HAVE."

AMERICAN, BRITISH AND FRENCH MILITARY POLICE MAINTAINED VIGILANT JEEP PATROLS ON THE WHOLE 100-MILE ROUTE THROUGH THE SOVIET ZONE FROM WEST GERMANY TO BERLIN.

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WITH BERLIN

FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 25-(AP)-MAJ.GEN.GEORGE P.HAYS, DEPUTY U.S.HIGH COMMISSIONER TO GERMANY, SAID TODAY THAT EVIDENCE IS MULTIPLYING DAILY OF A "GROWING MILITARY SPIRIT" IN THE RUSSIAN OCCUPATION ZONE OF GERMANY.

HE SAID THIS TREND IS SHOWN IN "SPECIAL FORMATIONS OF A VERY DEFINITE MILITARY CHARACTER, SUCH AS THE SO-CALLED 'PEOPLE'S POLICE' AND IN YOUTH MARCHES" SUCH AS THE PENDING DESCENT ON BERLIN FROM THE SOVIET ZONE.

HAYS SPOKE AT A CEREMONY FOR A COOPERATIVE AMERICAN-GERMAN HOUSING PROJECT.

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WIESBADEN, GERMANY, MAY 25-(AP)-TWO AIR FORCE JET PILOTS ESCAPED INJURY YESTERDAY WHEN THEIR F-80 SHOOTING STARS COLLIDED IN THE AIR 10 MILES FROM FUERSTENFELDBRUCK AIRBASE, THE U.S. AIR FORCE SAID.

THE PLANE OF LT.PHILIP FREYBERGER, 6844 CHEROKEE ST., PHILADELPHIA, PA., WAS DEMOLISHED BUT HE BAILED OUT AND LANDED SAFELY. MAJ. DONALD K.WILLIS, ENGLISH, IND., WHOSE AIRCRAFT WAS NOT BADLY DAMAGED, LANDED IT SAFELY AT FUERSTENFELDBRUCK.

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BONN, GERMANY, MAY 25-(AP)-THE UPPER HOUSE OF THE WEST GERMAN PARLIAMENT BY A VOTE OF 27 TO 16 APPROVED TODAY ENTRY OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC INTO THE EUROPEAN ASSEMBLY--THE UNOFFICIAL PARLIAMENT OF WESTERN EUROPE. THE LOWER HOUSE HAS STILL TO ACT UPON THE GOVERNMENT-SUPPORTED MEASURE TO ACCEPT ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP.

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NIGHT LEAD KOCH (330)

MUNICH, GERMANY, MAY 25-(AP)-ILSE KOCH, MATRON OF THE NOTORIOUS NAZI HORROR CAMP AT BUCHENWALD WHO GOT OFF LIGHTLY IN AMERICAN MILITARY HANDS, WAS INDICTED TODAY FOR TRIAL IN A GERMAN COURT.

SHE IS ACCUSED OF ORDERING THE MURDER OF PRISONERS AND OF RIPPING SKIN FROM HUMAN BODIES TO MAKE LAMP-SHADES.

THE 42-YEAR-OLD, RED-HAIRED WIDOW OF THE BUCHENWALD COMMANDER, IS CHARGED THIS TIME WITH CRIMES AGAINST HER OWN COUNTRY-MEN AND AUSTRIANS. SHE FACES A GERMAN COURT IN AUGSBURG, BAVARIA SOME TIME LATE IN JULY.

THE MAXIMUM PENALTY ON CONVICTION IS LIFE IMPRISONMENT. CAPITAL PUNISHMENT IS BARRED IN GERMANY.

FRAU KOCH WAS RELEASED LAST OCTOBER AFTER SERVING ONLY FOUR YEARS OF AN ORIGINAL LIFE TERM FOR CRIMES AGAINST THE ALLIES. IN ORDERING SENTENCE REDUCED, GEN. LUCIUS D. CLAY RULED THE TRIAL RECORDS SHOWED THE CHARGES WERE BASED ON HEARSAY EVIDENCE. THE REDUCTION PROVOKED PROTESTS AND WAS THE SUBJECT OF A U.S. SENATE INQUIRY.

ON HER RELEASE FROM AMERICAN PRISON AT LANDSBERG, SHE WAS SEIZED BY GERMAN AUTHORITIES AND CONFINED AT AICHACH WOMEN'S PRISON.

THE NEW INDICTMENT ANNOUNCED BY HANS ILKOW, BAVARIAN STATE PROSECUTOR, SPECIFICALLY CHARGED THE GREEN-EYED WIDOW WITH INSTIGATING THE MURDER OF 45 CAMP INMATES, ATTEMPTED MURDER OF 135 OTHERS AND WITH MISTREATMENT OF GERMAN AND AUSTRIAN INMATES OF BUCHENWALD.

ALSO, THE PROSECUTION SAID, IT HAS OVERWHELMING EVIDENCE THAT FRAU KOCH HAD THE SKINS OF TATTOOED INMATES RIPPED OFF, AFTER THEY HAD BEEN KILLED, TO MAKE LAMPSHADES.

PROSECUTOR ILKOW SAID HE EXPECTS TO CALL 200 WITNESSES. PROSECUTION WITNESSES WILL INCLUDE THREE FROM THE UNITED STATES AND ABOUT 50 FROM THE RUSSIAN ZONE OF GERMANY. ILKOW SAID EAST ZONE AUTHORITIES HAD COOPERATED IN PREPARING THE STATE'S CASE.

ILKOW AND DR. ERNST JAGOMAST, WHO WILL ASSIST IN THE PROSECUTION, WENT TO THE UNITED STATES LAST YEAR TO COLLECT EVIDENCE AGAINST FRAU KOCH FROM FORMER BUCHENWALD PRISONERS WHO HAD EMIGRATED.

FRAU KOCH BECAME PREGNANT WHILE SHE WAS IN THE AMERICAN PRISON. HER BABY WAS TURNED OVER TO A WELFARE AGENCY.

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MUNICH, GERMANY, MAY 25-(AP)-A GERMAN COURT TODAY INDICTED ILSE KOCH FOR CRIMES AGAINST GERMAN AND AUSTRIAN CONCENTRATION CAMP INMATES. SHE WILL BE BROUGHT TO TRIAL LATE IN JULY.

MRS. KOCH, 42, INFAMOUS MISTRESS OF THE BUCHENWALD CONCENTRATION CAMP, WAS ACCUSED SPECIFICALLY OF INSTIGATING THE MURDER OF 45 PRISONERS AND THE ATTEMPTED MURDER OF 135 OTHERS. SHE WAS CHARGED ALSO WITH MISTREATING THE PRISONERS.

SHE HAS BEEN HELD IN A GERMAN JAIL SINCE LAST OCTOBER, WHEN SHE WAS RELASED BY U.S. AUTHORITIES AFTER SERVING A FOUR-YEAR TERM ON WAR CRIMES CHARGES. SHE HAD BEEN SENTENCED ORIGINALLY TO LIFE, BUT GEN. LUCIUS D. CLAY, AS U.S. MILITARY GOVERNOR, ORDERED THE SENTENCE REDUCED TO FOUR YEARS. HE SAID EXAMINATION OF TRIAL RECORD AND REPORTS FROM LAWYERS SHOWED THE CHARGES WERE BASED ON "HEARSAY AND NOT ON ACTUAL EVIDENCE."

THE REDUCTION IN SENTENCE PROVOKED PROTESTS IN THE UNITED STATES AND BECAME A SUBJECT FOR U.S. SENATE INQUIRY. GERMAN AUTHORITIES ANNOUNCED THEY WOULD TRY HER AND SHE WAS PUT IN JAIL AT AICHACH IN BAVARIA IMMEDIATELY AFTER HER RELEASE BY THE AMERICANS.

HANS ILKOW, THE BAVARIAN PROSECUTOR, SAID HE WILL CALL 200 WITNESSES AT THE FORTHCOMING TRIAL INCLUDING THREE FROM THE UNITED STATES. HE WOULD NOT GIVE THE NAMES OF THE AMERICAN WITNESSES. ILKOW AND DR. ERNST JAGOMAST, WHO WILL ASSIST IN THE PROSECUTION, WENT TO THE UNITED STATES LAST YEAR TO COLLECT EVIDENCE AGAINST MRS. KOCH. THEY INTERVIEWED FORMER BUCHENWALD PRISONERS.

ON THEIR RETURN THEY SAID THEY HAD FOUND "OVERWHELMING" EVIDENCE THAT MRS. KOCH HAD ORDERED PRISONERS KILLED IN ORDER TO MAKE LAMPSHADES OF THEIR TATOOED SKIN.

SHE IS THE WIDOW OF THE FORMER BUCHENWALD COMMANDANT. SHE BECAME PREGNANT IN JAIL WHILE SHE WAS A PRISONER OF THE AMERICANS. THE BABY WAS TURNED OVER TO A WELFARE AGENCY.

THE MAXIMUM PENALTY UNDER WEST GERMAN LAW IS LIFE IMPRISONMENT. THE NEW BONN CONSTITUTION BANS CAPITAL PUNISHMENT.

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VIENNA, MAY 15-(AP)-JOSEF CARDINAL MINDSZENTY HAS BEEN RETURNED TO A JAIL NEAR BUDAPEST AFTER A REST CURE IN THE VILLAGE OF TATA, RELIABLE SOURCES REPORTED TODAY. TATA IS EAST OF BUDAPEST.

THE CARDINAL IS REPORTED TO BE IN GOOD HEALTH AFTER A LONG SIEGE OF ILLNESS. HE WAS SENTENCED TO LIFE IMPRISONMENT 15 MONTHS AGO BY A HUNGARIAN COURT ON TREASON CHARGES.

THE SAME SOURCES, WHO ARE WELL INFORMED ON HUNGARIAN AFFAIRS, ALSO REPORTED THAT THE MOTHER OF EDE KIRALY, FORMER WORLD CHAMPION FIGURE SKATER, HAS BEEN ARRESTED BY POLITICAL POLICE. KIRALY WAS GIVEN POLITICAL REFUGE IN ENGLAND LAST MARCH AFTER PARTICIPATION IN THE WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS. THE CHARGES AGAINST HIS MOTHER WERE NOT REVEALED.

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(200)

VIENNA, AUSTRIA,MAY 25-(AP)-THE DEPUTY RUSSIAN HIGH COMMISSIONER TO AUSTRIA TODAY BLOCKED FORMAL PRESENTATION TO THE ALLIED COUNCIL OF THE NEW BRAZILIAN MINISTER.

THE SOVIET ACTION WAS UNPRECEDENTED IN THE COUNCIL'S FIVE YEARS OF EXISTENCE. COL.GEN ALEXEI ZHELTOV, THE RUSSIAN DEPUTY, SAID HE COULD NOT AGREE TO THE PRESENTATION BECAUSE HIS COUNTRY NO LONGER MAINTAINS DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH BRAZIL.

BRAZIL BROKE OFF RELATIONS WITH RUSSIA OCT. 21, 1947, AFTER IZVESTIA OFFICIAL NEWSPAPER OF THE RUSSIAN COMMUNIST PARTY, HAD ATTACKED BRAZILIAN PRESIDENT EURICO GASPAR DUTRA, THE RIO DE JANEIRO GOVERNMENT, AND THE BRAZILIAN ARMY.

ALTHOUGH AUSTRIA IS UNDER FOUR-POWER OCCUPATION, FOREIGN ENVOYS ARE ACCREDITED DIRECTLY TO THE AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT. IT HAS BEEN THE CUSTOM TO PRESENT ANY NEW DIPLOMATIC REPRESENTATIVES TO THE ALLIED COUNCIL.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ESTABLISHED PROCEDURE, DR.ROBERTO MENDES GONCALVES, THE BRAZILIAN MINISTER, WAS TO HAVE BEEN INTRODUCED TO THE HIGH COMMISSIONERS BEFORE TODAY'S BI-MONTHLY MEETING OPENED.

ALTHOUGH THE RUSSIANS HAD AGREED TO THE PRESENTATION LAST WEEK ZHELTOV NOTIFIED LT.GEN.GEOFFREY KEYES, AMERICAN HIGH COMMISSIONER AND COUNCIL CHAIRMAN, TO THE EFFECT HE WOULD BE "UNABLE TO ACCEPT HIS (DR.GONCALVES') INTRODUCTION TO THE ALLIED COUNCIL."

KEYES SAID THE ACTION, "BESIDES BEING IMPOLITE, BRINGS RELFECTION ON THE ENTIRE ALLIED COUNCIL."

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B72 Q (200)

VATICAN CITY, MAY 25-(AP)-POPE PIUS XII TODAY EXPRESSED "HEAVY ANXIETY" OVER WORLD PEACE.

IN A SPEECH AT THE ACCREDITATION CEREMONY OF THE FIRST INDONESIAN ENVOY TO THE VATICAN, THE PONTIFF DECLARED:

"OUR PATERNAL HEART IS HEAVY WITH ANXIETY, AS THE WHOLE TRAGIC STORY OF INTERNATIONAL DISUNION UNFOLDS BEFORE OUR EYES. AND WE GAZE ON THE RESULTS OF THE MATERIAL AND ESPECIALLY THE MORAL ORDER OF THE PRESENT PHASE OF A PERSISTENT POLICY TO RETARD AND TO BLOCK AND TO MENACE THE PEACE OF THE WORLD."

THE POPE TOLD THE NEW MINISTER, SUKARDJO WIRYOPRONATO, THAT "NO ONE IS MORE LABORIOUSLY INTENT ON ITS ATTAINMENT (PEACE) THAN US."

HE DECLARED THAT INDONESIA IS "EXPOSED TO MANIFEST DIFFICULTIES AND DANGERS" AND "DESERVES THE FRATERNAL ASSISTANCE AND ENCOURAGEMENT OF ALL."

THE POPE SAID INDONESIA'S ADDITION TO THE VATICAN'S DIPLOMATIC CORPS "IS HIGHLY SIGNIFICANT AND FILLED WITH PROMISE FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF HAPPY RELATIONS BETWEEN PEOPLES AND GOVERNMENTS."

THE POPE SAID INDONESIA'S GUARANTEES FOR CATHOLIC ACTIVITIES "HAVE THROWN A BRIDGE OF CONFIDENCE ACROSS VAST STRETCHES OF LAND AND SEA TO LINK YOUR DISTANT COUNTRY WITH THE HOLY SEE."

"WE ARE SURE," HE SAID, "THAT THE CHILDREN OF THE CHURCH WORKING IN INDONESIA WILL YIELD TO NONE IN THEIR AMBITION TO SERVE THEIR COUNTRY AND FELLOW-CITIZENS WITH DEVOTED UNSELFISHNESS IN THE FIELDS OF EDUCATION, CHARITY AND CIVIC DUTY."

THE PONTIFF TOLD THE DIPLOMAT HE RECOGNIZED THE DIFFICULTY AND DANAGERS BESETTING THE 70,000,000 PEOPLE OF INDONESIA IN THEIR STRUGGLE "TO CONSOLIDATE AND STRENGTHEN ITS FREEDOM."

"THIS GOAL, THE OBJECT OF THE DEEPEST LONGING AND MOST EARNEST PRAYER OF ALL MEN OF GOOD WILL, IS WORTHY OF MAN'S FINEST EFFORTS, AND NO ONE IS MORE LABORIOUSLY INTENT ON ITS ATTAINMENT THAN WE," THE POPE SAID.

INDONESIA, THE PONTIFF ADDED, HAS A "BRIGHT AND HOPEFUL FUTURE" SO LONG AS ITS PEOPLE KEEP THE GOAL OF FREEDOM UNCHANGED.

"GOD, WHO KNOWS ALL THINGS, KNOWS HOW SINCERE IS OUR WISH THAT THE INDONESIAN PEOPLE, SO DEAR TO OUR HEART, MAY IN THIS HOUR OF THEIR EXISTENCE MAKE RAPID STRIKES TOWARD HAPPINESS, PROGRESS AND PROSPERITY," HE ADDED.

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B107 (Q) (280)

FLORENCE, ITALY, MAY 25-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL CONFERENCE SIDESTEPPED ACTION TODAY ON THE QUESTION OF SEATING COMMUNIST CHINA AND TURNED TO U.N. HEADQUARTERS FOR GUIDANCE.

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A NINE-NATION CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE PUT OFF A DECISION ON COMMUNIST DEMANDS THAT THE NATIONALISTS BE OUSTED FROM THE 56-MEMBER SPECIALIZED AGENCY.

INSTEAD, THE UNESCO COMMITTEE DECIDED TO CONSIDER A BRAZILIAN PROPOSAL TO SEAT THE CHINESE NATIONALIST DELEGATION AT THIS MEETING WHILE ASKING U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE AND THE U.N. ITSELF WHAT TO DO.

THE BRAZILIAN PROPOSAL WAS SUPPORTED BY THE UNITED STATES, FRANCE, CANADA, CUBA AND LEBANON. INDIA AND YUGOSLAVIA, WHICH RECOGNIZE THE CHINESE COMMUNIST REGIME, OPPOSED THE PROPOSAL, AND BRITAIN, WHICH ALSO RECOGNIZES COMMUNIST CHINA, SAID IT WOULD ABSTAIN.

SIR SARVEPALI RADHAKRISHNAN OF INDIA SAID: "MY GOVERNME T HAS RECOGNIZED THE GOVERNMENT OF MAO TZE-TUNG AND I REFUSE TO RECOGNIZE THE ADMITTANCE OF NATIONALIST CHINA EVEN PROVISIONALLY."

THE NATIONALIST CHINESE DELEGATION IS ATTENDING ALL SESSIONS AND TAKING PART IN THE CONFERENCE. CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND HUNGARY, STILL BOYCOTTING THE MEETING FOR THIS REASON, SENT A JOINT LETTER TO THE CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE DEMANDING ACTION BE TAKEN ON THEIR PROTEST BY TOMORROW. THE TWO NATIONS INDICATED IF THIS WAS NOT DONE, THE SOVIET SPHERE COUNTRIES WOULD CONSIDER THAT UNESCO IS STALLING ON TAKING A STAND ON THE CHINA QUESTION.

POLAND, ALSO OPPOSING THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS, HAS NOT YET BEEN REPRESENTED AT THIS CONFERENCE BY HER REPRESENTATIVE. RUSSIA IS NOT A MEMBER OF UNESCO.

THE COMMITTEE SAID IT WOULD STUDY THE BRAZILIAN PROPOSAL BETWEEN NOW AND MONDAY, IN THE HOPE THAT A DEFINITE MOTION CAN BE PLACED ON THE AGENDA FOR THE NEXT FULL CONFERENCE MEETING, POSSIBLY TUESDAY.

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(110)
BRUSSELS, BELGIUM, MAY 25-(AP)-THE GENERAL SECRETARY OF THE INTERALLIED REPARATIONS AGENCY ESTIMATED TODAY THAT RUSSIA WILL GET 18 TIMES MORE REPARATIONS FROM GERMANY THAN THE 19 NATIONS OF HIS AGENCY COMBINED.

NIGEL SUTTON, THE SECRETARY, TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THE MEMBER GOVERNMENTS OF THE AGENCY WOULD GET $1,034,000,000 WORTH OF GERMAN PROPERTY.

RUSSIA RECENTLY ANNOUNCED REPARATIONS STILL REMAINING TO BE PAID HER BY GERMANY AMOUNTED TO $3,171,000,000. HER TOTAL TAKE HAS BEEN ESTIMATED AT ABOVE $18,000,000,000.

NIGEL SAID MEMBERS OF THE AGENCY WOULD GET ONLY 680 PLANTS AND PART PLANTS FROM WESTERN GERMANY AS COMPARED TO A 1946 ESTIMATE OF 1,800 PLANTS.

"IN SHORT", HE SAID IN A REPORT, "ONLY 38 PER CENT OF THE ORIGINAL POOL REMAINS."

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A96
(140)
PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, MAY 25-(AP)-CZECHOSLOVAKIA'S FORMER FOREIGN MINISTER VLADIMIR CLEMENTIS STOOD ACCUSED TODAY OF HAVING BEEN A "CLASS ENEMY UNFRIENDLY TOWARDS THE SOVIET UNION." IT WAS THE FIRST OFFICIAL CHARGE MADE AGAINST THE EX-MINISTER SINCE HE RESIGNED MARCH 14.

THE ACCUSATION WAS MADE BY CLEMENTIS' SUCCESSOR, FOREIGN MINISTER AND DEPUTY PREMIER VILIAM SIROKY, IN A SPEECH AT BRATISLAVA TO THE NINTH CONGRESS OF THE SLOVAK COMMUNIST PARTY, THE CZECH PRESS REPORTED.

(SIROKY'S SPEECH WAS CONSIDERED IN WESTERN QUARTERS AS A POSSIBLE PRELUDE TO A PURGE TRIAL OF CLEMENTIS. IN THE PAST SIMILAR OUTBURSTS HAVE PRECEDED COURT ACTIONS AGAINST OUT-OF-FAVOR COMMUNISTS IN THE SOVIET SATELLITE COUNTRIES.)

CLEMENTIS REVEALED HIS ANTI-RUSSIAN FEELING BY OPPOSING THE SOVIET-GERMAN PACT OF 1939 AND CONTINUED THIS ATTITUDE THROUGH MUCH OF WORLD WAR TWO, SIROKY DECLARED.

SIROKY CONDEMNED CLEMENTIS' CLOSE LINKS WITH THE WARTIME CZECH EXILE GOVERNMENT IN LONDON, WHICH HE TERMED A "BOURGEOIS EMIGRATION."

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(180) CZECH
WASHINGTON,MAY 25-(AP)-A RESOLUTION OF THE COMMUNIST CZECHOSLOVAK NATIONAL ASSEMBLY CALLING ON WESTERN POWERS TO REVERSE THEIR "IMPERIALIST" POLICIES HAS BEEN LABELED "OFFENSIVE" BY THE UNITED STATES.

THE RESOLUTION, PRESENTED TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT APRIL 27 WITH A REQUEST THAT IT BE TRANSMITTED TO CONGRESS, WAS RETURNED TO THE CZECHOSLOVAK EMBASSY YESTERDAY ALONG WITH A TART NOTE WHICH SAID IN PART:

"THIS GOVERNMENT IS COMPLETELY UNABLE TO UNDERSTAND HOW ONE GOVERNMENT, UTTERING PROFESSIONS OF PEACE, COULD SEND TO ANOTHER GOVERNMENT AN OFFICIAL COMMUNICATION SO INCONSISTENT WITH MUTUAL UNDERSTANDING AND NORMAL RELATIONS BETWEEN NATIONS".

THE RESOLUTION ACCUSES "IMPERIALIST POWERS" LED BY THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN OF THREATENING WORLD PEACE IN A "DESPERATE ATTEMPT" TO SAVE THE "CRUMBLING CAPITALIST ORDER."

IT "DEMANDS" THAT THE WESTERN POWERS CEASE PRODUCING ARMS AND CALLS ON ALL WORLD PARLIAMENTS TO TAKE A STAND AGAINST WAR PREPARATIONS AND IN SUPPORT OF A WORLD PEACE MOVEMENT WHICH IT SAID WAS LED BY THE SOVIET UNION.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID REFERENCES TO THE UNITED STATES CONTAINED IN THE RESOLUTION ARE "OFFENSIVE AND BASELESS."

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A94
COPENHAGEN,MAY 25-(AP)-FOREIGN MINISTER GUSTAV RASMUSSEN SAID TONIGHT THE DANISH GOVERNMENT THINKS THE CHINESE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT RIGHTLY CAN CLAIM TO REPRESENT CHINA IN THE UNITED NATIONS. HE ADDED THAT DENMARK WOULD VOTE FOR THIS VIEW IF REQUIRED TO DO SO.

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ALEXANDRIA, EGYPT, MAY 25-(AP)-ALEXANDRIA POLICE SENT AN AMERICAN SAILOR, ACCUSED OF CARRYING SOCIALIST LITERATURE, BACK TO HIS SHIP TODAY WITH A WARNING NOT TO STEP ON EGYPTIAN SOIL AGAIN.

THE SAILOR, IDENTIFIED BY POLICE AS BERRY PATTON CARTWRIGHT, 27, OF (99 CANNON ST.) NEW YORK CITY, WAS JAILED OVERNIGHT BEFORE BEING SENT BACK TO HIS VESSEL THE AMERICAN EXPORT LINES SS EXCALIBUR. POLICE SAID HE WAS CARRYING SOCIALIST BOOKS IN ARABIC, FRENCH AND ENGLISH.

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PHILIPPEVILLE, ALGERIA, MAY 25-(AP)-ALGERIAN POLICE AND SECURITY FORCES TODAY ARRESTED MORE THAN 100 MEMBERS OF THE MOVEMENT FOR TRIUMPH OF DEMOCRATIC LIBERTIES (MTLD).

THE ACTION WAS TAKEN IN CURRENT INQUIRIES ABOUT AN ANTI-FRENCH PLOT BY THE MTLD AND THE ALGERIAN POPULAR PARTY (PPA).

HOMES OF THE ALLEGED PLOTTERS WERE SEARCHED. THOSE ARRESTED WERE HELD IN POLICE HEADQUARTERS PENDING A JUDICIAL INQUIRY.

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30.24- 11329

Tel Aviv, Israel, May 25 -(ap)- Minister of health, Moshe Shapiro, today announced a sharp rise in the number of polio cases--a total of 191 new cases since May 1.

The epidemic, officially described as mild, is the worst in palestine's history. Three hundred and sixty-five p rsons have been stricken since Jan. 10. Normally there are 80 cases annually.

Shapiro said most of the victims are children under the age of five. The outbreak is centered in the tel aviv, haifa and jerusalem areas.

All outings, summer camps, and youth rallies have been banned for the next two months.

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The United Nations International children's emergency fund (UNICEF) has sent four iron lungs to augment five others in israeli hospitals.

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LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 25-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS SAID TODAY THAT ISRAEL HAS AGREED TO PAY $54,628 REPARATIONS TO THE UNITED NATIONS TO MAKE UP FOR THE MONEY SPENT BY THE U.N. IN CONNECTION WITH THE DEATH OF COUNT FOLKE BERNADOTTE.

THE SWEDISH RED CROSS LEADER WAS A U.N. PEACE MEDIATOR IN THE ARAB-JEWISH WAR IN PALESTINE. HE WAS ASSASSINATED IN JERUSALEM BY MEN IN ISRAELI ARMY UNIFORMS SEPT. 17, 1948.

THE UNITED NATIONS ANNOUNCEMENT SAID THAT ISRAEL HAS ALSO AGREED TO REQUESTS BY U.N.SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE THAT ISRAEL MAKE A FORMAL APOLOGY TO THE U.N. "FOR THE MURDER IN THE TERRITORY UNDER ISRAEL GOVERNMENT CONTROL OF COUNT BERNADOTTE" AND TO INTENSIFY ITS EFFORTS TO BRING THE ASSASSINS TO JUSTICE.

WHEN LIE MADE HIS DEMANDS ON THE ISRAELI GOVERNMENT LAST APRIL 28, HE INFORMED MOSHE SHARETT, ISRAELI FOREIGN MINISTER, THAT COUNT BERNADOTTE'S WIDOW HAS WAIVED ANY MONEY CLAIMS AGAINST ISRAEL IN CONNECTION WITH HER HUSBAND'S DEATH.

AN ISRAELI GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN SAID TONIGHT THAT AN ASSOCIATED PRESS STORY FROM TEL AVIV YESTERDAY REPORTED ERRONEOUSLY THAT THE $54,000 WAS BEING PAID TO COUNTESS BERNADOTTE AND THAT IT WAS BEING PAID IN CONNECTION WITH SWEDISH GOVERNMENT CHARGES THAT ISRAEL HID EVIDENCE CONCERNING THE KILLERS.

LIE'S LETTER SAID THE U.N. IS STILL RESERVING ALL RIGHTS OF THE U.N. TO CLAIMS IN CONNECTION WITH THE DEATH OF COL.ANDRE SEROT, A U.N OBSERVER FROM FRANCE, WHO WAS KILLED AT THE SAME TIME AS BERNADOTTE.

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MADRAS, INDIA, THURSDAY, MAY 25-(AP)-TWO FILIPINO CATTLE EXPERTS ARRIVED HERE TODAY TO CHOOSE CATTLE FOR REPLENISHMENT OF THE PHILIPPINES' WAR-DESTROYED STOCK.

THE EXPERTS ARE DR.VINCENTE FERRIOLS AND DR.ESTERFANO C.FARINAS, WHO SAID THEY WOULD ATTEND VARIOUS CATTLE SHOWS SEEKING THE BREED MOST SUITABLE FOR THE PHILIPPINE DAIRY INDUSTRY.

FARINAS SAID THE PHILIPPINES RECENTLY IMPORTED 1,000 CATTLE FROM PAKISTAN BUT THAT CATTLE SHIPMENTS FROM INDIA TO THE ISLANDS HAD STOPPED SINCE WORLD WAR TWO. INDIA MAY LIFT THIS BAN ON CATTLE EXPORTS TO HIS COUNTRY, FARINAS ADDED.

MD102AED

Beirut, Lebanon, May 25--(AP)--The army has restored comparativ peace to the Yammouneh and Akkoura districts of Lebanon, where a quarrel between two shepherds touched off a battle involving 2,000 man earlier this month. Nine men were died.

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A shepherd member of the Sherif family from Yammouneh quarreled with another shepherd of the Younes family of Akkoura. Three arrests were made of Sherif kinsmen and two of the Younes family.

Attempts are being made to effect a reconciliation between the two families in order to guard against new outbreaks. The battle developed when the two shepherds called on their respective villages for help and 1,000 armed men from each side responded. Some were armed with machineguns and tommyguns.

There was NO information here as to the nature of the original quarrel between the two shepherds.

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NIGHT LEAD INDOCHINA

BY SEYMOUR TOPPING

SAIGON, INDOCHINA, MAY 25-(AP)-A PROGRAM OF UNITED STATES ECONOMIC AID TO FRENCH-SPONSORED INDOCHINA WAS ANNOUNCED TODAY BY THE AMERICAN LEGATION. WHAT IT AMOUNTS TO WAS NOT DISCLOSED.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT MADE BY U.S. CHARGE D'AFFAIRES EDMUND GULLION WARNED THAT FRANCE AND THE INDOCHINA STATES MUST BEAR THE MAIN RESPONSIBILITY FOR RESTORING SECURITY AND STABILITY TO INDOCHINA.

(IN WASHINGTON, THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION SET UP A SPECIAL MISSION TO SOUTHEAST ASIA TO DEVELOP THE PROGRAM. IT WILL BE HEADED BY ROBERT BLUM, FORMERLY WITH ECA'S MISSION TO FRANCE.

(ECA ADMINISTRATOR PAUL G. HOFFMAN SAID PLANS CALL FOR "INDUSTRIAL REHABILITATION PROJECTS AND OTHER ECONOMIC HELP" IN THE STATES OF CAMBODIA, LAOS AND VIETNAM. HE SAID THE AMOUNT AND TYPE OF AID WAS STILL UNDER DISCUSSION BUT AID IN THE FIELDS OF HEALTH AND AGRICULTURE WERE CONSIDERED OF "PRIMARY IMPORTANCE.")

IT IS EXPECTED HERE THE PROGRAM WILL BE INAUGURATED WITH AN ALLOCATION OF $23,500,000. THIS AMOUNT WAS REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN RECOMMENDED BY THE AMERICAN MISSION TO SOUTHEAST ASIA UNDER ALLEN GRIFFIN.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID THE AID WAS DESIGNED TO REINFORCE JOINT EFFORTS OF FRANCE, VIETNAM, CAMBODIA AND LAOS AND THAT THE HELP WAS COMPLEMENTARY "WITHOUT ANY INTENTION OF SUBSTITUTION."

THE AID WILL BE GRANTED UNDER SEPARATE BILATERAL AGREEMENTS TO BE REACHED BETWEEN THE U.S. AND THE THREE INDOCHINA STATES, ALTHOUGH INITIAL OPERATIONS MAY BEGIN BEFORE THE CONCLUSION OF SUCH AGREEMENTS.

THIS INDICATED THE PROGRAM MAY GET UNDER WAY WITH FUNDS FROM THE $75,000,000 APPROPRIATED BY THE U.S. CONGRESS FOR USE IN SOUTHEAST ASIAN AREAS THREATENED BY COMMUNISM AND THE PRESENCE OF RED CHINESE ON THE BORDER. HO CHI MINH'S COMMUNIST VIETMINH REGIME HAS BEEN MENACING FRENCH-SPONSORED INDOCHINA.

MEANWHILE, RUMORS PERSISTED IN SAIGON THAT TWO SHIPS HAD LEFT THE U.S. CARRYING MILITARY SUPPLIES TO INDOCHINA.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 1 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, THURSDAY, MAY 25)

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BY SEYMOUR TOPPING

(ADVANCE)-SAIGON, INDOCHINA, MAY 25-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES ANNOUNCED TODAY A PROGRAM OF ECONOMIC AID FOR INDOCHINA, BUT WARNED THAT THE MAIN RESPONSIBILITY FOR RESTORING STABILITY TO THE WAR-TORN COUNTRY RESTS WITH FRANCE AND THE ASSOCIATED INDOCHINA STATES.

THE AMERICAN ANNOUNCEMENT WAS TRANSMITTED TO THE FRENCH AND THE INDOCHINESE GOVERNMENTS IN A LETTER FROM EDMUND GULLION, U.S. LEGATION CHARGE D'AFFAIRES HERE. THE LETTER MADE NO MENTION OF THE EXTENT OF THE AID PROGRAM OR ITS SPECIFIC NATURE.

THE GENERAL EXPECTATION HERE IS THAT THE PROGRAM WILL BEGIN WITH AN INITIAL ALLOCATION OF ABOUT $23,500,000, REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN

RECOMMENDED BY THE AMERICAN MISSION TO SOUTHEAST ASIA UNDER ALLEN GRIFFIN.

THE AMERICAN ANNOUNCEMENT SAID THE AID IS DESIGNED TO REINFORCE THE JOINT EFFORTS OF FRANCE AND THE GOVERNMENTS AND PEOPLES OF VIETNAM, COMBODIA AND LAOS, THE FRENCH-SUPPORTED STATES. BUT THIS ASSISTANCE IS ONLY COMPLEMENTARY "WITHOUT ANY INTENTION OF SUBSTITUTION" FOR THE EFFORTS OF THE GOVERNMENT, THE LETTER EMPHASIZED. AN AMERICAN ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION MISSION WILL BEGIN FUNCTIONING HERE WITHIN A FEW DAYS TO ADMINISTER THE AID PROGRAM TO THE INDOCHINESE STATES, NOW THREATENED BY INTERNAL COMMUNIST REBELLION AND THE PRESENCE OF CHINESE COMMUNISTS ON THE BORDER. FRENCH TROOPS HAVE BEEN FIGHTING GUERRILLA'S OF COMMUNIST HO CHI MINH'S VIET MINH REGIME FOR YEARS.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE MISSION WILL BE IN SAIGON. ROBERT BLUM, FORMER CHIEF OF THE OVERSEAS TERRITORIES DIVISION OF THE ECA MISSION IN FRANCE, WILL HEAD THE PROGRAM AS CHIEF OF MISSION HERE.

GULLION SAID "MY GOVERNMENT HAS REACHED THIS DECISION IN ORDER TO ASSIST CAMBODIA, LAOS AND THE VIETNAM TO RESTORE STABILITY AND PURSUE THEIR PEACEFUL DEMOCRATIC DEVELOPMENT."

THIS AID WILL BE GRANTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH SEPARATE BILATERAL AGREEMENTS TO BE REACHED BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND EACH OF THE THREE INDOCHINESE STATES. HE INDICATED, HOWEVER, THAT THE FIRST ECONOMIC AID OPERATIONS MAY BEGIN BEFORE THESE AGREEMENTS ARE CONCLUDED. THIS WAS INTERPRETED AS MEANING THE PROGRAM MAY START WITH FUNDS FROM THE $75,000,000 APPROPRIATED BY THE U.S. CONGRESS FOR USE IN SOUTHEAST ASIA.

GULLION SAID AGREEMENTS REACHED WOULD BE SUBJECT TO EXISTING CONVENTIONS BETWEEN FRANCE AND THE THREE INDOCHINESE STATES. HE RECOMMENDED THAT FRANCE REACH AN AGREEMENT WITH THE THREE STATES ON COORDINATING THE PROGRAM'S ADMINISTRATION.

GULLION SAID THE AMERICAN ECONOMIC MISSION HERE "WILL HAVE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF WORKING WITH THE GOVERNMENTS OF CAMBODIA, LAOS, VIETNAM AND WITH THE FRENCH HIGH COMMISSIONER IN DEVELOPING AND CARRYING OUT A COORDINATED PROGRAM OF ECONOMIC AID DESIGNED TO ASSIST THE THREE COUNTRIES IN RESTORING THEIR NORMAL ECONOMIC LIFE."

LEON PIGNON, FRENCH COMMISSIONER IN INDOCHINA, IS EXPECTED TO MEET, WITHIN THE NEXT FEW DAYS, REPRESENTATIVES OF LAOS, CAMBODIA AND VIETNAM IN A CONFERENCE TO PLAN THE APPLICATION OF THE AID PROGRAM, WHICH HAD BEEN DRAFTED BY THE GRIFFIN MISSION AFTER ITS NINE-DAY STUDY IN INDOCHINA LAST MARCH.

THE BULK OF THE FUNDS TO BE ALLOCATED WILL GO TO RURAL REHABILITATION, PARTICULARLY IN TONKIN, WHICH HAS BEEN HARD HIT BY WAR OPERATIONS.

(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 1 P.M. EST, TODAY, THURSDAY, MAY 25)

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WITH SAIGON

PARIS, MAY 25-(AP)-ROBERT BLUM, NAMED TODAY AS CHIEF OF A SPECIAL UNITED STATES MISSION TO INDOCHINA UNDER THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION (ECA), HAS BEEN CONNECTED WITH THE MARSHALL PLAN AID FRANCE.

BLUM, A FORMER PROFESSOR OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS AT YALE UNIVERSITY, HAS BEEN CHIEF OF THE OVERSEAS TERRITORIES DIVISION OF THE MARSHALL PLAN MISSION TO FRANCE, WITH OFFICES HERE.

HE RECENTLY ACCOMPANIED A SPECIAL INDOCHINESE MISSION HEADED BY ALLEN GRIFFIN, CALIFORNIA PUBLISHER, ON AN INSPECTION TOUR SEVERAL WEEKS AGO OF THE FRENCH-SPONSORED VIETNAMESE STATES OF LAOS, CAMBODIA AND VIETNAM. HE RETURNED TO SAIGON SEVERAL DAYS AGO.

BLUM, 39, IS A NATIVE OF SAN FRANCISCO. HE WAS AT YALE FROM 1937 TO 1942, WHEN HE JOINED THE OFFICE OF STRATEGIC SERVICES (OSS). FOR HIS WAR WORK HE WAS DECORATED WITH THE U.S. MEDAL OF MERIT AND THE FRENCH LEGION OF HONOR AND CROIX DE GUERRE.

IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE WAR BLUM WAS AN ASSISTANT TO THE LATE JAMES V. FORRESTAL, SECRETARY OF DEFENSE. LATER HE JOINED ECA.

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RANGOON, BURMA, MAY 25-(AP)-CHINESE BANDITS CROSSED THE THINLY-DEFENDED CHINA-BURMA BORDER AND ATTACKED THE BURMESE FRONTIER TOWN OF KYUKOK, ACCORDING TO REPORTS REACHING HERE TODAY.

THE REPORTS SAID THE CHINESE WITHDREW AFTER A TWO-HOUR BATTLE WITH POLICE. RESIDENTS OF THE TOWN HAD TAKEN REFUGE IN MU-SE, ANOTHER BORDER CENTER 15 MILES AWAY.

OTHER REPORTS SAID HOSTILE CHINESE WERE COLLECTED ALONG THE BURMA-CHINA BORDER, MENACING TRAVELLERS. SEVERAL ATTACKS WERE REPORTED RECENTLY ON CARAVANS JOURNEYING INTO CHINA FROM MYITKYINA, CAPITAL OF THE KACHIN STATE.

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FIRST LEAD S.E.ASIA (300)

BY DON HUTH

BAGUIO,P.I.,MAY 25-(AP)-CARLOS P.ROMULO DECLARED TONIGHT THE SOUTH-EAST ASIA CONFERENCE "IS PART OF OUR COLLECTIVE EFFORTS TO SWING THE BALANCE ON THE SIDE OF PEACE."

ROMULO, PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY AND THE PHILIPPINES SECRETARY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, SAID IN A RADIO ADDRESS:

"WE ARE OFTEN TOLD THAT IF ANOTHER WORLD WAR SHOULD ENGULF THE EARTH IT MIGHT POSSIBLY START IN ASIA. BUT IT IS EQUALLY TRUE THAT PEACE--LASTING AND EQUITABLE PEACE THAT MANKIND DESIRES AND SEEKS--COULD START IN ASIA. HERE, WHERE DANGER IS GREAT, THE OPPORTUNITY TO AVERT AND OVERCOME IT IS CORRESPONDINGLY GREAT."

ROMULO SAID THE CONFERENCE WHICH OPENS FRIDAY "IS A STEP FORWARD IN A MOVEMENT OF ASIAN NATIONS TOWARD A REGIONAL ASSOCIATION AND REGIONAL ACTION WITHIN THE UNITED NATIONS."

HE EMPHASIZED THAT THE CONFERENCE IS NON-MILITARY IN CHARACTER.

TWO NATIONS, SOUTH KOREA AND NATIONALIST CHINA, REFUSED TO ATTEND BECAUSE OF THAT FEATURE. ATTENDING ARE AUSTRALIA, INDIA, PAKISTAN, THAILAND, INDONESIA AND THE PHILIPPINES.

THE CONFERENCE "IS NOT DIRECTED AGAINST ANY NATION OR GROUP OF NATIONS. IT HAS NO AGGRESSIVE AIMS. NO MILITARY COMMITMENTS ARE CONTEMPLATED," ROMULO DECLARED.

"IT WILL DEVOTE ITS DELIBERATIONS SOLELY TO A SEARCH FOR EFFECTIVE AND PEACEFUL MODES OF COOPERATION DESIGNED TO SAFEGUARD FREEDOM AND

PROMOTE LEGITIMATE ECONOMIC AND CULTURAL INTERESTS OF THE PARTICIPATING NATIONS," ROMULO CONTINUED.

"TOGETHER THE NATIONS PARTICIPATING REPRESENT MORE THAN 600,000,000 PEOPLE. THEY CONSTITUTE A LARGE SEGMENT OF MANKIND. THEIR TERRITORIES COMPRISE IMPORTANT AREAS IN SOUTHEAST ASIA AND THE WESTERN PACIFIC. THEY PRODUCE MATERIALS AND COMMODITIES WHICH ARE ESSENTIAL TO THE ECONOMIC WELL BEING OF OTHER COUNTRIES AND OTHER REGIONS OF THE GLOBE. THEIR PROBLEMS THEREFORE ARE OF VITAL CONCERN TO THE WHOLE WORLD AND THE FACT THAT THEY ARE SEEKING A MEANS TO SOLVE THESE PROBLEMS BY COMMON COUNSEL AND AMICABLE COOPERATION IS A CAUSE OF HOPE AND ENCOURAGEMENT TO ALL WHO PUT THEIR TRUST IN PEACE AND METHODS OF PEACE."

ROMULO SAID THE CONFERENCE IS ON A GOVERNMENT TO GOVERNMENT LEVEL "AND DECISIONS TAKEN WILL BE BINDING ON THE GOVERNMENTS PARTICIPATING IN THE CONFERENCE."

DELEGATES LATE TODAY FAILED TO DECIDE ON AN AGENDA. ROMULO SAID IT WILL BE DECIDED ON AT A CLOSED SESSION TOMORROW.

HE SAID TWO PLENARY SESSIONS WILL BE HELD, AND WILL BE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC AND PRESS. THESE WILL BE FRIDAY'S OPENER, AND THE CLOSING SESSIONS.

DELEGATES DECIDED ALL OTHERS WILL BE CLOSED, AND OBSERVERS WILL BE BARRED TO ELIMINATE THE CHANCE OF OTHER NATIONS SENDING WATCHERS.

ROMULO SAID NO COMMITTEES WILL BE APPOINTED.

ROMULO SAID DELEGATES DECIDED UPON AN UNANIMITY RULE, WHEREBY ONLY MATTERS UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED WILL BE CONSIDERED.

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BAGUIO,PI.,MAY 25-(AP)-DELEGATES TO THE SOUTHEAST ASIA CONFERENCE ARRIVED TODAY WITH OPEN MINDS ON SUBJECTS TO BE DISCUSSED.

NONE OF THE DELEGATES FROM SEVEN NATIONS WOULD SAY WHAT PROPOSALS THEY MIGHT MAKE AT TOMORROW'S CAUCUS TO DRAFT AN AGENDA.

RAMASWAMI MUDALIAR, HEAD OF INDIA'S DELEGATION, SAID "INDIA COMES WITH NO SPECIFIC PROPOSALS."

REPRESENTATIVES ARE HERE FROM AUSTRALIA, CEYLON, INDIA, PAKISTAN, THAILAND, INDONESIA AND THE PHILIPPINES.

DELEGATES, ARRIVING SEPARATELY, WERE GREETED BY 21-GUN SALUTES AND PLAYING OF THEIR NATIONAL ANTHEMS.

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HNIGHT LEAD CHINESE (350)

BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI, FORMOSA, MAY 25-(AP)-THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS ANNOUNCED THEY REPULSED A NEW COMMUNIST ATTACK ON THE LITTLE WANSHAN ISLANDS TODAY AND KILLED 3,000 REDS IN THE FIRST REAL NAVAL BATTLE OF THE CIVIL WAR.

THE ISLANDS, ALSO CALLED THE LADRONES, LIE ABOUT 40 MILES SOUTHWEST OF THE BRITISH COLONY OF HONG KONG AND 20 MILES SOUTHEAST OF THE PORTUGUESE COLONY OF MACAO. THEY BLOCKADE THE PEARL RIVER ESTUARY ENTRANCES TO COMMUNIST CANTON.

THE DEFENSE MINISTRY ASSERTED THE COMMUNIST ATTACK BEGAN AT 3 A.M. AND THAT BY NOON THE REDS HAD LOST 3,000 MEN, ONE 400-TON LANDING CRAFT, NINE SMALL GUNBOATS AND 21 OUT OF THE 41 MOTORDRIVEN TROOP CARRIERS WITH WHICH THEY STARTED.

IT WAS CONCEDED THAT THE REDS MANAGED TO LAND ON THREE OF THE ISLAND BUT THE COMMUNIQUE SAID "THESE SCATTERED GROUPS ARE NOW BEING ENCIRCLED BY GOVERNMENT FORCES." (THIS IS A FAMILIAR REFRAIN WHICH ON SOME OTHER OCCASIONS HAS BEEN FOLLOWED BY BELATED ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF NATIONALIST DEFEAT. IN THIS CASE, HOWEVER, HONG KONG ACCOUNTS SAID IT APPEARED THAT THE NATIONALISTS ACTUALLY HAD WON THE DECISION.

(THE BRITISH NAVAL LAUNCH 3510 REPORTED IT RESCUED "QUITE A NUMBER" OF COMMUNISTS WHOSE JUNK WAS SUNK AND SENT THEM TO NEARBY MACAO, WHERE THEY PRESUMABLY WERE INTERNED. A BRITISH NAVY SPOKESMAN REPORTED THIS WAS A "PURELY HUMANITARIAN" ACTION BY ONE OF THE LAUNCHES PROTECTING COMMERCIAL SHIPPING BETWEEN HONG KONG AND MACAO.)

THE NATIONALIST NAVY REPORTED ONE OF 70 REDS CAPTURED WAS THE CAPTAIN OF THE GUNBOAT WUFENG, WHICH DESERTED TO THE REDS SOME TIME AGO. HE WAS NOT IDENTIFIED.

ON THE POLITICAL FRONT, NATIONALIST FOREIGN MINISTER GEORGE YEH SAID THE BRITISH ADVOCACY OF LETTING RED CHINA INTO THE UNITED NATIONS WAS "PAINFULLY REMINISCENT OF MUNICH."

IN AN INTERVIEW, YEH, WHO WAS EDUCATED AT CAMBRIDGE AND WAS NATIONALIST INFORMATION OFFICER IN LONDON DURING WORLD WAR II, SAID:

"IT IS FOR THE BRITISH PEOPLE TO JUDGE WHETHER THEIR GOVERNMENT'S RECOGNITION OF THE CHINESE PUPPET COMMUNIST REGIME HAS BEEN A SUCCESS OR FAILURE. I SHALL LEAVE IT TO THEIR JUDGMENT WHETHER BY SUPPORTING THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS AT THE UNITED NATIONS BEVIN (BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN) CAN CHANGE THE COMMUNIST POLICY OF LEANING TO ONE SIDE ONLY."

K.C.WU, PRINCETON-EDUCATED GOVERNOR OF FORMOSA, PREDICTED IN A RADIO BROADCAST WEDNESDAY NIGHT THAT A GENERAL REVOLT AGAINST THE REDS WOULD BREAK OUT IN SEPTEMBER OR OCTOBER. HE SAID THIS WOULD BE CAUSED BY FAMINE AND WHAT HE TERMED RED MISRULE AND OPPRESSION.

THIS, WU CONTENDED, WOULD PAVE THE WAY FOR NATIONALIST COUNTER-ATTACKS ON THE MAINLAND IN NOVEMBER AND A FULLSCALE INVASION NEXT YEAR.

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FIRST LEAD CHINESE (190)

BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI, MAY 25-(AP)-THE NATIONALISTS TODAY REPORTED THEY REPULSED ANOTHER CHINESE COMMUNIST ATTEMPT TO SNATCH THE WANSHAN (LADRONE) ISLANDS.

THE DEFENSE MINISTRY SAID 3,000 RED INVADERS WERE KILLED AND 70 TAKEN CAPTIVE, INCLUDING THE SKIPPER OF A WARSHIP.

IT ADDED THAT NATIONALIST WARSHIPS SANK ONE 400-TON LANDING CRAFT, SEVERAL GUNBOATS AND MORE THAN 20 MOTOR DRIVEN JUNKS.

THE LADRONES ARE OFF THE SOUTHEAST CHINA COAST BETWEEN HONG KONG AND MACAO. THEY ARE A NAVAL BASE, FROM WHICH THE NATIONALISTS

BLOCKADE THE PEARL RIVER ESTUARY, MAIN WATER ROUTE TO CANTON.
IT WAS THE SECOND TIME WITHIN A WEEK THE NATIONALISTS THWARTED A RED ONSLAUGHT ON THE LADRONES.
(HONG KONG, ONLY 40 MILES AWAY, AND MACAO HEARD THE GUNFIRE FOR FOUR HOURS. MACAO DISPATCHES SAID THE REMNANTS OF THE RED INVASION FLEET OF SMALL CRAFT FLED. ONE REPORT SAID THE REDS HAD 200 BOATS.
(MACAO SAID THE REDS FAILED TO REACH LAPSAPMEI, ON WHICH THE NATIONALISTS CENTERED THEIR STRENGTH.
(THE SKIPPER OF A MACAO-HONG KONG PASSENGER SHIP, WHO TURNED BACK TO MACAO, MESSAGED OTHER SHIPS TO AVOID THE BATTLE AREA. HOWEVER, REGULAR SERVICE WAS RESTORED IN THE AFTERNOON.)
MEANTIME, FORMOSA'S GOV. K.C. WU PREDICTED "FAMINE, COMMUNIST MISRULE AND OPPRESSION" WOULD CAUSE A MASS REVOLT AGAINST THE REDS ON MAINLAND CHINA IN THE FALL.

WU, PRINCETON-EDUCATED FORMER MAYOR OF SHANGHAI, DELIVERED HIS PREDICTION IN A BROADCAST.
HE DECLARED THE REVOLT WOULD PAVE THE WAY FOR NATIONALIST CHINESE COUNTER ATTACKS IN NOVEMBER AND A FULL SCALE MAINLAND ASSAULT NEXT YEAR.
HE CHARGED MAO TSE-TUNG, CHINESE RED LEADER, IS READY TO REDUCE THE POPULATION OF CHINA FROM 450,000,000 TO 150,000,000. HE DID NOT EXPLAIN, BUT ASSERTED "TRANSPORT OF FOOD FROM RED CHINA TO MANCHURIA AND COMMUNIST REFUSAL TO ACCEPT AMERICAN FAMINE RELIEF PROVE THIS IS TRUE."
RED LEADERS HAVE SAID THEY CAN COMBAT FAMINE AMONG SOME 50,000,000 MAINLAND CHINESE WITHOUT OUTSIDE AID.
FORMOSA, SITE OF THE ORIENT'S LARGEST MANPOWER POOL AGAINST COMMUNISM, AWAITS AN EXPECTED RED INVASION WITH UNDISGUISED CONCERN--DESPITE OFFICIAL BOASTS THAT IT WILL BE BEATEN OFF.
CHIANG KAI-SHEK TOLD TEA GUESTS WEDNESDAY THE FIRST STAGE OF THIS ISLAND'S DEFENSE PREPARATIONS HAD BEEN COMPLETED. THE DAY BEFORE, HE SAID FORMOSA'S NEARLY 800,000 TROOPS MAKE IT IMPREGNABLE.
SECURITY OFFICIALS ANNOUNCED THE ARREST OF MRS.YEN NAM-TSOU, DESCRIBED AS A SISTER-IN-LAW OF GEN.SUNG HSI-LUN, WHO WENT OVER TO THE REDS IN SZECHWAN LAST YEAR.
THEY SAID MRS.YEN WAS ARRESTED AS SHE ATTEMPTED TO BOARD A BRITISH STEAMER, SOOCHOW, AT KEELUNG WITH $6,070. THEY CHARGED HER WITH ATTEMPTED SMUGGLING OF U.S. CURRENCY. ONLY $200 IN U.S. CURRENCY MAY BE TAKEN FROM FORMOSA.
SECURITY OFFICIALS ALSO REPORTED 184 COMMUNIST AGENTS HAVE SURRENDERED UNDER THE GOVERNMENT'S RECENT PROMISE OF LENIENCY. THE SURRENDER DEADLINE IS SUNDAY.
POLICE THREATENED HEAVY PUNISHMENT FOR ANYONE SPREADING RUMORS WHICH MIGHT DISTURB PEACE AND ORDER. THEY ALSO ORDERED A NEW CRACKDOWN ON CURRENCY BLACK MARKETEERS.

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B100KX (SINO MINISTER) (Q)
(140)
TAIPEI, MAY 25 (AP)-BRITISH ADVOCACY OF U.N.MEMBERSHIP FOR RED CHINA IS "PAINFULLY REMINISCENT OF MUNICH," NATIONALIST CHINA'S FOREIGN MINISTER SAID BITTERLY IN AN INTERVIEW TODAY.
BRITAIN'S FOREIGN SECRETARY, ERNEST BEVIN, TOLD COMMONS YESTERDAY:
"WE THINK IT IS BETTER FOR THE NEW CHINA TO BE INSIDE THE U.N. WE DO NOT WANT TO OSTRACIZE ANYONE ON POLITICAL GROUNDS."
COMMENTED GEORGE YEH, CAMBRIDGE-EDUCATED FOREIGN MINISTER WHO REPRESENTED THE CHINESE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION IN LONDON IN WORLD WAR II:
"IT IS FOR THE BRITISH PEOPLE TO JUDGE WHETHER THEIR GOVERNMENT'S RECOGNITION OF THE CHINESE PUPPET COMMUNIST REGIME HAS BEEN A SUCCESS OR FAILURE.
"I SHALL LEAVE IT TO THEIR JUDGMENT WHETHER BY SUPPORTING AT THE UNITED NATIONS THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS MR.BEVIN CAN CHANGE THE COMMUNIST POLICY OF LEANING TO ONE SIDE ONLY.
"TO ME, MR.BEVINS' STATEMENT IS PAINFULLY REMINISCENT OF MUNICH."
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B40 (Q)
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SINGAPORE, MAY 25-(AP)-AN INDONESIAN REPRESENTATIVE SAID TODAY HE IS TRYING TO "FIND OUT THE REAL POSITION" OF THE SINGAPORE GOVERNMENT IN THE WESTERLING AFFAIR.
CAPT. R.P.M. (TURK) WESTERLING, FORMER DUTCH OFFICER WHO LED AN UNSUCCESSFUL JAVA REVOLT. FLED TO SINGAPORE WHEN THE INSURRECTION FAILED AND HAS BEEN HELD HERE SINCE.
THE SINGAPORE GOVERNMENT HAS DENIED A NEWSPAPER REPORT THAT IT TURNED DOWN INDONESIA'S REQUEST THAT WESTERLING BE EXTRADITED TO FACE TRIAL IN JAKARTA. AT THE SAME TIME UNDERSECRETARY FOR THE COLONIES JOHN DUGDALE TOLD THE HOUSE OF COMMONS IN LONDON THAT THE SINGAPORE GOVERNMENT HAD REFUSED TO SEND WESTERLING BACK TO INDONESIA TO STAND TRIAL.
THE INDONESIAN SPOKESMAN, DR. ZAIN, SAID THE SINGAPORE GOVERNMENT HAD NOT DISCUSSED THE CASE WITH THE INDONESIANS SINCE THE EXTRADITION REQUEST WAS PRESENTED.
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B28KX (Q)
(210)
HONG KONG, MAY 25-(AP)-HONG KONG SHIPPERS ARE READY TO MAKE A NEW TEST OF THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS' BLOCKADE OF COMMUNIST SHANGHAI.
THEY WANT TO FIND OUT WHETHER MERCHANTMEN CAN GET INTO THE BIG RED PORT NOW THAT THE NATIONALISTS HAVE LOST THE CHUSHAN ISLANDS. THE CHUSHANS, 100 MILES SOUTHEAST OF SHANGHAI, GAVE THE NATIONALISTS A FINE SEA AND AIR BASE NEAR THE YANGTZE RIVER ESTUARY.
THERE STILL IS THE MATTER OF MINES, HOWEVER. THE NATIONALISTS SAY THE YANGTZE MOUTH HAS BEEN HEAVILY MINED.
PUBLISHED REPORTS HERE SAID THE 3,372-TON MAUSANG OF JARDINE, MATHESON & CO. IS SCHEDULED TO SAIL TOMORROW FOR SHANGHAI. THESE REPORTS WERE CONFIRMED INDIRECTLY BY A SPOKESMAN OF THE BRITISH FIRM WHO SAID:
"WE NEITHER CONFIRM NOR DENY BECAUSE WE HAD HOPED FOR THE LEAST POSSIBLE PUBLICITY."
AGENTS FOR THE FREIGHTER BROOKLYN HEIGHTS OF THE AMERICAN ISBRANDTSEN LINES LET IT BE KNOWN THEY ARE ACCEPTING SHANGHAI-BOUND

CARGO AND EXPECT THE SHIP TO SAIL JUNE 1 OR 2.
THE LAST ISBRANDTSEN SHIP TO TRY TO MAKE SHANGHAI WAS THE FLYING ARROW. SHE WAS RIDDLED BY NATIONALIST NAVY SHELLS OFF THE YANGTZE MOUTH LAST JANUARY.
SHIPPERS GENERALLY ARE LIMITING CARGO TO ITEMS COMMUNIST AUTHORITIES HAVE INDICATED WOULD BE WELCOME IN SHANGHAI. THESE INCLUDE COTTON, CHEMICALS, CERTAIN MACHINERY AND PARTS.
RA342ACS

A90KX
(WEST OUT)
HONG KONG,MAY 25-(AP)-THE GREAT SOUTHERN STEAMSHIP CO. SAID THE 1,400-TON FREIGHTER EBONAL EXPLODED TODAY OFF COMMUNIST CHINA AND WAS ABANDONED.
THE EXPLOSION OCCURRED THIS MORNING AS THE SHIP WAS THREE MILES FROM SWATOW, RED PORT ON THE SOUTHEAST CHINA COAST OPPOSITE FORMOSA. A MESSAGE FROM THE COMPANY'S SWATOW AGENT SAID ALL THE CREW, INCLUDING THREE BRITISH OFFICERS, REACHED SWATOW SAFELY.
THE COMPANY HAD NOTHING TO SUBSTANTIATE A REPORT PUBLISHED IN THE HONG KONG TELEGRAPH SAYING THE EBONAL STRUCK A MINE AND SEVEN PASSENGERS WERE KILLED.
THE SPOKESMAN SAID THE EBONAL CARRIED NO PASSENGERS.
VR628ACS

B84KX (Q)
APW
HONG KONG,MAY 25 (AP)-A SHANGHAI REPORT TODAY SAID H.H.GILL, PASSPORT OFFICER OF THE BRITISH CONSULATE THERE, WAS ORDERED BY THE CHINESE REDS TO PAY 200,000 COMMUNIST DOLLARS ($50) TO A BEGGAR GIRL BITTEN BY HIS DOG.
MAY 26 1950
GG824ACS NM

A161 (170)
LONDON,MAY 25-(AP)-MOSCOW RADIO SAID TODAY THAT COMMUNIST CHINA STILL CONSIDERS BRITAIN HAS FAILED TO SEVER COMPLETELY ITS RELATIONS WITH "THE REACTIONARY CLIQUE OF THE CHINESE KUOMINTANG."
QUOTING A TASS DISPATCH FROM PEIPING OUTLINING THE CHINESE-BRITISH SITUATION SINCE BRITAIN'S OFFER OF JAN. 6 TO ESTABLISH DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH THE REDS, MOSCOW RADIO SAID:
"THE CENTRAL PEOPLE'S GOVERNMENT OF THE CHINESE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC CONSIDERS IT FULLY NECESSARY TO ASK THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT TO CLARIFY FURTHER ITS POSITION WITH REGARD TO THE CENTRAL QUESTION OF THE DISPARITIES BETWEEN ITS DECLARATIONS AND ACTIONS."
THE LENGTHY TASS ARTICLE, WHICH THE RADIO QUOTED IN DETAIL, ACCUSED BRITAIN OF SYMPATHIZING WITH NATIONALIST CHINA BY ABSTAINING FROM VOTING THE COMMUNISTS INTO CHINA'S SEAT IN THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL, AND IN FAILING TO SURRENDER TO PEIPING CHINESE AIRPLANES NOW HELD IN HONG KONG.
BRITISH FOREIGN MINISTER ERNEST BEVIN TOLD THE HOUSE OF COMMONS YESTERDAY, HOWEVER, THAT HE FAVORED COMMUNIST CHINA'S ADMISSION INTO THE U.N.
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A187KX
(110)
SAN FRANCISCO,MAY 25 (AP)-MME.SUN YAT-SEN, CHAIRMAN OF THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS' RELIEF ADMINISTRATION, ACCUSED THE VOICE OF AMERICA TODAY OF A "SLANDEROUS ATTACK" IN CONNECTION WITH THE CHINESE FAMINE.
MME.SUN, WIDOW OF THE FOUNDER OF THE CHINESE REPUBLIC, WAS QUOTED IN A PEIPING BROADCAST, HEARD BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS, AS SAYING THE VOICE OF AMERICA HAD REPORTED SHE CABLED A PLEA FOR FAMINE AID TO THE CHINA WELFARE APPEAL.
SHE SAID SHE HAD NOT DONE SO, DECLARING COMMUNIST CHINA "IS ALWAYS READY TO RECEIVE WELL-INTENTIONED ASSISTANCE FROM ABROAD, BUT WE DO NOT HAVE TO ACCEPT ANYTHING WITH IMPERIALISTIC INTENTIONS BEHIND IT."
SHE WENT ON TO SAY THE RED REGIME "IS FULLY CAPABLE OF KEEPING ANY FAMINE UNDER CONTROL."
GG1204PCS NM

B102KX Q
(140)
SECOND NIGHT LEAD KOREAN
MAY 26 1950
BY O. H. P. KING
SEOUL,FRIDAY, MAY 26-(AP)-NEARLY 300 ALLEGED COMMUNIST PLOTTERS HAVE BEEN ARRESTED IN A LIGHTNING ROUNDUP THAT BAGGED SOME HIGH ARMY OFFICERS AND 15 CANDIDATES FOR THE ASSEMBLY IN TUESDAY'S ELECTION.
NATIONAL POLICE CHIEF KIM (CQ) TAI SUN, IN ANNOUNCING THE ARRESTS, SAID OTHERS ARE STILL BEING HUNTED.
THE 15 CANDIDATES WERE ACCUSED OF BEING COMMUNISTS. KIM SAID THERE ACTUALLY WERE THREE DRIVES. ONE WAS AIMED AT WHAT HE CALLED AN ELABORATE NETWORK OF POLITICAL ORGANIZATIONS IN SOUTH KOREA WHICH WXRE PLEDGED TO SUPPORT THE COMMUNIST NORTH KOREAN GOVERNMENT.
A SECOND DRIVE WAS AIMED AT SOUTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS HOLDING MEMBERSHIP IN THE NORTH KOREAN LABOR PARTY. THE SOUTH KOREAN BRANCH OF THE PARTY WAS DISSOLVED LAST YEAR.
KIM ANNOUNCED A THIRD DRIVE HAD BEEN OPENED AND WAS DESIGNED TO MAINTAIN A FREE ATMOSPHERE FOR THE NATIONAL ELECTIONS NEXT WEEK.
ALL THE PLOTTERS, HOWEVER, THIRD GRAF (B22KX) [illegible] DIRECT GUIDANCE OF THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNIST REGIME TO OVERTHROW THE AMERICAN-SPONSORED SOUTHERN REPUBLIC.
THE PROSECUTOR SAID THE TOP PLOTTER WAS SUN SAI BAIK, WHO CAME TO SOUTH KOREA FROM CHINA IN 1946 AND THEN WENT TO NORTH KOREA AND ARRANGED THE PLOT WITH HIM II SUNG, CHAIRMAN OF THE NORTHERN REGIME.
SUNG'S GROUP WAS CALLED THE NORTH KOREAN LABOR PARTY'S POLITICAL COMMISSION IN SOUTH KOREA.
THE ARMY OFFICERS'S NAMES WERE NOT DISCLOSED.
THE POLICE CHIEF SAID DOCUMENTS CONFISCATED BY HIS MEN INDICATED MORE THAN 20 DIFFERENT ORGANIZATIONS WERE IN ON THE PLOT AND THAT ITS OVER-ALL COMMAND WAS THE SOCALLED "FARMERS AND LABORERS UNIFICATION DEMOCRATIC BATTLEFRONT."
HE SAID THE LEADERS FE CHUA HUA AND KIM SAM YONG WERE UNDER ARREST AND THAT RECORDS OF THE DISLOYAL GROUPS SHOWED MEMBERSHIP BY SEVEN CANDIDATES FOR THE ASSEMBLY. THE PROSECUTOR SAID ONE ASSEMBLY CANDIDATE WAS UNDER ARREST.
THE PROSECUTOR REPORTED THAT THE PLOTTERS SOUGHT THE COOPERATION

OF A GROUP OF ASSEMBLY CANDIDATES KNOWN AS MIDDLE-OF-THE-ROADSTERS BUT WHO TWO YEARS AGO VAINLY TRIED TO FORM A COALITION GOVERNMENT FOR ALL KOREA.

TWO WIRELESS SETS, $14,800 IN CASH AND SOME GOLD, PLUS A NUMBER OF DOCUMENTS WERE REPORTED SEIZED IN THE RAIDS DURING THE PAST WEEK.

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A64FX
(320)
BY O.H.P.KING

SEOUL, MAY 25-(AP)-KOREAN OFFICIALS TODAY ANNOUNCED THE ARREST OF MORE THAN 200 ALLEGED COMMUNIST SYMPATHIZERS AND SAID THEY HAD SMASHED ATTEMPTS OF RED NORTH KOREA TO INFLUENCE THIS REPUBLIC'S NATIONAL ELECTION TUESDAY.

THE PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE ANNOUNCED THE ARREST OF 112 PERSONS, INCLUDING ONE CANDIDATE FOR THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY. HE SAID THEY WERE PLOTTING TO OVERTHROW THE REPUBLIC.

HE SAID SOME HIGH RANKING OFFICERS OF THE REPUBLICAN ARMY WERE AMONG THOSE ARRESTED. HE DIDN'T NAME THEM.

NATIONAL POLICE CHIEF KIM TAI SUN SAID MORE THAN 100 MEMBERS OF AN ELABORATE ORGANIZATION CALLED THE FARMERS AND LABORERS UNIFICATION DEMOCRATIC BATTLE FRONT WERE ARRESTED. HE SAID THEY PAID ALLEGIANCE TO THE COMMUNIST NORTH KOREAN GOVERNMENT.

CHIEF KIM SAID THE BATTLEFRONTERS REPORTED A DIRECT LINE OF AUTHORITY EXTENDING TO THE NORTH KOREAN PRESIDENT, KIM IL SUNG.

THE CHIEF SAID THE LINE EXTENDED THROUGH EE CHU HA AND KIM SAM YONG ---BOTH ARRESTED---IN SOUTH KOREA AND TWO HIGH COMMITTEES IN NORTH KOREA. HE SAID COMMUNICATIONS WERE MAINTAINED THROUGH SHORT WAVE RADIO.

NORTH KOREA'S OFFICIAL RADIO, PYONGYANG, LAST WEEK PRAISED EE CHU HA AND KIM SAM YONG AS GREAT PATRIOTS.

CHIEF KIM SAID SEVEN CANDIDATES FOR THE SOUTH KOREAN NATIONAL ASSEMBLY WERE MEMBERS OF THE DISLOYAL BATTLEFRONT--WHICH BROKE DOWN INTO 20 LESSER ORGANIZATIONS. KIM SAID FROM ONE TO 25 MEMBERS OF EACH OF THE 20 GROUPS WAS TAKEN IN RAIDS THE PAST WEEK.

THE PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE SAID HIS 112 PRISONERS WERE COMMUNIST UNDERGROUND WORKERS, MEMBERS OF THE NORTH KOREAN LABOR PARTY UNDER DIRECT LEADERSHIP OF PRESIDENT KIM OF NORTH KOREA. IT ADDED:

TOP FIGURE OF THE PLOTTERS WAS SUNG SI BAIK, WHO CAME TO SOUTH KOREA FROM CHINA IN 1946, CLOSELY STUDIED THE SITUATION HERE--THEN WENT TO NORTH KOREA. THERE HE CONFERRED WITH PRESIDENT KIM AND KIM KWA BONG, A HIGH NORTHERN OFFICIAL, ON PLANS TO OVERTHROW THE SOUTH KOREAN GOVERNMENT.

SUNG ORGANIZED THE NORTH KOREAN LABOR PARTY'S POLITICAL COMMISSION IN SOUTH KOREA. IT WAS ACTIVELY SUPPORTING NINE CANDIDATES FOR THE ASSEMBLY.

THE PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE SAID $14,800, SOME GOLD AND TWO WIRELESS TELEGRAPH SETS, USED TO SEND MESSAGES TO NORTH KOREA, WERE SEIZED. SO WERE SOME IMPORTANT DOCUMENTS.

FT/CC343APD NM

A57FX

TOKYO,MAY 25-(AP)-GEN.KUNIAKI KOISO, WHO SUCCEEDED KIDEKI TOJO AS PREMIER IN 1944, WAS RELEASED FROM SUGAMO PRISON YESTERDAY TO GO TO HIS WIFE'S BEDSIDE. SHE DIED A FEW HOURS LATER.

KOISO, 70, IS SERVING A LIFE TERM AS A WAR CRIMINAL. HE WAS RETURNED TO PRISON LAST NIGHT. IT WAS THE SECOND TIME HE HAD BEEN PERMITTED TO VISIT HIS WIFE.

CC324APD

B41KX (Q)
(APW)

TOKYO,MAY 25-(AP)-JAPAN RETURNED $53,000 WORTH OF LOOTED QUININE TO THE NETHERLANDS TUESDAY, GENERAL MACARTHUR'S PROPERTY CUSTODIAN SAID TODAY. BRIG.GEN.JOHN F.CONKLIN SAID 4,421,960 GRAMS OF QUININE DERIVATIVES WAS DELIVERED ABOARD THE DUTCH MOTORSHIP RIJNKERK AT YOKOHAMA.

VR456ACS

B43KX (Q)
(APW)

TOKYO,MAY 25-(AP)-FIVE JAPANESE REPRESENTING EMPLOYES, TRADE UNIONS AND THE GOVERNMENT WILL ATTEND THE INTERNATIONAL LABOR ORGANIZATION (ILO) CONFERENCE AT GENEVA JUNE 7.

JAPAN WITHDREW FROM THE ILO IN 1938 WHEN SHE PULLED OUT OF THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS. SHE HAS AGAIN APPLIED FOR MEMBERSHIP.

THE JAPANESE WILL BE ACCOMPANIED BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S LABOR DIRECTOR, ROBERT T.AMIS. THEY WILL LEAVE BY AIR MONDAY.

THEY ARE SAIJIRO KAKU OF THE LABOR MINISTRY; TOKIO (CORRECT) NAGAYAMA OF THE INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND INDUSTRY MINISTRY; HISASHI KAGEYAMA, LABOR REPRESENTATIVE; KAROKU MARAOKA, EMPLOYERS REPRESENTATIVE, AND MRS.FUJI NAKAWAKI, TECHNICAL ADVISER AND INTERPRETER.

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B69KX (Q)
BA-WX-CX (110)

TOKYO,MAY 25-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR TODAY ANNOUNCED FIVE MEMBERS OF THE U.S. EDUCATION MISSION TO JAPAN HAVE ACCEPTED HIS INVITATION TO RETURN TO SEE HOW THEIR RECOMMENDATIONS ARE BEING CARRIED OUT.

THE MISSION, HEADED BY DR.GEORGE STODDARD, PRESIDENT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS, SUBMITTED A REPORT WHICH MACARTHUR CALLED "A DOCUMENT OF IDEALS HIGH IN THE DEMOCRATIC TRADITION."

MANY OF ITS RECOMMENDATIONS HAVE BEEN WRITTEN INTO LAW.

THE OTHER FOUR ARE DR.HAROLD BENJAMIN, UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND; MONS.FREDERICK G.HOCHWALT, CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY; DR.WILLARD E.GIVENS, NATIONAL EDUCATION ASSOCIATION, AND MRS.PEARL WANAMAKER, WASHINGTON STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

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B125KX (JAP) (Q)
(150)

TOKYO,MAY 25 (AP)-A HIGH OCCUPATION OFFICIAL TODAY SAID ALLIED PARTICIPATION IN JAPANESE AFFAIRS WILL BE REDUCED FURTHER THIS YEAR.

AND THE SIZE OF THE CIVILIAN OCCUPATION FORCE WILL BE TRIMMED, HE ADDED. THE OFFICIAL, WHO DEMANDED ANONIMITY, CONTINUED IN AN INTERVIEW:

NEITHER REDUCTION WILL BE LARGE, BUT WILL FOLLOW GENERAL MACARTHUR'S PATTERN OF TRANSITION "FROM THE STERN RIGIDITY OF A MILITARY OPERATION TO THE FRIENDLY GUIDANCE OF A PROTECTIVE FORCE."

AS LONG AS THE UNITED STATES IS PUTTING DOLLARS INTO JAPAN, IT WILL RETAIN BASIC CONTROL OF HOW THEY ARE SPENT.

"AND THE JAPANESE OBVIOUSLY CANNOT BE THEIR OWN BOSSES IN SUCH MATTERS AS INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES AND AGREEMENTS REQUIRING INTERNATIONAL SANCTION OR APPROVAL. NOR CAN THEY NEGOTIATE THEIR OWN PEACE TREATY OR DIRECT THEIR OWN POSTWAR REORIENTATION."

THERE ARE INCREASING RUMORS, AND HOPES, AMONG THE JAPANESE THAT THE OCCUPATION SOON WILL BECOME ONLY ADVISORY.

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B42KX (Q)
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TOKYO,MAY 25-(AP)-HEITARO INAGAKI, FORMER CABINET MINISTER, LEAVES TOMORROW TO ARRANGE CLOSER TECHNICAL COOPERATION BETWEEN HIS COMPANY AND B.F.GOODRICH RUBBER CO., AKRON, O.

INAGAKI, FORMER MINISTER OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND INDUSTRY, IS AN ADVISER AND FORMER PRESIDENT OF YOKOHAMA RUBBER CO. HE PLANS TO BE IN THE UNITED STATES 50 DAYS.

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TOKYO,MAY 25-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER SHIGERU YOSHIDA TODAY ABANDONED HIS PUBLICISED BID FOR AN EMERGENCY MEETING WITH GENERAL MACARTHUR--PERHAPS BECAUSE HE WAS AFRAID TO ASK FOR AN APPOINTMENT.

YOSHIDA CANCELED A POLITICAL TOUR AND SAID HE WOULD CONFER WITH MACARTHUR ON THE POSSIBILITIES OF FOREIGN FINANCIAL INVESTMENTS IN JAPAN.

A FEW HOURS AFTER ARRIVING HERE, HE SAID HE WOULDN'T TRY TO SEE THE SUPREME ALLIED COMMANDER, BUT WOULD CONTINUE CAMPAIGNING FOR FRIENDLY CANDIDATES FOR THE HOUSE OF COUNCILLORS (SENATE) ELECTION JUNE 4.

JAPANESE SOURCES SAID THERE IS A SUDDEN COOLNESS BETWEEN OCCUPATION HEADQUARTERS AND THE GOVERNMENT. THE APPARENT REASON WAS FINANCE MINISTER HATAYO IKEDA'S RECENT TRIP TO THE UNITED STATES TO SEEK FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR INDUSTRY. THE OBJECT: TO INFLUENCE ELECTIONS FOR GOVERNMENT CANDIDATES.

HEADQUARTERS OFFICIALS CALLED IKEDA'S TRIP UNNECESSARY. SOME INTERPRETED IT AS AN APPEAL OVER MACARTHUR'S HEAD FOR SUCH CONCESSIONS AS IMMEDIATE ADMISSION TO THE INTERNATIONAL MONETARY FUND.

IKEDA FAILED WEDNESDAY TO SEE MAJ. GEN. W.F. MARQUAT, CHIEF OF MACMARTHUR'S ECONOMIC SECTION. THAT PROBABLY DISCOURAGED YOSHIDA FROM SEEKING AN APPOINTMENT WITH MACARTHUR, WHOM HE HAS SEEN FREQUENTLY.

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FIRST LEAD TREASURE CHEST (100)

BY RUSSELL BRINES

TOKYO,MAY 25-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR'S CHIEF OF STAFF FLATLY DENIED TODAY THAT HIS BOSS HAS AN ORIENTAL TREASURE CHEST.

MAJ.GEN.E.M.ALMOND ISSUED ONE OF HIS RARE STATEMENTS AFTER A DAY-LONG STUDY OF WASHINGTON REPORTS THAT MACARTHUR HOLDS A KEY TO A CHEST FULL OF GOLD AND JEWELS.

ALMOND SAID THERE IS NO SIMILARITY BETWEEN OCCUPATION HEADQUARTERS' HOLDINGS OF IMPOUNDED PROPERTY AND THE REPORTED CHEST.

ALMOND DID NOT REPORT HOW MUCH HEADQUARTERS HOLDS, AND NO OTHER SOURCE EVER HAS ANNOUNCED IT.

EARLIER, LACKING OFFICIAL COMMENT, IT WAS ASSUMED THE "CHEST" REPORT WAS BASED ON IMPOUNDED PROPERTY IN THE BANK OF JAPAN.

[illegible] BANK OF JAPAN.

AT LEAST ITS VAULTS HOLD UNTOLD RICHES IN PRECIOUS GEMS AND METALS PUT THERE BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S OCCUPATION.

MAYBE THAT'S WHAT FORMER SECRETARY OF WAR ROBERT P.PATTERSON WAS TALKING ABOUT WHEN HE TOLD A HOUSE INTERSTATE AND FOREIGN COMMERCE SUBCOMMITTEE OF A FABULOUS TREASURE CHEST TO WHICH MACARTHUR HAD THE KEY.

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ANYWAY, IF IT ISN'T THE BANK OF JAPAN, THE ARMY HEREABOUTS SHOWED NO INCLINATION TODAY TO LET THE CONGRESSMEN IN ON THE SECRET. A WASHINGTON DISPATCH YESTERDAY SAID THE HOUSE GROUP HAD ASSIGNED AN INVESTIGATOR TO GET TO THE BOTTOM OF THE MYSTERY.

BRIG.GEN.JOHN F.CONSLIN, MACARTHUR'S CIVIL PROPERTY CUSTODIAN, DECLARED:

"I KNOW OF NO CHEST AT ALL, NO KEY."

HE IS IN CHARGE OF IMPOUNDED PROPERTY. SOME OF THE WEALTH IN THE BANK'S VAULTS WAS LOOTED BY THE JAPANESE DURING THE WAR. SOME WAS JAPANESE PROPERTY TAKEN UNDER OCCUPATION CUSTODY.

IT WAS LEARNED RELIABLY THAT MAJ.GEN.E.M.ALMOND REACTED TO THE WASHINGTON DISPATCH BY ISSUING AN ORDER THAT NO ONE BUT HIMSELF SHOULD GIVE OUT ANYTHING BUT "NEGATIVE" INFORMATION ABOUT THE PURPORTED TREASURE CHEST.

ALMOND, MACARTHUR'S CHIEF OF STAFF, COULD NOT BE REACHED. AN AIDE SAID HE WAS "VERY BUSY."

PATTERSON'S TESTIMONY, AS RELATED BY CONGRESSMEN, WAS THAT MACARTHUR HAS THE KEY TO THE CHEST AND IS AWAITING ORDERS AS TO DISPOSITION OF THE TREASURE.

THE FORMER WAR SECRETARY WAS SAID TO HAVE DESCRIBED IT AS "JEWELRY, PRECIOUS ITEMS, GOLD AND FOREIGN CURRENCY." HE DID NOT ESTIMATE THE VALUE.

THERE HAVE BEEN MANY ESTIMATES MADE HERE BUT NOTHING OFFICIAL.

IN ONE TRANSACTION, HOWEVER, SOME GOLD AND GEMS WERE PUT UP AS COLLATERAL FOR A LOAN UNDER WHICH JAPAN PURCHASED RAW COTTON. THE VALUE OF THESE, PRESUMABLY JAPANESE OWNED, WAS PLACED AT SOMETHING OVER $130,000,000 (M).

THAT'S PROBABLY ONLY PART OF IT--BUT ENOUGH TO EXCITE CONGRESSIONAL CURIOSITY.

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TOKYO,MAY 25-(AP)-THIS JAPANESE WAR PRISONER FOUND A WAY TO GET A MESSAGE OUT OF SIBERIA. HE FLOATED IT OFF IN A BOTTLE, AND IT ARRIVED MORE THAN TWO YEARS LATER.
THE MESSAGE, DATED MARCH, 1948, AND SIGNED T.TAKAI:
"I'M NOW IN SIBERIA. THE ONLY THING I WANT TO DO BEFORE DYING IS TO SEE THE FACE OF MY WIFE AND CHILD."
CC329APD NM

B30KX (Q)
(DT)
YOKOHAMA, MAY 25-(AP)-PFC EDWARD M.STEPHEN, (960 GARFIELD ST.) DETROIT, DIED MONXA OK A GUNSHOT WOUND IN THE HEAD SUFFERED MAY 11, THE ARMY ANNOUNCED TODAY. IT SAID STEPHEN, A MILITARY POLICEMAN, AND PVT.FLOYD M.POLK WERE ENGAGED IN HORSEPLAY ABOARD A TRUCK WHEN POLK'S CARBINE DISCHARGED ACCIDENTALLY.
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JAPANESE
WASHINGTON, MAY 25-(AP)-JOHN FOSTER DULLES, REPUBLICAN ADVISER TO SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON, IS GOING TO JAPAN SOON, EVIDENTLY TO TALK WITH GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR ABOUT THE JAPANESE PEACE TREATY PROBLEM.
.HE ALSO EXPECTS TO VISIT SOUTH KOREA.
STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS SAID TODAY THAT DEFINITE PLANS FOR THE TRIP HAVE YET TO BE WORKED OUT.
ACHESON RECENTLY ASKED DULLES TO TAKE OVER THE JAPANESE PEACE TREATY WORK IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT.
DULLES WILL BE IN JAPAN ABOUT THE SAME TIME THAT DEFENSE SECRETARY JOHNSON AND GEN.OMAR BRADLEY, CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF, ARE THERE. THEY ALSO PLAN TO CONFER WITH MACARTHUR ON THE PEACE TREATY PROBLEM.
AT PRESENT MILITARY LEADERS OPPOSE ANY EARLY PEACE TREATY FOR JAPAN WITH THE ARGUMENT THAT IT WOULD WEAKEN THE UNITED STATES STRATEGIC POSITION IN THE WESTERN PACIFIC.
THE STATE DEPARTMENT ON THE OTHER HAND HAS LONG FAVORED AN EARLY JAPANESE TREATY WITH SPECIAL PROVISION BEING MADE FOR AMERICAN TROOPS TO REMAIN IN THE JAPANESE ISLANDS.
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HELSINKI, FINLAND,MAY 25-(AP)-THE FINNISH TRADES UNION CONGRESS TONIGHT DECIDED TO LEAVE THE COMMUNIST-DOMINATED WORLD FEDERATION OF TRADE UNIONS.
AFTER A HEATED TWO-DAY MEETING THE CONGRESS ALSO ACCEPTED A COMPROMISE SOLUTION OF A LONG STANDING WAGE CONFLICT BETWEEN EMPLOYERS AND TRADE UNIONS.
TH COMPROMISE WAS ACCEPTED AT ONCE BY THE EMPLOYERS TO WHOM IT MEANS ADDITIONAL WAGE EXPENSES OF 25,600,000,000 (B) MARKS (APPROXIMATELY $111,000,000) A YEAR.
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MOSCOW, MAY 25-(AP)-PRAVDA ACCUSED PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY OF DISTORTING THE TRIESTE ISSUE IN HIS REPORT TO CONGRESS ON THE UNITED NATIONS.
THE COMMUNIST PARTY NEWSPAPER EXPRESSED ANNOYANCE WITH THE PART OF THE PRESIDENT'S REPORT MONDAY WHICH DEALT WITH FAILURE TO PRODUCE AGREEMENT ON A CANDIDATE FOR THE GOVERNORSHIP OF INTERNATIONALIZED TRIESTE, WHO WAS TO HAVE BEEN APPOINTED BY THE U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL. MR. TRUMAN SAID "CONTINUED DELAYS IN THE APPOINTMENT OF A GOVERNOR (WERE) CAUSED BY THE SOVIET UNWILLINGNESS IN THE PAST TO CONSIDER ANY CANDIDATE EXCEPT ITS OWN."
PRAVDA SAID THE U.S.S.R. FREQUENTLY PROPOSED CANDIDATES, INCLUDING COL. FLUCKIGER (A SWISS CITIZEN) WHOM THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN SUPPORTED.
"HOWEVER," THE PAPER ADDED, "ALL THESE CANDIDATES SYSTEMATICALLY WERE REJECTED BY THE UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE WITH THE SUPPORT OF DELEGATES OF BRITAIN AND FRANCE."
(PRESIDENT TRUMAN SAID ONLY RUSSIA AND THE UKRAINE SUPPORTED FLUCKIGER.)
PRAVDA REPEATED THE SOVIET POSITION: THAT THE SIGNING OF AN AUSTRIAN TREATY OF INDEPENDENCE CANNOT BE ACHIEVED UNTIL THE TRIESTE QUESTION IS SETTLED. IT CHARGED THE WEST WAS USING ITS ZONES OF TRIESTE AS A MILITARY BASE.
"IN SUCH CASE WHAT ASSURANCE CAN THERE BE THAT THE AUSTRIAN TREATY WOULD BE FULFILLED, THAT AUSTRIA WOULD NOT BE TRANSOFMRED INTO A NEW ILLEGAL ANGLO-AMERICAN BASE AS HAS ALREADY BEEN DONE IN THE CASE OF TRIESTE?" THE PAPER ASKED.
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NAVY MANEUVERS (360)
BY LEIF ERICKSON
GUAM, MAY 25-(AP)-THE BIGGEST CONCENTRATION OF NAVAL POWER IN THE WESTERN PACIFIC SINCE WAR'S END--33 U.S. WARSHIPS--ARRIVES AT GUAM TODAY AND TOMORROW UNDER VICE ADM. ARTHUR D. STRUBLE, COMMANDER OF THE SEVENTH FLEET.
TASK FORCES BUILT AROUND THE CARRIERS BOXER AND VALLEY FORGE ARE MEETING IN APRA HARBOR IN THE NEW ROTATION SYSTEM WHICH KEEPS ONE FIRST LINE CARRIER SHOWING THE UNITED STATES FLAG IN SOUTHEAST ASIA.
THE VALLEY FORGE FORCE OF 19 SHIPS INCLUDES FOUR SNORKEL SUBMARINES. THE RETURNING BOXER FORCE HAS 14 SHIPS.
STRUBLE IS A PHILIPPINES AMPHIBIOUS INVASION VETERAN. HE TOOK COMMAND OF THE FLEET SATURDAY. HE ARRIVED TODAY WITH THE BOXER FORCE, WHICH IS RETURNING TO SAN DIEGO AFTER SIX MONTHS OPERATIONS IN TROUBLED SOUTHEAST ASIA.
HE MOVES HIS FLAG TOMORROW FROM THE CRUISER TOLEDO TO THE CRUISER ROCHESTER, WHICH IS ARRIVING WITH THE VALLEY FORGE FORCE. THE LATTER IS ENROUTE FOR SIX MONTHS OPERATIONS IN THE WESTERN PACIFIC.
STRUBLE TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THE VALLEY FORGE IS CARRYING TWO SQUADRONS OF GRUMMAN F9F JET FIGHTERS. THESE WILL BE THE FIRST CARRIER OPERATED JETS EVER SEEN IN THE AREA OF THE WORLD WHERE COMMUNISTS THREATEN TO MOVE BEYOND THE CHINA BORDERS INTO INDOCHINA.
AMONG THE FLEET'S MISSIONS, STRUBLE SAID, WILL BE COURTESY CALLS IN SOUTHEAST ASIA PORTS. SUCH CALLS PROBABLY WILL FEATURE CARRIER BASED

JETS IN AIR PARADES.
THE FLEET'S MISSION, STRUBLE ADDED, INCLUDES READINESS FOR IMMEDIATE ACTION IN A NATIONAL EMERGENCY.
HE SAID THE FLEET "IS OUR STRONGEST AND BEST BASE WEST OF PEARL HARBOR." ITS HEADQUARTERS BASE IN NORMAL OPERATIONS WILL BE SANGLEY POINT, MANILA BAY. BUT HE SAID GUAM WOULD BE ITS BASE IN AN EMERGENCY. "IT HAS 10 TIMES THE POTENTIAL OF SUBIC BAY" IN THE PHILIPPINES, HE EXPLAINED.
TASK GROUPS AND THE FOUR SNORKEL SUBMARINES WILL BE EMPLOYED IN CONTINUING ANTI-SUBMARINE WARFARE TRAINING IN THE WESTERN PACIFIC.
REAR ADM. E.C. EWEN, COMMANDER OF NAVAL FORCES IN THE MARIANAS, SAID THE VALLEY FORGE'S JET FIGHTERS CARRIED OUT NIGHT OPERATIONS ENROUTE HERE. HE SAID RADAR-GUIDED NIGHT JET OPERATIONS ARE "ACCEPTED PROCEDURE" IF NOT EXACTLY ROUTINE.
EWEN, AS SKIPPER OF THE INDEPENDENCE, PIONEERED NIGHT OPERATIONS OF CARRIER PLANES IN 1944 WHEN THE INDEPENDENCE NIGHT FIGHTERS PINNED DOWN JAPANESE PLANES ON LUZON BASES IN THE PHILIPPINES.
THE BOXER FORCE WILL LEAVE SATURDAY FOR PEARL HAGBOR.
THE VALLEY FORGE FORCE HEADS FOR MANILA SUNDAY.
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ottawa, ont., may 25--(ap)--a house of commons committee tonight approved legislation to punish canadian servicemen with life imprisonment if they advocate communism's call for the overthrow of their government by force.

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at the same time informed sources indicated privately that some members of canada's armed forces have been quietly discharged for having communist tendencies. officials declined to comment on this report.

without extended discussion, the parliamentary committee approved insertion in pending defense legislation of a clause defining sedition. this was the definition:

"every person who publishes or circulates any writing, printing or document in which is advocated, or who teaches or advocates the use, without the authority of law, of force as a means of accomplishing any governmental change within canada is guilty of an offense and on conviction is liable to imprisonment for life or to less punishment."

officials of the defense department said the possible action was taken to combat communist activity. they said canada's previous military law, while making sedition an offense, had NOT defined sedition. NOT defined it.

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(500) FIRST LEAD MCCARTHY-COMMUNISTS
(WX) ROCHESTER, N.Y., MAY 25-(AP)-SENATOR MC CARTHY PRODUCED DOCUMENTS TONIGHT WHICH HE SAID PROVE THAT OWEN LATTIMORE INTERVENED TO KEEP IN THE U.S. GOVERNMENT TWO CHINESE THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION ONCE RECOMMENDED BE FIRED BECAUSE OF ALLEGED COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES.
LATTIMORE, FROM HIS HOME IN BALTIMORE, QUICKLY FIRED BACK WITH A STATEMENT ACCUSING MC CARTHY OF MISUSING DOCUMENTS BY QUOTING THEM ONLY IN PART. LATTIMORE ADDED:
"MC CARTHY HAS YET TO PRODUCE ANY EVIDENCE THAT HIS OWN HONESTY AND RELIABILITY ARE TO BE TRUSTED."
MC CARTHY, WISCONSIN REPUBLICAN, ACCUSED THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF A "FRAUDULENT COVER UP" OF INFORMATION BEARING ON LATTIMORE, FAR EASTERN EXPERT WHO HAS SOMETIMES ACTED AS A STATE DEPARTMENT CONSULTANT.
MC CARTHY FIRED THE CHARGES IN MAKING PUBLIC PHOTOGRAPHIC COPIES OF DOCUMENTS PURPORTED TO BE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION LOYALTY REPORTS ON TWO CHINESE EMPLOYEES OF THE OLD OFFICE OF WAR INFORMATION (OWI).
BOTH MEN, MC CARTHY SAID, WORKED FOR THE OWI AT THE TIME IN 1942 AND 1943 WHEN LATTIMORE WAS DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF THE AGENCY IN CHARGE OF PACIFIC OPERATIONS.
MC CARTHY NAMED THE TWO CHINESE AS DR.KUNG CHUAN CHI AND CHEW SI HONG. IN ADDITION TO ACCUSING THEM OF COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES, THE SENATOR SAID CHI'S SON HAS BEEN DESIGNATED BY THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS AS THEIR REPRESENTATIVE TO THE UNITED NATIONS.

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(BY) ROCHESTER--FIRST LEAD MCCARTHY-COMMUNISTS (ASIWX) INSERT AFTER SEVENTH GRAF, BEGINNING: MCCARTHY NAMED, ETC.

THE TWO CHINESE WERE UNAVAILABLE FOR COMMENT.

AMONG THE PHOTO-COPIED DOCUMENTS DISCLOSED BY MC CARTHY WAS A REPORT SIGNED BY ALFRED KLEIN, WARTIME ACTING CHIEF LAW OFFICER OF THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, QUOTING LATTIMORE AS SAYING:

"I KNOW THERE IS A LAW PREVENTING THE HIRING OF COMMUNISTS. PERSONALLY AND FRANKLY, I WOULD NOT BE TOO WORRIED IF AN INDIVIDUAL COMMUNIST WERE IN HONG'S POSITION."

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"THIS IS BECAUSE HE WOULD NOT BE ABLE TO FORM A 'CELL' AND COULD NOT GET AWAY WITH ANYTHING. HE COULD NOT COMMIT VERBAL SABOTAGE, AND ALL OF THE WORK COMING OUT OF THE NEW YORK OFFICE HAS TO CLEAR THROUGH ME."

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THE REPORT WENT ON TO QUOTE LATTIMORE AS TELLING FEDERAL INVESTIGATORS THAT EVEN IF THEY WENT TO THE CHINESE AMBASSADOR AND WERE TOLD THAT HONG WAS A COMMUNIST, "THEN I SAY YOU SHOULD DISCOUNT SUCH EVIDENCE AND CERTAINLY SHOULD NOT DECLARE THE MAN INELIGIBLE MERELY ON THAT KIND OF EVIDENCE."

LATTIMORE, IN HIS STATEMENT TONIGHT, SAID:

"POINT ONE, IT WOULD BE IMPORTANT TO KNOW HOW MCCARTHY, WHO IS SO READY TO ACCUSE OTHER PEOPLE OF SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITY, CAME INTO UNAUTHORIZED POSSESSION OF GOVERNMENT SECURITY DOCUMENTS.

"POINT TWO, MCCARTHY MENTIONED DR. K. C. CHI AND HIS SON, K. T. CHI. AT THAT TIME (1942-43) DR. CHI HAD COME TO THIS COUNTRY ON A DIPLOMATIC PASSPORT ISSUED BY THE CHINESE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT IN CHUNG KING.

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"HIS SON, AT THAT TIME, HELD A TOP CONFIDENTIAL POSITION IN THE BANK OF CHINA AND ON THE CURRENCY STABILIZATION BOARD OF THE CHINESE GOVERNMENT, AND WAS ONE OF THE RIGHT HAND MEN OF H. H. KUNG, WHO WAS PREMIER, MINISTER OF FINANCE, AND BROTHER-IN-LAW TO CHIANG KAI SHEK.

"POINT NUMBER THREE, MCCARTHY IS APPARENTLY REPEATING CHARGES AGAINST DR. CHI AND CHEW HONG WITHOUT PRODUCING THE FULL RECORD.

"HIS USE OF DOCUMENTS IS WELL KNOWN ALREADY. HE PREVIOUSLY QUOTED A LETTER BY ME AS EVIDENCE THAT I HIRED CHINESE COMMUNISTS (FOR THE OWI), LEAVING OUT THIS SENTENCE IN THE LETTER WHICH I WROTE:

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"OF COURSE, WE MUST BE CAREFUL NOT TO HIRE ANY CHINESE COMMUNISTS."

"MCCARTHY HAS YET TO PRODUCE ANY EVIDENCE THAT HIS OWN HONESTY AND RELIABILITY ARE TO BE TRUSTED.

"HE ALSO YET TO REDEEM HIMSELF FOR HIS COWARDICE IN FAILING TO REPEAT, WITHOUT SENATORIAL IMMUNITY, THE DESPICABLE CHARGES HE MADE AGAINST ME OF BEING A SOVIET ESPIONAGE AGENT AND A COMMUNIST."

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THERE WAS NO IMMEDIATE COMMENT FROM SENATOR CHAVEZ.

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MC CARTHY RENEWED HIS ATTACK ON LATTIMORE TONIGHT IN A SPEECH TO A NATIONAL CONVENTION OF THE CATHOLIC PRESS ASSOCIATION OF THE UNITED STATES.

MCCARTHY ALSO AGAIN ACCUSED U.S. AMBASSADOR-AT-LARGE PHILIP C. JESSUP OF HAVING BEEN AFFILIATED WITH A HALF DOZEN COMMUNIST-FRONT ORGANIZATIONS. HE DISTRIBUTED COPIES OF LETTER-HEADS WHICH HE SAID BACK UP THAT CHARGE.

JESSUP HAS SWORN THAT HE NEVER KNOWINGLY BELONGED TO ANY COMMUNIST-FRONT GROUPS.

MC CARTHY ALSO CHARGED TONIGHT THAT A COMMUNIST LAWYER HELPED SENATOR CHAVEZ (D-NM) PUT TOGETHER A SENATE SPEECH IN WHICH CHAVEZ ACCUSED EX-COMMUNIST LOUIS BUDENZ OF USING THE CATHOLIC CHURCH "AS A CLUB."

MC CARTHY DID NOT NAME THE LAWYER, BUT SAID THE ATTORNEY "CERTAINLY DESERVES A PROMOTION IN THE (COMMUNIST) PARTY FOR HAVING SUCCEEDED IN USING THE FLOOR OF THE UNITED STATES SENATE AS A TRANSMISSION BELT."

BUDENZ, MANAGING EDITOR OF THE DAILY WORKER UNTIL HE RENOUNCED COMMUNISM IN 1945 AND REJOINED THE CATHOLIC CHURCH, WAS A MC CARTHY WITNESS AGAINST LATTIMORE AT A SENATE INQUIRY INTO MC CARTHY'S CHARGES

BUDENZ SWORE HE HAD BEEN TOLD BY HIGH COMMUNIST OFFICIALS THAT LATTIMORE WAS A MEMBER OF A COMMUNIST CELL.

MC CARTHY SAID CHAVEZ "HAD PRACTICALLY NOTHING TO DO WITH WRITING THE SPEECH" IN WHICH HE ATTACKED BUDENZ, "AND EVEN HAD DIFFICULTY READING THIS TYPICAL COMMUNIST LINE ATTACK X X X"

MC CARTHY SAID THE TWO CHINESE FORMER EMPLOYES OF OWI FOR WHOM LATTIMORE INTERCEDED WERE DR.KUNG CHUAN CHI AND CHEW SIH HONG.

WITHOUT DISCLOSING HOW HE OBTAINED THE CIVIL SERVICE RECORDS, MC CARTHY SAID THEY SHOW CHI AND HONG "WERE INDISPENSABLE TO LATTIMORE'S OPERATIONS." HE ADDED THAT THEY ALSO SHOW THAT:

"THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION FOUND THAT ONE OF THEM WAS UNFIT FOR GOVERNMENT SERVICE BECAUSE OF HIS COMMUNIST CONNECTIONS, AND THAT THE OTHER HAD BEEN REJECTED BY ONE OF THE EXAMINERS BECAUSE OF HIS COMMUNISTIC ACTIVITIES, AND THAT HIS CASE WAS STILL PENDING AT THE TIME LATTIMORE INTERVENED TO KEEP THEM BOTH ON.

"YOU WILL NOTE THAT THE FILES SHOW THAT DR.CHI, WHOM LATTIMORE FOUGHT TO KEEP WITH HIM AT ALL COSTS, HAD BEEN DISCHARGED AS COMMISSIONER OF EDUCATION IN SHANSI PROVINCE IN CHINA BECAUSE OF HIS COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES. X X X

"YOU WILL NOTE THAT THE FILES SHOW THAT LATTIMORE STATED THAT EVEN IF HONG WERE A COMMUNIST, HE STILL WANTED HIM IN THIS JOB. X X X

"YOU WILL ALSO NOTE FROM THE FILES THAT LATTIMORE WAS INFORMED OF THE COMPLETE BACKGROUND OF CHI AND CHEW HONG, WHICH INCLUDED THE FACT THAT CHI'S SON WAS A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY, AND, IN FACT, SO HIGH UP IN ITS COUNCILS THAT HE WAS A DELEGATE TO THE THIRD INTERNATIONALE IN MOSCOW."

MC CARTHY SAID CHI'S SON HAS BEEN DESIGNATED BY THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS AS THEIR REPRESENTATIVE TO THE UNITED NATIONS. HE SAID YOUNG CHI IS WAITING UNTIL LATTIMORE, SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON AND U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE "MANEUVER THE RECOGNITION OF COMMUNIST CHINA."

MC CARTHY SAID IN WASHINGTON YESTERDAY THAT THE LOYALTY REPORTS ON CHI AND HONG WERE FROM OWI FILES WHICH, HE ADDED, NOW ARE IN POSSESSION OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

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SPEAKING TO NEWS MEN IN THE CAPITAL YESTERDAY, STATE DEPARTMENT PRESS OFFICER LINCOLN WHITE SAID THE DEPARTMENT HAS A LOYALTY REPORT ON LATTIMORE FROM RECORDS OF THE NOW DEFUNCT OWI.

HE DECLINED TO DISCLOSE CONTENTS OF THE REPORT. HE SAID THE DEPARTMENT HAD TAKEN NO ACTION ON THE BASIS OF THE OWI DATA BECAUSE LATTIMORE WAS NOT AMONG OWI EMPLOYEES WHO WERE TRANSFERRED TO THE DEPARTMENT WHEN IT ABSORBED OWI AFTER THE WAR.

WHITE ADDED THAT THERE WAS NO NEED TO RUN A LOYALTY CHECK ON LATTIMORE BECAUSE HE WAS NEVER AN EMPLOYEE OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

MC CARTHY SAID TONIGHT THAT STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS HAD ACCESS TO THE OWI MATERIAL WHEN, 10 DAYS AGO, IT DISPUTED HIS CONTENTION THAT LATTIMORE, IN 1943, SENT A LETTER TO AN OWI COLLEAGUE INSTRUCTING HIM TO BRING INTO THE AGENCY CHINESE LOYAL TO THE COMMUNISTS.

THE REPLY TO MC CARTHY'S CONTENTION WAS MADE BY EDWARD W.BARRETT, ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE FOR PUBLIC AFFAIRS. BARRETT SAID LATTIMORE'S INSTRUCTIONS ACTUALLY WERE THAT "WHILE WE (OWI) NEED TO AVOID RECRUITING ANY CHINESE COMMUNISTS, WE MUST BE CAREFUL NOT TO BE FRIGHTENED OUT OF HIRING PEOPLE WHO HAVE LOOSELY BEEN ACCUSED OF BEING COMMUNISTS X X X."

MC CARTHY SAID BOTH HE AND THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAD PLENTY OF TIME TO STUDY LATTIMORE'S 1943 LETTER, "SO THAT THE LIE OF WHICH THE STATE DEPARTMENT OR MC CARTHY IS GUILTY MUST BE DELIBERATE."

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MC CARTHY ACCUSED THE DEPARTMENT OF "A SINISTER EFFORT TO AVOID HONESTY," AND SAID:

"IT BEARS A BASIC CORRUPTION THAT PERMEATES THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S CLOSELY KNIT HIGH COMMAND. INSTEAD OF SHOOTING SQUARE WITH THE AMERICAN PEOPLE, WE FIND MEN IN HIGH PLACES WHO OFFER US BITS AND PIECES OF INFORMATION TO HELP THEM CONCEAL INSTEAD OF REVEAL THE TRUTH."

THE PURPORTED CIVIL SERVICE LOYALTY FILES WHICH MC CARTHY PRODUCED DEALT AT LENGTH WITH THE BACKGROUND OF THE TWO CHINESE, CHI AND HONG.

ONE OF THE REPORTS, ADDRESSED TO A WILLIAM H.MC MILLEN BY ONE E. NEWTON STEELY--NEITHER FURTHER IDENTIFIED--WAS DATED SEPT. 2, 1943. IT PRETTY WELL SUMMARIZED MATERIAL IN TWO OTHER REPORTS ALSO MADE PUBLIC BY MCCARTHY.

STEELY SAID HE HAD INTERVIEWED LATTIMORE AND TWO OTHER OWI OFFICIALS, FRANK MARSH AND REAR ADMIRAL R.P.MC CULLOUGH, REGARDING HONG, THEN AN ASSISTANT FIELD DIRECTOR IN THE NEW YORK OFFICE OF THE OWI.

STEELY REFERRED TO AN EARLIER REPORT WHICH SAID THE "ACTIVITIES, AFFILIATIONS AND ASSOCIATIONS OF HONG X X X ARE COMMUNISTIC," AND THAT HE SHOULD BE FIRED.

OWI WAS NOTIFIED, STEELY SAID, AND REPORTED TO THE COMMISSION THAT HONG WAS BEING LET OUT.

"THE COMMISSION WAS SUBSEQUENTLY INFORMED X X X BY ADMIRAL MC CULLOUGH," STEELY WROTE, "THAT THE INFORMATION FURNISHED TO IT BY MR. ELMER DAVIS (THEN CHIEF OF OWI) X X X REGARDING THE TERMINATION OF MR. HONG'S SERVICES WAS SOMEWHAT IN ERROR."

WHAT ACTUALLY HAPPENED, STEELY CONTINUED, WAS THAT HONG WAS "SEPARATED" FOR DUTY WITH THE ARMY, AND THAT UPON HIS RETURN IN THE SPRING OF 1943 HE WAS AGAIN EMPLOYED IN OWI'S NEW YORK OFFICE, WHICH "WAS NOT ADVISED THAT MR.HONG HAD BEEN DECLARED INELIGIBLE BY THE

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION."

STEELY SAID THAT ON THE BASIS OF THAT INFORMATION, THE CASE WAS REOPENED. HE SAID LATTIMORE, MC CULLOUGH AND FRANK MARSH, ALSO OF OWI, WERE INTERVIEWED AND "ADVISED FULLY REGARDING THE SUBSTANCE OF THE DEROGATORY INFORMATION" ABOUT HONG. STEELY CONTINUED:

"MR.LATTIMORE STATED THAT HE WISHED TO KEEP MR.HONG ON THE JOB, THAT HE HAD AN EFFICIENT SET-UP IN THE CHINESE SECTION IN NEW YORK AND WANTED TO KEEP IT THAT WAY, THAT HE HAS EXPLICIT CONFIDENCE IN DR.CHI (WHO RECOMMENDED HONG TO LATTIMORE, THAT MR.HONG IS UNDER CAREFUL SUPERVISION AND EVEN IF HE WERE A COMMUNIST THAT HE IS NOT IN A POSITION WHERE HE COULD DO ANY DAMAGE X X X."

STEELY QUOTED LATTIMORE AS SAYING THAT IN THE CASE OF BOTH CHI AND HONG THERE HAD BEEN NO INSTANCES OF CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION GETTING INTO UNAUTHORIZED CHANNELS AND "THAT THERE HAD BEEN NO ATTEMPTS ON MR.HONG'S PART TO USE HIS PRESENT POSITION FOR THE SPREADING OF COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA." STEELY ADDED:

"THE SUBSTANCE OF MR.LATTIMORE'S STATEMENTS WAS TO THE EFFECT THAT HE WANTS TO RETAIN MR.HONG AND IS STILL RELYING ON DR.CHI'S RECOMMENDATION AND KNOWLEDGE OF MR.HONG, ALL EVIDENCE TO THE CONTRARY NOTWITHSTANDING."

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STEELY CONCLUDED, HOWEVER, THAT HE COULD SEE NO REASON FOR REVERSING THE COMMISSION'S PREVIOUS RULING THAT HONG SHOULD BE FIRED.

ANOTHER REPORT TWO MONTHS LATER--DATED NOV. 14, 1943--WAS SIGNED BY ALFRED KLEIN, ACTING CHIEF LAW OFFICER, APPARENTLY FOR THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION. KLEIN WROTE:

"SINCE WE HAVE NO DIRECT EVIDENCE THAT HONG IS A COMMUNIST, AND SINCE THE ORIGINAL DECISION WAS BASED ON THE CIRCUMSTANCES OF HONG'S CONNECTIONS, AND IN VIEW OF MR.LATTIMORE'S REPRESENTATIONS, I AM READY TO REACH THE CONCLUSION THAT POSSIBLY WE MADE AN ERROR IN THE CASE OF MR.HONG; I AM, THEREFORE, READY TO RECOMMEND THAT MR.HONG BE RATED ELIGIBLE FOR RETENTION X X X."

KLEIN ALSO RECOMMENDED THAT CHI BE RATED AS ELIGIBLE. IN ANOTHER SECTION OF THE REPORT. FARRAR SMITH, APPARENTLY A COLLEAGUE OF KLEIN, SAID HE ORIGINALLY HAD RATED BOTH HONG AND CHI AS INELIGIBLE, BUT HAD DECIDED TO REVERSE THE RECOMMENDATION IN VIEW OF LATTIMORE'S ADVICE.

IN STEELY'S EARLIER REPORT HE QUOTED ADMIRAL MC CULLOUGH SAYING THAT IF HONG WAS TO BE REMOVED ON THE BASIS OF THE EVIDENCE IN THE CASE, "HE (MC CULLOUGH) FELT THAT OTHERS HIGHER UP IN THE ORGANIZATION (OWI) SHOULD ALSO GO, THAT OTHERS HAD BEEN RETAINED AGAINST WHOM THE EVIDENCE WAS MORE DAMAGING THAN IT WAS AGAINST MR.HONG X X X."

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ROCHESTER, N. Y.--FIRST LEAD MCCARTHY-COMMUNISTS BJT (A61, SUB FOR 25TH GRAF INSERTED PREVIOUSLY "THERE WAS X X X CHAVEZ."

SENATOR CHAVEZ, NOW IN NEW MEXICO, COMMENTED ONLY: "NEITHER A COMMUNIST LAWYER NOR ANY OTHER KIND OF A LAWYER HELPED ME PREPARE THAT SPEECH."

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(400) MCCARTHY-STATE DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, MAY 25-(AP)-THE STATE DEPARTMENT TONIGHT ACCUSED SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) OF FAILING TO GIVE SENATE INVESTIGATORS PROOF OF A CHARGE AGAINST AMBASSADOR PHILIP C. JESSUP ALTHOUGH THE SENATOR STATED 10 DAYS AGO HE HAD ALREADY DONE SO.

THE CHARGE DEALT WITH JESSUP'S ALLEGED CONNECTIONS WITH COMMUNIST FRONT ORGANIZATIONS. THE DEPARTMENT SAID SIMILAR ACCUSATIONS BY MCCARTHY HAD BEEN "REPEATED AND REFUTED AT LEAST THREE TIMES."

(TODAY IN A SPEECH AT ROCHESTER MCCARTHY DISPLAYED COPIES OF LETTER-HEADS WHICH HE SAID SUPPORT THE CHARGE. JESSUP HAS SAID HE NEVER KNOWINGLY BELONGED TO ANY COMMUNIST FRONT.)

TODAY'S STATE DEPARTMENT STATEMENT WAS THE THIRD POINT-BY-POINT REPLY TO MC CARTHY SPEECHES DELIVERED IN HIS CAMPAIGN AGAINST THE STATE DEPARTMENT, WHICH HE SAYS HARBORS COMMUNISTS WHO BETRAYED NATIONALIST CHINA.

THE DEPARTMENT NOTED THAT MC CARTHY, IN A SPEECH AT ATLANTIC CITY MAY 15, SAID JESSUP, A TOP ADVISER TO SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON, WAS AFFILIATED WITH FIVE COMMUNIST FRONT ORGANIZATIONS AND WAS "A DIRECTOR OF ONE OF THE WORST OF THE LOT NAMED AS SUCH BY THE ATTORNEY GENERAL."

THE WISCONSIN SENATOR WAS QUOTED AS SAYING THAT HE HAD PRESENTED PHOTOSTATIC PROOF OF THIS TO THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE INVESTIGATING HIS CHARGES AGAINST THE DEPARTMENT. BUT THE DEPARTMENT SAID TONIGHT:

"SENATOR MCCARTHY HAS SUBMITTED NO PHOTOSTATS AS OF THIS WRITING."

IT CHECKED WITH EDWARD P. MORGAN, CHIEF COUNSEL OF THE SUBCOMMITTEE, THE STATEMENT RELATED. MORGAN FOUND NO RECORD OF "ANY MATERIAL" FROM MCCARTHY INDICATING THAT JESSUP HAS BEEN ASSOCIATED WITH COMMUNIST FRONTS.

MCCARTHY STATED AT ATLANTIC CITY THAT JESSUP WAS A DIRECTOR OF "ONE OF THE WORST" OF THE ORGANIZATIONS LISTED AS COMMUNIST FRONTS. HE HAD NAMED IT IN ANOTHER STATEMENT AS THE CHINA AID COUNCIL OF THE AMERICAN LEAGUE FOR PEACE AND DEMOCRACY."

THE DEPARTMENT SAID:

"AMBASSADOR JESSUP IS NOT AND HAS NEVER BEEN A DIRECTOR OF THE CHINA AID COUNCIL. THIS CHARGE EVIDENTLY IS BASED -- INTENTIONALLY OR CARELESSLY -- ON THE FACT THAT NOT MR. JESSUP, BUT HIS WIFE, WAS LISTED IN 1944 AS A DIRECTOR OF THE CHINA AID COUNCIL." HOWEVER, IT EXPLAINED, THIS RESULTED BECAUSE ANOTHER ORGANIZATION TO WHICH MRS. JESSUP BELONGED TWO YEARS BEFORE HAD BEEN ABSORBED BY THE CHINA AID COUNCIL WHICH HAD CONTINUED "AS OF 1944" TO CARRY HER NAME ON ITS LETTERHEAD.

THE ABSORBED ORGANIZATION, THE DEPARTMENT SAID, WAS A CHINA ORPHANAGE RELIEF COMMITTEE SPONSORED BY MME. CHIANG KAI SHEK AND IN WHICH MRS. JESSUP WORKED UNTIL 1942 WHEN SHE TURNED HER ENERGIES TO A QUAKER SERVICE ORGANIZATION. THE DEPARTMENT SAID THAT WHEN MRS. JESSUP WAS LISTED AS A DIRECTOR OF THE CHINA AID COUNCIL SHE WAS TAKING NO ACTIVE PART IN ITS WORK AND ATTENDED NO MEETINGS.

THE DEPARTMENT NOTED THAT JESSUP DOES BELONG TO "A NUMBER OF HIGHLY RESPECTABLE NONCOMMUNIST FRONT ORGANIZATIONS, INCLUDING UTICA POST 229 OF THE AMERICAN LEGION, WHICH, ON APRIL 6, 1950, RESOLVED THAT THE POST AND ITS ENTIRE MEMBERSHIP:

"...STRONGLY RESENT, CONDEMN AND DECRY THE...INTOLERABLE CONDUCT OF . . . MCCARTHY IN HIS WANTON ATTEMPT, WITHOUT PROOF OR REASON, TO SMEAR AND DESTROY THE GOOD REPUTATION OF...JESSUP."

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WITH MCCARTHY
ROCHESTER, N.Y., MAY 25-(AP)-SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) DECLARED TONIGHT THAT THE MADISON, WIS., CAPITAL TIMES WAS "CLOSER TO THE DAILY WORKER THAN ANY OTHER NEWSPAPER IN THE COUNTRY."

"I SHOULDN'T FORGET, PERHAPS, THE WASHINGTON POST, THE NEW YORK POST AND THE ST.LOUIS POST-DISPATCH," MCCARTHY ADDED.

MCCARTHY'S COMMENT CAME DURING A QUESTION-AND-ANSWER SESSION AFTER A TALK BEFORE THE CONVENTION OF THE CATHOLIC PRESS ASSOCIATION.

IT WAS IN ANSWER TO A QUERY ABOUT HIS OPINION OF THE CAPITAL TIMES, WITH WHICH HE IS FEUDING.

"THESE PAPERS," HE SAID, "DON'T FOLLOW THE COMMUNIST LINE AS CLOSELY AS THE DAILY WORKER. OF COURSE."

AT MADISON, WIS., WILLIAM EVJUE, EDITOR OF THE CAPITAL TIMES, SAID, "FOR MC CARTHY TO SAY THAT THE CAPITAL TIMES, WASHINGTON POST OR THE ST. LOUIS-DISPATCH ARE IN ANY WAY CLOSELY ALLIED IN THOUGHT WITH THE DAILY WORKER IS RIDICULOUS."

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NIGHT LEAD ADLER-DRAPER
BY GEORGE MILLER
(NY) HARTFORD, CONN., MAY 25-(AP)-MRS.HESTER R.MCCULLOUGH'S LAWYER CONTENDED TODAY THAT "DIRECT AND PRIMARY EVIDENCE" LINKS LARRY ADLER WITH 11 COMMUNIST FRONT ORGANIZATIONS AND PAUL DRAPER WITH 15 SUCH ORGANIZATIONS.

THE LAWYER, MACDONALD DEWITT, SUMMED UP FOR THE DEFENSE IN THE $200,000 LIBEL SUIT BROUGHT BY ADLER, A HARMONICA PLAYER, AND DRAPER, A DANCER, AGAINST MRS.MCCULLOUGH, A GREENWICH, CONN., HOUSEWIFE WHO HAS ACCUSED BOTH ENTERTAINERS OF PRO-COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES.

FEDERAL JUDGE J.JOSEPH SMITH IS EXPECTED TO GIVE THE CASE TO THE JURY OF EIGHT WOMEN AND FOUR MEN TOMORROW.

DEWITT TOLD THE JURORS IN REVIEWING THE EVIDENCE OF DRAPER'S AND ADLER'S POLITICAL ACTIVITIES:

"HOW CAN IT BE THAT THESE GLOBE-TROTTERS--THESE MEN WHO TRAVEL ALL OVER THE COUNTRY, BEING IN THEATRICAL CIRCLES ALL OVER EUROPE--HOW COULD IT BE THAT THEY WERE SO INNOCENT AS TO THE CHARACTER OF THESE 15 COMMUNIST FRONT ORGANIZATIONS?

"IS IT POSSIBLE THEY COULD BE SO INNOCENT AS TO BE ON THE SUCKER LIST OF NOT EIGHT OR NINE ORGANIZATIONS, AS CLAIMED BY MRS.MCCULLOUGH, BUT ON 15?

"SUCH A CLAIM ON THE PART OF THESE PLAINTIFFS IS AN AFFRONT TO YOUR INTELLIGENCE."

MRS.MCCULLOUGH, IN A PUBLISHED LETTER OPPOSING A GREENWICH CONCERT BY DRAPER AND ADLER EARLY LAST YEAR, CHARGED THEY "OPENLY SUPPORTED" A NUMBER OF ORGANIZATIONS CITED AS SUBVERSIVE BY THE U.S. ATTORNEY

GENERAL'S OFFICE OR OTHER GOVERNMENT UNITS.
THE ENTERTAINERS HAVE DENIED KNOWINGLY SUPPORTING COMMUNIST CAUSES.
THEIR LAWYER, THEW WRIGHT, JR., SAID IN CONCLUDING HIS SUMMATION THAT IT IS "NONSENSICAL BEFORE YOU CALL PEOPLE NAMES AND LEAD OTHER PEOPLE TO BELIEVE YOU'RE CALLING THEM NAMES, NOT TO GO TO THEM AND TALK WITH THEM."
"YOU CAN'T FIND OUT WHAT DRAPER AND ADLER BELIEVE IN WITHOUT ASKING DRAPER AND ADLER," WRIGHT SAID, ADDING THAT MRS.MCCULLOUGH BASED HER ACCUSATIONS SOLELY ON SECOND-HAND INFORMATION.
THE LAWYER SAID ALSO THAT THE GREENWICH COMMUNITY CONCERTS ASSOCIATION SATISFIED ITSELF THAT THE TWO ENTERTAINERS WERE LOYAL AMERICANS AT A MEETING WITH THEM SEVERAL WEEKS BEFORE THE CONCERT TO WHICH MRS.MCCULLOUGH OBJECTED.
DEWITT, THE OPPOSING LAWYER, SAID MRS.MCCULLOUGH, 32, WIFE OF AN ASSISTANT PICTURE EDITOR ON TIME MAGAZINE, HAD TWO GOOD DEFENSES UNDER CONNECTICUT LAW--THAT SHE MADE HER STATEMENTS WITHOUT MALICE AND THAT HER STATEMENTS WERE TRUE.
"I'VE ALWAYS HEARD THAT TWO HEADS ARE BETTER THAN ONE, AND ON THAT PRINCIPLE TWO DEFENSES ARE BETTER THAN ONE," DEWITT SAID. IN HIS SUMMATION HE DEVELOPED THE ARGUMENT THAT MRS.MCCULLOUGH'S ACCUSATIONS WERE TRUE, LEAVING THE OTHER CONTENTION TO A LATER SUMMARY BY HIS COLLEAGUE, C.DRISCOLL GRIMES.
DEWITT REFERRED TO TESTIMONY THAT BOTH DRAPER AND ADLER SUPPORTED HENRY A.WALLACE IN THE 1948 PRESIDENTIAL CAMPAIGN, AND DECLARED:
"NOBODY WHO HAS BEEN READING OUR NEWSPAPERS FOR THE PAST TWO YEARS COULD SAY WALLACE WAS NOT A PRO-COMMUNIST."
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THE LAWYER SAID WALLACE WAS "TRYING TO PREVENT THE UNITED STATES FROM PREPARING ITSELF AGAINST THE TIME WHEN THE RUSSIANS WILL ATTACK US, WHICH CERTAINLY WILL COME IN DUE COURSE."
DEWITT SAID THE SUMMATION FOR DRAPER AND ADLER, WHICH BEGAN YESTERDAY, WAS "ONE CONTINUOUS SATIRE" WITH UNCALLED-FOR "SCATHING REFERENCES" TO SUCH DEFENSE WITNESSES AS LOUIS BUDENZ, FORMER COMMUNIST LEADER, AND MATTHEW CVETIC AND JOHN HUBER, FORMER FBI UNDERCOVER AGENTS.
"WE ARE HERE TO PASS ON THE CREDIBILITY OF MR.BUDENZ BY EVIDENCE, NOT BY VILE INSINUATIONS," DEWITT SAID.
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FIRST LEAD ADLER-DRAPER
BY GEORGE MILLER
(NY)HARTFORD, CONN.,MAY 25-(AP)-MACDONALD DEWITT, ATTORNEY FOR MRS.HESTER R.MCCULLOUGH, TODAY BEGAN FINAL ARGUMENT FOR HIS CLIENT WHO IS BEING SUED FOR LIBEL BY HARMONICA PLAYER LARRY ADLER AND DANCER PAUL DRAPER.
THE ENTERTAINERS SEEK $-00,000 DAMAGES FROM THE 32-YEAR-OLD GREENWICH, CONN., HOUSEWIFE, CHARGING SHE FALSELY LABELED THEM PRO-COMMUNIST IN SYMPATHY.
DEWITT TOLD A FEDERAL COURT JURY THAT MRS.MCCULLOUGH HAD TWO GOOD DEFENSES UNDER CONNECTICUT LAW; "THT SHE MADE THESE PUBLICATIONS WITHOUT MALICE IN FACT; THAT IT WAS TRUE."
DEWITT MAINTAINED EITHER DEFENSE WOULD BE GOOD IN HIS CLIENT'S CASE, BUT THAT BOTH WERE PRESENTED BECAUSE HIS ASSOCIATE COUNSEL TOLD HIM "I'VE ALWAYS HEARD THAT TWO HEADS ARE BETTER THAN ONE, AND ON THAT PRINCIPLE TWO DEFENSES ARE BETTER THAN ONE."
THE LAWYER SAID HE WOULD ARGUE AS TO THE TRUTH OF THE CHARGES AND THAT HIS ASSOCIATE, C.DRISCOLL GRIMES, WOULD DISCUSS THE LACK OF MALICE IN FACT.
THEW WRIGHT, JR., ATTORNEY FOR THE ENTERTAINERS, SAID IN HIS SUMMATION THAT IT WAS "NONSENSICAL BEFORE YOU CALL PEOPLE NAMES AND LEAD OTHER PEOPLE TO BELIEVE YOU'RE CALLING THEM NAMES, NOT TO GO TO THEM AND TALK WITH THEM."
HE SAID "YOU CAN'T FIND OUT WHAT DRAPER AND ADLER BELIEVE IN WITHOUT ASKING DRAPER AND ADLER."
WRIGHT SAID THE GREENWICH COMMUNITY CONCERTS ASSOCIATION SATISFIED ITSELF ON THE ENTERTAINERS' LOYALTY AFTER MEETING WITH THEM SEVERAL WEEKS BEFORE THE APPEARANCE WHICH MRS.MCCULLOUGH HAD PROTESTED.
FEDERAL JUDGE J.JOSEPH SMITH HAS ANNOUNCED HE WOULD CHARGE THE JURY OF EIGHT WOMEN AND FOUR MEN TOMORROW.
THE JURYMEN FOLLOWED WRIGHT ATTENTIVELY AS HE WENT THROUGH A TWO-HOUR PRESENTATION YESTERDAY.
THE 37-YEAR-OLD ATTORNEY, FORMERLY OF BUFFALO, N.Y., BRANDED THE THEORY OF "GUILT BY ASSOCIATION" AS "NONSENSE," AND TOLD THE JURORS THEY HAD BEEN EXPOSED TO "RED HERRINGS."
WRIGHT, A MEMBER OF THE FIRM OF WIGGIN AND DANA OF NEW HAVEN, CONN., SAID THE EVIDENCE SHOWED DRAPER AND ADLER--WITH ONE EXCEPTION--HAD HAD NOTHING TO DO WITH RED FRONTS SINCE THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S LIST OF SUBVERSIVE ORGANIZATIONS WAS PUBLISHED.
THE YOUTHFUL ATTORNEY SAID THE "ACID TEST" FOR PARTY LINERS DURING THE 1939-1941 PERIOD IN WHICH THE HITLER-STALIN PACT OPERATED WAS OPPOSITION TO THE WAR EFFORT.
AND IN THIS PERIOD, HE DECLARED, HIS CLIENTS WERE "GIVING LAVISHLY OF THEIR TIME FOR BRITISH WAR RELIEF."
DRAPER, A DANCER, AND ADLER, A HARMONICA PLAYER, CLAIM MRS.MCCULLOUGH DAMAGED THEM BY BRANDING THEM FALSELY AS BEING "PRO-COMMUNIST IN SYMPATHY" AND ACCUSING THEM OF OPENLY SUPPORTING NINE OR MORE COMMUNIST FRONTS.
THE SUIT STEMS FROM A PUBLISHED LETTER IN WHICH MRS.MCCULLOUGH PROTESTED THEIR APPEARANCE AT A CONCERT SPONSORED BY THE GREENWICH, CONN., COMMUNITY CONCERT ASSOCIATION IN JANUARY, 1949.
THE LETTER FIRST WAS PUBLISHED IN DECEMBER, 1948, IN THE NEW YORK JOURNAL-AMERICAN AND TWO-DAYS LATER IN THE GREENWICH TIME.
THE ENTERTAINERS FILED SUIT THE DAY AFTER THE GREENWICH CONCERT. UNDER CONNECTICUT LAW, ALL PERSONAL PROPERTY OF MRS.MC CULLOUGH WAS ATTACHED. LATER, DRAPER AND ADLER LIFTED THE ATTACHMENT.
THE CASE RECEIVED NATIONAL ATTENTION FROM NEWSPAPER COLUMNISTS AND RADIO COMMENTATORS. CONTRIBUTIONS REPORTEDLY REACHING $26,000 WENT TO THE GREENWICH HOUSEWIFE FROM ALL PARTS OF THE COUNTRY.
THE 32-YEAR-OLD MRS.MC CULLOUGH IS THE WIFE OF JOHN T. MC CULLOUGH, AN ASSISTANT PICTURE EDITOR OF TIME MAGAZINE.
WRIGHT SAID DRAPER APPEARED AT A BENEFIT OF THE SPANISH REFUGEE APPEAL IN OCTOBER, 1949--BUT ONLY AFTER THE THEATER AUTHORITY, WHICH REGULATES BENEFIT SHOWS FOR THE ENTERTAINMENT INDUSTRY, HAD CLEARED IT.
THE APPEAL WAS AFFILIATED WITH THE JOINT ANTI-FASCIST REFUGEE

COMMITTEE, WHICH IS ON THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S LIST.
IN ISSUING THE LIST, WRIGHT SAID, THE ATTORNEY GENERAL HAD WARNED "IT IS ENTIRELY POSSIBLE THAT MANY PERSONS BELONGING TO SUCH ORGANIZATIONS MAY BE LOYAL TO THE UNITED STATES. GUILT BY ASSOCIATION HAS NEVER BEEN ONE OF THE PRINCIPLES OF AMERICAN JURISPRUDENCE."
THE JURY HAS HEARD MORE THAN 3,000 PAGES OF TESTIMONY DURING THE 18 COURT DAYS THE TRIAL HAS BEEN UNDER WAY. THIRTY-SIX WITNESSES HAVE BEEN HEARD IN THE LARGE OAK-PANELLED COURTROOM, AND THE DEPOSITIONS OF 18 OTHERS HAVE BEEN READ TO THE JURY.
FOR THE MOST PART, THE COURTROOM ATMOSPHERE HAS BEEN SEDATE, AND THE JURORS HAVE LISTENED "DEAD-PAN" TO THE TESTIMONY. THE ATMOSPHERE THAWHED OUT SOMEWHAT YESTERDAY, AS WRIGHT BROKE THE ICE. SOME OF THE JURORS SMILED AT HIS COMMENTS ON VARIOUS ASPECTS OF THE TESTIMONY.
IN THIS CASE THE JURORS HAVE BEEN PERMITTED TO QUESTION WITNESSES AT THE CONCLUSION OF THEIR TESTIMONY. SUCH QUESTIONING OCCURRED FOUR TIMES -- THREE TIMES BY PHILIP YOST, A WEST HARTFORD, CONN., INSURANCE MAN, AND ONCE BY ARTHUR SEBERT, AN ALTERNATE JUROR, OF SOUTH COVENTRY, CONN.
YOST, WHO USUALLY SLOUCHES IN THE FRONT TIER OF THE JURY BOX, TACKLED LOUIS BUDENZ, A DEFENSE WITNESS, ON THE SOURCES OF HIS INFORMATION. BUDENZ IS A FORMER COMMUNIST LEADER AND DAILY WORKER EDITOR WHO GAVE UP THE PARTY TO RETURN TO THE ROMAN CATHOLIC FAITH.
THE JURY INCLUDES A RETIRED STOCK BROKER, A RETIRED INSURANCE MAN AND TWO OTHERS NOW IN THAT BUSINESS, AND EIGHT HOUSEWIVES. THEY RANGE IN AGE FROM 38 TO 68, THE YOUNGEST BEING YOST. SOME OF THEM ARE INVETERATE NOTE-TAKERS.

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SERVICE (270)
WASHINGTON, MAY 25-(AP)-THE STATE DEPARTMENT WILL START TOMORROW A NEW AND SECRECY-SHROUDED PROBE INTO THE LOYALTY OF CAREER DIPLOMAT JOHN S.SERVICE, NAMED BY SENATOR MC CARTHY (R-WIS) AS A PRO-COMMUNIST. SERVICE INSISTS HE IS LOYAL.
THE HEARING BEFORE A THREE-MAN PANEL FROM THE DEPARTMENT'S LOYALTY AND SECURITY BOARD WILL BE HELD BEHIND CLOSED DOORS. EVEN THE IDENTITIES OF THE PANEL MEMBERS WERE WITHHELD.
SERVICE, WHO WAS RECALLED TO THIS COUNTRY, AND A SCORE OF HIS WITNESSES WILL TESTIFY IN WHAT HIS ATTORNEY CALLS AN EFFORT TO CLEAR SERVICE'S RECORD "ONCE AND FOR ALL."
THE VETERAN DIPLOMAT, A SPECIALIST IN FAR EASTERN AFFAIRS, HAS BEEN INVESTIGATED AND CLEARED A NUMBER OF TIMES SINCE HE WAS ACCUSED AND EXONERATED IN THE 1945 AMERASIA CASE. THAT CASE INVOLVED CHARGES THAT STOLEN STATE DEPARTMENT DOCUMENTS WERE TURNED OVER TO THE MAGAZINE AMERASIA.
THE NEW INQUIRY WAS ORDERED IN MARCH AT THE BEHEST OF THE CIVIL SERVICE LOYALTY REVIEW BOARD SOON AFTER SENATOR MCCARTHY LOOSED HIS CHARGES THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT IS A HAVEN FOR COMMUNISTS.
THE REVIEW BOARD SAID SERVICE SHOULD TESTIFY PERSONALLY. HE WAS IN JAPAN EN ROUTE TO A NEW POST IN INDIA WHEN HE WAS ORDERED BACK HERE BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT.
WHEN THE LOYALTY HEARING IS COMPLETED, SERVICE EXPECTS TO GO BEFORE A SENATE INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE TO REPLY FORMALLY TO MCCARTHY'S CHARGES. MCCARTHY HAS ACCUSED SERVICE OF HAVING COMMUNIST LEANINGS AND FOLLOWING THE COMMUNIST LINE IN RECOMMENDATIONS ON CHINA POLICY.
THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAS STOUTLY DEFENDED SERVICE. BECAUSE OF THAT, MCCARTHY HAS PREDICTED THE LOYALTY HEARING WILL RESULT IN A "WHITEWASH." CERTAIN DOCUMENTS, PREVIOUSLY SECRET, WERE TURNED OVER TO SERVICE'S ATTORNEY, CHARLES E.RHETTS, FOR USE IN THE HEARING.
THE FINAL SAY ON SERVICE'S LOYALTY WILL BE UP TO THE CIVIL SERVICE BOARD. EITHER FAVORABLE OR ADVERSE FINDINGS AT THE DEPARTMENT WILL EVENTUALLY GO TO THAT BOARD FOR REVIEW.

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GOLD-FUCHS

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BY OLIVER W.DE WOLF
WASHINGTON,MAY 25-(AP)-SENATOR MCMAHON (D-CONN) SAID TODAY THE FBI SET ITS TRAP AT LEAST TWO MONTHS AGO FOR PHILADELPHIA BIOCHEMIST HARRY GOLD, WHO IS BEING HELD ON CHARGES OF AIDING ATOMIC SPY KLAUS FUCHS.
THIS DISCLOSURE BY MCMAHON, CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE-HOUSE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMITTEE, CAME ON THE HEELS OF INFORMATION THAT THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION SIFTED THROUGH A LIST OF 1,200 SUSPECTS BEFORE IT FINALLY RAN GOLD DOWN.
THE 39-YEAR-OLD PHILDELPHIAN WAS ARRESTED TUESDAY NIGHT AND ACCUSED OF RECEIVING SECRET INFORMATION ABOUT U.S. ATOMIC DEVELOPMENTS FROM FUCHS AND PASSING IT ON TO THE RUSSIANS.
FUCHS IS THE GERMAN-BORN ATOMIC SCIENTIST WHO RECENTLY WAS SENTENCED TO A 14-YEAR PRISON TERM BY A BRITISH COURT AFTER HIS CONVICTION ON CHARGES THAT HE STOLE BRITISH AND AMERICAN ATOMIC SECRETS FOR THE SOVIET UNION.
OFFICIALS SAID LAST NIGHT THAT WHEN THE FBI STARTED ITS HUNT FOR THE MIDDLEMAN IN THE CASE IT HAD TO WORK FROM A LIST OF 1,200 SUSPECTS WITH WHOM THE BRITISH SCIENTIST MIGHT HAVE HAD CONTACT.
THE TRAIL LED TO GOLD AFTER THE LIST WAS NARROWED DOWN TO A GROUP OF CHEMISTS IN THE NEW YORK-PHILADELPHIA AREA.
THE TRAP FINALLY WAS SPRUNG, OFFICIALS SAID, AFTER FUCHS (A) TOLD AGENTS IN ENGLAND THAT HIS CONTACT WAS A BIOLOGICAL CHEMIST--WHOSE NAME HE DID NOT RECALL--AND (B) IDENTIFIED GOLD'S PICTURE AS THAT OF THE MAN TO WHOM HE HAD PASSED INFORMATION.
FBI AGENTS WERE REPORTED TO HAVE PRODUCED EVIDENCE THAT GOLD HAD ME FUCHS IN SANTA FE,N.M., IN 1945. AT THAT TIME FUCHS WAS ASSOCIATED WITH THE ATOMIC BOMB PROJECT AT LOS ALAMOS,N.M., AND HELD IN HIGH REGARD.
THERE WAS SOME SPECULATION ON CAPITOL HILL THAT THE THIRD MAN IN THE ESPIONAGE TRIANGLE--THE ONE WHO GOT THE SECRETS GOLD IS CHARGED WITH RECEIVING--WAS A MEMBER OF THE RUSSIAN EMBASSY STAFF HERE. THIS PERSON, REFERRED TO IN OFFICIAL DOCUMENTS AS "JOHN DOE", IS BELIEVED TO BE IN THE SOVIET UNION NOW.
GOLD WAS CHARGED WITH COMMITTING ESPIONAGE DURING WARTIME, AN OFFENSE WHICH IS PUNISHABLE BY DEATH OR UP TO 30 YEARS IN PRISON. AFTER A QUICK ARRAIGNMENT IN PHILADELPHIA HE WAS HURRIED OFF TO PRISON IN LIEU OF A $100,000 BOND.
VUCHS, A LEADER IN BRITAIN'S ATOMIC RESEARCH AND A COMMUNIST, CAME TO THIS COUNTRY FIRST AS A MEMBER OF A BRITISH SCIENTIFIC TEAM. HE WORKED ON THE TOP-SECRET A-BOMB PROJECT FROM LATE 1943 UNTIL JUNE, 1946. HE WAS ARRESTED IN LONDON AS A RESULT OF FBI INFORMATION LAST FEBRUARY AND IMMEDIATELY ADMITTED HIS GUILT.

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CONGRESS MEMBERS FAMILIAR WITH ATOMIC OPERATIONS PREDICTED AT THAT TIME THAT ARRESTS WOULD FOLLOW IN THIS COUNTRY. SOME NOW VIEW GOLD'S ARREST AS JUST THE BEGINNING.

BUT OTHERS FEEL THAT FUCHS OPERATED WITH ONLY A FEW ASSOCIATES. THEIR VIEW IS THAT FUCHS WAS SUCH AN IMPORTANT FIGURE IN SOVIET ESPIONAGE THAT HIS ACCOMPLICES MUST NECESSARILY HAVE BEEN LIMITED TO MINIMIZE THE DANGER OF EXPOSURE.

FUCHS WAS QUESTIONED ABOUT HIS CONTACTS BY FBI AGENTS AND SCOTLAND YARD DETECTIVES LAST SATURDAY, AGAIN ON TUESDAY, AND A THIRD TIME YESTERDAY.

"THE GOLD ACTIVITY IN WASHINGTON MEANS WE WILL HAVE TO PROLONG OUR VISIT SLIGHTLY," SAID ASSISTANT FBI DIRECTOR HUGH H.CLEGG, WHO IS LEADING THE QUESTIONING OF FUCHS IN ENGLAND.

THE BRITISH AND AMERICAN OFFICIALS RECEIVED A BUNDLE OF SECRET DOCUMENTS BY PLANE FROM NEW YORK YESTERDAY. THE PAPERS WERE CARRIED BY A SPECIAL COURIER WHO KEPT THEM UNDER GUARD ALL DURING THE TRIP. WHAT CONNECTION, IF ANY, THEY MIGHT HAVE WITH THE GOLD CASE WAS NOT DISCLOSED.

CLEGG WOULD NOT SAY WHETHER THE INTENSIFIED QUESTIONING OF FUCHS MIGHT LEAD TO NEW ARRESTS IN THIS COUNTRY. BUT MANY LAWMAKERS INDICATED THAT THEY WILL BE SURPRISED IF NEW ARRESTS DON'T FOLLOW.

"IT IS PERFECTLY APPARENT THAT FUCHS HAD COLLEAGUES AND JOINT CONSPIRATORS IN THIS COUNTRY," OBSERVED SENATOR BRICKER (R-OHIO), A MEMBER OF THE ATOMIC COMMITTEE.

REP.PRICE (D-ILL), SAID HE WOULD NOT BE SURPRISED TO HEAR OF MORE ARRESTS. "IT DOESN'T SEEM LIKELY THAT GOLD AND FUCHS WERE THE ONLY ONES INVOLVED," HE SAID.

REP.ELSTON (R-OHIO) CALLED IT "INCONCEIVABLE" THAT GOLD AND FUCHS HANDLED THE OPERATION WITHOUT HELP.

BOTH PRICE AND ELSTON ARE MEMBERS OF THE JOINT COMMITTEE. TWO OTHER MEMBERS, SENATORS EDWIN C.JOHNSON (D-COLO) AND MILLIKIN (R-COLO), EXPRESSED SIMILAR SENTIMENTS.

"I BELIEVE THERE WILL BE FURTHER ARRESTS," JOHNSON SAID, WHILE MILLIKIN COMMENTED:

"FUCHS UNDOUBTEDLY WAS ASSISTED BY CONSPIRATORS IN THIS COUNTRY AND, OF COURSE, THEY SHOULD BE SEARCHED OUT AND IMPRISONED."

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VGOLD (220)

PHILADELPHIA,MAY 25-(AP)-HARRY GOLD, 39-YEAR-OLD CHEMIST ACCUSED OF DELIVERING AMERICA'S ATOMIC SECRETS TO RUSSIA, REMAINED IN JAIL TODAY WHILE MEMBERS OF HIS FAMILY SOUGHT A LAWYER TO REPRESENT HIM.

HIS BROTHER, JOSEPH, 33, TOLD NEWSMEN THAT THE LAWYER'S FIRST ACTION--AFTER HE'S HIRED--WILL BE TO BRING HABEAS CORPUS PROCEEDINGS IN AN ATTEMPT TO REDUCE THE $100,000 BAIL SET FOR HARRY TUESDAY NIGHT BY FEDERAL DISTRICT JUDGE JAMES P.MCGRANERY. HARRY GOLD [redacted] IS UNDER [redacted] AT HOLMESBURG COUNTY PRISON. OFFICIALS ADVISED HIS BROTHER AND FATHER THAT THEY COULD NOT VISIT HIM UNTIL TOMORROW. ~~HARRY~~ GOLD IS UNDER CONSTANT GUARD.

JOSEPH AND HIS 70-YEAR-OLD FATHER, SAMUEL, SAID THEY WERE TALKING ABOUT HARRY NOW ONLY IN AN EFFORT TO DESCRIBE HIS CHARACTER AND NOT TO JUSTIFY HIS ACTIONS. THE FATHER IS A RETIRED CABINET MAKER; JOSEPH IS AN EMPLOYE AT THE NAVAL AVIATION DEPOT HERE.

HARRY IS ACCUSED BY THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION OF DELIVERING TO SOVIET AGENTS ATOMIC SECRETS GIVEN TO HIM BY DR.KLAUS FUCHS, CONVICTED BRITISH SPY.

"MY SON IS NOT A COMMUNIST," INSISTED SAMUEL GOLD IN AN INTERVIEW. "IF HE DID ANYTHING, HE WAS ONLY TRYING TO HELP RUSSIA TO BECOME STRONG LIKE AMERICA.

"IN 1945 WE WERE ALLIES WITH THE RUSSIANS AND MY SON HAD A DEEP SYMPATHY FOR THE POOR PEOPLE OF THAT NATION WHERE I WAS BORN. THEN WHEN THE RUSSIANS STARTED TO MOVE AWAY FROM THE WORLD IN 1946, HE HAD NOTHING TO DO WITH THEM."

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A122WX (275)

WASHINGTON,MAY 25-(AP)-SENATOR BRIDGES (R-NH) PREDICTED IN THE SENATE TONIGHT THAT A SENATORIAL INVESTIGATION WILL TURN UP "TRAITORS" WORKING FOR THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT IN EUROPE.

BRIDGES RECALLED THAT GEORGE SHAW WHEELER, FORMER AMERICAN OCCUPATION EMPLOYE IN THE WEST GERMAN ZONE, HAD DENOUNCED "THE WAR POLICY OF AMERICAN IMPERIALISM." WHEELER IS NOW LIVING IN THE RUSSIAN ZONE IN PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA. HE IS A NATIVE OF TACOMA, WASH.

SENATOR BRIDGES SAID THAT ALTHOUGH WHEELER'S LOYALTY WAS QUESTIONED BY THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION IN 1945, HE WON REINSTATEMENT ON APPEAL AND "HAS NEVER BEEN 'ADJUDGED' DISLOYAL, TO USE PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S WEASEL WORDS."

ON MAY 15, THE STATE DEPARTMENT DENIED A CHARGE BY SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WISC) THAT A STATE DEPARTMENT LOYALTY BOARD HAD CLEARED WHEELER IN 1945.

PRESS OFFICER LINCOLN WHITE TOLD NEWSMEN THAT WHEELER WAS "ONLY TEMPORARILY" ON THE STATE DEPARTMENT PAYROLL IN 1945. THIS WAS TWO YEARS BEFORE THE START OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S LOYALTY CHECKUP PROGRAM, WHITE SAID, AND WHEELER WAS NEVER CLEARED BY ANY BOARD.

WHEELER, WHO WAS SUCCESSIVELY EMPLOYED BY THE U.S. LABOR DEPARTMENT, THE WAR PRODUCTION BOARD, THE STATE DEPARTMENT, AND THE U.S. MILITARY GOVERNMENT OVERSEAS, QUIT THE AMERICAN ZONE IN GERMANY IN 1947 AND WENT TO PRAGUE.

LAST APRIL 7, WHEELER ANNOUNCED HE HAD ASKED CZECH AUTHORITIES FOR ASYLUM FOR HIMSELF AND HIS FAMILY OF FIVE. HE IS 44 YEARS OLD.

IN HIS SPEECH TONIGHT, SENATOR BRIDGES DECLARED:

"NOW IF WHEELER WAS EMPLOYED BY OUR GOVERNMENT--THERE WERE OTHERS OF HIS ILK. THERE ARE REPORTS THAT SUCH PEOPLE ARE STILL EMPLOYED TO REPRESENT YOUR GOVERNMENT AND MY GOVERNMENT IN EUROPE."

NOTING THAT SENATORS GREEN (D-RI) AND LODGE (R-MASS) ARE IN EUROPE AS A SPECIAL SUBCOMMITTEE OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE TO LOOK INTO SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES AMONG AMERICAN EMPLOYES ABROAD, BRIDGES SAID:

"UNQUESTIONABLY A THOROUGH INVESTIGATION WILL TURN UP OTHER TRAITORS LIKE WHEELER. I HOPE THE SUBCOMMITTEE WILL GET THE FACTS. THEY HAVE PICKED A FERTILE FIELD."

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AMERASIA-COMMUNISTS

BY MARVIN L.ARROWSMITH

WASHINGTON,MAY 25-(AP)-SENATORS INVESTIGATING THE MYSTERIOUS AMERASIA CASE OF 1945 AWAITED A CONFIDENTIAL REPORT TODAY FROM WILLIAM J. (WILD BILL) DONOVAN. HE HEADED THE SUPER-SECRET WARTIME OFFICE OF STRATEGIC SERVICES (OSS).

SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) MADE READY, MEANWHILE, TO MAKE PUBLIC WHAT HE DESCRIBED AS IMPORTANT DOCUMENTARY INFORMATION DEALING WITH HIS "COMMUNIST" CHARGES AGAINST OWEN LATTIMORE, WRITER AND SPECIALIST ON THE FAR EAST.

MC CARTHY PROMISED TO PROVIDE THE DATA WHEN HE SPEAKS TONIGHT (6 P.M. EST) TO A CONVENTION OF CATHOLIC EDITORS IN ROCHESTER,N.Y.

EDWARD P.MORGAN, CHIEF COUNSEL FOR A SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE CONDUCTING THE AMERASIA INQUIRY, DISCLOSED THAT MEMBERS OF THE GROUP'S STAFF--MADE UP OF FORMER FBI AGENTS--QUESTIONED DONOVAN ABOUT THE CASE IN NEW YORK YESTERDAY.

ALSO QUESTIONED THERE, MORGAN TOLD REPORTERS, WAS ARCHBOLD (CQ) VAN BEUREN, WHO HELPED HANDLE THE AMERASIA CASE FOR THE OSS.

MORGAN SAID MATERIAL OBTAINED FROM DONOVAN AND VAN BEUREN WOULD BE BROUGHT FROM NEW YORK TODAY FOR STUDY BY THE COMMITTEE MEMBERS.

THE AMERASIA MAGAZINE CASE BROKE IN JUNE 1945, THREE MONTHS AFTER AN OSS AGENT, FRANK BIELASKI, RAIDED THE PUBLICATION'S NEW YORK HEADQUARTERS AND FOUND A MASS OF SECRET GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS. THE MAGAZINE, NO LONGER PUBLISHED, WAS A FAR EASTERN AFFAIRS ORGAN.

THE FBI FOLLOWED UP THE OSS RAID WITH ONE OF ITS OWN, WHICH ALSO PRODUCED A LOT OF SECRET FEDERAL DOCUMENTS. AS A RESULT, SIX PERSONS WERE ARRESTED. THEY INCLUDED TWO STATE DEPARTMENT EMPLOYES, CAREER DIPLOMAT JOHN S.SERVICE AND EMMANUEL LARSEN, AND THE EDITOR OF AMERASIA, PHILIP JAFFE.

— JAFFE AND LARSEN WERE FINED

"JAFFE AND LARSEN" MAKE READ: X X X WERE FINED ON CHARGES OF CONSPIRACY TO OBTAIN ILLEGAL POSSESSION OF GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS. JAFFE PLEADED GUILTY AND LARSEN OFFERED NO DEFENSE. [illegible] SERVICE WAS CLEARED AND RETURNED TO DUTY IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT. HE AND TWO OTHERS WERE NOT INDICTED. THE SIXTH CASE WAS DROPPED.

THE AMERASIA CASE CROPPED UP ANEW LAST FEBRUARY WHEN MC CARTHY ACCUSED SERVICE OF PRO-COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES. SERVICE HAS DENIED THE CHARGE.

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THE UPSHOT WAS, HOWEVER, THAT THE SENATE COMMITTEE LOOKING INTO MC CARTHY CHARGES OF COMMUNISM IN THE GOVERNMENT DECIDED TO REVIEW THE AMERASIA CASE.

MORGAN SAID THE COMMITTEE SENT INVESTIGATORS TO TALK TO DONOVAN AND VAN BEUREN "BECAUSE WE WANT TO KNOW ANYTHING AND EVERYTHING WHICH WILL HELP CLEAR UP THE MYSTERY WHICH SURROUNDS THIS CASE."

ALSO YESTERDAY, THE SENATE EXPENDITURES COMMITTEE VOTED 10 TO 0 APPROVAL OF A RESOLUTION CALLING FOR A $25,000 INQUIRY INTO FEDERAL EMPLOYMENT OF SEXUAL PERVERTS. THE MEASURE NEEDS APPROVAL OF THE SENATE RULES COMMITTEE AND THE SENATE ITSELF BEFORE THE INQUIRY CAN GET UNDERWAY.

THE RESOLUTION WAS PROMPTED BY WASHINGTON POLICE TESTIMONY THAT THERE ARE ABOUT 3,750 HOMOSEXUALS ON THE GOVERNMENT PAYROLL IN THE NATION'S CAPITAL ALONE. THEY ARE REGARDED AS BAD SECURITY RISKS BECAUSE THEY COULD BE BLACKMAILED INTO REVEALING GOVERNMENT SECRETS.

SENATOR MC CARTHY, REP.VELDE (R-ILL) AND REP.SHAFER (R-MICH) YESTERDAY CRITICIZED ATTORNEY GENERAL MC GRATH FOR HIS STATEMENT THAT THE FBI KNOWS WHO ARE COMMUNISTS AND "WE KNOW OF NONE IN THE GOVERNMENT TODAY."

THE THREE REPUBLICANS SAID THIS WAS A HIGHLY IMPROPER THING TO SAY AT A TIME THAT A GRAND JURY IS INVESTIGATING WILLIAM W.REMINGTON, COMMERCE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL. TWO RECENT CAPITOL HILL WITNESSES TESTIFIED THAT REMINGTON HAD BEEN A COMMUNIST IN HIS YOUTH, A CHARGE THAT HE DENIED FLATLY.

TOMORROW THE COMMITTEE WILL TAKE TESTIMONY BEHIND CLOSED DOORS FROM RAYMOND M.HITCHCOCK, FORMER SPECIAL ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL WHO HANDLED THE AMERASIA CASE FIVE YEARS AGO. HITCHCOCK NOW IS PRACTICING LAW IN BUFFALO,N.Y.

THE COMMITTEE ALSO MAY HEAR TOMORROW FROM TWO FBI AGENTS WHO WERE IN ON THE CASE. THEY ARE MYRON GURNEA AND MILTON LADD.

THEY, AS WELL AS HITCHCOCK, TESTIFIED BEFORE THE HOUSE JUDICIARY SUBCOMMITTEE WHICH INVESTIGATED THE CASE IN 1946. THE TESTIMONY IN THAT INQUIRY WAS MADE PUBLIC IN THE HOUSE LAST MONDAY.

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MC CARTHY SAID THAT IN HIS ROCHESTER SPEECH TONIGHT HE WILL MAKE PUBLIC PHOTOGRAPHS OF PERTINENT PARTS OF GOVERNMENT LOYALTY FILES BEARING ON THE OWEN LATTIMORE CASE.

MC CARTHY HAS ACCUSED LATTIMORE OF BEING RUSSIA'S NO. 1 SPY IN THIS COUNTRY. LATTIMORE, JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY PROFESSOR AND SOMETIMES CONSULTANT TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT, HAS DENIED THE CHARGE UNDER OATH. HE ALSO DENIED THAT HE IS OR EVER HAS BEEN A COMMUNIST.

MC CARTHY TOLD THE SENATE YESTERDAY THAT THE MATERIAL HE DISCLOSES WILL "SHOW THE EXTENT TO WHICH THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAS GONE IN A DELIBERATE ALL-OUT ATTEMPT TO DECEIVE AND DEFRAUD THE AMERICAN PEOPLE."

THE DEPARTMENT HAS SAID LATTIMORE NEVER WAS ON ITS PAYROLL AND THAT IT HAS NO LOYALTY FILE ON HIM.

MC CARTHY SAID THE FILE HE WILL MAKE PUBLIC COMES FROM THE OLD OFFICE OF WAR INFORMATION. DURING PART OF THE WAR, LATTIMORE SERVED AS A DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF THAT AGENCY. THE STATE DEPARTMENT CONFIRMED YESTERDAY THAT IT HAS AN OWI FILE ON LATTIMORE.

MC CARTHY INDICATED TO NEWSMEN THAT THE FILE MATERIAL HE HAS IS NOT A RECORD ON LATTIMORE HIMSELF BUT ON ANOTHER ONE-TIME OWI EMPLOYE WITH A REFERENCE TO LATTIMORE.

IN OTHER DEVELOPMENTS YESTERDAY:

1. MC CARTHY REPEATED IN THE SENATE THAT EX-COMMUNIST LOUIS BUDENZ NAMED STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL HALDORE HANSON AS A COMMUNIST. HE SAID BUDENZ, FORMER MANAGING EDITOR OF THE COMMUNIST DAILY WORKER, MADE THE CHARGE IN SECRET TESTIMONY TO THE SENATE INQUIRY COMMITTEE LAST MONTH. HANSON TESTIFIED UNDER OATH THAT HE HAS NEVER BEEN A COMMUNIST.

2. REP.WALTER (D-PA) PROPOSED THAT THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE CALL ON BUDENZ TO IDENTIFY THE 400 "CONCEALED COMMUNISTS" HE SAYS ARE OPERATING IN THIS COUNTRY. BUDENZ SAID IN A NEW BOOK HE HAS WRITTEN, "MEN WITHOUT FACES," THAT HE KNEW OF THIS MANY HIDDEN COMMUNIST AGENTS.

3. SENATOR JENNER (R-IND) SAID IN THE SENATE THAT EARL BROWDER,

ONCE CHIEF OF THE AMERICAN COMMUNIST PARTY, HAD GONE OUT OF HIS WAY TO "CLEAR" LATTIMORE AND SERVICE OF MC CARTHY'S CHARGES. JENNER SAID BROWDER DID THAT WHEN HE WAS BEFORE THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON APRIL 27 AND IT SOUNDED SUSPICIOUS TO HIM.

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(350) UNDATED COMMUNISTS (ROUNDUP)
BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
(WX) SENATOR MCCARTHY LAST (THURSDAY) NIGHT PRODUCED COPIES OF WHAT HE TERMED GOVERNMENT LOYALTY REPORTS IN A NEW BLAST AT OWEN LATTIMORE. AND THE LATTER DEMANDED TO KNOW HOW HE GOT THEM.

LATTIMORE ACCUSED MCCARTHY OF MISUSING DOCUMENTS BY QUOTING THEM

THE WISCONSIN REPUBLICAN, SPEAKING AT ROCHESTER, N.Y., SAID THE DOCUMENTS PROVED THAT LATTIMORE INTERCEDED TO SAVE THE GOVERNMENT JOBS OF TWO CHINESE WHOM THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION ONCE RECOMMENDED BE FIRED FOR ALLEGED COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES.

LATTIMORE, FAR EASTERN AFFAIRS EXPERT ACCUSED BY MCCARTHY AS A COMMUNIST AND RUSSIAN SPY, SAID IN A STATEMENT:

"IT WOULD BE IMPORTANT TO KNOW HOW MCCARTHY, WHO IS SO READY TO ACCUSE OTHER PEOPLE OF SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITY, CAME INTO UNAUTHORIZED POSSESSION OF GOVERNMENT SECURITY DOCUMENTS."

FURTHER, LATTIMORE SAID, THE SENATOR APPARENTLY MADE CHARGES AGAINST THE TWO CHINESE "WITHOUT PRODUCING THE FULL RECORD."

FIRING BROKE OUT ON ALL FRONTS OF THE WEEKS-OLD CONTROVERSY ABOUT ALLEGED COMMUNISTS OR POOR SECURITY RISKS IN GOVERNMENT.

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OTHER DEVELOPMENTS:

1. SENATOR BRIDGES (R-NH) TOLD THE SENATE HE BELIEVED THERE ARE "TRAITORS" IN U.S. EMPLOYE IN EUROPE AND A THOROUGH INVESTIGATION WOULD TURN THEM UP. HE NOTED THAT A SENATE SUBCOMMITTEE IS IN EUROPE NOW CHECKING INTO GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES THERE.

2. REP.JENISON (R-ILL) CHARGED IN THE HOUSE THAT LOUIS DOLIVET, EDITOR OF THE UNITED NATIONS WORLD, HAS A RECORD "REPLETE WITH COMMUNIST AFFILIATIONS" DATING BACK TO 1933. THE CONGRESSMAN SAID DOLIVET IS IN A POSITION TO DO "CONSIDERABLE HARM TO THE INTERESTS OF THE UNITED STATES." UN WORLD IS A PRIVATELY FINANCED MAGAZINE BUT JENISON CALLED IT THE "PUBLICITY TONGUE" FOR UN.

3. THE SENATE COMMERCE COMMITTEE REPORTEDLY RECOMMENDED TO SECRETARY OF COMMERCE SAWYER THAT HE FIRE MICHAEL J.LEE, CHIEF OF THE DEPARTMENT'S FAR EASTERN BRANCH. SENATOR MALONE (R-NEV) HAS BEEN HAMMERING AT LEE ON THE GROUND THAT HE IS A POOR SECURITY RISK. A COMMITTEE MEMBER, WHO ASKED NOT TO BE NAMED, TOLD REPORTERS OF THE COMMITTEE'S REPORTED RECOMMENDATION.

4. THE STATE DEPARTMENT ACCUSED MCCARTHY OF FAILING TO DELIVER DOCUMENTARY PROOF AS PROMISED TO SUPPORT HIS CHARGE THAT DR.PHILIP C. JESSUP, AMBASSADOR-AT-LARGE, WAS AFFILIATED WITH SEVERAL COMMUNIST FRONT ORGANIZATIONS.

AT ROCHESTER, MCCARTHY DISTRIBUTED COPIES OF LETTERHEADS WHICH HE SAID SUPPORTED HIS CHARGE. JESSUP HAS TESTIFIED THAT HE NEVER KNOWINGLY BELONGED TO SUCH AN ORGANIZATION.

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B145 (Q)
(150)
NEW YORK, MAY 25-(AP)-U.S. DISTRICT COURT JUDGE JOHN F.X. MC GOHEY HAS COMMENDED LOUIS F.BUDENZ, FORMER COMMUNIST LEADER, FOR "PATRIOTIC SERVICE" IN A LETTER CRITICIZING REMARKS MADE ABOUT BUDENZ ON THE FLOOR OF THE U.S. SENATE.

THE TEXT OF THE LETTER FROM JUDGE MC GOHEY, WHO SUCCESSFULLY PROSECUTED THE 11 COMMUNIST LEADERS WHEN HE WAS U.S. ATTORNEY, WAS MADE PUBLIC TODAY BY THE REV.LAURENCE J. MC GINLEY. S.J., PRESIDENT OF FORDHAM UNIVERSITY.

BUDENZ, FORMER MANAGING EDITOR OF THE DAILY WORKER, NOW IS ON THE FACULTY AT FORDHAM AFTER BREAKING WITH THE COMMUNIST PARTY.

REFERRING TO AN ATTACK ON BUDENZ BY SEN.DENNIS CHAVEZ (D-N.MEX.), MC GOHEY SAID:

"I'VE READ IN THE DAILY WORKER AND HEARD IN THE COURT ROOM SIMILAR THINGS ABOUT YOU; AND ABOUT MYSELF TOO. I HAD NEVER BELIEVED IT POSSIBLE THAT THEY WOULD BE REPEATED ON THE FLOOR TO FOUL THE ATMOSPHERE OF THE UNITED STATES SENATE."

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NEW YORK, MAY 25-(AP)-FREDERICK E.BAUER, 39, FORMER SOLDIER HELD FOR DEPORTATION ON A SPY CHARGE CLAIMED TODAY IN FEDERAL COURT THAT THE RECORD OF HIS DEPORTATION HEARING IS EITHER FALSE OR HAS OMISSIONS.

BAUER, A FORMER INDIANA PATENT ATTORNEY, TESTIFIED BEFORE FEDERAL JUDGE WILLIAM BONDY ON A MOTION FOR A NEW HEARING OF HIS CASE. HE HAS BEEN FIGHTING FOR MORE THAN THREE YEARS TO ESCAPE DEPORTATION, ORDERED AFTER HE WAS DISCHARGED FROM THE AMERICAN ARMY AT FORT HARRISON, IND., WITHOUT HONOR DEC.10, 1945.

JUDGE BONDY ASKED BAUER'S COUNSEL, GUNTHER JACOBSON, WHAT THE ISSUE WAS IN THE CASE.

"FALSIFICATION OF THE RECORD," THE LAWYER REPLIED.

BAUER TOLD THE COURT THAT SEPT.23, 1946 HE WAS CALLED TO THE IMMIGRATION OFFICE HERE BY GILBERT ZIMMERMAN, IMMIGRATION INSPECTOR. HE SAID ZIMMERMAN NOTIFIED HIM THEN FOR THE FIRST TIME THAT HIS APPEARANCE WAS NEEDED THAT DAY BECAUSE HE WAS TO BE GIVEN AN IMMEDIATE DEPORTATION HEARING.

BAUER SAID THAT AFTER HE WAS SWORN, ZIMMERMAN ADVISED HIM OF HIS RIGHT TO CALL COUNSEL, WITNESSES AND TO PRESENT EVIDENCE. THE FORMER SOLDIER SAID HE REQUESTED A POSTPONEMENT SO THAT HE COULD OBTAIN AN ATTORNEY, PRESENT WITNESS AND "EVIDENCE, PART OF WHICH I HAD ON ELLIS ISLAND AND ANOTHER PART OF WHICH I HAD IN THE STATE OF INDIANA."

BAUER SAID HE TOLD ZIMMERMAN THAT IF HE COULD NOT HAVE AN ATTORNEY PRESENT HE WOULD LIKE TO HAVE HIS WIFE, THE FORMER WILMA HITE, OF ROCKVILLE, IND., PRESENT.

JACOBSON THEN SHOWED BAUER A RECORD OF THE IMMIGRATION DEPARTMENT HEARING AND ASKED HIM IF HE FOUND ANY EVIDENCE THAT HE HAD ASKED FOR A POSTPONEMENT.

"THERE IS NOTHING," BAUER REPLIED.

THE RECORD, AS READ BY JACOBSON, SAID THAT WHEN ZIMMERMAN ADVISED BAUER OF HIS RIGHT TO COUNSEL BAUER REPLIED "IT IS NOT NECESSARY." BAUER DENIED MAKING THAT REPLY.

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JUDGE BONDY INTERRUPTED TO ASK ASSISTANT U.S. ATTORNEY HAROLD J. RABY IF THE STENOGRAPHER WHO TOOK THE RECORD WAS AVAILABLE. RABY SAID THE STENOGRAPHER WOULD BE CALLED.

JACOBSON, CONTINUING TO READ FROM THE RECORD OFTHE DEPORTATION HERING, SAID ZIMMERMAN ASKED BAUER IF HE WAS READY TO PROCEED WITHOUT COUNSEL. BAUER DENIED THAT HIS REPLY WAS "I AM."

BAUER TOLD THE COURT THAT ZIMMERMAN'S ATTITUDE TOWARD HIM WAS HOSTILE.

A NATIVE OF ALSACE AND THE SON OF A GERMAN ARMY OFFICER, BAUER CAME TO THE UNITED STATES IN 1930. HE BECAME A NATURALIZED CITIZEN FIVE YEARS LATER. IN THE MEANTIME HE HAD STUDIED LAW AND BECAME A PATENT ATTORNEY. HE WAS ADMITTED TO PRACTICE IN FEDERAL COURTS AND BEFORE THE UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT.

HE WENT TO GERMANY TO TAKE A JOB AS AN EXPERT ON U.S. PATENT LAW, AND SAID HE WAS DRAFTED INTO THE GERMAN ARMY. THE COURTS HAVE RULED THIS NULLIFIED HIS AMERICAN CITIZENSHIP. BAUER SAID HE TRICKED THE NAZIS INTO SENDING HIM HERE AS A SPY IN ORDER TO GET BACK TO THE UNITED STATES, BUT CLAIMED HE NEVER CARRIED OUT THAT ASSIGNMENT.

BAUER TESTIFIED THAT HE HAD NEVER VOLUNTARILY DISCLOSED HIS GERMAN ARMY SERVICE UNTIL QUESTIONED BY U.S. ARMY INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS IN 1945.

BAUER SAID HE HAD BEEN FORCED INTO THE GERMAN ARMY BY A HIGH POLICE OFFICIAL WHO ACCUSED HIM OF LISTENING TO FOREIGN BROADCASTS, A CAPITAL OFFENSE.

BAUER SAID THAT IN JUNE, 1940, HE WAS AN INTERPRETER FOR THE GERMAN OCCUPATION FORCES IN PARIS. FEARING REASSIGNMENT TO THE EASTERN FRONT, HE SAID HE SUGGESTED THAT HE "BE USED AS A SPY AS A RUSE TO GET OUT OF GERMANY."

BAUER SAID HE WAS ACCEPTED FOR SERVICE BY THE FBI, SHORTLY AFTER HIS RETURN IN 1941, BUT THAT HE JOINED THE ARMY INSTEAD.

AFTER BAUER TESTIFIED THAT HIS SYMPATHIES HAD BEEN WITH ENGLAND AND AMERICA, ASSISTANT U.S. ATTORNEY HAROLD RABY READ EXCERPTS FROM A LETTER BAUER ALLGEDLY WROTE IN GERMANY.

BAUER'S COUNSEL, GUNTHER JACOBSON, ADMITTED THE LETTER EXPRESSED "SYMPATHY FOR GERMANY, REFERRING TO GERMAN TROOPS AS 'OUR TROOPS' AND MAKING HOSTILE REMARKS ABOUT GREAT BRITAIN."

THE COURT NOTED THAT IT WOULD TAKE NOTICE OF CENSORSHIP THAT EXISTED IN GERMANY AT THE TIME THE LETTER WAS WRITTEN.

THE HEARING WILL RESUME TOMORROW.

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KNAUFF

WASHINGTON, MAY 25-(AP)-COUNSEL FOR MRS.ELLEN KNAUFF, GERMAN-BORN WAR BRIDE, TOLD THE SUPREME COURT THERE ARE INDICATIONS OF "QUESTIONABLE" MOTIVES AND "OFFICIAL BUNGLING" IN THE GOVERNMENT'S ATTEMPT TO DEPORT HER.

THE STATEMENT WAS MADE IN AN APPEAL FROM A DECISION OF THE U.S. CIRCUIT COURT IN NEW YORK CITY UPHOLDING AN ORDER FROM HER DEPORTATION AS A SECURITY RISK.

MRS.KNAUFF GOT A DRAMATIC, LAST-MINUTE CHANCE TO MAKE THE APPEAL AFTER JUSTICE JACKSON STAYED THE CIRCUIT COURT'S ACTION 20 MINUTES BEFORE SHE WAS TO BE PLACED ON A EUROPE-BOUND PLANE MAY 18. SHE WAS TAKEN TO THE AIRPORT WITHIN HOURS AFTER THE LOWER COURT ACTED.

GUNTHER JACOBSON, HER ATTORNEY, URGED THE SUPREME COURT IN HIS PETITION TO LOOK INTO THE "MOTIVES BEHIND THE ZEAL" OF THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT IN TRYING TO GET HER OUT OF THE COUNTRY. JACOBSON ADDED:

"THE INCONSISTENCY OF THE CHARGES AGAINST ELLEN KNAUFF, THE DEVIOUS WAYS BY WHICH THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE SO FAR HAS PROCEEDED AGAINST HER, THE CONTEMPTUOUS ATTITUDE TAKEN BY THE DEPARTMENT AGAINST THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES, ALL TEND TO INDICATE THAT THE MOTIVES BEHIND HER EXCLUSION ARE OF A QUESTIONABLE NATURE."

THE PETITION POINTED OUT THAT BILLS ARE NOW BEFORE CONGRESS WHICH WOULD PERMIT MRS.KNAUFF TO REMAIN IN THE UNITED STATES AS A PERMANENT RESIDENT.

THE PETITION ALSO RECALLED THAT THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT HAS REFUSED TO MAKE PUBLIC ITS REASON FOR BARRING MRS.KNAUFF OTHER THAN A REPORT THAT SHE "WOULD BE A HAZARD TO INTERNAL SECURITY."

"WHATEVER ACCUSATIONS HAVE BEEN PROFFERED BY INDIRECTION AGAINST THIS PETITIONER (MRS.KNAUFF)," THE PETITION STATED, "THEY ARE SO INCONSISTENT IN THEMSELVES THAT THEY CARRY ON THEIR FACE THE EVIDENCE OF ERROR AND OFFICIAL BUNGLING."

JACOBSON ALSO CONTENDED THAT FOR THE LAST 50 YEARS IT HAD BEEN THE PRACTICE OF THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT TO STAY DEPORTATION WHEN CONGRESS IS CONSIDERING BILLS FOR INDIVIDUAL ALIENS.

THEREFORE, JACOBSON SAID THE COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION "IS ACTING CAPRICIOUSLY AND WHIMSICALLY AGAINST THIS YOUNG WOMAN."

MRS.KNAUFF IS HELD AT ELLIS ISLAND PENDING OUTCOME OF THE DISPUTE. HER HUSBAND, KURT W.KNAUFF, IS A NATURALIZED AMERICAN AND FORMER U.S. SOLDIER. HE IS NOW EMPLOYED AS A CIVILIAN BY THE ARMY AT FRANKFURT, GERMANY.

THE SUPREME COURT WILL DECIDE LATER WHETHER IT WILL GRANT A REVIEW OF THE CIRCUIT COURT'S ACTION. JUSTICE JACKSON'S STAY WILL KEEP MRS. KNAUFF IN THIS COUNTRY AT LEAST UNTIL THE SUPREME COURT ACTS.

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NEW YORK, MAY 24-(AP)-UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE RETURNED TODAY FROM A VISIT WITH PREMIER JOSEF STALIN IN MOSCOW AND SAID HE WOULD GO TO WASHINGTON IN A FEW DAYS TO CONFER WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN.

"I'M NOT GOING TO SAY ANYTHING TODAY," LIE TOLD REPORTERS AS HE STEPPED FROM A PLANE AT INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT. "I'LL SAY IT ALL AT MY REGULAR PRESS CONFERENCE TOMORROW AT LAKE SUCCESS."

ENROUTE HERE, HE TALKED WITH FRENCH AND BRITISH GOVERNMENT LEADERS.

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PRECEDE DAY NEW YORK LIE (420)

BY FRANCIS W.CARPENTER

LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 25-(AP)-SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE SHOUTED TO A MASS MEETING OF UNITED NATIONS EMPLOYES TODAY THAT ALL EUROPE WANTS PEACE. HE TOLD THEM PEACE WILL COME AFTER A TIME.

THE 3,000 STAFF MEMBERS GATHERED TO GIVE THEIR BIG BOSS A LONG ROUND OF APPLAUSE WHEN HE DROVE TO THE U.N. DOOR ON HIS RETURN FROM TALKS IN EUROPE WITH GOVERNMENT HEADS INCLUDING JOSEPH STALIN.

LIE LANDED IN NEW YORK THIS MORNING AFTER VISITING WASHINGTON, LONDON, PARIS AND MOSCOW ON HIS "SAVE-THE-UN" CAMPAIGN. HE IMMEDIATEL STARTED MAKING PLANS TO TALK WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN IN WASHINGTON.

LIE IS EXPECTED TO GO INTO SOME DETAILS OF HIS TRIP AT HIS REGULAR WEEKLY NEWS CONFERENCE WITH U.N. CORRESPONDENTS HERE TOMORROW (ABOUT 10 A.M., E.S.T.). HE TOLD AIRPORT REPORTERS HE WOULD HAVE NOTHING TO SAY UNTIL THEN.

"I JUST DID WHAT I THOUGHT WAS MY DUTY, WITH ONE IDEA, TO WORK FOR PEACE, AND PEACE AND PEACE," LIE SAID IN THE IMPROMPTU SPEECH TO THE U.N. PEOPLE AFTER EXPRESSING SURPRISE OVER SUCH A GREETING.

HE TOLD THE WORKERS THAT "THOUSANDS AND THOUSANDS" OF MOTHERS HAVE WRITTEN LETTERS BACKING HIS EFFORTS FOR PEACE AND THAT THREE MILLION WAR VETERANS OF FRANCE SENT A RESOLUTION ENDORSING HIS WORK.

"THERE WAS ONE THING IN THE MINDS OF THE VETERANS AND THE MOTHERS," HE SAID, "THAT WAS NO MORE WAR IN THE WORLD.

"EUROPE WANTS PEACE, BOTH THOSE IN EASTERN AND WESTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES," LIE ADDED, "THAT IS OUR TARGET, PEACE, NO COLD WAR ANY LONGER.

"IT WILL TAKE SOME TIME. BE PATIENT BUT THAT TIME WILL COME WHEN NOBODY WILL TALK ABOUT COLD PEACE. OUR AIM IS PEACE AND ONLY PEACE."

THE EMPLOYES APPLAUDED SEVERAL TIMES AND GAVE A CHEER WHEN HE FINISHED. U.N. OFFICIALS SAID THE GREETING WAS SPONTANEOUS AND HAD NOT BEEN SUGGESTED BY ANY HIGH OFFICIAL.

LIE WAS MET IN HIS OFFICE BY 83 WOMEN REPRESENTING SEVERAL ORGANIZATIONS IN AND AROUND NEW YORK, INCLUDING THE AMERICAN SLAV CONGRESS, WHICH HAS BEEN TAGGED BY THE U.S. ATTORNEY GENERAL AS SUBVERSIVE. THEY PRESENTED FLOWERS AND A STATEMENT SAYING THEY BELIEVED THE COLD WAR CAN BE STOPPED AND THAT NATIONS CAN UNITE TO CONSULT, TO NEGOTIATE, AND TO BRING PEACE TO THE WORLD.

LIE PLANS TO GO TO WASHINGTON LATE NEXT WEEK TO SEE PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON AND TELL THEM WHAT HE LEARNED IN EUROPE.

ORGANIZATIONS REPRESENTED BY THE 83 WOMEN INCLUDED: THE CONGRESS OF AMERICAN WOMEN, REPRESENTED BY MRS.MARY JANE MELISH; THE AMERICAN LABOR PARTY UNITS OF KINGS, QUEENS AND BRONX COUNTIES; THE HUNGARIAN WOMEN'S ORGANIZATIONS, THE NATIONAL LABOR PEACE CONFERENCE, THE JEWISH PEOPLES FRATERNAL ORGANIZATION, THE CROATIAN WOMEN'S FEDERATION, AND THE CHILD CARE CONFERENCE OF EAST HARLEM.

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FIRST LEAD LIE-COLD WAR

BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON,MAY 25-(AP)-AMERICAN FOREIGN POLICY OFFICIALS FROM PRESIDENT TRUMAN DOWN TODAY EVIDENCED A CAUTIOUS AND SKEPTICAL ATTITUDE TOWARD TRYGVE LIE'S BELIEF THAT NEGOTIATIONS TO END THE COLD WAR ARE POSSIBLE.

MR.TRUMAN WAS ASKED AT HIS NEWS CONFERENCE WHAT HE THOUGHT ABOUT THE U.N.SECRETARY GENERAL'S EFFORTS TO ARRANGE NEGOTIATIONS AMONG THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN, FRANCE, RUSSIA AND POSSIBLY OTHER LEADING UNITED NATIONS MEMBERS.

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE ANSWERED CAREFULLY THAT HE KNOWS NOTHING ABOUT LIE'S EFFORTS AND WILL MAKE NO STATEMENT ON THEM UNTIL HE HAS TALKED WITH THE SECRETARY OF STATE.

LIE RETURNED TO NEW YORK TODAY FROM EUROPE WHERE HE CONFERRED WITH PREMIER STALIN AND WITH BRITISH AND FRENCH GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS. HE WILL COME TO WASHINGTON IN A FEW DAYS TO SEE THE PRESIDENT AND SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON.

ACHESON MEANWHILE IS RETURNING TO THIS COUNTRY FROM LONDON WHERE HE WOUND UP LAST WEEK A SERIES OF DIPLOMATIC CONFERENCES AIMED AT STRENGTHENING THE EWESTERN COALITION AGAINST SOVIET COMMUNISM.

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LIE'S EXPRESSED HOPEFULNESS HAS NOT STIRRED ANY SIGN OF OPTIMISM AT THE STATE DEPARTMENT OR IN CONGRESS.

THE GENERAL REACTION IN CONGESS WAS EXPRESSED IN THE COMMENT OF REP.EATON (R-NJ), TOP REPUBLICAN ON THE HOUSE FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE. HE SAID HE HOPES LIE IS CORRECT BUT "NOTHING HAS SHOWN ANY REASON TO BELIEVE RUSSIAN PROMISES."

STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS WERE DEEPLY SKEPTICAL OF LIE'S ESTIMATE THAT SUCCESSFUL NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE RUSSIANS ARE POSSIBLE.

SPEAKING PRIVATELY, THEY SAID THEY SEE NO REASON TO BELIEVE THAT THE SOVIETS ARE ANY MORE READY NOW THAN THEY HAVE BEEN FOR SEVERAL YEARS TO MAKE THE KIND OF ADJUSTMENT IN THEIR POLICY WHICH WESTERN AUTHORITIES DEEM NECESSARY TO A PEACEFUL SITUATION IN THE WORLD.

THOSE AUTHORITIES SEEM ENTIRELY CONVINCED THAT AT THIS TIME AND FOR THE FORESEEABLE FUTURE NEITHER SIDE IN THE COLD WAR IS PREPARED TO MAKE THE CONCRETE CONCESSIONS OR COMPROMISES WHICH IN THEIR VIEW MIGHT LEAD TO A TRUE EAST-WEST SETTLEMENT.

MOREOVER, THEY BELIEVE THAT, BARRING A MAJOR CHANGE ON ONE SIDE OR THE OTHER, A TOP LEVEL INTERNATIONAL MEETING WOULD BRING LITTLE IF ANY RELIEF FROM THE PRESENT TENSIONS OF POLITICAL CONFLICT.

THEY PREDICT, HOWEVER, THAT IF LIE SUCCEEDS IN GETTING GENERAL CONSENT FOR A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL, TO BE ATTENDED BY FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE MEMBER NATIONS LATE NEXT SUMMER, SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON WILL BE ON HAND.

LITTLE IS KNOWN, EVEN IN THE INNER CIRCLES OF THE GOVERNMENT HERE, OF PREMIER STALIN'S REACTION TO LIE'S PEACEMAKING PROPOSALS WHEN THE TWO MET TEN DAYS AGO. ACCORDING TO DIPLOMATIC REPORTS, AS YET OFFICIALLY UNCONFIRMED TO THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT BY LIE, STALIN WAS NON-COMMITTAL, ALTHOUGH AS LIE HAS INDICATED PUBLICLY, HE DID NOT CLOSE ANY DOORS ON FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS.

LIE, WHO LEFT ENGLAND BY PLANE YESTERDAY AFTER ISSUING A STATEMENT ON HIS TRIP, IS DUE IN WASHINGTON NEXT WEEK TO SEE MR.TRUMAN AND ACHESON. HE IS EXPECTED THEN TO GIVE THEM AN ACCOUNT OF HIS TALKS WITH STALIN AND WITH BRITISH AND FRENCH LEADERS.

IN HIS STATEMENT HE SAID THAT "I RETURN TO THE HEADQUARTERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS WITH THE BELIEF THAT THE POSSIBILITY OF CONSTRUCTIVE NEGOTIATION EXISTS."

HE CAUTIONED THAT THE RESULTS OF HIS EXCHANGES OF VIEWS CANNOT BE JUDGED, HOWEVER, "EXCEPT AS THEY BECOME APPARENT DURING THE NEXT TWO OR THREE MONTHS."

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AT ANOTHER POINT HE SAID THAT HIS AIM IS "REDUCING THE TENSIONS OF THE COLD WAR AND ULTIMATELY BRINGING IT TO AN END."

AT THE TIME LIE EMBARKED ON HIS DIPLOMATIC MISSION, THE STATE DEPARTMENT MADE PLAIN THAT IT WELCOMED HIS EFFORTS BUT WAS NOT NECESSARILY BACKING HIS SPECIFIC PROJECTS. IN GENERAL, AMERICAN POLICY IS THAT SUCH APPROACHES TO THE RUSSIANS AT LEAST KEEP CONTACTS BETWEEN EAST AND WEST OPEN.

AT THE SAME TIME, ON THE QUESTION OF ACTUALLY SETTLING THE COLD WAR, ACHESON HAS REPEATEDLY DECLARED THAT AGREEMENTS WITH THE SOVIETS ARE VALID ONLY WHEN THEY COVER CONDITIONS ALREADY IN EXISTENCE. HE HAS DEFINED PRESENT AMERICAN POLICY AS BEING TO CREATE CONDITIONS OF STRENGTH THROUGHOUT THE NON-COMMUNIST WORLD SO THAT EVENTUALLY THE RUSSIANS WILL HAVE TO DEAL WITH THE WEST ON ACCEPTABLE TERMS.

HE SET FORTH HIS OWN THINKING ON THE PROBLEM IN A SPEECH IN CALIFORNIA ON MARCH 16 WHEN HE DESCRIBED MANY ACTIONS WHICH HE SAID THE SOVIET UNION COULD TAKE TO "RELAX TENSIONS." AMONG THESE HE CALLED FOR RUSSIAN COOPERATION IN COMPLETING THE WORLD WAR II PEACE SETTLEMENTS, A SOVIET WITHDRAWAL FROM THE SATELLITE COUNTRIES OF EASTERN EUROPE AND AN END TO THE KREMLIN'S POLICY OF "OBSTRUCTION" IN THE UNITED NATIONS. FURTHERMORE, ACHESON SAID THAT IN ANY EFFORT TO ESTABLISH LIVABLE RELATIONS BETWEEN EAST AND WEST, THE RUSSIANS SHOULD JOIN IN SEEKING REALISTIC CONTROLS FOR ATOMIC WEAPONS, SHOULD END ATTEMPTS TO UNDERMINE ESTABLISHED GOVERNMENTS THROUGH COMMUNISM, SHOULD TREAT FOREIGN DIPLOMATIC OFFICIALS PROPERLY AND SHOULD STOP DISTORTING THE MOTIVES OF OTHER NATIONS IN THEIR PROPAGANDA.

THE PROBLEMS OF HOLDING A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL, PERHAPS LATE IN THE SUMMER, DEPENDS PARTLY AT LEAST FOR ITS SOLUTION ON A SETTLEMENT OF THE QUESTION OF CHINESE REPRESENTATION IN THE UNITED NATIONS. THE LATEST DEVELOPMENT ON THAT CAME YESTERDAY WHEN BRITISH FOREIGN MINISTER BEVIN TOLD PARLIAMENT THAT THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT FEELS THE CHINESE COMMUNIST REGIME SHOULD DISPLACE THE NATIONALISTS IN THE U.N.

BEVIN'S STATEMENT WAS IN LINE WITH KNOWN BRITISH POLICY AND IS NOT REGARDED HERE AS NECESSARILY ALTERING THE VOTING BALANCE ALTHOUGH IT COULD LEAD TO THAT.

THE LAST VOTE ON THE ISSUE IN THE U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL WAS TAKEN JANUARY 13 ON A SOVIET RESOLUTION TO UNSEAT THE PRESENT CHINESE NATIONALIST DELEGATE--A PRELIMINARY TO SEATING A COMMUNIST DELEGATE. INDIA, RUSSIA AND YUGOSLAVIA VOTED FOR THIS; CHINA, CUBA, ECUADOR, EGYPT, FRANCE AND THE UNITED STATES VOTED AGAINST IT. BRITAIN AND NORWAY ABSTAINED.

CHAIRMAN CONNALLY (D-TEX) OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE SAID "IT HAS BEEN KNOWN GENERALLY THAT THE BRITISH FAVORED THIS RECOGNITION FOR THE COMMUNIST REGIME IN CHINA." SENATOR BREWSTER (R-ME) COMMENTED MORE SHARPLY:

"BRITAIN HAS RECOGNIZED THE COMMUNIST REGIME IN CHINA AND HAS BEEN INSULTED EVER SINCE. NOW THEY ARE TRYING TO BUY COMMUNIST RECOGNITION. IT IS THE MOST HUMILIATING EPISODE IN BRITAIN'S HISTORY IN THE PAST CENTURY."

AT A NEWS CONFERENCE TODAY, PRESIDENT TRUMAN WAS ASKED FOR COMMENT ON BEVIN'S ASSERTION THAT HE WOULD LIKE TO SEE COMMUNIST CHINA SEATED BY THE UNITED NATIONS. THE PRESIDENT SAID HE WOULD NOT COMMENT ON THAT.

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NEW YORK,MAY 25-(AP)-AN OFFICIAL OF FAWCETT PUBLICATIONS SAID TODAY THE GOVERNMENT HAD PROTESTED PUBLICATION OF ITS FORTHCOMING POCKET BOOK, "FLYING SAUCERS ARE REAL."

ROGER K.FAWCETT, VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE COMPANY, SAID HOWEVER THAT THE BOOK WOULD BE PLACED ON THE MARKET ON ITS SCHEDULED JUNE 5 RELEASE DATE UNLESS THE GOVERNMENT OBTAINS AN INJUNCTION BARRING IT.

HE SAID THE GOVERNMENT PROTEST WAS MADE TO HIS BROTHER, ROSCOE, ON THE GROUNDS THAT THE BOOK MADE PUBLIC "INFORMATION VITAL TO NATIONAL DEFENSE." ROSCOE FAWCETT NOW IS IN CANADA AND HIS BROTHER SAID HE DID NOT KNOW WHAT FEDERAL AGENCY LODGED THE PROTEST.

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IN WASHINGTON, A DEFENSE DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN SAID THE DEPARTMENT "HAS NEVER HEARD OF THE BOOK."

THE POCKETBOOK--A GOLD MEDAL BOOK--IS AN LEABORATION OF AN ARTICLE APPEARING IN TRUE MAGAZINE LAST JANUARY. TRUE MAGAZINE ALSO IS A FAWCETT PUBLICATION.

THE ARTICLE AND THE BOOK BOTH WERE WRITTEN BY DONALD E.KEYHOE WHO CONTENDS "FLYING SAUCERS" ARE SPACE SHIPS FROM ANOTHER PLANET.

JIM BISHOP, EDITOR OF GOLD MEDAL BOOKS WHO ASSIGNED KEYHOE TO THE POCKETBOOK EDITION, SAID THE BOOK CONTAINED NOTHING ON THE "FLYING SAUCER" THAT HAD NOT BEEN "PRINTED OR HINTED AT" NUMEROUS TIMES BEFORE.

THE BOOK, BISHOP SAID, ALREADY HAD BEEN RELEASED ON A "TEST BASIS" IN SEVERAL MIDWESTERN AREAS. IT WAS ORDERED WITHDRAWN FROM THE MARKET TEMPORARILY PENDING A STUDY OF THE GOVERNMENT PROTEST, BISHOP DECLARED.

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NEW YORK,MAY 25-(AP)-A LONDON EDITOR CLAIMED TODAY TO HAVE REPORTS THAT SOVIET RUSSIA HAS TESTED A NEW TYPE ATOMIC BOMB STRONGER THAN ANYTHING OUT THUS FAR BY THE UNITED STATES.

KENNETH DE COURCY, EDITOR OF A PRIVATE NEWS LETTER, SAID THE INFORMATION WAS BASED ON REPORTS BY UNNAMED OBSERVERS.

"THE REPORTS REACHING US PERSIST THAT RUSSIA HAS EXPLODED SOME KIND OF BOMB MANY TIMES MORE POWERFUL THAN THE TYPE OF ATOMIC BOMB USED BY THE WESTERN POWERS," HE SAID IN A STATEMENT.

DE COURCY, IN 1949, CLAIMED KNOWLEDGE OF AN EXPLOSION OF RUSSIA'S FIRST ATOM BOMB. THREE WEEKS LATER, PRESIDENT TRUMAN TOLD THE WORLD THAT RUSSIA DID HAVE SUCH ATOMIC RESOURCES.

THE LONDON EDITOR SAID HE ALSO RECEIVED REPORTS THAT RUSSIA IS ENGAGED IN LARGE SCALE TROOP MOVEMENTS IN AREAS BORDERING THE MIDDLE EASTERN OIL AREAS OF ARABIA AND IRAQ.

HE SAID "BY 1952 SHE (RUSSIA) WILL BE IN A POSITION TO STRIKE WITH GREAT POWER IF NECESSARY." HER OBJECT, HE ADDED, WILL BE TO OUTFLANK DEFENSIVE POSITIONS IN TURKEY AND IRAQ.

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LONG BEACH, CALIF., MAY 25-(AP)-LARGE SCALE PRODUCTION OF HYDROGEN BOMBS WOULD ROB THE U.S. OF MATERIAL FOR ATOMIC POWER PROJECTS.

DR.ROBERT F.BACHER, A TOP ATOMIC SCIENTIST, VOICED THIS WARNING AT THE NATIONAL CONGRESS OF PARENTS AND TEACHERS YESTERDAY.

HE SAID DIVERSION OF SCARCE FISSIONABLE MATERIALS TO H-BOMB USES IS DANGEROUS FOR TWO REASONS:

1. EVEN IF IT TURNS OUT TO BE A THOUSAND TIMES MORE POWERFUL THAN A-BOMB "THERE IS CONSIDERABLE DOUBT WHETHER IT WOULD ADD TO OUR MILITARY POTENTIAL." A-BOMBS WILL DO THE JOB. IT JUST TAKES MORE OF THEM.

2. A HYDROGEN BOMB'S KEY INGREDIENT, TRITIUM, IS RADIOACTIVE AND SELF DESTRUCTIVE--A GIVEN AMOUNT IS HALF GONE IN A 12 YEAR PERIOD.

FISSIONABLE MATERIAL CONVERTED TO TRITIUM IS PERMANENTLY LOST. BUT IF DESTINED FOR ATOM BOMBS OR NUCLEAR REACTORS, THE CALIFORNIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY SCIENTIST SAID, IT CAN BE STORED WITHOUT DISSIPATION.

A DECISION ON THE H-BOMB MUST BE MADE SOON, SAID DR.BACHER. IT IS NOT A PURELY MILITARY DECISION AND SHOULD NOT BE MADE BEHIND CLOSED DOORS, HE SAID, URGING THAT THE AMERICAN PEOPLE BE TOLD MORE ABOUT THE ATOMIC ENERGY PROGRAM.

EFFECTIVENESS OF A HYDROGEN BOMB, ASSUMING ONE CAN BE DEVELOPED, "SEEMS NOW TO BE GREATLY EXAGGERATED."

"THE FUTURE SECURITY AND WELL-BEING OF OUR COUNTRY," HE SAID, "MAY DEPEND UPON HOW THIS DECISION IS MADE AND CARRIED OUT."

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WASHINGTON,MAY 25-(AP)-THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION HAS BEEN ASKED TO APPOINT AN ASSISTANT GENERAL MANAGER WITH SWEEPING POWERS OVER ALL SECURITY MATTERS.

THIS WAS DISCLOSED TODAY BY CHAIRMAN MCMAHON (D-CONN) OF THE SENATE-HOUSE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMITTEE.

SENATOR MCMAHON TOLD REPORTERS THE ASSISTANT GENERAL MANAGER WOULD REPLACE THE PRESENT POST OF SECURITY DIRECTOR IN THE AEC ESTABLISHMENT AND LEAD TO A "MORE BALANCED, EFFICIENT SECURITY POLICY."

THE RECOMMENDATION WAS MADE BY A SPECIAL FOUR-MAN PANEL SET UP BY THE AEC EARLIER THIS YEAR TO SURVEY SECURITY POLICIES AND PROCEDURES.

THE PANEL WAS HEADED BY JOHN BUGAS, VICE PRESIDENT OF THE FORD MOTOR COMPANY, DETROIT, WHO WITH MEMBERS PAUL E.KLOPSTEG OF NORTHWEATERN UNIVERSITY, AND J.ARTHUR MULLIN, DETROIT, APPEARED BEFORE THE JOINT COMMITTEE TODAY TO DISCUSS THEIR REPORT. IT NOW IS UNDER CONSIDERATION BY THE AEC.

OTHER PANEL RECOMMENDATIONS INCLUDED CLOSER INTEGRATION OF SECURITY AND INTELLIGENCE, CLOSER COORDINATION OF ALL SECURITY MATTERS, BETTER COMMUNICATION BETWEEN WASHINGTON AND THE FIELD OFFICES, AND CREATION OF A HIGHLY TRAINED INSPECTOR FORCE.

THE PANEL NOTED THERE NOW IS A TENDENCY TO "CARRY PHYSICAL SECURITY TO EXTREMES," AND TOWARDS THE EXCESSIVE CLASSIFICATION OF DOCUMENTS AND FISSIONABLE MATERIALS. IN OTHERS WORDS, TOO MANY DOCUMENTS AND MATERIALS USED BY THE AEC ARE STAMPED "SECRET."

LUKE HOPKINS, BALTIMORE BANKER, FOURTH MEMBER OF THE PANEL, WAS UNABLE TO ATTEND THE MEETING.

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WASHINGTON,MAY 25-(AP)-CHAIRMAN MCMAHON (D-CONN) OF THE SENATE-HOUSE ATOMIC COMMITTEE SAID TODAY THE UNITED STATES "CAN FIND USE FOR ALL THE URANIUM WE CAN GET."

HE ADDED THAT HE WISHED IT "WAS ALL GOING FOR PEACEFUL USES, WHICH IT WOULD BE IF THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT WOULD AGREE TO EFFECTIVE CONTROL OF ATOMIC ENERGY."

SENATOR MCMAHON MADE THE STATEMENT TO REPORTERS WHILE COMMENTING ON A REPORT THAT THE UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA HAS QUIETLY EMBARKED ON LARGE-SCALE PROGRAM TO EXTRACT URANIUM FROM GOLD ORE ALONG THE RICH WITWATERS RAND REEF.

URANIUM IS THE FISSIONABLE MATERIAL THAT PROVIDES THE EXPLOSIVE FORCE FOR ATOMIC BOMBS.

MCMAHON DISCLOSED THAT THE ATOMIC COMMITTEE HAS BEEN KEPT INFORMED OF THE SOUTH AFRICAN DEVELOPMENTS. HE SAID THE SOUTH AFRICANS HAD BEEN "MOST COOPERATIVE IN THE MATTER."

HE PREDICTED THAT THE OPERATIONS WOULD RESULT IN A SIZEABLE INCREASE IN U.S. URANIUM SUPPLIES. BUT AT THE SAME TIME HE SAID IT IS IMPORTANT THAT THE UNITED STATES CONTINUE ITS EFFORTS TO DEVELOP DOMESTIC SOURCES.

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NEW NEW YORK, MAY 25-(AP)-HECKLED AND PICKETED, GEN.LUCIUS [illegible] CAST ASIDE A PREPARED SPEECH AT AN ANTI-COMMUNIST "HOLD BERLIN" RALLY LAST NIGHT AND ISSUED A RALLYING CALL TO THE PEOPLE OF THE GERMAN CAPITAL AND A WARNING TO THE RUSSIANS.

TO THE PEOPLE OF BERLIN, THE FORMER AMERICAN MILITARY GOVERNOR IN GERMANY SAID:

"YOU HAVE WITHIN YOURSELVES THE MORAL STRENGTH TO STOP ANY ATTEMPTED UPRISING AMONG THE YOUTHS OF GERMANY WHICH WOULD DESTROY FREEDOM. BE PATIENT--THE TIME OF FREEDOM IS RISING."

A LONE HECKLER DISRUPTED THE RALLY AND CAUSED BRIEF DISORDER AFTER POLICE HAD ROUTED 1,000 CHANTING PICKETS OUTSIDE TOWN HALL.

A LOUD MURMUR AROSE FROM THE AUDIENCE AS A YOUNG MAN BEGAN HECKLING CLAY BECAUSE HE HAD CUT THE PRISON SENTENCE OF THE NOTORIOUS ILSE KOCH OF BUCHENWALD.

MANY MEN AND WOMEN JUMPED TO THEIR FEET, SOME OF THEM SHOUTING.

THE HECKLER CONTINUED SHOUTING ABOVE THE NOISE UNTIL TWO DETECTIVES ESCORTED HIM OUT OF THE AUDITORIUM. ABOUT 100 PERSONS FOLLOWED. SOME OF THOSE WHO LEFT THE AUDITORIUM WITH HIM CRIED "LET HIM SPEAK."

AFTER CLAY HAD ANSWERED THE HECKLER IN UNSTEADY VOICE, THE GENERAL TOLD THE AUDIENCE:

"I CAME HERE TONIGHT WITH A PREPARED SPEECH, BUT NOW I AM NOT GOING TO MAKE THAT."

REFERRING TO THE NOISY, SIGN-CARRYING PICKETS WHO HAD BEEN DISPERSED OUTSIDE THE HALL, CLAY SAID:

"HAVING LIVED THROUGH THE BLOCKADE OF BERLIN, I AM NOT DISMAYED BY A BLOCKADE IN NEW YORK."

JUST AS CLAY WAS ABOUT TO BEGIN HIS SPEECH, THE HECKLER QUESTIONED HIM ON THE ISSUE OF MRS.KOCH, WIFE OF THE COMMANDANT OF THE NAZI EXTERMINATION CAMP AT BUCHENWALD.

"HOW ABOUT ILSE KOCH AND HUMAN SKIN?" THE HECKLER DEMANDED OF

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CLAY, WHO HAD CUT THE WOMAN'S PENALTY TO FOUR YEARS AFTER A MILITARY COURT HAD IMPOSED A LIFE SENTENCE FOR HER PART IN BUCHENWALD ATROCITIES.

MRS.KOCH WAS ACCUSED OF MAKING LAMPSHADES FROM THE SKIN OF PRISONERS. GERMAN AUTHORITIES NOW ARE HOLDING HER IN AN ASYLUM FOR MENTAL EXAMINATION PRIOR TO FACING TRIAL BY A GERMAN COURT ON WAR CRIMES CHARGES.

CLAY TOLD THE HECKLER:

"I AM NEVER UNWILLING TO GIVE ANYBODY HIS VIEWPOINT ON ANY QUESTION, BUT I ALSO BELIEVE THAT ANY FAIR-MINDED AMERICAN IS WILLING TO LISTEN."

THE UNIDENTIFIED HECKLER, WHO TOLD NEWSMEN "I'M JUST A PLAIN GI," WAS NOT ARRESTED. "THIS IS A NAZI MEETING," HE CHARGED.

THE RALLY WAS SPONSORED BY COMMON CAUSE, INC., AN ANTI-COMMUNIST ORGANIZATION. THE PICKETS, WHO CHANTED PHRASES OFTEN USED BY THE REDS, REPRESENTED THE AMERICAN JEWISH LABOR COUNCIL AND OTHER GROUPS.

THE TEXT OF CLAY'S SPEECH, WHICH HE IGNORED, DENOUNCED THE RECENT SOVIET BLOCKADE OF BERLIN AS "THE MOST RUTHLESS ATTEMPT IN MODERN HISTORY TO USE STARVATION AS A MEANS OF POLITICAL COERCION."

IN HIS BRIEF EXTEMPORANEOUS REMARKS AFTER THE DISORDER, HE URGED BERLINERS TO REPEL THE PROJECTED COMMUNIST YOUTH DEMONSTRATION THIS WEEK-END WITH "MORAL COURAGE."

CLAY WARNED "RUSSIANS AND COMMUNISTS EVERYWHERE" AGAINST MISTAKING AMERICAN PATIENCE FOR INDIFFERENCE.

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PHILADELPHIA, MAY 25-(AP)-INCREASING THE WEALTH OF NATIONS THROUGH GLOBAL TRADE WILL MAKE THEM LESS DEPENDANT UPON AMERICAN ECONOMIC AID, SAYS SECRETARY OF COMMERCE CHARLES SAWYER.

THIS CAN BE DONE, HE TOLD A WORLD TRADE WEEK DINNER LAST NIGHT, BY MAKING IT EASIER FOR NATIONS TO TRADE WITH ONE ANOTHER, AS WELL AS WITH THE UNITED STATES.

"THE UNITED STATES TODAY IS THE GREATEST TRADING NATION IN THE WORLD," SAWYER SAID, "AND AT THE SAME TIME IS THE NATION LEAST DEPENDENT ON FOREIGN TRADE.

"OTHER NATIONS BUY FROM US MORE THAN THEY SELL US, AND THE AMERICAN PEOPLE HAVE BRIDGED THIS GAP BY GIVING AND LENDING DOLLARS TO OTHER NATIONS. BUT WE CANNOT GIVE AWAY DOLLARS FOREVER. THE MARSHALL PLAN WILL END IN 1952."

IN PREPARING TO BALANCE INTERNATIONAL ACCOUNTS "ON A BUSINESS BASIS," AMERICAN INGENUITY WILL PLAY A LARGE PART, SAWYER SAID.

TWO OTHER IMPORTANT FACTORS IN INCREASING WORLD TRADE, SAWYER SAID, ARE "FULL, FRANK AND FRIENDLY DISCUSSION AMONG NATIONS" AND HELPING OTHER NATIONS TO BECOME "BIGGER AND BETTER PARTICIPANTS IN INTERNATIONAL TRADE."

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BOSTON, MAY 25-(AP)-LIQUAT ALI KHAN, PRIME MINISTER OF PAKISTAN, ARRIVED IN BOSTON TODAY FROM SCHENECTADY, N.Y., TO COMBINE A TWO-DAY GOOD-WILL VISIT WITH A WEEK-END PHYSICAL CHECKUP.

HE WENT DIRECTLY FROM THE BOSTON AIRPORT TO LAHEY CLINIC FOR A PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION.

HE SAID THAT AT THE COMPLETION OF HIS TWO-DAY TOUR IN THE BOSTON AREA HE WOULD SUBMIT TO A COMPLETE EXAMINATION AT THE CLINIC, BUT ADDED IT WAS JUST A ROUTINE CHECK.

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NIGHT LEAD PAKISTAN (300)

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BY DAVID A.O'HARA

BOSTON, MAY 25-(AP)-LIAQUAT ALI KHAN, PRIME MINISTER OF PAKISTAN, SAID TONIGHT THERE IS "NO SERIOUS COMMUNIST PROBLEM" IN HIS ASIATIC COUNTRY OF MORE THAN 80,000,000 (M) PEOPLE.

"COMMUNISM JUST DOESN'T APPEAL TO THE PEOPLE AS THEY EMBRACE THE MOSLEM RELIGION," THE PRIME MINISTER TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE.

"WE BELIEVE IN GOD AND HIS SOVEREIGNTY, DEMOCRACY, EQUALITY AND BROTHERHOOD OF MAN AND PRIVATE OWNERSHIP," HE SAID.

"WE BELIEVE THAT ALL CITIZENS ARE EQUAL IN THE EYES OF GOD AND SHOULD HAVE EQUAL RIGHTS AND EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES."

THE PRIME MINISTER ARRIVED WITH HIS WIFE IN BOSTON ON THE LAST OF THEIR VISITS TO TEN AMERICAN CITIES TO LEARN MORE ABOUT THIS COUNTRY AND ALSO TO ACQUAINT THE UNITED STATES WITH PAKISTAN.

"THE GREAT MAJORITY OF THE PEOPLE IN OUR NEW COUNTRY, LESS THAN THREE YEARS OLD, ARE MOSLEMS," HE SAID. "BECAUSE OF THIS THERE IS HARDLY ANY COMMUNISM DESPITE THE EXISTENCE OF SOME HARDSHIP."

THE PRIME MINISTER, WHO SAID HE HAS ACCEPTED AN INVITATION TO VISIT RUSSIA IN THE NEAR FUTURE, ASSERTED PAKISTAN WANTS ONLY PEACE AND FRIENDLY RELATIONS WITH ALL NATIONS.

ASKED IF HIS COUNTRY HAD TAKEN ANY STAND IN THE COLD WAR, HE SMILED AND SAID:

"IT'S NOT VERY COLD WHERE I COME FROM. IT'S A WARM CLIMATE."

HE SAID HE WAS "VERY MUCH IMPRESSED" BY THE WAYS OF FREE ENTERPRIS IN THE UNITED STATES AND THOUGHT THIS COUNTRY WAS DOING "VERY WELL."

"IT'S A GREAT ACHIEVEMENT. NO OTHER COUNTRY IN THE WORLD TODAY HAS MADE SUCH AN ACHIEVEMENT."

HE ADDED:

"I QUITE APPROVE OF YOUR WAY OF LIFE."

THE PRIME MINISTER SAID PAKISTAN PEOPLE "ATTACH GREATER IMPORTANCE TO FREEDOM THAN ANYTHING ELSE" AND 70 PER CENT OF THE COUNTRY'S BUDGET GOES FOR DEFENSE.

HE SAID RELATIONS WITH INDIA AND AFGHANISTAN HAVE BEEN "MOST UNHAPPY" BUT HE WAS OPTOMISTIC ABOUT THE OUTLOOK.

THE PRIME MINISTER, HIS WIFE AND OTHERS PAKISTAN OFFICIALS IN HIS PARTY PLAN TO GO TO OTTAWA, CANADA, MAY 30. THEY WILL VISIT IN THAT COUNTRY BEFORE RETURNING HOME.

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A73BX (WX FOLO)
(220)
BOSTON,MAY 25-(AP)-THE PEOPLE BEHIND THE IRON CURTAIN ARE PRAYING FOR WAR BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND RUSSIA TO DELIVER THEM FROM OPPRESSION, ACCORDING TO REP.WALTER H.JUDD (R-MINN).

JUDD TOLD THE NORTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION LAST NIGHT THAT IN FIVE EASTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES HE VISITED WITHIN THE SOVIET SPHERE HE FOUND THE PEOPLE HAVE "SUCH A HATRED FOR THEIR OPPRESSORS THAT THEY ARE PRAYING FOR WAR."

JUDD RETURNED THIS WEEK FROM A WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION MEETING IN GENEVA. HE DID NOT DISCLOSE WHICH COUNTRIES HE VISITED.

A MEDICAL MISSIONARY IN CHINA BEFORE THE LAST WAR, JUDD BELITTLED REPORTED THAT SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE OF THE UNITED NATIONS WENT TO MOSCOW TO TRY TO NEGOTIATE PEACE IN THE COLD WAR.

"THERE IS NO WAY TO END THE COLD WAR BUT TO WIN IT," THE MINNESOTAN SAID.

THE REV.DR.G.PITT BEERS OF NEW YORK CITY, EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OF THE AMERICAN BPATIST HOME MISSION SOCIETY, TOLD THE 3,000 DELEGATES THAT UN-CHRISTIAN CONDUCT BY AMERICANS HANDICAPS THE CHURCH ABROAD.

HE SAID THAT UN-CHRISTIAN CONDUCT MEANS "HANGING CHAINS ON OUR MISSIONARIES' HANDS AND WEIGHTS ON THEIR FEET."

"WHEN A NATION BECOMES THE WEALTHIEST AND MOST POWERFUL IN THE WORLD," HE SAID, "ITS CHARACTER BECOMES A MATTER OF WORLD INTEREST.

"OUR EVIL DEEDS ARE HERALDED ABROAD WITH GLEE AND EVEN OUR GOOD DEEDS RECEIVE SOME RECOGNITION."

HE SAID THAT WHEN THE COUNTRY ACTS "CHRISTIANLY," IT GIVES "OUR MISSIONARIES WINGS."

HE DEPLORED WHAT HE DESCRIBED AS "ACTS OF RACIAL INJUSTICE." SUCH CONDUCT, HE SAID, FETTERS THE ACTIVITIES OF AMERICAN CHURCH AND MEDICAL MISSIONARIES IN FAR FLUNG AREAS.

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A63WX (MATTHEWS)
(300) NAVY

WASHINGTON, MAY 25-(AP)-SECRETARY MATTHEWS SAID TODAY THE NAVY NEEDS MORE SUBMARINES FOR POSSIBLE USE AS GUIDED MISSILE LAUNCHERS, OPERATIONS AGAINST SUBMARINES AND OTHER PURPOSES.

"WE HAVE 70," HE SAID. "THE RUSSIANS HAVE 270."

HIS REFERENCE APPARENTLY WAS TO THE APPROXIMATE NUMBER OF SUBS IN ACTIVE SERVICE. THERE ARE SOME 92 IN MOTHBALLS.

IN ADDITION THE NAVY IS BUILDING SIX FAST ATTACK SUBMARINES, STREAMLINED FOR SPEED AND EQUIPPED WITH SNORKEL BREATHING TUBES FOR GREAT DISTANCES UNDER WATER. IT IS CONSTRUCTING THREE HALF-SIZE SUBS EQUIPPED WITH NEW DEVICES FOR DETECTING OTHER SUBMERSIBLES.

MATTHEWS ANSWERED REPORTERS' QUESTIONS AS HE RECEIVED CONGRATULATIONS OF COLLEAGUES ON HIS FIRST ANNIVERSARY IN OFFICE.

HE SAID HE WAS EXTREMELY GRATIFIED BY "THE IMPROVED CONDITION OF THE NAVY OVER WHAT IT WAS A YEAR AGO."

ASKED WHETHER THE NAVY SHOULD BUILD A LARGE FLUSH DECKED CARRIER, THE SECRETARY SAID THIS IS A MATTER THAT TIME WILL DETERMINE: "IT DEPENDS ON EVENTS IN THE FUTURE."

MATTHEWS WAS ASKED ABOUT REPORTS THAT THE NAVY MIGHT BE INCREASED UNDER PROPOSALS FOR SPECIALIZING MILITARY PREPARATIONS OF EACH ATLANTIC PACT NATION FOR JOINT DEFENSE. HE REPLIED:

"GENERALLY SPEAKING WE HAVE ENOUGH SHIPS IN SERVICE OR IN MOTHBALLS. WE NEED SOME CONVERSIONS OF EXISTING CRAFT AND CONSTRUCTION OF SOME NEW TYPES."

THEN HE SPOKE OUT FOR MORE SUBMARINES. HE DECLINED TO DISCUSS WHETHER MISSILES CARRYING AN ATOMIC WARHEAD CAN BE LAUNCHED FROM A SUBMARINE, BUT IT IS WIDELY BELIEVED THAT THIS CAN BE DONE.

MATTHEWS' TENURE HAS COVERED THE PERIOD OF TURNMOIL OVER CHARGES THAT HIGH DEFENSE POLICY WAS WRECKING NAVAL ATTACK POWER.

TODAY HE SAID MORALE IS FINE AND THE NAVY IS FUNCTIONING SMOOTHLY.

MATTHEWS WAS ASKED ABOUT THE NAVY'S READINESS TO MEET THE THREAT OF ENEMY SUBMARINES IN CASE OF WAR AND COMMENTED:

"MUCH PROGRESS HAS BEEN MADE. FOR SECURITY REASONS, MUCH OF IT MUST BE KEPT SECRET. MUCH MORE REMAINS TO BE DONE."

BUT HE SAID THE UNITED STATES HAD NEARLY LOST TWO WORLD WARS TO SUBMARINES AND HE IS CONVINCED THE COUNTRY WILL NEVER RUN SUCH A RISK AGAIN.

MATTHEWS GOT A CAKE WITH ONE CANDLE, REPRESENTING HIS FIRST YEAR IN OFFICE, IN A SURPRISE CEREMONY AT HIS OFFICE. HIS PLEASURE WAS MARRED BY DEATH OF HIS UNCLE AND GODFATHER, JOHN C. SULLIVAN OF SPALDING, NEB. HE WILL ATTEND THE FUNERAL TOMORROW IN SPALDING.

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A86WX
(300) WASHINGTON, MAY 25-(AP)-REP.JENISON (R-ILL) CHARGED IN THE HOUSE TODAY THAT LOUIS DOLIVET, EDITOR OF THE UNITED NATIONS WORLD, HAS A RECORD "REPLETE WITH COMMUNIST AFFILIATIONS" DATING BACK TO 1933.

JENISON ACCUSED THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF THROWING A SCREEN OF "OMINOUS SILENCE" AROUND DOLIVET'S APPLICATION FOR AMERICAN CITIZENSHIP AND DEMANDED A "VERY THOROUGH INVESTIGATION" OF THE EDITOR'S BACKGROUND.

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OFF THE FLOOR, JENISON TOLD NEWSMEN HE PLANS TO LAY THE CASE BEFORE THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE.

IN NEW YORK, DOLIVET COULD NOT BE REACHED IMMEDIATELY FOR COMMENT

THE ILLINOIS LEGISLATOR SAID DOLIVET'S APPLICATION HAS BEEN KEPT ALIVE SINCE JUNE 11, 1946, AND HE TOLD THE HOUSE:

"A CERTAIN STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL DESCRIBED DOLIVET AS A 'VERY DANGEROUS STALINIST AGENT' AND A MEMBER OF THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNIST APPARATUS.

"WITNESS NO. 8, WHEN TESTIFYING BEFORE A SENATE JUDICIARY SUBCOMMITTEE ON JULY 23, 1949, DESCRIBED LOUIS BOLIVET AS A LIAISON OF THE COMMUNISTS WITH THE UNITED NATIONS SECRETARIAT.

"WITNESS NO. 8

"WITNESS NO. 8 ALSO TESTIFIED THAT ALL THE ARCHIVES AND PAPERS OF THE SECRETARIAT WERE ACCESSIBLE TO MR.DOLIVET."

JJENISON DID NOT IDENTIFY THE PERSON HE NAMED AS "WITNESS NO. 8."

HE WENT ON TO SAY THAT HE HAD TRIED AND FAILED TO GET AN EXPLANATION FROM BOTH THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND THE IMMIGRATION SERVICE ON WHY DOLIVET'S APPLICATION FOR CITIZENSHIP WAS KEPT ON THE ACTIVE LIST, WITHOUT A HEARING, OVER A FOUR-YEAR PERIOD.

HE SAID THE STATE DEPARTMENT TOLD HIM THE FBI WAS INVESTIGATING DOLIVET, BUT WHEN HE WENT TO THE FBI, THE BUREAU SAID IT HAD HEARD NOTHING ABOUT DOLIVET.

JENISON DEMANDED TO KNOW WHO RECOMMENDED DOLIVET TO HIS POST AS AN ACCREDITED UN CONSULTANT, AND DECLARED THAT AS EDITOR OF THE UN WORLD, DOLIVET IS "IN A POSITION TO DO A CONSIDERABLE AMOUNT OF HARM TO THE INTERESTS OF THE UNITED STATES."

UN WORLD IS A PRIVATELY FINANCED MAGAZINE OF UN NEWS AND OPINION. JENISON CALLED IT THE "PUBLICITY TONGUE" FOR THE UN.

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A16WX
(560) PMS BUDGET
DRAFT
BY BARNEY LIVINGSTONE
WASHINGTON,MAY 25-(AP)-THE LIFE EXPECTANCY OF THE NATION'S DRAFT MACHINERY BECAME THE SENATE'S PROBLEM TODAY, FOLLOWING OVERWHELMING HOUSE APPROVAL OF A TWO-YEAR STANDBY SELECTIVE SERVICE LAW.
THE MEASURE WHICH THE HOUSE PASSED LATE YESTERDAY BY A 216 TO 11 VOTE WOULD DO LITTLE BUT KEEP THE DRAFT IN READINESS, SO THAT THE NATION'S YOUTH WOULD BE REGISTERED AND AVAILABLE IF NEEDED.
WITH AN EYE TO THE TENSE INTERNATIONAL SITUATION, HOUSE MEMBERS PUT UP LITTLE RESISTANCE TO THE MODIFIED DRAFT EXTENSION. AT THE SAME TIME, THEY PLACED THE NATIONAL SECURITY RESOURCES BOARD (NSRB) ON NOTICE THAT THEY WOULD LIKE TO SEE A TOTAL WAR MOBILIZATION PLAN AS A COMPANION TO PEACETIME MILITARY REGISTRATION.
IN THE HOUSE DEBATE, REP.VINSON (D-GA) VOICED THE HOPE THAT AN M-DAY PLAN FOR LABOR, INDUSTRY AND MANPOWER WOULD BE READY BY JANUARY.
VINSON, CHAIRMAN OF THE INFLUENTIAL HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE, DIRECTED HIS HINT AT W.STUART SYMINGTON, NEWLY NAMED CHAIRMAN OF THE NSRB AND FORMER SECRETARY FOR AIR.
THE GEORGIAN WAS APPLAUDED WHEN HE SUGGESTED THAT A STANDBY M-DAY BILL BE READY FOR THE NEXT CONGRESS.
THE PRESENT DRAFT LAW EXPIRES JUNE 24. THE BILL PASSED YESTERDAY WOULD CONTINUE THE REGISTRATION AND CLASSIFICATION OF 18-YEAR-OLDS UNTIL 1952. BUT ACTUAL INDUCTIONS WOULD BE PROHIBITED UNTIL CONGRESS DECLARED THE EXISTENCE OF A NATIONAL EMERGENCY.
THE SO-CALLED "DRAFTLESS DRAFT LAW" WAS ENTITLED THE MANPOWER REGISTRATION ACT OF 1950 IN KEEPING WITH ELIMINATION OF COMPULSORY INDUCTION REQUIREMENTS. TECHNICALLY, IT IS AN EXTENSION OF THE 1948 SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT.
REPEATED REFERENCES TO RUSSIAN MILITARY POWER STUDDED DEBATE ON THE BILL. EXTENSION OF THE DRAFT LAW WAS URGED TO "BUY TIME" IN CASE OF WAR.
SOBER WARNINGS OF THE DANGER OF CONFLICT CAME FROM REPUBLICANS AS WELL AS ADMINISTRATION FORCES.
REP.GAVIN (R-PA) TOLD THE HOUSE THAT "FOR THE FIRST TIME IN ITS HISTORY, THE UNITED STATES IS IN THE FRONT LINES IN TIME OF PEACE."
VINSON DECLARED THAT CONGRESS WAS TAKING OVER THE INDUCTION REINS TO "PROTECT THE NATION FROM ADMINISTRATIVE WHIMSY."
"I HOPE," HE ADDED, "IT WILL NEVER BE NECESSARY FOR CONGRESS TO PASS A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION DECLARING AN EMERGENCY."

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UNTIL THAT HAPPENS, THIS WOULD BE THE SITUATION UNDER THE HOUSE BILL:
1. CONSCRIPTION REMAINS ON THE SHELF.
2. THE PRESIDENT IS PREVENTED FROM MOBILIZING INDUSTRY OR TAKING OVER PLANTS FOR DEFENSE PURPOSES.
3. ENLISTMENTS OF 21 MONTHS OR LESS ARE BARRED. (THE PRESENT LAW ALLOWED 18-YEAR-OLDS TO VOLUNTEER FOR ONE YEAR'S ACTIVE DUTY PLUUS SIX MONTHS IN THE RESERVE IN LIEU OF INDUCTION. THE ARMY NOW REQUIRES A MINIMUM OF TWO YEARS FOR VOLUNTEER ENLISTMENTS IN THE REGULAR ARMY.)

[redacted] SHARED ALTOGETHER FROM VOLUNTEERING.
THE BILL ALSO PERMITS THE PRESIDENT, WHEN CONGRESS FINDS AN EMERGENCY EXISTS, TO CALL ALL RESERVES TO 21 MONTHS ACTIVE DUTY IMMEDIATELY. RESERVES UNDER 19 WOULD BE EXCUSED FROM THIS SERVICE AT THEIR OWN REQUEST.
BEFORE PASSING THE BILL, THE HOUSE SHOUTED DOWN ANTI-SEGREGATION AND ANTI-DISCRIMINATION AMENDMENTS PROPOSED BY REPS.MARCANTONIO (ALP-NY), JAVITS (R-LIB-NY) AND DOLLINGER (D-NY).
IT ALSO REJECTED AN AMENDMENT BY REP.BENNETT (D-FLA) TO TAKE AWAY ANY AUTHORITY FROM THE PRESIDENT TO BAR SEGREGATION IN THE ARMED SERVICES BY EXECUTIVE DECREE WITHOUT FIRST GETTING THE APPROVAL OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF.
AN UNSUCCESSFUL ATTEMPT WAS MADE BY REP.HOFFMAN (R-MICH) TO KILL THE BILL ENTIRELY. THE HOUSE RODE ROUGH SHOD OVER HIS MOTION TO SHELVE THE BILL BY SENDING IT BACK TO COMMITTEE.
CONTINUATION OF SELECTIVE SERVICE REGISTRATION WOULD COST AN ESTIMATED $10,600,000 A YEAR. THIS WOULD MAINTAIN THE 3,745 LOCAL DRAFT BOARDS AND SELECTIVE SERVICE HEADQUARTERS IN WASHINGTON.
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A178WX
(340) DEFENSE-BUDGET
WASHINGTON, MAY 25-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN SAID TODAY HE HAS PLACED A CEILING ON DEFENSE EXPENDITURES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR STARTING JULY 1, 1951. HE DECLINED, HOWEVER, TO DISCLOSE THE FIGURE.
SEVERAL WEEKS AGO THE PRESIDENT SAID THE NEXT DEFENSE BUDGET WOULD BE LOWER THAN THE $14,296,487,300 CONTAINED IN THE APPROPRIATION BILL PASSED BY THE HOUSE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR STARTING NEXT JULY 1.
THE QUESTION ABOUT THE DEFENSE BUDGET CAME UP AT MR.TRUMAN'S NEWS CONFERENCE WHEN A REPORTER ASKED IF THE PRESIDENT WAS STANDING BY HIS STATEMENT THAT THE BUDGET TOAL FOR THE 1952 FISCAL YEAR WOULD BE LOWER THAN FOR THE 1951 FISCAL YEAR STARTING JULY 1.
MR.TRUMAN WOULD ONLY SAY THE MILITARY BUDGET IS UNDER CONSIDERATION AND THAT A CEILING HAS BEEN PLACED ON IT.
NEWMEN ASKED WHETHER THE CEILING MIGHT BE AFFECTED THROUGH ADDITIONAL DEFENSE COMMITMENTS TO AID THIS COUNTRY'S PARTNERS IN THE NORTH ATLANTIC PACT. SUCH AMERICAN DEFENSE ADJUSTMENTS REPORTEDLY WERE DISCUSSED AT THE RECENT ATLANTIC PACT CONFERENCES IN LONDON AND WERE TOUCHED ON IN ARMED FORCES DAY SPEECHES HERE.
MR.TRUMAN SAID THE REPORTERS WOULD HAVE TO WAIT FOR THE NEW BUDGET BEFORE GETTING ANSWERS TO SUCH QUESTIONS.
LAST YEAR WHEN THE ARMED FORCES WERE SITTING DOWN TO FIGURE OUT THEIR NEEDS FOR THE 1951 FISCAL YEAR (BEGINNING JULY 1, 1950), THEY CAME UP WITH A $20,000,000,000 ESTIMATE.
THE ADMINISTRATION THEN SET A CEILING OF $13,000,000,000 ON MILITARY EXPENDITURES AND TOLD THE ARMED FORCES TO COME WITHIN IT. THAT CEILING DID NOT INCLUDE SUMS FOR STOCKPILING AND FOREIGN MILITARY AID.
THE FINAL FIGURE RECOMMENDED BY MR.TRUMAN IN HIS JANUARY BUDGET MESSAGE WAS JUST UNDER $13,545,000,000. OTHER PROPOSED ITEMS SUBSEQUENTLY RAISED THAT TOTAL.
WHEN THE HOUSE FINALLY PASSED ITS $28,894,340,164 ONE-PACKAGE APPROPIATIONBILL MAY 10, IT INCLUDED A PROPOSED OUTLAY OF $14,296,-487,300 FOR NATIONAL DEFENSE. THAT TOTAL WAS $182,027,300 MORE THAN

MR.TRUMAN HAD FINALLY ASKED FOR THE NEW FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JULY 1.
THE APPROPRIATIONS MEASURE NOW IS BEFORE THE SENATE. ITS $14,296,487,300 SUM FOR DEFENSE SPENDING INCLUDES ABOUT $500,000,000 FOR LIQUIDATION OF PRIOR OBLIGATIONS INCURRED IN APPROPRIATIONS BILLS OVER THE LAST SEVERAL YEARS.

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NIGHT LEAD HOSPITAL (310)

AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE

WASHINGTON, MAY 25-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN SAID TODAY HE WILL NOT SEE THREE WHEEL CHAIR PATIENTS WHO CAME HERE FRIDAY HOPING TO ASK HIM NOT TO CLOSE THEIR VETERANS HOSPITAL AT VAN NUYS, CALIF.

THE THREE BOYS--PAT GRISSOM, GEORGE HOHMANN, AND BERNARD ROSE--TOLD REPORTERS THEY "CANT UNDERSTAND" THE PRESIDENT'S DECISION.

REP. HINSHAW (R-CALIF) SAID HE DID NOT CONSIDER THE PRESIDENT'S STATEMENT AT HIS NEWS CONFERENCE "THE FINAL ANSWER."

HINSHAW SAID IN AN INTERVIEW THE PRESIDENT IS WRONGLY CONVINCED THAT ATTEMPTS TO HAVE THE SHUT-DOWN ORDER COUNTERMANDED ARE THE RESULT OF "PRESSURE GROUPS" IN CALIFORNIA.

"HE KNOWS, FOR INSTANCE, THAT THE CITIZENS COMMITTEE WHICH RAISED THE MONEY TO SEND THREE PARAPLEGICS HERE LAST WEEK HAS ITS OFFICE IN THE VAN NUYS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BUILDING," HINSHAW SAID. "SO HE ASSOCIATES THE COMMITTEE WITH THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, NOT REALIZING THEY HAVE NO CONNECTION WHATEVER. THE COMMITTEE IS EXACTLY WHAT IT SAYS IT IS -- A COMMITTEE OF VAN NUYS CITIZENS."

"MEANWHILE, A VETERANS ADMINISTRATION SPOKESMAN SAID TRANSFER OF 1,200 PATIENTS FROM THE VAN NUYS HOSPITAL TO LONG BEACH NAVY HOSPITAL "CAN BE DONE IN ONE DAY," BUT PROBABLY WILL BE DONE IN TWO DAYS, JUNE 1 AND 2.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID THERE IS "NO CHANCE" THAT ANY OUT-PATIENT FACILITIES FOR PARAPLEGIC (PARALYZED) PATIENTS WILL BE LEFT AT VAN NUYS.

THIS WAS CONTRARY TO A STATEMENT YESTERDAY BY CHARLES W.SHELLEY OF LOS ANGELES, WHO SAID HE WAS "CERTAIN" OUT-PATIENT FACILITIES WOULD BE RETAINED.

CHAIRMAN RANKIN (D-MISS) OF THE HOUSE VETERANS COMMITTEE SAID TODAY HE WOULD NOT CONSIDER A HEARING BEFORE HIS COMMITTEE FOR THE THREE VAN NUYS VETERANS, WHO HAD ASKED FOR A CHANCE TO AIR THEIR OBJECTIONS TO THE SHUT-DOWN.

"I HAVE NO INTENTION OF HOLDING A SPECIAL HEARING," RANKIN SAID. "THE ONLY PERSON IN WASHINGTON WHO CAN DO ANYTHING ABOUT THIS IS THE PRESIDENT. FROM WHAT HE SAID THIS MORNING IT LOOKS LIKE HE WON'T DO A THING."

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B33WX Q

(250) NIGHT LEAD FINANCE CENTER

WASHINGTON, MAY 25-(AP)-THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICES SUBCOMMITTEE WHICH WANTS TO QUESTION MRS. SALLY DEWEY ABOUT OPERATIONS OF THE ARMY FINANCE CENTER AT ST.LOUIS MADE PROGRESS TODAY IN ITS MOVE TO FORCE HER APPEARANCE AS A WITNESS.

THE HOUSE RULES COMMITTEE APPROVED A REQUEST FOR A SUBPOENA. IT WILL BE ISSUED IF APPROVED LATER BY THE HOUSE ITSELF.

MRS. DEWEY, A FORMER EMPLOYE OF THE CENTER, SET OFF A SERIES OF INVESTIGATIONS BEGINNING TWO YEARS AGO BY REPORTING TO A COUNTER-INTELLIGENCE OFFICER THAT SHE SAW ANOTHER WOMAN EMPLOYE GATHER UP SOME 800 UNCLAIMED ALLOTMENT CHECKS MADE OUT TO THE DEPENDENTS OF SERVICE-MEN AND START OUT OF THE BUILDING WITH THEM.

GATE GUARDS SAID THEY SAW THE WOMAN EMERGE, THEN TURN BACK AND RE-ENTER THE BUILDING. MRS. DEWEY SAID THE WOMAN PUT THE CHECKS IN THE DESK OF ANOTHER EMPLOYE. INVESTIGATORS FOR THE GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE HAVE TESTIFIED THEY NEVER HAVE BEEN ABLE TO LEARN WHETHER AN ACTUAL ATTEMPT WAS MADE TO TAKE AWAY THE CHECKS.

OTHER CHARGES CONCEGNING THE CENTER INVOLVE ALLEGED MALADMINISTRATION AND COMMUNIST INFILTRATION. THE ARMY SAID THAT MRS. DEWEY MADE A TOTAL OF 112 ALLEGATIONS ABOUT THE CENTER, WHICH HANDLES ALLOTMENTS AND BENEFIT CHECKS FOR ARMY AND AIR FORCE PERSONNEL.

MRS. DEWEY REJECTED AN INVITATION TO APPEAR BEFORE THE SUBCOMMITTEE VOLUNTARILY. SHE SAID SHE ALREADY HAD TOLD EVERYTHING TO A HOUSE CIVIL SERVICE SUBCOMMITTEE AND OTHER INQUIRY GROUPS WHICH CARRIED ON INDEPENDENT INVESTIGATIONS.

THE MILITARY AFFAIRS SUBCOMMITTEE, HEADED BY REP. KILDAY (D-TEX), MEANWHILE IS CHECKING A REPORT THAT A COUNTER-INTELLIGENCE REPORT ON THE CASE OF THE 800 CHECKS IS MISSING.

THE REPORT WAS SAID TO HAVE BEEN ADDRESSED TO WASHINGTON, BUT NOTHING MORE WAS EVER HEARD OF IT.

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A31WX

(750) AMS BUDGET

NIGHT LEAD FOREIGN AID

BY MORGAN REYNOLDS

WASHINGTON, MAY 25-(AP)-THE SENATE GAVE THE ADMINISTRATION A VICTORY TODAY BY APPROVING THE $3,120,550,000 FOREIGN AID BILL WHICH HAS BEEN SNAGGED BY A REPUBLICAN FIGHT OVER PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S "POINT FOUR" PROGRAM.

BY A 47 TO 27 ROLL CALL TALLY IT PASSED AND SENT TO THE WHITE HOUSE THE SINGLE PACKAGE MEASURE AUTHORIZING ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE TO NON-COMMUNIST COUNTRIES THROUGHOUT THE WORLD. THE HOUSE APPROVED THE COMPROMISE BILL TUESDAY.

ALTHOUGH IT CONTAINED $260,000,000 LESS THAN THE ADMINISTRATION HAD REQUESTED THE BILL INCLUDED THE CONTROVERSIAL "POINT FOUR" PROGRAM FOR ECONOMIC HELP TO BACKWARD AREAS OF THE WORLD WHICH GOP SENATORS VAINLY TRIED TO SCRAP.

ON THE SHOWDOWN BALLOT NINE REPUBLICANS JOINED 38 DEMOCRATS IN VOTING TO ACCEPT THE SENATE-HOUSE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE'S REPORT ON

THE GLOBAL AID MEASURE.
ONLY FOUR DEMOCRATS -- SENATORS BYRD (VA) FULBRIGHT (ARK), MCCARRAN (NEV) AND RUSSELL (GA) -- VOTED WITH THE 23 REPUBLICANS AGAINST IT.
AS FINALLY APPROVED THE BILL AUTHORIZES $2,849,100,000 FOR THE EUROPEAN RECOVERY PROGRAM; $100,000,000 FOR KOREA; $94,000,000 FOR USE IN THE CHINA AREA; $35,000,000 FOR THE "POINT FOUR" PROGRAM: $27,450,000 FOR PALESTINE REFUGEE AID; AND $15,000,000 FOR THE INTERNATIONAL CHILDREN'S EMERGENCY FUND.
THE ACTUAL MONEY, HOWEVER, MUST BE PROVIDED IN SEPARATE LEGISLATION.
ON THAT POINT MARSHALL PLAN CHIEF PAUL HOFFMAN REPORTED TODAY THAT HE HAS $127,900,000 MORE LEFT OVER FROM THIS YEAR'S APPROPRIATION THAN HE HAD ORIGINALLY FIGURED. THIS EXTRA SUM IS TO BE INCLUDED IN THE ECA ALLOTMENT FOR THE NEXT FISCAL YEAR STARTING JULY 1.
HOFFMAN TOLD THE SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE ABOUT THIS SAVING AS THE SENATE WAS WINDING UP DEBATE ON THE BIG FOREIGN AID BILL.
REPUBLICANS, LED BY SENATOR MILLIKIN OF COLORADO, MADE A LAST DITCH STAND AGAINST THE $35,000,000 ITEM TO START THE "POINT FOUR" PROGRAM.
MILLIKIN SAID THIS PROGRAM COULD LEAD TO "FANTASTIC AMERICAN IMPERIALISM" AND "GIVE A DEADLY WEAPON TO OUR ENEMIES."
HE NOTED THAT IN THE ORIGINAL VERSION APPROVED EARLIER BY THE SENATE THERE WAS A FIVE-YEAR LIMIT ON THE POINT FOUR PLAN, BUT HE POINTED OUT THIS HAD BEEN ELIMINATED BY THE SENATE-HOUSE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE WHICH WORKED OUT DIFFERENCES IN THE VARYING BILLS PASSED BY THE TWO CHAMBERS.
"HOW MANY TIMES ARE WE GOING TO STUMBLE-BUM OURSELVES INTO TRAGEDY BY THE LOOSE USE OF WORD?" HE ASKED.
MILLIKIN WENT ON TO CONTEND THAT THE POINT FOUR PROGRAM WOULD GIVE THE PRESIDENT ")8.85)3'' 09234 2&8:£ 23 28)) ,3;34 ?3 -?)3 59 &35 ?-:(" AND WOULD OPEN UP TREMENDOUS "PATRONAGE POSSIBILITIES."
CHAIRMAN CONNALLY (D-TEX) OF THE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE, RESP

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THE PRESIDENT "LIMITLESS POWER WHICH WE WILL NEVER BE ABLE TO GET BACK" AND WOULD OPEN UP TREMENDOUS "PATRONAGE POSSIBILITIES."
CHAIRMAN CONNALLY (D-TEX) OF THE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE, RESPONDING TO MILLIKIN'S CHARGES, DECLARED THE COMPROMISE SECTION PROVIDED STRICT LIMITATIONS ON THE EXTENT OF THE PROGRAM.
"AND YET," SAID CONNALLY EXTENDING HIS ARMS, "THE SENATOR FROM COLORADO CONTENDS THIS IS SUCH A TREMENDOUS GRANT OF POWER."
"I MADE IT BIGGER THAN THAT," MILLIKIN SMILINGLY REPLIED.
SENATOR JENNER (R-IND) EARLIER HAD LABELED THE POINT FOUR PROPOSAL 'PART OF THE COMMUNIST PLAN TO FORCE THE WESTERN WORLD TO DESTROY ITSELF AND TO FORCE AMERICA TO SPEND ITSELF INTO BANKRUPTCY."
HE AND SENATOR TAFT (R-OHIO) HAVE CONTENDED THAT THE $35,000,000 ALLOTMENT WOULD BE JUST THE BEGINNING OF AN EVER-INCREASING OUTLAY OF AMERICAN DOLLARS ON FOREIGN AID AFTER THE SCHEDULED CLOSE OF THE EUROPEAN RECOVERY PROGRAM IN 1952.
REPUBLICAN LEADERS SAID IN ADVANCE OF THE SHOWDOWN VOTE THAT IF THEY FAILED TO SCRAP THE POINT FOUR SECTION THEY WOULD MAKE A NEW ATTEMPT WHEN THE ACTUAL MONEY BILL IS BROUGHT UP.
THE "AUTHORIZATION" BILL DOES NOT CARRY ANY ACTUAL FUNDS; AN APPROPRIATION BILL MUST BE VOTED ON LATER.
HOFFMAN'S APPEARANCE BEFORE THE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE MARKED THE OPENING HEARINGS ON THE MONEY MEASURE.
HE TOLD THE GROUP THAT ORIGINALLY HE HAD FIGURED THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION WOULD HAVE $149,100,000 LEFT OVER FROM LAST YEAR'S APPROPRIATION. BUT HE SAID A LATER CHECK-UP REVEALED THAT THE SAVINGS WOULD AMOUNT TO $277,000,000.
HOFFMAN ALSO REPORTED THAT THE $687,000,000 ALLOTMENT FOR GREAT BRITAIN MAY BE SLASHED $129,000,000 BECAUSE OF THE "GREATER THAN EXPECTED" IMPROVEMENT IN THAT COUNTRY'S FINANCIAL POSITION SINCE IT DEVALUED THE POUND.
A $36,000,000 CUT ALSO CAN BE MADE, HE SAID, IN WHEAT PURCHASES FOR WESTERN GERMANY AS A RESULT OF LOWERED COSTS UNDER THE INTERNATIONAL WHEAT AGREEMENT.
HOFFMAN INDICATED, HOWEVER, THAT THESE REDUCTIONS PROBABLY WOULD BE OFFSET BY INCREASED GRANTS TO OTHER MARSHALL PLAN COUNTRIES.
BUT IN ANY EVENT HE SAID HE WOULD NEED ABOUT $42,000,000 LESS CASH TO RUN THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION THE NEXT TWELVE MONTHS.
HOFFMAN ALSO FORECAST THAT THE FOUR YEAR MARSHALL PLAN PROGRAM CAN BE COMPLETED AT A TOTAL OUTLAY OF A LITTLE OVER $15,000,000,000 -- WHICH IS ABOUT $2,000,000,000 LESS THAN ORIGINAL ESTIMATES.
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A45WX
(450) PMS BUDGET

CIVIL DEFENSE

BY DOUGLAS B.CORNELL

WASHINGTON,MAY 25-(AP)-GOVERNMENT EXPERTS FIGURE IT WILL TAKE TWO YEARS BEFORE STATES AND CITIES GET AROUND TO SETTING UP A PERMANENT NATIONWIDE CIVIL DEFENSE PROGRAM.
THE CIVILIAN DEFENSE OFFICE IN THE NATIONAL SECURITY RESOURCES BOARD (NSRB) SAYS IT WILL HAVE A PLAN FOR A PERMANENT PROGRAM READY FOR STATES AND COMMUNITIES IN SEPTEMBER. A PERMANENT PLAN DOESN'T MEAN PERFECT PROTECTION--ONLY THE BEST THAT SEEMS POSSIBLE.
GETTING THE PLANS IN OPERATION IS SOMETHING ELSE. THAT IS WHY A TEMPORARY, EMERGENCY PLAN ALSO IS BEING DEVELOPED TO GIVE CITIES AN IDEA OF HOW THEY COULD USE THEIR PRESENT EQUIPMENT AND MANPOWER IN CASE OF AN IMMEDIATE ATTACK.
SO FAR ONLY 20 STATES HAVE PASSED CIVIL DEFENSE OR DISASTER PREPAREDNESS LAWS. PLANS FOR DEALING WITH DISASTERS HAVE BEEN DEVELOPED BY ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION IN SEVEN OTHER STATES.
THAT LEAVES 21 WITHOUT LAWS. WHAT THE COUNT IS ON CITIES NOBODY KNOWS.
THREE STATES, FLORIDA, IDAHO AND KANSAS, HAVEN'T EVEN NAMED ANYONE TO LOOK INTO CIVIL DEFENSE PROBLEMS. SOUTH DAKOTA HAS AUTHORIZED APPOINTMENT OF A DIRECTOR BUT HASN'T FILLED THE JOB.
IN THE OTHER 44 STATES, 26 GOVERNORS HAVE PICKED THEIR ADJUTANT GENERALS TO HANDLE CIVIL DEFENSE AND 18 HAVE APPOINTED CIVILIAN DIRECTORS.
NSRB IS WORKING NOW ON SUGGESTED MODELS FOR CIVIL DEFENSE LAWS FOR THE STATES AND ORDINANCES FOR THE CITIES. IT HOPES TO SEND THEM AROUND WITHIN A FEW WEEKS IN HOPES LEGISLATURES AND CITY COUNCILS WILL PROVIDE SOME ACTION AND MONEY BEFORE ANOTHER SUMMER COMES AROUND.
MANY LEGISLATURES WILL BE MEETING NEXT SPRING, NSRB OFFICIALS SAY,

AND THAT IS WHEN THEY HOPE FOR SOME REAL RESULTS.

WHAT THEY ARE PROPOSING IS THAT A STATE PASS A LAW SETTING UP A CIVIL DEFENSE COUNCIL, AUTHORIZING FORMAL APPOINTMENT OF A DIRECTOR, AND EMPOWERING THE GOVERNOR AND THE DIRECTOR TO GO INTO ACTION AND MOBILIZE HELP IN EVENT OF DISASTER.

FURTHERMORE, NSRB SAYS THE GOVERNOR AND HIS BUDGET CHIEF SHOULD BE THINKING ABOUT PUTTING INTO THE BUDGET FOR NEXT YEAR AN APPROPRIATION TO FINANCE THE COUNCIL AND PAY THE SALARIES OF THE DIRECTOR AND HIS STAFF.

THEN, THE FEDERAL PLANNERS ARE URGING, THE GOVERNOR OR THE CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR SHOULD PROD THEIR CITIES TO DUPLICATE THE STATE SYSTEM ON A COMMUNITY SCALE, WITH LOCAL COUNCILS AND DIRECTORS AND LOCAL APPROPRIATIONS.

THEY SAY THE LAWS AND ORDINANCES OUGHT TO BE SO WORDED THAT THE STATES AND CITIES CAN GET BUSY ON THE NATIONAL CIVIL DEFENSE PLAN WITHOUT ANY DELAY.

UNTIL THEY DO, THE EMERGENCY PLAN WILL BE AVAILABLE--STARTING THIS SUMMER. IT IS BEING WORKED OUT ON THE BASIS OF SOMETHING LIKE WAR GAMES IN WASHINGTON, CHICAGO AND SEATTLE.

THESE CITIES ARE GOING TO ASSUME THEY HAVE BEEN ATOM BOMBED AND FIGURE OUT WHAT THEY WOULD DO, BEFORE AND AFTER THE ATTACK, WITH THE PEOPLE AND EQUIPMENT THEY WOULD HAVE AVAILABLE AT THE MOMENT.

WHAT IS LEARNED IN THE THREE-CITY PROJECT WILL BE PASSED ALONG TO OTHER CITIES FOR THEIR GUIDANCE.

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(250) WORLD FEDERATION

WASHINGTON, MAY 25-(AP)-THE REV.GERALD L.K.SMITH, DIRECTOR OF THE CHRISTIAN NATIONALIST CRUSADE, FOUND A SENATE COMMITTEE UNINTERESTED TODAY WHEN HE OFFERED TO IDENTIFY A NUMBER OF PROMINENT CITIZENS AS "NOTORIOUS MARXISTS AND PRO-MARXISTS."

SMITH SOUGHT TO PLACE THEIR NAMES IN THE RECORD AT A FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE'S HEARING ON RESOLUTIONS CALLING FOR MOVES TOWARD A WORLD GOVERNMENT.

CHAIRMAN ELBERT THOMAS (D-UTAH) WOULD NOT ACCEPT THEM. HE HELD THE IDENTIFICATIONS WOULD BE A VIOLATION OF COMMITTEE RULES.

SMITH QUOTED A UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO PROFESSOR AS SAYING "WE MUST HAUL DOWN THE AMERICAN FLAG . . . HAUL IT DOWN, STAMP ON IT AND SPIT ON IT."

BUT THOMAS STOPPED HIM FROM CALLING THE PROFESSOR'S NAME.

"I CAN'T BELIEVE ANY AMERICAN COULD MAKE SUCH A STATEMENT," THOMAS SAID.

SMITH ACCEPTED THE RULINGS WITHOUT ARGUMENT. "I'M NOT IN A MOOD TO BE AGITATED IN ANY WAY," HE SAID.

SMITH OPPOSED A RESOLUTION SPONSORED BY 19 SENATORS WHICH WOULD MAKE WORLD GOVERNMENT AN OBJECTIVE OF AMERICAN FOREIGN POLICY. HE SAID: "WE HOLD THAT A WORLD GOVERNMENT WOULD BE STRONGER THAN THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT; THEREFORE, WOULD INVADE, THREATEN, DISSIPATE AND MENACE OUR LIBERTIES AS A FREE PEOPLE."

JOHN B.PUTNAM, VICE CHAIRMAN OF THE WORKERS FOR WORLD SECURITY OF CLEVELAND, O., SUPPORTED THE WORLD FEDERATION MOVE.

"IF THE NATIONS OF THE WORLD HAVE ANYTHING IN COMMON," HE SAID, "IT IS THE FRANTIC DESIRE TO AVOID ATOMIC WORLD WAR III. IF THERE EXISTS THE POSSIBILITY OF THEIR UNITING TO PREVENT SUCH A WAR, THE ONE CHANCE OF THEIR DOING SO IS THROUGH A MINIMUM WORLD GOVERNMENT X X X."

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WASHINGTON, MAY 25-(AP)-THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION TODAY CREATED A SPECIAL MISSION TO COMMUNIST-THREATENED SOUTHEAST ASIA TO DEVELOP A PROGRAM OF ECONOMIC AID FOR INDOCHINA.

WHILE MENTIONING NO FIGURE FOR DOLLAR HELP, ADMINISTRATOR PAUL G. HOFFMAN SAID THE PLANS WILL EMBRACE "INDUSTRIAL REHABILITATION PROJECTS AND OTHER ECONOMIC HELP" IN CAMBODIA, LAOS AND VIETNAM.

THE AMOUNT AND TYPE OF AID ARE STILL UNDER DISCUSSION, HOFFMAN'S ANNOUNCEMENT SAID, BUT ASSISTANCE IN THE FIELDS OF HEALTH AND AGRICULTURE ARE CONSIDERED "OF PRIMARY IMPORTANCE."

HOFFMAN ANNOUNCED THE APPOINTMENT OF ROBERT BLUM AS CHIEF OF MISSION. HE WILL SET UP HIS HEADQUARTERS AT SAIGON, THE CAPITAL OF VIETNAM, LARGEST OF THE THREE COUNTRIES WHICH FORMERLY MADE UP INDOCHINA.

BLUM, 39, HAS BEEN CHIEF OF THE OVERSEAS TERRITORIES DIVISION OF ECA'S MISSION TO FRANCE. HE PREVIOUSLY WAS ASSISTANT TO THE LATE JAMES V. FORRESTAL, SECRETARY OF DEFENSE.

BLUM'S UNIT AT SAIGON WAS DESIGNATED AS A "SPECIAL TECHNICAL AND ECONOMIC MISSION" AND WAS DIRECTED TO WORK OUT ITS PLANS FOR ECONOMIC AID IN CONSULTATION WITH LOCAL AUTHORITIES.

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WASHINGTON, MAY 25-(AP)-THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION TODAY APPROVED AN $8,432,000 PROJECT TO HELP THE FIAT COMPANY, ITALY'S LEADING AUTOMOBILE MANUFACTURER, TO INCREASE ITS OUTPUT BY MORE THAN 25 PER CENT THIS YEAR.

THE MARSHALL PLAN AGENCY ANNOUNCED IT WILL SUPPLY THE FUNDS TO FINANCE MACHINE TOOL PURCHASES FROM AMERICAN FIRMS. THIS IS SUPPLEMENTAL TO AN EARLIER $14,620,000 GRANT FOR PLANT MODERNIZATION.

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(360) NIGHT LEAD DULLES

BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON, MAY 25-(AP)-JOHN FOSTER DULLES IS EXPECTED TO MAKE A COMPREHENSIVE REVIEW OF UNITED STATES POLICIES TOWARD JAPAN, INCLUDING THE THORNY PEACE TREATY PROBLEM DURING HIS TRIP TO THE FAR EAST NEXT MONTH.

THE REPUBLICAN FOREIGN POLICY ADVISER IS DUE TO REACH JAPAN ABOUT THE SAME TIME AS DEFENSE SECRETARY LOUIS JOHNSON AND GEN.OMAR BRADLEY, CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF, WHO WILL START ON THEIR PACIFIC DEFENSE TOUR JUNE 11.

DETAILED PLANS FOR DULLES' TRIP ARE STILL BEING WORKED OUT, BUT RESPONSIBLE OFFICIALS SAID TONIGHT HE ALSO CAN BE EXPECTED TO LOOK INTO THESE OTHER MATTERS VITAL TO AMERICAN INTERESTS IN THAT PART OF THE WORLD:

1. JAPAN'S ECONOMIC FUTURE, PARTICULARLY THE AVAILABILITY OF MARKETS FOR JAPANESE PRODUCTION. PREVAILING OPINION IN OFFICIAL WASHINGTON IS THAT JAPAN'S ECONOMY MUST BE GEARED TO PROCESS THE RAW MATERIALS OF SOUTHEAST ASIA AND SUPPLY FINISHED PRODUCTS FOR THE MARKETS THERE.

2. JAPAN'S POLITICAL SITUATION, PARTICULARLY THE STRENGTH OF THE COMMUNIST MOVEMENT AND THE EFFECTS ON IT OF THE COMMUNIZATION OF

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CHINA.
3. AMERICAN SECURITY IN THE WESTERN PACIFIC IN RELATION TO THE PROBLEM OF MAKING A JAPANESE PEACE TREATY, POSSIBLY IN THE NEXT YEAR OR SO, AND THEREBY RELIEVING AMERICAN TROOPS OF THEIR OCCUPATION DUTY.
4. THE SITUATION IN SOUTH KOREA WHERE THE UNITED STATES IS PROVIDING ECONOMIC AID AND SUPPORTING IN OTHER WAYS A NON-COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT WHICH IS UNDER CONSTANT PRESSURE FROM THE SOVIET-SUPPORTED RED REGIME IN NORTH KOREA.
THE FORMER NEW YORK SENATOR WHO JOINED SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON'S TOP LEVEL POLICY STAFF LAST MONTH WILL VISIT KOREA AS WELL AS JAPAN AND WILL BE GONE FROM WASHINGTON FOR SEVERAL WEEKS.
INFORMANTS SAY THAT THE JAPANESE PEACE TREATY WILL BE THE MOST IMPORTANT TOPIC JOHNSON AND BRADLEY WILL TAKE UP WITH GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR WHEN THEY ARRIVE IN TOKYO NEXT MONTH.
THE STATE AND DEFENSE DEPARTMENTS ARE SPLIT ON THIS QUESTION, WITH THE MILITARY LEADERS OPPOSING A PEACE TREATY AT THIS TIME.
THE TWO DEPARTMENTS ARE IN AGREEMENT, HOWEVER, THAT WITH OR WITHOUT A TREATY AMERICAN TROOPS WILL HAVE TO REMAIN IN JAPAN FOR AN INDEFINITE PERIOD IN ORDER TO DEFEND THAT COUNTRY AND THE WESTERN PACIFIC GENERALLY AGAINST THE THREAT OF COMMUNIST FORCES IN ASIA.
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WASHINGTON, MAY 25-(AP)-THE ANGLO-AMERICAN COTTON TEXTILE DELEGATION TO JAPAN SAID TODAY JAPANESE PARTICIPATION IN THE INTERNATIONAL COTTON TEXTILE TRADE CREATES COMPLICATED PROBLEMS FOR WHICH IT HAS NO SUGGESTED SOLUTIONS AT THIS TIME.
IN A REPORT TO THE ANGLO-AMERICAN COTTON TEXTILE INDUSTRY JOINT COMMITTEE ON JAPAN, THE DELEGATION SAID IT RECOGNIZED "PROBLEMS SURROUNDING THE PARTICIPATION OF JAPAN IN INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN COTTON TEXTILES" ARE "EXTREMELY COMPLICATED."
IT CONTINUED IT DOES NOT INTEND "AT THIS MOMENT TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR SPECIFIC ACTION BY THE U.S.A. OR U.K. (UNITED KINGDOM) COTTON TEXTILE INDUSTRIES OR BY GOVERNMENTS, ANY FUTURE POSSIBLE ACTION BEING DEPENDENT UPON THE WAY THE SITUATION DEVELOPS."
THE DELEGATION DID NOT EXPLAIN WHAT IT MEANT BY "COMPLICATED" PROBLEMS, OR WHAT ACTION THE ANGLO-AMERICAN COMMITTEE MIGHT UNDERTAKE IN THE FUTURE TO MEET THEM.
THE DELEGATION WENT TO JAPAN MAY 2 AND RETURNED YESTERDAY AFTER CONFERENCES WITH OFFICIALS OF THE JAPANESE COTTON TEXTILE INDUSTRY AND THE OCCUPATION AUTHORITY IN JAPAN.
THE DELEGATION SAID ITS FULL REPORT WILL BE COMPLETED IN A FEW DAYS AND DISTRIBUTED TO THE AMERICAN INDUSTRY BY THE TEXTILE INDUSTRY COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN TRADE AND IN GREAT BRITAIN BY THE BRITISH COTTON BOARD.
THE DELEGATION SAID THE JAPANESE INDUSTRY HOPES TO PRODUCE MORE THAN 1,360,000,000(B) SQUARE YARDS OF TEXTILES AND 480,000,000(M) POUNDS OF COTTON YARN THIS YEAR.
THE JAPANESE WOULD LIKE TO EXCEED THESE TOTALS, WHICH WERE AUTHORIZED BY THE OCCUPATION AUTHORITIES, THE TEXTILE DELEGATION SAID, BUT IT ADDED, THE JAPANESE SAID EXPANSION BEYOND THESE FIGURES "WOULD COMPEL BUILDING NEW PREMISES."
THE DELEGATION SAID SUCH EXPANSION WOULD BE SLOW BECAUSE "MACHINERY MANUFACTURERS ARE UNDER PRESSURE TO EXPORT THE BULK OF THEIR OUTPUT IN ORDER TO OBTAIN BADLY NEEDED EXCHANGE (AMERICAN DOLLARS)."
THE DELEGATION EMPHASIZED THAT THE TRIP TO JAPAN WAS TO GATHER INFORMATION "ABOUT THE PRESENT STATUS AND PLANS FOR THE FUTURE OF THE JAPANESE COTTON TEXTILE INDUSTRY." IT SAID "THE SUCCESS ACHIEVED IN REALIZING THESE OBJECTIVES WAS BEYOND EXPECTATIONS."
THE DELEGATION SAID "PRESENT METHODS OF SELLING JAPANESE GOODS WOULD HAVE TO BE IMPROVED," BUT DID NOT EXPLAIN HOW.
THE DELEGATION MADE THESE OBSERVATIONS REGARDING JAPANESE PRICE POLICIES IN SELLING THEIR TEXTILES:
"THE SALE IN FOREIGN MARKETS OF COTTON GOODS AT UNNECESSARILY LOW PRICES SERIOUSLY DIMINISHES THE RETURN WHICH SUCH EXPORTS COULD AND SHOULD MAKE TO THE NATIONAL ECONOMY OF JAPAN.
"SUCH SALES COULD CREATE AN UNSYMPATHETIC ATTITUDE TOWARDS JAPANESE PARTICIPATION IN WORLD TRADE WITH POSSIBLE REPERCUSSIONS.
"THE MAXIMUM BENEFIT SHOULD ACCRUE TO THE JAPANESE ECONOMY ON THE PRINCIPLE OF MAXIMIZING THE FOREIGN EXCHANGE RETURNS FROM EXPORT SALES."
THE AMERICAN GROUP IN THE DELEGATION WAS HEADED BY ROBERT C.JACKSON, EXECUTIVE VICE-PRESIDENT, AMERICAN COTTON MANUFACTURERS INSTITUTE, INC., CHARLOTTE, N.C. THE BRITISH GROUP WAS HEADED BY SIR E.RAYMOND STREAT OF THE BRITISH COTTON BOARD.
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CHICAGO,MAY 25-(AP)-"EIGHTY PER CENT OF THE PEOPLE LIVING IN EASTERN GERMANY FLATLY REJECT COMMUNISM" AND THE MOVEMENT IS A FAILURE IN WESTERN GERMANY, THE MAYOR OF BREMEN SAID TODAY.
WILHELM KAISEN, THE MAYOR, WHO ALSO IS PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF BREMEN, AND HIS SECRETARY AND INTERPRETER, DR.KARL CRASTENS ARE VISITING UNITED STATES CITIES UPON THE INVITATION OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT.
KAISEN SAID THE PURPOSE OF HIS VISIT IS TO SEEK "BETTER TRADE CONDITIONS, SO THAT WE CAN BE SELF-SUSTAINING." HE SAID ALSO HE IS HERE TO TALK SHIPPING AND SHIP-BUILDING PROBLEMS WITH STATE DEPARTMENT AND OTHER OFFICIALS.
AT A NEWS CONFERENCE KAISEN WAS ASKED HOW THE PEOPLE IN WESTERN GERMANY REACT TOWARD PROMISES MADE BY THE COMMUNISTS. HE REPLIED:
"THEY ARE FLATLY REJECTED. THE COMMUNIST MOVEMENT IN WESTERN GERMANY NEVER WAS AS WEAK AS IT IS TODAY. THE REASONS FOR THAT ARE WHAT HAS HAPPENED TO OUR PRISONERS OF WAR IN RUSSIA AND, OF COURSE, WHAT IS HAPPENING IN EASTERN GERMANY TODAY."
ASKED WHETHER THE MASSING OF COMMUNIST YOUTH IN BERLIN'S SOVIET SECTOR THIS WEEKEND MIGHT TOUCH OFF A RUSSIAN SPARK AGAINST WESTERN GERMANY, KAISEN ANSWERED, "THE RUSSIANS WILL NOT MAKE A MOVE."
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LOS ANGELES, MAY 25-(AP)-ENROUTE TO HIS NEW YORK HOME FROM A SEVEN MONTHS WORLD TOUR, GERARD SWOPE, CHAIRMAN OF THE AMERICAN BRANCH OF THE INSTITUTE OF PACIFIC RELATIONS, TOLD REPORTERS TODAY HE DOUBTS THERE IS A "COMMUNIST CELL" IN THE INSTITUTE, AS CHARGED BY LOUIS BUDENZ, FORMER EDITOR OF THE DAILY WORKER.

SWOPE, FORMER PRESIDENT OF THE GENERAL ELECTRIC CO., ALSO SAID HE BELIEVES MANY OF THE CHARGES OF SENATOR MCCARTHY "APPEAR TO BE UNFOUNDED."

"WHEN YOU CONSIDER THE RECORD OF THE INSTITUTE OF PACIFIC RELATIONS AND THE HIGH CALIBER OF MANY OF ITS MEMBERS, IT IS EXTREMELY DOUBTFUL THAT THERE IS ANY COMMUNIST CELL, SO CALLED, IN IT," HE SAID.

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(350) NIGHT LEAD LEE

WASHINGTON, MAY 25-(AP)-THE SENATE COMMERCE COMMITTEE REPORTEDLY RECOMMENDED TO SECRETARY OF COMMERCE SAWYER TODAY THAT HE FIRE MICHAEL J.LEE, CHIEF OF THE DEPARTMENT'S FAR EASTERN BRANCH.

THE COMMITTEE WITHHELD ACTION ON A RESOLUTION CALLING FOR AN INVESTIGATION OF LEE'S LOYALTY UNTIL SAWYER COULD TAKE A FRESH LOOK AT THE CASE.

SAWYER, WHO MET WITH THE COMMITTEE BEHIND CLOSED DOORS, WAS SAID TO HAVE PROMISED TO START HIS OWN INVESTIGATION IMMEDIATELY AND REPORT BACK PROMPTLY.

ONE COMMITTEE MEMBER, WHO ASKED NOT TO BE IDENTIFIED BY NAME, TOLD REPORTERS OF THE COMMITTEE'S RECOMMENDATION. HE SAID HE WAS CONFIDENT THAT THE COMMITTEE WOULD ORDER THE INVESTIGATION IF LEE WAS PERMITTED TO REMAIN IN THE DEPARTMENT.

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ANOTHER MEMBER, WHO ALSO ASKED ANONYMITY SAID HE FAVORED GOING INTO THE WHOLE LEE MATTER IRREGARDLESS OF WHETHER HE WAS FIRED OR NOT. HE SAID HE WANTED TO KNOW WHO WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR HIS BEING IN THE DEPARTMENT.

LEE WAS NOT AVAILABLE IMMEDIATELY FOR COMMENT.

SENATOR MALONE (R-NEV) ORIGINALLY CALLED FOR THE INVESTIGATION OF LEE IN A RESOLUTION WHICH A SENATE COMMERCE SUBCOMMITTEE NOW IS CONSIDERING. MALONE HAS CALLED LEE A POOR SECURITY RISK.

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(280) LEE

WASHINGTON,MAY 25-(AP)-A SENATE COMMERCE SUBCOMMITTEE WAS REPORTED READY TODAY TO RECOMMEND A FORMAL LOYALTY INVESTIGATION OF A COMMERCE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL.

THE OFFICIAL IS MICHAEL J.LEE, CHIEF OF THE FAR EASTERN BRANCH OF THE DEPARTMENT'S OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE. THE INVESTIGATION, IF UNDERTAKEN, WOULD BE MADE BY THE FULL COMMITTEE HEADED BY SENATOR EDWIN C.JOHNSON (D-COLO).

THE SUBCOMMITTEE, HEADED BY SENATOR HUNT (D-WYO), ALREADY HAS MADE PRELIMINARY INQUIRIES ABOUT LEE IN CONNECTION WITH A RESOLUTION INTRODUCED BY SENATOR MALONE (R-NEV). MALONE HAS CALLED LEE A POOR SECURITY RISK AND DEMANDED HIS OUSTER.

THE RESERVATION WOULD DIRECT THE COMMERCE COMMITTEE TO INVESTIGATE LOYALTY IN THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT, AND LEE'S LOYALTY IN PARTICULAR.

JOHNSON WOULD NOT COMMENT ON REPORTS THAT SECRETARY OF COMMERCE SAWYER WOULD BE CALLED TO TESTIFY TODAY (2 P.M. EST). THE COMMITTEE HAS NO MEETING SCHEDULED, BUT JOHNSON TOLD REPORTERS EARLIER THAT A SPECIAL MEETING MIGHT BE CALLED TO CONSIDER THE SUBCOMMITTEE'S REPORT.

SENATOR BRICKER (R-OHIO), A SUBCOMMITTEE MEMBER, SAID IN A SEPARATE INTERVIEW THAT SAWYER HAS TAKEN THE POSITION THAT LEE IS NOT A POOR SECURITY RISK AND "IN LIGHT OF THE FACTS WE WANT TO ASK HIM WHY AND HOW."

CORNELIUS VANDERBILT WHITNEY, FORMER UNDERSECRETARY OF COMMERCE, TESTIFIED TO THE SUBCOMMITTEE THAT SAWYER, AFTER A LOYALTY CHECK OF LEE LAST SUMMER, "DECIDED THAT NO SECURITY RESTRICTIONS SHOULD BE IMPOSED ON MR.LEE."

WHITNEY ADDED THAT SAWYER "AGAIN REVIEWED THE MATTER IN FEBRUARY OF THIS YEAR AND FOUND NO REASON TO REVERSE HIS EARLIER DECISION."

ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF COMMERCE THOMAS C.BLAISDELL,JR., EARLIER HAD DISCLOSED THAT THE DEPARTMENT'S LOYALTY BOARD HAD RECOMMENDED LAST JULY 25 THAT "CAREFUL STUDY BE GIVEN BY PROPER OFFICERS OF THE DEPARTMENT TO MR.LEE'S FITNESS FOR HOLDING A SENSITIVE POSITION IN WHICH HE WOULD HAVE ACCESS TO CLASSIFIED MATERIAL."

WHITNEY TESTIFIED THAT HE WOULD NOT PUT LEE "IN A POSITION WHERE HE MIGHT GOSSIP."

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EUROPEAN ECONOMIC (500)

(ADVANCE) GENEVA,SWITZERLAND,MAY 25-(AP)-UNITED NATIONS ECONOMISTS ESTIMATE EUROPE'S INDUSTRIAL OUTPUT, IF PROPERLY MANAGED, MAY INCREASE 90 PER CENT IN THE NEXT 10 YEARS.

THEY WARN, HOWEVER, THAT EUROPEAN BUYING FROM THE UNITED STATES WOULD HAVE TO BE CUT IN HALF IF AMERICAN MARSHALL PLAN AID STOPS. EUROPE, THEY REPORT, IS "MORE THAN EVER DEPENDENT" ON AMERICAN FINANCIAL AID TO COVER ITS PAYMENT DEFICITS.

THESE VIEWS WERE PRESENTED IN A 100,000-WORD STUDY MADE PUBLIC

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TONIGHT BY THE RESEARCH AND PLANNING EXPERTS OF THE ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR EUROPE. THEY WILL BE DEBATED AT A COMMISSION SESSION OPENING HERE MAY 31.

THE SURVEY DEALT AT LENGTH WITH SUCH OBSTACLES AS THE DOLLAR SHORTAGE, POSSIBLE EMPLOYMENT FLUCTUATIONS, EAST-WEST TRADE STALEMATES AND READJUSTMENT OF WEST GERMAN ECONOMY, BUT EXPRESSED CONFIDENCE IMPROVEMENT IS POSSIBLE.

ANY GAINS WOULD CONTRAST SHARPLY WITH THE GENERAL STAGNATION IN EUROPEAN ECONOMY SINCE THE FIRST WORLD WAR, BUT WOULD BE IN LINE WITH ECONOMIC PROGRESS EXPECTED IN OTHER PARTS OF THE WORLD, THE REPORT SAID.

THE ECONOMISTS FORESEE POSSIBLE GAINS IN ALL PARTS OF EUROPE, BUT THEY LOOK FOR THE MOST SUBSTANTIAL INCREASES IN THE COMMUNIST-CONTROLLED EASTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES WHICH ARE JUST BEGINNING INTENSIVE CAMPAIGNS TO INDUSTRIALIZE.

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THE REPORT SAID IT SHOULD BE POSSIBLE ALSO IN THE COMING DECADE TO RAISE AGRICULTURAL OUTPUT BY 40 TO 50 PER CENT IN EASTERN EUROPE AND BY 20 TO 30 PER CENT IN NORTHERN, WESTERN AND SOUTHERN EUROPE.

THE RATE OF GAIN IN AGRICULTURE, THE REPORT POINTED OUT, IS LARGELY DEPENDENT UPON INCREASED PRODUCTION OF MACHINERY, FERTILIZERS AND OTHER ITEMS THAT MUST BE PROVIDED BY INDUSTRY. ON THE OTHER HAND, IT SAID, EXPANSION OF INDUSTRIAL CAPACITY WOULD BE SUPPORTED BY ANY RISE IN INCOME FROM AGRICULTURE.

"THE DEVELOPMENT OF EUROPE'S RESOURCES OF MANPOWER AND CAPITAL EQUIPMENT WILL NECESSARILY DEPEND ON ECONOMIC POLICY," THE REPORT SAID, ADDING THAT THE CRITICAL POINTS WERE FULL EMPLOYMENT AND CAPITAL FORMATION.

THE SURVEY WARNED THE EASTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES THAT FAILURE TO PROVIDE NOW THE SAVINGS NECESSARY FOR INCREASED INVESTMENT MIGHT RETARD THE RISE OF INCOMES AND THUS SLOW DOWN CAPITAL FORMATION.

THE U.N. ECONOMISTS CONTINUED TO STRESS THE IMPORTANCE OF REVIVING EAST-WEST TRADE AS A NECESSITY FOR HEALTHY EUROPEAN ECONOMY. PARTICULAR EMPHASIS WAS PLACED UPON A NEED FOR MORE TRADE BETWEEN WESTERN GERMANY AND THE EASTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES.

THE U.N. EXPERTS MADE IT CLEAR, HOWEVER, THAT EUROPEAN ECONOMY CANNOT BE ISOLATED FROM THE WORLD MARKET NO MATTER HOW DESIRABLE IT MAY BE TO INCREASE INTER-EUROPEAN TRADE.

"ITS DEPENDENCE ON OVERSEAS SUPPLIES WILL REMAIN SUBSTANTIAL," THE REPORT SAID, "AND WILL TEND TO GROW AS ITS PRODUCTION EXPANDS, PARTICULARLY IF AN INCREASE OF THE ORDER ENVISAGED FOR THE NEXT DECADE IS CARRIED OUT."

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THE SURVEY WAS COMPILED UNDER DIRECTION OF 40-YEAR-OLD HAL B. LARY OF GATESVILLE, TEXAS, FORMER CHIEF OF THE INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC DIVISION OF THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE.

THE ANNUAL SURVEY FOR THE FIRST TIME CONTAINED LITTLE REFERENCE TO THE SITUATION OF COMMUNIST-RULED EASTERN EUROPE, FROM WHERE "ONLY FRAGMENTARY DATA" WAS AVAILABLE.

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HIGHLIGHTS INCLUDED:

CONTINUED RISE IN INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION IN MOST EUROPEAN COUNTRIES, TOGETHER WITH TWO RELATIVELY GOOD CROP YEARS IN SUCCESSION, HAS GREATLY IMPROVED SUPPLY CONDITIONS.

MOST COUNTRIES SPENT MORE NATIONAL INCOME ON DEFENSE IN 1949 THAN THEY DID IN ANY NORMAL PRE-WAR YEAR.

MERCHANT SHIPPING TONNAGES IN EUROPE NOW IS ONLY TEN PERCENT BELOW PRE-WAR.

IT IS STILL TOO EARLY TO JUDGE FULL EFFECTS OF THE DEVALUATION OF EUROPEAN CURRENCIES BY COUNTRIES WHICH ACCOUNT FOR FOUR FIFTHS OF WORLD TRADE OUTSIDE THAT OF THE UNITED STATES.

IN BRITAIN AND CZECHOSLOVAKIA, TOBACCO AND ALCOHOLIC DRINKS ACCOUNTED FOR 15 TO 20 PERCENT OF CONSUMERS' TOTAL SPENDING.

A DECLINE IN BRITISH EXPORTS TO THE UNITED STATES WAS LARGELY CAUSED BY "THE MOST COMPLETE COLLAPSE OF BRITISH MOTOR CAR SALES IN THE UNITED STATES, IN THE FACE OF EXPANDING AMERICAN PRODUCTION AND THE INCREASINGLY COMPETITIVE CONDITIONS OF THE MARKET."

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AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD RALLY

BY RICHARD KASISCHKE

BERLIN, MAY 26-(AP)-ALLIED ARMOR STOOD GUARD ON THE WESTERN CITY BORDERS TONIGHT WITH GUNS POINTING EASTWARD WHERE 200,000 COMMUNIST-LED GERMAN YOUTH GATHERED FOR THEIR WHITSUNTIDE MARCH.

NO TROUBLE WAS EXPECTED BY WESTERN COMMANDERS; COMMUNIST LEADERS ORDERED THE YOUNGSTERS TO STAY OUT OF WEST BERLIN. THIS MINIMIZED EARLIER FEARS THAT THE MARCH MIGHT DEVELOP INTO DISORDERLY AND PERHAPS BLOODY PUTSCH.

THE ONLY WAR THUS FAR WAS ONE OF WORDS BETWEEN EAST AND WEST. IT WAS DAZING EVEN THIS PROPAGANDA-HARDENED CITY.

THE DAY SAW THESE DEVELOPMENTS:

1. THE BRITISH SENT ARMORED CARS AND STEEL-HELMETED SOLDIERS TO BACK UP WEST BERLIN'S GERMAN POLICE AT TRADITIONAL TROUBLE SPOTS.

2. THE BRITISH COMMANDANT, MAJ.GEN.G.K.BOURNE, CLAIMED THE COMMUNIST FREIE DEUTSCHE JUGEND (FREE GERMAN YOUTH) RALLY WOULD RESULT IN "CLEAR VICTORY" FOR THE WEST.

3. THE EAST LAUNCHED A WEIRD PROPAGANDA CAMPAIGN CHARGING THE WEST IS DROPPING POTATO BUGS FROM AIRPLANES TO DESTROY EAST ZONE CROPS.

4. SEVERAL MEMBERS OF THE SOVIET ZONE "PEOPLE'S POLICE"--WHICH THE THREE WESTERN POWRS CONTEND IS A NEW ILLEGAL GERMAN ARMY--DESERTED TO THE WEST. ONE TOLD REPORTERS HE WOULD RATHER HAVE GOOD SOUP IN THE WEST THAN POLITICS IN THE EAST.

5. THE THREE WESTERN ALLIES COUNTERED THE COMMUNIST "PEACE AND UNITY" CAMPAIGN WITH NEW DEMANDS TO RUSSIA THAT ALL GERMANY BE UNIFIED THROUGH FREE ELECTIONS AND GUARANTEES OF INDIVIDUAL FREEDOM.

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BOTH THE WEST AND EAST IN THIS DIVIDED FOCAL POINT OF THE BITTER COLD WAR AGREED ON ONLY ONE THING TODAY: THERE PROBABLY WOULD BE NO BIG VIOLENCE IN THE WEEKEND CELEBRATION SCHEDULED TO CLIMAX IN A SIX-HOUR MARCH OF UP TO 500,000 EAST GERMAN BOYS AND GIRLS.

COMMUNIST YOUTH IN BLUE SHIRTS AND BLACK SHORTS WHO ALREADY HAVE POURED INTO BERLIN WANDERED ABOUT THE EASTERN SECTOR OR MARCHED IN SMALL, DISCPLINED GROUPS.

MANY, DRAWN BY CURIOSITY, STOOD ALONG THE SECTOR BORDER AT POTSDAMER PLATZ, WHERE BRITISH, AMERICAN AND RUSSIAN SECTORS CONVERGE, AND AT BRANDENBURG GATE STARING INTO THE WESTERN SECTORS.

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JUST OUT OF SIGHT OF THE BORDER SMALL BRITISH ARMORED CAR DETACHMENTS SQUATTED IN WR RUINS, ALERT FOR ANY EMERGENCY.

THE WEST WAS TAKING NO CHANGES ON A POSSIBILITY THAT THE EAST ZNE COMMUNISTS MIGHT REVIVE THEIR ORIGINAL THREAT TO STORM THE WESTERN SECTORS OF THE CITY. THIS LINE WAS DROPPED MORE THAN TWO MONTHS AGO AFTER THE WESTERN ALLIES SAID THEY WOULD MEET SUCH AN ATTEMPT WITH FORCE.

THE BIG SPECTACLE IS THE SUNDAY MARCH ON UNTER DEN LINDEN, WHERE THE HITLER JUGEND ONCE PARADED, AND PAST COMMUNIST LEADERS OF EAST GERMANY AND FROM OTHER PARTS OF THE WORLD.

OPPOSITE THE MAIN REVIEWING STAND IN THE LUSTGARTEN ARE LARGE PICTURES OF STALIN AND EAST ZONE PRESIDENT WILHELM PIECK.

AN EAST BERLIN SUMMARY COURT DEALT JAIL SENTENCES TO THREE GERMANS ACCUSED OF BEATING UP SOME COMMUNIST YOUTHS IN THE RUSSIAN SECTOR. ONE DEFENDANT GOT TWO YEARS AND TWO OTHERS 19 MONTHS EACH. THE PROSECUTOR, CALLING THEM PROVOCATEURS, TOLD THE COURT THAT "EVERY ATTACK AGAINST THE FDJ IS AN ATTACK AGAINST PEACE."

THE DAY'S ODDEST DEVELOPMENT CAME WHEN SOVIET-SPONSORED EAST GERMAN PROPAGANDA AGENCIES LED BY GERHART EISLER, THE COMMUNIST WHO JUMPED BAIL IN AMERICA TO BECOME EAST GERMANY'S PROPAGANDA CHIEF, CHARGED THE WEST WITH A POTATO-BUG ATTACK ON THE EAST.

THE EAST'S RADIO AND PRESS POURED OUT THOUSANDS OF WORDS ON THE CHARGES THAT U.S.PLANES HAD DROPPED MILLIONS OF POTATO BUGS ON EAST ZONE CROPS IN "AN ATTEMPT TO SABOTAGE OUR FOOD SUPPLY."

IT DREW AMAZED LAUGHTER IN THE WEST, AND AN OFFICIAL AIR FORCE COMMENT OF "RIDICULOUS."

EISLER LOOSED A BROADSIDE, DECLARING: "THESE CRAZY AMERICAN LEADERS GO TO ANY LENGTHS TO SPRING THIS NEW WEAPON AGAINST US. IT IS A POLITICO-MILITARY-ECONOMIC ATTACK. THEY WANT TO STRANGLE OUR NEW DEMOCRATIC GERMAN REPUBLIC. THEY ALSO GO TO ANY LENGTHS TO DESTROY OUR CROPS IN ORDER TO HELP CLEAR UP THAT BURDENSOME POTATO SURPLUS THEY HAVE IN AMERICA."

WESTERNERS THEORIZED THAT THIS PROPAGANDA ATTACK WAS CAUSED BY POSSIBLE CROP FAILURES IN THE EAST ZONE, FOR WHICH COMMUNIST LEADERS NEEDED A SCAPEGOAT. NEARLY ALL EAST ZONE ILLS ARE BLAMED ON THE WEST. THERE HAS BEEN NO PREVIOUS INDICATIONS OF SUCH A CROP FAILURE, HOWEVER.

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AT A NEWS CONFERENCE DURING THE DAY, GENERAL BOURNE SAID:

"BY NEXT WEEK THE WESTERN ALLIES SHOULD HAVE GAINED A CLEAR VICTORY IN BERLIN FOR THEIR STEADFAST ATTITUDE."

HE SAID THERE WAS VERY INDICATION OF A QUIET SUNDAY.

IN OTHER PHASES OF THE COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA CAMPAIGN THE WESTERN ALLIES AND WESTERN PRESS WERE ACCUSED OF PLOTTING "DELIBERATE DISTORTIONS AND HATEFUL SLANDERS" IN REPORTING THE YOUTH RALLY.

THE SOVIET-SPONSORED EAST GERMAN NEWS AGENCY ADN SAID:

"THE WARMONGERS ARE ONLY UNHAPPY BECAUSE THERE IS NO POSSIBILITY FOR PROVOCATIONS AND INCIDENTS IN THE RALLY OF THE GERMAN YOUTH, WHICH IS A BIG PEACE DEMONSTRATION. THEREFORE, THEY ARE CONCOCTING FICTITIOUS REPORTS."

SOME EAST GERMANS APPEARED TO BE USING THE CONFUSIONS OF THE RALLY AS A MEANS TO ESCAPE INTO THE ALLIED WEST.

EVEN A FEW OF THE MORE THAN 20,000 EAST GERMAN "PEOPLE'S POLICE" HAVE SNEAKED OVER ASKING FOR ASYLUM.

WEST BERLIN POLICE TONIGHT REPORTED THE FIRST TWO KNOWNN DESERTERS FROM THE BLUE-SHIRT YOUTH RANKS. THEY WERE DESCRIBED AS A 22-YEAR-OLD BOY AND A 26-YEAR-OLD WORKING WOMAN FROM DRESDEN.

PRIVATE SOURCES SAID OTHER EAST GERMAN YOUTHS ARE PLOTTING TO CROSS OVER, SOME OF THEM ARRANGING WITH RELATIVES IN BERLIN TO PROVIDE CIVILIAN CLOTHING TO FACILITATE THEIR ESCAPE.

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THERE WAS A GREAT INFLUX OF FOREIGN CORRESPONDENTS; ABOUT 85 AMERICANS FROM THE U.S. AND EUROPEAN CAPITALS JOINED THE USUAL GROUP OF ABOUT 40 REGULARS HERE. THE BRITISH SAID THEY EXPECTED ABOUT 60 EXTRA CORRESPONDENTS.
THERE WAS CONSIDERABLE CONFUSION IN HANDLING THE NEWSMEN IN EAST BERLIN, WHERE POLICE IN SOME CASES REFUSED TO RECOGNIZE PASSES ISSUED BY EISLER'S COMMUNIST INFORMATION OFFICE.
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FIRST ~~LEAD GERMAN~~

BY DANIEL DE LUCE

BERLIN, MAY 26-(AP)-BRITAIN'S BERLIN COMMANDANT PREDICTED TODAY RUSSIA'S BIG WEEKEND PROPAGANDA SHOW -- THE RALLY OF COMMUNIST-LED YOUNG GERMANS -- WOULD END IN A "CLEAR VICTORY FOR THE WESTERN ALLIES."

AS MAJ.GEN. G.K.BOURNE MADE THE PREDICTION, BRITISH ARMORED CARS STAKED THEMSELVES OUT WITHIN GUNSHOT OF THE HOT-SPOT MID-CITY SECTOR BOUNDARY FOR WHICH BRITAIN IS RESPONSIBLE.

THE COMMUNISTS GAVE EVERY APPEARANCE OF NOT LOOKING FOR TROUBLE DURING SUNDAY'S SIX-HOUR PARADE IN THE RUSSIAN SECTOR. THEIR LEADERS CALLED ON THE FREIE DEUTSCHE JUGEND (FREE GERMAN YOUTH) FOR "ORDER AND DISCIPLINE," AND ISSUED THIS COMMAND:

"UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES OVERSTEP THE (RUSSIAN) SECTOR BOUNDARY.

"BE WATCHFUL AGAINST ALL PROVOCATEURS WHO WANT TO MIX IN WITH YOUR TEN-PERSON GROUPS.

"FOLLOW THE ORDERS OF YOUR FRIENDS, THE PEOPLE'S POLICE, AND HELP THEM IN THEIR DIFFICULT TASK.

"DEAR YOUNG FRIENDS, THE AIM AND PURPOSE OF OUR GERMAN RALLY IN BERLIN IS TO DEMONSTRATE GERMAN YOUTH'S WILL FOR PEACE BEFORE ALL THE WORLD. THE IMPERIALISTS AND THEIR GERMAN HENCHMEN WILL ATTEMPT ANYTHING TO DISTURB OUR PEACE DEMONSTRATION THROUGH PROVOCATIONS.

"OUR BEST ARMS AGAINST THAT ARE TO KEEP ORDER AND DISCIPLINE. DON'T LET YOURSELVES BE PROVOKED AND DRAWN INTO THOUGHTLESS ACTIONS."

THE COMMUNIST COMMITTEE ORDERED THE FDJ MARCHERS TO KEEP TO A PACE OF TWO AND A HALF MILES AN HOUR IN SUNDAY'S PARADE.

THE WESTERN ALLIES INTENSIFIED THEIR PRECAUTIONS. BOURNE SAID THERE MIGHT BE SOME COMMUNIST AGITATION GROUPS INFILTRATING THE WEST SECTORS, BUT THAT WESTERN BERLIN POLICE WOULD BE CAPABLE OF DEALING WITH SUCH. HE SAID MOSCOW APPARENTLY HAD DROPPED ORIGINALLY PLANNED COMMUNIST PUTSCH TACTICS AFTER THE WESTERN ALLIES ANNOUNCED THEY WOULD BACK UP THE BERLIN POLICE WITH FORCE, IF NECESSARY.

"BY NEXT WEEK THE WESTERN ALLIES SHOULD HAVE GAINED A CLEAR VICTORY IN BERLIN FOR THEIR STEADFAST ATTITUDE," BOURNE TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE.

THERE ARE ALREADY 200,000 YOUNG EAST GERMANS JAMMED INTO THE RUSSIAN SECTOR IN PREPARATION FOR THE MAMMOTH RALLY. THE COMMUNISTS PREDICT 500,000 MARCHERS.

COMMUNIST OFFICIALS APPEARED AS ANXIOUS TO KEEP THEIR "FREE GERMAN YOUTH" OUT OF THE ALLIED SECTORS. WARNING THE DEMONSTRATORS AWAY FROM WEST BERLIN, THE REDS BROUGHT IN 6,000 "PEOPLE'S POLICE" FROM THE SURROUNDING RUSSIAN ZONE TO AUGMENT A FORCE OF 15,000 ALREADY ON DUTY IN EAST BERLIN.

WITH 300,000 MORE YOUNG GERMANS REPORTEDLY ENROUTE TO BERLIN, SPECIAL ALLIED PRECAUTIONS WENT INTO EFFECT AT DAWN TODAY. FIVE BRITISH ARMORED CARS AND 50 SOLDIERS OCCUPIED A STRATEGIC POST BEHIND BARBED WIRE. 500 YARD FROM POTSDAMER PLATZ. THE SQUARE IS THE TRADITIONALLY RIOTOUS JUNCTURE OF THE RUSSIAN, BRITISH AND AMERICAN SECTORS.

THROUGH BINOCULARS THE TROOPS CONSTANTLY KEPT WATCH ON THE BIG SQUARE, SURROUNDED BY WAR-RUINED BUILDINGS. EAST AND WEST GERMAN POLICE GUARDED THE OPPOSITE SIDES OF THE SQUARE.

OTHER POTENTIAL TROUBLE SPOTS IN MID-CITY ALSO WERE STAFFED WITH AN ALLIED MILITARY RESERVE.

THE TOTAL ALLIED FORCE OF 8,000 OFFICERS AND MEN WAS ON THE ALERT.

THREE DESERTERS FROM THE COMMUNIST "PEOPLE'S POLICE" INCLUDING A GIRL ESCAPED INTO THE WESTERN SECTOR EARLY TODAY AND APPEALED FOR POLITICAL REFUGE. TWO OTHERS HAD DESERTED WEDNESDAY NIGHT AND SURRENDERED IN THE U.S. SECTOR.

ONE OF LAST NIGHT'S DESERTERS BROUGHT HIS SERVICE PISTOL AND AMMUNITION. THE GIRL SAID SHE FLED BECAUSE SHE HAD BEEN ORDERED TO A "STALIN SCHOOL" IN THE SOVIET UNION FOR SPECIAL INDOCTRINATION.

THE YOUTH DEMONSTRATIONS ARE SCHEDULED TO REACH A CLIMAX SUNDAY IN A SIX-HOUR "PEACE AND UNITY" PARADE. BUT WITH EAST ZONE NEWSPAPERS AND OFFICIALS WARNING THE YOUTHS AWAY FROM WEST BERLIN AS A "FALSE SHOW-WINDOW," COMPETENT ALLIED SOURCES SAID THEY HAD ALMOST ENTIRELY DISCARDED EARLIER FEARS THAT THE WHITSUN DEMONSTRATION WAS A DISGUISE FOR A VIOLENT PUTSCH AGAINST THE WEST.

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THEY ADDED, HOWEVER, THAT COMMUNIST DEMONSTRATORS WHO WANDERED INTO THE ALLIED SECTORS MIGHT BE ENDANGERED BY ANTI-COMMUNIST CROWDS, FOR WEST BERLIN TEMPERS HAVE GROWN HOT AGAINST THE EAST ZONERS AND THE RUSSIANS.

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THE RUSSIANS.

COMMUNIST NEWSPAPERS CHARGED THAT 11 MORE YOUTH DELEGATES HAD BEEN ARRESTED IN THE PAST 24 HOURS IN WEST BERLIN BUT ALLLIED OFFICIALS DID NOT CONFIRM THIS. FIFTEEN WERE SEIZED EARLIER IN THE WEEK, HOWEVER.

THE OFFICIAL SOVIET ORGAN "TAEGLICHE RUNSCHAU" ANGRILY COMPLAINED THAT THE BRITISH AND AMERICANS WERE PREVENTING THOUSANDS OF WEST GERMANS FROM LEAVING FOR THE BERLIN RALLY. THE NEWSPAPER ASSERTED THE YOUTHS WERE BEING TURNED BACK IN BUSES AND EVICTED FROM EAST-BOUND TRAINS UPON REACHING THE BORDERS OF THE ALLIED ZONES.

COMMUNISTS FROM ALL OVER THE WORLD CONVERGED ON EAST BERLIN TO ATTEND THE RALLY.

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THE PRESIDENT OF THE BRITISH-SOVIET FRIENDSHIP SOCIETY, A "PASTOR" EVANS, WAS GREETED BY EAST GERMAN DIGNITARIES WHO PREVIOUSLY WELCOMED GUY DE BOISSON, FRENCH COMMUNIST LEADER, AND ILYA EHRENBURG, SOVIET AUTHOR AND COMMENTATOR.

EHRENBURG SCHEDULED A PRESS CONFERENCE FOR THIS AFTERNOON AT ABOUT THE SAME TIME DR. KURT SCHUMACHER, WEST GERMAN SOCIALIST LEADER WILL MEET REPORTERS IN WEST BERLIN.

HSU LI-CHUEN, DELEGATE FROM RED CHINA ALSO IS ON HAND FOR THE RALLY.

THE WEST BERLIN ANTI-COMMUNIST DAILY NEWSPAPER TELEGRAF SAID ONE CASE OF TYPHOID HAS BEEN DISCOVERED IN A RUSSIAN SECTOR CAMP OF 20,000 COMMUNIST "YOUNG PIONEERS." THE REPORT COULD NOT BE CONFIRMED FROM OTHER SOURCES.

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WITH RALLY (130)
BERLIN, SATURDAY, MAY 27-(AP)-TWO YOUNG COMMUNIST DEMONSTRATORS TRIED UNSUCCESSFULLY TO KIDNAP A POLITICAL REFUGEE AT A WEST BERLIN ELEVATED RAILWAY STATION, WESTERN AUTHORITIES REPORTED EARLY TODAY.
THE COMBINED GERMAN-ALLIED SECURITY PRESS OFFICE SAID THE YOUTHS WERE DRAGGING THEIR INTENDED VICTIM INTO AN EASTBOUND TRAIN. POLICE RUSHED UP FROM ANOTHER PART OF THE STATION, SITUATED IN THE BRITISH SECTOR, AND ARRESTED THE ALLEGED ABDUCTORS.
THIS WAS THE FIRST DISTURBANCE REPORTED DURING THIS WEEKEND'S MAMMOTH WHITSUNTIDE RALLY OF "FREE GERMAN YOUTH" (FDJ) IN BERLIN.
THE PRESS OFFICE ALSO SAID A TRUCK PLASTERED WITH COMMUNIST YOUTH RALLY PLACARDS HAD BEEN HALTED IN THE AMERICAN SECTOR BEFORE MIDNIGHT. THE TRUCK DRIVER WAS DETAINED.
THREE MORE FDJ MEMBERS CAME OVER TO THE WESTERN SECTORS DURING THE NIGHT TO BEG FOR ASYLUM. THIS RAISED THE TOTAL OF YOUTH DEFECTIONS TO FIVE.
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BY THOMAS A.REEDY
BERLIN, MAY 26-(AP)-EAST BERLIN IS CRAWLING WITH STRANGE COPS. SOME OF THEM ARE TRYING TO CRAWL WESTWARD.
THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE'S POLICE HAVE BEEN IMPORTED FROM THE RUSSIAN ZONE FOR THE COMMUNIST YOUTH MARCH. A FEW HAVE ALREADY SNEAKED OVER TO WEST BERLIN TO GET OUT FROM UNDER THE COMMUNIST HEEL. THERE'S NO TELLING HOW FAR THE DISAFFECTION WILL SPREAD.
ONE PEOPLE'S POLICEMAN SAID ALL HE WANTED WAS A LITTLE ADVICE ON HOW TO ESCAPE AND WHERE TO GO.
THIS HAPPENED SQUARELY IN FRONT OF THE EAST GERMAN COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT HEADQUARTERS. ONCE CALLED WILHELM PLATZ AFTER THE OLD KAISERS, IT WAS RENAMED FOR ERNST THAELMAN, GERMAN COMMUNIST STREET FIGHTER WHO WAS KILLED BY THE SS IN BUCHENWALD CONCENTRATION CAMP.
THE PEOPLE'S POLICE BAND WAS PLAYING A CONCERT OF COMMUNIST SONGS.
OFF TO THE SIDE, AN OLD LUFTWAFFE PILOT WAS EXPLAINING THE WORKINGS OF A GLIDER, HOW THE SOVIET FLIERS TOW THE GLIDERS TO TRAIN YOUNG COMMUNISTS IN A PROGRAM ALMOST IDENTICAL TO THE SYSTEM GOERING USED TO CREATE THE NAZI AIR FORCE.
THE BAND TOOK A BREAK FOR A SMOKE AND ONE OF THE POLICE MUSICIANS SIDLED OVER. HE DETECTED AN AMERICAN ACCENT.
"THOSE THINGS ARE NO GOOD," HE SAID WITH SIDELONG SNEER AT THE GLIDER.
"WHERE DID YOU LEARN TO SPEAK ENGLISH?" HE WAS ASKED.
"IN AMERICA. I WAS PRISONER OF WAR IN TEXAS. BEST FOOD I EVER ATE."
HE SAID HE WAS "JUST WAITING FOR A CHANCE" TO SNEAK OUT OF THE
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HE SAID HE WAS "JUST WAITING FOR A CHANCE" TO SNEAK OUT OF THE EAST.
"THERE'S LOTS OF US," HE SAID IN A LOW VOICE.
"WHY DO THEY WANT TO QUIT?"
"MOSTLY ECONOMIC," THE POLICE-MUSICIAN COMMENTED.
"YOU CAN DROWN ALL THEIR (COMMUNIST) POLITICS IN GOOD SOUP," HE SAID WITH A GRIN. "WE KNOW WHERE THE GOOD SOUP IS."
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BERLIN, MAY 26-(AP)-BERLIN'S PRESS DIVIDED ON EAST-WEST LINES TODAY IN PRAISING AND CONDEMNING NEW YORKERS WHO HECKLED A SPEECH BY GENERAL LUCIUS D. CLAY, FORMER MILITARY GOVERNOR.
A "HOLD BERLIN" RALLY AT WHICH CLAY APPEARED WEDNESDAY NIGHT IN MANHATTAN WAS HEAVILY PICKETED. CLAIMING THE ACTION WAS UNDERTAKEN BY AN EXTREME LEFTIST AMERICAN JEWISH ORGANIZATION, THE U.S. SECTOR NEWSPAPER, DER TAGESSPIEGEL, COMMENTED:
"THESE SCENES NO LONGER HAVE ANYTHING TO DO WITH THE JUSTIFIED FEELINGS OF THOSE WHO THEMSELVES OR WHOSE RELATIVES BECAME VICTIMS OF NAZI BRUTALITY. THEY HAVE DOUBTLESS BEEN INSPIRED BY COMMUNISTS. THE MORAL DANGER MAY BE IMMEASURABLE IN THAT EVENTUALLY SUCH SCENES MAY ISOLATE IN ALL COUNTRIES THOSE WHO FIGHT ANTI-SEMITISM."
THE COMMUNIST ORGAN, NEUES DEUTSCHLAND, HEADLINED AN ACCOUNT OF THE NEW YORK DEMONSTRATION: "THE FREE GERMAN YOUTH GREET THE PEACE-LOVING AMERICAN PEOPLE."
"WARMONGER CLAY WAS HINDERED IN SPEAKING BY NEW YORK WORKERS, EMPLOYES AND OTHER FREDOM-MINDED AMERICANS WHO EXPRESSED THEIR SYMPATHY FOR THE PEACEFUL RALLY OF THE FDJ IN BERLIN," THE NEWSPAPER ASSERTED.
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BERLIN, MAY 26-(AP)-THE BIGGEST STORY OF THE COLD WAR HERE TODAY, FROM THE COMMUNIST SIDE, WAS THAT "ABOMINABLE, DETESTABLE AND MONSTROUS PLOT OF THE AMERICAN IMPERIALISTS"--THEIR ALLEGED BOMBING OF SOVIET EAST GERMANY WITH POTATO BUGS.
WHEN THE GERMAN COMMUNISTS RAISED THIS CHARGE YESTERDAY, AMERICAN AIRMEN ANSWERED WITH ASTONISHED LAUGHTER. BUT THE COMMUNISTS WON'T LET IT DIE.
THE SOVIET-CONTROLLED ADN NEWS AGENCY REPORTED "INDIGNATION" HAD SWEPT THE SAXON COUNTRYSIDE, WHERE THE "BOMBING" WAS SAID TO HAVE OCCURRED. "SPONTANEOUS" MEETINGS OF WORKERS AND OFFICIALS AND PEASANTS SPRANG UP EVERYWHERE.
AT ONE SUCH MEETING, ADN REPORTED, A RESOLUTION WAS ADOPTED WHICH PROCLAIMED: "TODAY IT'S POTATO BUGS WHICH ARE BEING THROWN ON OUR FIELDS BY AMERICAN FLIERS. TOMORROW IT CAN BE ATOM BOMBS. THIS ABOMINABLE CRIME MUST BE EXPOSED BEFORE THE WORLD AS AN ATTACK AGAINST OUR PEACEFUL WORD AND AN ATTEMPT TO SABOTAGE OUR FOOD SUPPLY."

Anti-communist Berlin got a laugh out of the deadly earnest manner in which the communists plugged their "potato bug war." It was

difficult ~~tw~~ for westerners to believe the communists were really serious, but ~~even Gerhart Eisler was~~ getting into the act.

~~Gerhart~~ Eisler, the bail jumping american communist who who is now propaganda chief for the east zone government, ~~made the same~~ took the radio ~~tw~~ with this ~~same~~ broadside:

"These crazy american leaders go to any lengths to spring this new weapon against us. It is a politico-military-economic attack. They want to strangle our new democratic german republic. 1950

"They also go to any lengths to detroy our crops in order to help clear up that burdensome potato surplus they have in America."

~~Disarmament Commissioner Frank Pace~~ Army came up ~~tw~~ with a late bulletin saying it has ~~just~~ been discovered that the potato bug bombings actually started may 22 "but only now have we been able definitely to determine that this crime is a systematic american attack."

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New York, May 26—(AP)—Do the communists want to turn the cold war into the potato bug war?

They are firing the first shots in Germany, where the east zone communists are accusing the western allies of "bombarding" eastern Germany with swarms of potato bugs—ordinarily known as the Colorado Potato Beetle.

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The charges got a big laugh from the western allies, but the potato bug itself—Leptinotarsa Decemlineata—is a serious matter, either, to United States farmers.

It is the chief enemy of the heart of a European potato grower.

The bug strike fear into the heart of a United States

The bug is NO laughing matter, either, to United States growers.

Way back in 1875 the German government issued a

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decree against importation of American po tatoes to keep th bug out of the fields. Belgium, Spain, France, Russia, Italy, Hungary and Austria followed suit that year and Portugal and Sweden the next year.

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But the bug can't read and despite the action it was discove ed in a Hamburg potato field. Radical measures were undertaken to get rid of the insect proved successful.

Europe was fairly free of the bugs until after the first world war when they were discovered near Bordeaux in France, where American troops had been stationed. Since then it has spread into Fra ce, Belgium, Holland, Luxembourg, Germany and Switzerland.

Some pop up occasionally in England. The press raises a great hue and cry abo t it and quick action is taken to rid the fields of eve y single bug.

Original y the bug fed on wild plants in the rocky mountain regions. When emigrating farmers planted potatoes the bug found them a tasty dish. Slowly t e bugs moved eastward until they reached the At antic seaboard. Use of Paris green has kept the bug under control, but in 1945 the loss caused by the Potato beetle was estimated at $39,000,000 to $40,0000,000.

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NIGHT LEAD GERMAN (520)
BY GEORGE BOULTWOOD
BONN, GERMANY, MAY 26-(AP)-THE THREE WESTERN ALLIES MADE NEW DEMANDS ON RUSSIA TODAY FOR ALL-GERMAN UNITY THROUGH FREE GENERAL ELECTIONS AND GUARANTEES OF INDIVIDUAL FREEDOMS.
LETTERS FROM THE AMERICAN, BRITISH AND FRENCH HIGH COMMISSIONERS TO THE SOVIET COMMAND PROPOSED THAT A FREELY ELECTED NATION-WIDE GOVERNMENT SHOULD LEAD IMMEIDATELY TO NEGOTIATION OF A FOUR-POWER GERMAN PEACE SETTLEMENT.
THE WESTERN DEMAND CAME SIGNIFICANTLY AS THOUSANDS OF COMMUNIST YOUTH JAMMED INTO BERLIN FOR THE WHITSUNTIDE DEMONSTRATION INTENDED TO CLIMAX THE CURRENT RUSSIAN "PEACE" CAMPAIGN SUNDAY.
THE LETTERS AND A STATEMENT THE THREE WESTERN FOREIGN MINISTERS DRAFTED AT THEIR RECENT LONDON MEETING OBVIOUSLY WERE AIMED TO COUNTER THE SOVIET PROPAGANDA THEME THAT ONLY RUSSIA IS SINCERELY COMMITTED TO GERMAN UNIFICATION.
WESTERN OBSERVERS BELIEVED THE RUSSIANS WERE CERTAIN TO REJECT OR IGNORE THE ALLIED PROPOSALS. THEY CALL FOR:
1. A FREELY ELECTED ALL-GERMAN GOVERNMENT.
2. INDIVIDUAL FREEDOM OF MOVEMENT, FREEDOM FROM ARBITRARY ARREST AND DETENTION, FREEDOM OF ASSOCIATION AND ASSEMBLY, FREEDOM OF SPEECH, PRESS AND RADIO THROUGHOUT ALL GERMANY.
3. FREEDOM OF ACTION FOR ALL DEMOCRATIC POLITICAL PARTIES.
4. INDEPENDENCE OF COURTS.
5. PROHIBITION OF POLITICAL SECRET POLICE AND POLICE FORMATIONS THAT ARE MILITARY IN CHARACTER.
6. PERMISSION FOR AN ALL-GERMAN GOVERNMENT TO ESTABLISH A SINGLE CURRENCY (IN PLACE OF THE EXISTING EAST AND WEST CURRENCIES), UNIFIED CUSTOMS, AND A FOUR-POWER AGREEMENT THAT WAR REPARATIONS WILL

NOT BE TAKEN FROM CURRENT GERMAN PRODUCTION.
7. SURRENDER IN ACCORDANCE WITH GERMAN LEGISLATION OF ANY INDUSTRIAL ENTERPRISE ACQUIRED BY OR ON BEHALF OF A FOREIGN POWER AFTER MAY 8, 1945 (THE END OF THE EUROPEAN WAR), UNLESS THE ACQUISITION HAD FOUR-POWER APPROVAL AND IS SUBJECT TO GERMAN LAW.
8. REVIVAL OF JOINT FOUR-POWER SUPERVISION THROUGH A COMMISSION THAT WOULD PERMIT THE GERMAN GOVERNMENT TO FUNCTION EFFECTIVELY.
WESTERN GOVERNMENT AND OCCUPATION OFFICIALS HAVE REPEATEDLY CHARGED NONE OF THE PROPOSED FREEDOMS EXISTS IN SOVIET EAST GERMANY.
EARLIER THIS WEEK THE WESTERN GOVERNMENTS PROTESTED THAT THE EASTERN COMMUNIST "PEOPLE'S POLICE" FORCE LOOKED LIKE A WELL-ARMED INFANTRY ORGANIZATION AND WAS IN VIOLATION OF FOUR-POWER AGREEMENTS TO DEMILITARIZE GERMANY.

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THE WESTERN MINISTERS, SENT IDENTICAL LETTERS TO SOVIET GENERAL V.I. CHUIKOV POINTED TO THEIR MAY 14 COMMUNIQUE STATING THAT THE WESTERN POWERS DO NOT CONTEMPLATE THE CONCLUSION OF A SEPARATE PEACE TREATY WITH THE ALLIED-SPONSORED WEST GERMAN GOVERNMENT.
THEY SAID THEY CONSIDERED SEPARATE PEACE WITH ANY PART OF DIVIDED GERMANY "CONNOTES ACCEPTANCE OF A CONCEPT OF A MORE PERMANENT PARTITION OF GERMANY."
U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J. MCCLOY AND OTHER ALLIED LEADERS HAVE PROPOSED EARLY FREE ELECTIONS TO ERASE ZONAL BORDERS SINCE LAST FEBRUARY.
BRITISH FOREIGN MINISTER ERNEST BEVIN, ON BEHALF OF THE WESTERN POWERS, TRIED UNSUCCESSFULLY TO GET RUSSIAN AGREEMENT ON ALL-GERMAN ELECTIONS IN MAY, 1949.
THIS FAILURE LED TO THE FORMATION OF THE BONN GOVERNMENT SPONSORED BY THE WESTERN ALLIES AND THE SOVIET-SPONSORED EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT.
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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 12 NOON, EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, FRIDAY, MAY 26)
(ADVANCE) BONN, GERMANY, MAY 26-(AP)-THE THREE WESTERN POWERS CHALLENGED RUSSIA TODAY TO CLEAR THE WAY FOR UNIFYING GERMANY BY CONSENTING TO COMPLETELY FREE ALL-GERMAN ELECTIONS TIED IN WITH GUARANTEES OF FULL INDIVIDUAL FREEDOMS.
THE TIME ELEMENT OF THE STATEMENT OF THE THREE WESTERN HIGH COMMISSIONERS TO THE RUSSIAN COMMAND IN GERMANY WAS SIGNIFICANT. IT WAS ISSUED WHILE WORLD ATTENTION WAS FOCUSSED ON THE RALLY OF 500,000 COMMUNIST-LED GERMAN YOUTH IN BERLIN. SOVIET PROPAGANDA BELABORS THE THEME THAT ONLY RUSSIA IS SINCERELY COMMITTED TO GERMAN UNIFICATION.
THREE IDENTICAL LETTERS OF THE UNITED STATES, BRITISH AND FRENCH COMMISSIONERS WERE SENT TO GEN. V. I. CHUIKOV, SOVIET COMMANDER IN GERMANY. ENCLOSED WAS A STATEMENT OF THE THREE WESTERN FOREIGN MINISTERS WHICH SAID THE WEST WAS AGREED THAT WITH FORMATION OF AN ALL-GERMAN GOVERNMENT "THE FOUR POWERS SHOULD IMMEDIATELY ADDRESS THEMSELVES TO A PEACE SETTLEMENT."
THE LETTERS PROPOSED THIS PROGRAM:
1. A FREELY ELECTED ALL-GERMAN GOVERNMENT.
2. INDIVIDUAL FREEDOM OF MOVEMENT, FREEDOM FROM ARBITRARY ARREST AND DETENTION, FREEDOM OF ASSOCIATION AND ASSEMBLY, FREEDOM OF SPEECH, PRESS AND RADIO THROUGHOUT GERMANY.
3. FREEDOM OF ACTION THROUGHOUT ALL GERMANY FOR ALL DEMOCRATIC POLITICAL PARTIES.
4. INDEPENDENCE OF THE COURTS.
5. PROHIBITION THROUGHOUT GERMANY OF POLITICAL SECRET POLICE AND POLICE FORMATIONS WHICH ARE MILITARY IN CHARACTER.
6. ASSURANCE OF GERMAN ECONOMIC UNITY THROUGH ACTION BY AN ALL-GERMAN GOVERNMENT ON SUCH MATTERS AS CURRENCY AND CUSTOMS, AND THROUGH FOUR-POWER AGREEMENT ON SUCH MATTERS AS A HALT TO REPARATIONS FROM CURRENT PRODUCTION AND LIMITATIONS ON INDUSTRY.
7. SURRENDER IN ACCORDANCE WITH GERMAN LEGISLATION OF ANY INDUSTRIAL ENTERPRISE IN GERMANY WHOSE OWNERSHIP OR CONTROL WAS ACQUIRED AFTER MAY 8, 1945 (THE END OF THE WAR) BY OR ON BEHALF OF ANY FOREIGN POWER, UNLESS THE ACQUISITION HAD FOUR-POWER APPROVAL AND SUCH ACQUISITION OR INTEREST IS SUBJECTED TO GERMAN LAW.
8. ESTABLISHEMTN OF FOUR-POWER SUPERVISION THROUGH A COMMISSION USING ITS POWERS IN SUCH A WAY AS TO PERMIT THE GERMAN GOVERNMENT TO FUNCTION EFFECTIVELY.
THE ENCLOSED STATEMENT BY THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE THREE WESTERN POWERS SAID THE FOREIGN MINISTERS WERE AGREED THAT THE FIRST STEP TOWARD GERMAN UNITY SHOULD BE FREE ELECTIONS THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY FOR A CONSTITUENT ASSEMBLY WHICH WOULD HAVE THE SOLE TASK OF DRAFTING A CONSTITUTION TO BE SUBMITTED TO THE PEOPLE.
"THE MINISTERS AGREED THAT WITH THE FORMATION OF AN ALL-GERMAN GOVERNMENT THE FOUR POWERS SHOULD IMMEDIATELY ADDRESS THEMSELVES TO A PEACE SETTLEMENT," THE STATEMENT SAID.

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THE LETTERS SUGGESTED THAT FOUR POWER DISCUSSIONS SHOULD BE CONDUCTED THUS:
FIRST TALKS WOULD BE BY THE FOUR HIGH COMMISSIONERS TO DRAFT AN ELECTORAL LAW.
"IF AN ELECTORAL LAW WERE AGREED, THE WAY WOULD BE CLEAR FOR THE DRAFTING OF AN ALL-GERMAN CONSTITUTION WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF PRINCIPLES LAID DOWN BY THE WESTERN FOREIGN MINISTERS."
A BASIS THUS WOULD BE LAID FOR A FOUR-POWER COMMISSION TO "EXERCISE ITS RESERVED POWERS IN SUCH A WAY AS TO PERMIT THE GERMAN GOVERNMENT TO FUNCTION EFFECTIVELY."
SINCE LAST FEBRUARY U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J.MCCLOY AND OTHER ALLIED LEADERS HAVE SPOKEN PUBLICLY FOR EARLY FREE ELECTIONS TO ERASE ZONAL FRONTIERS.
THE FOREIGN MINISTERS AND THE HIGH COMMISSIONERS NOW ADDED THAT THEY SUPPORTED THE RESOLUTION OF THE WEST GERMAN GOVERNMENT MARCH 22 CALLING FOR ALL-GERMAN ELECTIONS. THE MINISTERS REMINDED THE RUSSIAN COMMANDER THEY HAD DECLARED THEMSELVES AGAINST A SEPARATE PEACE WHICH WOULD FINALIZE THE DIVISION OF GERMANY.
THE WEST GERMAN GOVERNMENT, GIVING THE PROPOSAL ITS FULL SUPPORT, WELCOMED THE DECLARATION.
"EVERY PROPOSAL WHICH IS MADE WITH THE AIM OF ESTABLISHING GERMAN UNITY IN FREEDOM WILL FIND THE UNDIVIDED SUPPORT OF THE GOVERNMENT," A SPOKESMAN SAID.
(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT NOON, EST, TODAY, FRIDAY, MAY 26)
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BONN, GERMANY, MAY 26-(AP)-THE FUTURE OF GERMAN FARMING WILL DEPEND ON MORE EFFICIENT USE OF MANPOWER, ALLAN KLINE, OF VINTON, IOWA, PRESIDENT OF THE AMERICAN FARM BUREAU FEDERATION, SAID TODAY.
KLINE HEADS A DELEGATION OF 11 WHEAT FARMERS FROM THE UNITED STATES. THEY ARE VISITING GERMANY "TO EXCHANGE IDEAS ON FARM ORGANIZATION." THE VISIT IS BEING SPONSORED BY THE ECA MISSION.
KLINE SAID IN AN INTERVIEW HE FOUND GERMAN FARMERS "VERY INDUSTRIOUS. THEIR GENERAL PRODUCTION PER ACRE IS GOOD. BUT FROM OUR STANDPOINT THEY MAKE EXCESSIVE USE OF LABOR. THIS RESULTS IN LOW LIVING STANDARDS FOR THOSE WHO FARM."
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FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 26-(AP)-DR. HAROLD ZINK, OF OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY, WILL HEAD A NEW HISTORICAL DIVISION BEING ESTABLSIHED BY THE U.S. HIGH COMMISSION, THE COMMISSION ANNOUNCED TODAY. THE DIVISION WILL RECORD THE COMMISSION'S WORK IN AN ATTEMPTING TO RESTORE GERMANY TO THE "EUROPEAN COMMUNITY."
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Bonn, Germany, May 26--(AP)--Sen. Theodore F. Green (D-RI), member of a two-man ~~X~~ U.S. Senate subcommittee investigating the State Department's security operations in Europe, visited West German President Theodor Heuss today.

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Green said ~~XXX~~ he and Sen. Henry Cabot Lodge (R-Mass) will "study the setup and procedure of plans to protect the State Department against disloyalty."

The Rhode Island senator also called on Franz Bluecher, West Germany's vice-chancellor and minister for ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~ European Recovery Program ~~XXXXXXX~~ operations in this country.

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LONDON, SATURDAY, MAY 27-(AP)-VLADIMIR CLEMENTIS, FORMER FOREIGN MINISTER OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA "HAS FULLY ADMITTED THE MISTAKES HE HAS MADE" BEFORE A COMMUNIST PARTY CONFERENCE, TASS SAID TODAY.
THE OFFICIAL RUSSIAN NEWS AGENCY SAID, IN A DISPATCH DISTRIBUTED HERE, THAT CLEMENTIS MADE HIS ADMISSIONS YESTERDAY AT THE NINTH SLOVAK COMMUNIST PARTY CONGRESS IN BRATISLAVA.
TASS SAID THE CABINET OFFICER, WHO RESIGNED MARCH 14, TOLD THE CONGRESS HE WOULD TRY TO CORRECT HIS MISTAKES.
HE WAS QUOTED AS SAYING HE WOULD "BE WITH THE PARTY AND ADOPT A CORRECT LENINIST-STALINIST ATTITUDE TOWARDS IT IN ORDER GENUINELY TO PARTICIPATE IN SOCIALIST CONSTRUCTION."
CLEMENTIS' SUCCESSOR AS FOREIGN MINISTER, VILEM SIROKY, TOLD THE CONGRESS WEDNESDAY CLEMENTIS HAD SHOWN ENMITY TOWARD THE SOVIET UNION AT THE TIME OF THE SOVIET-GERMAN PACT OF 1939. SIROKY SAID THAT PACT HAD "CROSSED THE WILFUL PLANS OF THE ANGLO-AMERICAN IMPERIALISTS."
ALTHOUGH THE FORMER FOREIGN MINISTER HAD INDULGED IN "SELF-CRITICISM", SIROKY SAID, THE CZECHOSLOVAK COMMUNIST PARTY HAD REFUSED TO ACCEPT THIS ON THE GROUNDS HE STILL DID NOT REALIZE THE GRAVITY OF HIS FAULTS.
TASS DID NOT INDICATE WHAT ACTION THE CONGRESS TOOK AFTER CLEMENTIS' PUBLIC RECANTATION.
FOLLOWING SIROKY'S SPEECH, WESTERN QUARTERS SPECULATED THAT THE DENUNCIATION WAS A PRELUDE TO A "PURGE" TRIAL OF THE FORMER DIPLOMAT WHO HAD OFTEN BEEN CALLED A LEADER OF THE WESTERN ORIENTED SECTION OF THE CZECH COMMUNIST PARTY.
WHEN SIROKY, A TOUGH, KREMLIN-TRAINED UNDERGROUND FIGHTER, REPLACED CLEMENTIS, WESTERN CIRCLES SAID THE REASON MIGHT BE THAT THE LATTER BORE A WESTERN TAINT IN MOSCOW'S EYES BECAUSE OF WARTIME SERVICE WITH THE CZECH EXILE GOVERNMENT IN LONDON.
NO OFFICIAL REASON WAS GIVEN THEN FOR THE RESIGNATION.
ONE DIPLOMAT SAID HE THOUGHT THE MOVE INDICATED A HARDENING OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA'S ATTITUDE TOWARD THE WEST, AND THE POSSIBLE START OF THE PURGB OF PRO-WESTERN ELEMENTS IN THE COMMUNIST PARTY.
THE RESIGNATION CAME ON THE HEELS OF REPORTS THAT A WHOLESALE HOUSECLEANING WAS UNDERWAY IN THE CZECH COMMUNIST PARTY.
EVER SINCE MARCH REPORTS HAVE BEEN RECURRENT THAT CLEMENTIS WAS HELD PRISONER IN A PRAGUE JAIL.
VLADIMIR HOUDEK, A CLEMENTIS PROTEGE AND CHIEF CZECH DELEGATE TO THE

UNITED NATIONS, RESIGNED MAY 16 CHARGING THAT THE MOSCOW COMMUNISTS HAD TAKEN OVER CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND DEPRIVED IT OF ITS INDEPENDENCE. THE RESIGNATION WAS WIDELY INTERPRETED AS FURTHER EVIDENCE THAT HOWDEK'S MENTOR, CLEMENTIS, WAS IN SERIOUS TROUBLE AND HOUDEK FEARED THE SAME IF HE OBEYED ORDERS TO RETURN TO PRAGUE.
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NIGHT LEAD GASOLINE (480) MAY 27 1950
BY SYDNEY MIRKIN
LONDON, MAY 26-(AP)-AFTER 10 YEARS OF "PETROL-PINCHING," GASOLINE RATIONING WAS ABOLISHED BY BRITAIN TODAY ON THE EVE OF A LONG WHITSUN HOLIDAY WEEKEND.
THE ORDER, EFFECTIVE TOMORROW CAME WITH AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE LABOR GOVERNMENT AND TWO AMERICAN OIL COMPANIES. THE OIL FIRMS AGREED TO FURNISH ADDITIONAL GAS AND TAKE PAYMENT IN POUNDS STERLING WHENEVER BRITAIN QUIT RATIONING.
THE ANNOUNCEMENT BROUGHT SHOUTS OF JOY FROM MOTORISTS, RESORT OWNERS, FILLING STATIONS AND USED CAR DEALERS.
THE MAYOR OF BUXTON, A COUNTRY RESORT, SAID THE TOWN WOULD SET OFF ROCKETS AND BALLOONS TOMORROW TO CELEBRATE THE END OF RATIONING AND THE THREE-DAY WHITSUN HOLIDAY.
ALTHOUGH CONTROLS ARE NOT OFFICIALLY REMOVED UNTIL TOMORROW, DEALERS GAVE THEIR CUSTOMERS AS MUCH GASOLINE AS THEY WANTED. THE OLD LIMIT WAS SUFFICIENT TO DRIVE ONLY 90 MILES A MONTH.
FUEL AND POWER MINISTER PHILIP NOEL-BAKER SAID NO PRICE CHANGES ARE BEING CONSIDERED. GASOLINE COSTS THREE SHILLINGS (42 CENTS) A GALLON, OF WHICH ONE AND A HALF SHILLINGS (21 CENTS) REPRESENT TAX. A BRITISH IMPERIAL GALLON IS ABOUT ONE-FIFTH MORE THAN A U.S. GALLON.
DESPITE THESE PRICES -- HIGH IN COMPARISON TO AMERICAN STANDARDS (26 CENTS A GALLON FOR ORDINARY IN NEW YORK STATE, INCLUDING TAX) -- ESTIMATES OF HOW HIGH CONSUMPTION WOULD JUMP OVER THE PRESENT FIGURE OF 5,000,000 TONS ANNUALLY RANGED FROM 750,000 TO 1,000,000 TONS (300,000,000 GALLONS).
THE MINISTER SAID BRITAIN'S STOCKS WERE AMPLE TO MEET THE ANTICIPATED RUSH OF THOUSANDS WHO HAVE STORED THEIR CARS OR HAVE BEEN NURSING THEIR RATIONS FOR A SUMMER HOLIDAYS.
"FULL TANK, PLEASE," THEY SAY NOW.
A SPOKESMAN FOR THE BRITISH HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS ASSOCIATION SAID "IT SHOULD HELP OUR MEMBERS CONSIDERABLY -- THEIR BUSINESS DEPENDS A GREAT DEAL ON THE ROAD TRAVELER."
HE ADDED HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS WOULD BE ABLE TO IMPROVE STANDARDS AND PROVIDE BETTER SERVICE FOR AMERICAN TOURISTS.
THE TWO AMERICAN OIL CONCERNS, WHOSE AGREEMENT WITH BRITAIN MADE DERATIONING POSSIBLE, ARE THE STANDARD OIL COMPANY OF NEW JERSEY AND THE CALIFORNIA-TEXAS (CALTEX) OIL COMPANY. COMPANY SPOKESMEN SAID THEY PLAN TO USE THE STERLING PAYMENTS TO BUILD SEA-GOING TANKERS IN BRITAIN AND TO BUY PUMPS, DRILLING MACHINERY AND OTHER EQUIPMENT FOR THEIR OIL FIELDS OUTSIDE THE U.S.

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HOWARD PAGE, AN OFFICIAL OF THE STANDARD OIL COMPANY (N.J.), SAID THE PLAN COULD BE EXTENDED TO ANY NATION IN THE STERLING AREA.
THE AGREEMENT ENDED A LONG BATTLE BETWEEN BRITAIN AND THE AMERICAN OIL COMPANIES WHICH BOILED UP WHEN BRITAIN DECIDED TO CUT IMPORTS AS A DOLLAR-SAVING MOVE. THE DOLLAR IMPORTS WERE REDUCED BY ONE-THIRD.
THE WRANGLE BECAME THE SUBJECT OF DIPLOMATIC TALKS BETWEEN THE U.S. AND BRITAIN.
SPOKESMEN FOR AMERICAN OIL COMPANIES CHARGED THE MEASURE WAS THE "THIN EDGE OF A WEDGE TO SQUEEZE US OUT OF THE STERLING MARKET."
OIL SOURCES SAID TODAY IT WAS NOT YET CLEAR WHETHER THE AGREEMENT WOULD SETTLE THE GLOBAL ASPECT OF COMPETITION BETWEEN AMERICAN AND BRITISH OIL FIRMS.
BUT THE AGREEMENT WAS CONSIDERED CERTAIN TO REVIVE A FIERY POLITICAL DISCUSSION IN BRITAIN.
IT STARTED DURING THE LAST GENERAL ELECTION CAMPAIGN. WINSTON CHURCHILL, LEADER OF THE CONSERVATIVE OPPOSITION, CLAIMED THEN THAT THE LABOR GOVERNMENT COULD FREE GASOLINE.
LABOR LEADERS IMMEDIATELY ACCUSED HIM OF RESORTING TO AN ELECTION STUNT TO WIN VOTES BUT ADMITTED THERE WAS A CHANCE OF FREEING MORE GASOLINE FOR GENERALSSE
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CHURCHILL DECLARED HIS TORIES WERE FORCING THE LABORITES TO DROP SOME CONTROLS. NOW HE IS EXPECTED TO USE DERATIONING FOR NEW POLITICAL AMMUNITION.
IT IS CONSIDERED JUST AS LIKELY THAT THE FREEING OF GASOLINE WILL HELP THE LABORITES IN THE DRIVE TO WIN MORE VOTERS BEFORE THE NEXT ELECTION.
KING GEORGE VI PUT THE ROYAL SEAL ON THE GOVERNMENT ORDER RESCINDING THE GASOLINE REGULATIONS AT A PRIVY COUNCIL IN BUCKINGHAM PALACE.
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A90 (240)
BY EDWIN SHANKE
LONDON, MAY 26-(AP)-BRITAIN WIPED OUT GASOLINE RATIONING TODAY THROUGH A DEAL ENDING A LONG BOILING DISPUTE BETWEEN AMERICAN OIL COMPANIES AND THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT.
DERATIONING, EFFECTIVE TOMORROW, WAS MADE POSSIBLE BECAUSE THE STANDARD OIL COMPANY OF NEW JERSEY AND CALIFORNIA TEXAS OIL COMPANY AGREED TO SUPPLY OP

STANDARD OIL COMPANY OF NEW JERSEY AND CALIFORNIA TEXAS OIL COMPANY

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AGREED TO SUPPLY OIL AND TAKE BRITISH STERLING INSTEAD OF DOLLARS IN PAYMENT, THE GOVERNMENT SAID. THE PROVISION WAS THAT BRITAIN WOULD ABANDON RATIONING.

THE LABOR GOVERNMENT HAS BEEN UNDER PRESSURE FROM WINSTON CHURCHILL'S CONSERVATIVES AND MOTORING GROUPS TO DO AWAY WITH RATIONING.

THE BATTLE BETWEEN AMERICAN OIL INTERESTS AND BRITAIN BEGAN WHEN BRITAIN SLASHED ITS DOLLAR OIL IMPORTS BY ONE-THIRD AT THE START OF THE YEAR. THE MEASURE CUT DEEPLY INTO AMERICAN OIL COMPANY BUSINESS HERE. THE PURPOSE WAS TO SAVE HARD CURRENCY FOR DOLLAR-STARVED BRITAIN.

SPOKESMAN FOR AMERICAN OIL COMPANIES HERE IMMEDIATELY CHARGED THE MOVE WAS THE "THIN EDGE OF A WEDGE TO SQUEEZE US OUT OF THE STERLING MARKET."

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OIL SOURCES SAID IT WAS NOT YET CLEAR WHETHER THE AGREEMENT ALSO WOULD SETTLE THE GLOBAL ASPECT OF COMPETITION BETWEEN AMERICAN AND BRITISH OIL FIMS.

MINISTER OF FUEL AND POWER PHILIP NOEL-BAKER SAID BOTH STANDARD AND CALTEX PROPOSED SPENDING THEIR STERLING INCOME ON THE BUILDING OF TANKERS HERE OR ON ADDITIONAL SERVICES IN THEIR OPERATIONS.

THE PRESENT RATION ALLOWS THE MOTORIST TO DRIVE ONLY 90 MILES A MONTH. RECENTLY THE GOVERNMENT ORDERED THE RATION DOUBLED, EFFECTIVE JUNE 1. BRITAIN INTRODUCED GASOLINE RATIONING 10 YEARS AGO -- LESS THAN A MONTH AFTER THE OUTBREAK OF WORLD WAR II.

NOEL-BAKER SAID BRITAIN'S PRESENT GASOLINE CONSUMPTION HAS BEEN RUNNING TO 5,000,000 TONS ANNUALLY. HE SAID THE PRICE OF GASOLINE WOULD REMAIN UNCHANGED AT THREE SHILLINGS (42 CENTS) A GALLON. THE PRICE WAS INCREASED IN APRIL BY A NINE PENCE A GALLON TAX.

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LONDON, MAY 26-(AP)-MINISTER OF STATE KENNETH YOUNGER SAID TODAY THERE WAS "CERTAIN SUSPICION" IN THE UNITED STATES--BUT NONE AMONG BRITISH OFFICIALS--ABOUT TRYGVE LIE'S COLD WAR MISSION TO EUROPAN CAPITALS.

"THERE WAS A CERTAIN SUSPICION IN THE UNITED STATES ABOUT M. LIE'S VISIT," YOUNGER TOLD COMMONS. "I CAN ASSURE THE HOUSE THAT THERE IS NO SUSPICION HERE." HE DID NOT AMPLIFY HIS REFERENCE TO AMERICAN SUSPICIONS.

"WE REALIZE MR.LIE'S POSITION--THAT OF A VERY IMPORTANT INTERNATIONAL FIGURE WHO HAS THE DUTY AS WELL AS THE OPPORTUNITY TO RESOLVE THE DIFFICULTIES WHICH HAVE BEEN FRUSTRATING THE UNITED NATIONS," HE SAID.

"IT IS NOT WE WHO HAVE SOUGHT TO BREAK OFF TALKS AND NEGOTIATIONS IN THE UNITED NATIONS. IT HAS BEEN PRINCIPALLY THE SOVIET UNION, AND IF MR. LIE'S VISIT CAN PERSUADE THEM IT IS THEIR DUTY TO COME BACK INTO THE UNITED NATIONS ORGANS WE HOPE WE CAN GET ON WITH THE JOB."

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LONDON, MAY 27-(AP)-RUSSIA DECIDED TODAY TO BOYCOTT BIG FOUR CONFERENCES ON THE AUSTRIAN INDEPENDENCE TREATY UNTIL THE WESTERN POWERS REPLY TO THE APRIL 20 SOVIET NOTE ON TRIESTE.

THE NOTE DEMANDED THE WITHDRAWAL OF AMERICAN, BRITISH AND YUGOSLAV OCCUPATION TROOPS FROM TRIESTE. THE WESTERN POWERS TAKE THE VIEW THAT THIS HAS NO RELATION TO THE AUSTRIAN TREATY PROBLEMS.

GEORGI N.ZARUBIN OF RUSSIA ANNOUNCED THE BOYCOTT AT THE 255TH MEETING OF THE BIG FOUR DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTERS, WHO HAVE BEEN TRYING MORE THAN THREE YEARS TO WRITE A TREATY ESTABLISHING AUSTRIA AS AN INDEPENDENT STATE.

BRITAIN, THE UNITED STATES AND FRANCE CALLED FOR A NEW MEETING ON JULY 10. ZARUBIN THEN PRESENTED THE CONDITIONS ON WHICH RUSSIA WOULD BE REPRESENTED.

SAMUEL REBER, THE AMERICAN DELEGATE, ACTING AS CHAIRMAN, WENT THROUGH THE FORMALITY OF FIXING THE NEXT MEETING FOR THE DATE THE WESTERN POWERS AGREED UPON.

WESTERN DELEGATES HAVE INSISTED RUSSIA DOES NOT WANT TO CONCLUDE AN AUSTRIAN TREATY BECAUSE IT WOULD NECESSITATE THE WITHDRAWAL OF HER OCCUPATION TROOPS FROM AUSTRIA.

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london, may 26--(ap)--britain will join the french and west germans in discussions of french foreign minister robert schuman's plan

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for a european steel and coal pool, the british cabinet decided last night.

poland meanwhile protested the proposal. polish ambassador jersy putrament in paris told the french foreign ministry his people view the proposed [illegible] organization as a "cartel" designed to develop and to create an arsenal and base for aggression against german imperialism [illegible] the soviet union and the [illegible] communist "popular democracies" of eastern [illegible] financial oligarchy of the great american trusts.

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schuman on may 9 proposed that a common authority be established to control [illegible]

and coordinate europe's heavy industry. he suggested a pooling of french and west german coal and steel for a starter and ~~said that~~ other nations were invited to join in the project.

west german chancellor konrad ~~adenauer~~ adenauer readily approved ~~the expert~~ proposal. schuman said wednesday that ~~direct~~ talks with adenauer's government would start soon.

some british sources believe the proposed pool would conflict with british government planning designed primarily to help britain's dollar expert drive.

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LONDON,MAY 26-(AP)-BRITAIN'S ORGANIZED SCIENTISTS DECLARED TODAY THIS COUNTRY CANNOT BE DEFENDED AGAINST ATOMIC ATTACK.
"THE ONLY WAY OUT OF THE IMPASSE IS TO INSURE THAT A THIRD WORLD WAR DOES NOT IN FACT TAKE PLACE," THEY SAID IN A PAMPHLET ENTITLED "ATOMIC ATTACK," PUBLISHED BY THE ASSOCIATION OF SCIENTIFIC WORKERS."
THE ASSOCIATION IS A UNION OF 18,000 SCIENTISTS RANGING FROM LABORATORY TECHNICIANS TO WORLD FAMOUS PROFESSORS.
THE BOOKLET SAYS DISCUSSION OF STRATEGY IN A FUTURE WAR MAKES IT "INCREASINGLY CLEAR" THAT IN THE WESTERN DEFENSE SYSTEM BRITAIN IS BEING GIVEN THE ROLE OF AN AIR BASE FROM WHICH ATOMIC WEAPONS COULD BE LAUNCHED. THIS WOULD BRING DANGER OF RETALIATION, IT SAID.
THE PAMPHLET EXAMINES POSSIBILITIES OF DEFENSE AGAINST ATOMIC ATTACK IN THREE CATEGORIES AND REACHES THE CONCLUSION NONE OFFERS ANY REAL PROTECTION:
"INTERCEPTION OF BOMB CARRYING AIRCRAFT--BEYOND OUR POWERS TO PREVENT THEM GETTING THROUGH OUR DEFENSES.
"DISPERSAL OF KEY INDUSTRIES AND SERVICES--TOO COSTLY FOR BRITAIN TO CARRY OUT.
"AIR RAID PRECAUTIONS--PROBABLY NO PROTECTION FOR THOSE IN WITHIN A HALF MILE OF THE CENTER OF THE EXPLOSION (THE 'FLASH POINT' WHERE 17,500 MIGHT BE KILLED) BUT SOME PROTECTION TO THE REST OF THE 50,000 POTENTIAL CASUALTIES WITHIN THE AREA OF ONE AND ONE HALF MILES FROM THE CENTER."
THE PROTECTION COULD BE PROVIDED BY SUB-SURFACE SHELTERS WITH THE EQUIVALENT OF TWO FEET OF CONCRETE OVERHEAD, THE PAMPHLET SAID, BUT THIS COULD ONLY BE EFFECTIVE "ASSUMING WARNING WAS GIVEN."
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GRIMSBY, ENG., MAY 26-(AP)-SKIPPER JIM CHAPMAN OF THE TRAWLER ETRURIA, JUST BACK FROM 11 DAYS IN SOVIET CUSTODY, REPORTED FIENDISH TREATMENT TODAY--THOUGH WELL INTENTIONED.
HIS CRAFT WAS SEIZED IN THE WHITE SEA AND FINED FOR FISHING IN RED WATERS. HE TOLD REPORTERS THAT WHILE HE WAS BEING QUESTIONED IN MURMANSK, "THE RUSSIANS WERE POLITE AND INSISTED THAT I SMOKE THEIR CIGARETTES."
"AS RUSSIAN CIGARETTES ARE PRETTY AWFUL," SAID CHAPMAN, "IT WAS QUITE AN ORDEAL."
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LONDON,MAY 26-(AP)-THE "RED DEAN" OF CANTERBURY, REPLYING TO HIS SUPERIOR'S CRITICISM, CONTENDED TODAY THAT HE SPEAKS IN HIS PRIVATE CAPACITY BUT HIS OPINIONS "REPRESENT CHRISTIAN THOUGHT."
DEAN CANTERBURY, DR.HEWLETT JOHNSON, ARRIVED BY PLANE FROM A CANADIAN LECTURE TOUR. DURING HIS ABSENCE HIS SUPERIOR, THE ARCH-BISHOP OF CANTERBURY, SAID THE DEAN WAS "COMPLTELY UNREPRESENTATIV

BISHOP OF CANTERBURY, SAID THE DEAN WAS "COMPLETELY UNREPRESENTATIVE OF THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND."
REPLYING, DEAN CANTERBURY SAID: "HE DOES NOT APPROVE OF MY VIEWS, SO HIS POLITICAL VIEWS MUST BE ENTIRELY DIFFERENT. MY OPINIONS REPRESENT THOSE OF TENS OF THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE IN THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND, BUT NOT THE ORGANIZED BODY."
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PARIS,MAY 26-(AP)-ACTUAL TALKS ON THE POOLING OF WESTERN EUROPE'S WEALTH OF COAL AND STEEL ARE DUE IN PARIS IN MID-JUNE, WITH AT LEAST FIVE NATIONS TAKING PART, IT WAS LEARNED TODAY.
THIS IS THE SCHEME PROPOSED MAY 9 BY FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN FOR MERGING THE COAL MINES AND STEEL MILLS OF FRANCE AND GERMANY INTO A COMMON AUTHORITY. SCHUMAN, AT THE TIME, SAID OTHER EUROPEAN NATIONS WOULD BE WELCOME TO JOIN.
SINCE THEN BRITAIN, BELGIUM AND HOLLAND HAVE EXPRESSED INTEREST IN ATTENDING AN EXPERTS-LEVEL CONFERENCE TO "TALK THINGS OVER AND GETS MORE INFORMATION."
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ATHENS, GREECE, MAY 26-(AP)-THE WEEK-OLD STRIKE OF GREEK CIVIL SERVANTS WAS ORDERED ENDED AT MIDNIGHT TONIGHT, A UNION SPOKESMAN SAID.
PREMIER NICHOLAS PLASTIRAS AND VICE-PREMIER GEORGE PAPANDREOU GAVE "EXPRESS AND CATEGORIC ASSURANCES" THAT THE "HIGHEST POSSIBLE WAGE INCREASE WILL BE GRANTED," THE SPOKESMAN SAID.
THE STRIKE BEGAN WITH A DEMAND BY 75,000 CIVIL SERVANTS FOR AN "ADJUSTMENT" IN WAGES BASED ON THE COST-OF-LIVING INDEX. ANY CHANGES WILL BE REFLECTED IN THE NEW BUDGET STARTING JULY 1.
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ROME, MAY 26-(AP)-ITALY IS CONSIDERING RECOGNIZING COMMUNIST CHINA, FOREIGN MINISTER COUNT CARLO SFORZA TOLD THE SENATE TONIGHT.
SFORZA, A REPUBLICAN, SERVES IN THE CHRISTIAN DEMOCRAT (CATHOLIC) CABINET HEADED BY PREMIER ALCIDE DE GASPERI.
"THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT, CONSIDERING THAT THE PRESENT REGIME IN CHINA UNDER MAO TZE-TUNG'S CONTROL HAS ALL THE ELEMENTS OF STABILITY, COULD RECOGNIZE IT TO DEFEND (ITALY')S INTERESTS AND ITALY'S MISSIONS THERE," SFORZA SAID.
HE ADDED, HOWEVER, THAT ITALY MUST ALSO CONSIDER THAT BRITAIN, FIRST GREAT POWER TO RECOGNIZE THE CHINESE RED REGIME, HAS STILL BEEN UNABLE TO EXCHANGE AMBASSADORS WITH COMMUNIST CHINA.
BRITAIN RECOGNIZED THE COMMUNIST REGIME IN CHINA JAN.6 AND SENT AN ENVOY TO PEIPING FEB.1 TO ESTABLISH DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS. SO FAR THE CHINESE REDS HAVE REFUSED TO RESPOND.
ONE REASON THEY GAVE WAS THAT BRITAIN HAD NOT ACTIVELY SUPPORTED THEIR CAMPAIGN FOR A SEAT IN THE UNITED NATIONS. BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN TOLD THE HOUSE OF COMMONS WEDNESDAY BRITAIN WOULD FAVOR ADMISSION OF RED CHINA TO THE U.N.
INFORMED DIPLOMATIC SOURCES ALSO SAY FRANCE WOULD NOT STAND IN THE WAY OF U.N. MEMBERSHIP FOR THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS. FRANCE HAS NOT RECOGNIZED THE NEW GOVERNMENT BECAUSE IT DEALS WITH GUERRILLA LEADER HO CHI-MINH WHO IS IN REVOLT AGAINST FRENCH AUTHORITY IN INDO-CHINA.
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ROME,MAY 26-(AP)-CHARGES OF IRREGULARITIES IN HIGH PLACES IN Ppremier ALCIDE DE GASPERI'S GOVERNMENT, LONG-PUBLICIZED BY ROME'S COMMUNIST PRESS, BROUGHT A DEMAND TODAY FOR PARLIAMENTARY INQUIRY.
THE INVESTIGATION, PROPOSED BY A GROUP OF LIBERAL PARTY DEPUTIES, ASKS THE APPOINTMENT OF A CHAMBER OF DEPUTIES COMMISSION TO PROBE THE ACCUSATIONS MADE BY ETTORE VIOLA, A CHRISTIAN DEMOCRAT DEPUTY.
THE RESOLUTION WILL BE DEBATED BY THE CHAMBER ON MAY 31.
PRESENTATION OF THE INQUIRY PROPOSAL PUT THE "VIOLA CASE" ON THE FRONT PAGES OF ROMAN NEWSPAPERS TODAY. PREVIOUSLY ONLY THE COMMUNIST AND PRO-COMMUNIST ORGANS HAD GIVEN IT MUCH ATTENTION. IT ALSO BROUGHT A SHARP DENIAL FROM THE PARLIAMENTARY LEADER OF DE GASPERI'S CHRISTIAN DEMOCRAT MAJORITY PARTY, GIUSEPPE CAPPI. HE TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE "THIS SCANDALOUS CAMPAIGN AGAINST THE CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATS WOULD FALL BEFORE THE TRUTH."
THE EXACT CHARGES, INVOLVING CABINET MINISTERS AND CHRISTIAN DEMOCRAT DEPUTIES, MADE PRIVATELY BY VIOLA TO THE DIRECTORATE OF THE CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATS, HAVE BEEN TREATED GINGERLY BY EVEN THE COMMUNIST PRESS.
PAOLO BONOMI, A LEADING CHRISTIAN DEMOCRAT DEPUTY, NAMED BY VIOLA IN A PRESS STATEMENT, CALLED ON HIS ACCUSER TO SUBSTANTIATE HIS CHARGES WITHOUT BENEFIT OF PARLIAMENTARY IMMUNITY.
ACCORDING TO THE COMMUNIST PRESS VIOLA'S CHARGES INVOLVE ABUSE BY CERTAIN MINISTERS AND THEIR DEPUTIES OF THEIR OFFICIAL POSITION FOR FINANCIAL GAIN. ONE MINISTER, SAID THE COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER L'UNITA, IS ALLEGED TO HAVE MADE 214,000,000 LIRE (ABOUT $343,000).
THE LIBERALS, MEMBERS OF THE FAR-RIGHT PARTY THAT WITHDREW LAST JANUARY FROM DE GASPERI'S COALITION GOVERNMENT. DID NOT MENTION CHARGES SPECIFICALLY IN THEIR DEMAND FOR AN INVESTIGATION. THEY POINTED OUT THE NECESSITY OF SAFEGUARDING THE "HONESTY" OF PARLIAMENTARY DEMOCRACY.
VIOLA, WHO BROUGHT THE CHARGES, HOLDS ITALY'S GOLD MEDAL FOR VALOR IN THE FIRST WORLD WAR. HE LIVED IN EXILE DURING FASCISM. HE IS PRESIDENT OF THE WAR VETERANS ASSOCIATION.
BJ1156AED

A12
(120)
VIENNA, AUSTRIA, MAY 26-(AP)-FORMAL PRESENTATION TO THE ALLIED COUNCIL OF BRAZIL'S NEW MINISTER HAS BEEN BLOCKED BY RUSSIA--AN UNPRECEDENTED MOVE WHICH BROUGHT SHARP CRITICISM FROM THE COUNCIL CHAIRMAN, U.S. LT. GEN. GEOFFREY KEYES.
IN ACCORDANCE WITH ESTABLISHED PROCEDURE, DR. ROBERTO MENDES GONCALVES, THE BRAZILIAN MINISTER, WAS TO HAVE BEEN INTRODUCED TO THE HIGH COMMISSIONERS BEFORE YESTERDAY'S BI-MONTHLY MEETING.
THE DEPUTY RUSSIAN HIGH COMMISSIONER, COL. GEN. ALEXEI ZHELTOV, SAID HE COULD NOT AGREE TO THE PRESENTATION BECAUSE HIS COUNTRY NO LONGER MAINTAINS DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH BRAZIL. THE RUSSIANS HAD AGREED TO THE PRESENTATION LAST WEEK.
BRAZIL SEVERED RELATIONS WITH RUSSIA OCT. 21, 1947, AFTER THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT NEWSPAPER IZVESTIA ATTACKED BRAZILIAN PRESIDENT EURICO GASPAR DUTRA AND HIS REGIME.
KEYES, AMERICAN HIGH COMMISSIONER TO AUSTRIA, SAID THE SOVIET ACTION "BESIDES BEING IMPOLITE, BRINGS REFLECTION ON THE ENTIRE ALLIED COUNCIL."
ALTHOUGH AUSTRIA IS UNDER FOUR-POWER CONTROL, FOREIGN ENVOYS ARE ACCREDITED DIRECTLY TO THE AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT.
JR317AED

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A60
BUDAPEST, HUNGARY, MAY 26-(AP)-ANDRASZ SZOBEK, HUNGARIAN AMBASSADOR TO MOSCOW, HAS BEEN RECALLED AND APPOINTED FOREIGN TRADE MINISTER, AN ANNOUNCEMENT SAID TODAY.
THE FOREIGN TRADE MINISTRY HAS BEEN WITHOUT A HEAD SINCE SANDOR RONAI WAS ELECTED CHIEF OF THE PRESIDENTIAL COUNCIL (EQUIVALENT TO PRESIDENT OF THE COUNTRY) MAY 8.
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A81 (310)
BUDAPEST, HUNGARY, MAY 26-(AP)-THE GOVERNMENT REAFFIRMED TONIGHT THAT IT DOES NOT WISH TO SERVE ON COMMISSION, INVESTIGATING BRITISH AND AMERICAN CHARGES THAT HUNGARY HAS VIOLATED THE HUMAN RIGHTS CLAUSE OF THE PEACE TREATY. HUNGARY HAS DENIED THE CHARGES.
THE REAFFIRMATION WAS MADE IN A NOTE DELIVERED TO THE BRITISH AND AMERICAN LEGATIONS HERE IN ANSWER TO NOTES FROM THEIR TWO COUNTRIES APRIL 26. THE BRITISH AND AMERICAN NOTES HAD STATED THE TWO WESTERN POWERS "ASSUMED THAT THE HUNGARIAN GOVERNMENT WILL NOMINATE ITS REPRESENTATIVES ON THE PAACE TREATY COMMISSION."
THE HUNGARIAN NOTE REPEATED THIS COUNTRY'S FORMER STAND THAT "NO

DISPUTE ON THE INTERPRETATION OF THE PEACE TREATY IS TO BE SETTLED, AS INDEED NO SUCH DISPUTE EVER EXISTED."

IT ADDED THAT HUNGARY REGARDS AS "WHOLLY UNMOTIVATED AND UNFOUNDED THE STEPS BY THE GOVERNMENTS OF THE UNITED STATES AND THE UNITED KINGDOM BY WHICH THEY APPROACHED THE UNITED NATIONS AND THROUGH IT THE INTERNATIONAL COURT OF JUSTICE IN THE MATTER."

LAST YEAR THE U.S. AND BRITAIN ACCUSED HUNGARY, ROMANIA AND BULGARIA OF VIOLATING HUMAN RIGHTS CLAUSES OF THEIR WORLD WAR 11 PEACE TREATIES BY THEIR PROSECUTIONS OF RELIGIOUS LEADERS. THE TWO WESTERN COUNTRIES INVOKED THE SETTLEMENT PROVISIONS OF THE TREATIES WHICH CALL FOR THREE-NATION COMMISSIONS TO STUDY THE COMPLAINTS.

HUNGARY, BULGARIA AND ROMANIA REFUSED TO NAME ANY REPRESENTATIVES TO SUCH COMMISSIONS, AND THE UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY SUBMITTED THE CASE TO THE INTERNATIONAL CORT FOR AN ADVISORY OPINION.

THE WORLD COURT DECIDED BY A VOTE OF 11 TO THREE MARCH 30 THAT A DISPUTE DOES EXIST BETWEEN BRITAIN AND THE U.S. ON ONE HAND AND THE THREE BALKAN NATIONS ON THE OTHER UNDER THE PEACE TREATIES AND THAT HUNGARY, BULGARIA AND ROMANIA ARE OBLIGED TO NAME REPRESENTATIVES TO THE TREATY COMMISSIONS.

IN HER NOTE TODAY HUNGARY NOT ONLY REFUSED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE COMMISSION BUT ALSO QUESTIONED THE COMPETENCE OF BOTH THE U.N AND THE WORLD COURT IN THE CASE.

THE NOTE OBJECTED FURTHER TO THE "ULTIMATUM-LIKE 30-DAY TIME LIMIT SET UP ARBITRARILY AND WITHOUT ANY FOUNDATION BY U.N." FOR THE NOMINATION OF A HUNGARIAN COMMISSION MEMBER. IT DECLARED THAT HUNGARY "CANNOT AGREE WITH THIS PROCEDURE."

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B75 (280) Q
WITH WASHINGTON MIDDLE EAST (A38)
BY STAN SWINTON

CAIRO,MAY 25-(AP)-A FAVORABLE FINAL EGYPTIAN REACTION TO THE NEW BIG THREE AGREEMENT ON ARMS FOR THE MIDDLE EAST WAS INDICATED HERE TODAY THOUGH THE LARGEST ARABIC NEWSPAPERS AND EGYPTIAN OFFICIALS STILL WITHHELD COMMENT.

CAIRO'S TWO LARGEST MORNING PAPERS, AL MISRI AND AL AHRAM, BOTH DEVOTED THEIR FRONT PAGES TO THE AMERICAN-BRITISH-FRENCH STATEMENT AND FOREIGN REACTION, WITHOUT A WORD OF COMMENT OF THEIR OWN.

A STRAW IN THE WIND, HOWEVER, WAS THE ENTHUSIASTIC RECEPTION GIVEN THE DECLARATION BY THE FRENCH LANGUAGE JOURNAL D'EGYPTE.

UNDER A RED BANNERLINE--"ARAB EAST WELCOMES BIG THREE DECLARATION"--THE JOURNAL SAID THE ARAB CAPITALS CONSIDER THE DECLARATION A CONTRIBUTION TO PEACE AND STABILITY.

A FRONT-PAGE EDITORIAL SIGNED BY PUBLISHER EDGARD GALLAD PASHA CALLED IT AN ARAB DIPLOMATIC VICTORY. THE DECLARATION, HE SAID, WOULD PREVENT THE RESUMPTION OF PALESTINE HOSTILITIES AND WOULD END FEARS OF AGGRESSION BY IRAQ OR HASHEMITE JORDAN.

THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE EGYPTIAN GAZETTE SAID THE DECLARATION "SHOULD BE WELCOMED AS A FACTOR STRENGTHENING THE FORCES OF PEACE SO NECESSARY FOR URGENT PROGRAMS OF SOCIAL REFORM."

U.S. AMBASSADOR JEFFERSON CAFFERY, SENIOR U.S. DIPLOMAT IN THE MIDDLE EAST, SAID IN A STATEMENT THE DECLARATION "WILL TEND TO PROMOTE A SENSE OF SECURITY AND STABILITY IN THE MIDDLE EAST AND CONSEQUENTLY WILL COOTRIBUTE TO THE MAINTENANCE OF PEACE IN THIS AREA."

DIPLOMATIC SOURCES BELIEVED THE ARAB STATES WOULD WELCOME THE BIG THREE AGREEMENT FOR THESE REASONS:

1. THE UNITED STATES NOW WOULD MEET A LONGTIME ARAB REQUEST BY SELLING DEFENSIVE ARMS TO THE ARAB STATES.

2. THE BIG THREE DID NOT REQUIRE CONCLUSION OF A FORMAL PEACE WITH ISRAEL, SOMETHING THE ARAB STATES DID NOT WANT.

3. THE AGREEMENT'S WARNING TO MIDDLE EAST COUNTRIES NOT TO VIOLATE FRONTIERS OR ARMISTICE LINES SHOULD END ARAB FEARS THAT ISRAEL MIGHT OCCUPY ARAB PALESTINE BY FORCE.

4. THE AGREEMENT SHOULD HELP ELIMINATE EGYPTIAN AND SAUDI ARABIAN FEARS THAT SYRIA MIGHT BE FORCED INTO A UNION BY IRAQ OR JORDAN.

BJ954AED

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B76 Q
FOLO CAIRO

AMMAN, JORDAN,MAY 26-(AP)-POLITICAL CIRCLES INDICATED TODAY THEY WERE PLEASED WITH THE AMERICAN-BRITISH-FRENCH ANNOUNCEMENT THAT WESTERN ARMS WILL BE SUPPLIED TO PROMOTE MIDDLE EAST STABILITY.

A STATEMENT BY DEFENSE MINISTER FAWZI PASHA MULKI, HOWEVER, WAS NON-COMMITTAL. HE SAID: "THE HASHEMITE KINGDOM OF JORDAN IS A PEACE-LOVING COUNTRY. SHE GREATLY DESIRES PEACE AND SECURITY. JORDAN GREETS EVERY STEP TOWARD PEACE BECAUSE IT DISLIKES AGGRESSION. ALL THAT JORDAN WANTS IS TO HAVE RIGHT PREVAIL AND PEACE BUILT ON A SOLID AND JUST BASIS."

BJ955AED

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A59 (110)

CAPETOWN, SOUTH AFRICA, MAY 26-(AP)-ISRAELI FOREIGN MINISTER MOSHE SHARETT, WHO ARRIVED IN CAPETOWN BY AIR TODAY, EXPRESSED "INTENSE SATISFACTION" WITH THE DECISION OF THE THREE WESTERN POWERS TO SELL ARMS TO ISRAEL AND ARAB STATES.

HE SAID HE REGARDED THE AGREEMENT AS PUTTING AN END TO FEARS OF AN ARMS RACE IN THE MIDDLE EAST.

SHARETT SAID THE FACT THAT ARMS AND MATERIAL IN THE PAST HAD BEEN SUPPLIED TO STATES "WHICH NEVER CEASED TO THREATEN THE RENEWAL OF WAR AGAINST ISRAEL AND WHICH STILL REFUSE TO MAKE PEACE, REMAINED A MATTER OF GRAVE CONCERN."

"I PRESUME THIS AGREEMENT SIGNIFIES THE END OF ALL SUCH DISCRIMINATION," SHARETT SAID. "I NOTE WITH SATISFACTION THAT THREE GOVERNMENTS HAVE DECLARED THEIR OPPOSITION TO THE USE OR THREAT OF FORCE IN THE MIDDLE EAST."

G754PED

B53 Q

ALEXANDRIA, EGYPT, MAY 25-(AP)-THE AMERICAN EXPORT LINER EXCALIBUR SAILED TODAY WITHOUT SAILOR BERRY PATTON CARTWRIGHT.

THE 27-YEAR-OLD SEAMAN FROM (99 CANNON ST.) NEW YORK, WAS REARRESTED BY EGYPTIAN POLICE FOR QUESTIONING IN CONNECTION WITH A CHARGE THAT HE WAS CARRYING SOCIALIST LITERATURE. HE FIRST WAS ARRESTED WEDNESDAY, SENT BACK TO HIS SHIP AND WARNED NOT TO COME ASHORE AGAIN.

POLICE INDICATED CARTWRIGHT CAME ASHORE AGAIN ANYWAY, THEY ACCUSED HIM OF CARRYING SOCIALIST BOOKS IN THE ARABIC, FRENCH AND ENGLISH LANGUAGES.

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30.24- 11373

B38KX Q (NL CHINEE & NL BAGUIO FM A)
(270)

NIGHT LEAD CHINESE

BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI,FORMOSA, MAY 26-(AP)-THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS HERALDED TODAY A TOTAL VICTORY OVER THE COMMUNIST INVADERS OF THE LITTLE WANSHAN ISLANDS NEAR HONG KONG.

SOURCES IN THIS NATIONALIST CAPITAL CALLED IT AN INDICATION OF WHAT MIGHT HAPPEN WHEN THE REDS ATTEMPT TO INVADE FORMOSA, AS THEY REPEATEDLY HAVE VOWED TO DO THIS YEARM

A NATIONALIST NAVAL COMMUNIQUE SAID THE BATTLE FOR THE WANSHANS, WHICH BEGAN THURSDAY BEFORE DAWN, ENDED WITH THESE RED LOSSES:

4,000 CASUALTIES; ONE LANDING CRAFT, 19 GUNBOATS AND 54 MOTOR-DRIVEN JUNKS SUNK; PLUS ANOTHER GUNBOAT AND 12 TROOP-CARRYING JUNKS SUNK LAST NIGHT NEAR THE PORTUGUESE COLONY OF MACAO.

THE COMMUNIQUE SAID UNSPECIFIED NUMBERS OF REDS WHO MMANAGED TO LAND ON THREE OF THE ISLANDS WERE "NOW FACING ANNIHILATION WITH LITTLE HOPE OF REINFORCEMENTS."

SOME CAUTIOUS ELEMENTS IN TAIPEI RECALLED THAT A SIMILAR LINE IN NATIONALIST VICTORY REPORTS FROM HAINAN ISLAND IN APRIL WAS FOLLOWED BY A NATIONALIST DEFEAT.

THE GENERAL TENDENCY, HOWEVER, WAS TO BELIEVE THE PRESENT ACCOUNTS. NAVAL AUTHORITIES SUPPORTED THIS IMPRESSION BY JUBILANTLY OFFERING TO TAKE FOREIGN CORRESPONDENTS TO SEE FOR THEMSELVES IF THEY WISHED.

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THE WANSHANS ALSO ARE KNOWN AS THE LADRONES (SPANISH FOR "THIEVES") BECAUSE IN THE PAST CENTURY THEY WERE A NOTORIOUS PIRATES LAIR. THEY LIE ABOUT 40 MILES SOUTHWEST OF THE BRITISH COLONY OF HONG KONG AND ABOUT 20 MILES SOUTHEAST OF MACAO, BLOCKING FREE ENTRY TO THE PEARL RIVER ESTUARY THAT LEADS TO RED CANTON.

IN ADDITION TO THE NAVAL REPORT, THE NATIONALIST AIR FORCE ANNOUNCED THAT ITS PLANES ATTACKED COMMUNIST VESSELS NEAR AMOY AND SWATOW EARLY FRIDAY. RESULTS WERE NOT DETAILS BUT WERE CALLED "SATISFACTORY."

FJ535PCS

A115FX

FIRST LEAD CHINESE (120)

TAIPEI,MAY 26-(AP)-THE SECOND BATTLE FOR THE WANSHAN (LADRONE) ISLANDS WAS OVER TODAY WITH THE COMMUNISTS DECISIVELY DEFEATED AND MINUS 4,000 DEAD SOLIDERS, THE NATIONALIST NAVY ANNOUNCED.

THE NAVY SAID THOSE OF THE ORIGINAL 7,000 COMMUNIST TROOPS WHO MANAGED TO GET ASHORE ON THE ISLANDS OF CHINGCHOW, WEST CHINGCHOW AND SANCHIAO WERE FACING ANNIHILATION WITH LITTLE HOPE OF REINFORCEMENT.

THE WANSHANS ARE ABOUT 40 MILES FROM BRITISH HONG KONG AND HAVE BEEN USED BY THE NATIONALISTS TO BLOCKADE THE PEARL RIVER ENTRANCE TO CANTON.

A NAVY COMMUNIQUE SAID 19 SMALL GUNBOATS, 54 MOTOR DRIVEN JUNKS AND ONE LANDING CRAFT WERE SUNK IN THE SECOND ATTEMPT BY THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS TO TAKE THE ISLANDS.

THE FIRST INVASION ATTEMPT ON THE ISLANDS WAS MADE ON MAY 19 AND WAS REPULSED BY NATIONALIST WARSHIPS.

(NO PICKUP)

CC707APD NM

A86KX

NITE LEAD VOLADOR (220)

HONG KONG, MAY 26-(AP)-GORDON ROSS HAPPILY PILOTED HIS YACHT VOLADOR INTO HONG KONG TODAY, SINGING THE PRAISES OF THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS.

THE REDS HAD DETAINED HIM, HIS YOUNG SON AND CREW FOR TWO MONTHS AND HIS YACHT FOR THREE, BUT ROSS CREDITED THEM WITH GOING TO GREAT LENGTHS TO KEEP THE VOLADOR AFLOAT AFTER SHE WAS DAMAGED BY NATIONALIST AIR RAIDERS.

ROSS, 51, FORMERLY OF SANTA MONICA, CALIF., AND YAKIMA, WASH., AND A FORMER WARTIME LIEUTENANT COMMANDER IN THE U.S. NAVY, WAS INTERVIEWED ABOARD THE VOLADOR.

ON A VOYAGE FROM MANILA, HE SAID HE BLUNDERED INTO FORT BAYARD IN RED CHINA FEB. 13. AFTER TWO MONTHS OF DETENTION OF HIM AND HIS 11-MAN CREW OF SEVERAL NATIONALITIES, THE REDS TRUCKED THEM TO HONG KONG APRIL 20 AND KICKED THEM OUT.

ROSS WENT BACK TWICE TO TRY TO GET HIS 42-FOOT VESSEL. LAST WEEK HE CHARTERED THE BRITISH TUG ALICIA MOLLER. HE AND THE TUG HAD BEEN REPORTED MISSING FOR SEVERAL DAYS WHEN THEY SHOWED UP THIS MORNING WITH THE VOLADOR.

HE DECLARED THE REDS HAD MET THEM 30 MILES AT SEA, GAVE THEM GIFTS OF FRUIT AND VEGETABLES, AND "BEHAVED LIKE ABSOLUTE GENTLEMEN" DURING NEGOTIATIONS FOR RELEASING THE YACHT.

"THEY COULDN'T HAVE DONE MORE FOR US," HE ASSERTED. "THEY NOT ONLY PROTECTED THE YACHT BUT MADE SMALL REPAIRS AFTER DAMAGE FROM A NATIONALIST AIR RAID MARCH 14."

MEANWHILE IN HONG KONG FIVE FORMER CREWMEN SAID A HONG KONG JUSTICE HAD SIGNED A DETENTION ORDER AGAINST THE VESSEL UNTIL THEIR CLAIM FOR $10,594 IN BACK PAY IS SETTLED.

HH736PCS

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B74KX Q
(120 (BA)

HONG KONG,MAY 25 (AP)-POLICE TODAY PROHIBITED VISITORS ABOARD THE YACHT VOLADOR AND THE TUG ALICIA MOLLER WHICH ARRIVED FROM COMMUNIST CHINA THIS MORNING.

THERE WAS NO EXPLANATION BY THE POLICE OF THEIR ACTION.

THE VOLADOR, BELONGING TO AMERICAN GORDON ROSS, OF YAKIMA, WASH., AND SANTA MONICA, CALIF., HAD BEEN DETAINED AT FORT BAYARD, CHINA, ACROSS THE BAY. ROSS CHARTERED THE TUG ALICIA MOLLER TO RECLAIM HIS $20,000 CRAFT.

MEANWHILE IN HONG KONG FIVE FORMER CREWMEN ABOARD THE YACHT SAID A HONG KONG JUSTICE HAD SIGNED AN ORDER DETAINING THE YACHT IN PORT UNTIL LITIGATION WAS SETTLED OVER $10,594 IN BACK PAY CLAIMED BY THEM.

ROSS WAS QUOTED BY FRIENDS AS HOPING TO SAIL THE VOLADOR TO THE UNITED STATES, SELL HER AND BUY A MOTEL IN CENTRAL AMERICA WITH THE PROCEEDS.

GG748ACS NM

B70KX Q
APW
HONG KONG,MAY 26 (AP)-A SMALL BRITISH FREIGHTER SAILED LAST NIGHT FOR COMMUNIST SHANGHAI BENT ON TESTING THE CHINESE NATIONALIST BLOCKADE.

THE 3,372-TON MAUSANG CARRIED A MINIMUM CARGO AND NO PASSENGERS. JARDINE MATHESON & CO., THE OWNER, AND ALL HONG KONG SHIPPERS REGARD THE TRIP AS A "TRIAL RUN."

THE NATIONALISTS SAY THE BLOCKADE CONTINUES ALTHOUGH THEY HAVE WITHDRAWN FROM THE BLOCKADE BASE OF CHUSHAN ISLAND, 100 MILES SOUTHEAST OF SHANGHAI. THEY SAY THE YANGTZE LEADING TO SHANGHAI IS MINED.

THE SHIPPERS HOPE TO PROVE THAT THE NATIONALISTS CANNOT BLOCKADE SHANGHAI EFFECTIVELY FROM FORMOSA. FORMOSA IS 410 AIR MILES SOUTH OF SHANGHAI. THE SHIPPERS ALSO HOPE TO PROVE THE MINING REPORT IS FALSE.

ANOTHER BRITISH SHIP, THE TSINAN, IS REPORTED SCHEDULED TO SAIL FOR SHANGHAI SATURDAY.

GG733ACS

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A140FX
HONG KONG, MAY 26-(AP)-RED HELD SHANGHAI, WHICH HAS HAD LITTLE TO CELEBRATE SINCE THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS TOOK OVER, WILL GO WILD SUNDAY.

IT IS THE FIRST ANNIVERSARY OF THE COMMUNIST VICTORY IN THE HUGE PORT, WHICH HAS SINCE BEEN BLOCKADED BY THE NATIONALISTS.

NEWS OF THE FORTHCOMING CELEBRATION REACHING HERE SAID THE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT PLANNED AN ENTHUSIASTIC CELEBRATION "BUT NOT AN EXTRAVAGANT ONE."

JW834APD NM

A139FX
HONG KONG, MAY 26-(AP)-A CANTON DISPATCH TO THE INDEPENDENT NEWSPAPER WAH KU YAT PO TODAY QUOTED COMMUNIST SOURCES AS SAYING THE REDS HAVE 12 JET FIGHTERS AND FOUR SOVIET DG-3 TRANSPORTS BASED AT CANTON.

THE TRANSPORTS ARE BEING CONVERTED INTO BOMBERS, THE DISPATCH SAID.

JW833APD

A113FX
HONG KONG,MAY 26-(AP)-THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS TODAY ACCUSED THE NATIONALISTS OF WHOLESALE MASSACRES IN THE CHUSHAN ISLANDS, 100 MILES SOUTH OF SHANGHAI, BEFORE THE ISLAND GROUP WAS ABANDONED.

THE NEW CHINA NEWS AGENCY, A RED ORGAN, SAID IN A TINGHAI DISPATCH PRISONERS AND CIVILIANS WERE MASSACRED ON MAY 1 BEFORE THE WHOLESALE NATIONALIST EVACUATION.

ONE NATIONALIST WAS ACCUSED OF MURDERING 78 PERSONS BY THROWING THEM INTO THE SEA WITH THEIR HANDS BOUND.

CC701APD

A152KX
2ND NITE LEAD JAPANESE (220)
BY RUSSELL BRINES
TOKYO,SATURDAY,MAY 27-(AP)-GENERAL MAC ARTHUR TODAY PAID TRIBUTE "WITH AN EMOTION I CAN NOT EXPRESS" TO BRITISH OCCUPATION FORCES WHICH SOON WILL WITHDRAW FROM JAPAN.

THE WITHDRAWAL WILL LEAVE ONLY AMERICAN TROOPS TO OCCUPY THIS BEATEN AND SHRUNKEN EMPIRE WHICH ONCE DEFIED THE MIGHT OF THE WESTERN POWERS.

THE SUPREME ALLIED COMMANDER ISSUED A BRIEF STATEMENT AFTER BEING INFORMED THE OCCUPATION TROOPS--ALL AUSTRALIANS--WILL QUIT THE OCCUPATION WHICH, FROM THE FIRST, HAS BEEN MAINLY AMERICAN.

THE DECISION TO WITHDRAW THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH FORCES--TOTALING 2,500 ARMY, NAVY AND AIR FORCE MEN--WAS ANNOUNCED IN AUSTRALIA BY PRIME MINISTER ROBERT MENZIES WITH U.S. AGREEMENT. BRITISH FORCES WILL REQUIRE AT LEAST SIX MONTHS TO QUIT JAPAN.

"MUCH OF THE SUCCESS OF THE OCCUPATION," MAC ARTHUR SAID, "HAS BEEN DUE TO THEIR SPLENDID EFFICIENCY...THEY HAVE RENDERED MODEL SERVICE WORTH OF THE LUSTRE OF THE GREAT NATIONS WHICH BRED THEM."

MAC ARTHUR SAID HE UNDERSTOOD FULLY "THE REASON AND NECESSITY FOR THE WITHDRAWAL."

RECALLING THE PERIOD WHEN HE COMMANDED AUSTRALIAN AND OTHER BRITISH FORCES IN THE LONG SOUTH PACIFIC CAMPAIGN, MAC ARTHUR SAID:

"IN PEACE, THEY HAVE EMULATED THEIR CONDUCT IN WAR AND I CAN PAY THEM NO GREATER TRIBUTE THAN THAT. I AM PROUD, INDEED, TO HAVE BEEN ASSOCIATED WITH THEM THROUGH THE LONG YEARS OF THE PAST DECADE AND WILL BID THEM A LAST FAREWELL WITH AN EMOTION I CAN NOT EXPRESS."

"IT WILL TAKE AT LEAST SIX MONTHS BEFORE THE WITHDRAWAL CAN BE COMPLETED," SAID LT. GEN. H. C. H. ROBERTSON, COMMANDER OF THE COMMONWEALTH OCCUPATION GROUP.

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THE FORCE AT ITS PEAK TOTALLED 40,000, INCLUDING UNITED KINGDOM, NEW ZEALAND AND INDIAN UNITS. IT ORIGINALLY OCCUPIED FIVE PREFECTURES IN SOUTHERN HONSHU AND ALL OF THE ISLAND OF SHIKOKU. WITH GRADUAL WITHDRAWALS OVER THE YEARS, IT NOW OCCUPIES ONLY HIROSHIMA PREFECTURE.

FLEET UNITS ARE BASED AT KURE AND THE ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE AT IWAKUNI, NEAR HIROSHIMA.

THE BRITISH ROYAL NAVY HAS ABOUT 6,000 MEN IN FAR EASTERN WATERS (MOSTLY AT HONG KONG) WHO OCCASIONALLY USE THE KURE BASE. AUSTRALIAN INFORMATION OFFICERS SAID PRESUMABLY THE WITHDRAWAL WOULD NOT AFFECT THIS ARRANGEMENT.

SINCE SUPERVISION OF OCCUPATION REFORMS AND LIAISON WITH JAPANESE GOVERNMENT AGENCIES IN THE COMMONWEALTH OCCUPATION ZONE ALREADY IS CONDUCTED BY AMERICANS, RETIREMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH TACTICAL UNITS WILL HAVE NO EFFECT ON OCCUPATION ADMINISTRATION.

GENERAL ROBERTSON'S HEADQUARTERS ISSUED A STATEMENT PRAISING GENERAL MACARTHUR AS SUPREME COMMANDER OF THE OCCUPATION AND CALLING IT "THE MOST HARMONIOUS JOINT SERVICE OF ITS KIND IN HISTORY."

FJ513PCS

30.24- 11375

A79FX
(300)
TOKYO,MAY 26-(AP)-ALL BRITISH COMMONWEALTH OCCUPATION FORCES IN JAPAN WERE ORDERED HOME TODAY BY PRIME MINISTER ROBERT MENZIES OF AUSTRALIA.
THE 2,500 MEN REMAINING OF THE ORIGINAL 40,000 MAN BRITISH OCCUPATION FORCE ARE ALL AUSTRALIANS.
LT.GEN.H.C.H.ROBERTSON, COMMANDER OF THE BRITISH OCCUPATION FORCES, SAID IT WOULD TAKE AT LEAST SIX MONTHS TO WITHDRAW THE PERSONNEL AND STORES.
THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE WITHDRAWAL WAS MADE IN CANBERRA, AUSTRALIA. RADIO AUSTRALIA BROADCAST THE ORDER WHICH WAS HEARD HERE.
GENERAL ROBERTSON PAID HIGH TRIBUTE TO GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR, OCCUPATION COMMANDER IN CHIEF, UPON RECEIPT OF THE WITHDRAWAL ORDER.
"THE OCCUPATION OF JAPAN BY THE ARMED FORCES OF TWO NATIONS HAS UNDOUBTEDLY BEEN THE MOST HARMONIOUS JOINT SERVICE OF ITS KIND IN HISTORY," HE SAID.
HE SAID THE "MARVELOUS COOPERATION" BETWEEN COMMONWEALTH AND AMERICAN FORCES WAS "DUE ENTIRELY TO THE SUPREME COMMANDER OF THE ALLIED POWERS, GENERAL OF THE ARMY DOUGLAS MACARTHUR, HIMSELF."
ROBERTSON SAID THE BCOF'S WITHDRAWAL WOULD BE TIMED TO FIT IN WITH THE MOVEMENT OF AMERICAN FORCES INTO THE BCOF OCCUPATION AREA IN HIROSHIMA.
AUSTRALIAN ARMY, NAVY AND AIR UNITS COMPOSE THE BCOF.
ORIGINALLY, IN 1946, THE BCOF WAS COMPOSED OF BRITISH, AUSTRALIAN, NEW ZEALAND AND INDIAN GROUND, AIR AND NAVAL UNITS.
KURE, A SOUTH JAPAN NAVAL BASE, IS USED BY THE NAVAL FORCES AND MAY CONTINUE TO BE USED BY THE BRITISH FAR EASTERN FLEET FOR A PORT OF CALL.
COL.G.E.SELLS, PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICER OF THE BCOF, SAID THE DECISION TO WITHDRAW THE 2,500 AUSTRALIANS FROM JAPAN WAS MADE AFTER "TALKS WITH THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT AND ITS AGREEMENT."
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SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA, MAY 26-(AP)-AUSTRALIA IS PREPARING TO WITHDRAW HER 2,374 OCCUPATION TROOPS FROM JAPAN.
PRIME MINISTER ROBERT G. MENZIES TOLD A PRESS CONFERENCE THE U.S. GOVERNMENT HAD AGREED TO THE WITHDRAWAL.
THE REMOVAL OF THE OCCUPATION FORCE, HE SAID, WAS BEING ORDERED CHIEFLY TO PROVIDE A BACKBONE FOR THE NEW AUSTRALIAN HOME DEFENSE ARMY TO BE FORMED IN CONNECTION WITH THE INTRODUCTION SOON OF COMPULSORY MILITARY SERVICE IN THIS COUNTRY.
THE OCCUPATION TROOPS WILL GET EXTENDED LEAVES ON THEIR RETURN FROM JAPAN, MENZIES SAID, THEN WILL BE RECALLED FOR DUTY WITH THE DEFENSE TROOPS.
JR235AED

B71KX Q
APW (220)
TOKYO,MAY 25 (AP)-A KEY OCCUPATION OFFICIAL SAID TODAY JAPANESE COTTON SPINNERS HAVE AGREED INFORMALLY NOT TO UNDERSELL BRITISH AND AMERICAN EXPORTERS IN COMPETITIVE MARKETS.
E.C.WELSH, CHIEF OF THE OCCUPATION FAIR TRADE PRACTICES DIVISION, SAID THE AGREEMENT WAS THE RESULT OF LAST WEEK'S CONFERENCE BETWEEN JAPANESE SPINNERS AND A JOINT BRITISH AND AMERICAN MISSION.
ONE OF THE JAPANESE PARTICIPANTS IN THE CONFERENCE SAID THE SAME THING MORE VAGUELY DURING A MEETING LAST MONDAY WITH WELSH AND OTHER MEMBERS OF A PRTY TOURING SOUTHWESTERN JAPAN.
GIZO SAKAGUCHI, DIRECTOR OF THE POWERFUL KANEGAFUCHI SPINNING COMPANY, TOLD THE GROUP AT OUAKA THAT UNANIMOUS AGREEMENT HAD BEEN REACHED "IN PRINCIPLE."
SAKAGUCHI SAID THE JAPANESE, WHO PROMISED TO RAISE THEIR PRICES, HAD ASKED FOR AN INCREASE OF 2,000,000 (M) SPINDLES OVER THE TOTAL OF 4,000,000 (M) TO WHICH THEY ARE NOW LIMITED.
HE SAID JAPANESE INDUSTRY CAN PRODUCE ONLY 400,000 SPINDLES ANNUALLY.
BEFORE THE WAR THE JAPANESE INDUSTRY HAD A TOTAL OF AROUND 12,000,000 (M) SPINDLES. BUT THE MAXIMUM USED REACHED ONLY A TOTAL OF 8,500,000 (M) FOR A RELATIVELY SHORT PERIOD.
STARTING FROM THE BOTTOM AFTER THE WAR, THE JAPANESE TEXTILE INDUSTRY HAS NOW REACHED AN OUTPUT OF 23 PERCENT OF THE 193-37 AVERAGE. PRODUCTION EXCEEDED 1,000,000,000 (B) SQUARE YARDS OF COTTON FABRICS LAST YEAR.
OF THIS, JAPAN EXPORTED 746,000,000 (M) SQUARE YARDS IN 1949.
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B36KX (Q) (RHEE HECKLED)
PUSAN,KOREA,MAY 26-(AP)-PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE OF SOUTH KOREA WAS HECKLED TODAY AS HE SPOKE TO A CROWD ESTIMATED AT 20,000 HERE.
"HURRAH FOR THE PEOPLES REPUBLIC AND HURRAH FOR THEIR PRESIDENT," CRIED A MAN, RAISING A CLENCHED FIST.
THE SO-CALLED "PEOPLES REPUBLIC" IS THE COMMUNIST REGIME IN NORTH KOREA.
POLICE SURROUNDED THE MAN AND HE WAS LED AWAY IN HANDCUFFS.
RHEE IS ON A TOUR OF THE PROVINCES IN SOUTH KOREA.
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CANBERRA, AUSTRALIA, MAY 26-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER ROBERT G. MENZIES TODAY ACCUSED "AGENTS OF RUSSIAN COMMUNISM" AS "FOMENTERS OF ALMOST EVERY INDUSTRIAL DISTURBANCE."
MENZIES SAID IN A BROADCAST THAT THESE AGENTS SOUGHT TO SABOTAGE THE DEVELOPMENT OF AUSTRALIA'S RESOURCES AND SELF DEFENSIVE STRENGTH.
"IF ANYONE SUPPOSES WE CAN LOOK ON EVENTS IN CHINA, INDOCHINA AND MALAYA, AS THE COMMUNIST THRUST TRAVELS SOUTH AND EAST AND THEN FEEL INDIFFERENT TO COMMUNIST ACTIVITY IN OUR OWN COUNTRY, HE HAS FAILED TO REALIZE THAT THE SAFETY AND INDEPENDENCE OF AUSTRALIA ARE IMPERILLED."
MENZIES MADE HIS ADDRESS EXPLAINING HIS ANTI-COMMUNIST LEGISLATION BEFORE THE LABOR DOMINATED SENATE AFTER PASSING THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.
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B39KX (Q) PHILIPPINES
NIGHT LEAD BAGUIO CONFERENCE (170)
BAGUIO, [redacted], MAY 26-(AP)-THE SEVEN-NATIONAL SOUTHEAST ASIA CONFERENCE STILL HAD NOT DECIDED TODAY WHAT TO TALK ABOUT BUT NAMED TWO SUB-COMMITTEES TO HANDLE ITS WORK.

ALL SEVEN NATIONS, THE PHILIPPINES, AUSTRALIA, INDIA, PAKISTAN, CEYLON, THAILAND (SIAM), AND INDONESIA, ARE REPRESENTED ON BOTH COMMITTEES.

OPENING SPEECHES BY PRESIDENT ELPIDIO QUIRINO OF THE PHILIPPINES, WHO CALLED THE CONFERENCE, AND BY HIS FOREIGN SECRETARY, CARLOS P. ROMULO, STRESSED THAT THE DISCUSSIONS WOULD BE NON-MILITARY AND NOT AIMED AT COMMUNISM.

ROMULO, WHO WAS ELECTED PRESIDENT OF THE CONFERENCE, TOLD CORRESPONDENTS NO AGENDA (PROGRAM OF TOPICS) HAD BEEN DETERMINED BUT THAT CULTURAL, SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC PROBLEMS WOULD BE COVERED.

HE DECLINED TO COMMENT ON ANY SPECIFIC MATTES BROUGHT UP AT THE FIRST CLOSED SESSION, BUT DECLARED THERE WAS "FRANK DISCUSSION ON ALL SUBJECT WITH WHICH THE CONFERENCE IS CONCERNED."

HE PREDICTED "A MORE LIBERAL EXCHANGE OF IDEAS BEFORE THE CONFERENCE IS CONCLUDED," ADDING, "I AM CONFIDENT THIS CONFERENCE WILL ACCOMPLISH GREAT THINGS.

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MONTEVIDEO, URUGUAY, MAY 26-(AP)-A UNITED NATIONS SUBCOMMISSION ON FREEDOM OF THE PRESS TODAY CONDEMNED GOVERNMENTS WHICH HAMSTRING NEWSPAPERS THROUGH DISCRIMINATORY CONTROL OF NEWSPRINT SUPPLIES.

THE VOTE WAS 10-1, WITH YUGOSLAVIA ABSTAINING.

THE RESOLUTION RECOMMENDED THE END OF CONFISCATORY AND DISCRIMINATORY MEASURES. IT RECOGNIZED, HOWEVER, THAT IMPORT OF NEWSPRINT MUST BE CONTROLLED IN CERTAIN COUNTRIES BECAUSE OF FOREIGN EXCHANGE SHORTAGES.

NO COUNTRY WAS NAMED IN THE DEBATE.

IN ARGENTINA, WHERE PRESIDENT JUAN D. PERON'S PRESS OFFICE CONTROLS NEWSPRINT SUPPLY, THE PRO-GOVERNMENT NEWSPAPER EL LIDER ASSAILED THE SUBCOMMISSION AND CALLED ITS MEMBERS "NOT NEWSMEN, BUT EXPLOITERS REPRESENTING FALSE JOURNALISM."

ARGENTINA'S TWO LEADING NEWSPAPERS, LA PRENSA AND LA NACION, WHICH HAVE OFTEN BEEN CRITICAL OF PERON'S REGIME, HAVE HAD SOME OF THEIR SUPPLIES OF NEWSPRINT CONFISCATED FOR DISTRIBUTION AMONG ALL NEWSPAPERS AS DECIDED BY THE GOVERNMENT. THE TWO PAPERS GET ONLY AS MUCH BACK AS THE GOVERNMENT DECIDES.

THE SUBCOMMISSION, WHICH HAS BEEN BOYCOTTED BY RUSSIA BECAUSE OF THE PRESENCE OF A NATIONALIST CHINESE DELEGATE, ENDS ITS MEETINGS TONIGHT.

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OTTAWA, ONT., MAY 26-(AP)-CANADA'S ARMED FORCES ARE TIGHTENING THEIR RANKS AGAINST COMMUNISM.

AS A PARLIAMENTARY DEFENSE COMMITTEE APPROVED LEGISLATION TO PUNISH SERVICEMEN ADVOCATING VIOLENT OVERTHROW OF THE GOVERNMENT, RELIABLE SOURCES INDICATED THE SERVICES ALREADY HAVE QUIETLY DISCHARGED SOME SERVICEMEN FOR DISPLAYING COMMUNIST TENDENCIES.

DEFENSE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS DECLINED TO COMMENT ON THESE REPORTS BUT SIMILAR "EASING OUT" OF COMMUNISTS OR THOSE DISPLAYING RED SYMPATHIES HAS TAKEN PLACE IN THE NATIONAL RESEARCH COUNCIL, THE NATIONAL FILM BOARD AND OTHER GOVERNMENT BRANCHES.

THE HOUSE OF COMMONS DEFENSE COMMITTEE, WADING THROUGH AN OMNIBUS BILL TO CONSOLIDATE AND MODERNIZE DEFENSE LEGISLATION AND MILITARY LAW, LAST NIGHT APPROVED A CLAUSE REPLACING THE ONE WORD "SEDITION" PREVIOUSLY LISTED AS A CRIME.

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BAGUIO CONFERENCE
BY DON HUTH

BAGUIO,PHILIPPINES,MAY 26-(AP)-SEVEN NATIONS TODAY OPENED THE SOUTH-EAST ASIA CONFERENCE WITH PLEDGES OF COOPERATION IN SOLVING POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC PROBLEMS IN THIS TROUBLED PART OF THE WORLD.

THROUGHOUT THE ROUNDS OF OPENING SPEECHES RAN THE THEME THAT THE MEETING WAS NOT AIMED AT THE COMMUNISTS.

THE TWO ASIAN GOVERNMENTS WHICH HAVE CALLED LOUDEST FOR A MILITARY UNION AGAINST COMMUNISTS WERE NOT EVEN REPRESENTED. THEY ARE CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S NATIONALIST CHINA AND THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH KOREA.

CARLOS P.ROMULO, PRESIDENT OF THE U.N. GENERAL ASSEMBLY AND PHILIPPINES SECRETARY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, WAS ELECTED PRESIDENT OF THE CONFERENCE WITHOUT A DISSENTING VOTE. HE HAS BEEN THE DRIVING FORCE IN GETTING THE SEVEN NATIONS TO MEET HERE.

ROMULO AT ONCE PROPOSED THAT THE CONFERENCE FORM A "PERMANENT REGIONAL ORGANIZATION" TO TACKLE THE MANY PROBLEMS FACING THE AREA.

REPRESENTATIVES OF THE OTHER SIX NATIONS, AUSTRALIA, INDIA, PAKISTAN, CEYLON, INDONESIA AND THAILAND, ALL URGED TEAMWORK.

PRESIDENT ELPIDIO QUIRINO OF THE PHILIPPINES, WELCOMING THE DELEGATES, SAID THE MEETING WAS CALLED "IN OUR COMMON INTEREST AND NOT AGAINST ANYBODY."

ROMULO SPOKE IN MUCH THE SAME VEIN. THE CONFERENCE, HE SAID, "IS NOT INTENDED TO FORM A BLOC OR ALLIANCE AGAINST ANY STATE OR GROUP OF STATES."

U.S. AMBASSADOR MYRON COWEN WAS AMONG THE GUESTS. THE CONFERENCE SESSIONS ARE CLOSED TO THE PRESS.

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A49WX
(700) NIGHT LEAD AMERASIA
BY MARVIN L. ARROWSMITH
WASHINGTON, MAY 26-(AP)-THE GOVERNMENT PROSECUTOR IN THE 1945 AMERASIA CASE TESTIFIED TODAY THAT ILLEGAL RAIDS PRETTY WELL KNOCKED THE PROPS FROM UNDER THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT'S COURT CASE. ROBERT [redacted] M.HITCHCOCK, WHO HANDLED THE PROSECUTION FIVE YEARS AGO, MADE IT PLAIN THAT IN HIS OPINION THE GOVERNMENT WAS LUCKY TO WIND UP WITH FINES AGAINST TWO OF THE DEFENDANTS IN THE CASE.
THE 1945 AMERASIA CASE INVOLVED THE ALLEGED ILLEGAL REMOVAL OF HUNDREDS OF SECRET GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS.
MUCH OF THE EVIDENCE WAS SEIZED IN RAIDS CONDUCTED WITHOUUT A WARRANT BY AGENTS OF THE FBI AND THE WARTIME OFFICE OF STRATEGIC SERVICES (OSS).
CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD) SAID HITCHCOCK WAS CALLED BEFORE A SENATE INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE TO ANSWER A SERIES OF QUESTIONS ON "WHY THE GOVERNMENT PROSECUTION OF THE CASE WASN'T MORE SUCCESSFUL."
"NOTHING IS CLEARER UNDER FEDERAL LAW," HITCHCOCK TOLD THE COMMITTEE, "THAN THAT EVIDENCE SECURED AS A RESULT OF ILLEGAL SEARCHES WILL BE SUPPRESSED UPON THE APPLICATION OF THOSE WHOSE CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS TO THE PRIVACY OF THEIR HOMES, THEIR PERSONS AND THEIR EFFECTS HAS BEEN VIOLATED.
"MOREOVER, EVIDENCE OBTAINED AS THE RESULT OF LEADS SECURED IN THIS MANNER WILL BE SUPPRESSED."
THAT, HITCHCOCK SAID, WAS THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT'S SITUATION WITH RESPECT TO SEARCHES MADE IN THE AMERASIA OFFICES PRIOR TO THE ARRESTS.
SOON AFTER HITCHCOCK TESTIFIED, SENATOR MC CARTHY (R-WIS) CHARGED THAT THE TYDINGS COMMITTEE HAD CAREFULLY EXCLUDED PARTS OF HITCHCOCK'S TESTIMONY IN A COMMITTEE STATEMENT TO THE PRESS. MC CARTHY ACCUSED THE COMMITTEE OF CONTINUING "OPERATION WHITEWASH." MCCARTHY HAS CONTENDED THAT THE AMERASIA CASE IS AN IMPORTANT KEY TO PROOF OF HIS GENERAL CHARGES THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT IS INFESTED WITH REDS.
IN ANOTHER DEVELOPMENT, THE STATE DEPARTMENT FIRED A NEW BLAST AT MC CARTHY, DECLARING THAT "THE FACTS DO NOT DETER HIM IN HIS RECKLESS COURSE."
THE DEPARTMENT PROMISED AN "ANALYSIS" OF CHARGES AIRED BY MCCARTHY IN A SPEECH AT ROCHESTER, N.Y., LAST NIGHT, AND SAID THAT SO FAR HIS ACCUSATIONS HAVE "NOT RESULTED IN THE DISCLOSURE OF A SINGLE COMMUNIST" IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT.
HITCHCOCK, A SPECIAL ASSISTANT TO THE ATTORNEY GENERAL IN 1945, NOW IS AN ATTORNEY IN BUFFALO, N.Y. THE TYDINGS COMMITTEE IS MAKING A NEW INVESTIGATION OF THE AMERASIA CASE IN CONNECTION WITH CHARGES MADE IN CONGRESS THAT THERE WAS A "COVER UP."

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AMERASIA WAS THE NAME OF A FAR EASTERN AFFAIRS MAGAZINE WHICH HAD HEADQUARTERS IN NEW YORK. IT NO LONGER IS PUBLISHED.
SIX PERSONS WERE ARRESTED IN JUNE 1945 AFTER RAIDS BY THE FBI AND THE OSS DISCLOSED FEDERAL DOCUMENTS IN THE AMERASIA OFFICE. ALL SIX WERE CHARGED WITH CONSPIRING TO OBTAIN ILLEGAL POSSESSION OF GOVERNMENT PAPERS.
THOSE ARRESTED INCLUDED TWO STATE DEPARTMENT EMPLOYES, CAREER DIPLOMAT JOHN S.SERVICE AND EMMANUEL S.LARSEN.
THE OTHERS WERE NAVY LT.ANDREW ROTH, WHO SERVED AS A LIAISON MAN IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT; MARK JULIUS GAYN, NEW YORK MAGAZINE WRITER; PHILIP JAFFE, EDITOR OF AMERASIA; AND KATE LOUISE MITCHELL, AMERASIA CO-EDITOR.
JAFFE AND LARSEN WERE INDICTED. JAFFE PLEADED GUILTY AND PAID A $2,500 FINE. LARSEN PLEADED NO DEFENSE AND WAS FINED $500. ROTH WAS INDICTED BUT THE CHARGE AGAINST HIM WAS DROPPED LATER.
A GRAND JURY REFUSED TO INDICT SERVICE AND HE RETURNED TO DUTY IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT. MISS MITCHELL AND GAYN WERE NOT INDICTED EITHER.
THE SENATE INQUIRY COMMITTEE TOOK HITCHCOCK'S TESTIMONY AT A SESSION BEHIND CLOSED DOORS. LATER, TYDINGS MADE PUBLIC HITCHCOCK'S PREPARED STATEMENT.
TYDINGS SAID HITCHCOCK PREPARED THE STATEMENT IN REPLY TO A SERIES OF QUESTIONS SENT TO HIM IN ADVANCE.
THE MARYLAND SENATOR SAID HITCHCOCK WAS QUESTIONED AT LENGTH AFTER HE HAD PRESENTED HIS PREPARED STATEMENT. HE SAID PART OF THE TESTIMONY WOULD NOT BE MADE PUBLIC AT THIS TIME, MAINLY BECAUSE OF THE TIME REQUIRED TO PREPARE IT FOR DISTRIBUTION.
MCCARTHY, WHO IS NOT A MEMBER OF THE COMMITTEE, PROMPTLY CHARGED THAT THE GROUP HAS FOLLOWED THE PRACTICE OF MAKING PUBLIC THE TESTIMONY OF WITNESSES "WHO SERVED THE PURPOSE OF THE ADMINISTRATION", AND HAS KEPT SECRET SUCH TESTIMONY "AS WILL EXPOSE COMMUNISTS IN THE GOVERNMENT."
MC CARTHY CONTINUED:
"HOWEVER, THE NEW PRACTICE OF HEARING A WITNESS IN SECRET SESSION AND CAREFULLY SELECTING THE PARTS OF HIS TESTIMONY WHICH WILL BE MADE PUBLIC AND THE PARTS WHICH WILL BE KEPT SECRET IS FANTASTIC BEYOND BELIEF."
HE CALLED IT "AN ALMOST UNBELIEVABLE DEVELOPMENT IN OPERATION WHITEWASH."
HITCHCOCK SAID THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT HOPED NONE OF THE DEFENDANTS WOULD LEARN THAT THE 1945 RAIDS WERE CONDUCTED WITHOUT SEARCH WARRANTS. LARSEN DID, HOWEVER, AND HE ENTERED A MOTION FOR DISMISSAL OF THE CHARGE. HE LATER AGREED TO PLEAD NO DEFENSE AND WAS FINED $500.

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THE DEPARTMENT, HITCHCOCK RELATED, TOOK UNUSUAL STEPS TO KEEP JAFFE FROM LEARNING OF THE CIRCUMSTANCES OF OBTAINING THE EVIDENCE. BEFORE HE DID, IT GOT AN AGREEMENT FROM JAFFE'S ATTORNEY THAT THE DEFENDANT WOULD PLEAD GUILTY AND PAY A FINE.
IN DISCUSSING THE ILLEGAL SEARCHES, HITCHCOCK DECLARED:
"THIS IS SAID WITH NO CRITICISM WHATSOEVER OF THE FBI INTENDED. IN 1945 THIS NATION WAS AT WAR, AND IT SEEMS TO ME THAT NO REASONABLE PERSON COULD HAVE ANYTHING BUT PRAISE FOR THE FBI FOR UTILIZING THIS METHOD TO SECURE PROOF IN A CASE WHERE THERE WAS ANY BASIS FOR BELIEVING THAT THE NATIONAL SECURITY WAS INVOLVED.
"HOWEVER, THE FACT REMAINS THAT UNDER OUR FEDERAL LAW, EVIDENCE ILLEGALLY OBTAINED, EVEN IF OBTAINED THROUGH VIOLATION OF THE CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS OF THE MOST DEGRADED CRIMINAL, CANNOT BE USED."
HITCHCOCK SAID HE NEVER HAD THE SLIGHTEST DOUBT THAT IF THE GOVERNMENT COULD HAVE USED THE ILLEGALLY OBTAINED MATERIAL IN COURT, IT WOULD HAVE HAD "A BETTER THAN GOOD CASE" AGAINST JAFFE AND LARSEN.
"I HAVE NEVER BELIEVED THAT JAFFE'S SENTENCE ($2,500 FINE) WAS ADEQUATE FOR WHAT HE DID," HITCHCOCK SAID. "I KNOW THAT HAD WE NOT DISPOSED OF JAFFE'S CASE AS WE DID, THERE WOULD HAVE BEEN NO CONVICTION OF JAFFE AND, OF COURSE, NO PUNISHMENT EVEN TO THE EXTENT OF A FINE."

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MEANTIME, IN NEW YORK, AUTHOR JOHN HERSEY ISSUED A STATEMENT DENYING THAT HE EVER HAD "ANY CONNECTION WITH AMERASIA."

LAST FRIDAY, FRANK BIELASKI, A WARTIME OSS AGENT WHO CONDUCTED THE FIRST RAID ON AMERASIA HEADQUARTERS IN 1945, SAID IN A RADIO BROADCAST THAT A FAMOUS PERSON WHOSE NAMED HE HAD GIVEN THE TYDINGS COMMITTEE WAS INVOLVED IN THE AMERASIA EPISODE.

BIELASKI DID NOT NAME THE MAN.

TODAY, COLUMNIST DREW PEARSON SAID HE HAD INVESTIGATED "EXACTLY WHAT BIELASKI SAID BEHIND CLOSED DOORS" ON CAPITOL HILL, AND HE WROTE:

"THE INTERNATIONAL CELEBRITY, WHOM BIELASKI CLAIMS 'TOWERS HEAD AND SHOULDERS' ABOVE ANYONE ELSE IN THE AMERASIA CASE, IS JOHN HERSEY."

BUT PEARSON WENT ON TO SAY THAT BIELASKI'S "TOTAL RECOLLECTION" WAS THAT WHEN HE RAIDED AMERASIA'S OFFICES, HE FOUND 12 TO 15 DOCUMENTS IN AN ENVELOPE WITH HERSEY'S NAME SCRIBBLED ACROSS THE TOP.

"HE ADMITTED TO SENATORS THAT NO LINK COULD BE FOUND BETWEEN HERSEY AND THE AMERASIA MAGAZINE," PEARSON SAID.

HERSEY IS THE AUTHOR OF "A BELL FOR ADANO" AND THE FAMED "HIROSHIMA" REPORT DEPICTING THE HORRORS OF AN ATOMIC BOMB EXPLOSION.

THROUGH HIS ATTORNEY, HERSEY ISSUED A STATEMENT DECLARING:

"I NEVER HAD ANY CONNECTION WITH AMERASIA. I NEVER GAVE ANY DOCUMENTS OF ANY KIND TO THE MAGAZINE AMERASIA OR TO ANY PERSONS CONNECTED WITH THE AMERASIA CASE."

CHAIRMAN TYDINGS OF THE SENATE INVESTIGATING GROUP DECLINED TO COMMENT WHEN ASKED WHETHER HERSEY WAS THE MAN BIELASKI HAD IN MIND IN HIS CLOSED-DOOR TESTIMONY.

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(300) WASHINGTON,MAY 26-(AP)-CORNELIUS VANDERBILT WHITNEY, FORMER COMMERCE DEPARTMENT UNDERSECRETARY, SAID TONIGHT HE HAS "NO KNOWLEDGE OF ANY COMMUNISTS" IN THAT AGENCY, BUT HE DECLARED THERE ARE "SECURITY RISKS" AMONG ITS EMPLOYES.

AS SUCH A RISK HE LISTED MICHAEL J.LEE, CHIEF OF THE DEPARTMENT'S FAR EASTERN BRANCH WHOSE LOYALTY HAS BEEN QUESTIONED BY SENATOR MALONE (R-NEV).

LEE WAS NOT REACHABLE FOR COMMENT ON WHITNEY'S STATEMENT.

WHITNEY, WHO HEADED THE DEPARTMENT'S SECURITY DIVISION FROM EARLY IN 1949 UNTIL HIS RECENT RESIGNATION, SAID HE HAD RECOMMENDED THAT LEE BE FIRED BUT THAT SECRETARY SAWYER "SAW FIT IN HIS JUDGMENT TO KEEP LEE IN HIS POSITION."

WHITNEY NOTED, HOWEVER, THAT THE DEPARTMENT'S LOYALTY BOARD NOW IS REVIEWING THE LEE CASE WHICH HAS BEEN THE SUBJECT OF INVESTIGATION BY A SENATE COMMERCE SUBCOMMITTEE.

THE LEE CASE AND THE GOVERNMENT'S LOYALTY PROGRAM WERE DISCUSSED BY WHITNEY IN A RADIO INTERVIEW ON MUTUAL'S "MEET THE PRESS PROGRAM."

IN ANSWER TO QUESTIONS WHITNEY DISCLOSED THAT HE HAD MADE A REPORT TO "PROPER AUTHORITIES" ON LEE'S ALLEGED CONNECTIONS WITH THE AMERASIA CASE.

JUST WHAT HIS REPORT CONTAINED WHITNEY DID NOT SAY. BUT A LONG SECRET REPORT WAS MADE PUBLIC IN THE HOUSE MONDAY LINKING LEE WITH PHILIP JAFFE, EDITOR OF THE NOW DEFUNT AMERASIA MAGAZINE. JAFFE WAS FINED IN THE 1945 CASE ON CHARGES INVOLVING THE REMOVAL OF SECRET WARTIME GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS DEALING WITH FAR EASTERN MATTERS.

ON THAT POINT, CHAIRMAN EDWIN C.JOHNSON (D-COLO) OF THE SENATE COMMERCE COMMITTEE SAID TODAY THAT SECRETARY SAWYER HAS AGREED TO TAKE ANOTHER LOOK AT LEE'S RECORD, "ESPECIALLY WITH REGARD TO THE NEW CHARGES MADE IN THE HOUSE."

WHITNEY DID NOT GO INTO FURTHER DETAILS OF THE LEE CASE EXCEPT TO REPEAT HIS PREVIOUS TESTIMONY TO THE SENATE COMMITTEE THAT HE CONSIDERED THE MAN A "SECURITY RISK."

CRITICIZING THE WHOLE LOYALTY PROGRAM, WHITNEY ASSERTED THAT UNDER PRESENT CONDITIONS THERE IS NO WAY OF DEALING WITH "FELLOW TRAVELERS" AND OTHER PERSONS WHO DO NOT COME UNDER THE EXACT COMMUNIST SPECIFICATION.

HE URGED A COMPLETE REVIEW OF THE PROGRAM AND ADVOCATED GIVING BUREAU HEADS "ABSOLUTE POWER" TO FIRE ANY EMPLOYE CONSIDERED A SECURITY RISK FOR ANY REASON WHATSOEVER.

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(260) LEE-BRIDGES

WASHINGTON,MAY 26-(AP)-A SENATE COMMITTEE IS REPORTED TO HAVE URGED THE FIRING OF MICHAEL J.LEE, CHIEF OF THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT'S FAR EASTERN BRANCH WHOSE LOYALTY HAS BEEN QUESTIONED BY SENATOR MALONE (R-NEV).

A MEMBER OF THE SENATE COMMERCE COMMITTEE WHO ASKED NOT TO BE IDENTIFIED SAID YESTERDAY THE GROUP PROBABLY WILL LAUNCH A FULL-SCALE INVESTIGATION IF LEE STAYS ON THE JOB.

COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN EDWIN C.JOHNSON (D-COLO) WOULD NOT CONFIRM THIS. HE DID SAY THAT SECRETARY OF COMMERCE SAWYER HAS AGREED TO STUDY THE LEE CASE FURTHER AND REPORT BACK TO THE COMMITTEE IMMEDIATELY. LEE HAS BEEN CLEARED IN PREVIOUS DEPARTMENTAL INVESTIGATIONS.

"SAWYER IS GOING TO LOOK HIM OVER AND LOOK INTO HIS RECORD," JOHNSON SAID, "ESPECIALLY WITH REGARD TO THE NEW CHARGES MADE IN THE HOUSE."

A LONG SECRET REPORT MADE PUBLIC MONDAY IN THE HOUSE LINKED LEE WITH PHILIP JAFFE, EDITOR OF THE NOW-DEFUNCT AMERASIA MAGAZINE. JAFFE WAS FINED ON CHARGES INVOLVING THE REMOVAL OF SECRET WARTIME DOCUMENTS FROM THE STATE, WAR AND NAVY DEPARTMENTS.

THE LEE DEVELOPMENT WAS ONE OF SEVERAL YESTERDAY INVOLVING CHARGES OF WEAK SECURITY LINKS IN THE GOVERNMENT.

SENATOR BRIDGES (R-NH) TOLD THE SENATE THAT HE EXPECTS A FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE IN EUROPE TO FIND EVIDENCE THAT "TRAITORS" ARE BEING EMPLOYED ABROAD BY THE UNITED STATES.

BRIDGES RECALLED THE CASE OF GEORGE S.WHEELER, A FORMER U.S. OCCUPATION EMPLOYE IN EUROPE WHO RENOUNCED THE WESTERN NATIONS LAST MONTH AND ASKED ASYLUM FOR HIMSELF AND HIS FAMILY IN COMMUNIST CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

"UNQUESTIONABLY A THOROUGH INVESTIGATION WILL TURN UP OTHER TRAITORS LIKE WHEELER," BRIDGES SAID. "I HOPE THE SUBCOMMITTEE WILL GET THE FACTS. THEY HAVE PICKED A FERTILE FIELD."

AT THE STATE DEPARTMENT, A NEW INVESTIGATION INTO THE LOYALTY OF CAREER DIPLOMAT JOHN STEWART SERVICE WAS BEGUN.

A THREE-MAN PANEL OF OFFICIALS FROM THE DEPARTMENT'S LOYALTY AND SECURITY BOARD OPENED A CLOSED DOOR HEARING WHICH IS EXPECTED TO CONTINUE FOR SEVERAL DAYS. OFFICIALS SAID BRIG.GEN.CONRAD SNOW, BOARD CHAIRMAN, IS CONDUCTING THE HEARING.

SERVICE, CHARGED BY SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) WITH PRO-COMMUNIST LEANINGS, HAS SUMMONED ABOUT 20 WITNESSES. HIS ATTORNEY SAID SERVICE IS OUT TO CLEAR HIS RECORD "ONCE AND FOR ALL." HE HAS UNDERGONE A SERIES OF DEPARTMENT INVESTIGATIONS SINCE HIS ARREST IN THE 1945 AMERASIA CASE.

SERVICE WAS ONE OF SIX PERSONS ARRESTED IN CONNECTION WITH THE DISCOVERY OF SECRET GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS IN THE MAGAZINE'S OFFICES. A GRAND JURY REFUSED TO INDICT HIM.

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A149KX (REGENTS)
(WEST OUT) (360)
BERKELEY, CALIF., MAY 26-(AP)-CHARGES THAT A "BAD SECURITY RISK" IS A FACULTY MEMBER OF THE CHEMISTRY DEPARTMENT AT THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA WERE VOICED TODAY BY REGENT JOHN FRANCIS NEYLAN.
NEYLAN, WHO SPEARHEADED THE DRIVE FOR A COMPULSORY NON-COMMUNIST LOYALTY OATH, STARTLED A REGENTS' MEETING ON THE OATH TODAY BY CRITICISING THE CONTINUED EMPLOYMENT OF CARL ROBERT HURLEY, 35, AS A CHEMISTRY ASSISTANT.
MNEYLAN SAID THAT DEAN JOEL HILDEBRAND, HEAD OF THE CHEMISTRY DEPARTMENT, RETAINED HURLEY WHILE KNOWING THAT HURLEY WAS RULED "UNFIT" IN 1948 TO BE AN EMPLOYE OF THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION ON THE BERKELEY CAMPUS.
HURLEY'S SUPPORTERS CAME QUICKLY TO HIS DEFENSE, EMPHASIZING THAT THE FINDINGS OF A LOCAL AEC SECURITY BOARD, HEADED BY NEYLAND, EMBRACED NEITHER CHARGES OF COMMUNISM NOR DISLOYALTY.
"HE (HURLEY) WAS CHARGED WITH BEING A POOR SECURITY RISK ON THREE COUNTS WHICH HAVE BEEN REVIEWED THOROUGHLY AT THE UNIVERSITY," REJOINED PROF. WENDELL M. LATIMER, OF THE CHEMISTRY DEPARTMENT WHO APPROVED HURLEY'S EMPLOYMENT.
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"HE WAS CHARGED WITH HAVING IN 1940 WRITTEN A LETTER PROTESTING THE PROSECUTION OF TWO LABOR LEADERS, OF HAVING BOUGHT SOME PHONOGRAPH RECORDS IN A COMMUNIST BOOK STORE DURING THE WAR.
"ALSO, HIS WIFE HAD WRITTEN TO A FRIEND FROM WISCONSIN ASKING HELP IN FINDING HOUSING WHEN THEY CAME TO BERKELEY. THAT FRIEND WAS AN ALLEGED COMMUNIST.
"THE AEC HAS VERY STRICT RULES ABOUT SECURITY RISKS WHICH NATURALLY INCLUDE GUILT BY ASSOCIATION. BUT SUCH ASSOCIATIONS DO NOT MEAN A MAN IS DISLOYAL NOR DISQUALIFY HIM FOR A JOB."
AT HIS HOME, HURLEY SAID:
"I TOLD THEM (THE LOYALTY BOARD) THAT I HAD NEVER BEEN A COMMUNIST AND NEVER HAD BEEN DISLOYAL. I UNDERSTOOD AT THAT TIME THAT THE CHARGES AND FINDINGS WERE TO BE SECRET. I FIND NOW THAT IS NOT THE CASE. A VERY UNETHICAL PROCEDURE, I SHOULD SAY."
THE LOCAL BOARD WHICH NEYLAND HEADED ALSO INCLUDED ADMIRAL CHESTER W. NIMITZ AND GENERAL KENYON JOYCE. NEYLAN TOLD THE REGENTS THAT THE BOARD'S DECISION ON HURLEY WAS LATER UPHELD BY THE NATIONAL SECURITY BOARD HEADED BY FORMER SUPREME COURT JUSTICE OWEN ROBERTS.
HURLEY WORKED FOR THE MANHATTAN ATOMIC PROJECT IN 1944, WENT TO LOS ALAMOS, N. M., IN 1945 AND 1946, HAS BEEN AT THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA SINCE SEPTEMBER, 1946.
NEYLAN AND DEAN HILDEBRAND HAVE BEEN AT ODDS OVER THE COMPULSORY NON-COMMUNIST LOYALTY CONTRACT. NEYLAN SUPPORTED THE CONTRACT, HILDEBRAND WAS AGAINST IT.
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GOLD (230)
PHILADELPHIA,MAY 26-(AP)-HARRY GOLD, 39-YEAR-OLD RESEARCH CHEMIST ACCUSED OF BEING A GO-BETWEEN IN DELIVERY OF ATOMIC BOMB SECRETS TO RUSSIA, WAS VISITED IN PRISON TODAY BY HIS FATHER AND BROTHER FOR THE FIRST TIME SINCE HIS ARREST.
THE VISITORS, SAMUEL GOLD 70, AND JOSEPH, 33, TALKED WITH THE PRISONER FOR 20 MINUTES IN THE VISITORS ROOM AT HOLMESBURG PRISON WHERE HARRY IS UNDER CLOSE GUARD, ISOLATED FROM ALL OTHER PRISONERS.
WARDEN ROBERT BEVERIDGE SAID THE ISOLATION WAS TO PROTECT GOLD FROM POSSIBLE VIOLENCE FROM OTHER PRISONERS.
GOLD, WHO WAS ARRESTED BY THE FBI TUESDAY NIGHT, IS HELD IN $100,000 BAIL ON CHARGES THAT HE WAS THE COURIER WHO CARRIED TOP ATOM BOMB SECRETS FROM DR.KLAUS FUCHS, CONVICTED BRITISH TRAITOR, TO A RUSSIAN AGENT.
A CLOSE-MESHED SCREEN SEPARATED GOLD FROM HIS FATHER, SAMUEL, AND HIS BROTHER, JOSEPH.
THEY WERE THE FIRST PERSONS GOLD HAS TALKED TO, OTHER THAN FBI AGENTS, SINCE HIS ARREST.
BEFORE THE MEETING THE GOLDS SAID THEY ARE NOT DEFENDING THE SPY ACTIVITIES ATTRIBUTED TO HARRY, BUT ARE GOING TO HIS ASSISTANCE BECAUSE OF FAMILY TIES.
ONE PURPOSE OF THEIR VISIT, THEY SAID, WAS TO DISCUSS GOLD'S CHOICE OF AN ATTORNEY TO DEFEND HIM.
WILLIAM A.GRAY, WELL-KNOWN PHILADELPHIA CRIMINAL LAWYER, SAID THAT THE FATHER AND BROTHER HAVE CONSULTED HIM ABOUT REPRESENTING GOLD.
"MY REPRESENTING HIM," GRAY SAID, "DEPENDS ON HIS PERSONAL AUTHORITY WHICH I DO NOT HAVE AS YET. IT ALSO DEPENDS ON A PERSONAL TALK WITH HIIIIIIIII

WHICH I DO NOT HAVE AS YET. IT ALSO DEPENDS ON A PERSONAL TALK WITH HIM. IF I SHOULD REPRESENT HIM, I WOULD DO SO ONLY BECAUSE I THINK IT WOULD BE IN HIS INTEREST TO COOPERATE WITH THE FBI."
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THIRD NIGHT LEAD DRAPER-ADLER (180)
BY GEORGE MILLER
(NY) HARTFORD, CONN., MAY 26-(AP)-A FEDERAL JURY WAS SENT TO BED TONIGHT WITHOUT REACHING A VERDICT IN A $200,000 LIBEL SUIT AGAINST A CONNECTICUT HOUSEWIFE WHO CALLED TWO ENTERTAINERS PRO-COMMUNISTS.
THE JURY DEBATE WAS RECESSED UNTIL 9A.M. (EST) SATURDAY AFTER NEARLY SEVEN HOURS OF FUTILE DELIBERATIONS.
THE DEFENDANT, MRS. HESTER R. MC CULLOUGH, WAS SUED BY LARRY ADLER AND PAUL DRAPER.
SOME 3,200 PAGES OF TESTIMONY WAS TAKEN DURING THE 20-DAY TRIAL.
FEDERAL JUDGE J. JOSEPH SMITH GAVE THE CASE TO THE EIGHT WOMEN AND FOUR MEN JURORS AT 12:30P.M. (EST) AFTER A LUNCHEON RECESS, THE PANEL BEGAN ITS DELIBERATIONS AT 1:45P.M. (EST)
THERE WAS ANOTHER RECESS OF AN HOUR AND 20 MINUTES FOR DINNER. THE JURY RESUMED ITS DEBATE AT 7:15P.M. (EST)
MRS. MC CULLOUGH KEPT VIGIL IN THE COURTROOM, CHATTING WITH HER HUSBAND OR READING NEWSPAPERS.
ADLER AND DRAPER WERE CLOSETED WITH THEIR ATTORNEYS DURING PART OF THE TIME.
JUDGE SMITH EXCUSED THE JURY AT 9:50P.M. (EST) AND TOLD THE MEMBERS THEY COULD GO HOME.
HE WARNED THEM NOT TO TALK ABOUT THE CASE.
DRAPER, A DANCER, AND ADLER, A HARMONICA PLAYER, ARE SUING MRS. MCCULLOUGH FOR $100,000 APIECE. THEY CHARGE SHE HURT THEIR REPUTATIONS AND CAUSED THEM TO LOSE ENGAGEMENTS BY FALSELY ACCUSING THEM OF PRO-COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES.
MRS.MCCULLOUGH, 34, WIFE OF JOHN T.MCCULLOUGH, AN ASSISTANT PICTURE EDITOR ON TIME MAGAZINE, MADE THE STATEMENTS IN A PUBLISHED LETTER OPPOSING A DRAPER-ADLER CONCERT IN HER HOME TOWN OF GREENWICH, CONN.,

IN JANUARY, 1949.

JUDGE SMITH TOLD THE JURY IN HIS CHARGE:

"IN THE PRESENT CLIMATE OF THIS COUNTRY THERE CAN BE NO QUESTION THAT TO CHARGE A MAN WITH BEING A COMMUNIST OR PRO-COMMUNIST OR TRAITOR DOES HOLD HIM UP TO RIDICULE AND CONTEMPT."

SMITH SAID THE JURORS MUST DETERMINE FOR THEMSELVES WHETHER ANY OF THE ORGANIZATIONS DRAPER AND ADLER ADMITTEDLY SUPPORTED WERE COMMUNIST OR COMMUNIST-FRONT GROUPS.

THE FACT THAT SUCH ORGANIZATIONS HAVE BEEN CITED AS SUBVERSIVE IN OFFICIAL GOVERNMENT LISTINGS, THE JUDGE SAID, IS NOT TO BE TAKEN AS PROOF.

"YOU CANNOT GIVE ANY WEIGHT TO THESE ACCUSATIONS, NO MATTER HOW MUCH RESPECT YOU HAVE FOR THE OFFICIAL OR AUTHORITY WHO MADE THEM," SMITH SAID.

HE TOLD THE JURORS THEIR VERDICT COULD TAKE FOUR POSSIBLE FORMS:

1--FOR MRS.MCCULLOUGH, MEANING THAT SHE WOULD OWE THE ENTERTAINERS NO DAMAGES.

2--FOR DRAPER AND ADLER TOGETHER.

3--FOR DRAPER ALONE, MEANING THAT HE WOULD BE ENTITLED TO DAMAGES WHILE ADLER WOULDN'T.

4--FOR ADLER ALONE, MEANING THAT HE WOULD BE ENTITLED TO DAMAGES WHILE DRAPER WOULDN'T.

SMITH ALSO TOLD THE JURORS THEY MUST DECIDE HOW MUCH DAMAGES, IF ANY, EACH PLAINTIFF SHOULD GET.

BEFORE THE JUDGE'S CHARGE, FREDERICK H.WIGGIN, CHIEF ATTORNEY FOR DRAPER AND ADLER, SAID IN HIS SUMMATION:

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"COMMUNISM IS A SLIMY AND VICIOUS THING, OTHERWISE WE WOULD NOT BE SEEKING RELIEF IN THIS COURT FROM BEING CALLED A COMMUNIST."

DRAPER AND ADLER CHARGED MRS.MCCULLOUGH SPECIFICALLY WITH MAKING EIGHT FALSE AND MALICIOUS STATEMENTS ABOUT THEM. ONE STATEMENT WAS THAT THEY "OPENLY SUPPORTED" A NUMBER OF ORGANIZATIONS WHICH MRS. MCCULLOUGH CALLED COMMUNIST-FRONT.

WIGGIN SAID OF HIS CLIENTS:

"THEY'VE ALLOWED THEIR NAMES TO BE USED AS SPONSORS FOR A NUMBER OF ORGANIZATIONS. THEY GAVE THEIR SERVICES TO A NUMBER OF BENEFITS. THEY BELONG TO TWO OR THREE ORGANIZATIONS, NOT 15 OR 16, WITH PROFESSEDLY HIGH AIMS."

REFERRING TO THEIR ACTIVITIES IN THE 1948 PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION, THE ATTORNEY SAID:

"SURE THEY VOTED FOR AND WORKED FOR HENRY WALLACE. MAYBE THEY HAD BAD JUDGMENT, BUT ONE OF THE PRIVILEGES OF DEMOCRACY IS THAT YOU ARE ENTITLED TO HAVE BAD JUDGMENT."

WIGGIN DENIED THAT THE ENTERTAINERS WERE PRO-COMMUNIST AND HE DENOUNCED COMMUNISM AS "A GOSPEL CREATED BY A TWISTED, MALIGNANT DREAMER."

BUT HE SAID KU KLUXISM, HUEY LONGISM AND "MCCARTHYISM" ARE GREATER DANGERS TO THE UNITED STATES THAN COMMUNISM.

MRS.MCCULLOUGH'S LAWYERS CONTENDED IN THEIR SUMMATIONS YESTERDAY THAT (1) SHE ACTED FROM A SENSE OF DUTY TO HER COUNTRY, NOT FROM MALICE, AND (2) THE CHARGES SHE MADE AGAINST DRAPER AND ADLER WERE TRUE.

LOUIS BUDENZ, FORMER COMMUNIST WHO NOW TEACHES AT FORDHAM UNIVERSITY, AND OTHER DEFENSE WITNESSES TESTIFIED THAT DRAPER AND ADLER HAD THE REPUTATION OF SERVING COMMUNIST CAUSES.

THE LETTER IN WHICH MRS.MCCULLOUGH ATTACKED ADLER AND RAPER WAS PUBLISHED IN DECEMBER, 1948, BY THE NEW YORK JOURNAL-AMERICAN IN ITS "CHOLLY KNICKERBOCKER" SOCIETY COLUMN. IT LATER APPEARED IN THE GREENWICH TIME, AN AFTERNOON NEWSPAPER.

ADLER AND DRAPER FILED THEIR SUIT THE DAY AFTER THE GREENWICH CONCERT WHICH MRS.MCCULLOUGH OPPOSED.

UNDER CONNECTICUT LAW, THEY ATTACHED MRS.MCCULLOUGH'S ASSETS--MEANING THAT SHE COULDN'T TRANSFER OR DISPOSE OF ANY PROPERTY UNTIL THE SUIT WAS SETTLED. THE CASE RECEIVED NATIONWIDE PUBLICITY AND THE ENTERTAINERS LATER WITHDREW THE ATTACHMENT. MRS.MCCULLOUGH RECEIVED A REPORTED $26,000 IN VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS FROM WELL-WISHERS IN VARIOUS PARTS OF THE COUNTRY.

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AMS BUDGET

NIGHT LEAD ROMANIAN (500)

BY EDWARD E.BOMAR

WASHINGTON, MAY 26-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES TODAY DREW A LINE AROUND THE CAPITAL AREA AND TOLD COMMUNIST ROMANIA'S DIPLOMATS THEY CAN'T STEP ACROSS IT WITHOUT SPECIFIC PERMISSION.

IT WAS RETALIATION FOR THE SOVIET SATELLITE'S RESTRICTIONS ON AMERICANS IN BUCHAREST.

[redacted], THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S EXTRAORDINARY ORDER APPLIES TO MINISTER MAHAI MAGHERU AND SIX OTHER ROMANIANS. THEY ARE LIMITED TO AN AREA 35 MILES BEYOND THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA IN ANY DIRECTION.

UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE JAMES E. WEBB FORECAST THAT THE RESTRICTION MIGHT BE APPLIED TO REPRESENTATIVES OF OTHER COMMUNIST BLOC COUNTRIES.

WEBB SAID THERE IS NO PRESENT PLAN TO LIMIT THE MOVEMENTS OF SOVIET AMBASSADOR ALEXANDER S. PANYUSHKIN AND HIS STAFF, ONE OF THE LARGEST HERE. IT NUMBERS NEARLY TWO SCORE OFFICIALS EXCLUSIVE OF DEPENDENTS AND EMPLOYES, WHO REMAIN FREE TO TRAVEL ALL OVER THE U.S.

WHILE AMERICANS IN RUSSIA ARE REQUIRED TO REMAIN MOSTLY IN MOSCOW WEBB NOTED THAT PERMITS HAVE BEEN GRANTED FROM TIME TO TIME TO VISIT OTHER CITIES.

THE NEW ORDER REPRESENTED THE LATEST UNFOLDING OF THE ADMINISTRATION TIT FOR TAT OFFICIAL POLICY AGAINST THE SOVIET SATELLITES FOR THEIR ANTI-AMERICAN CAMPAIGN.

IT WAS IMPOSED IN RESPONSE TO THE MAY 13 DEMAND BY ROMANIA THAT THE 18 AMERICANS IN THE BUCHAREST LEGATION BE REDUCED TO 10. THEIR MOVEMENTS ALREADY WERE LIMITED ON THE GROUND THAT AMERICAN OFFICIALS HAD SPIED.

THE U.S. ALREADY HAD ORDERED THE CLOSING LAST MONTH OF THE NEW YORK OFFICE OF THE ROMANIA COMMERCIAL ATTACHE, FOLLOWING AN EARLIER CUTBACK IN BUCHAREST. MEANTIME CZECHOSLOVAK CONSULATES AT CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH HAVE BEEN SHUT DOWN AND RELATIONS BROKEN OFF ENTIRELY WITH COMMUNIST BULGARIA.

IN ANOTHER DEVELOPMENT, THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID U.S. MINISTER RUDOLF E.SCHOENFELD LEFT BUCHAREST MAY 24 FOR CONSULTATIONS IN THE U.S. PRESS OFFICER LINCOLN WHITE SAID "PRESUMABLY" HE WILL RETURN.

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IN SCHOENFELD'S ABSENCE, THE STAFF OF 18 IS BEING CUT TO 10 IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LATEST DEMAND.

ASKED BY WHAT AUTHORITY THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT IMPOSED RESTRICTIONS

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ON THE MOVEMENTS OF FOREIGN DIPLOMATS. STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS SAID THAT ANY GOVERNMENT HAS THE RIGHT TO DETERMINE THE CONDITIONS OF OPERATION OF DIPLOMATS WHICH IT ACCEPTS FROM OTHER GOVERNMENTS.
WEBB DISCLOSED THAT SCHOENFELD ON MAY 22 DELIVERED

WEBB DISCLOSED THAT SCHOENFELD ON MAY 22 DELIVERED A NOTE TO FOREIGN MINISTER ANA PAUKER SAYING THAT THE U.S. "FLATLY REJECTED THE PRETEXTS" ON WHICH THE ROMANIAN CUTBACK DEMAND WAS BASED BUT WOULD COMPLY.
SCHOENFELD SERVED NOTICE THAT THE U.S. HAS DECIDED TO MATCH THE RESTRICTIONS IMPOSED ON AMERICANS IN BUCHAREST.
FOLLOWING THIS ACTION, WEBB SENT A BRIEF NOTE TO MINISTER MAGHERU HERE FIXING THE 35-MILE LIMIT AND ENCLOSING APPLICATION FORMS FOR ANY CONTEMPLATED TRIPS BEYOND THE AREA.
WEBB SIDESTEPPED QUESTIONS ON HOW THE TRAVEL BAN WILL BE ENFORCED.
THE STATE DEPARTMENT IS STILL STUDYING WHAT TO DO ABOUT THE LATEST DEMAND OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA FOR A NEW CUTBACK OF AMERICANS IN PRAGUE AND BRATISLAVA. THE NUMBER HAS BEEN REDUCED THIS YEAR AT THE DEMAND OF THE CZECHS FROM 76 TO 26. THE LATEST DEMAND IS THAT THESE BE REDUCED TO 12 AMERICANS AND A MAXIMUM OF SEVEN LOCAL EMPLOYES.

WEBB FIRST SAID THAT THE RESTRICTIONS ON THE ROMANIANS HERE WAS UNPRECEDENTED IN AMERICAN PEACETIME HISTORY, BUT SEVERAL HOURS LATER THE DEPARTMENT SAID THERE HAD BEEN ONE CASE.
THIS WAS BETWEEN JUNE 7 AND JULY 23, 1941, WHEN THE SOVIET EMBASSY STAFF IN WASHINGTON WAS LIMITED IN MOVEMENT TO AN AREA WITHIN 50 MILES OF WASHINGTON. RUSSIAN CONSULATE STAFFS ELSEWHERE WERE SIMILARLY RESTRICTED.
THIS ACTION RESULTED FROM RESTRICTIONS THE SOVIETS HAD PLACED ON THE AMERICAN EMBASSY AND OTHER FOREIGN DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS IN MOSCOW THE PREVIOUS MAY. THE U.S. BAN WAS LIFTED FOLLOWING THE NAZI INVASION OF RUSSIA.
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(350)
(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, FRIDAY, MAY 2).
(ADVANCE)..(WX)..OMAHA, NEB., MAY 26-(AP)-SENATOR WHERRY (R-NEB) PROPOSED TONIGHT THAT PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND PERMIER STALIN EXCHANGE DIPLOMATIC NOTES TO CLARIFY THE AMERICAN AND RUSSIAN POSITION IN THE COLD WAR.
WHERRY, THE SENATE GOP FLOOR LEADER, SAID IN A SPEECH PREPARED FOR THE NATIONAL LIVESTOCK EXCHANGE CONVENTION THAT SUCH AN EXCHANGE WOULD LET THE WORLD JUDGE WHICH COUNTRY WAS RIGHT.
"WE SHOULD PURSUE EVERY HONORABLE COURSE FOR ENDING THE COLD WAR," THE NEBRASKA SENATOR SAID.
"A PUBLIC EXCHANGE OF NOTES BETWEEN PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND PRIME MINISTER STALIN, SETTING FORTH THE VIEWS OF OUR RESPECTIVE COUNTRIES, WOULD SERVE TO CLARIFY THE ISSUES IN COMPACT FORM FOR ALL THE WORLD TO SEE AND JUDGE."
AT THE SAME TIME, WHERRY SAID THE UNITED STATES SHOULD RESIST THE SEATING OF COMMUNIST CHINA DELEGATES IN THE UNITED NATIONS, SHOULD NOT RECOGNIZE THE NEW CHINA REGIME AND SHOULD CONTINUE TO SUPPORT U.N. AGENCIES FROM WHICH THE SOVIETS HAVE WITHDRAWN.
"IN THE PACIFIC WE SHOULD PUT AN END TO DRIFT AND VACILLATION, FUMBLING AND BUNGLING," WHERRY DECLARED.
"WE SHOULD MAKE UP OUR MIND ON WHAT THE OUTPOSTS OF LIBERTY IN THE PACIFIC SHALL BE, TAKING THE JUDGMENT OF OUR NATIONAL DEFENSE LEADERS THAT JAPAN, OKINAWA, FORMOSA AND THE PHILIPPINES ARE IMPORTANT TO OUR SECURITY AND SHOULD BE DEFENDED AGAINST ENCROACHMENT."
WHERRY SAID GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR SHOULD COME HOME FROM JAPAN AND REPORT ON CONDITIONS THERE.
THE NEBRASKA SENATOR CALLED FOR A "COMPLETE REVERSAL" OF WHAT HE SAID WAS THE ADMINISTRATION'S ATTITUDE TOWARD WESTERN GERMANY. HE CALLED FOR AN END TO PLANT DISMANTLING.
ON THE DOMESTIC FRONT, WHERRY SAID HE WAS HAPPY TO BE ONE OF THE "OBSTRUCTIONISTS" IN CONGRESS WHOM PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS CRITICIZED.
"THE TRUTH IS, AND THE OFFICIAL RECORD IS PLAIN, THAT THE ALIEN-MINDED PLANNERS WHO ARE MISLEADING THE PRESIDENT, AND THROUGH HIM THE COUNTRY, ARE SEEKING TO IMPOSE UPON THE AMERICAN PEOPLE STRAITJACKET SOCIALISM," WHERRY SAID.
HE ATTACKED TRUMAN PROPOSALS FOR THE BRANNAN FARM PLAN, FEDERAL AID TO EDUCTION, COMPULSORY HEALTH INSURANCE, THE MORIBUND SPENCE BILL FOR PRICE-WAGE CONTROLS AND THE MURRAY BILL TO CREATE VALLEY AUTHORITIES.
"FELLOW AMERICANS," HE SAID, "YOU ARE GOING TO GET ALL THIS SOCIALISTIC LEGISLATION IF YOU ELECT THE KIND OF A CONGRESS THAT PRESIDENT TRUMAN IS ASKING YOU TO ELECT NEXT NOVEMBER."
(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, FRIDAY, MAY 26)
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NAVY GUIDED MISSILES
WASHINGTON, MAY 26-(AP)-THE NAVY IS PLANNING TO TURN ITS NEWEST WEAPON--THE GUIDED MISSILE--AGAINST ONE OF ITS OWN VESSELS TO FIND OUT WHETHER THE GIANT ROCKETS CAN SINK A WARSHIP.
OFFICIALS WHO REFUSED USE OF THEIR NAMES DISCLOSED THIS PROJECT TODAY, BUT THEY DECLINED TO SAY WHEN OR WHERE THE EXPERIMENT WILL BE STAGED.
THEY INDICATED, HOWEVER, THAT THE TEST MAY ALTER NAVAL TACTICS ALMOST AS RADICALLY AS DID THE LATE BRIG.GEN.BILLY MITCHELL WHEN HE PROVED ALMOST 30 YEARS AGO THAT A BATTLESHIP COULD BE SUNK BY AERIAL BOMBS.
ALTHOUGH NAVY LEADERS DISPUTED MITCHELL'S VIEW FOR YEARS AFTERWARD NO SUCH OPPOSITION IS EXPECTED TO RESULT IF THE GUIDED MISSILE IS SHOWN TO BE EQUALLY AS DESTRUCTIVE. ITS DEADLY EFFECTIVENESS ALREADY HAS BEEN DEMONSTRATED BY THE NAZI V-BOMBS WHICH AMERICAN SCIENTISTS ARE BRINGING TO A MORE ADVANCED STAGE OF DEVELOPMENT.
AS OUTLINED BY NAVY INFORMANTS, THE GUIDED MISSILE TRY-OUT AGAINST A REAL TARGET WOULD SERVE A DUAL PURPOSE: (1) TO PROVIDE CONCRETE EVIDENCE OF THE DAMAGE IT CAN INFLICT ON A NAVAL CRAFT, AND (2) TO AID IN DEVELOPING DEFENSES AGAINST THE FASTER-THAN-SOUND WEAPON.
THEY INDICATED THE LIKELY TARGET SHIP MAY BE THE 13,000-TON AIRCRAFT CARRIER INDEPENDENCE WHICH SERVED AS ONE OF THE GUINEA PIGS FOR THE BIKINI ATOMIC BOMB TESTS.
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A16WX (JOHNSON & COLLINS)
(250) ARMY
WASHINGTON, MAY 26-(AP)-GEN. J. LAWTON COLLINS RELATED TODAY THAT THE UNITED STATES BEGAN BUILDING SECRET PACIFIC BASES BEFORE THE SNEAK JAPANESE ATTACK ON PEARL HARBOR.
THE ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF TOLD THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE THAT WORK ON "STEPPING STONE" AIR BASES ON ISLANDS BETWEEN HAWAII AND AUSTRALIA WAS STARTED "QUIETLY WITHOUT ATTRACTING ATTENTION OF THE JAPS."
HE ESTIMATED THAT THESE SECRET BASES SAVED "PERHAPS A YEAR'S TIME" IN THE PACIFIC WAR.
COLLINS CITED THIS EXAMPLE OF SECRET DEFENSE WORK AS AN ARGUMENT AGAINST FIXING A RIGID LIMIT UPON THE NUMBERS OF ARMY OFFICERS ASSIGNED TO WASHINGTON, OR TO GENERAL STAFF WORK HERE.
HE TESTIFIED ON A HOUSE-PASSED BILL REVISING BASIC LAWS DEALING WITH ORGANIZATION OF THE ARMY. THE HOUSE PUT A PEACETIME LIMIT OF 2,700 UPON THE NUMBER OF ARMY OFFICERS ON PERMANENT DUTY IN WASHINGTON, AND 700 ON THE NUMBER ASSIGNED OR DETAILED TO DUTY WITH THE ARMY GENERAL STAFF.
AFTER HEARING COLLINS; THE SENATE COMMITTEE RAISED THESE PEACETIME LIMITS TO 4,000 ARMY OFFICERS IN WASHINGTON AND 1,500 ON THE ARMY GENERAL STAFF. IT THEN VOTED TO SEND THE MEASURE TO THE SENATE.
COLLINS SAID TOO LOW A LIMIT ON THE NUMBER OF OFFICERS HERE MIGHT NECESSITATE SUDDEN MOVES FOR INCREASES WHICH WOULD ATTRACT THE ATTENTION OF "POTENTIAL" ENEMIES IF PUBLICIZED.
"ACTUALLY WE'RE IN A COLD WAR," HE SAID, "FRANKLY, THE PROBLEMS OF RUNNING A COLD WAR ARE AT LEAST AS TOUGH, IF NOT TOUGHER, THAN RUNNING A REAL WAR."
HE SAID PUBLIC NOTICE THAT THE ARMY STAFF WAS INCREASING "MIGHT TIP THE BALANCE AS TO WHETHER A POTENTIAL ENEMY MIGHT ACT OR NOT."
AS AN EXAMPLE, COLLINS SAID THAT BEFORE THE JAPANESE ATTACK ON PEARL HARBOR, IT WAS GENERALLY KNOWN THE "JAPS WERE GOING TO DO SOMETHING AND IT WAS A QUESTION OF TIMING."
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KX (APW)
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NIGHT LEAD PAKISTAN PRIME MINISTER
BOSTON, MAY 26-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER LIAQUAT ALI KHAN OF PAKISTAN SAID TODAY HE LOOKED FOR HIS COUNTRY AND THE UNITED STATES TO BECOME "COMRADES IN THE NOBLE TASK OF TRANSLATING THE GREAT CONSTRUCTIVE DREAMS OF DEMOCRACY INTO REALITY."
HE SAID "DEMOCRACY IN THE WORLD OF TODAY CANNOT REMAIN ISOLATED AND FLOURISH--IT MUST GO AHEAD AND SPREAD ITSELF OR ELSE IT WILL WITHER AWAY."
THE PRIME MINISTER SPOKE AT THE MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, CAMBRIDGE, DURING A TWO-DAY VISIT HERE, THE LAST STOP OF A 10-CITY GOODWILL TOUR OF THE UNITED STATES SPONSORED BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT.
"PAKISTAN AND THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA HAVE ALWAYS BEEN FRIENDS," HE SAID, "AND I HOPE THE FUTURE WILL UNFOLD ITSELF IN WAYS WHICH WILL ALSO MAKE THEM COMRADES IN THE NOBLE TASK OF MAINTAINING PEACE AND IN TRANSLATING THE GREAT CONSTRUCTIVE DREAMS OF DEMOCRACY INTO REALITY."
"BUT IMMEDIATE PEACE IN THE WORLD," HE ADDED. "DOES NOT DEPEND ON ANYTHING THAT WE IN ASIA CAN DO. IMMEDIATE PEACE DEPENDS ONLY ON THOSE WHO CAN MAKE IMMEDIATE WAR."
THE PRIME MINISTER CONTINUED THAT "WE IN ASIA CAN ONLY HOPE AND PRAY THAT THE LEADERS OF WORLD OPINION WILL USE THEIR POWER AND WISDOM NOT TO ADD TO THE FEARS OF AN APPREHENSIVE WORLD BUT TO DISPEL THOSE FEARS.
"WE REGARD THE STABILITY OF ASIA AS ESSENTIAL FOR OUR OWN FREEDOM AND "PROGRESS AND FOR WORLD EACE, AND FIRMLY BELIEVE THAT IF ASIA IS ALLOWED TO STAGNATE AND FESTER THE WHOLE WORLD WILL BE PERILOUSLY PUSHED TO THE BRINK OF UNPREDICTABLE UPHEAVALS."
LIAQUAT ALI KHAN SAID HE HAS ACCEPTED AN INVITATION TO VISIT RUSSIA IN THE NEAR FUTURE AND ASSERTED, "PAKISTAN WANTS ONLY PEACE AND FRIENDLY RELATIONS WITH ALL COUNTRIES."
THE PRIME MINISTER AND HIS WIFE PLAN TO GO TO OTTAWA ON MAY 30 BEFORE RETURNING HOME.
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KX (APW) (270)
NEW YORK, MAY 26-(AP)-YUKIO OZAKI, "GRAND OLD MAN" OF THE JAPANESE DIET, SAYS HE IS DEVOTING HIS REMAINING TIME ON EARTH TO HIS TWO IDEALS: THE REAL DEMOCRATIZATION OF JAPAN AND THE ABOLISHMENT OF FEUDALISM IN THE WORLD AND PROMOTION OF A WORLD GOVERNMENT.
THE 91-YEAR-OLD STATESMAN TOLD OF HIS HOPES FOR "ONE WORLD" AT A LUNCHEON OF THE JAPAN SOCIETY AT THE HOTEL PIERRE TODAY. IT WAS THE FIRST SOCIAL GATHERING OF THIS GROUP--DEVOTED TO BETTER AMERICAN-JAPANESE RELATIONS--SINCE BEFORE THE WAR.
OZAKI, VETERAN PARLIAMENTARIAN AND ONE-TIME MAYOR OF TOKYO, SAID HE WOULD "SACRIFICE MY REMAINING TIME" TO SPONSORING HIS IDEAS FOR A BETTER WORLD AND PARTICULARLY THE IMPROVEMENT OF AMERICAN-JAPANESE UNDERSTANDING.
HE SAID HE FELT THE WORLD GENERALLY WAS IN A "FEUDAL STATE" COMPARABLE TO THAT OF JAPAN 100 YEARS AGO. HE ADVOCATED ELIMINATION OF "SOVEREIGN POWERS" AND ESTABLISHMENT OF A "UNIVERSAL LANGUAGE" AS STEPS TOWARDS REAL WORLD PEACE.
"THE WORLD IS NOW SO SMALL," OZAKI SAID, "AND THERE ARE SO MANY LANGUAGES AND GOVERNMENTS. AFTER ALL, WE ARE ONE FAMILY-ONE HOUSEHOLD." HE SAID THE JAPANESE SHOULD BE ETERNALLY GRATEFUL TO AMERICA AND GEN. DOUGLAS MACARTHUR FOR FOSTERING DEMOCRACY IN JAPAN.
PROFESSOR HAROLD D. HENDERSON, OF COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY, WELCOMED DR. OZAKI AND SAID THE JAPAN SOCIETY REPRESENTED PERSONS WITH JAPANESE CONTACTS WHO WISHED TO KEEP GOOD RELATIONS WITH JAPAN.
"WE'VE KEPT THIS ORGANIZATION ALIVE BECAUSE WE FEEL THAT OUR JAPANESE FRIENDS ARE JUST AS HEARTSICK AS WE WERE ABOUT THE WAR--ALTHOUGH WE ARE LOYAL AMERICANS AND THEY WERE LOYAL TO JAPAN," HE SAID. "NOW THAT CONTACTS ARE BEGINNING AGAIN BETWEEN OUR COUNTRIES I--AND THIS ORGANIZATION--FEEL THAT NO ONE COULD BETTER REPRESENT THE BEST ELEMENTS OF THE JAPANESE PEOPLE THAN DR. OZAKI--THE EPITOME OF OUR JAPANESE FRIENDS."
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NEW YORK, MAY 26-(AP)-BERNARD M.BARUCH SAID TODAY IT IS "IMMORAL" TO INTERFERE WITH THE NATION'S YOUTH THROUGH DRAFT LEGISLATION BEFORE PLANNING MOBILIZATION OF NON-HUMAN WAR RESOURCES.

BARUCH EXPRESSED THIS VIEW IN A TELEGRAM TO REP.CARL VINSON (D-GAM), CHAIRMAN OF THE HOUSE ARMED FORCES COMMITTEE.

THE FINANCIER AND ELDER STATESMAN MESSAGED VINSON:

"I NOTE THAT THE CONGRESS IS ABOUT TO ENGAGE IN A DEBATE OVER THE SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT. MAY I ASK, AS ONE LONG INTERESTED IN HAVING OUR COUNTRY FULLY PREPARED FOR WAR, WHY WE RESTRICT OUR ATTENTION TO THE HUMAN ASPECT OF PREPAREDNESS.

"TO ME THERE IS SOMETHING IMMORAL IN OFFERING HUMAN SACRIFICE ON THE ALTAR OF PATRIOTISM AND INTERFERING WITH TH LIVES OF OUR YOUTH WITHOUT FIRST SETTING UP COMPLETE PLANS FOR THE MOBILIZATION OF INDUSTRY, OF CAPITAL, OF MATERIALS, OF TRANSPORTATION, OF PROFIT, OF PRICES, OF WAGES, AND THE OTHER ELEMENTS NECESSARY TO MAKE US READY.

"WE HAVE ALL THE INFORMATION NEEDED FOR ACTION IN THIS AREA. WHY NOT ACT? IT WILL BE A SIGN TO ALL OF OUR PEOPLE THAT THERE IS TO BE EQUALITY OF SACRIFICE, JUST AS WE TRY TO PRESERVE EQUALITY OF OPPORTUNITY."

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CO KX (130)

NEW YORK, MAY 26-(AP)-TWO AMERICAN FLIERS, IMPRISONED BY CHINESE COMMUNISTS FOR 18 MONTHS, ARRIVED HERE TODAY FOR A RADIO APPEARANCE AND A BRIEF SWING AROUND THE BIG CITY.

MARINE MASTER SGT. ELMER C.BENDER OF CINCINNATI AND NAVY CHIEF ELECTRICIAN WILLIAM C.SMITH OF LONG BEACH, CALIF., FLEW IN AT NOON (EST) FROM THE WEST COAST, "A BIT TIRED," THEY SAID, FROM ROUNDS OF FETING SINCE THEIR RELEASE.

"I'VE SEEN MY WIFE FOR ABOUT FIVE MINUTES, IT SEEMS," BENDER SAID. HE ADDED THAT HIS BABY HAD THE MEASLES AND THAT HE, HIMSELF, HADN'T HAD A SQUARE MEAL BECAUSE OF ALL THE FUSS MADE OVER HIM.

THE TWO WERE FORCED DOWN OCT. 19, 1948 DURING A FLIGHT FROM TSINGTAO OVER COMMUNIST-HELD TERRITORY.

SMITH SAID THEIR CHINESE CAPTORS HAD NOT TREATED THEM HARSHLY.

THE FLIERS WILL APPEAR TONIGHT ON THE NBC RADIO SHOW, "WE THE PEOPLE."

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JOHNSTOWN, PA., MAY 26-(AP)-THREE LEADERS IN THE GERMAN STEEL INDUSTRY VISITED THE JOHNSTOWN ROD AND WIRE MILL OF THE BETHLEHEM STEEL CO. TODAY.

"THERE IS NOTHING LIKE THIS IN EUROPE," DECLARED WILLIAM J.SHULL, VICE PRESIDENT OF THE FELTON AND GUILLEAUME IRON & STEEL CO. AT COLOGNE.

"THE METHODS USED IN PRODUCING WIRE AT THE JOHNSTOWN PLANT ARE VASTLY MORE MODERN THAN THOSE USED IN EUROPEAN PLANTS," HE ADDED. "THE EQUIPMENT HERE IS MORE EFFICIENT AND GREATER IN SIZE. ALSO, THE WORKERS SEEM TO USE THEIR HEADS MORE THAN THEY DO IN OUR COUNTRY."

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NEW YORK, MAY 27-(AP)-THE NEW YORK TIMES TODAY DEVOTED ITS LEAD EDITORIAL TO A "TREATY FOR JAPAN" AND SAID THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE FORTHCOMING VISIT TO JAPAN BY JOHN FOSTER DULLES "BRINGS VARIOUS PROBLEMS OF A PEACE TREATY FOR JAPAN INTO GREATER PROMINENCE. IT WILL BE A MISTAKE OF INTERPRET THESE PROBLEMS MERELY AS AN INTER-DEPARTMENTAL DISPUTE OVER TIMING. IT IS TRUE THAT IN GENERAL THE STATE DEPARTMENT IS APPREHENSIVE OVER THE POSSIBILITY OF WEAKENING OUR POSITION THROUGH TOO GREAT HASTE. BUT THERE IS MUCH BEHIND BOTH POINTS OF VIEW. ASPECTS

THROUGH TOO GREAT HASTE. BUT THERE IS MUCH BEHIND BOTH POINTS OF VIEW. THIS IS A MATTER OF MAJOR POLICY IN WHICH MANY ASPECTS MUST BE EXPLORED.

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"ON THE FACE OF IT, IT SEEMS UNREASONABLE THAT ALMOST FIVE YEARS AFTER THE END OF HOSTILITIES WE SHOULD STILL BE 'AT WAR' WITH JAPAN. OBVIOUSLY THE CONCLUSION OF A PEACE NOW WOULD RELIEVE US OF SOME OF THE OCCUPATION BURDEN, WOULD HAVE A TENDENCY TO CONSOLIDATE SOME OF THE GAINS OF THE OCCUPATION AND AVOID SOME OF THE ILL EFFECTS OF ITS GREATER PROLONGATION, AND SHOULD PROVIDE A GREATER STIMULUS FOR RESPONSIBLE JAPANESE RECOVERY. AN INDEFINITELY LONG OCCUPATION WAS NEVER PLANNED AND GENERAL MACARTHUR HAS SEVERAL TIMES INDICATED HIS BELIEF THAT THE JAPANESE WERE READY TO RESUME FULL RESPONSIBILITIES AT AN EARLY DATE.

"MUCH OF THE SITUATION ENVISAGED IN THIS SORT OF PLANNING, HOWEVER, HAS TURNED OUT TO BE VASTLY DIFFERENT FROM WHAT WAS EXPECTED. WE HAD SUPPOSED THAT A PACIFIC PEACE TREATY WOULD BE LARGELY THE WORK OF THE FAR EAST COUNCIL AND THAT ELEVEN NATIONS WOULD BE SIGNATORIES TO IT. IT HAS BECOME PAINFULLY APPARENT THAT IF WE WANT ANY TREATY AT ALL WE SHALL HAVE TO GO AFTER IT WITHOUT THE SOVIET UNION AND THE SOVIET SATELLITE REGIME IN CHINA. HOW MANY OF THE OTHER PACIFIC NATIONS WILL JOIN US IS PROBLEMATICAL.

"A SECOND DIFFERENT FACTOR LIES IN THE PATTERN OF SOVIET AGGRESSION IN EAST ASIA. IT HAD BEEN PRESUMED THAT BY THIS TIME THERE WOULD BE EFFECTIVE PEACE-ENFORCING MACHINERY UNDER THE UNITED NATIONS THAT WOULD MAKE THE NEW JAPANESE STATE REASONABLY SECURE. FAR FROM SUCH A CASE, WE FACE A SITUATION IN WHICH SOVIET PRESSURE HAS MADE ALL OF EAST ASIA FEARFUL, AND THAT FEAR IS MANY TIMES MULTIPLIED BY THE RUSSIAN DEVELOPMENT OF THE ATOMIC BOMB.

"JAPANS PERILOUS POSITION IS INCREASED ALSO BY THE SITUATION IN KOREA. AN ABRUPT AMERICAN WITHDRAWAL, WHILE THE SOVIET UNION DOMINATES NORTH KOREA, WOULD MEAN THE COLLAPSE OF THE FREE KOREAN STATE.

"MEANWHILE THE JAPANESE UNDER OUR GUIDANCE HAVE MADE A FORMAL RENUNCIATION OF THE USE OF FORCE AND HAVE BEEN EFFECTIVELY DISARMED. IN THEIR INTEREST AS WELL AS OUR OWN, THEREFORE, WE ARE LEFT WITH A MORAL OBLIGATION TO SEE THAT THEY ARE NOT SWALLOWED UP BY THE

SOVIET UNION THE MOMENT THAT WE RETIRE. AFTER THE EXPERIENCE OF CHINA AND NORTHERN KOREA THE JAPANESE WILL CERTAINLY NOT EXPECT US TO LEAVE THEM ENTIRELY DEFENSELESS.

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"NEVERTHELESS, SINCE RUSSIA IS NOW POSSESSED OF ATOMIC WEAPONS, DEFENSE FOR JAPAN MEANS MORE THAN ONE AMERICAN BASE ON OKINAWA AND A COUPLE OF AIRFIELDS ON THE JAPANESE MAIN ISLANDS. WHAT IT COMES DOWN TO IS THAT IF JAPAN IS TO BE DEFENDED ALL OF JAPAN HAS TO BE A BASE, MILITARILY AND ECONOMICALLY. THAT WOULD NOT MEAN THE PERMANENT OCCUPATION OF JAPAN BY THE UNITED STATES. IT IS HARD TO SEE, HOWEVER, HOW IT CAN MEAN ANYTHING LESS THAN A FIRM COMMITMENT BY THIS COUNTRY ON BEHALF OF THE JAPANESE, IRONIC AS THAT SOUNDS. THE ALTERNATIVE IS SIMPLY TURNING OVER THE WHOLE OF EAST ASIA TO THE SOVIET UNION."
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NEW YORK,MAY 26-(AP)-THE TIMES SAID TODAY IT DOES NOT EXPECT ANY "FIRM COMMITMENTS" TO RESULT FROM THE ASIATIC CONFERENCE AT BAGUIO, THE PHILIPPINES, BUT LOOKS UPON THE MEETING AS A GOOD START TOWARD EAST ASIATIC CO-OPERATION.
IN AN EDITORIAL, THE PAPER SAID "THERE IS A CRYING NEED FOR CLOSER ASSOCIATION AMONG THE EAST ASIATIC PEOPLES" BECAUSE "THE ENTIRE AREA IS THREATENED. SOONER OR LATER A POOL OF RESOURCES, MORAL AS WELL AS PHYSICAL, WILL BE REQUIRED FOR ITS DEFENSE."
"IT IS GOOD SENSE TO EXPLORE THOSE RESOURCES," THE TIMES SAID. "FIRM COMMITMENTS WILL PROBABLY NOT COME OUT OF THE BAGUIO CONFERENCE, BUT A START NEEDS TO BE MADE AND THIS IS ONE SIGN OF IT. X X X
"IT IS PROBABLY TOO SOON FOR ANY CONCRETE PLANS FOR AN EAST ASIATIC FEDERATION, ALTHOUGH THAT HAS BEEN MUCH DISCUSSED AND IS A FAVORITE DREAM-CHILD OF GENERAL ROMULO. THIS MEETING, UNDOUBTEDLY, WILL ENTERTAIN NO SUCH AMBITIOUS PROPOSAL. IT IS PLANNED TO BE EXPLORATORY, NOT DEFINITIVE. X X X
"NEVERTHELESS, IT IS ALL TO THE GOOD."
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B81WX (Q)
(100) OPTIONAL LEAD UN-AMERICAN HAM
BY DON WHITEHEAD
WASHINGTON, MAY 26-(AP)-THE FAT WAS IN THE FIRE TODAY--AND HAM FAT, AT THAT--OVER A SIDE ISSUE OF THE COLD WAR.
SENATOR GILLETTE (D-IOWA) HAS INTRODUCED A BILL IN CONGRESS TO BAN THE IMPORTATION OF CANNED MEAT FROM ANY EUROPEAN COUNTRY NOT IN THE MARSHALL PLAN OF ECONOMIC AID.
THE BILL IS AIMED AT CHECKING IMPORTS OF CANNED HAM FROM POLAND.
THE INDEPENDENT MEAT PACKERS ASSOCIATION BACKED GILLETTE UP.N
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THE INDEPENDENT MEAT PACKERS ASSOCIATION BACKED GILLETTE UP. WILBUR LAROE, JR., GENERAL COUNSEL FOR THE ASSOCIATION, TESTIFIED TODAY BEFORE A SENATE COMMITTEE. AND ISSUED A FORMAL STATEMENT.
"EVERY ONE OF THESE IRON CURTAIN HAMS DISPLACES AN AMERICAN HAM," THE ASSOCIATION DECLARED.
IN THE PACKERS' VIEW, WHEN SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON CALLED FOR TOTAL DIPLOMACY AGAINST COMMUNISM HE DIDN'T EXEMPT HAM.
SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE BRANNAN ADVISED THE AGRICULTURE SUBCOMMITTEE CONSIDERING GILLETTE'S BILL THAT ANY HAM BAN WOULD RUN COUNTER TO THE ADMINISTRATION'S FOREIGN TRADE POLICY.
BESIDES, HE SAID IN A LETTER, POLISH HAMS DON'T COMPETE WITH AMERICAN HAMS TO ANY GREAT EXTENT.
IT CAME OUT THAT POLAND'S PONDEROUS PORKERS DINE ON BARLEY, POTATOES AND SUGAR BEET RESIDUE. RED-BLOODED AMERICAN HOGS SPURN SUCH CONTINENTAL FARE IN FAVOR OF SIMPLE CORN AND PEANUTS AND ACORNS.
NEVERTHELESS, SOME AMERICANS EVIDENTLY LIKE THE POLISH HAM BETTER.
BRANNAN'S LETTER SAID ABOUT 1,000,000 POUNDS WERE IMPORTED LAST YEAR.
BUSINESS MUST BE GETTING BETTER, GILLETTE OBSERVED, CITING THE IMPORTATION OF 1,702,830 POUNDS DURING JANUARY AND FEBRUARY ALONE THIS YEAR.
HE SAID BRANNAN HAD IGNORED THIS INCREASE EITHER CARELESSLY OR DELIBERATELY.
SENATOR KEM (R-MO) SAID HE THINKS BRANNAN SHOULD BE CALLED BEFORE THE COMMITTEE PERSONALLY TO EXPLAIN HIS STAND ON HAM. GILLETTE SAID THAT WOULD BE A GOOD IDEA.
IN PROPOSING A HAM STATUTE, GILLETTE WAS BLAZING NO NEW LEGISLATIVE TRAIL.
IN 1926, THE VIRGINIA STATE LEGISLATURE PASSED A HAM ACT WHICH SAID:
"MEAT, TO BE BRANDED 'GENUINE SMITHFIELD,' MUST BE CUT FROM CARCASSES OF PEANUT-FED HOGS, RAISED IN THE PEANUT BELT OF VIRGINIA AND NORTH CAROLINA, AND CURED WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE TOWN OF SMITHFIELD, VA."
IT DIDN'T EVEN MENTION POLAND.
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NEW YORK, MAY 26-(AP)-TWO GOVERNMENT WITNESSES TODAY DENIED A CLAIM BY FREDERICK E.BAUER, FORMER INDIANA PATENT ATTORNEY, THAT HE WAS REFUSED COUNSEL AT A HEARING WHICH RESULTED IN AN ORDER FOR HIS DEPORTATION IN 1946.
BAUER, WHO SERVED IN BOTH THE GERMAN AND AMERICAN ARMIES IN WORLD WAR II, WAS ARRESTED AT FORT HARRISON, IND., SEPT. 4, 1945 ON SUSPICION OF HAVING BEEN A GERMAN ESPIONAGE AGENT. HE WAS DISCHARGED FROM THE ARMY WITHOUT HONOR IN DECEMBER THAT YEAR AND LATER WAS ORDERED DEPORTED AS AN ENEMY ALIEN.
BAUER TESTIFIED YESTERDAY BEFORE JUDGE WILLIAM BONDY ON A MOTION FOR A REHEARING OF HIS CASE. HE SAID HE HAD ASKED POSTPONEMENT OF HIS DEPORTATION HEARING, BUT THAT THE RECORD DID NOT SHOW HIS REQUEST. ALSO HE DENIED HE REPLIED "IT IS NOT NECESSARY" WHEN HE WAS ADVISED OF HIS RIGHT TO COUNSEL.
THE GOVERNMENT TODAY CALLED MRS. VIVIAN H.GARNETT, WHO TESTIFIED SHE WAS THE STENOGRAPHER AT THE HEARING AND THAT SHE HEARD BAUER REFUSE COUNSEL. SHE PRODUCED HER NOTEBOOK FROM WHICH THE OFFICIAL

TRANSCRIPT OF THE HEARING WAS MADE.
ANOTHER GOVERNMENT WITNESS, GILBERT ZIMMERMAN, TESTIFIED HE WAS THE IMMIGRATION INSPECTOR WHO CONDUCTED THE HEARING. ZIMMERMAN SAID THAT AFTER HE ADVISED BAUER OF HIS RIGHTS, HE WAS TOLD BY BAUER THAT HE DID NOT WANT AN ADJOURNMENT.

ZIMMERMAN DENIED THAT BAUER HAD SHOWN HIM WAR BONDS AND A BLOOD DONOR'S CERTIFICATE. THE IMMIGRATION OFFICIAL SAID THAT IF HE HAD BEEN SHOWN SUCH PAPERS HE WOULD HAVE CONSIDERED THEM AS EVIDENCE IN BAUER'S FAVOR.

BAUER TESTIFIED YESTERDAY THAT HE HAD OFFERED THE WAR BONDS AND CERTIFICATE AS EVIDENCE OF GOOD MORAL CHARACTER, BUT THAT ZIMMERMAN HAD REFUSED TO ACKNOWLEDGE THEM.

MRS.BAUER, THE FORMER WILMA HITE OF ROCKVILLE, IND., TESTIFIED THAT SHE SAW HER HUSBAND OFFER THE PAPERS TO ZIMMERMAN, BUT THAT HE RETURNED THE PAPERS TO BAUER.

"I DARE ANYONE TO SAY I AM NOT A LOYAL AMERICAN," MRS.BAUER DECLARED. "I WOULD HAVE BEEN THE FIRST TO THROW STONES AT HIM IF HE HAD BEEN A SPY."

ASKED BY ASSISTANT U.S. ATTORNEY HAROLD RABY IF SHE WOULD LEAVE THE COUNTRY WITH HER HUSBAND IF HE WERE DEPORTED, MRS.BAUER SAID:

"I WOULD GO WITH HIM, NOT BECAUSE I DON'T LOVE MY COUNTRY, BUT BECAUSE I LOVE MY HUSBAND."

THE HEARING WAS ADJOURNED UNTIL MONDAY. MAY 27 1950

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NEW YORK, MAY 26-(AP)-JUDITH COPLON, TWICE CONVICTED OF SPYING FOR RUSSIA, TOOK OUT A MARRIAGE LICENSE AT BROOKLYN'S BOROUGH HALL TODAY WITH ATTORNEY ALBERT H. SOCOLOV.

THEY RECENTLY ANNOUNCED THEY WOULD MARRY BUT DID NOT REVEAL THE DATE.

THE PRESENT LICENSE IS GOOD FOR 30 DAYS.

MISS COPLON, 29-YEAR-OLD FORMER GOVERNMENT GIRL, IS APPEALING PRISON SENTENCES TOTALLING 25 YEARS.

SOCOLOV, ALSO 29, IS ASSOCIATED WITH A LAW FIRM THAT DEFENDED HER.

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(600) AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD LIE-COLD WAR
BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON, MAY 26-(AP)-THE STATE DEPARTMENT SEES NO PROSPECT OF SUCCESSFUL NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN RUSSIA AND THE WESTERN POWERS AT THIS TIME TO END THE COLD WAR.

THAT IN A NUTSHELL IS THE AMERICAN REACTION TO U.N. SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE'S EXPRESSED BELIEF THAT CONSTRUCTIVE NEGOTIATIONS FOR AN EAST-WEST SETTLEMENT ARE NOW POSSIBLE.

UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE JAMES WEBB GAVE THE AMERICAN IDEAS ABOUT LIE'S JUST CONCLUDED PEACE-MAKING MISSION TO MOSCOW, PARIS AND LONDON AT A NEWS CONFERENCE TODAY. IN EFFECT, HE SAID THAT WHAT THE UNITED STATES LOOKS FOR FROM RUSSIA NOW IS NOT WORDS BUT ACTIONS IN THE INTEREST OF WORLD PEACE.

THE MATTER CAME UP WHEN REPORTERS ASKED WEBB WHAT HE THOUGHT ABOUT VARIOUS PUBLISHED SPECULATIONS THAT LIE HAD BEEN SERVING THE PURPOSES OF MOSCOW'S PEACE PROPAGANDA.

THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT, WEBB SAID, HAS NO REASON TO DOUBT THE UNITED NATIONS LEADER'S SINCERITY. ON THE CONTRARY, HE DECLARED AMERICAN OFFICIALS BELIEVE THAT HE IS TAKING A VERY SINCERE VIEW OF HIS RESPONSIBILITIES AND IS DOING HIS UTMOST TO MAKE THE UNITED NATIONS PEACE MACHINERY AS POWERFUL AND EFFECTIVE AS POSSIBLE.

WEBB WAS THEN ASKED WHAT HE THOUGHT ABOUT LIE'S PROPOSALS FOR AN EAST-WEST SETTLEMENT AND ALSO SUCH IDEAS AS THOSE SUGGESTED IN THE SENATE IN RECENT MONTHS FOR AN ARMS CONTROL CONFERENCE OR OTHER NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE RUSSIANS.

HE REPLIED THAT THE UNITED STATES IS ALWAYS CONSIDERING WAYS TO GET PEACE BUT HE EMPHASIZED THAT THE CENTRAL QUESTION IS THE PROPER LINE OF APPROACH TO THE PROBLEM.

HE SAID THAT SECRETARY DEAN ACHESON IN A SPEECH IN CALIFORNIA ON MARCH 16 HAD OUTLINED THE THINGS THAT NEED TO BE DONE. ACHESON CALLED FOR A SOVIET WITHDRAWAL FROM EASTERN EUROPE AND FOR POSITIVE RUSSIAN ACTION TO REACH AGREEMENT ON THE GERMAN, AUSTRIAN AND JAPANESE PROBLEMS AS WELL AS A NUMBER OF OTHER OUTSTANDING ISSUES.

IT IS NOT THE POSITION OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT, WEBB SAID BLUNTLY, THAT THOSE THINGS CAN BE SETTLED BY CONVERSATION AT THIS POINT.

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HIS COMMENTS REFLECTED A GENERAL ATTITUDE OF SKEPTICISM IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT ABOUT THE EFFECTIVENESS OF LIE'S MANEUVERS INSOFAR AS PROGRESS TOWARD ENDING THE COLD WAR IS CONCERNED. AS WEBB SAID, STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS BELIEVE THAT LIE IS ACTING IN GOOD FAITH AND THEY HAD NO OBJECTION TO HIS VISIT TO MOSCOW AND HIS TALK WITH PREMIER STALIN.

THEIR ONLY RESERVATION, IT IS UNDERSTOOD, WAS CONCERNED WITH THE POSSIBILITY THAT THE RUSSIANS WOULD TAKE ADVANTAGE OF HIS ACTIVITIES TO FURTHER THEIR SO-CALLED PEACE OFFENSIVE OR THAT HIS EFFORTS MIGHT DISTRACT THE ATTENTION OF WESTERN PEOPLES FROM WHAT AMERICAN LEADERS CONCEIVE TO BE THE MAIN TASK AT THE MOMENT.

THAT TASK, ACCORDING TO ACHESON'S FREQUENTLY EXPRESSED OPINION, IS TO CREATE SUCH ECONOMIC, POLITICAL AND MILITARY STRENGTH AMONG THE WESTERN NATIONS THAT THE RUSSIANS WILL BE DETERRED FROM FURTHER EXPANSIONIST DRIVES.

IN A PRESS CONFERENCE IN NEW YORK TODAY LIE SAID HE HOPES FOR A BREAK IN A MONTH OR SO IN THE DEADLOCK OVER SEATING THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS IN THE UNITED NATIONS. HE ALSO HELD OUT HOPE OF A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL LATER IN THE SUMMER. THAT WOULD PRESUMABLY BRING TOGETHER THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF RUSSIA AND THE WESTERN POWERS FOR A DISCUSSION OF WORLD ISSUES. IF SUCH A SESSION IS ARRANGED, ACHESON UNDOUBTEDLY WILL ATTEND THOUGH WITH NO HOPE OF ANY POSITIVE RESULTS.

ON THE MATTER OF CHINESE REPRESENTATION, OFFICIALS HERE DO NOT PARTICULARLY CHALLENGE LIE'S IDEA THAT A BREAK IN THE LONG STALEMATE MAY EVENTUALLY DEVELOP. FIVE OF THE MEMBERS OF THE U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL ALREADY RECOGNIZE COMMUNIST CHINA AND THE VOTES OF ONLY SEVEN ARE REQUIRED TO DISPLACE THE NATIONALIST DELEGATE WITH A COMMUNIST REPRESENTATIVE.

ONCE THIS ISSUE WAS SETTLED RUSSIA WOULD BE EXPECTED TO RETURN TO THE UNITED NATIONS AGENCIES WHICH IT HAS BEEN BOYCOTTING SINCE EARLY THIS YEAR. THAT WOULD MAKE THE UNITED NATIONS MACHINERY WHOLE AGAIN AND COULD BE CONSTRUED AS A VICTORY FOR LIE'S DIPLOMACY.

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AMS BUDGET (540)
NIGHT LEAD LIE
BY FRANCIS W.CARPENTER
LAKE SUCCESS,MAY 26-(AP)-TRYGVE LIE SAID TODAY THE CHINA CRISIS IN THE UNITED NATIONS MUST BE SETTLED BY JULY, AND A START MADE THIS YEAR TO END THE COLD WAR.
AT THE SAME TIME HE ASSERTED THE BOYCOTTING RUSSIANS STILL HAVE CONFIDENCE IN THE U.N. AND WANT IT TO WORK.
IF THE CHINA CRISIS IS NOT SETTLED THIS SUMMER, LIE SAID, THE SEPTEMBER GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF 59 NATIONS WILL MEET IN CONFUSION "AND I DO NOT KNOW WHAT WILL HAPPEN."
THE U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL, SPEAKING TO REPORTERS HERE FOR THE FIRST TIME SINCE HIS ONE AND ONE-HALF HOUR TALK WITH PRIME MINISTER STALIN, DECLINED TO REVEAL WHETHER STALIN MADE ANY NEW PROPOSALS FOR ENDING THE SOVIET BLOC'S WALKOUT AGAINST 29 U.N. ORGANIZATIONS OVER THE ISSUE OF CHINESE REPRESENTATION. BUT HE DID SAY HE CARRIED NO MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT TRUMAN TO STALIN AND BROUGHT NO STALIN MESSAGE TO MR.TRUMAN.
THE RUSSIANS HAVE DEMANDED THE U.N. KICK OUT THE NATIONALIST CHINESE AND GIVE THE PLACE TO THE COMMUNISTS OF THE PEIPING REGIME. THE RUSSIANS SO FAR HAVE BEEN VOTED DOWN IN THEIR OUSTER MOVES. LIE SAID TODAY THAT IF THERE IS ANY REALITY BEHIND ALL THE WORK THAT HAS BEEN UNDERTAKEN TO GET THE ISSUE SETTLED IT MUST BE ENDED IN JUNE OR AT LEAST NOT LATER THAN JULY.
LIE SAID AGAIN, AS HE DID IN MOSCOW, THAT STALIN'S HEALTH IS EXCELLENT. HE SAID STALIN'S EYE IS SHARP AND HE STILL LOVES TO SMOKE HIS PIPE. HE SAID THE RUSSIAN MAN IN THE STREET IS WEARING TIES NOW, HAS BETTER SHOES, AND THAT MOSCOW HAS DONE MUCH BUILDING SINCE HIS LAST VISIT IN 1946.
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OTHER HIGH SPOTS OF TODAY'S NEWS CONFERENCE WERE:
1. LIE ASSERTED THE NATIONS MUST BEGIN WORK ON AN END OF THE COLD WAR THIS YEAR OR THE WORLD FACES THE GRAVEST DANGER OF BEING PUT FINALLY ON THE ROAD TO A THIRD WORLD WAR. REMINDED THAT A U.S. REPRESENTATIVE HAD SAID THE ONLY WAY TO END THE COLD WAR IS TO WIN IT, LIE SAID HE DID NOT UNDERSTAND HOW THE COLD WAR CAN BE WON.
2. LIE WILL GO TO WASHINGTON NEXT WEEK TO TALK ONCE MORE WITH MR. TRUMAN AND SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON. LIE DOES NOT PLAN TO MAKE ANOTHER ROUND OF THE BIG FOUR CAPITALS UNLESS IT IS NECESSARY.
3. HE MADE NO PROPOSALS ON HIS TRIP AND DID NO NEGOTIATING. IT WAS AN EXPLORATORY TRIP.
4. MILITARY DEVELOPMENTS ON FORMOSA, SEAT OF THE NATIONALIST CHINA GOVERNMENT, DO NOT AFFECT THE MOVES LIE IS MAKING FOR A SETTLEMENT OF THE CHINA CRISIS. IT WILL BE TWO OR THREE MONTHS BEFORE RESULTS MAY BE EXPECTED AND THE REASON FOR THAT TIME DELAY IS TO GIVE THE GOVERNMENTS OPPORTUNITY TO STUDY ALL THE PROBLEMS INVOLVED, NOT TO AWAIT MILITARY ACTION ON FORMOSA, LIE SAID.

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ANSWERING A QUESTION ABOUT WHAT HE MEANT WHEN HE SAID HE HOPED SOMETHING WILL HAPPEN IN JUNE OR JULY ON THE CHINA CASE, LIE SAID:
"IT CANNOT BE SETTLED WITHOUT A SECURITY COUNCIL MEETING BUT I DO NOT KNOW OF ANY DATE OR ANYTHING. I THINK THAT IF THE SECURITY COUNCIL HAS NOT TAKEN UP ALL THE DIFFERENT QUESTIONS THEY HAVE TO DISCUSS AND PREPARE FOR THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY BEFORE THE ASSEMBLY MEETS, THAT WOULD MEAN CONFUSION AND I DO NOT KNOW WHAT WOULD HAPPEN. THEREFORE, IF THERE IS ANY REALITY BEHIND ALL THE WORK NOW BEING DONE TO GET THIS SETTLED, I THINK THIS CHINESE SITUATION MUST BE SETTLED IN JUNE, NOT LATER THAN JULY."
THE SOVIET UNION, BRITAIN, INDIA, NORWAY AND YUGOSLAVIA--ALL COUNCIL MEMBERS--HAVE RECOGNIZED THE RED CHINESE. EUROPEAN DELEGATES HERE SAY THE BRITISH AND NORWEGIANS ARE READY NOW TO VOTE TO OUST NATIONALIST CHINA INSTEAD OF ABSTAINING, AS THEY DID IN JANUARY. THE RUSSIANS NEED TWO MORE VOTES ON THE 11-MEMBER COUNCIL FOR AN OUSTER DECISION, BUT THERE ARE NO SIGNS SO FAR OF ANY BREAK WHICH WILL GIVE THEM THE VOTES.
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LAKE SUCCESS,MAY 26-(AP)-SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE SAID TODAY HE HOPES FOR A DEFINITE BREAK BY JUNE OR JULY IN THE UNITED NATIONS DEADLOCK OVER CHINA.
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LIE MADE HIS STATEMENT AT HIS FIRST NEWS CONFERENCE SINCE RETURNING FROM TALKS WITH PRIME MINISTER STALIN, PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE, PREMIER BIDAULT AND PRESIDENT TRUMAN.
LIE ALSO DECLARED RUSSIA STILL HAS FULL CONFIDENCE IN THE UNITED NATIONS AND WANTS IT RESTORED TO ITS NORMAL FUNCTIONING. THIS HAS BEEN DISRUPTED BY THE SOVIET WALKOUT-STRIKES WHICH STARTED JAN. 10 OVER THE CHINA REPRESENTATION QUESTION.
THE SECRETARY GENERAL SAID HE HAS NOT TAKEN ANY PROPOSALS FROM PRESIDENT TRUMAN TO STALIN OR BROUGHT ANY MESSAGE BACK TO MR.TRUMAN. HE EXPECTS TO SEE THE PRESIDENT AND SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON NEXT WEEK.
LIE DECLINED TO GIVE ANY DETAILS OF HIS TALKS WITH THE BIG POWER LEADERS BUT SAID HE HAD LEFT WITH THEM SOME MEMORANDA. HE WOULD NOT DISCLOSE THE CONTENTS.
LIE EXPRESSED HOPE A HIGH-LEVEL SECURITY COUNCIL MEETING WOULD BE HELD THIS SUMMER WITH FOREIGN MINISTERS OR HEADS OF GOVERNMENTS REPRESENTING THE COUNCIL'S II MEMBER NATIONS.
"THIS IS THE YEAR OF DECISION FOR THE UNITED NATIONS AND THE WORLD," HE SAID.
LIE REPORTED HE FOUND A PROFOUND DESIRE FOR PEACE IN ALL THE COUNTRIES HE VISITED.
LIE'S COMMENTS ON THE CHINA QUESTION WERE IN RESPONSE TO A QUESTION.
HE SAID THERE HAD BEEN NO CHANGE IN THE SITUATION BUT ADDED "I STILL HOPE SOMETHING WILL HAPPEN IN JUNE OR JULY."
SOMETHING "MUST HAPPEN" THEN IF THE SECURITY COUNCIL IS TO DO THE PREPARATORY WORK NEEDED FOR THE OPENING OF THE 1950 GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE 59 NATIONS IN SEPTEMBER, LIE CONTINUED.
HE REFUSED TO SAY WHETHER RUSSIA HAD OFFERED ANY PROPOSALS OR HAD INDICATED ANY WILLINGNESS TO MAKE CONCESSIONS.
"DOES THE SOVIET UNION STILL HAVE CONFIDENCE IN THE UNITED NATIONS AND DOES IT WANT TO SEE THE UNITED NATIONS WORK?" A REPORTER ASKED.
"MY ANSWER TO BOTH QUESTIONS IS 'YES'," HE REPLIED.
LIE HAS NO PLANS FOR ANOTHER ROUND OF VISITS WITH THE BIG POWER LEADERS BUT SAID HE IS WILLING TO GO AROUND AGAIN IF HE FEELS IT WOULD BE USEFUL. HE ADDED:

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"THE UNITED NATIONS OFFERS THE MEANS BY WHICH A RESUMPTION OF NEGOTIATIONS CAN BE BROUGHT ABOUT."

ASKED WHAT FORM THESE NEGOTIATIONS MIGHT TAKE, HE DID NOT SAY.

"DID YOU PROPOSE A MEETING OF THE BIG FOUR (WITHOUT CHINA)?" HE WAS ASKED.

"I DIDN'T PROPOSE ANYTHING," HE SAID. "WE DID DISCUSS MANY THINGS, INCLUDING A PERIODIC (HIGH-LEVEL) MEETING OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL."

LIE CAUTIONED THAT NO IMMEDIATE DEVELOPMENTS SHOULD BE EXPECTED FROM HIS TALKS. HE REITERATED NOTHING IS LIKELY FOR TWO OR THREE MONTHS.

LIE WAS ASKED WHETHER HIS PREDICTION OF A JUNE OR JULY BREAK IN THE CHINA QUESTION WAS BASED ON EXPECTED MILITARY DEVELOPMENTS IN FORMOSA, WHERE THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS ARE HOLDING OUT AGAINST THE MAINLAND REDS.

"NO," HE SAID.

RUSSIAN DELEGATES HAVE REFUSED TO SIT IN MEETINGS OF NEARLY 30 U.N. ORGANS WHERE NATIONALIST CHINA DELEGATES REMAIN PRESENT. NO ORGAN OF THE U.N. THUS FAR HAS AGREED TO OUST CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S DELEGATES TO MAKE WAY FOR THE RED CHINA REPRESENTATIVES OF CHAIRMAN MAO TZE-TUNG.

LIE HAS CAMPAIGNED OPENLY FOR SEATING RED CHINA AS A "COMMON SENSE" MEANS OF GETTING RUSSIA BACK TO THE U.N. HE CONTENDS THIS APPROACH IS CORRECT LEGALLY AND WILL STAND UP IN THE LIGHT OF HISTORY; THAT RED CHINA IS THE REAL RULER OF THE CHINA MAINLAND AND ITS 470,000,000 PEOPLE.

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LIE-MOSCOW SEPARATE (550)

LAKE SUCCESS,MAY 26-(AP)-JOSEPH STALIN AT 70 IS "SHARP IN HIS EYES" AND AS HEALTHY LOOKING AS HE WAS FOUR YEARS AGO, TRYGVE LIE REPORTED TODAY.

GIVING SIDELIGHT IMPRESSIONS OF HIS SAVE-THE-U.N. TOUR IN EUROPE, LIE SAID THE RUSSIANS HE ENCOUNTERED WORE SHOES, NECKTIES AND SUITS--"LIKE ANYONE ELSE."

THE U.N.SECRETARY-GENERAL FOUND SOVIET SOCCER FANS NOT MUCH DIFFERENT FROM BROOKLYN DODGER ROOTERS. LIE TOLD A U.N. NEWS CONFERENCE:

"COMPARED WITH WHAT I HAD SEEN BEFORE, THE PICTURE OF THE ORDINARY DAILY LIFE IN MOSCOW IMPRESSED ME. I HAVE SEEN MOSCOW FIVE TIMES, IN 1921, IN 1932, IN 1944, IN 1946, AND NOW IN 1950. THIS WAS MY FIFTH VISIT THERE. IT WAS A PERIOD OF 29 YEARS BETWEEN MY FIRST VISIT AND THIS LAST ONE, THE FIFTH ONE. (LIE MADE HIS EARLY TRIPS TO RUSSIA AS A NORWEGIAN LABOR UNION DELEGATE TO MOSCOW CONVENTIONS).

"ONE CAN SEE NEW BUSES AND TROLLEYS, AS WELL AS NEW PRIVATE CARS, AND THEY ALSO HAVE SOME TRAFFIC PROBLEMS TO RESOLVE IN MOSCOW, AS IN ALL OF THE CAPITALS. I AM NOT AN EXPERT AND I DO NOT HAVE FIGURES OR ANYTHING LIKE THAT. I DO NOT KNOW WHAT YOU CAN GET FOR YOUR SALARY. I WOULD NOT WISH TO GIVE ANY WRONG IMPRESSION, BUT FROM WHAT AN ORDINARY TOURIST CAN SEE IN THE STREETS, IN THE SHOPS, IN THE THEATRES AND SO ON, I THINK THE PROGRESS MADE IS A VERY GOOD ONE. WHEN I COMPARE WHAT I SAW NOW WITH WHAT I SAW IN 1946. IF YOU TALK TO AN ORDINARY MAN IN THE STREET, WHEREVER YOU FIND HIM, HE IS VERY PROUD OF THE PROGRESS MADE.

"ON A SUNDAY AFTERNOON, I INVITED MY SECRETARY, MRS.BERNTZEN, TO GO TO A SOCCER MATCH. I HAD NOT SEEN RUSSIAN SOCCER PLAYED FOR SEVERAL YEARS, AND THEREFORE I WAS VERY INTERESTED IN SEEING HOW IT WAS GOING NOW. THIS VISIT WAS NOT ANY ARRANGED ONE. I JUST WENT OUT AND BOUGHT MY TICKET AND WENT IN, AND SAT IN THE STADIUM WITH 120,000 OTHER ONLOOKERS. I LOOKED AROUND AND THERE WERE ORDINARY MOSCOW WORKERS AND CITIZENS. I WAS VERY SURPRISED TO SEE HOW MUCH BETTER THE DRESSING WAS THIS TIME, AS COMPARED WITH ANY OTHER TIME.

"THEY WORE SHOES, AND THEY HAD TIES NOW, AND THEY HAD SUITS LIKE ANYONE ELSE. LOOKING AROUND, I SAID TO MYSELF: 'THAT CROWD COULD BE TRANSFERRED TO A SATURDAY AFTERNOON MATCH AT WEMBLEY STADIUM IN LONDON OR TO EBBETS FIELD (HOME OF THE BROOKLYN DODGERS) ON A SUNDAY AFTERNOON.'

"THESE ARE JUST SOME OF THE IMPRESSIONS THAT AN ORDINARY TRAVELER CAN HAVE. I WOULD NOT LIKE TO SAY ANYTHING ELSE OTHER THAN THE FACT THAT I WAS HAPPY TO SEE THAT IN THE WESTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES, AND IN THE COUNTRIES IN THE EASTERN PART OF EUROPE, REAL PROGRESS HAS BEEN MADE BECAUSE THEY HAVE HAD PEACE. THAT WAS MY CONCLUSION.

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"NATURALLY, YOU WILL ASK ME ABOUT HOW THE LEADERS OF THE SOVIET UNION LOOK. I WAS ASKED THAT QUESTION IN MOSCOW. I CAN ONLY ANSWER THAT ALL THOSE WHOM I MET LOOKED HEALTHY. MAYBE I CAN SAY IT IN THIS WAY; THAT THOSE WHO VISITED US AT FLUSHING MEADOW (NEW YORK) OR HERE AT LAKE SUCCESS LOOKED HEALTHIER IN MOSCOW THAN WHEN THEY WERE EXHAUSTED HERE AFTER TWO OR THREE MONTHS OF WORK. I THINK THAT THEY ARE HARD WORKERS, BUT THEY TAKE VERY GOOD CARE OF THEIR HEALTH, TOO. THAT APPLIES TO EVERYBODY.

"I SAW GENERALISSIMO STALIN IN 1946 AND WHEN I COMPARE THE PICTURE OF HIM THAT I HAD IN MY HEAD AT THAT TIME AND A PICTURE OF HIM AS OF NOW, I CANNOT SEE ANY CHANGE EXCEPT THAT FOUR YEARS HAVE PASSED. HE WAS 'SHARP IN HIS EYES', AND HE LOOKED AT YOU THIS TIME THE SAME WAY HE DID IN 1946. HE SMOKED HIS PIPE AS HE DID THAT TIME, AND DURING THE CONVERSATIONS HE WOULD GO FROM OUR TABLE TO HIS PERSONAL DESK IN THE SAME ROOM AND FILL HIS PIPE AGAIN. THEREFORE, REGARDING ALL THE RUMORS THAT HE HAS BEEN ILL AND THERE IS SOMETHING WRONG WITH HIS HEALTH--I MUST SAY THAT I CANNOT BELIEVE THEM, AND CANNOT UNDERSTAND THEM AFTER HAVING SEEN HIM THIS TIME DURING ONE AND A HALF HOURS OF DISCUSSION."

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD YOUTH (110)

BY THOMAS A.REEDY

BERLIN, SUNDAY, MAY 28-(AP)-BERLIN WAS QUIET BUT ALERT EARLY TODAY, ONLY A FEW HOURS BEFORE 500,000 EAST GERMAN COMMUNIST YOUTHS IN THE RUSSIAN SECTOR WERE CALLED TO START THEIR LONG-PLANNED WHITSUN-TIDE PARADE, THE GREATEST IDEOLOGICAL SPECTACLE SINCE ADOLF HITLER.

WALTER ULBRICHT, EAST GERMANY'S DEPUTY PREMIER AND COMMUNIST STRONGMAN, PROVIDED THE ONLY REAL FIREWORKS ON THE EVE OF THE RALLY. IN A VITRIOLIC SPEECH LAST NIGHT TO A YOUTHS' "PEACE CONGRESS," THE SHRILL-VOICED ULBRICHT FLATLY REJECTED WESTERN PROPOSALS FOR GERMANY-WIDE ELECTIONS TO UNIFY THIS DIVIDED COUNTRY.

THE COMMUNIST LEADER PICTURED RUSSIA AS GERMANY'S GREAT AND ENDURING FRIEND AND THE WESTERN POWERS AS "ENSLAVERS." HE DEMANDED THAT AMERICAN AND BRITISH OCCUPATION FORCES WITHDRAW FROM GERMANY.

EAST-WEST INCIDENTS WERE FEW AND ISOLATED.

A BURST OF HARMLESS GUNFIRE RATTLED THROUGH THE CARNIVAL AIR ONCE DURING THE DAY. THE SHOOTING APPARENTLY WAS INTENDED TO WARN WEST BERLIN POLICE AGAINST PURSUING RED POLICE WHO SEIZED A WEST BERLINER AND MADE OFF WITH HIM INTO THE SOVIET SECTOR. NONE WAS REPORTED HURT.

A FULL ROUND OF ASSORTED COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES WAS CARRIED OUT BY THE MARCHING AND MILLING YOUTH ON THE EVE OF THEIR BIG DAY OF OBEISANCE TO KREMLIN POLITICAL LEADERSHIP.

THE "FREE GERMAN YOUTH" (FDJ) RALLY, DEDICATED TO FRIENDSHIP WITH RUSSIA, STARTED ROLLING WITHOUT ANY SHOW OF AN ORGANIZED PUTSCH AGAINST WARY BUT QUIET WEST BERLIN. ALLIED ARMOR STOOD READY TO STOP ANY MASS INTRUSIONS.

VIOLENCE IN THE EARLY STAGES WAS MAINLY VOCAL--TAUNTING AND CAT-CALLING ACROSS THE COLD WAR FRONT WHERE THE SOVIET EAST MEETS THE ALLIED WEST.

THE MOSCOW-EAST BERLIN AXIS PUMPED A HUMAN STREAM OF BLUESHIRTED YOUTH RANGING FROM 6 TO 24 YEARS OLD INTO THE DEVASTED HEART OF THE OLD NAZI REICH WITH SOMETHING OF THE PRECISION HITLER'S GENERALS ONCE USED TO MOVE ARMIES.

IN THE THREE DAYS SINCE THE YOUTH DEMONSTRATION BEGAN, 35 POLICEMEN FROM THE RUSSIAN SECTOR HAVE FLED TO WEST BERLIN SEEKING ASYLUM. FOURTEEN OF THESE DESERTED THIS AFTERNOON AND TURNED THEMSELVES OVER TO WEST BERLIN REFUGEE CENTERS. THEY WERE ACCEPTED AS POLITICAL REFUGEES.

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A TAUNTING CROWD OF ANTI-COMMUNISTS GATHERED IN THE AFTERNOON ON THE WEST SIDE OF POTSDAMER PLATZ--THE TIMES SQUARE OF DIVIDED BERLIN--AND BECAME FURIOUS WHEN EASTERN POLICE ARRESTED A GIRL AND TWO MEN IN A NO-MAN'S-LAND CORNER.

WEST GERMAN POLICE CLEARED THEIR CIVILIANS OUT OF THE TROUBLE AREA.

IN EAST BERLIN--TO CHANTS OF "LONG LIVE STALIN"--FDJ LEGIONS CARRIED ON A VAST 12-HOUR PROGRAM OF FETES AND PRO-SOVIET ORATORY.

BEFORE A CROWD OF 70,000 COMMUNIST DEPUTY PREMIER WALTER ULBRICHT DEDICATED A SPORTS STADIUM BEARING STALIN'S NAME. "SEE IN STALIN YOUR BEST FRIEND," ULBRICHT URGED.

MORE THAN 3,000 YOUNGSTERS PAID TRIBUTE TO RED ARMY DEAD AT THE SOVIET WAR MEMORIAL IN TREPTOW PARK. THEIR SPOKESMAN PROMISED: "WE WILL FIGHT TO LIBERATE OUR BROTHERS AND SISTERS IN THE WEST FROM ANGLO-AMERICAN COLONIAL REIGN."

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THE QUIET WEST SIDE HAD AN AIR OF TENSION AND READINESS. ALLIED AUTHORITIES HAVE THREATENED THE STERNEST MEASURES TO PUT DOWN ANY ORGANIZED ENTRY FROM THE EAST AND EASTERN OFFICIALS HAVE WARNED THEIR YOUTH NOT TO STRAY ACROSS THE LINE.

TOMORROW'S MARCH BRINGS THE GREATEST CONCENTRATION, WITH THE HALF MILLION STARTING TO PARADE AT 9 A.M. (3 A.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME). THE PARADE IS EXPECTED TO LAST EIGHT HOURS.

THERE HAS BEEN NOTHING LIKE IT SINCE THE NAZIS FORMED THE HITLER JUGEND BRIGADES. OBSERVERS REMARKED ON THE SNAPPY MARCHING DISCIPLINE OF TODAY'S PARADING GROUPS.

THE YOUTH BRIGADES ASSAILED THE WESTERN POWERS AS "WARMONGERS" AND THE MARSHALL PLAN AS A PLOT BY BIG BUSINESS TO CONTROL EUROPE'S ASSETS.

CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER OF THE WEST GERMAN (BONN) REPUBLIC DECLARED THE EASTERN YOUTH ARE BEING COERCED BY COMMUNISM JUST AS THEY ONCE WERE BY NAZISM.

"THEY ARE MADE TO APPEAR AS POLITICAL ADVENTURERS BUT THEY ACTUALLY WANT TO LIVE IN FREEDOM," HE SAID IN A STATEMENT.

"THEY ARE HINDERED AND COERCED BY MINORITIES WHICH CARRY OUT FOREIGN ORDERS."

THE BEST PROOF OF THEIR DISCIPLINE APPEARED TO BE THEIR HEEDING OF THE ORDER TO STAY OUT OF WEST BERLIN DURING TODAY'S WARMUP.

THOUSANDS WANDERED UP TO BRANDENBURG GATE AND TO POTSDAMER PLATZ WHERE EAST AND WEST HAVE CLASHED OFTEN IN THE PAST. NONE STEPPED ACROSS. ANY BLUESHIRT WAS WELCOME IN THE WEST IF HE BEHAVED BUT NONE DARED TRY IT AGAINST ORDERS.

THEY COULD SEE FOR THEMSELVES THAT THE WESTERN ALLIES WERE ON THE FULL ALERT AGAINST ANY PUTSCH TACTICS. AT THE GATE, ONLY A SHORT WAY FROM POTSDAMER PLATZ, ONE SCUFFLE STARTED AND THREATENED TO DEVELOP INTO A TYPICAL BERLIN STREET RIOT UNTIL GERMAN POLICE BROKE IT UP. IT GOT NO FARTHER THAN THE ELBOWING ARGUMENT STAGE.

WEST BERLIN SOCIALISTS, THE BITTEREST FOES OF THE COMMUNISTS, STARTED A COUNTER-PROPAGANDA CAMPAIGN WITH LEAFLETS ASSAILING THE EAST GERMAN "PEOPLE'S POLICE" CHIEF, GEN. WILHELM ZAISSER, AS "A CRIMINAL." ZAISSER WAS KNOWN AS "GENERAL GOMEZ" IN THE SPANISH CIVIL WAR. WESTERN AUTHORITIES CHARGED THIS WEEK THAT ZAISSER'S FORCE ACTUALLY IS AN ILLEGAL SOVIET-SPONSORED ARMY.

BALLOONS STAMPED WITH "F" FOR FREEDOM WERE SENT UP FROM THE EASTERN SIDE.

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AT ALMOST EVERY INTERSECTION IN EAST BERLIN, COMPANIES OF YOUTH IN ARMY FORMATIONS MARCHED, SINGING COMMUNIST SONGS, ON THEIR WAY TO MANY SPORTS, CULTURAL AND POLITICAL INDOCTRINATION EVENTS.

THOSE LEFT TO THEIR OWN DEVICES WANDERED AROUND LIKE COUNTRY KIDS AT A STATE FAIR. THEY PEERED INTO THE RUINS OF HITLER'S OLD GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS, GOT FLYING STARTS TOWARD BELLYACHES BY DRINKING SOFT DRINKS AND EATING SAUSAGES. PRICES ON THESE ITEMS WERE CUT 25 PER CENT FOR THE GALA WEEKEND.

THEY NEVER GOT A CHANCE TO FORGET POLITICS. STREET CARS WORE NEW SIGNS SAYING "BERLIN IN THE CAPITAL OF GERMANY, NOT BONN."

"FIGHT FOR THE DEFENSE OF GERMAN CULTURE AGAINST AMERICAN CULTURE-BARBARISM," SAID ONE TYPICAL SIGN.

BUT MANY OF THE YOUNGSTERS DANCED TO AMERICAN TUNES IN THE BEER HALLS.

TWO BLUESHIRT BOYS, 17 AND 20, ACCEPTED AN INVITATION TO HAVE A BEER. THEY SAID THEY BELIEVE THIS IS THE FIGHT FOR PEACE, THAT THEY DON'T KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT COMMUNISM BUT THINK--SINCE THEY HAVE BEEN TOLD SO--THAT STALIN IS LEADING A PEACE CAMPAIGN.

AND THEY THINK IT'S VERY NICE OF THE EAST GERMAN REGIME TO GIVE THEM A HOLIDAY IN BERLIN, WHICH NEITHER HAD EVER SEEN BEFORE. THE RUINS THEY SEE CONVINCE THEM THERE MUST BE PEACE NOW.

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SECOND LEAD GERMAN (580)
BY DANIEL DE LUCE
BERLIN, MAY 27-(AP)-WITH POMP AND FANFARE REMINISCENT OF THE HITLER ERA, EAST GERMANY'S COMMUNIST YOUTH BRIGADES PAID HOMAGE TODAY TO RUSSIA'S WAR DEAD. WESTERN TROOPS AND WEST GERMAN POLICE PATROLLED THE WESTERN SECTORS ON WATCHFUL ALERT AS THE LONG-HERALDED WHITSUNTIDE RALLIES STEAMED INTO HIGH GEAR.

THERE WERE A FEW MINOR INCIDENTS HERE AND THERE, BUT MAINLY THE CITY WAS CALM AND ORDERLY. THREE EAST GERMAN POLICE, ARMED WITH OLD GERMAN ARMY CARBINES, ABDUCTED A GERMAN FROM THE AMERICAN SECTOR DURING THE NOON HOUR AND FIRED ON WESTERN POLICE WHEN THEY ATTEMPTED PURSUIT.

THAT WAS THE SECOND SUCH INCIDENT IN 24 HOURS. THE FIRST WAS FORE-STALLED LAST NIGHT WHEN BRITISH SECTOR POLICE SEIZED TWO ALLEGED COMMUNIST AGENTS AS THEY WERE PUSHING A POLITICAL REFUGEE INTO AN EAST-BOUND ELEVATED TRAIN.

BUT ALL THE EASTERN POLICE WERE NOT HAPPY. EIGHT YOUNG CONSCRIPTS FLED TO THE WESTE

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CONSCRIPTS FLED TO THE WESTERN SECTORS, ALLIED OFFICIALS REPORTED, MAKING A TOTAL OF 14 SUCH DESERTERS SO FAR.

MORE THAN 3,000 BLUE-SHIRTED YOUNGSTERS OF THE FREE GERMAN YOUTH--FREIE DEUTSCHE JUGEND (FDJ)--STOOD STIFFLY WHILE WREATHES WERE LAID AT THE FOOT OF A SOVIET MEMORIAL MADE LARGELY OF MARBLE WRENCHED FROM HITLER'S FORMER CHANCELLORY.

THE CEREMONY WAS A HIGHLIGHT IN THE THREE-DAY FREE GERMAN YOUTH DEMONSTRATION WHICH WILL BE CLIMAXED HERE TOMORROW WITH A MONSTER PARADE.

TODAY'S TRIBUTE TO THE WAR DEAD OF A COUNTRY WHICH WAS ONCE GERMANY'S BITTEREST FOE CALLED OUT ONLY A PORTION OF THE ESTIMATED 377,000 YOUTHS OF EAST GERMANY WHO HAVE ALREADY GATHERED HERE.

THE WREATH-LAYING CEREMONY, WHICH ALSO WAS USED TO ATTACK THE WESTERN ALLIES, WAS STRICTLY A GERMAN AFFAIR. ONLY TWO SOVIET OFFICERS WERE ON HAND. THEY STAYED DISCREETLY IN THE BACKGROUND.

BUT THE EAST GERMAN PEOPLE'S POLICE, THE ORGANIZATION THE ALLIES CHARGE IS AN ARMY, POSTURED AND PATROLLED WITH AUTHORITY. THREE HUNDRED OF THEM LINED THE LONG DRIVEWAY INTO THE GROUNDS. THEY MADE ONE CONCESSION TO THE SOVIETS IN THEIR UNIFORMS. TODAY THEY ALL WORE RED NECKTIES.

WHILE THE BLACK-BOOTED POLICE ARMY BAND PUMPED OUT A RUSSIAN MARCHING SONG THE LONG LINE OF WREATH BEARERS STREAMED THROUGH TWO GIANT MARBLE SOVIET FLAGS WHICH FORM A GATEWAY TO THE TERRACE.

ERICH HONECKER, PRESIDENT OF THE FREE GERMAN YOUTH, LED A PROCESSION WHICH INCLUDED COMMUNIST DELEGATES FROM BULGARIA, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, RED CHINA, AUSTRIA, VIETNAM, POLAND AND DENMARK.

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"IN THE REST OF OUR FATHERLAND WE WILL OPENLY AND COURAGEOUSLY FIGHT FOR PEACE. WE WILL FIGHT TO LIBERATE OUR BROTHERS AND SISTERS IN THE WEST FROM ANGLO-AMERICAN COLONIAL REIGN AND TO SAVE OUR PEOPLE FROM THE CRUEL DESTRUCTION," THE FIRST SPEAKER SAID. OTHER SPEECHES WERE ON THE SAME LINE.

THE BLUE FLAGS WHICH FLUTTERED BEFORE THE MEMORIAL WERE DIPPED AS THE POLICE BAND PLAYED "THEY HAVE FALLEN IN THE FIGHT" AND THE FREE GERMAN YOUTH MARCHED FROM THE PARK.

THEY WOULD HAVE NOTHING TO DO WITH WESTERN REPORTERS. ATTEMPTS TO TALK TO THEM WERE TURNED AWAY WITH A CURT SHAKE OF THE HEAD OR AN UNEASY GLANCE AND RETREAT.

AN ORDER OF THE DAY FROM COMMUNIST DR.KURT FISCHER, CHIEF OF THE EAST ZONE POLICE, CALLED ON 20,000 OFFICERS IN EAST BERLIN TO "FULFILL YOUR HONORABLE TASKS WITH UTMOST PREPAREDNESS AND DISCIPLINE."

"THE SUCCESSFUL FIRST PHASE OF THE FREE GERMAN YOUTH RALLY MUST AND CANNOT LEAD TO CARELESSNESS AND NEGLIGENCE. THE ENEMY IS NOT WILLING TO RENOUNCE PROVOCATIONS. HE WILL CONTINUE TO ATTEMPT TO DISTURB ORDER IN THE REPUBLIC BY HIRED ELEMENTS," FISCHER ASSERTED.

IN WEST BERLIN, BRITISH MAJOR GENERAL G.K.BOURNE FLEW OVER THE CITY IN AN R.A.F. HELICOPTER AND INSPECTED PROTECTIVE TROOP DISPOSITIONS.

ARMORED SIGNAL CARS FROM THE U.S., BRITISH AND FRENCH GARRISONS AND SCORES OF POLICE CARS THREADED BACK AND FORTH IN THE VICINITY OF THE SOVIET SECTOR. ALERT FOR POSSIBLE TROUBLE.

THE RADIO WAVES CRACKLED WITH THEIR MESSAGES TO HEADQUARTERS. MOSTLY THEY WERE: "NOTHING TO REPORT."

UP TO 4:30 P.M. (BERLIN TIME--10:30 AM EST) THERE WAS NO SIGN OF ORGANIZED VIOLENCE AND NO FURTHER INCIDENTS HAD BEEN REPORTED.

U.S. TROOPS WERE RESTRICTED TO THEIR BARRACKS, ON THE ALERT FOR ANY CALL, AN OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT SAID.

BRITISH FORCES WENT ON A FULL ALERT AT DAWN YESTERDAY, FOLLOWED SOON AFTER BY THE FRENCH GARRISON.

EAST BERLIN'S COMMUNIST LEADERS MEANWHILE TURNED THEIR SECTOR INTO A GIANT AMUSEMENT PARK FOR THE YOUTH ASSEMBLING FOR SUNDAY'S GIANT WHITSUN DEMONSTRATION.

WITH A "LONG LIVE STALIN" CHEER, THE COMMUNISTS BEGAN A 12-HOUR PROGRAM OF SPORTS FESTIVALS AND PRO-SOVIET SPEECHES TO DAZZLE THE "FREE GERMAN YOUTH" (FDJ).

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"FREE GERMAN YOUTH" (FDJ).

BERLIN--HOT SPOT OF THE COLD WAR--WAS FREER FROM VIOLENCE THAN AT ANY TIME IN RECENT MONTHS, THOUGH THERE STILL WERE SOME SCATTERED INCIDENTS.

TWO ALLEGED COMMUNIST AGENTS WERE ARRESTED DURING THE NIGHT FOR TRYING TO ABDUCT A 32-YEAR-OLD POLITICAL REFUGEE FROM THE RUSSIAN ZONE AT THE BRITISH SECTOR ELEVATED RAILWAY STATION.

FIVE FDJ MEMBERS HAVE FLED TO THE WESTERN ALLIED SECTORS FOR ASYLUM. SIX CONSCRIPTS OF THE EASTERN PEOPLE'S POLICE, WHICH WESTERN OFFICIALS CLAIM IS A DISGUISED ARMY, ALSO HAVE WON REFUGE IN WEST BERLIN.

BUT ALONG THE MID-CITY BOUNDARY BETWEEN THE SOVIET AND ALLIED SECTORS BOTH EAST AND WEST POLICE ENFORCED A STRICT BAN ON BLUE-SHIRTED FDJ YOUNGSTERS WANDERING INTO THE WEST.

A BRITISH ARMORED DETACHMENT BEGAN ITS SECOND DAY OF DUTY WITHIN GUNSHOT OF POTSDAMER PLATZ, TRADITIONALLY THE MOST EXPLOSIVE POINT ON THE BOUNDARY. ALLIED GARRISONS TOTALLING 8,000 MEN WERE ON THE ALERT ALTHOUGH THE 13,000 WESTERN POLICE HAVE HAD NO TROUBLE YET.

WEST BERLIN IGNORED THE IDEOLOGICAL FANFARE IN THE RUSSIAN SECTOR, TURNING ITS INTEREST TO THE GLITTERING AUTOMOBILE SHOW OPENING THIS MORNING. SOME 300 FOREIGN AND GERMAN VEHICLES OF THE LATEST DESIGN WERE ON DISPLAY.

MOST WEST BERLIN FAMILIES PLANNED TO SPEND WHITSUN DAY IN THE COUNTRY OR IN PURSUIT OF SOME QUIET AMUSEMENT.

THE COMMUNIST PRESS DID ITS BIT--ONE WAY OR ANOTHER.

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THE OFFICIAL SOVIET NEWSPAPER TAEGLICHE RUNDSCHAU ATTACKED BERLIN'S U.S. COMMANDAND, MAJ. GEN. MAXWELL D. TAYLOR, FOR HIS "TERROR BOMBARDMENT OF LIES AND SLANDER."

"GERMAN YOUTH ARE NO HYSTERICAL STREET MOB AS HERR TAYLOR PERHAPS THOUGHT," THE PAPER DECLARED. "THEY DO NOT INTEND TO LET THEIR WHITSUNTIDE RALLY BE SPOILED--EVEN BY AMERICAN GENERALS."

EAST GERMANY'S PRESIDENT AND PRIME MINISTER--WILHELM PIECK AND OTTO GROTEWOHL--PROCLAIMED THE COMMUNIST PARTY'S PRIDE IN "THE GREAT PEACE RALLY."

"ANGLO-AMERICAN IMPERIALISTS AND THEIR GERMAN HELPERS ATTEMPT TO THROW THE WORLD INTO A NEW WAR ADVENTURE," THEY SAID. "YOUTH HAS LEARNED A LESSON OF THE PAST AND CONSEQUENTLY FOLLOWS THE ROAD OF DEMOCRACY, PEACE AND FRIENDSHIP WITH ALL PEOPLES, ESPECIALLY, HOWEVER, WITH THE PEOPLE OF THE SOVIET UNION."

"LONG LIVE STALIN," THEY CONCLUDED IN THE JOINTLY SIGNED DOCUMENT.

OF THE HUNDREDS OF FOREIGN COMMUNIST GUESTS, EAST GERMAN OFFICIALS RESERVED THEIR HEARTIEST WELCOME FOR THE 13 DELEGATES OF RUSSIA'S KOMSOOL (YOUNG COMMUNISTS).

THEY CLAIMED 377,000 FDJ MEMBERS HAD GATHERED IN THE RUSSIAN SECTOR BY MIDNIGHT AND THAT MORE THAN 100,000 WOULD ARRIVE TODAY. FDJ MEMBERSHIP IN THE SOVIET ZONE REPORTEDLY EXCEEDS 1,200,000 (M).

TODAY'S PROGRAM--ON THE EVE OF SUNDAY'S EAST SIDE MARCH OF 500,000 YOUNG BLUE-SHIRTS--WAS LIKE A CARNIVAL.

ONLY TWO IDEOLOGICAL PILLS WERE CONCEALED IN THE SUGAR-COATING OF ATHLETIC MEETS, OPEN AIR CONCERTS AND ART EXHIBITIONS.

ONE WAS THE LAYING OF WREATHS THIS MORNING ON THE SOVIET MEMORIAL AT TREPTOW, ALREADY WATCHED OVER BY A YOUNG HONOR GUARD.

THE SECOND WAS THE "CONGRESS OF YOUNG PEACE FIGHTERS" THIS AFTERNOON. ATTENDANCE WAS LIMITED TO 2,000.

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THE CONGRESS HAD READY A COMMUNIST RESOLUTION CALLING FOR UNANIMOUS SUPPORT OF RUSSIA'S WORLD CAMPAIGN TO OUTLAW THE ATOM AND HYDROGEN BOMBS "FOR THE IMPERIALISTS."

THE SPORTS PROGRAM GOT UNDERWAY TODAY WITH THE FORMAL OPENING OF THE NEW EAST BERLIN STADIUM ONLY AN EIGHTH OF A MILE FROM THE FRENCH SECTOR.

THE 70,000-SEAT STADIUM WAS JAMMED TO CAPACITY WHEN THE ATHLETIC EVENTS BEGAN.

SOME 200 ATHLETES FROM RUSSIA, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, HUNGARY, POLAND AND EAST GERMANY PARADED WITH MILITARY PRECISION BEFORE THE MEET.

COMMUNIST DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER WALTER ULBRICHT OFFICIATED AT THE OPENING OF THE SPORTS PROGRAM.

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YOUTH RALLY

BERLIN, MAY 27-(AP)-WALTER ULBRICHT, EAST GERMANY'S COMMUNIST STRONGMAN, TONIGHT REJECTED WESTERN PROPOSALS FOR GERMANY-WIDE ELECTIONS TO UNIFY THIS DIVIDED COUNTRY. HE CALLED THE SUGGESTIONS "HOTTENTOTS' TALK."

THE SPADE-BEARDED ULBRICHT DELIVERED ONE OF THE MOST VITRIOLIC ATTACKS AGAINST THE WEST EVER HEARD HERE IN AN ADDRESS TO A "CONGRESS OF YOUNG PEACE FIGHTERS" ON THE EVE OF THE WHITSUNTIDE MARCH OF COMMUNIST-LED YOUTH ON BERLIN.

HE DEMANDED THAT THE AMERICAN AND BRITISH OCCUPATION FORCES WITHDRAW FROM GERMANY AND INSPIRED CRIES OF "YANK, GO HOME!" AND "TOMMY, GO HOME!" FROM HIS COMMUNIST AUDIENCE.

THE THREE WESTERN ALLIES DEMANDED YESTERDAY THAT RUSSIA AGREE TO ALL-GERMAN UNITY THROUGH FREE GENERAL ELECTIONS AND GUARANTEES OF INDIVIDUAL FREEDOMS. THE DEMAND WAS MADE IN A JOINT STATEMENT BY THE UNITED STATES, BRITISH AND FRENCH HIGH COMMISSIONERS FOR GERMANY ADDRESSED TO THE SOVIET HIGH COMMAND IN THE EAST ZONE. IT SAID THAT A FREELY ELECTED NATION-WIDE GERMAN GOVERNMENT SHOULD LEAD IMMEDIATELY TO THE NEGOTIATION OF A FOUR-POWER GERMAN PEACE SETTLLEMENT.

ULBRICHT IS DEPUTY PREMIER OF THE SOVIET-SPONSORED EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT. IN HIS SPEECH HE PICTURED RUSSIA AS GERMANY'S GREAT AND ENDURING FRIEND AND THE WESTERN POWERS AS THIS COUNTRY'S "ENSLAVERS." HE PREDICTED THAT RUSSIA SOON WILL GRANT EAST GERMANY AN OCEAN-GOING MERCHANT FLEET.

THE SPEECH FOLLOWED BY TWO DAYS HIS STATEMENT THAT THE EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT WAS NEGOTIATING WITH RUSSIA FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A CIVIL AIR TRANSPORT SYSTEM OF ITS OWN. THIS IS FORBIDDEN UNDER FOUR-POWER DEMILITARIZATION DECREES TO WHICH THE RUSSIANS ALSO HAVE SUBSCRIBED. THE BAN APPLIES TO BOTH EASTERN AND WESTERN GERMANY.

ULBRICHT REFERRED WITH SCORN TO THE WESTERN HIGH COMMISSIONERS' DEMAND FOR NATION-WIDE ELECTIONS, SAYING:

"WHAT THEY (THE WEST) WANT IS HOTTENTOTS' ELECTIONS. (THE HOTTENTOTS ARE ONE OF THE SOUTH AFRICAN NATIVE TRIBLES.) THEY WANT ELECTIONS WHICH WILL RESTORE TO POWER THE BIG LAND OWNERS, INDUSTRIALISTS AND BANKERS WHO WOULD THEN RETURN TO BERLIN FROM THE WEST, WHENCE THEY HAVE FLOWN. THAT IS THE PLAN OF THE MASTERS IN LONDON AND NEW YORK.

"THEY TALK ABOUT FREEDOM, BUT HOW CAN ANYBODY SPEAK ABOUT FREEDOM IN GERMANY SO LONG AS THE AMERICAN OCCUPATION OFFICERS REST THEIR FEET ON THE TABLES OF THE GERMAN PEOPLE?"

ULBRICHT CALLED ON WEST GERMANS TO BUILD A "RESISTANCE MOVEMENT" AGAINST THE WESTERN OCCUPATION POWERS.

HE URGED THE YOUTH OF WEST GERMANY TO "DO ALL IN YOUR POWER TO SABOTAGE THE TRANSPORT OF AMERICAN WEAPONS AND WAR MATERIALS."

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WITH YOUTH BUDGET (230)

BY RICHARD KASISCHKE

BERLIN, MAY 27-(AP)-FLIGHTS BY EAST GERMANS INTO WEST BERLIN PLAGUED THE COMMUNIST BOSSES OF EAST GERMANY TONIGHT.

STAGING THE BIGGEST YOUTH DEMONSTRATION HERE SINCE THE HITLER ERA, THE COMMUNISTS FOUND SOME OF THEIR UNWILLING FOLLOWERS WERE SLIPPING WAY FROM THEM IN INCREASING NUMBERS TO THE FREEDOM OF ALLIED-OCCUPIED WEST BERLIN.

THE DESERTIONS INCREASED, DESPITE TIGHTENED BORDER CONTROLS. LEADING THE DESERTERS WERE MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNIST-CONTROLLED "PEOPLE'S POLICE."

SINCE THE YOUTH DEMONSTRATION BEGAN THREE DAYS AGO, 35 MEMBERS OF THE "PEOPLE'S POLICE" IN THE SOVIET SECTOR HAVE SOUGHT ASYLUM IN WEST BERLIN. THIS "POLICE" ORGANIZATION HAS BEEN BRANDED BY THE WESTERN ALLIES AS AN ILLEGAL, SOVIET-SPONSORED ARMY. FOURTEEN OF THESE "POLICEMEN" DESERTED THIS AFTERNOON, PRESENTING THEMSELVES AT WEST BERLIN REFUGEE CENTERS. THEY WERE ACCEPTED AS POLITICAL REFUGEES.

THERE IS NO WAY OF CHECKING HOW MANY OTHERS MAY HAVE FLED. AMONG THE DESERTERS TO THE WEST ARE SOME OF THE BLUE-SHIRTED, COMMUNIST-LED YOUTH. NINE OF THESE HAD REQUESTED ASYLUM UP TO TONIGHT.

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MOST OF THE COMMUNIST YOUTH WERE BEING WATCHED CLOSELY BY EAST GERMAN POLICE TO KEEP THEM FROM STRAYING INTO THE FORBIDDEN WESTERN SECTORS. THOSE WHO DO GET ACROSS SECRETELY THROUGH SIDE-STREETS EXPRESSED ASTONISHMENT AT "A WORLD WE NEVER KNEW ABOUT."

THEY WERE AMAZED AT THE WELL-STOCKED STORE WINDOWS AND RESTAURANTS AND FRUIT STANDS OFFERING UNRATIONED ORANGES AND BANANAS. THEY COMMENTED:

"WE WERE TOLD THE WEST WAS STARVING. WE CAN'T QUITE BELIEVE IT."

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A98

RALLY SEPARATE (160)

BERLIN, MAY 27-(AP)-EAST GERMANY'S GOVERNMENT REDUCED BY 25 PER CENT TODAY THE PRICE OF HOT DOGS FOR ITS YOUNG COMMUNIST DEMONSTRATORS.

STATE-OWNED LUNCH STANDS WILL CHARGE TWO EAST MARKS (EIGHT CENTS) INSTEAD OF 2.70 (ABOUT 11 CENTS) FOR A SAUSAGE, UNTIL THE "FREE GERMAN YOUTH" RALLY DISPERSES TODAY.

TWO EAST MARKS, AT THE WEST BERLIN EXCHANGE RATE, ARE SLIGHTLY LESS THAN 33 PER CENT OF ONE WEST MARK, THE RATE BEING 6.70 EAST MARKS TO ONE WEST MARK, THEREFORE ABOUT EIGHT CENTS.

THE WEST BERLINER WITH 300 WEST MARKS COULD BUY 600 SAUSAGES, BUT THE EAST BERLINER WITH 300 EAST MARKS COULD BUY ONLY 150 SAUSAGES, EVEN AFTER THE PRICE CUT.

WEST BERLIN SHOPKEEPERS NEAR THE RUSSIAN SECTOR HAVE BEEN MAKING GIFTS OF BANANAS AND ORANGES TO PROVINCIAL YOUTHS ATTENDING THE WHITSUNTIDE RALLY. THESE YOUNGSTERS SAID THEY HAD NOT SEEN IMPORTED FRUIT FOR YEARS.

BUT THE LEADERS OF THE GERMAN YOUTH MOVEMENT CLAIMED THAT ALLIED AGENTS WERE DISTRIBUTING "POISONED BANANAS," ANTI-COMMUNIST NEWSPAPERS REPORTED. EASTERN PEOPLE'S POLICE HAVE ORDERS TO CONFISCATE FRUIT BEING CARRIED BACK BY STRAYING YOUNGSTERS.

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A80

WITH BERLIN (190)

MOSCOW, MAY 27-(AP)-THE COMMUNIST PARTY NEWSPAPER PRAVDA DECLARED TODAY THAT WESTERN "IMPERIALISTS" HAVE SET UP A "MAD YOWLING" TO PREVENT EAST BERLIN'S YOUTH RALLY.

THE PAPER DESCRIBED THE RALLY AS "A POWERFUL DEMONSTRATION FOR PEACE AND NATIONAL UNITY" AND DECLARED THE YOUTHS HAD ONLY THE MOST PEACEFUL INTENTIONS.

PRAVDA SAID U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON HAD PICTURED THE DEMONSTRATION AS "AN INSIDIOUS COMMUNIST PLOT TO ORGANIZE A REBELLION AND THROW THE AMERICAN ARMIES OUT OF WEST BERLIN." IT QUOTED ACHESON AS SAYING MACHINE GUNS AND TANKS HAD BEEN POSTED IN WEST BERLIN FOR USE AGAINST DEMONSTRATORS WHO STRAYED TOO NEAR THE WEST BOUNDARY.

(SEVERAL WEEKS AGO ACHESON, COMMENTONG ON THE YOUTH RALLY, SAID IT HAD BEEN RUMORED THAT THE DEMONSTRATION WOULD BE THE SIGNAL FOR AN INVASION OF WEST BERLIN.

(SINCE THEN RED LEADERS HAVE DENIED THAT THE RALLY HAD BEEN ORGANIZED FOR ANYTHING BUT PEACEFUL PURPOSES. AND HAVE REPEATEDLY INSISTED THAT NO DISTURBANCES WOULD DEVELOP.)

PRAVDA ALSO SAID THE BRITISH HAVE FLOWN IN A SPECIAL BATTALION OF TROOPS IN READINESS FOR THE DEMONSTRATION.

IT ACCUSED WESTERN OFFICIALS OF ARRESTING SCHOOL CHILDREN SEEN WEARING BLUE SHIRTS. THIS IS THE INSIGNIA OF THE GERMAN YOUTH (FDJ) GROUP

THE WESTERN ALLIES HAVE ANNOUNCED THE ARREST OF 15 COMMUNIST YOUTHS DURING THE PAST WEEK. THE COMMUNIST PRESS IN EAST GERMANY HAS CHARGED THAT 11 MORE YOUNG REDS HAV

(THE WESTERN ALLIES HAVE ANNOUNCED THE ARREST OF 15 COMMUNIST YOUTHS DURING THE PAST WEEK. THE COMMUNIST PRESS IN EAST GERMANY HAS CHARGED THAT 11 MORE YOUNG REDS HAVE BEEN ARRESTED, BUT THERE HAS BEEN NO ALLIED CONFIRMATION OF THIS REPORT.)

JB804AED

A139

BERLIN, MAY 27-(AP)-CHICAGO AND TEXAS TAKE AN AWFUL BEATING FROM THE COMMUNIST PROPAGANDISTS HERE.

CHICAGOANS MAY HAVE FORGOTTEN AL CAPONE AND THE PROHIBITION GANGSTER ERA. BUT THE RUSSIANS HERE HAVEN'T. NOR ARE THEY GOING TO LET THE GERMANS WITHIN THEIR HEARING FORGET.

AND THOUGH THE TEXANS MAY NOT KNOW IT, THEY'RE STILL IN THE "WILD WEST." LET A GI GET INTO A KNIFE OR SHOOTING SCRAPE HERE AND HE'S IDENTIFIED -- IN THE RUSSIAN-CONTROLLED PRESS -- AS A TEXAN, THOUGH HE MAY COME FROM JERSEY CITY OR ST. JOSEPH, MICH.

THE SOVIET ARMY'S NEWSPAPER, TAEGLICHE RUNDSCHAU, WHICH SETS THE PACE FOR A DOZEN RUSSIAN-CONTROLLED PAPERS HERE, USUALLY REFERS TO THE U. S. SECTOR OF BERLIN AS THE "GANGSTER SECTOR" OR THE "CHICAGO SECTOR."

A FAVORITE HEADLINE AND EDITORIAL THEME IS "BERLIN MUST NOT BECOME CHICAGO."

THIS MEANS, IN COMMUNIST LANGUAGE, THAT THE "TERROR" WHICH PREVAILS IN ALLIED-OCCUPIED WEST BERLIN MUST NEVER PENETRATE INTO THE "DEMOCRATIC" SECTOR OF THE CITY -- WHICH IS THE RUSSIAN SECTOR.

AND WHEN THE COMMUNISTS ARE NOT ASSAILING THE "AMERICAN GANGSTERS FROM CHICAGO" THEY ARE LARRUPING THE "COWBOYS FROM TEXAS."

"TEXAS IN WEST BERLIN" IS A STANDARD HEADLINE FOR AN ACCOUNT OF A BARROOM BRAWL.

THE RUSSIANS DON'T EVEN LIKE THE IDEA OF A GERMAN CIGARET BEING NAMED "TEXAS -- THE CIGARET WHICH TELLS YOU SOMETHING."

MATTER OF FACT, TEXANS ALSO MIGHT CONSIDER IT A LIBEL IF THEY EVER SMOKED ONE.

K1130AED

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A58

(120)

GELSENKIRCHEN, GERMANY, MAY 27-(AP)-DR.FRANK BUCHMAN WILL ADDRESS AN INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF HIS MORAL REARMAMENT MOVEMENT IN THIS RUHR CITY TOMORROW.

CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER, A CATHOLIC, HAS WELCOMED THE MEETING AS AN IDEALISTIC COUNTERMOVE TO THE TYPE OF DEMONSTRATION BEING STAGED BY THE COMMUNISTS IN BERLIN.

IN A LETTER TO BUCHMAN, ADENAUER SAID:

"I BELIEVE THAT IN VIEW OF THE ATTACKS OF TOTALITARIAN IDEAS FROM THE EAST OF GERMANY, THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC, AND ESPECIALLY THE RUHR AREA, IS THE BEST PLATFORM TO STAGE A DEMONSTRATION OF THE IDEALS AND THOUGHTS OF MORAL REARMAMENT. I THEREFORE WELCOME YOUR PLAN TO COME TO THE RUHR ON WHITSUN AND SPEAK AT GELSENKIRCHEN."

PROMINENT PERSONALITIES FROM VARIOUS COUNTRIES ARE EXPECTED TO COME TO GELSENKIRCHEN.

WB743PED

A18
(180)
LONDON, MAY 27-(AP)-COMMUNIST SOURCES FOR THE SECOND SUCCESSIVE DAY REPORTED TODAY AN ATTEMPT BY CZECHOSLOVAKIA'S FORMER FOREIGN MINISTER, VLADIMIR CLEMENTIS, TO REGAIN PARTY FAVOR.
BOTH REPORTS ORIGINATED AT THE NINTH SLOVAK COMMUNIST PARTY CONGRESS IN BRATISLAVA, CAPITAL OF SLOVAKIA. CLEMENTIS RESIGNED WITHOUT EXPLANATION ON MARCH 14 AFTER PERSISTENT REPORTS THAT HE WAS NOT IN COMMUNIST GOOD GRACES BECAUSE HE HAD BEEN A MEMBER OF THE WARTIME CZECH GOVERNMENT-IN-EXILE IN LONDON.
CLEMENTIS' SUCCESSOR AS FOREIGN MINISTER, VILEM SIROKY, ON WEDNESDAY ACCUSED HIS PREDECESSOR OF ANTI-RUSSIAN ACTIVITIES AND SAID HIS "SELF-CRITICISM" HAD BEEN UNACCEPTABLE TO THE PARTY'S HIGH COMMAND.
IT WAS THE FIRST PUBLIC CHARGE MADE BY A HIGH CZECH OFFICIAL AGAINST CLEMENTIS.
TODAY THE SOVIET NEWS AGENCY TASS REPORTED CLEMENTIS APPEARED YESTERDAY BEFORE THE BRATISLAVA CONGRESS AND "FULLY ADMITTED THE MISTAKES HE HAS MADE."
TASS SAID CLEMENTIS PROMISED TO "BE WITH THE PARTY AND ADOPT A CORRECT LENINIST-STALINIST ATTITUDE TOWARDS IT IN ORDER GENUINELY TO PARTICIPATE IN SOCIALIST CONSTRUCTION."
THE SOVIET AGENCY REPORT DID NOT SAY WHAT ACTION THE PARTY CONGRESS TOOK TOWARD CLEMENTIS.
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B80 (Q)
LONDON, MAY 27-(AP)-RUSSIAN SCIENTISTS WERE SEVERAL DECADES AHEAD OF THE WORLD IN ESTABLISHING ELECTRICAL UNITS OF MEASUREMENT NOW KNOWN AS AMPERE AND OHM, THE RUSSIAN NEWS AGENCY TASS SAID TODAY.
THE TASS CLAIM, BASED ON A REPORT TO THE COMMISSION ON THE HISTORY OF PHYSICO-MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES IN LENINGRAD, WAS ANOTHER IN THE CURRENT SERIES OF "FIRSTS" IN THE WORLD OF SCIENCE PROCLAIMED BY MOSCOW.
THE RUSSIAN ELECTRICIAN KACOBY WAS THE FIRST TO PROPOSE THE UNIT FOR MEASURING CURRENT STRENGTH AND ELECTRICAL RESISTANCE AND WITH THE SCIENTIST LENZ THE FIRST TO PROPOSE METHODS OF STUDYING THE MAGNETIC PROPERTIES OF MATERIALS, TASS SAID.
THE WORLD GENERALLY CREDITS THE FRENCH SCIENTIST ANDRE MARIE AMPERE WITH DEVELOPING THE MATHEMATICAL THEORY KNOWN AS AMPERE'S LAW IN 1820 AND THE GERMAN GEORG SIMON OHM WITH ESTABLISHING IN 1827 THE PRACTICAL UNIT OF ELECTRICAL RESISTANCE KNOWN AS THE OHM.
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A24
(300) BY WILLIAM OATIS
LONDON, MAY 27-(AP)-BRITAIN ENDED GASOLINE RATIONING TODAY AFTER ALMOST 11 YEARS IN A FLAREUP OF NATIONAL EXUBERANCE THAT RESEMBLED AN EXPLOSION.
A KING'S ORDER-IN-COUNCIL LIFTING THE CONTROLS TOOK EFFECT THIS MORNING-- NO SPECIFIC HOUR WAS SET--10 YEARS, EIGHT MONTHS AND FOUR DAYS AFTER THE RESTRICTIONS HAD BEEN IMPOSED AS A WARTIME MEASURE.
BUT ALREADY THOUSANDS OF GALLONS OF GAS HAD BEEN SOLD OVERNIGHT BY FILLING STATIONS THAT JUMPED THE GUN AFTER MINISTER OF FUEL PHILIP NOEL-BAKER ANNOUNCED THE BIG EVENT IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS YESTERDAY.
NOEL-BAKER SAID RATIONING WAS ENDING BECAUSE TWO AMERICAN OIL COMPANIES--STANDARD OIL OF NEW JERSEY AND THE CALIFORNIA TEXAS OIL COMPANY--HAD AGREED TO TAKE STERLING INSTEAD OF DOLLARS FOR GASOLINE.
THE ANNOUNCEMENT IMMEDIATELY BROUGHT A FLOOD OF TELEPHONE CALLS. THE FUEL MINISTRY TOLD GARAGEMEN THEY COULD SELL AT ONCE WITHOUT RESTRICTION.
SALES WERE PHENOMENAL. ONE LONDON GARAGE SOLD 3,000 GALLONS--FOUR DAYS' SUPPLY PREVIOUSLY--IN SIX HOURS.
MOTORISTS DANCED JOYFULLY AROUND THEIR CARS LINED UP IN THE LONGEST GAS QUEUES IN HISTORY. THEY TORE UP RATION COUPONS OR MADE BONFIRES OF THEM.
THE COUPONS HAD ENTITLED THEM TO ONLY 90 MILES OF PLEASURE DRIVING EACH MONTH. MANY PERSONS FILLED CANS AS WELL AS AUTO TANKS FOR FEAR THE SUDDEN RUSH WOULD DRY UP THE SUPPLY.
IN BRISTOL GARAGE MECHANICS TOASTED THE NEWS IN CHAMPAGNE. THE PRICES OF USED CARS IN LONDON JUMPED ONE-FIFTH OVER LAST WEEK'S LISTING--FOR EXAMPLE TO £350 ($980) FOR A 1940 BRITISH-MADE FORD.
"V-P"--OR "VICTORY OF PETROL"--DAY, AS THE LONDON DAILY GRAPHIC CHRISTENED IT, HAD BEEN DELAYED FIVE YEARS AFTER V-E DAY BECAUSE OF THE DOLLAR SHORTAGE.
THE END OF RATIONING COINCIDED WITH THE START OF A HOLIDAY WEEKEND LASTING THROUGH MONDAY. MOTORISTS' ORGANIZATIONS PREDICTED 1,500,000 OF BRITAIN'S ALMOST 2,000,000 PRIVATE AUTOMOBILES WOULD BE ON THE ROAD.
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A90
(190)
EDINBURGH, SCOTLAND, MAY 27-(AP)-A BRITISH CABINET MEMBER FORECAST TODAY THAT THE WESTERN ALLIES' COLD WAR WITH RUSSIA "WILL CONTINUE INTENSELY" FOR YEARS TO COME.
THE STATEMENT CAME FROM HECTOR MCNEIL, FORMER MINISTER OF STATE WHO HAS HEADED BRITAIN'S DELEGATION TO THE UNITED NATIONS. HE WAS SWITCHED TO SECRETARY OF STATE FOR SCOTLAND WHEN THE NEW CABINET WAS APPOINTED AFTER LAST FEBRUARY'S ELECTION.
MCNEIL, ADDRESSING THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE CHURCH OF SCOTLAND, QUOTED U.N. SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE AS SAYING THAT SOMETHING MUST BE DONE TO END THE COLD WAR IN THE NEXT YEAR.
"OF COURSE WE ALL SHARE MR. LIE'S CONCERN THAT IT MUST BE OUR JOB TO SEE THAT THE CONDITIONS THAT SOMETIMES MAKE FOR PHYSICAL WAR ARE COPED WITH," MCNEIL SAID.
"I SAY WITH THE GREATEST RESPECT TO MR. LIE THAT THERE CAN BE NO EXPECTATIONS THAT THE COLD WAR WILL END NEXT YEAR OR THE YEAR AFTER THAT ORMAFOTV

NO EXPECTATIONS THAT THE COLD WAR WILL END NEXT YEAR OR THE YEAR AFTER THAT OR THE YEAR AFTER THAT," HE ADDED.
"IT IS MY GUESS THAT THE CONFLICT WILL CONTINUE INTENSELY AND IT WILL THROW UP THESE VIOLENT DISCUSSIONS, DRAMATIC DISAGREEMENTS AND CONTINUOUS PROPAGANDA WHICH WE ARE INCLINED, BEING TOO CLOSE TO THE PICTURE, TO DESCRIBE AS 'THE COLD WAR.'"
JB828AED

A100
PARIS, MAY 27-(AP)-FORMER INTERIOR MINISTER JULES MOCH WARNED TODAY AGAINST POOLING THE FRENCH STEEL AND COAL INDUSTRIES WITH GERMANY UNLESS BRITAIN ALSO JOINS.
NEGOTIATIONS ON THE POOL PLAN ARE DUE TO BEGIN NEXT MONTH. IT WAS PROPOSED BY FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN. MOCH SPOKE AT A NATIONAL CONVENTION OF THE SOCIALIST PARTY, OF WHICH HE IS A TOP LEADER.

HE SAID SCHUMAN'S IDEA WAS A GOOD ONE, BUT THAT IT INVOLVED THE DANGER OF RESTORING POWER TO PRIVATE MONOPOLIES. THE INDUSTRIES, HE SPECIFIED, SHOULD BE FIRST NATIONALIZED, THEN INTERNATIONALIZED. HE WANTS GERMAN STEEL PRODUCTION RIGOROUSLY LIMITED TO PREVENT REARMAMENT.

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B75 (Q)

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BELGIAN (460)

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BY ALFRED CHEVAL

BRUSSELS, BELGIUM, MAY 27-(AP)-BELGIUM'S FOURTH POST-WAR ELECTION CAMPAIGN WITH KING LEOPOLD AS THE ISSUE IS IN FULL SWING BUT IT HAS FAILED TO STIR UP THE VOTERS.

ON SUNDAY, JUNE 4, BELGIANS WILL ELECT A NEW PARLIAMENT, BUT THE POVERTY OF PARTY TREASURIES AND LACK OF POPULAR ENTHUSIASM HAS KEPT INTEREST TO A MINIMUM.

"THE CAMPAIGN IS ALMOST OVER WITHOUT EVER REALLY STARTING," SAID ONE PROMINENT SOCIALIST LEADER. "NO ONE IS INTERESTED, NEITHER THOSE WHO SPEAK, OR WIRTE OR THOSE WHO READ OR LISTEN."

THE SOCIAL CHRISTIANS ARE CAMPAIGNING TO GET FULL CONTROL OF THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SO THEY CAN BRING BACK TO THE THRONE KING LEOPOLD. THE KING SURRENDERED TO THE GERMANS IN 1940 AND REMAINED IN EXILE IN SWITZERLAND AFTER THE WAR BECAUSE OF THE OPPOSITION OF SOCIALISTS, LIBERALS AND COMMUNISTS.

MANY POLITICAL OBSERVERS EXPECT THE SOCIAL CHRISTIANS TO WIN CONTROL OF BOTH HOUSES BY SMALL MAJORITIES.

BUT THE SOCIALISTS AND LIBERALS ARE TRYING TO WIN VOTES BY BALANCING THE ROYAL ISSUE WITH PROGRAMS OF SOCIAL AND TAX REFORMS.

THE VOTERS ARE TO CHOOSE 212 REPRESENTATIVES, 106 SENATORS AND 696 PROVINCIAL COUNCIL MEMBERS. THE PROVINCIAL COUNCILS WILL THEN CHOOSE 69 SENATORS.

THE ELECTIONS COME ALMOST EXACTLY A YEAR AFTER THE JUNE 26, 1949 PARLIAMENTARY CAMPAIGN IN WHICH THE SOCIAL CHRISTIANS ELECTED 105 REPRESENTATIVES, TWO SHORT OF A MAJORITY, AND 92 SENATORS, A MAJORITY OF NINE.

WHATEVER THE RETURNS NEXT SUNDAY, THE ROYAL QUESTION WILL NOT BE SETTLED DIRECTLY BY THE COUNTRY'S 5,635,000 VOTERS. ONLY PARLIAMENT CAN DECIDE WHETHER KING LEOPOLD SHOULD BE RETURNED TO THE THRONE. THE KING ALONE CAN DECIDE WHETHER HE SHOULD ACCEPT AN INVITATION TO RETURN SHOULD THE SOCIAL CHRISTIANS WIN A PARLIAMENTARY MAJORITY AND FORM A PRO-LEOPOLD GOVERNMENT.

THE CAMPAIGN OPENED ON APRIL 30 WHEN THE KING'S BROTHER, REGENT PRINCE CHARLES, DISSOLVED PARLIAMENT BECAUSE SOCIAL CHRISTIANS, SOCIALISTS AND HESITANT LIBERALS WERE UNABLE TO REACH AGREEMENT ON INTERPRETING THE NATION-WIDE ADVISORY REFERENDUM OF MARCH 12.

IN THAT REFERENDUM 57.68 PER CENT OF THE VOTERS SAID THEY WANTED THE KING BACK. BUT WALLOONIA, THE FRENCH-SPEAKING SOUTH, AND BRABANT, THE CENTRAL DIVISION OF THE COUNTRY, RETURNED MAJORITIES AGAINST HIM.

B76 (Q)

THE SOCIALISTS, WHO DOMINATED THE GOVERNMENT AFTER THE PARLIAMENTARY ELECTIONS OF 1946 IN WHICH LEOPOLD ALSO WAS AN ISSUE, REFUSED TO AGREE TO THE KING'S RETURN UNLESS HE WOULD AGREE TO ABDICATE IN FAVOR OF HIS SON, 19-YEAR-OLD PRINCE BAUDOUIN, AND THEN STAY OUT OF THE COUNTRY.

KING LEOPOLD OFFERED TO ABANDON HIS POWERS TEMPORARILY TO BAUDOUIN BUT REFUSED TO PUT HIS NAME TO A POLITICAL CONTRACT BEFOREHAND BINDING HIM TO STAY OUT OF THE COUNTRY WHILE HIS SON RULED.

THE NEW PARLIAMENT IS TO CONVENE ON JUNE 20, AND NEGOTIATIONS TO FORM A GOVERNMENT WILL START AS SOON AS THE FINAL RETURNS ARE IN.

GASTON EYSKENS, A SOCIAL CHRISTIAN KNOWN FOR HIS LACK OF ENTHUSIASM FOR THE KING AND HIS SYMPATHY FOR SOCIALIST LEADER PAUL-HENRI SPAAK, HEADS A CARETAKER CABINET OF NINE SOCIAL CHRISTIANS AND EIGHT LIBERALS UNTIL A NEW GOVERNMENT IS FORMED.

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A49

ROME, MAY 27-(AP)-FOREIGN MINISTER COUNT CARLO SFORZA TOLD THE SENATE LAST NIGHT THAT ITALY IS CONSIDERING RECOGNIZING RED CHINA.

SFORZA SAID: "THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT, CONSIDERING THAT THE PRESENT REGIME IN CHINA UNDER MAO TZE-TUNG'S CONTROL HAS ALL THE ELEMENTS OF STABILITY, COULD RECOGNIZE IT TO DEFEND (ITALY'S) INTERESTS AND ITALY'S MISSIONS THERE."

HE POINTED OUT, HOWEVER, THAT BRITAIN STILL HAS BEEN UNABLE TO EXCHANGE AMBASSADORS WITH THE CHINESE REDS THOUGH THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT SENT AN ENVOY TO PEIPING FEB. 1 TO ESTABLISH DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH THE REGIME THERE.

JB532AED

A97

ROME, MAY 27-(AP)-PREMIER ALCIDE DE GASPERI'S CHRISTIAN DEMOCRAT PARTY LEADERS FLATLY DENIED TONIGHT CHARGES OF IRREGULARITIES IN THE GOVERNMENT.

THE CHRISTIAN DEMOCRAT DIRECTORS SAID ETTORE VIOLA, A CHRISTIAN DEMOCRAT DEPUTY, HAS BEEN SUSPENDED FROM THE PARTY'S PARLIAMENTARY GROUP FOR MAKING THE CHARGES PRIVATELY TO HIS PARTY'S DIRECTORATE.

ACCORDING TO THE COMMUNIST PRESS, VIOLA CHARGED CERTAIN MINISTERS AND OTHER DEPUTIES WITH USING THEIR OFFICIAL POSITIONS FOR FINANCIAL GAIN.

LIBERAL PARTY DEPUTIES HAVE DEMANDED AN INVESTIGATION.

WB905PED

A86

ROME, MAY 27-(AP)-THE INDEPENDENT NEWSPAPER IL MOMENTO SAID TODAY A MEETING OF THE COMINFORM WOULD BE HELD NEXT WEEK IN POLAND.

QUOTING ROME COMMUNIST SOURCES, IL MOMENTO SAID COMMUNIST SENATOR EUGENIO REALE, ONETIME ITALIAN AMBASSADOR TO WARSAW, AND PROBABLY PALMIRO TOGLIATTI, ITALIAN COMMUNIST CHIEFTAIN, WOULD ATTEND.

JB816AED

A151
(110)
ROME, MAY 27-(AP)-VITTORIO EMANUELE ORLANDO, ITALY'S GRAND OLD MAN, LED A GROUP OF TOP ITALIAN POLITICAL PERSONALITIES TODAY IN AN APPEAL TO WORLD POWERS TO DESTROY THEIR ATOM BOMBS.
ORLANDO, WHO HAS JUST TURNED 90, DRAFTED THE APPEAL, WHICH WAS ENDORSED BY SENATE PRESIDENT IVANOE BONOMI, A MODERATE INDEPENDENT, AND CHAMBER PRESIDENT GIOVANNI GRONCHI, LEFT WING CHRISTIAN DEMOCRAT.
THE RESOLUTION, WHICH CALLS FOR A STRICT INTERNATIONAL BAN AGAINST THE ATOMIC WEAPON, ALSO WAS SUPPORTED BY ENRICO DE NICOLA, FORMER PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC: UMBERTO TERRACINI, COMMUNIST LEADER IN THE SENATE, AND ELDER STATESMEN FRANCESCO SAVERIO NITTI AND ARTURO LABRIOLA, AS WELL AS OTHERS OF VARIOUS POLITICAL HUES.
K1218PED

A174
(150)
PRAGUE, MAY 27-(AP)-BULGARIA'S COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT SHIFTED THREE OF ITS TOP LEADERS IN A SHAKEUP TODAY.
THE CZECH NEWS AGENCY, QUOTING A DISPATCH FROM THE BULGARIAN AGENCY, SAID BOTH FOREIGN MINISTER VLADIMIR POPTOMOV AND DEFENSE MINISTER GEN. GEORGI DAMIANOV HAD BEEN RELIEVED. THE AGENCY ACCOUNT OF THE CHANGES:
POPTOMOV, WHO HAD BEEN FOREIGN MINISTER SINCE THE LATEST CABINET SHAKEUP LAST JANUARY, WAS REPLACED BY MINCHO NEICHEV, PRESIDENT OF THE PRESIDIUM OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY. THE PRESIDIUM IS THE BODY WHICH ACTS WHEN PARLIAMENT IS NOT IN SESSION. 09059.9; 43.-8,' -'

WHICH ACTS WHEN PARLIAMENT IS NOT IN SESSION. POPTOMOV REMAINS AS A VICE PREMIER UNDER PREMIER VULKO CHERVENKOV.
DAMIANOV REPLACED NEICHEV AS HEAD OF THE PRESIDIUM. HE WAS SUCCEEDED AS DEFENSE MINISTER BY LT. GEN. PETER PANCHEVSKY, 48, FORMER DEPUTY DEFENSE MINISTER. PANCHEVSKY, THOUGH A NATIVE OF BULGARIA, WAS GRADUATED FROM MILITARY SCHOOL IN RUSSIA AND FOUGHT WITH THE RUSSIANS IN SPAIN AND DURING WORLD WAR II.
K143PED

A26
PRECEDE PRAGUE DAY (100)
LONDON, MAY 27-(AP)-BULGARIA TODAY NAMED A NEW CHIEF OF STATE AND FOREIGN MINISTER IN CHANGES INVOLVING THREE TOP GOVERNMENTAL LEADERS, THE SOFIA RADIO ANNOUNCED.
THE BROADCAST HEARD HERE, WHICH QUOTED THE OFFICIAL BULGARIAN NEWS AGENCY, GAVE NO REASONS FOR THE CHANGES.
GEN. GEORGI DAMIANOV, WHO HAD BEEN DEFENSE MINISTER, WAS NAMED PRESIDENT OF THE PRESIDIUM OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY, SUCCEEDING MINCHO NEICHEV. THE PRESIDIUM, OR COUNCIL OF MINISTERS, AND ITS PRESIDENT TOGETHER CONSTITUTE THE CHIEF OF STATE.
NEICHEV WAS NAMED FOREIGN MINISTER, REPLACING VLADIMIR POPTOMOV, WHO RETAINS HIS POST OF VICE-PREMIER.
LT. GEN. PETER PANCHEVSKY, WHO HAS BEEN ASSISTANT DEFENSE MINISTER, WAS MADE DEFENSE MINISTER.
K556PED

A89
(130)
STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN, MAY 27-(AP)-PREMIER TAGE ERLANDER TODAY BRANDED SWEDEN'S COMMUNISTS AS "AGENTS OF A FOREIGN IDEOLOGY HOSTILE TO OUR DEMOCRATIC ORDER."
ANSWERING A QUESTION IN PARLIAMENT FROM OPPOSITION LEADER BERTIL OHLIN, THE SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC PREMIER SAID THE COMMUNISTS "C, 9,)6

ANSWERING A QUESTION IN PARLIAMENT FROM OPPOSITION LEADER BERTIL OHLIN, THE SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC PREMIER SAID THE COMMUNISTS "CAN ONLY RECKON WITH US AS THEIR ENEMIES."
HE DESCRIBED SWEDEN'S COMMUNISTS AS "SPINELESS TOOLS" OF THE LEADERS OF INTERNATIONAL COMMUNISM, SAYING THAT THEY WOULD NOT HESITATE TO BETRAY DEMOCRACY IN A CRITICAL SITUATION.
"THE EASTERN EUROPEAN DICTATORSHIPS ARE THE MODEL THEY SEEK TO IMITATE IN ALL THEIR POLITICAL ACTIONS, AND THE COMMUNISTS CAN THEREFORE ONLY RECKON WITH US AS THEIR SWORN ENEMIES," ERLANDER DECLARED.
OHLIN, LEADER OF THE LIBERAL OPPOSITION, EXPRESSED SATISFACTION WITH THE PREMIER'S ANSWER BUT DEMANDED SWIFT AND ENERGETIC MEASURES AGAINST COMMUNIST ACTIVITY IN SWEDEN.
JB824AED

B49 (Q).
NEW DELHI, INDIA, MAY 27-(AP)-UNITED NATIONS MEDIATOR SIR OWEN DIXON, ARRIVING BY PLANE TODAY, SAID HE HAS THE FULLEST HOPES THE KASHMIR DISPUTE WILL BE SOLVED TO THE SATISFACTION OF BOTH INDIA AND PAKISTAN.
THE AUSTRALIAN JURIST TOLD NEWSMEN THE RESPONSIBILITY OF SOLVING THE ISSUE "IS NOT MINE ONLY BUT RESTS ON ALL WHO SEEK TO SOLVE IT."
INDIA AND PAKISTAN HAVE BEEN FIGHTING FOR CONTROL OF THE NORTHERN PRINCELY STATE FOR TWO YEARS.
K852AED

B48 (Q)
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SGINGAPORE, MAY 27-(AP)-JAMES GRIFFITHS, BRITISH SECRETARY OF STATE FOR COLONIES, TODAY PROMISED MALAYANS IN THE BANDIT-INFESTED HINTERLAND THAT BRITAIN WILL FIGHT TO THE FINISH IN HER WAR AGAINST "COMMUNIST TERRORISM."
GRIFFITHS IS ON A 100-MILE TOUR BY ROAD FROM KUALA LUMPUR TO MALACCA. HE TOLD THE PEOPLE: "I PLEDGE MY GOVERNMENT AND MY PEOPLE WILL TOGETHER SEE YOU THROUGH. WE WILL STAND BY YOU UNTIL FINAL VICTORY IS OURS."
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A203KX
AMS BUDGET (480)
NIGHT LEAD CHINESE
HONG KONG, MAY 27-(AP)-A BRITISH NAVY SPOKESMAN REPORTED THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS ABANDONED THE WANSHAN ISLANDS THIS MORNING, LESS THAN ONE DAY AFTER THEY HAD ANNOUNCED A SMASHING VICTORY OVER COMMUNIST INVADERS.

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THE GROUP, ALSO KNOWN AS THE LADRONES (THIEVES) ISLANDS, ARE ABOUT 40 MILES SOUTHWEST OF HONG KONG AND 20 MILES SOUTHEAST OF THE PORTUGUESE COLONY OF MACAO. THEY HAVE BLOCKADED THE PEARL RIVER ESTUARY APPROACH TO CANTON SINCE THE REDS SEIZED THAT MAJOR SOUTH CHINA CITY LAST NOVEMBER.

THE BRITISH INFORMANT SAID NATIONALIST WARSHIPS COMPLETED EVACUATION OF THE ISLANDS AT 8 A.M. TODAY. THEY TOOK TEMPORARY SHELTER, HE SAID, ON LINGTING ISLAND, ONLY TEN MILES SOUTH OF HONG KONG.

ONLY FRIDAY THE NATIONALIST NAVY HAD ISSUED A COMMUNIQUE STATING THAT IT INFLICTED 4,000 CASUALTIES AND SANK A COMMUNIST LANDING-CRAFT, 20 GUNBOATS AND 54 MOTOR-DRIVEN JUNKS IN A ROUSING VICTORY OVER A SEABORNE RED INVASION FORCE.

THE COMMUNIQUE CONTAINED, HOWEVER, THE SUSPICIOUS LINE THAT SOME COMMUNISTS HAD MANAGED TO GET ASHORE ON THREE SMALL ISLETS AND WERE "FACING ANNIHILATION."

THIS IS THE SAME REFRAIN THE NATIONALISTS USED ON HAINAN ISLAND AND ELSEWHERE IN HERALDING VICTORIES WHICH LATER TURNED OUT TO BE STUNNING DEFEATS.

EVEN DISPATCHES FROM TAIPEI, THE NATIONALIST CAPITAL ON FORMOSA, SAID AT THE TIME THAT SOME CAUTIOUS ELEMENTS FEARED ALL WAS NOT WELL IN THE WANSHANS.

THE NATIONALIST NAVY HAD OFFERED FRIDAY TO TAKE FOREIGN CORRESPONDENTS TO THE WANSHANS TO SEE FOR THEMSELVES, BUT ALL CHOSE TO STAY IN TAIPEI. THERE WAS NO WORD ABOUT THE ISLANDS FROM TAIPEI TODAY.

THE BRITISH NAVY WATCHED THE WANSHAN FIGHTING CLOSELY FROM LAUNCHES IT ASSIGNED TO SAFEGUARD HONG KONG-MACAO SHIPPING.

THE NAVY SPOKESMAN'S REPORT OF THE NATIONALIST WITHDRAWAL, PRESENTED AS A "CONFIRMATION," SAID THIS WAS THE SEQUENCE OF DEVELOPMENTS:

THE BATTLE BEGAN THURSDAY WHEN THE NATIONALIST NAVY INTERCEPTED A FEW CONVERTED COMMUNIST WARSHIPS AND 200 JUNKS HEADING FOR LAPSAPMEI, LARGEST OF THE WANSHANS. THE NATIONALISTS SUCCESSFULLY DEFENDED THAT ISLAND BUT THE REDS LANDED ON SEVERAL SMALLER ONES.

THEY BUILT UP THEIR STRENGTH AND THIS MORNING (SATURDAY) CROSSED FROM THESE ISLANDS TO LAPSAPMEI.

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THE NATIONALISTS THEN EVACUATED THE 1,000-MAN GARRISON. THEY WENT TO LINGTING, A SMALL ISLAND 30 MILES TO THE EAST AND ONLY TEN MILES SOUTH OF HONG KONG, PREPARATORY TO EVENTUAL EVACUATION TO FORMOSA.

TAIPEI DISPATCHES, SKIPPING MILITARY NEWS, REPORTED GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK HELD A RECEPTION FOR MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE YUAN (PARLIAMENT). HE WAS QUOTED AS SAYING, AS HE HAS DONE BEFORE, THAT HE TOOK THE BLAME FOR LOSS OF THE MAINLAND BUT THAT HE AND OTHERS HAD LEARNED MUCH FROM THEIR PAST MISTAKES.

TAIPEI ALSO REPORTED THAT, EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY, ANY PERSON LEAVING FORMOSA MUST DEPOSIT THE EQUIVALENT OF $875, WHICH WOULD BE FORFEITED FOR PURCHASE OF LIBERTY BONDS IF THE TRAVELER FAILED TO RETURN WITHIN TWO MONTHS IF A BUSINESS MAN OR WITHIN ONE MONTH IF NOT ON A BUSINESS TRIP.

THIS IS DESIGNED TO REDUCE OR PENALIZE ESCAPE OF WELL-TO-DO CHINESE TO GO TO HONG KONG OR MACAO. AMONG THEM HAVE BEEN SCORES OF MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE YUAN.

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VBULLETIN

HONG KONG, MAY 27-(AP)-THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS HANDED THE WANSHAN (LADRONE) ISLAND TO THE COMMUNISTS TODAY, THE ROYAL BRITISH NAVY REPORTED.

A SPOKESMAN SAID EVACUATION OF THE BLOCKADE BASE 40 MILES SOUTHWEST OF HONG KONG WAS COMPLETED BY NATIONALIST WARSHIPS AT 8 A.M.

IN GIVING UP THE WANSHANS THE NATIONALISTS LEFT THE TRADE-STARVED COMMUNIST METROPOLIS OF CANTON OPEN TO FOREIGN SEA COMMERCE FOR THE FIRST TIME IN MORE THAN EIGHT MONTHS.

THE ROYAL NAVY REPORT CAME ONLY A DAY AFTER THE NATIONALISTS HAD ANNOUNCED A WHOPPING VICTORY OVER COMMUNIST INVASION FORCES.

THE NATIONALISTS CLAIMED YESTERDAY THAT 4,000 RED TROOPS HAD BEEN "ANNIHILATED" IN THEIR SECOND ATTEMPT TO TAKE THE ISLANDS BY AMPHIBIOUS OPERATIONS. THE NATIONALISTS BEAT OFF THE FIRST TRY A WEEK AGO.

THE BRITISH NAVY SPOKESMAN SAID 1,000 NATIONALIST SOLDIERS HAD BEEN TAKEN OFF THE WANSHANS BY NATIONALIST SHIPS AND TRANSPORTED TO LINGTING ISLAND PREPARATORY TO FINAL EVACUATION TO FORMOSA. LINGTING IS ABOUT 20 MILES SOUTH OF THE WANSHANS.

THE SECOND BATTLE OF THE WANSHANS DEVELOPED THURSDAY WHEN THE NATIONALIST NAVY INTERCEPTED A FEW COMMUNIST WARCRAFT AND 200 WOODEN JUNKS OFF PORTUGUESE MACAO HEADED FOR LAPSAPMEI, MAIN ISLAND OF THE WANSHAN GROUP.

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THE NATIONALISTS SUCCESSFULLY DEFENDED LAPSAPMEI BUT THE REDS LANDED ON THE SMALLER ISLANDS OF THE GROUP. THE BRITISH SPOKESMAN SAID THE ROYAL NAVY REPORT WAS THAT THE REDS FED MORE TROOPS ONTO THESE SMALLER ISLANDS, THEN CROSSED TO LAPSAPMEI EARLY TODAY.

THIS FORCED THE NATIONALIST EVACUATION OF THE ENTIRE GROUP.

THUS THE WANSHANS WENT THE WAY OF THE CHUSHAN ISLANDS, MAIN BLOCKADE BASE FOR SHANGHAI, AND BIG HAINAN ISLAND OFF SOUTH CHINA. THEY, TOO, WERE GIVEN UP BY THE NATIONALISTS WITHOUT MAKING A FINISH FIGHT.

IT WAS THE SAME STORY AS THE LONG WITHDRAWAL FROM NORTH CHINA TO THE SOUTH AND THE EVENTUAL NATIONALIST DEPARTURE FROM THE MAINLAND WITHOUT ENTERING A FINAL, DECISIVE BATTLE WITH THE REDS.

EVACUATION OF THE WANSHANS ALSO FOLLOWED THE OFT-REPEATED NATIONALIST PATTERN OF GIVING UP IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING A CLAIM OF GLOWING TRIUMPH.

A NAVAL COMMUNIQUE ISSED YESTERDAY BY HEADQUARTERS ON FORMOSA ASSERTED THE NATIONALISTS HAD SCORED 4,000 RED CASUALTIES AND SANK ONE LANDING CRAFT, 19 GUNBOATS AND 54 MOTOR-DRIVEN JUNKS. ANOTHER GUNBOAT AND 12 TROOP-CARRYING JUNKS WERE SAID TO HAVE BEEN SUNK THURSDAY NIGHT NEAR MACAO.

THE COMMUNIQUE SAID AN UNSPECIFIED NUMBER OF REDS MANAGED TO LAND ON THE WANSHANS WERE "NOW FACING ANNIHILATION WITH LITTLE HOPE OF REINFORCEMENTS."

NATIONALIST NAVAL AUTHORITIES EVEN OFFERED TO TAKE FOREIGN CORRESPONDENTS TO THE WANSHANS TO SEE FOR THEMSELVES.

HONG KONG SOURCES EXPECTED THE WANSHANS EVACUATION WOULD LEAD QUICKLY TO REVIVAL OF TRADE WITH CANTON WHICH HAS BEEN ONE OF THE COMMUNIST TROUBLE SPOTS.

THE BUSINESS-LOVING CANTONESE HAVE BEEN SHOWING INCREASING ANTI-RED FEELING AS THE BLOCKADE PINCHED TIGHTER AND TIGHTER. WITH TRADE BACK, THEY ARE EXPECTED TO BE MORE CONTENT.

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B75KX (Q)
(110)
APW
HONGKONG, SUNDAY, MAY 28-(AP)-THE AMERICAN YACHT VOLADOR, RELEASED BY THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS ONLY FRIDAY, WAS DETAINED BY THE BRITISH TODAY.
TWO SUPREME COURT BAILIFFS BOARDED THE YACHT IN HONG KONG HARBOR YESTERDAY AND SERVED PAPERS ON OWNER GORDON ROSS.
FIVE FORMER CREWMEN---THREE AMERICANS, AN AUSTRALIAN AND A SPANIARD HAVE FILED SUIT AGAINST ROSS FOR $10,594 THEY CLAIM IS DUE AS BACK WAGES. ROSS SAID HE WOULD FILE A COUNTERSUIT AGAINST THE FIVE "FOR THEIR CONDUCT WHILE ON BOARD HIS YACHT." HE WOULD NOT ELABORATE.
ROSS, FORMERLY OF SANTA MONICA, CALIF., AND YAKIMA, WASH., RETURNED WITH THE YACHT FRIDAY FROM FORT BAYARD, SOUTHWEST OF HERE. THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS SEIZED THE VOLADOR WHEN IT PUT IN THERE FOR REAPIRS LAST FEBRUARY.
EW947PCS

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B45KX (Q)
(APW)
HONG KONG, MAY 27-(AP)-HONG KONG'S CHINESE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE WILL SEND A 50-MAN DELEGATION INTO COMMUNIST CHINA AND MANCHURIA NEXT WEEK TO TRY TO DRUM UP MORE TRADE.
THE CHAMBER ANNOUNCED ITS MISSION PLANS TO VISIT SUCH TRADE CENTERS AS PEIPING AND TIENTSIN IN NORTH CHINA AND MUKDEN, MANCHURIA.
THE CHAMBER'S MISSION COMES JUST AS HONG KONG SHIPPERS ARE TRYING ALSO TO INCREASE TRADE WITH RED CHINA. TWO BRITISH FREIGHTERS ARE ON THEIR WAY TO SHANGHAI TO TEST THE NATIONALIST BLOCKADE OF THE YANGTZE RIVER. THE NATIONALISTS' RECENT WITHDRAWAL FROM THE CHUSHAN ISLANDS, MAIN BLOCKADE BASE, MAY HAVE LEFT THE RIVER OPEN, SHIPPERS BELIEVE.
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APW
HONG KONG, SUNDAY, MAY 28-(AP)-FIVE HUNDRED BRITISH COMMANDOS SAILED FROM HONG KONG LAST NIGHT FOR MALAYA TO BOLSTER BRITISH FORCES ALREADY THERE IN THE FIGHT AGAINST COMMUNIST TERRORISTS.
AN ADVANCE PARTY FROM THE GROUP, THE 45TH COMMANDO, LEFT LAST WEEK FOR MALAYA. ANOTHER GROUP IS SCHEDULED TO LEAVE ABOUT JUNE 10. A ROYAL ARMY SPOKESMAN SAID THE TROOPS COULD BE RETURNED TO HONG KONG "WITHIN A VERY SHORT TIME" SHOULD THE NEED ARISE.
EW949PCS

A74FX
CHINESE (180)
BY SPENCER MOOSA
TAIPEI,FORMOSA,MAY 27-(AP)-FORMOSA'S PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT TODAY TRIED TO DAMPEN THE SUDDEN URGE OF MANY CHINESE TO LEAVE THIS INVASION-THREATENED NATIONALIST STRONGHOLD ON VISITS.
TO THE HUNDREDS UPON HUNDREDS WHO LATELY HAVE ASKED FOR EXIT PERMITS TO VISIT BRITISH HONG KONG AND PORTUGUESE MACAO, THE GOVERNMENT SAID:
PUT UP 10,500 FORMOSA DOLLARS ($875) TO GUARANTEE YOUR RETURN. BUSINESSMEN MAY STAY AWAY TWO MONTHS, ALL OTHERS ONE MONTH. IF YOU'RE NOT BACK BY THEN, YOUR MONEY WILL BE FOREFEITED FOR THE PURCHASE OF LIBERTY BONDS.
SCORES OF MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE YUAN, NATIONALIST CHINA'S PARLIAMENT, HAVE BEEN AMONG THOSE APPLYING FOR PERMISSION TO LEAVE FORMOSA.
THE DEMAND FOR EXIT PERMITS DEVELOPED AFTER THE NATIONALISTS WITHDREW THIS MONTH FROM THE CHUSHAN ISLANDS, AIR AND NAVAL BASE 100 MILES SOUTHEAST OF SHANGHAI. THIS WAS THE MAJOR OUTPOST BETWEEN THE COMMUNIST MAINLAND AND FORMOSA.
CHIANG KAI-SHEK SAID YESTERDAY--AS HE HAS MANY TIMES BEFORE--THAT HE TAKES THE BLAME FOR THE LOSS OF THE MAINLAND TO THE REDS.
SPEAKING AT A RECEPTION FOR MEMBERS OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY, CHIANG SAID HE AND OTHER NATIONALIST LEADERS HAD LEARNED MUCH FROM THEIR PAST MISTAKES.
FOR ONE THING, HE SAID, THEY HAVE BECOME REALISTIC AND NO LONGER PROMISE THINGS THEY CAN NOT FULFILL.
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A121KX (210)
SECOND NIGHT LEAD JAPANESE
BY RUSSELL BRINES
MAY 28 1950
TOKYO, SUNDAY, MAY 28-(AP)-FORTY-NINE-TOP-RANKING MEMBERS OF THE RUSSIAN MISSION LEFT HASTILY FOR MOSCOW SATURDAY (CORRECT). SOME OBSERVERS BELIEVE IT FORESHADOWS A STRONGER SOVIET DRIVE IN SOUTHEAST ASIA.
LT.GEN.KUZMA DEREVYANKO, RUSSIA'S LEADING VETERAN ON POSTWAR AFFAIRS IN ASIA, HEADED THE DEPARTING GROUP. HE TOOK WITH HIM HIS MAJOR POLICYADVISERS.
THE RUSSIANS SAILED FROM TOKYO BAY ON THE SOVIET TRAWLER 284 FOR THE SIBERIAN PORTOF VLADIVOSTOK. THE TIME OF THEIR DEPARTURE, FIRST REPORTED AS SUNDAY MORNING, WAS CONFIRMED BY A SOVIET MISSION SPOKESMAN.
INFORMED SOURCES SAID GENERAL MACARTHUR WAS TOLD IN ADVANCE OF THE DEPARTURE BUT THAT IT WAS "UNUSUALLY SHORT NOTICE." THEY SAILED ON THE SAME VESSEL THAT BROUGHT IN 35 RUSSIAN REPLACEMENTS. THESE LAST WERE DESCRIBED BY INFORMANTS AS VERY JUNIOR MILITARY MEN.
LEFT TO HEAD THE MISSION WAS COL.SEVASTYAN A.PLYASHENKO, ONE OF DEREVYANKO'S DEPUTIES.
THESE SOURCES SAID MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS DID NOT INTERPRET THE SURPRISE MOVE AS ANY PRECAUTIONARY WITHDRAWAL AGAINST THE POSSIBLE DANGER TO MISSION PERSONNEL IN JAPAN.
THEY SPECULATED ON THESE TWO CONFLICTING THEORIES FOR THE RUSSIAN'S DEPARTURE:
FIRST, MOSCOW IS WITHDRAWING ITS EXPERTS IN THE FAR EAST WHO ARE ALSO EXPERTS ON U.S. MILITARYFORCES IN JAPAN IN PREPARATION FOR NEW PRESSURE ON SOUTHEAST ASIA.
SECOND, DEREVYANKO IS BEING RECALLED FOR FAILURE TO BUILD IN JAPAN, THROUGH INDOCTRINATED JAPANESE REPATRIATES, THE CORE OF A DISRUPTIVE GUERRILLA FORCE SUCH AS IN INDOCHINA AND ELSEWHERE IN ASIA.
(WASHINGTON COULD SHED NO LIGHT ON THE MANEUVER. STATE AND DEFENSE OFFICIALS SAID IT WAS NEWS TO THEM.)
THE MYSTERIOUS SOVIET MOVE TOOK DIPLOMATIC CIRCLES BY SURPRISE. THEY NOTED THAT DEREVYANKO TOOK HIS WIFE WITH HIM--SOMETHING HE HAS NOT DONE ON THE TWO OTHER OCCASIONS IN PAST YEARS WHEN HE REPORTED BACK TO MOSCOW.
THEY ALSO NOTED THAT THE MOVE LEFT THE RUSSIAN MISSION WITHOUT ANY OFFICIAL OF EITHER MILITARY OR CIVILIAN RANK USUAL FOR SUCH AN ASSIGNMENT.
ON ONE PREVIOUS OCCASION THE MISSION IN TOKYO WAS LEFT IN CHARGE OF JACOB MALIK, WHO SINCE HAS BECOME A MAJOR SOVIET FIGURE IN INTERNATIONAL DIPLOMACY; ON THE OTHER, WHEN DEREVYANKO WAS AWAY FOR AN ENTIRE YEAR IN 1947-48, MAJ. GEN. A.P. KISLENKO WAS ACTING CHIEF.

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[redacted]-TODAY'S MASS WITHDRAWAL LEFT SECONDARY MEN TO RUN THE RUSSIAN MISSION, WHICH ONCE TOTALLED 400 PERSONS. IT WAS UNDERSTOOD THE MISSION TOTALED 144 PERSONS BEFORE SATURDAY'S DEPARTURE.

GENERAL MACARTHUR, SUPREME COMMANDER OF THE OCCUPATION, REBUKED DEREVYANKO MAY 4 FOR ASSERTING THAT AMERICAN BASES IN JAPAN AND OKINAWA VIOLATED OCCUPATION POLICIES. NOTING THAT DEREVYANKO HAD BEEN IN JAPAN SINCE THE START (HE SIGNED THE SURRENDER ABOARD THE MISSOURI), MACARTHUR CALLED DEREVYANKO'S CHARGE "PROVOCATIVE IMPERTINENCE."

MACARTHUR ALSO TWICE IN THE PAST YEAR HAS SUGGESTED THAT JAPAN MIGHT CONSIDER OUTLAWING THE COMMUNIST PARTY, AND HAS CONSISTENTLY PRESSED THE RUSSIANS TO ACCOUNT FOR SOME 370,000 JAPANESE PRISONERS OF WAR THAT THEY HAVE FAILED TO REPATRIATE.

THE RUSSIAN MISSION IS KNOWN TO HAVE BEEN EMBARRASSED BY THE CONSISTENT HEADQUARTERS PRESSURE ON THE REPATRIATION QUESTION. SINCE DECEMBER, DEREVYANKO HAS REPEATEDLY BOYCOTTED OR WALKED OUT OF THE FOUR-POWER ALLIED COUNCIL MEETINGS WHEN THE REPATRIATION QUESTION WAS RAISED.

LAST WEDNESDAY HE BOYCOTTED IT AGAIN EVEN THOUGH THE REPATRIATION ISSUE WAS NOT ON THE DAY'S CALENDAR.

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TOKYO, SUNDAY, MAY 28-(AP)-LT.GEN. KUZMA DEREVYANKO AND 48 OTHER KEY MEMBERS OF THE SOVIET MISSION TO JAPAN DEPARTED SUDDENLY FOR MOSCOW THIS MORNING. AUTHORITATIVE SOURCES DISCLOSED.

THE RUSSIANS LEFT ABOARD A SOVIET VESSEL WHICH BROUGHT IN 35 REPLACEMENTS. THE SOURCES SAID THE REPLACEMENTS WERE JUNIOR MILITARY MEN.

THERE WAS NO IMMEDIATE EXPLANATION FOR THE DEPARTURE, WHICH SURPRISED DIPLOMATIC CIRCLES.

WASHINGTON COULD SHED NO LIGHT ON THE MANEUVER EITHER. OFFICIALS AT THE STATE AND DEFENSE DEPARTMENTS SAID THE MOVE WAS NEWS TO THEM.

A164KX

INFORMANTS SAID THE SOVIET MISSION WAS LEFT WITHOUT ANY HIGH-RANKING CHIEF.

DEREVYANKO WAS ACCOMPANIED BY HIS WIFE. ON HIS SEVERAL PREVIOUS TRIPS TO MOSCOW SHE HAS REMAINED IN TOKYO. ALSO ON THOSE OCCASIONS A MAJOR GENERAL OR SIMILARLY-RANKED CIVILIAN HAS STAYED IN CHARGE OF THE MISSION.

THE CHIEF OF THE SOVIET MISSION IS ALSO A MEMBER OF THE FOUR-POWER ALLIED COUNCIL FOR JAPAN. DEREVYANKO AND ALL HIS AIDES BOYCOTTED THE COUNCIL'S REGULAR SESSION LAST WEDNESDAY WITHOUT EXPLANATION, ALTHOUGH NO BUSINESS WAS PLANNED. PREVIOUSLY THEY HAD BOYCOTTED OR WALKED OUT ON THE COUNCIL WHEN IT SOUGHT TO DISCUSS REPATRIATION OF JAPANESE PRISONERS OF WAR HELD BY RUSSIA.

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A75KX

TOKYO, MAY 27-(AP)-ASSIGNMENT OF REAR ADM. ALBERT K. MOREHOUSE AS CHIEF OF STAFF FOR THE FAR EASTERN NAVAL COMMAND WAS ANNOUNCED HERE TODAY. IT IS THE FIRST TIME SINCE THE WAR THAT A FLAG OFFICER HAS BEEN GIVEN THIS JOB.

MOREHOUSE, NOW CHIEF OF STAFF FOR THE COMMANDER OF THE ATLANTIC FLEET'S AIRFORCE, SUCCEEDS CAPT. GEORGE P. HUNTER, WHO LEAVES JUNE 23 FOR BOSTON NAVAL YARD.

THE ADMIRAL'S ASSIGNMENT HERE UNDERLINES THE INCREASE OF U.S. NAVAL FORCES IN THE WESTERN PACIFIC. THE REINFORCED SEVENTH TASK FLEET OPERATES UNDER THE FAR EASTERN COMMAND.

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ASIAN CONFERENCE (390)

BY DON HUTH

BAGUIO,PHILIPPINES,MAY 27-(AP)-THE SEVEN-NATION SOUTHEAST ASIA CONFERENCE DISCUSSED ECONOMIC, CULTURAL AND SOCIAL PROBLEMS TODAY BUT DIDN'T COME TO GRIPS WITH ANY POLITICAL ISSUES.

IN FACT, THERE HASN'T EVEN BEEN A DECISION YET ON WHETHER A POLITICAL SUBCOMMITTEE WILL BE SET UP, SAID PHILIPPINE FOREIGN SECRETARY CARLOS P.ROMULO, CONFERENCE PRESIDENT.

ROMULO DISCLOSED PROGRESS AT A NEWS CONFERENCE: THE CULTURAL AND SOCIAL SUBCOMMITTEE WILL MEET TONIGHT TO DRAFT RESOLUTIONS IT WILL SUBMIT TO THE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE. THE ECONOMIC GROUP STILL IS NOT READY TO REPORT.

AFTER THESE TWO SUBCOMMITTEES FINISH THEIR WORK WILL COME THE DECISION ON FORMATION OF A POLITICAL GROUP, ROMULO SAID.

ROMULO WAS ASKED WHETHER A PHILIPPINE PROPOSAL FOR A PERMANENT REGIONAL ORGANIZATION WOULD BE SET ASIDE IF A POLITICAL COMMITTEE TO DISCUSS IT WAS NOT SET UP.

"THE PHILIPPINES MAY NOT PRESS FOR IT," HE REPLIED. HE ADDED, HOWEVER, THIS DOES NOT MEAN THE PHILIPPINE PROPOSAL WILL BE BYPASSED IF NO POLITICAL GROUP IS FORMED.

ROMULO DID NOT ELABORATE. HE MERELY SAID: "WE HAVE OTHER STEPS IN MIND. LET'S WAIT UNTIL WE MEET THAT BRIDGE."

THE FILIPINO LEADER SAID HE DOESN'T BELIEVE THERE IS ANY CONFLICT BETWEEN ACTION BEING TAKEN HERE AND THE DECISIONS RECENTLY REACHED AMONG BRITISH COMMONWEALTH NATIONS AT SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA, ON ECONOMIC AID AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE FOR SOUTHEAST ASIAN COUNTRIES.

IN A RADIO ADDRESS REPORTING ON THE CONFERENCE TONIGHT, ROMULO SAID:

"IT IS NATURAL THAT VARIOUS DELEGATIONS SHOULD HAVE DIFFERENT IDEAS ON THE DEGREE AND METHODS OF COOPERATION REQUIRED FOR THE SOLUTION OF THESE PROBLEMS. THEY HAVE HAD TO MEASURE EACH OTHER'S CAPACITY AND READINESS FOR ACTION.

"BUT WHATEVER THE NATURE AND SCOPE OF THE METHODS THAT FINALLY WILL BE DECIDED, I THINK IT MAY BE SAID AT THIS STAGE THAT A HEARTENING START HAS BEEN MADE HERE IN BAGUIO ON THE ROAD TOWARDS A BETTER DAY IN ASIA."

ROMULO SAID THE CULTURAL AND SOCIAL SUBCOMMITTEE CONSIDERED THESE QUESTIONS: LITERACY, INTERNATIONAL STUDY CENTERS AND CULTURAL INSTITUTIONS, PUBLIC LIBRARIES, TRANSLATIONS OF CLASSICS, SOCIAL LEGISLATION, PUBLIC HEALTH AND NUTRITION, EXCHANGE OF BOOKS, PERIODICALS AND DOCUMENTARY FILMS, EXCHANGE OF INFORMATION ON EDUCATION AND RESEARCH, ART EXHIBITIONS, RADIO BROADCASTS, EXCHANGE OF TEACHERS, TECHNICIANS AND STUDENTS, INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES, AND CLOSE RELATIONSHIPS WITH SPECIALIZED AGENCIES AND ORGANIZATIONS OF THE UNITED NATIONS.

DETAILS OF THESE DISCUSSIONS WERE NOT DISCLOSED.

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B94KX (Q)

NIGHT LEAD CONFERENCE (175)

BY DON HUTH

BAGUIO, PHILIPPINES,SUNDAY, MAY 28-(AP)-THE BAGUIO CONFERENCE OF SEVEN SOUTHEAST ASIA NATIONS TODAY APPEARED DETERMINED TO AVOID BEING BRANDED AS ANTI-COMMUNIST.

THE CONFERENCE HAS AGREED TO DISCUSS ECONOMIC AND CULTURAL PROBLEMS, BUT IT HASN'T EVEN NAMED A POLITICAL SUBCOMMITTEE TO SELECT TOPICS FOR THE AGENDA.

CARLOS P.ROMULO, CONFERENCE PRESIDENT, TOLD NEWSMEN THE CONFERENCE

MIGHT DECIDE LATER WHETHER SUCH A COMMITTEE WOULD BE SELECTED. THERE WAS A STRONG LIKELIHOOD THAT POLITICAL QUESTIONS WOULD NOT BE DISCUSSED.

ROMULO AND PRESIDENT ELPIDIO QUIRINO OF THE PHILIPPINES, SPONSORS OF THE MEETING, APPEARED OPTIMISTIC. BUT OBSERVERS WONDERED IF ANY SOLID RESULTS WOULD BE PRODUCED.

THE PHILIPPINES HAS PROPOSED THAT THE NATIONS FORM A PERMANENT ORGANIZATION. BUT THERE SEEMS TO BE A RELUCTANCE AMONG THE DELEGATIONS EVEN TO TAKE THIS STEP. ROMULO SAID HE WOULD NOT PRESS THE QUESTION.

THE CONFERENCE IS SCHEDULED TO END THURSDAY. MOST OF ITS DISCUSSIONS HAVE BEEN IN CLOSED SESSIONS.

THE RESOLUTIONS THE DELEGATES WILL ADOPT ARE EXPECTED TO BE BROAD PRINCIPLES CONCERNED MAINLY WITH ECONOMIC, CULTURAL AND SOCIAL CO--OPERATION. ATTENDING ARE DELEGATES FROM AUSTRALIA, INDIA, PAKISTAN, THAILAND, INDONESIA, CEYLON AND THE PHILIPPINES.

RA1135PCS NM

B43 (Q)

MOSCOW, MAY 27-(AP)-THE MOSCOW PRESS TODAY NOTED THE OPENING OF THE SOUTHEAST ASIA CONFERENCE IN THE PHILIPPINES WITH THE COMMENT THAT IT WAS ANOTHER ATTEMPT TO CREATE A NEW AGGRESSIVE BLOC.

NEWSPAPERS SAID WHILE NO AMERICAN REPRESENTATIVE WAS PRESENT, AMERICAN "RULING CIRCLES ARE THE REAL ORGANIZERS OF THE MEETING."

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HONOLULU,MAY 27-(AP)-THE SCHOOL CHILDREN OF HAWAII ARE GATHERING A MILLION FLOWERS TO DECORATE MEMORIAL DAY THE GRAVES OF SERVICEMEN KILLED IN THE WAR IN THE PACIFIC.

ALL THE 12,500 GRAVES IN THE PUNCH BOWL CEMETERY WILL BE DECORATED WITH LEIS OF ORCHIDS, CARNATIONS AND OTHER FLOWERS. THE FLOWERS ARE BEING PICKED IN FAMILY GARDENS. THE CHILDREN ARE MAKING THE LEIS.

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TORONTO, MAY 27-(AP)-THE CANADA-U.S. PERMANENT JOINT DEFENSE BOARD TODAY WATCHED CANADA'S AVRO CF-100 JET FIGHTER IN ACTION. THEY SAID THEY LIKED WHAT THEY SAW.

THE BIG BLACK $4,000,000 FIGHTER--HAILED AS THE WORLD'S MOST POWERFUL--GAVE AN IMPRESSIVE DISPLAY OF SPEED AND MANEUVERABILITY ABOVE SUBURBAN MALTON AIRPORT.

BUT IT WASN'T ONLY ITS SPEED--RATED IN EXCESS MF 600 MILES AN HOUR --WHICH IMPRESSED. NAVAL OBSERVERS AMONG SOME 30 OF THE EXPERTS ENTRUSTED WITH THE DEFENSE OF NORTH AMERICA WATCHED IT FLY BY AT 110 MILES AN HOUR AND TAGGED IT AS A GOOD CARRIER AIRCRAFT.

TEN CF-100S ARE SAID TO BE IN PRODUCTION.

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(370 SECOND NIGHT LEAD DRAPER-ADLER

BY GEORGE MILLER

(NY)..HARTFORD, CONN., MAY 27-(AP)-THE FEDERAL COURT TRIAL OF A $200,000 LIBEL SUIT BY ENTERTAINERS PAUL DRAPER AND LARRY ADLER AGAINST MRS.HESTER R.MCCULLOUGH ENDED TODAY IN A JURY DISAGREEMENT.

THE JURY OF EIGHT WOMEN AND FOUR MEN WAS UNABLE TO DECIDE WHETHER MRS.MCCULLOUGH, WIFE OF A TIME MAGAZINE STAFF MEMBER, LIBELED DRAPER AND ADLER WHEN SHE ACCUSED THEM OF PRO-COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES.

LAWYERS FOR BOTH SIDES SAID THE CASE AUTOMATICALLY WILL GO BACK ON THE COURT CALENDAR FOR RE-TRIAL AT A LATER DATE.

INDICATIONS WERE THAT A SECOND TRIAL WOULD NOT TAKE PLACE FOR AT LEAST A YEAR.

FEDERAL JUDGE J.JOSEPH SMITH DISCHARGED THE JURY WHEN IT REPORTED FOR A SECOND TIME ITS FAILURE TO REACH A VERDICT IN DELIBERATIONS THAT BEGAN AT 12:30 P.M. (EST) YESTERDAY.

THE ACTUAL TIME SPENT IN DELIBERATING WAS MORE THAN 11 HOURS.

DRAPER, A DANCE STYLIST, AND ADLER, A HARMONICA VIRTUOSO, ISSUED THIS STATEMENT AFTER THE JURY WAS DISMISSED:

"WE HAVE TRUTHFULLY TOLD OUR WHOLE LIVES TO THE JURY. IN THE PRESENT CLIMATE OF PUBLIC OPINION, THE FAILURE OF THIS JURY TO BE CONVINCED OF THE TRUTH OF THE CHARGES WHICH HAVE BEEN MADE AGAINST US IS VINDICATION OF OUR LOYALTY."

MRS.MCCULLOUGH, IN TEARS OVER THE OUTCOME, TOLD REPORTERS:

"NATURALLY I AM GREATLY DISAPPOINTED. I KNOW, HOWEVER, THAT THE MEMBERS OF THE JURY GAVE THE CASE THEIR MOST EARNEST AND CAREFUL CONSIDERATION.

"I AM GRATEFUL TO JUDGE SMITH FOR HIS PATIENCE AND IMPARTIAL CONDUCT OF THE TRIAL. I STILL FEEL THAT COMMUNISM IS THE GREATEST THREAT TO OUR AMERICAN WAY OF LIFE."

THE END OF THE MONTH-LONG TRIAL CAME AT 2:50 P.M. (EST).

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FOR THE SECOND TIME TODAY, THE JURY FILED INTO THE COURTROOM AND JUDGE SMITH ASKED IF ITS MEMBERS HAD REACHED A VERDICT.

"WE HAVE NOT," SAID THE FOREMAN, PAUL BUTTERWORTH, 62, A RETIRED REAL ESTATE BROKER.

SMITH SAID THE FAILURE TO AGREE WAS UNFORTUNATE "IN VIEW OF THE LENGTH OF TIME AND EXPENSE INVOLVED."

BUT HE PRAISED THE JURORS FOR HAVING "CONSCIENTIOUSLY TRIED TO REACH A VERDICT," AND THEN DISMISSED THEM.

TWO HOURS EARLIER, THE JURORS REPORTED THEIR FIRST FAILURE TO AGREE.

AT THAT TIME SMITH SENT THEM BACK, AFTER A LUNCHEON RECESS, TO MAKE "ONE MORE ATTEMPT."

HE ADDED, HOWEVER, THAT ANY AGREEMENT MUST BE REAL AND MUST NOT REPRESENT "MERE ACQUIESCENCE" BY UNCONVINCED JURORS.

ADLER AND DRAPER CONTENDED IN THEIR SUIT THAT THEIR REPUTATIONS WERE DAMAGED AND THEIR EARNINGS SUFFERED BECAUSE OF MRS.MCCULLOUGH'S CHARGE THAT THEY WERE PRO-COMMUNIST.

MRS.MCCULLOUGH, 32, A GREENWICH,CONN., HOUSEWIFE, CONTENDED IN THE MONTH-LONG TRIAL THAT HER CHARGES WERE TRUE AND THAT SHE MADE THEM IN THE PUBLIC INTEREST. SHE ASSERTED AT ONE POINT THAT SHE REGARDS DRAPER AND ADLER AS "CONCEALED COMMUNISTS."

THE SUIT STEMS FROM A PUBLISHED LETTER IN WHICH MRS.MCCULLOUGH, WIFE OF AN ASSISTANT PICTURE EDITOR OF TIME MAGAZINE, SAID DRAPER AND ADLER "OPENLY SUPPORTED" A NUMBER OF COMMUNIST FRONT ORGANIZATIONS.

SHE WROTE THE LETTER IN THE COURSE OF A ONE-WOMAN CAMPAIGN TO PREVENT THEIR APPEARANCE IN A JOINT CONCERT AT GREENWICH IN JANUARY, 1949. SHE ALSO DECLARED, IN A KIWANIS CLUB SPEECH, THAT ANYONE INTERESTED IN COMMUNISM WAS INTERESTED IN THE OVERTHROW OF THE GOVERNMENT AND SHOULD BE TREATED AS A TRAITOR.

ADLER AND DRAPER ADMITTED SUPPORTING VARIOUS ORGANIZATIONS WHICH HAVE BEEN CITED ON GOVERNMENT SUBVERSIVE LISTS. EACH INSISTED, HOWEVER, THAT HE WAS A LOYAL AMERICAN AND EACH DENIED KNOWINGLY SUPPORTING ANY COMMUNIST CAUSES.

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THE JURY'S REPORT THAT IT COULD NOT AGREE CAME DURING ITS SECOND VISIT OF THE DAY TO THE FEDERAL COURTROOM.

ON THE FIRST VISIT, AT 11:10 A.M. (EST), JURYMAN PHILIP YOST ASKED WHETHER THE JURORS MUST CONSIDER "ONE OR MORE" OF THE CHARGES MRSMCCULLOUGH ALLEGEDLY MADE AGAINST THE ENTERTAINERS.

THE JUDGE REPLIED THAT EACH OF MRS.MCCULLOUGH'S CHARGES IS LIBELOUS "PER SE"--BY ITS VERY NATURE.

"IF YOU FIND ANY OF THEM WAS CAUSED TO BE PUBLISHED BY THE DEFENDANT, AND IF YOU FIND THEY WERE UNTRUE AND THE PLAINTIFFS WERE DAMAGED, YOU MAY AWARD DAMAGES TO THE PLAINTIFFS," HE SAID.

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MRS.MCCULLOUGH'S LETTER WAS PUBLISHED BY THE NEW YORK JOURNAL-AMERICAN IN ITS "CHOLLY KNICKERBOCKER" SOCIETY COLUMN AND LATER BY THE GREENWICH TIME, ANNNNNNNNNNNNNNNNN

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MRS.MCCULLOUGH'S LETTER WAS PUBLISHED BY THE NEW YORK JOURNAL-AMERICAN IN ITS "CHOLLY KNICKERBOCKER" SOCIETY COLUMN AND LATER BY THE GREENWICH TIME, AN AFTERNOON NEWSPAPER.

THE ENSUING LAWSUIT ATTRACTED NATIONWIDE ATTENTION.

DRAPER AND ADLER, UNDER CONNECTICUT LAW, ATTACHED MRS.MCCULLOUGH'S PROPERTY--LEGALLY RESTRAINED HER FROM TRANSFERRING OR DISPOSING OF ANY ASSETS UNTIL THE SUIT WAS SETTLED. THE ENTERTAINERS LATER WITHDREW THE ATTACHMENT. MRS.MCCULLOUGH HAD RECEIVED VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS, REPORTEDLY TOTALLING MORE THAN $25,000, FROM MANY SECTIONS OF THE COUNTRY.

JUDGE SMITH GAVE THE CASE TO THE JURY AT 12:30 PM. (EST) YESTERDAY IN THE 20TH COURT DAY OF THE TRIAL. HE TOLD THE JURY IT COULD FIND ANY OF FOUR VERDICTS--FOR MRS.MCCULLOUGH, FOR DRAPER AND ADLER TOGETHER, OR FOR EITHER ADLER OR DRAPER SEPARATELY.

THE JUDGE SAID ALSO THAT THE JURORS MUST MAKE UP THEIR OWN MINDS WHETHER THE ORGANIZATIONS WHICH THE TWO ENTERTAINERS SUPPORTED WERE COMMUNIST FRONTS. THE LISTING OF SUCH ORGANIZATIONS ON GOVERNMENT ROSTERS OF SUBVERSIVE ORGANIZATIONS IS NO PROOF THAT THEY ACTUALLY ARE COMMUNIST-RUN, SMITH SAID.

THE JURORS DELIBERATED SEVEN HOURS BEFORE KNOCKING OFF FOR THE NIGHT. IN A NEARBY OFFICE ADLER PLAYED THE HARMONICA AND DRAPER DANCED FOR A GROUP OF FRIENDS WHILE THE DELIBERATIONS PROCEEDED. THE JURY RESUMED DELIBERATING AT 8:55 A.M. (EST).

AMONG THE MANY WITNESSES CALLED BY THE DEFENSE WAS LOUIS BUDENZ, FORMER COMMUNIST WHO HAS BEEN A KEY FIGURE IN THE AIRING OF COMMUNIST CHARGES BY SENATOR MC CARTHY (R-WIS) AGAINST OWEN J.LATTIMORE.

BUDENZ SAID ADLER AND DRAPER HAD THE REPUTATION OF SERVING COMMUNIST CAUSES.

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FIRST LEAD REMINGTON-LEE (LOYALTY ROUNDUP)

BY JOHN B.OWEN

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, MAY 27-(AP)-TWO COMMERCE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS WHOSE LOYALTY HAS BEEN QUESTIONED IN CONGRESS MUST QUIT OR FACE OUSTER ACTION, SECRETARY OF COMMERCE SAWYER DECREED TODAY.

BUT HE QUICKLY ADDED THE ACTION IS NO REFLECTION ON THEIR LOYALTY, NOTING THEIR CASES ARE PENDING BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT LOYALTY BOARD. HIS ANNOUNCED REASON: "IN THE INTEREST OF GOOD ADMINISTRATION."

THE TWO MEN ARE WILLIAM W.REMINGTON AND MICHAEL [redacted].LEE, BOTH $10,000 A YEAR MEN IN THE OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE.

THE SENATE COMMERCE COMMITTEE IS REPORTED TO HAVE PUT PRESSURE ON SAWYER TO FIRE LEE. SOME SENATORS HAVE SAID THE COMMITTEE WOULD LAUNCH AN INVESTIGATION OF THE DEPARTMENT IF SAWYER DID NOT ACT.

MEANTIME THE CONTROVERSY OVER SENATOR MCCARTHY'S CHARGES OF DISLOYALTY IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT BLAZED ANEW, WITH ATTORNEY GENERAL MCGRATH COMPARING MCCARTHY'S METHODS TO HITLER'S GESTAPO TECHNIQUE. MCCARTHY RETORTED THAT THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT SCREAMS "EACH TIME THE CONGRESS TRIES TO DIG OUT COMMUNISTS."

REMINGTON ANNOUNCED THAT HE WOULD NOT QUIT UNDER FIRE; THAT HE WOULD SEE THE FIGHT THROUGH. HE RECENTLY WAS QUESTIONED BY THE HOUSE UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE IN A RENEWAL OF CHARGES THAT HE ONCE WAS A COMMUNIST. HE FLATLY DENIED IT.

LEE, DENYING THAT HE HAS EVER BEEN A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY OR OF ANY FRONT ORGANIZATION, ALSO SAID HE WILL REFUSE TO RESIGN.

"IT WOULD BE COWARDLY FOR ME TO RESIGN UNDER FIRE," LEE SAID IN A STATEMENT. "I REFUSE TO SET A PRECEDENT THAT IN THE FUTURE NO GOVERNMENT EMPLOYE WILL BE SAFE FROM THIS KIND OF PERSECUTION."

LEE, CHIEF OF THE DEPARTMENT'S FAR EASTERN BRANCH, HAS BEEN UNDER ATTACK BY SENATOR MALONE (R-NEV) WHO CALLED FOR HIS REMOVAL AS A POOR SECURITY RISK. THE SENATOR CONTENDED THAT LEE IMPEDED THE FLOW OF AVIATION GASOLINE TO CHINESE NATIONALIST FORCES BEFORE THE REDS TOOK OVER CHINA. A DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL HAS DENIED IT.

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MCGRATH, IN A SPEECH AT OMAHA, NEB., WARNED AGAINST "WITCH HUNTS AND FRANTIC NAME CALLING." HE SAID:

"WE CANNOT SUBSTITUTE THE POLICE STATE METHOD FOR EXISTING LAWS AND PROCEDURES, AS DO SOME WHO HAVE CRITICIZED THE PRESENT LOYALTY INVESTIGATION PROGRAM AND GROSSLY MISREPRESENTED IT."

MCCARTHY, WHOSE NAME WAS NOT MENTIONED IN THE MCGRATH SPEECH, HAS ASSAILED THE LOYALTY PROGRAM SET UP BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN. HE HAS CALLED STATE DEPARTMENT LOYALTY INVESTIGATORS INCOMPETENT. MCGRATH SAID THE PROGRAM PROTECTS INDIVIDUAL RIGHTS.

THE WISCONSIN REPUBLICAN SENATOR SAID IN WASHINGTON THAT MCGRATH'S SPEECH SOUNDED LIKE ONE MADE BY TOM CLARK, THEN ATTORNEY GENERAL, IN 1948 WHEN THE HOUSE UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE WAS EXPOSING ALGER HISS. HE SAID THAT CLARK DAMNED AS UNAMERICAN "THE PRACTICE OF DIGGING OUT AND EXPOSING COMMUNISTS." MCCARTHY SAID IT LOOKED LIKE THE SAME MAN WROTE BOTH SPEECHES.

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MC CARTHY HAS ACCUSED THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF HARBORING COMMUNISTS AND FELLOW TRAVELERS. MCGRATH CONTENDS THERE ARE NO COMMUNISTS IN GOVERNMENT; THAT THE FBI HAS EVERY COMMUNIST IN THE COUNTRY TAGGED.

HE SAID AT OMAHA THAT THE LOYALTY PROGRAM HAD ATTESTED "TO THE HIGH CALIBER OF CHARACTER AMONG OUR FEDERAL EMPLOYES."

MC CARTHY, IN COMMENTING ON THE LEE OUSTER ACTION, SAID "IT IS EXTREMELY LATE BUT BETTER LATE THAN NEVER."

SECRETARY SAWYER'S ACTION AGAINST LEE AND REMINGTON WAS DISCLOSED IN A DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCEMENT WHICH SAID THAT HE HAD INSTRUCTED OFFICIALS ON THURSDAY TO REQUEST THEIR RESIGNATIONS. IT ADDED:

"SHOULD THE RESIGNATIONS NOT BE FORTHCOMING, ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDINGS WILL BE BEGUN LOOKING TOWARDS THEIR SEPARATION FROM THE DEPARTMENT'S SERVICE."

SENATOR MALONE TOLD A REPORTER THAT HE WILL PRESS FOR AN INVESTIGATION OF THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT DESPITE SAWYER'S ACTION. HIS RESOLUTION TO THIS EFFECT IS PENDING IN THE COMMITTEE.

MALONE SAID THERE ARE "THREE OR FOUR OTHERS" IN THE DEPARTMENT WHO ARE "IMPLICATED" IN THE LEE CASE.

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SENATOR EDWIN C.JOHNSON (D-COLO), CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMERCE COMMITTEE, SAID HIS GROUP WILL GIVE "CAREFUL CONSIDERATINN" TO MALONE'S REQUEST FOR THE INVESTIGATION.

JOHNSON PRAISED SAWYER'S "COOPERATION WITH CONGRESS" AND SAID THE SECRETARY "IS TO BE COMMENDED" FOR DEMANDING THE RESIGNATIONS OF LEE AND REMINGTON.

THE DEPARTMENT'S ANNOUNCEMENT SAID THAT SAWYER'S MOVE "IS IN NO WISE INTENDED TO REFLECT IN ANY WAY ON THE LOYALTY OF EITHER OF THESE TWO MEN. THEIR LOYALTY CASES ARE NOW PENDING BEFORE THE COMMERCE LOYALTY BOARD, AND NO DECISIONS HAVE YET BEEN REACHED."

THE STATEMENT ADDED THAT "THE ACTION WAS TAKEN IN THE INTEREST OF GOOD ADMINISTRATION IN THE DEPARTMENT."

REMINGTON'S CASE WAS REVIVED AFTER HE WAS CALLED BEFORE THE HOUSE UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE RECENTLY.

REMINGTON NOW IS LISTED AS AN INTERNATIONAL TRADE ECONOMIST IN THE OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE. THIS IS THE SAME DIVISION IN WHICH LEE IS AN OFFICIAL.

REMINGTON WAS GIVEN THIS POST AFTER HE WAS CLEARED BY THE GOVERNMENT'S TOP LOYALTY REVIEW BOARD OF CHARGES MADE AGAINST HIM BY ELIZABETH BENTLEY, ACKNOWLEDGED ONETIME COURIER FOR SOVIET SPIES.

MISS BENTLEY SAID REMINGTON WAS A COMMUNIST WHO SLIPPED HER SECRETS WHEN HE WAS EMPLOYED BY THE WAR PRODUCTION BOARD. REMINGTON SAID HE THOUGHT SHE WAS A NEWSPAPER REPORTER AND HE GAVE HER ONLY INFORMATION THAT THE WPB WANTED MADE PUBLIC.

SAWYER'S ACTION FOLLOWED A REPORTED DEMAND OF THE SENATE COMMERCE COMMITTEE THAT HE GET RID OF LEE. A COMMITTEE MEMBER SAID THURSDAY THE GROUP PROBABLY WOULD SET UP AN INVESTIGATION IF THE OFFICIAL REMAINED ON THE JOB.

LEE, WHO HAS BEEN CLEARED IN PREVIOUS DEPARTMENTAL INVESTIGATIONS, WAS MENTIONED IN A LENGTHY SECRET REPORT MADE PUBLIC MONDAY IN THE HOUSE. IT LINKED HIM WITH PHILIP JAFFE, WHO WAS FINE

WAS MENTIONED IN A LENGTHY SECRET REPORT MADE PUBLIC MONDAY IN THE HOUSE. IT LINKED HIM WITH PHILIP JAFFE, WHO WAS FINED IN THE CONTROVERSIAL AMERASIA MAGAZINE CASE. JAFFE, EDITOR OF THE NOW-DEFUNCT PUBLICATION, WAS ARRESTED WITH OTHERS ON CHARGES OF REMOVAL OF SECRET GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS.

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REMINGTON CAME BACK INTO THE INVESTIGATION SPOTLIGHT IN RECENT WEEKS WHEN THE HOUSE COMMITTEE CONFRONTED HIM WITH TESTIMONY OF TWO AVOWED FORMER COMMUNISTS WHO SAID THAT REMINGTON WAS A COMMUNIST WHEN HE WORKED FOR THE TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY WHEN HE WAS ABOUT 18. AGAIN REMINGTON FLATLY DENIED SUCH CONNECTIONS.

"CORNELIUS VANDERBILT WHITNEY, FORMER COMMERCE DEPARTMENT UNDERSECRETARY, SAID LAST NIGHT IN A BROADCAST THAT HE HAD NO KNOWLEDGE OF COMMUNISTS IN THE DEPARTMENT. HE ADDED, HOWEVER, THAT THERE ARE "SECURITY RISKS" AMONG ITS EMPLOYES.

HE MENTIONED LEE AS SUCH A RISK, AND SAID HE HAD RECOMMENDED THAT LEE BE FIRED, BUT THAT SAWYER KEPT HIM.

SENATOR MALONE ATTACKED LEE IN A SENATE SPEECH SEVERAL WEEKS AGO AS "THE MAN WHOM THE CHINESE BLAME MORE THAN ANY OTHER INDIVIDUAL FOR DELIBERATELY DELAYING VITAL SHIPMENTS OF AVIATION GASOLINE AND OTHER SUPPLIES TO NATIONALIST CHINA UNTIL THE RED HORDES TOOK OVER."

AT THAT TIME A DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL SAID THAT LEE "NEVER MADE ANY DECISIONS WITH REFERENCE TO SHIPMENTS" TO CHINA.

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MALONE INTRODUCED A RESOLUTION FOR INVESTIGATION OF LEE AND DECLARED HE "IS NOT A GOOD SECURITY RISK."

IN HIS SPEECH, MALONE CALLED LEE A MANCHURIAN BORN RUSSIAN WHO WAS DENIED CITIZENSHIP THREE TIMES BY THIS COUNTRY.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF COMMERCE THOMAS C. BLAISDELL JR., TOLD THE COMMERCE COMMITTEE THAT LEE WAS OF GREAT BENEFIT TO THE DEPARTMENT AND THAT A TRADE MISSION TO JAPAN WHICH LEE HEADED HAD DRAWN A WARM APPRECIATION FROM GENERAL MACARTHUR. HE SAID LEE'S SERVICES WITH THE MISSION WERE REQUESTED BY SECRETARY OF THE ARMY GRAY.

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MCGRZATH-DCOMMUNISTS

(WX)(ADVANCE) OMAHA,NEB.,MAY 27-(AP)-ATTORNEY GENERAL MC GRATH TONIGHT COMPARED THE COMMUNISTS-IN-GOVERNMENT CHARGES OF REPUBLICAN SENATOR MCCARTHY TO THE POLICE STATE TACTICS OF HITLER'S GESTAPO.

MCGRATH COUPLED A BROAD-SCALE ADMINISTRATION ATTACK ON MCCARTHY WITH A DEFENSE OF THE GOVERNMENT LOYALTY PROGRAM SET UP TO KEEP COMMUNISTS, FELLOW TRAVELERS AND OTHER SECURITY RISKS OUT OF FEDERAL JOBS.

"THIS PROGRAM," SAID MCGRATH, "HAS ESTABLISHED THAT ONLY IN A SMALL FRACTION OF CASES, LESS THAN ONE-TENTH OF ONE PER CENT OF THE PERSONS CHECKED, HAS THERE BEEN FOUND ANY REASONABLE GROUND FOR BELIEF THAT A GOVERNMENT EMPLOYE WAS DISLOYAL. THAT IS A WONDERFUL RECORD AND ATTESTS TO THE HIGH CALIBER OF CHARACTER AMONG OUR FEDERAL EMPLOYES. IT DEMONSTRATES TOO THAT YOUR GOVERNMENT HAS BEEN ALERT TO THE DANGER.

"FINAL CHECKS OF GOVERNMENTAL EMPLOYES NOW SHOW THAT NOT ONE SINGLE PERSON WHO HAS BEEN FINALLY ADJUDICATED AS DISLOYAL UNDER THE LOYALTY PROGRAM IS EMPLOYED BY THE GOVERNMENT AT THIS TIME."

MCCARTHY RETORTED IN WASHINGTON THAT THE ATTORNEY GENERAL SHOULD PROSECUTE CASES RATHER THAN GO AROUND MAKING SPEECHES "AGAINST THE EXPOSURE OF COMMUNISTS."

IN A STATEMENT, THE SENATOR SAID OF MCGRATH'S PREPARED SPEECH:

"IT SOUNDS LIKE THE SECOND HALF OF A DOUBLE FEATURE. ON SEPT. 19, 1948, AT THE TIME THE HOUSE COMMITTEE WAS EXPOSING ALGER HISS, THE THEN ATTORNEY GENERAL (SUPREME COURT JUSTICE TOM CLARK) MADE A SPEECH ALSO DAMNING AS UN-AMERICAN THE PRACTICE OF DIGGING OUT AND EXPOSING COMMUNISTS. EVEN THE ADJECTIVES USED IN THAT SPEECH WERE IDENTICAL TO THE ONES USED BY ATTORNEY GENERAL MCGRATH. APPARENTLY THE SAME ADMINISTRATION SPEECH WRITER WROTE BOTH.

"THE AMERICAN PEOPLE SHOULD BE DISTURBED BY THE FACT THAT EACH TIME THE CONGRESS TRIES TO DIG OUT COMMUNISTS, THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT SCREAMS LOUDLY.

"I WOULD SUGGEST THAT THE ATTORNEY GENERAL WOULD BE SERVING THE NATION BETTER IF, INSTEAD OF GOING OUT MAKING SPEECHES AGAINST THE EXPOSURE OF COMMUNISTS, HE WOULD COME BACK AND START IMMEDIATE PROSECUTION IN THE AMERASIA CASE."

THE AMERASIA MAGAZINE CASE OF 1945 INVOLVED THE ALLEGED ILLEGAL REMOVAL OF SECRET GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS. MC CARTHY HAS CONTENDED THERE WAS AN ADMINISTRATION "COVER UP" IN THAT CASE. A NEW INQUIRY IS BEING CONDUCTED BY A SENTE GROUP.

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MCGRATH DID NOT MENTION MCCARTHY BY NAME IN A SPEECH [redacted] AT A JEFFERSON-JACKSON DAY DINNER HERE. BUT IT WAS CLEAR THAT HE WAS TALKING ABOUT THE WISCONSIN SENATOR.

MCCARTHY HAS CHARGED THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT IS INFESTED WITH COMMUNISTS AND RED SYMPATHIZERS. THE DEPARTMENT HAS DENIED IT REPEATEDLY. A SENATE COMMITTEE IS INVESTIGATING THE ACCUSATIONS.

MCGRATH IN A SPEECH LAST WEDNESDAY NIGHT ASSERTED THAT THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT KNOWS OF EVERY COMMUNIST IN THE UNITED STATES, AND ADDED: "WE KNOW OF NONE IN THE GOVERNMENT TODAY."

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MCCARTHY CHARGED THEN THAT MCGRATH WAS PRE-JUDGING AT LEAST ONE PENDING CASE.

IN HIS ADDRESS TONIGHT, THE TEXT OF WHICH WAS DISTRIBUTED BY THE DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL COMMITTEE, MCGRATH HARKED BACK TO THE DAYS OF HEINRICH HIMMLER, HEAD OF THE NAZI GESTAPO.

MCGRATH SAID THAT UNDER THE POLICE STATE PHILOSOPHY OF HITLER AND HIMMLER:

"THERE WAS NO RECOURSE TO LAW. THERE WAS NO NEED TO PROVE ANYTHING. THERE WAS NOTHING EXCEPT THE TRUMPED UP CHARGE,THE MOCKERY OF A TRIAL AND THE SCAFFOLD, THE FIRING SQUAD OR THE AXE."

THEN THE ATTORNEY GENERAL DECLARED:

"THERE ARE THOSE (IN THIS COUNTRY) WHO ARE BEING GOADED BY AN HYSTERICAL FEAR OF WAR, WHO ARE BEING FRIGHTENED BY THE IMPLICATIONS OF THE POSSESSION OF AN ATOMIC WEAPON BY OUR ENEMIES, PEOPLE WHO ARE WILLING TO ALLOW WITCH-HUNTS AND FRANTIC NAME-CALLING TO ENDANGER OUR NATIONAL LIBERTIES.

"I SAY THAT THIS DOES VIOLENCE TO THE PRINCIPLES FOR WHICH OUR COUNTRY STANDS. IT DOES VIOLENCE TO THE BILL OF RIGHTS, WHICH IS THE VERY FOUNDATION STONE OF OUR HUMAN LIBERTIES UNDER THE CONSTITUTION.

"WE CANNOT SUBSTITUTE THE POLICE STATE METHOD FOR EXISTING LAWS AND PROCEDURES, AS DO SOME WHO HAVE CRITICIZED THE PRESENT LOYALTY INVESTIGATION PROGRAM AND GROSSLY MISREPRESENTED IT.

MCCARTHY HAS BLASTED THE LOYALTY PROGRAM TIME AND AGAIN. AND HE HAS CHARGED THAT MEMBERS OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S LOYALTY BOARD ARE INCOMPETENT.

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"WE ARE AGGRESSIVELY WORKING TO PREVENT DISLOYAL PERSONS FROM INFILTRATING OUR GOVERNMENT," MCGRATH DECLARED.

HE ADDED THAT PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND THE LEADERS OF HIS ADMINISTRATION ARE "UNALTERABLY OPPOSED TO THE GODLESS, SLAVE PHILOSOPHY OF COMMUNISM" AND ARE FIGHTING IT AT HOME AND ABROAD.

"BUT AT THE SAME TIME," MCGRATH SAID, "WE ARE TRYING TO PROTECT THE RIGHTS OF INDIVIDUALS IN THIS LOYALTY CHECK PROGRAM.

"THE PRESIDENT DOES NOT WANT A GESTAPO IN THE UNITED STATES, NOR YOU AND I. AND I CAN ASSURE YOU THAT J.EDGAR HOOVER HAS NO DESIRE TO HAVE ANY POLICE STATE SECRET POLICE DUTIES IMPOSED UPON THE FBI, AND SUCH DUTIES WILL NOT BE IMPOSED ON THAT ORGANIZATION AT THE DIRECTION OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN OR AT MY DIRECTION."

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(ADVANCE) (WX) OMAHA, NEB., MAY 27-(AP)-ATTORNEY GENERAL MC GRATH SAID TONIGHT THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT IS INVESTIGATING 700 PERSONS TO DETERMINE WHETHER THEIR CITIZENSHIP SHOULD BE REVOKED ON "GROUNDS INVOLVING SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES."

MC GRATH MADE THE STATEMENT IN A SPEECH PREPARED FOR DELIVERY AT A JEFFERSON-JACKSON DAY DINNER HERE. HE SAID THERE ARE AT THIS TIME "2,000 OR MORE" DEPORTATION ORDERS TO COUNTRIES BEYOND THE IRON CURTAIN.

"EIGHTY-EIGHT WERE ISSUED ON GROUNDS INVOLVING COMMUNISM," MC GRATH DECLARED. "APPARENTLY NO ONE HAS MUCH USE FOR A CAUGHT COMMUNIST BECAUSE THEIR COUNTRIES ARE GENERALLY REFUSING TO ISSUE PASSPORTS TO THEM."

THE ATTORNEY GENERAL INDIRECTLY GAVE THE DEMOCRATIC ADMINISTRATION CREDIT FOR BEING ON THE ALERT AGAINST COMMUNIST IMMIGRANTS, SAYING THAT "ONLY TWO OF THESE 88 PERSONS ENTERED THE COUNTRY SINCE 1932."

MCGRATH'S REFERENCE TO THE INVESTIGATION OF 700 PERSONS FOR SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES WAS BASED ON A NATIONWIDE SCALE AND WAS NOT RELATED TO THE NUMBER OF COMMUNISTS SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) SAYS ARE IN GOVERNMENT EMPLOY.

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NIGHT LEAD GOLD (250)

PHILADELPHIA,MAY 27-(AP)-HARRY GOLD, 39-YEAR OLD CHEMIST HELD ON A CHARGE OF WARTIME ESPIONAGE, NOW SAYS HE MUST HAVE BEEN INSANE TO HELP BETRAY HIS COUNTRY'S ATOMIC BOMB SECRETS TO RUSSIA, THE SUNDAY BULLETIN STATED TONIGHT.

THE BULLETIN SAID GOLD, HELD UNDER $100,000 BAIL IN HOLMESBURG COUNTY PRISON, REPRESENTS HIMSELF AS FULLY PENITENT.

ACCUSED OF BEING THE "CONTACT MAN" FOR CONVICTED BRITISH SCIENTIST-SPY DR.KLAUS FUCHS, GOLD SAYS, ACCORDING TO THE BULLETIN, THAT THE FBI AGENTS QUESTIONING HIM DAILY IN HIS CELL ARE GETTING ALL THE HELP HE CAN GIVE IN THEIR EFFORTS TO TRACK DOWN OTHERS OF THE SOVIET ATOMIC SPY RING.

THE NEWSPAPER QUOTES GOLD AS SAYING:

"NOW I WANT TO HELP MY COUNTRY ALL I CAN. I WILL DO EVERYTHING POSSIBLE, TELL EVERYTHING I KNOW."

THE PAPER ADDED:

"GOLD IS UNABLE TO GIVE THE NAMES OF ANY AGENTS WITH WHOM HE DEALT. HE KNEW THEM ONLY BY CODE NUMBER OR CODE NAME. THIS, INVESTIGATORS SAY, IS RECOGNIZED AS PART OF THE MECHANICS OF ESPIONAGE OPERATION.

"THE INVESTIGATORS ARE SATISFIED GOLD IS GIVING THEM TRUTHFUL DESCRIPTIONS OF THE PHYSICAL APPEARANCES OF THE AGENTS HE MET IN THE ESPIONAGE UNDERGROUND, AND WHATEVER OTHER CLUES HE MIGHT HAVE PICKED UP.

"GOLD HAS DISPLAYED A REACTION TO HIS CAPTURE STARTLINGLY SIMILAR TO THAT OF DR.KLAUS FUCHS, THE CONVICTED BRITISH TRAITOR, WITH WHOM THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT CHARGES HE COLLABORATED IN THE SERVICE OF THE SOVIET.

"FUCHS, HEAD OF BRITAIN'S ATOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM WHEN HE WAS CAUGHT LAST FEBRUARY, ALSO PLEADED MENTAL CONFUSION. X X X AND IN HIS CONFESSION, FUCHS ALSO SAID THAT ALL THAT WAS LEFT FOR HIM WAS TO TRY TO REPAIR THE DAMAGE HE HAD DONE."

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NIGHT LEAD ACHESON (630)

BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON, MAY 27-(AP)-SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON RETURNED TODAY FROM COLD WAR STRATEGY TALKS IN LONDON TO RECEIVE PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S CONGRATULATIONS ON "A WONDERFUL JOB" IN PROMOTING GREATER COOPERATION AMONG THE WESTERN POWERS.

ACHESON HIMSELF SAID HE WAS "ENCOURAGED BY THE PROGRESS MADE IN THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ORGANIZATION AND BY THE TALKS I HAVE HAD WITH THE FOREIGN MINISTERS IN LONDON."

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HE WILL REPORT FULLY ON HIS MISSION TO THE PRESIDENT AND TO CONGRESS NEXT WEEK.

MEANWHILE, ACHESON FACES A HEAVY ARRAY OF PROBLEMS AS REFLECTED IN THE DAY'S OTHER DIPLOMATIC DEVELOPMENTS.

SHORTLY BEFORE HE ARRIVED HERE, THE UNITED STATES DEALT--AND RECEIVED--ANOTHER BLOW IN ITS CONTINUING BATTLE WITH THE SOVIET SATELLITE STATES OVER DIPLOMATIC REPRESENTATION.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT DISCLOSED THAT THE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA HAD BEEN TOLD TO CLOSE ITS CONSULATE IN NEW YORK WITHIN TWO WEEKS. AT THE SAME TIME IT SAID THE UNITED STATES IS CLOSING ITS CONSULATE IN BRATISLAVA AND YIELDING TO A CZECH ORDER TO CUT THE AMERICAN DIPLOMATIC STAFF IN THAT COUNTRY FROM 26 TO 12 PERSONS.

THE BERLIN SITUATION CENTERING AROUND WHITSUNTIDE COMMUNIST YOUTH RALLY WAS GETTING CLOSE ATTENTION HERE IN OFFICIAL QUARTERS ALTHOUGH THE STATE DEPARTMENT EXPECTED THAT IT PROBABLY WOULD NOT RESULT IN ANY HIGHLY DANGEROUS CLASHES ON THE EAST-WEST DIVISION LINE IN THE CITY.

ON THE FAR EASTERN FRONT, THE FIRST WASHINGTON REACTION WAS ONE OF PUZZLEMENT AT NEWS THAT THE PRINCIPLE OFFICERS OF THE SOVIET DELEGATION TO THE SUPREME OCCUPATION HEADQUARTERS IN TOKYO HAD SUDDENLY BEEN WITHDRAWN AND REPLACED BY A GROUP OF MEN DESCRIBED IN NEWS DISPATCHES AS JUNIOR OFFICERS. SO FAR AS

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WITHDRAWN AND REPLACED BY A GROUP OF MEN DESCRIBED IN NEWS DISPATCHES AS JUNIOR OFFICERS. SO FAR AS COULD BE LEARNED HERE THE RUSSIANS HAD GIVEN NO INTIMATION BEFOREHAND OF THEIR INTENTION.

ACHESON MADE A LEISURELY RETURN TO THIS COUNTRY BY SHIP FROM THE LONDON SESSIONS WHICH WOUND UP TEN DAYS AGO. BUT ON HIS ARRIVAL IN NEW YORK HE WAS SPEEDED HERE ABOARD THE PRESIDENTIAL PLANE, THE INDEPENDENCE.

GREETING ACHESON AT THE AIRPORT, MR. TRUMAN SAID:

"CONGRATULATIONS TO YOU, MR. SECRETARY, ON WHAT I THINK IS THE MOST SUCCESSFUL MEETING SINCE POTSDAM. YOU DID A WONDERFUL JOB."

"THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT," ACHESON REPLIED, "I AM VERY TOUCHED THAT YOU CAME OUT HERE TO MEET ME. WE DID OUR BEST TO CARRY OUT YOUR INSTRUCTIONS."

FROM THE AIR PORT ACHESON ACCOMPANIED MR. TRUMAN ABOARD HIS YACHT FOR A BRIEF TALK, THEN WENT TO HIS HOME TO REST OVER SUNDAY. MONDAY NOON HE WILL MAKE A DETAILED ACCOUNTING TO MR. TRUMAN AT THE WHITE HOUSE AND ON WEDNESDAY HE WILL REPORT TO CONGRESS AND THE NATION.

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WASHINGTON OFFICIALS SAID THE OVERALL RESULT OF THE LONDON SESSIONS IS TO PRESENT TO THE RUSSIANS A MORE SOLID FRONT THAN THE WEST HAS EVER BEFORE BEEN ABLE TO ORGANIZE.

PERHAPS THE MOST OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT OF THE FOREIGN MINISTERS MEETING WAS THE CREATION OF PERMANENT MACHINERY TO COORDINATE THE POLITICAL, MILITARY AND ECONOMIC STRATEGY OF THE 12 NORTH ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS.

ACHESON TOLD NEWSMEN IN NEW YORK, HOWEVER, THAT HE DOES NOT PLAN TO ASK CONGRESS IMMEDIATELY FOR NEW LEGISLATION TO CARRY OUT AMERICAN CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE EXPANDED ATLANTIC PACT DEFENSE PROGRAM.

CONGRESS AUTHORIZED A $1,000,000,000 ARMS AID PROGRAM LAST YEAR BUT THE MILITARY SHIPMENTS DID NOT GET INTO FULL SWING UNTIL A FEW MONTHS AGO. HOWEVER, A NEW MONEY REQUEST IS EXPECTED SHORTLY.

THE SECRETARY DID NOT AMPLIFY HIS REMARK ABOUT THE "PROGRESS" MADE IN UNIFYING THE WESTERN POWERS, BUT HE DID SAY THAT THE PUBLIC REPORTS ON HIS TALKS WITH THE BRITISH AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTERS DID NOT COVER ALL THE TOPICS THEY HAD DISCUSSED.

PRESUMABLY ACHESON WILL PROVIDE FURTHER DETAILS ON THOSE MATTERS WHEN HE MEETS WITH SENATE AND HOUSE MEMBERS IN A SPECIAL SESSION WEDNESDAY.

LATER NEXT MONTH ACHESON WILL TAKE TO THE STUMP FOR A SERIES OF PUBLIC ADDRESSES WHICH, IT IS UNDERSTOOD, WILL BE AIMED AT EXPLAINING AND SEEKING MAXIMUM PUBLIC SUPPORT FOR PRESENT AMERICAN FOREIGN POLICIES.

HIS MAIN CONCERN PRESUMABLY WILL BE TO SELL THE NATION ON WHAT HE CALLS "TOTAL DIPLOMACY"--THAT IS, A LONG TERM, ALL OUT EFFORT TO WIN THE COLD WAR.

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BY A. I. GOLDBERG

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NEW YORK, MAY 27-(AP)-SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON RETURNED TODAY FROM BIG THREE AND ATLANTIC POWER MEETINGS IN EUROPE TO REPORT TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND CONGRESS.

HE WAS HURRIED FROM THE PIER BY NEW YORK POLICE ESCORT TO LA GUARDIA FIELD TO FLY TO WASHINGTON TO CONFER WITH STATE DEPARTMENT AIDES THIS AFTERNOON.

THE SECRETARY WILL SEE MR. TRUMAN MONDAY MORNING AND ADDRESS A JOINT SESSION OF CONGRESS ON HIS EUROPEAN TALKS WEDNESDAY.

HIS REPORT TO CONGRESS WILL BE BROADCAST NATIONALLY.

AT A NEWS CONFERENCE ABOARD THE CUNARD LINER BRITANNIC, ACHESON SAID HE WAS "ENCOURAGED BY THE PROGRESS MADE IN THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ORGANIZATION AND BY THE TALKS I HAVE HAD WITH THE FOREIGN MINISTERS IN ONDON."

HE DECLINED, HOWEVER, TO GO BEYOND ANNOUNCEMENTS MADE IN COMMUNIQUES ISSUED IN LONDON UNTIL HE TALKED WITH THE PRESIDENT.

ACHESON SAID HE DOES NOT PLAN TO ASK CONGRESS IMMEDIATELY FOR LEGISLATION TO CARRY OUT U.S. CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE EXPANDED NORTH ATLANTIC PACT PROGRAM.

HE ADMITTED THAT THE COMMUNIQUES ON THE BIG THREE MEETINGS DID NOT COVER EVERYTHING THE FOREIGN MINISTERS DISCUSSED. HE DID SAY THAT NEITHER ATOMIC ENERGY CONTROL NOR THE JERUSALEM DISPUTE WERE TOUCHED ON.

ACHESON SAID THERE HAS BEEN NO CHANGE IN THE U.S. ATTITUDE ON ADMISSION OF THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS TO THE UNITED NATIONS. HE ALSO SAID HE DOESN'T KNOW WHETHER THE RUSSIANS HAVE MADE ANY NEW PROPOSALS ABOUT THE U.N.

THE SECRETARY SAID HE WILL BE "VERY GLAD" TO CONFER AS SOON AS POSSIBLE WITH U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE ABOUT LIE'S SAVE-THE-U.N. TRIP WHICH TOOK HIM RECENTLY TO MOSCOW.

ACHESON AND PHILIP JESSUP, HIS AMBASSADOR AT LARGE, STRESSED THAT ALL THE ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE FOREIGN MINISTERS IN LONDON WERE AIMED AT STRENGTHENING THE U.N. WITHIN THE PROVISIONS OF ITS CHARTER.

OTHER ACHESON OBSERVATIONS:

HE DOES NOT EXPECT A DIPLOMATIC BREAK WITH CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND ROMANIA.

EVERYBODY IN HIS PARTY IS IMPRESSED BY RECOVERY VITALITY IN EUROPE.

HE DECLINED TO COMMENT ON SENATOR MCCARTHY'S CHARGES OF COMMUNISM IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND WHAT EFFECT THEY MAY HAVE HAD ON EUROPEANS. ACHESON FLEW TO FRANCE MAY 6.

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(450) AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD CZECH

WASHINGTON,MAY 27-AP)-THE UNITED STATES TODAY GAVE COMMUNIST CZECHOSLOVAKIA TWO WEEKS TO CLOSE DOWN ITS NEW YORK CONSULATE, IN THE LATEST OF A SERIES OF TIT-FOR-TAT CRACKDOWNS ON RUSSIAN SATELLITE COUNTRIES.

IT WAS THE THIRD TIME IN RECENT WEEKS THAT A CZECH CONSULATE IN THIS COUNTRY HAS BEEN ORDERED CLOSED.

AT THE SAME TIME THE STATE DEPARTMENT MADE PUBLIC A NOTE WHICH AMBASSADOR ELLIS BRIGGS DELIVERED IN PRAGUE TODAY TO CZECH FOREIGN MINISTER VILIAM SIROKY. IN THIS NOTE, THE UNITED STATES--

1. REJECTED CZECH CHARGES THAT AMERICAN DIPLOMATS HAVE ENGAGED IN SPYING, BUT YIELDED TO A PRAGUE ORDER TO SLASH THE OFFICIAL U.S.EMBASSY STAFF TO 12 AMERICANS BY JUNE 6. THIS MEANS WITHDRAWAL OF 14 EMPLOYES.

2. DECLARED ITS INTENTION OF CLOSING THE AMERICAN CONSULATE IN BRATISLAVA WITHIN TWO WEEKS--IN A MOVE TO FORESTALL THE OBVIOUS CZECH REACTION TO THE CLOSING OF THEIR CONSULATE IN NEW YORK.

THE EFFECT OF ALL THESE ACTIONS IS THAT THE UNITED STATES AND CZECHOSLOVAKIA WILL HAVE 12-MAN DIPLOMATIC STAFFS IN EACH OTHER'S CAPITALS. THE CZECHS HAD ALREADY CUT TO 12 IN RESPONSE TO AN AMERICAN ORDER SEVERAL WEEKS AGO FOR A TWO-THIRDS SLASH IN THEIR OFFICIAL STAFF OF 33. CZECHOSLOVAKIA EARLIER HAD COMPELLED A REDUCTION OF THE AMERICANS IN PRAGUE FROM 76 TO 26.

SOME WASHINGTON OFFICIALS ARE HOPEFUL THAT THIS LEVELING OFF MAY END THE EYE-FOR-EYE STAGE OF U.S.-CZECH RELATIONS.

THE WINNER AT THIS POINT IS ANYBODY'S GUESS. OBVIOUSLY THE UNITED STATES HAS LOST MANY CONTACTS WITH THE CZECH PEOPLE, AS WELL AS MANY NORMAL DIPLOMATIC WAYS OF FINDING OUT WHAT IS GOING ON IN THE COUNTRY. ON THE OTHER HAND, THE LOSS OF THEIR CONSULATES IN NEW YORK PITTSBURGH,CLEVELAND AND CHICAGO MEANS A BLOW TO THE CZECHS' TRADE WITH THE UNITED STATES--TRADE WHICH IS UNDOUBTEDLY MORE IMPORTANT TO THEM THAN TO THIS COUNTRY.

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THE LATEST CRACKDOWN ON THE CZECHS CAME WITHIN 24 HOURS OF A STATE DEPARTMENT ORDER LIMITING THE ROMANIAN MINISTER AND HIS STAFF TO A RADIUS OF 35 MILES FROM THE CITY OF WASHINGTON. THIS EXTRAORDINARY RESTRICTION WAS IMPOSED AS AN EXPRESSION OF AMERICAN OFFICIAL ANGER AT LIMITATIONS PLACED ON THE FREEDOM OF U.S.DIPLOMATS IN ROMANIA.

THROUGHOUT EASTERN EUROPE FOR MANY MONTHS THE PATTERN OF TENSE U.S. SOVIET BLOC RELATIONS HAS BEEN LARGELY UNIFORM. THE MAIN EXCEPTION HAS BEEN POLAND WHERE U.S.EMISSARIES HAVE ON THE WHOLE FARED VERY WELL. IN THE OTHER COUNTRIES AMERICANS HAVE BEEN ORDERED OUT AFTER BEING ACCUSED OF SPYING, ATTEMPTING TO OVERTHROW THE GOVERNMENT OR OF OTHER ILLEGAL ACTIVITIES.

THE SITUATION REACHED ITS MOST EXTREME POINT EARLY THIS YEAR WHEN THE UNITED STATES BROKE DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH BULGARIA.

UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE JAMES WEBB HINTED YESTERDAY THAT IF THINGS GET MUCH WORSE IN RELATIONS WITH ROMANIA AND CZECHOSLOVAKIA THE UNITED STATES MIGHT HAVE TO BREAK WITH THEM TOO.

THE NOTE WHICH AMBASSADOR BRIGGS GAVE THE CZECH FOREIGN MINISTER INTIMATED SOME SUCH POSSIBILITY. IT SAID THE CZECH GOVERNMENT "HAS MADE CLEAR THAT IT IS NO LONGER INTERESTED IN MAINTAINING NORMAL DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH THE UNITED STATES," ADDING:

"THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT, THEREFORE, WHILE RESERVING ITS RIGHTS AND CUSTOMARY PRIVILEGES, INTENDS TO REDUCE ITS OFFICIAL REPRESENTATION TO CONFORM WITH CONDITIONS ARBITRARILY IMPOSED."

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CZECHOSLOVAKIA

WASHINGTON,MAY 27-(AP)-HERE IS THE TEXT OF A NOTE THE STATE DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCED WAS DELIVERED IN PRAGUE BY AMERICAN AMBASSADOR BRIGGS TODAY CALLING ON THE COMMUNIST CZECHOSLOVAKIAN GOVERNMENT TO CLOSE ITS NEW YORK CONSULATE:(ABOUT 300)

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I AM DIRECTED BY MY GOVERNMENT TO STATE THAT IT CAN NOT ADMIT AS CONFORMING TO THE GENERALLY-ACCEPTED PRINCIPLES AND PRACTICES OF INTERNATIONAL COMITY THAT A RECEIVING STATE SHALL ATTEMPT ARBITRARILY AND UNILATERALLY TO DETERMINE THE COMPOSITION OF THE DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS OF A STATE WITH WHICH IT MAINTAINS RELATIONS. MOREOVER, MY GOVERNMENT HAS PREVIOUSLY REJECTED, AND REJECTS ONCE MORE, THE ALLEGATIONS (OF ESPIONAGE) THE CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT HAS PUT FORWARD AS A PRETEXT FOR THE REDUCTION OF UNITED STATES REPRESENTATION IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA. THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT, FURTHERMORE, HAS CONTINUING CONFIDENCE IN THE GOOD WILL AND TRADITIONAL FEELING OF FRIENDSHIP OF THE PEOPLE OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA TOWARD THE UNITED STATES DESPITE THE EFFORTS OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT TO SEVER FRIENDLY CONTACTS BETWEEN THE AMERICAN AND CZECHOSLOVAK PEOPLE.

IN VIEW, HOWEVER, OF THE REPEATED PROVOCATIONS AND GROUNDLESS ATTACKS AGAINST THE UNITED STATES AND UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVES IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA DURING THE PAST FEW WEEKS, IT IS CLEAR THAT THE CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT HAS BELIED ITS STATED INTENTION OF PROMOTING PEACEFUL RELATIONS AMONG NATIONS AND HAS MADE CLEAR THAT IT IS NO LONGER INTERESTED IN MAINTAINING NORMAL DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH THE UNITED STATES. THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT, THEREFORE, WHILE RESERVING ITS RIGHTS AND CUSTOMARY PRIVILEGES, INTENDS TO REDUCE ITS OFFICIAL REPRESENTATION TO CONFORM WITH CONDITIONS ARBITRARILY IMPOSED BY THE MINISTRY'S NOTE UNDER REFERENCE.

IN VIEW OF THE FORCED REDUCTION OF ITS PERSONNEL IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND IN RECOGNITION OF THE CURTAILED RELATIONS BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES IMPOSED BY THE CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT, THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT HEREBY ANNOUNCES ITS INTENTION TO CLOSE ITS CONSULATE GENERAL IN BRATISLAVA AND REQUESTS THE CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT TO CLOSE WITHIN TWO WEEKS ITS CONSULATE GENERAL, INCLUDING THE OFFICE OF THE COMMERCIAL COUNSELOR, IN NEW YORK.

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CLEVELAND, MAY 27-(AP)-STANISLAS DVORAK, WHOSE CZECHOSLOVAKIAN CONSULATE HERE HAS BEEN ORDERED CLOSED BY THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT, ANNOUNCED TODAY HE WOULD JOIN THE CZECH DELEGATION TO THE UNITED NATIONS. THE CONSULATE HAS BEEN ORDERED CLOSED MONDAY IN RETALIATION FOR THE CLOSING OF AMERICAN CONSULATES IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

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(370) INDOCHINA

WASHINGTON, MAY 27-(AP)-THE FIRST AMERICAN ARMS FOR COMMUNIST-THREATENED INDOCHINA WERE REPORTED BEING MADE READY TODAY ON A HIGH-PRIORITY BASIS.

OFFICIALS FAMILIAR WITH U.S. PLANS TO REINFORCE THE FRENCH AND THE THREE INDOCHINESE GOVERNMENTS SAID FIRST SHIPMENTS WILL START "IN THE NEAR FUTURE."

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PAID FOR OUT OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S SPECIAL $75,000,000 FUND FOR USE IN THE GENERAL AREA OF CHINA, INITIAL SHIPMENTS ARE EXPECTED TO INCLUDE ARMS SOUGHT URGENTLY BY FRANCE FOR USE IN FIGHTING MOSCOW-TRAINED HO CHI MINH'S GUERRILLAS.

BULK OF THE MILITARY AID FOR THE 150,000 ODD FRENCH TROOPS AND THE SMALLER VIETNAM FORCES WILL BE IN THE NATURE OF GENERAL TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT. DETAILS ARE CLASSED AS A MILITARY SECRET.

THE ARMS AID WILL SUPPLEMENT ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE FOR INDOCHINA AND NEIGHBOR STATES OF SOUTHEAST ASIA WHICH CONGRESS APPROVED THURSDAY IN A BIG FOREIGN AID BILL.

ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATOR PAUL G.HOFFMAN OUTLINED YESTERDAY NEW PLANS FOR SOUTHEAST ASIA WHICH HE TERMED "ONE OF THE DANGER SPOTS IN THE WORLD, WHERE WE HAVEN'T ANY TIME TO LOSE."

IN ADDITION TO A NEW MIXXION TO INDOCHINA,

IN ADDITION TO A NEW MISSION TO INDOCHINA, HOFFMAN SAID IN A STATEMENT THERE WILL BE ECA MISSIONS TO NEARBY COUNTRIES. AN ECA FAR EAST PROGRAM DIVISION HAS BEEN SET UP UNDER HARLAND CLEVELAND, NOW A DEPUTY TO THE AGENCY'S ASSISTANT PROGRAM ADMINISTRATOR.

"WHAT IT WILL COST TO CARRY ON OUR WORK IN SOUTHEAST ASIA, I DO NOT KNOW," HOFFMAN SAID. "I DO KNOW, HOWEVER, THAT IT WILL BE A COMPARATIVELY MODEST FIGURE AND I DO KNOW THAT WE CANNOT AFFORD NOT TO SPEND IT."

THE ECA IS CONSULTING WITH THE STATE DEPARTMENT ON FORMATION OF A STAFF OF EXPERTS TO SEND TO THE ASSOCIATED STATES OF INDOCHINA--LAOS, CAMBODIA AND VIETNAM.

HEADED BY ROBERT BLUM, THIS STAFF WILL BLUEPRINT PROJECTS RECOMMENDED BY THE SPECIAL MISSION HEADED BY ALLEN GRIFFIN, CALIFORNIA PUBLISHER. THIS RECOMMENDED A $64,000,000 OUTLAY OVER THE NEXT 15 MONTHS IN SOUTHEAST ASIA, INCLUDING ABOUT $23,000,000 IN INDOCHINA.

THE FOREIGN AID BILL NOW AWAITING PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S APPROVAL EARMARKS $40,000,000 IN LEFTOVER CHINA-AID FUNDS SPECIFICALLY FOR USE IN SOUTHEAST ASIA. IT ALSO LAUNCHES THE POINT FOUR ENTERPRISE FOR HELPING DEVELOP BACKWARD AREAS--A PROGRAM IN WHICH SOUTHEAST ASIA WILL SHARE.

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BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON, MAY 27-(AP)-AMERICAN MILITARY INTERESTS WILL PLAY A VITAL PART IN WHITE HOUSE DEVELOPMENT OF A NEW GLOBAL ECONOMIC PROGRAM TO SUCCEED THE MARSHALL PLAN.

OFFICIALS SAID TODAY THIS FACT IS REFLECTED IN THE APPOINTMENT OF TRACY VOORHEES, FORMER UNDERSECRETARY OF THE ARMY AND NOW A CONSULTANT TO ARMY SECRETARY FRANK PACE, AS A MEMBER OF THE STAFF OF PRESIDENTIAL ASSISTANT GORDON GRAY.

GRAY, HIMSELF A FORMER ARMY SECRETARY, WAS NAMED BY THE PRESIDENT EARLIER THIS YEAR TO DIRECT A GOVERNMENT-WIDE STUDY OF WHAT THE UNITED STATES SHOULD DO TO KEEP AN ADEQUATE SUPPLY OF DOLLARS IN THE HANDS OF FRIENDLY NATIONS WHEN THE MULTI-BILLION-DOLLAR EUROPEAN RECOVERY PROGRAM ENDS IN 1952.

INVOLVED IN THIS PROJECT ARE THREE MATTERS HAVING AN IMPORTANT BEARING ON NATIONAL DEFENSE:

(A) THE NECESSITY OF INSURING IMPORTS FOR THE NATION'S STOCKPILE OF STRATEGIC MATERIALS; (B) THE EFFECT OF U.S. ECONOMIC PLANNING ON THE OCCUPATION OF GERMANY AND JAPAN; AND (C) THE NEED TO PROTECT VITAL AMERICAN DEFENSE INDUSTRIES FROM THE POSSIBLY HARMFUL EFFECTS OF EUROPEAN COMPETITION.

GRAY HAS NOW SUBSTANTIALLY COMPLETED THE ORGANIZATION OF A STAFF WHOSE PRINCIPAL MEMBERS INCLUDE TOP-FLIGHT EXPERTS ON THIS COUNTRY'S DEFENSE NEEDS, AS WELL AS SOME OF THE NATION'S LEADING ECONOMIC AUTHORITIES.

THIS GROUP HOPES TO COMPLETE A REPORT TO THE PRESIDENT SOMETIME IN AUGUST. IT IS EXPECTED THAT RECOMMENDATIONS AND A GENERAL NON-PARTISAN PROGRAM OF ACTION WILL BE READY IN TIME FOR MR.TRUMAN TO PRESENT THE MATTER TO CONGRESS IN HIS STATE OF THE UNION MESSAGE NEXT JANUARY.

THE PRESENT SPECULATION, BASED ON INFORMATION ALREADY IN THE HANDS OF THE GOVERNMENT, IS THAT GRAY WILL FIND TWO MAIN LINES OF AMERICAN ACTION DESIRABLE WHEN THE MARSHALL PLAN ENDS.

THE FIRST IS AN INCREASE IN IMPORTS, PARTICULARLY FROM THE MARSHALL PLAN COUNTRIES, IN ORDER TO GIVE THEM MORE OF THE DOLLARS THEY NEED TO BUY THE PRODUCTS WHICH THIS COUNTRY CAN SUPPLY.

THE SECOND SPECULATIVE LINE OF ACTION IS THAT SOME NEW AMERICAN GOVERNMENT LOANS OR GRANTS WILL BE REQUIRED TO FURTHER BUILD UP DOLLAR SUPPLIES ABROAD.

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IN THE MATTER OF STOCKPILING STRATEGIC MATERIAL, GRAY--ACTONG ON INFORMATION RECEIVED BY VOORHEES FROM MILITARY SOURCES--PRESUMABLY WILL TRY TO SEE THAT THE UNITED STATES IS ASSURED IN FUTURE PROGRAMS AS IT HAS BEEN IN THE MARSHALL PLAN AGREEMENTS. OF ACCESS TO NECESSARY STRATEGIC MATERIALS OBTAINABLE ONLY OVERSEAS.

AS FOR THE EFFECT OF THE PROJECT ON OCCUPATION POLICIES, VOORHEES IS KNOWN TO FAVOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF MARKETS FOR JAPANESE GOODS IN SOUTHEAST ASIA AS A MEANS OF CUTTING THE COST OF AMERICAN SUPPORT FOR THE JAPANESE ECONOMY.

THE THIRD FACTOR OF MILITARY IMPORTANCE CONCERNS INCREASED IN AMERICAN IMPORTS FROM WESTERN EUROPE. SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON HAS SAID THAT THIS WILL INEVITABLY DISRUPT SOME AMERICAN BUSINESSES. MILITARY LEADERS WANT TO BE SURE THAT NO U.S. INDUSTRIES ARE AFFECTED WHICH MIGHT BE ESSENTIAL IN ANY FUTURE WAR.

THE STAFF GRAY HAS GATHERED AROUND HIM INCLUDES THESE MEN:

EDWARD S.MASON, GRAY'S DEPUTY, DEAN OF THE GRADUATE SCHOOL OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION AT HARVARD UNIVERSITY.

CALVIN B.HOOVER, CHAIRMAN OF THE ECONOMIC DEPARTMENT AT DUKE UNIVERSITY, WHO IS ALREADY DIRECTING A STUDY ON THE SO-CALLED DOLLAR GAP PROBLEM FOR THE NATIONAL PLANNING ASSOCIATION AND THE 20TH CENTURY FUND.

RAYMOND MIKESELL OF THE UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA, A STATE DEPARTMENT CONSULTANT AND EXPERT ON BRITISH ECONOMIC PROBLEMS.

KERMIT GORDON, ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF ECONOMICS AT WILLIAMS COLLEGE.

PHILIP TESISE, A STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICER AND EXPERT ON THE FAR EAST WHO IS PRESENTLY COMPLETING WORK AT THE NATIONAL WAR COLLEGE HERE.

JOHN KAUFMAN OF THE NATIONAL SECURITY RESOURCES BOARD, WALTER SALANT OF THE PRESIDENT'S COUNCIL OF ECONOMIC ADVISORS, AND GRIFFITH JOHNSON OF THE BUDGET BUREAU, ALL LOANED TO GRAY BY THEIR REGULAR GOVERNMENT EMPLOYERS.

FELIX BELAIR OF THE NEW YORK TIMES, PUBLIC RELATIONS ADVISOR.

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NEW YORK, MAY 27-(AP)-GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR WAS QUOTED TODAY AS SAYING HE DOES NOT BELIEVE A SHOOTING WAR IS IMMINENT--BECAUSE PUBLIC OPINION ON BOTH SIDES OF THE IRON CURTAIN IS AGAINST IT AND BECAUSE RUSSIA IS "DOING SO WELL" WITHOUT WAR.

MACARTHUR'S VIEWS, BASED ON A RECENT INTERVIEW IN TOKYO, WERE PUBLISHED BY THE NEW YORK TIMES IN A DISPATCH FROM ITS CHIEF FOREIGN CORRESPONDENT, C.L.SULZBERGER.

SULZBERGER QUOTED THE SUPREME COMMANDER IN JAPAN AS SAYING:

"THE PUBLIC REALIZES ALL TOO WELL IN TERMS OF THE LAST WAR THAT THERE CAN BE NO REAL VICTOR IN A FUTURE WAR. THEREFORE ON NEITHER SIDE IS THERE PSYCHOLOGICAL PREPARATION.

"THE RUSSIAN MASSES ARE PROBABLY JUST AS OPPOSED TO A SHOOTING WAR AS THE ANGLO-SAXON MASSES.

"I DON'T BELIEVE A SHOOTING WAR IS IMMINENT BECAUSE THE PEOPLE OF THE WORLD NEITHER DESIRE IT NOR WOULD THEY BE WILLING TO PERMIT IT. XXX

"WE KNOW THAT WE DO NOT INTEND TO START AN AGGRESSIVE WAR. WE X X X ARE ONLY PREPARING DEFENSIVELY IN CASE OF A TRAGIC EMERGENCY. IT IS QUITE POSSIBLE THAT THE RUSSIANS ARE PREPARING IN EXACTLY THE SAME WAY. X X X

"I THINK IT IS FOOLISH TO ASSUME THAT THE RUSSIANS WISH TO START AN AGGRESSIVE WAR NOW. THE RUSSIAN IS DOING SO WELL UNDER THE PRESENT NO-SHOOTING WAR THAT HE WOULD PROBABLY AND LOGICALLY WISH TO CONTINUE THE EXISTING SUCCESSFUL SYSTEM.

"IT IS A RARE THING, IN SPORTS OR IN ANYTHING ELSE, WHEN A MAN CHANGES A WINNING COMBINATION."

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 9 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, SATURDAY, MAY 27)

(ADVANCE) CHICAGO, MAY 27-(AP)-COL. ROBERT R. MCCORMICK, EDITOR AND PUBLISHER OF THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE, SAID TONIGHT THAT "ANYONE WHO SPEAKS UP FOR THE UNITED NATIONS IS OBVIOUSLY EITHER A COMMUNIST OR UNINFORMED."

IN HIS WEEKLY NETWORK RADIO TALK (MUTUAL), MCCORMICK CALLED ALGER HISS THE "DOMINATING AMERICAN MEMBER" AT THE SAN FRANCISCO CONFERENCE WHERE UN WAS BORN.

AT THIS CONFERENCE, MCCORMICK SAID, "ALL AMERICAN PRINCIPLES WERE THROWN OVERBOARD AND SOVIET AMBITIONS FORMED THE BACKGROUND OF THE UNITED NATIONS." HE WENT ON:

"A RECENT DECISION OF THE CALIFORNIA COURT OF APPEALS SAYS THE UNITED NATIONS CHARTER IS THE SUPREME LAW OF THE LAND.

"WHILE THIS IS A DECISION OF CALIFORNIA CRACKPOTS AND WILL NOT BE UPHELD BY THE FEDERAL COURTS, IT SHOWS HOW NEAR WE ARE TO LOSING OUR LIBERTIES. THE UNITED NATIONS HAS PERFECTED A DOCUMENT TO BRING THIS ABOUT."

(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 9 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, SATURDAY, MAY 27).

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NEW YORK, MAY 27-(AP)-THE INTERNATIONAL REFUGEE ORGANIZATION (IRO) CHARGED TODAY THAT COMMUNISTS ARE TRYING TO EMBITTER RELATIONS "BETWEEN REFUGEES AND THE DEMOCRATIC WORLD WHICH GIVES THEM HAVEN."

IRO DIRECTOR GENERAL J.DONALD KINGSLEY ISSUED THE STATEMENT IN GENEVA. IT WAS RELEASED THROUGH THE IRO OFFICE IN NEW YORK.

THE STATEMENT FOLLOWED PUBLICATION IN TWO DUTCH NEWSPAPERS OF A DOCUMENT SAID TO HAVE BEEN FOUND ON A COMMUNIST AGENT IN EUROPE DETAILING PLANS TO USE DISPLACED PERSONS AS POLITICAL WEAPONS.

THERE ARE APPROXIMATELY 550,000 DISPLACED PERSONS IN EUROPE FOR WHOM THE IRO IS RESPONSIBLE AND MORE THAN 8,000,000 OTHER REFUGEES IN WESTERN GERMANY, AUSTRIA AND ITALY.

KINGSLEY'S STATEMENT SAID:

"I AM SURE THE COMMUNISTS HAVE MADE AND ARE MAKING EVERY EFFORT TO DISRUPT AND EMBITTER RELATIONS BOTH AMONG GROUPS OF REFUGEES AND BETWEEN REFUGEES AND THE DEMOCRATIC WORLD WHICH OFFERS THEM HAVEN.

"WE IN THE IRON HAVE BEEN WELL AWARE OF THIS OFFENSIVE AND I BELIEVE WE HAVE MET IT IN OUR CAMPS WITH NOTABLE SUCCESS.

"IT IS AN OBVIOUS TACTIC FOR THOSE WHOSE PURPOSE IS SERVED BY CHAOS TO ATTEMPT TO VICTIMIZE THE REFUGEE, ALREADY UPROOTED, DRIVEN AND HARASSED. BUT NOBODY IS BETTER EQUIPPED THAN THE AVERAGE DP TO RECOGNIZE SUCH TACTICS AND REBUFF THEM." X X X

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BERKELEY,CALIF., MAY 27-(AP)-SUCCESS OF PAN AMERICAN UNITY IS A CHALLENGE TO THE UNITED NATIONS, BRAZIL'S AMBASSADOR MAURICIO NABUCO SUGGESTED TONIGHT.

ADDRESSING THE PAN AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF THE SAN FRANCISCO EAST BAY AREA, THE AMBASSADOR FIRST QUOTED FROM WORDS OF HIS FATHER, THE FIRST BRAZILIAN DIPLOMATIC AGENT TO HOLD THE AMBASSADORIAL RANK:

"WITH ALL POSSIBLE DIFFERENCES IN SIZE AND POPULATION, THE AMERICAN REPUBLICS HAVE ESTABLISHED THEIR UNION ON THE BASIS OF THE MOST ABSOLUTE EQUALITY. HERE THE VOTE OF THE SMALLEST BALANCES THE VOTE OF THE LARGEST."

THEN AMBASSADOR NABUCO EXPLAINED:

"THAT MEANS THAT IN THE PAN AMERICAN UNION THERE IS NO VETO IN CONTRAST WITH A POSSIBLE CAUSE AS TO WHY THE UNITED NATIONS HAS NOT YET LED UP TO ALL EXPECTATIONS."

THE AMBASSADOR NOTED:

"THERE APPEARS TO BE A TREND TOWARD THE DEVELOPMENT OF CONTINENTAL GROUPS WHICH MIGHT INVOLVE THE SPIRIT OF CONTINENTALISM AND EVENTUALLY MAY ALTER THE CONCEPT OF PATRIOTISM. THE PROGRESS OF MANKIND IN ALL IMPORTANT FIELDS SUCH AS COMMUNICATIONS WILL MAKE POLITICAL BORDERS WIDER AND WIDER AND THESE MAY PROBABLY DISAPPEAR COMPLETELY BY THE TIME THE WORLD IS READY FOR WORLD GOVERNMENT."

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ROCKET PLANE (350)
BY MAX BOYD

WASHINGTON, MAY 27-(AP)-THE AIR FORCE SAYS IT WILL BEGIN FLIGHT TESTS EARLY NEXT YEAR OF A TINY ROCKET PLANE DESIGNED TO HIT A TOP SPEED OF 1,700 MILES AN HOUR.

THE PLANE IS THE X-1A, A SUCCESSOR TO THE FASTER-THAN-SOUND X-1. LIKE ITS FORERUNNER, IT IS A PRODUCT OF THE BELL AIRCRAFT CORPORATION OF [redacted] NIAGARA FALLS, N.Y.

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THE X-1 ITSELF WAS DESIGNED TO HAVE A TOP SPEED OF 1,700 MILES AN HOUR. BUT DESIGN PROBLEMS DELAYED COMPLETION OF THE TURBINE-DRIVEN FUEL PUMP THAT WAS SUPPOSED TO FORCE ALCOHOL AND LIQUID OXYGEN INTO ITS ENGINE. INSTEAD OF THIS PUMP, NITROGEN GAS UNDER PRESSURE WAS USED TO DRIVE FUEL INTO THE ROCKET MOTORS.

HOW FAST THE X-1 WENT WITH THIS SUBSTITUTE FUEL DELIVERY SYSTEM HAS NEVER BEEN DISCLOSED OFFICIALLY. PRIOR TO FLIGHT TESTS, ITS TOP SPEED WAS ESTIMATED AT 1,000 MILES AN HOUR AT AN ALTITUDE OF MORE THAN 11 MILES.

DURING THE TESTS, WHICH WERE COMPLETED EARLY THIS MONTH AT MUROC, CALIF., THE AIR FORCE ANNOUNCED THE PLANE HAD TRAVELED FASTER THAN SOUND REPEATEDLY. SOUND TRAVELS 763 MILES AN HOUR AT SEA LEVEL AND SLIGHTLY LESS THAN THAT AT HIGHER ALTITUDES. REPORTS THAT THE X-1 REACHED 1,700 MILES AN HOUR WERE NOT CONFIRMED OFFICIALLY.

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NOW THE AIR FORCE SAYS THE X-1A WILL BE EQUIPPED WITH A TURBINE DRIVEN FUEL PUMP WHICH SHOULD GIVE IMPROVED PERFORMANCE.

WITH SUCH A FUEL PUMP, THE LITTLE RESEARCH PLANE IS DESIGNED TO FLY AT A TOP SPEED OF 1,700 MILES AN HOUR 15 MILES ABOVE THE EARTH.

IN ADDITION, THE AIR FORCE HAS STATED THAT THE TURBINE FUEL PUMP WILL ENABLE IT TO OPERATE FULL BLAST FOR 4.2 MINUTES, COMPARED WITH 2.5 MINUTES USING THE PRESSURIZED NITROGEN FUEL SYSTEM. SPACE WHICH HAS BEEN TAKEN UP BY METAL BOTTLES OF NITROGEN CAN BE DEVOTED IN THE NEW MODEL TO AN INCREASED FUEL SUPPLY.

TWO OTHER MODIFIED VERSIONS OF THE X-1 ARE ON ORDER, BUT THE AIR FORCE DECLINED TO SAY HOW THEY WILL DIFFER FROM THE ORIGINAL OR FROM THE X-1A.

THE ANNOUNCED PURPOSE OF THE TESTING PROGRAM WITH THE X-1 WAS TO GETHER INFORMATION REGARDING SUPERSONIC FLIGHT GENERALLY.

THE PURPOSE OF THE TESTING PROGRAM FOR THE X-1A, THE AIR FORCE SAYS, IS TO GETHER INFORMATION ON "SPECIFIC ASPECTS OF SUPERSONIC FLIGHT."

WHAT THOSE ASPECTS ARE, IT WILL NOT SAY.

AS WITH THE X-1, THE FLIGHT TESTS OF THE X-1A ARE PLANNED AT EDWARDS AIR FORCE BASE AT MUROC, CALIF.

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WASHINGTON, MAY 27-(AP)-THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION SAYS ITS PRESENT TEAM OF SCIENTISTS AND ENGINEERS IS THE LARGEST IN THE PROGRAM'S HISTORY--AND JUST AS GOOD AS THE WARTIME GROUP THAT DEVELOPED THE ATOMIC BOMB.

TODAY, THE TEAM NUMBERS 9,200, COMPARED WITH 8,600 LAST OCTOBER BEFORE IT WAS DISCLOSED THAT THE COMMISSION WAS TRYING TO DEVELOP A HYDROGEN BOMB.

BUT A COMMISSION SPOKESMAN SAID THAT THIS INCREASE IS "NOT NECESSARILY" A REFLECTION OF H-BOMB WORK ALONE.

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LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 27-(AP)-TRYGVE LIE SAYS THE RUSSIANS HE SAW WORE SHOES AND HAD NECKTIES AND SUITS "LIKE ANYONE ELSE."

THE U.N. SECRETARY GENERAL--GIVING IMPRESSIONS OF HIS RECENT VISIT TO THE SOVIET UNION--ADDED THAT RUSSIA HAD ITS SOCCER FANS, MUCH LIKE THE BROOKLYN DODGERS' ROOTERS.

"COMPARED WITH WHAT I HAD SEEN BEFORE," LIE TOLD REPORTERS, "THE PICTURE OF THE ORDINARY DAILY LIFE IN MOSCOW IMPRESSED ME.
I HAVE SEEN MOSCOW IN 1921, IN 1932, IN 1946 AND NOW IN 1950.
X X X "I WOULD NOT WISH TO GIVE ANY WRONG IMPRESSION, BUT FROM WHAT AN ORDINARY TOURIST CAN SEE IN THE STREETS, IN THE SHOPS AND SO ON, I THINK THE PROGRESS MADE IS A VERY GOOD ONE, WHEN I COMPARE WHAT I SAW NOW WITH WHAT I SAW IN 1946. IF YOU TALK TO AN ORDINARY MAN IN THE STREET, WHEREVER YOU FIND HIM, HE IS VERY PROUD OF THE PROGRESS MADE."

LIE SAID THE SHOPS HE VISITED WERE PLENTIFULLY STOCKED AND THE MUSCOVITES WERE PROSPEROUS LOOKING. ON THE STREETS THERE WERE "NEW BUSES AND TROLLEYS AS WELL AS NEW PRIVATE CARS," HE SAID.

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THIRD NIGHT LEAD YOUTH (450)

BY DANIEL DE LUCE

BERLIN, SUNDAY, MAY 28-(AP)-THE LONG-HERALDED "MARCH ON BERLIN"--A PEACEFUL PARADE OF 500,000 YOUNG GERMANS--ROLLED EASTWARD ALONG HISTORIC UNDER DEN LINDEN TODAY IN A DRIVING RAINSTORM.

ROLLED OUT BY BUGLE CALL BEFORE DAWN, THE BLUE-SHIRTED LEGIONS OF "FREE GERMAN YOUTH" (FDJ) ASSEMBLED IN MID-CITY AND BEGAN THEIR MARCH AT 7 A.M. TOWARDS THE LUSTGARTEN TRIBUNAL.

A LIGHT DRIZZLE TURNED INTO A TORRENTIAL DOWNPOUR A HALF-HOUR AFTER THE MARCH BEGAN, SOAKING THE YOUNG DEMONSTRATORS. THE TEMPERATURE WAS MILD, HOWEVER. A HALF HOUR LATER THE RAIN EASED OFF A LITTLE.

THE BOUNDARY BETWEEN THE RUSSIAN AND ALLIED SECTORS WAS DESERTED, EXCEPT FOR EAST AND WEST POLICE GUARDS AND A FEW BRITISH MILITARY OBSERVERS.

THE HUGE DEMONSTRATION GOT UNDERWAY TWO AND A HALF HOURS BEFORE RED ORATORS WERE TO TAKE TO THE LUSTGARTEN MICROPHONES AND PREACH HATRED OF THE WEST AND LOVE OF SOVIET RUSSIA.

FDJ TEEN-AGERS CARRIED BANNERS ASSAILING "AMERICAN CHEWING GUM AND MAGAZINES," PROMISING THEIR LOYALTY TO "COLONIAL FIGHTERS AGAINST ANGLO-AMERICAN IMPERIALISM" AND DESCRIBING GERMAN WORKERS IN THE SOVIET ZONE URANIUM MINES AS "HEROES."

UNTER DEN LINDEN, ALONG WHICH THE VICTORIOUS ARMY OF KAISERS AND NAZIS ONCE GOOSESTEPPED, WAS PACKED FOR A MILE WITH THE FLOOD OF BLUE SHIRTS.

THEY CONVERGED ONTO THE BROAD THOROUGHFARE FROM FRIEDRICHSTRASSE ON THE NORTH AND THE WILHELMSTRASSE, SITE OF ADOLF HITLER'S RUINED CHANCELLORY, ON THE SOUTH.

EVERY AVAILABLE INCH OF UNDER DEN LINDEN WAS HUNG WITH FLAGS OF THE SOVIET EAST GERMAN REPUBLIC AND THE FDJ, AND POSTED WITH HUGE SKETCHES OF GENERALISSIMO STALIN AND HIS LEADING COMMUNIST FOLLOWERS IN COUNTRIES AROUND THE WORLD.

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THE FDJ DRUM AND BUGLE CORPS TRIED TO KEEP UP A LIVELY TEMPO, REGARDLESS OF THE DOWNPOUR. BUT SOME MARCHERS BROKE RANKS AND TRIED TO FLEE TO THE COMPARATIVE DRY OF THE BOMBED OUT BUILDINGS WHICH LINE THE STREET. THEY WERE HERDED BACK INTO LINE BY THE EASTERN PEOPLE'S POLICE.

"JUST LIKE HITLER'S TIME," MUTTERED A FEW NON-COMMUNIST GERMAN OBSERVERS WHO WATCHED FROM THE BRANDENBURG GATE, ENTRANCE TO THE SOVIET SECTOR.

EASTERN AND WESTERN POLICE COOPERATED CLOSELY ON THE TRADITIONALLY TROUBLESOME MID-CITY BOUNDARY. BUT THE WEATHER ALSO DISCOURAGED ANTI-COMMUNISTS FROM COMING OUT TO JEER AT THE EASTERN DEMONSTRATION.

ANY ALLIED FEARS OF A PUTSCH--BASED ON COMMUNIST THREATS LAST JANUARY THAT THE FDJ WOULD "STORM" BERLIN--APPEARED GROUNDLESS AS FAR AS THE WHITSUN RALLY WAS CONCERNED.

EASTERN POLICE HAVE DONE AS MUCH OR MORE THAN THE ALLIES TO KEEP THE FDJ FROM STRAYING INTO WESTERN BERLIN.

ON STREET CORNERS LOUD SPEAKERS BLARED MILITARY MUSIC WHICH ECHOED FOR MILES.

LIKE ARMY CADETS ON REVIEW THE BLUE SHIRTS WERE ORDERED TO KEEP FIRM RANKS IN UNISON.

THEY MOVED FORWARD, A SEA OF BLUE FIGURES AND TOUSLED BARE HEADS, LIKE AUTOMATONS.

HIGH BRITISH AND AMERICAN OFFICERS TOOK OFF IN HELICOPTORS TO WATCH THE RALLY FROM THE GRAY SKY.

MEANWHILE, THE SOVIET ZONE RADIO TAUNTED THE WEST FOR ITS ANTI-PUTSCH PRECAUTIONS

"WHILE PEACE-LOVING GERMAN YOUTH SINGS TO THE ACCOMPANIMENT OF ACCORDIONS AND GUITARS IN THE DEMOCRATIC (SOVIET) SECTOR," THE RADIO BLARED, "AMERICAN AND BRITISH IMPERIALISTS SEND OUT THEIR TROOPS WITH STEEL HELMETS, GAS MASKS, MACHINEGUNS AND TANKS."

JOINT ALLIED SECURITY HEADQUARTERS REPORTED A "COMPLETELY QUIET NIGHT".

PEOPLE'S POLICE, WITH PISTOLS STRAPPED TO THEIR DARK BLUE TUNICS, STOOD GUARD ON THE ROOFTOPS OF ALL BUILDINGS ALONG THE LINE OF MARCH.

THEY ALSO LINED THE SIDEWALKS--A PATROLMAN STATIONED EVERY SIX FEET.

THEY SCRUTINIZED ALL THE SPECTATORS FOR POSSIBLE PROVOCATEURS, BUT GENERALLY SEEMED IN A FRIENDLY MOOD.

COMMUNIST LEADERS HAVE BEEN TRYING FOR THE PAST WEEK TO STIR UP ANTI-WESTERN SENTIMENT BEFORE THE RALLY. #

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BERLIN, MAY 28-(AP)-MAJ.GEN.G.K.BOURNE, BRITISH BERLIN COMMANDANT, FLEW OVER THE GIANT COMMUNIST RALLY IN THE SOVIET SECTOR'S LUSTGARTEN IN A HELICOPTOR TODAY AND REPORTED "IT SEEMED VERY WELL ORGANIZED."

"I SAW A LOT OF WHITE HEADS AND RED FLAGS AND A LOT OF BLACK POLICE", HE LAUGHED. EAST ZONE POLICE WEAR A UNIFORM OF SUCH A DARK BLUE THAT IT APPEARS TO BE BLACK.

AN ESTIMATED 500,000 GERMAN YOUTHS ARE TAKING PART IN THE WHITSUNTIDE RALLY, WHICH SO FAR HAS GONE OFF WITHOUT INCIDENT.

BOURNE TOOK OFF AND LANDED AT A SOCCER FILED ADJOINING THE OLYMPIC STADIUM IN HIS OWN SECTOR. THE FRENCH COMMANDANT, GEN. JEAN GANEVAL, THEN WENT UP IN THE SAME R-A-F HELICOPTER.

"I DON'T BELIEVE THERE WILL BE ANY TROUBLE IN BERLIN DURING THE REST OF THE RALLY," GEN. BOURNE DECLARED.

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PARADE SEPARATE (300)

BY RICHARD KASISCHKE

BERLIN, MAY 28-(AP)-FIVE YEARS AFTER THE COLLAPSE OF HITLER'S REICH, A NEW GERMAN ARMY MARCHED DOWN UNTER DEN LINDEN TODAY.

ITS COMMUNIST CREATORS CALL IT A "PEOPLE'S POLICE" FORCE AND THE BLUE-BLACK UNIFORMED MEN HAD LEFT THEIR WEAPONS OFF.

BUT NOBODY WHO SAW THE 10,000 MARCHING MEN HAD ANY DOUBT BUT THAT THESE WERE SOLDIERS -- TANNED, FIT-LOOKING TROOPERS WHO MARCHED WITH PRUSSIAN PRECISION. MANY WHO WATCHED GOT THE IMPRESSION THE MARCHERS RESTRAINED A GOOSE-STEP ONLY WITH DIFFICULTY.

EVEN THE THOUSANDS OF GERMANS WHO WATCHED THESE MARCHERS SEEMED TO BE AFRAID OF THEM. THEY WERE ONLY A SMALL PART OF THE BIG WHITSUNDAY COMMUNIST PARADE, BUT THEY MADE A BIG IMPRESSION.

FIVE DAYS AGO THE GOVERNMENTS OF THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE SENT FORMAL NOTES TO MOSCOW PROTESTING THESE SO-CALLED POLICE AS AN ILLEGAL MILITARY ORGANIZATION AND DEMANDING DISSOLUTION OF THE FORCE. BUT IN DEFIANCE OF THE WEST. THE SOVIET-BACKED GERMAN COMM-

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UNISTS TROTTED OUT THE PICK OF THE FORCE TODAY FOR ALL THE WORLD TO SEE.
THE CLUMP OF THEIR BOOTS COULD BE HEARD FOR BLOCKS, ALONG STREETS WHERE EVERY BUILDING BORE SCARS OF THE LAST WAR. THOSE WHO HAD SEEN HITLER'S LEGIONS MARCH DOWN THIS SAME TRIUMPHAL AVENUE REMARKED ON THE SIMILARITY BETWEEN THE NEW COMMUNIST FORCE AND HITLER'S BLACK-GARBED SS (ELITE GUARD).

THE "VOPOS" (FROM VOLKS POLIZEI--PEOPLE'S POLICE) WERE LED BY TOUGH, SEASONED-LOOKING OFFICERS. THE MARCHERS WERE DEEPLY SUN-TANNED, APPARENTLY FROM WORKING UNDER A HOT SUN ON DRILL FIELDS WHERE, ACCORDING TO SWORN TESTIMONY PRESENTED BY THE ALLIES, THEY ARE BEING TRAINED IN THE USE OF INFANTRY WEAPONS AND ARMOR.

AS THEY MARCHED TO THE CADENCE OF DRUMS, THE VOPOS SANG A SONG WHICH SPOKE OF "FIGHTING AND DYING FOR OUR YOUNG (SOVIET EAST GERMAN) REPUBLIC." THEY ALSO SHOUTED POLITICAL SLOGANS. TYPICAL WAS THIS ONE:

"DER MARSHALL PLAN UND SCHUMAN PLAN
"VERSENKEN IN DEN OZEAN."

WHICH MEANS: "THE MARSHALL PLAN AND THE SCHUMAN PLAN SHOULD BE SUNK IN THE OCEAN."

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WITH BERLIN RALLY

BERLIN, MAY 28-(AP)-WHILE THE EAST BERLIN COMMUNISTS WERE STAGING THEIR LONG ADVERTISED RALLY TODAY, WEST BERLIN HAD A SHOW OF ITS OWN.

IT WAS THE FIRST INTERNATIONAL AUTOMOBILE SHOW HERE SINCE THE WAR.

SOME 41,000 PERSONS VISITED THE EXHIBITS DURING THE DAY. AMONG THEM WERE MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNIST FREE GERMAN YOUTH (FDJ), WHO SHOULD HAVE BEEN PARADING IN EAST BERLIN.

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EDITORS: (FOR PUBLICATION IF DESIRED)

AT NOON, BERLIN TIME, 7 A.M. EST., ALLIED SECURITY HEADQUARTERS IN BERLIN ANNOUNCED THAT WEST BERLIN IS QUIET, WITH THE CALM UNMARRED BY UNTOWARD INCIDENTS OF ANY KIND. MAYOR ERNST REUTER AND WESTERN OFFICIALS ARE AGREED THAT TODAY'S LONG-HERALDED WHITSUNTIDE PARADE AND RALLY WILL PASS WITHOUT THE FEARED AND ADVERTISED "INVASION."

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BERLIN (450)

BY THOMAS A. REEDY

BERLIN, MAY 28-(AP)-A HALF MILLION OR MORE DISCIPLINED EAST GERMAN YOUTHS, THEIR BLUE UNIFORMS SODDEN FROM DAY-LONG DOWNPOURS, CHANTED AND MARCHED TODAY IN BERLIN'S BIGGEST COMMUNIST SHOW SINCE THE WAR.

THE VASTLY PREPARED WITSUNTIDE RALLY TURNED OUT TO BE A PEACEFUL PARADE, NOT A PUTSCH. ~~BY MID-AFTERNOON NOT AN INCIDENT HAD MARRED THE DEMONSTRATION.~~

BY 8 P.M. THE ONLY INCIDENT REPORTED INVOLVED THE BEATING OF A WEST BERLIN NEWS VENDOR BY COMMUNIST YOUTH ON A TROLLEY CAR TRAVERSING A STREET BISECTED BY THE AMERICAN AND SOVIET SECTOR BORDER. A WEST BERLIN POLICEMAN ARRESTED THE MOTORMAN WHO HAD DENOUNCED THE VENDOR TO THE YOUTHS.

BUT IT WAS A PARADE WHICH MOCKED AND CARICATURED THE WEST, EULOGIZED STALIN AND THE SOVIET, AND CARRIED HIGH THE DRUM BEATS OF HATE--NOT UNLIKE ANOTHER DAY WHEN HITLER'S MASSED LEGIONS STRODE THE SAME HISTORIC THOROUGHFARE; UNTER DEN LINDEN.

THE BIGGEST HAND WAS SAVED FOR 10,000 GRIM-FACED JACKBOOTED TROOPERS OF THE EAST GERMAN PEOPLE'S POLICE, WHICH THE WEST CALLS AN ARMY. THE DEEPLY TANNED, DRILLED MASS SWEPT DOWN UNTER DEN LINDEN AND PAST REVIEWING STANDS IN THE LUSTGARTEN IN PERFECT MILITARY FORMATION. IN DARK BLUE UNIFORMS AND RED TIES, THEY CARRIED REGULAR FIELD KITS BUT NO ARMS.

THE YOUTH BRIGADES, SHOUTING "FRIENDSHIP-FRIENDSHIP" IN CADENCE AND CLAPPING THEIR HANDS IN UNISON, REMINDED ONLOOKERS OF NAZI "SIEG HEILS".

SOAKED TO THE SKIN AND SHIVERING FROM THE FREQUENT SHOWERS, MANY SOUGHT REFUGE IN NEARBY DOORWAYS AND BOMB RUINS AS STALINIST ORATORY WORE ON AT THE LUSTGARTEN, BUT WERE HERDED BACK TO THEIR FORMATIONS BY EAST GERMAN POLICE.

"JUST LIKE HITLER'S TIME," MUTTERED NON-COMMUNIST GERMAN WATCHERS.

ALONG A NERVOUS EAST-WEST DIVIDING LINE THAT THREADS PAST BRANDENBURG GATE AND THROUGH POTSDAMER PLATZ, EAST GERMAN POLICE LAID OUT FIRE HOSES AND FACED AN EQUALLY ALERT WEST GERMAN POLICE FORCE.

THIRTEEN THOUSAND WEST GERMAN POLICE, EQUIPPED WITH STORES OF TEAR GAS AND WATER-SPOUTING TRUCKS AND BACKED BY 8,000 RIOT-TRAINED ALLIED TROOPS, HAD TAKEN EXTREME PRECAUTIONS IN VIEW OF THE THREATS OF FREE GERMAN YOUTH (FDJ) LEADERS MONTHS AGO THAT THEY WOULD "STORM BERLIN."

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IF THE THREATS WERE SERIOUS THE PRECAUTIONS BORE FRUIT.

THE SHOWDOWN OVER BERLIN WAS POSTPONED FOR ANOTHER DAY.

ABOUT ALL THAT WAS PROVED TODAY WAS THAT THE WEST WOULD NOT BE MOVED OUT OF BERLIN BY THREATS OF A COMMUNIST PUTSCH, THAT THE EAST IS SEEKING TO INTEREST THE MARCHING YOUNGSTERS IN FUTURE CAREERS AS SOLDIERS AND ALREADY HAS LAID THE FOUNDATION FOR AN AUTOMATON STATE.

THE PEACEFUL PASSING OF THE BIG COMMUNIST DEMONSTRATION BROUGHT A "VICTORY" CLAIM FROM WEST BERLIN'S MAYORN ERNST REUTER.

"OUR PEACEFUL DETERMINATION, TOGETHER WITH THE SUPPORT WE RECEIVED FROM THE ALLIES, HAS RESULTED IN A COMPLETE FAILURE OF COMMUNIST DREAMS TO OVERRUN BERLIN," HE SAID.

HE MADE HIS CLAIM IN A TELEGRAM TO REAR ADMIRAL RICHARD BYRD OF THE INTERNATIONAL RESCUE COMMITTEE IN NEW YORK.

THE WEATHER DISCOURAGED ANY TROUBLE-SEEKING ANTI-COMMUNIST GERMANS FROM LINING THE SECTOR BORDERS TO HOOT AND JEER.

HIGH BRITISH AND AMERICAN OFFICERS WHO PATROLLED THE SECTOR LINES IN HELICOPTERS REPORTED NOT A SIGN OF VIOLENCE.

THE EAST GERMAN RADIO TAUNTED THE WEST FOR ITS SHOW OF STEEL "WHILE PEACE-LOVING GERMAN YOUTHS SING", BUT EAST GERMAN POLICE WERE JUST AS ALERT TO PREVENT ANY TROUBLE. THEY LINED THE ROOFTOPS AND TOOK STATIONS EVERY SIX FEET ALONG THE LINE OF MARCH TO SCRUTINIZE ALL SPECTATORS.

ALLIED SECURITY HEADQUARTERS REPORTED 38 EAST ZONE POLICE HAD DESERTED AND SOUGHT REFUGE IN THE WEST SINCE THE RALLY BEGAN.

THE BLUE-SHIRTED LEGIONS WERE CALLED OUT BY BUGLERS AT 4 A.M. AND BEGAN ASSEMBLING FOR THEIR MARCH AT 7 A.M. IN A LIGHT DRIZZLE WHICH TURNED INTO A DRIVING RAIN AS THE PARADE BEGAN.

THE MARCHING CONTINUED NEARLY EIGHT HOURS --FROM 9:15 A.M. UNTIL 5 P.M.

CROWDS ALONG THE LINE OF MARCH WERE THIN, AND THE CHEERING AT MOST

PLACES WAS SPARSE. WEST BERLINERS WERE FREE TO STROLL INTO THE EAST ZONE TO WATCH, BUT MOST PREFERRED TO REMAIN INDOORS, GO TO AN AMERICAN OR BRITISH MOVIE OR ATTEND THE CITY'S FIRST POST-WAR AUTO SHOW.

IN THE RANKS OF THE MARCHERS WERE ABOUT 5,000 WHO CARRIED BANNERS SAYING THEY WERE FROM WESTERN GERMANY. MOST OF RUSSIA'S EASTERN SATELLITE COUNTRIES WERE REPRESENTED IN THE GIANT PARADE.

EVERY INCH OF UNTER DEN LINDEN WAS HUNG WITH SOVIET, EAST GERMAN AND SATELLITE FLAGS, HUGE POSTERS OF STALIN, EAST GERMAN LEADERS, AND COMMUNIST CHIEFTAINS AROUND THE WORLD.

STREET CORNER LOUDSPEAKERS BLARED MARTIAL MUSIC THAT COULD BE HEARD FOR MILES.

IN ROWS 32 ABREAST THE YOUTHS SWEPT UP TO THE LUSTGARTEN. MANY BAREHEADED TEENAGERS LOOKED AS THOUGH THEY NEVER HAD READ A PARAGRAPH OF THE WORKS OF STALIN, LENIN OR MARX. BUT THEY KEPT RIGID RANKS AT A STEADY MILITARY PACE OF TWO AND A HALF MILES AN HOUR.

THEY CARRIED BANNERS RIDICULING "AMERICAN CHEWING GUM AND MAGAZINES," ATTACKING "ANGLO-AMERICAN IMPERIALISM" AND HAILING GERMAN "HEROES" IN SOVIET ZONE URANIUM MINES.

A FLOAT PORTRAYED A PIGGISH MAN LABELED "DOLLAR CAPITALIST."

AMERICAN CULTURE WAS LAMPOONED WITH A SKETCH OF FEMALE WRESTLERS PULLING HAIR.

SOME MARCHERS CHANTED, "DON'T LET YOUR LIFE BE SOUR, KICK HIM OUT--THAT ADENAUER". KONRAD ADENAUER IS CHANCELLOR OF THE WEST GERMAN REPUBLIC.

ONE FDJ GROUP WORE A HAMMVVMAMED OVER A LAZY DOG'S BACK 1234567890 THE QUICK BROWN FOX JUMPED OVER A LAZY DOG'S BACK 1234567890 Z SENDING THE QUICKH

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ONE FDJ GROUP WORE A HAMMER AND SICKLE EMBLEM AND A CARICATURE OF ADENAUER THAT WAS LABELED, "HE COMMITS HIGH TREASON DAILY."

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A MIGHTY HAIL SOUNDED AS WILHELM PIECK, PRESIDENT OF EAST GERMANY, MOUNTED THE TRIBUNE IN THE PACKED LUSTGARTEN AT 9 A.M. TO BEGIN THE ORATORY.

ON THE SPEAKER'S STAND WAS MAX REIMANN, WEST GERMAN COMMUNIST LEADER, SOVIET AMBASSADOR G. M. PUSHKIN, WHO WAS SMILING BROADLY, AND DELEGATIONS FROM RED CHINA AND THE SOVIET UNION'S YOUNG COMMUNISTS.

PIECK, A WHITE-HAIRED REVOLUTIONARY WHO SPENT YEARS IN MOSCOW, CALLED STALIN THE "GREATEST AND BEST FRIEND OF THE GERMAN PEOPLE," AND THE "GREATEST PEACE LEADER IN THE WORLD."

"LONG LIVE OUR GREAT STALIN," HE CRIED.

"THE LEADERSHIP OF STALIN RUSSIA, AT THE HEAD OF THE GREAT PEACE FRONT, HAS ORGANIZED TO FOIL THE BARBARIC PLANS OF THE WAR MAKERS, "HE DECLARED.

"AMERICAN SUPREME COMMANDERS HELD A GENERAL STAFF WAR COUNCIL AT THE HAGUE AND IMPERIALIST FOREIGN MINISTERS HELD ANOTHER WAR COUNCIL IN LONDON.

"THEIR PLAN IS TO GET GERMANY'S YOUTH FOR CANNON FODDER AND USE WEST GERMANY AS A BASE FOR A NEW WAR, MAKE BERLIN THEIR BRIDGEHEAD. BUT THEY COUNTED WITHOUT YOU, THE GERMAN YOUTH. YOU ARE ON THE SIDE OF PEACEFUL RUSSIA AND WILL FIGHT ALONGSIDE HER FOR PEACE."

SMALL GRENADES WERE FIRED IN THE AIR WHICH SCATTERED EAST GERMAN, FDJ, SOVIET AND EAST BLOC FLAGS WHEN THEY EXPLODED. "PEACE" DOVES WERE LOOSED INTO THE LOW-HANGING CLOUDS.

DEPUTY PREMIER OTTO NUSCHKE, CHRISTIAN DEMOCRAT COLLABORATOR, READ A TELEGRAM TO STALIN FROM THE RALLY DECLARING "GERMAN YOUTH WILL NEVER BE DRAGGED INTO WAR AGAINST YOUR COUNTRY."

THE COMMUNIST YOUTH WOUND UP THEIR WHITSUN ACTIVITIES WITH AN HOUR LONG "PEACE FIREWORKS".

A CROWD OF 100,000 IN EAST BERLIN'S LENIN SQUARE CHEERED WILDLY AS THE SLOGAN "FRIENDSHIP FOREVER WITH THE SOVIET UNION," ACCOMPANIED BY A HAMMER AND SICKLE, WENT OFF.

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WITH BERLIN (110)

MOSCOW, MAY 28-(AP)-THE SOVIET PRESS TODAY STRESSED THAT THE BERLIN COMMUNIST YOUTH RALLY WAS PEACEFUL.

RED STAR, SOVIET ARMY NEWSPAPER, DECLARED THE RALLY "DESPITE ITS PEACEFUL CHARACTER, MET WITH THE BEAST-LIKE YOWLING AND MALICIOUS HISSING OF THE REACTIONARY PRESS IN THE UNITED STATES AND ITS EUROPEAN SATELLITES."

THE NEWSPAPER DECLARED MANY WEST GERMAN YOUTHS PARTICIPATED AFTER ILLEGAL BORDER CROSSINGS DESPITE INTENSE EFFORTS OF THE WESTERN POWERS TO PREVENT THEM. PRAVDA CHARGED THAT WESTERN AUTHORITIES HAD OFFERED A REWARD FOR EVERY GERMAN YOUTH CAUGHT TRYING TO JOURNEY TO THE RALLY.

"THE RALLY, ENLARGING INTO A POWERFUL DEMONSTRATION OF YOUNG PEACE PARTISANS AND ALL DEMOCRATIC FORCES OF GERMANY, HAS GREAT INTERNATIONAL SIGNIFICANCE," RED STAR ASSERTED.

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BERLIN INTERPRETIVE (450)

BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER

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WASHINGTON, MAY 28-(AP)-THE PEACEFUL END OF TODAY'S TENSE COMMUNIST RALLY AT BERLIN IS CREDITED HERE TO THE DETERMINATION AND UNITY OF THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE IN DEALING WITH THE SITUATION.

HOWEVER, AMERICAN OFFICIALS WHO TAKE THIS VIEW SAY THEY BELIEVE OTHER CHALLENGES FOR THE WEST ARE IN STORE IN THE GERMAN CAPITAL. THEY EXPECT OTHER DIRECT EFFORTS, SUCH AS THE BLOCKADE OR ACTIONS LIKE TODAY'S, TO BRING NEW SOVIET PRESSURE ON THE WESTERN POWERS TO QUIT BERLIN.

THESE EXPECTED STRUGGLES OVER BERLIN, WITH ITS POTENTIAL SIGNIFICANCE IN DEALING WITH RUSSIA ALL OVER THE GLOBAL MAP OF THE COLD WAR, SENT STATE DEPARTMENT AUTHORITIES INTO A CAREFUL ANALYSIS OF WHAT HAPPENED IN BERLIN THIS WEEKEND.

THE PRINCIPAL FACTS THEY HAVE TO GO ON ARE TWO.

FIRST, TWO MONTHS OR MORE AGO TODAY'S COMMUNIST YOUTH DEMONSTRATION WAS BEING TOUTED IN THE RUSSIAN ZONE IN GERMANY AS A VIRTUAL INVASION OF WESTERN BERLIN.

SECOND, THE WESTERN POWERS JOINTLY DETERMINED THEY WOULD RESIST THIS INVASION OR INTIMIDATION OF WESTERN BERLIN TO THE LIMIT, USING EVEN MACHINE GUN FIRE IF NECESSARY.

OFFICIALS HERE NOW ARE UNCERTAIN WHETHER THE RUSSIANS EVER SERIOUSLY INTENDED TO INVADE OR HAVE THEIR COMMUNIST YOUTH LEGIONS INVADE WESTERN BERLIN.

MOST OFFICIALS APPEAR TO BE CONVINCED THAT THEY DID SERIOUSLY INTEND TO DRIVE INTO THE WESTERN ZONE, MAKE AS MUCH TROUBLE AS POSSIBLE, UNDERMINE GERMAN CONFIDENCE IN WESTERN ASSURANCES OF

PROTECTION, AND THUS DESTROY THE BASIS OF COOPERATION BETWEEN AMERICAN-BRITISH-FRENCH OCCUPATION FORCES AND THE PEOPLE OF WESTERN BERLIN.

SOME OTHER WELL-INFORMED AUTHORITIES, HOWEVER, BELIEVE THE RUSSIANS PUT UP THE INVASION THREAT AS A TRIAL BALLOON. BY THIS REASONING, THEY WERE PLAYING BY EAR AS THEY WENT ALONG DECIDING HOW FAR THEY WOULD GO WHEN THEY FOUND OUT WHAT THEY COULD GET BY WITH. AN ACTUAL PUTSCH OBVIOUSLY COULD HAVE RESULTED IN THIS CASE ALSO IF THE RUSSIANS HAD FELT IT WOULD BE PROFITABLE.

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IN EITHER CASE, OFFICIALS INSIST, THE NEED FOR UNITY OF POLICY AND ACTION AMONG WASHINGTON, LONDON AND PARIS WAS URGENT. THE HIGH COMMISSIONERS OF THE WESTERN GOVERNMENT IN GERMANY WORKED OUT THE RESISTANCE PLAN AND THOSE WERE APPROVED IN THE THREE CAPITALS.

THERE NEVER WAS A MOMENT WHEN THE WEST APPEARED OUTWARDLY TO BE UNCERTAIN OR CONFUSED ABOUT HOW TOUGH IT SHOUCH BE. AT BOTTOM THE POLICY AS ONCE SUMMED UP BY OFFICIALS HERE WAS, "IF THE SOVIETS ARE ASKING FOR A SHOOTING CLASH IN BERLIN WE HAVE NO CHOICE EXCEPT TO FACE UP TO IT. IF THEY FORCE TROUBLE WE MUST BE PREPARED TO DEAL WITH IT FIRMLY."

THAT IS THE KIND OF POLICY WHICH WAS ADOPTED AND OF WHICH THE RUSSIANS WERE MADE FULLY AWARE. UNDOUBTEDLY IT WAS NOT THE ONLY FACTOR, HOWEVER, IN PREVENTING A SERIOUS CLASH ALTHOUGH IT IS REGARDED HERE AS FAR AND AWAY THE MOST IMPORTANT.

TWO OTHER FORCES PLAYED IMPORTANT CONTRIBUTING PARTS IN THE FAILURE OF THE SOVIET COMMUNISTS TO DO ANYTHING SENSATIONAL. ONE WAS THE FEAR OF GERMAN PARENTS WHO HAD BEEN TOLD CONSTANTLY BY THE WESTERN POWERS THAT THE WEST COULD NOT TAKE RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE SAFETY OF THEIR CHILDREN.

ANOTHER IMPORTANT FACTOR APPEARS TO HAVE BEEN THE WEATHER. AUTHORITIES HERE COMMENTED THAT A HEAVY RAIN SUCH AS DRENCHED THE BERLIN PARADERS WASHES MUCH OF THE FIRE AND ENTHUSIASM OUT OF A CROWD DEMONSTRATION.

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LONDON, MAY 28-(AP)-TWO LONDON NEWSPAPERS PREDICTED TODAY THAT MORE PERSONS, INCLUDING SOME AMERICANS, WILL BE ARRESTED IN THE ATOMIC SPY PROBE. THERE WAS NO OFFICIAL CONFIRMATION OF THE REPORTS.

THE SUNDAY WEEKLY REYNOLDS NEWS SAID: "MORE THAN A DOZEN ATOMIC SCIENTISTS, GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND BUSINESSMEN ARE LIKELY TO BE ARRESTED SOON IN THE BIGGEST INTERNATIONAL SPY ROUNDUP EVER KNOWN AND CHARGED WITH PASSING TOP SECRET INFORMATION TO RUSSIA. THEY INCLUDE A BRITON, AT LEAST ONE CANADIAN AND SIX AMERICANS."

THE SUNDAY EMPIRE NEWS, A KEMSLEY NEWSPAPER, SAID THAT FOR THE PAST 10 DAYS, DR. KLAUS FUCHS, CONVICTED GERMAN-BORN BRITISH ATOMIC SPY, HAD BEEN "IDENTIFYING SUSPECT AFTER SUSPECT FROM FILMS OF THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE FLOWN SECRETLY AND UNDER CLOSE GUARD FROM AMERICA." IT CONTINUED:

"FRESH ARRESTS IN THE WAR ON ATOM SPIES IN AMERICA AND CANADA ARE CERTAIN TO FOLLOW INFORMATION HE HAS BEEN GIVING DAY BY DAY."

REYNOLDS NEWS SAID THE NEW ARRESTS WOULD BE A DIRECT RESULT OF THE QUESTIONING OF FUCHS BY AMERICAN FBI MEN AND REPRESENTATIVES OF THE BRITISH INTELLIGENCE SERVICE.

FUCHS IS NOW SERVING A 14-YEAR SENTENCE FOR FUNNELING ATOMIC SECRETS TO THE SOVIET UNION.

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TWO FBI MEN HAVE BEEN QUESTIONING FUCHS ALMOST DAILY SINCE A WEEK AGO FRIDAY. REYNOLDS NEWS SAID THAT AS A RESULT FUCHS HAD "ADDED ABOUT 200 NAMES TO THE ALREADY FORMIDABLE LIST OF NEARLY 2,000 SUSPECTS COMPILED BY THE BRITISH, AMERICAN AND CANADIAN AUTHORITIES. MORE THAN 1,000 ON THE LIST ARE AMERICAN, 150 CANADIANS, AND 100 BRITISH."

SINCE THE FBI UNDERTOOK THE QUESTIONING OF FUCHS, ONE MAN HAS BEEN ARRESTED ALREADY IN AMERICA, HARRY GOLD, PHILADELPHIA RESEARCH CHEMIST. THE FBI SAID GOLD HAD ADMITTED HAVING DEALINGS WITH FUCHS, ONCE BRITAIN'S TOP THEORETICAL ATOMIC SCIENTIST.

A LARGE BAG WAS LANDED AT LONDON AIRPORT LAST WEEK UNDER CLOSE GUARD, SHORTLY AFTER THE ARRIVAL OF FBI MEN HERE. IT NEVER HAS BEEN DISCLOSED OFFICIALLY WHAT THE BAG CONTAINED, BUT WIDESPREAD REPORTS SAY IT HELD PICTURES OF SPY SUSPECTS FOR FUCHS TO VIEW IN HIS PRISON AT WORMWOOD SCRUBBS, NEAR LONDON.

THE EMPIRE NEWS SAID:

"EACH DAY, AS A VAN BRINGS CINEMA EQUIPMENT AND FILMS TO THE PRISON, SPECIAL GUARDS ARE ON WATCH OUTSIDE THE WALLS.

"FUCHS WEARS HIS PRISON GREY FLANNELS AT THE CINEMA SHOWS, BEING TAKEN EACH SESSION FROM THE PRISON HOSPITAL TO WHICH HE WAS TRANSFERRED WHEN THE G-MEN ARRIVED. HIS ONLY IMMEDIATE REWARD WILL BE A RICE PUDDING DAILY, BUT HE IS HOPING TO GET ANYTHING FROM FOUR TO SEVEN YEARS KNOCKED OFF HIS SENTENCE."

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LONDON, MAY 29-(AP)-TWO LONDON NEWSPAPERS CLAIM FURTHER ARRESTS, INCLUDING SOME AMERICANS, WILL RESULT FROM CURRENT QUESTIONING OF DR.KLAUS FUCHS, CONVICTED BRITISH ATOMIC SPY.

THE PREDICTIONS, MADE YESTERDAY BY THE SUNDAY REYNOLDS NEWS AND THE SUNDAY EMPIRE NEWS, WERE NOT CONFIRMED OFFICIALLY.

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FUCHS IS SERVING A 14-YEAR SENTENCE FOR FUNNELING ATOMIC SECRETS TO RUSSIA. TWO FBI MEN HAVE BEEN QUESTIONING HIM FOR THE PAST WEEK.

SINCE THE QUESTIONING BEGAN, ONE MAN ALREADY HAS BEEN ARRESTED IN THE UNITED STATES. HE IS HARRY GOLD, PHILADELPHIA RESEARCH CHEMIST. THE FBI SAID GOLD HAD ADMITTED HAVING DEALINGS WITH FUCHS, ONCE ONE OF BRITAIN'S TOP THEORETICAL ATOMIC SCIENTISTS.

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london, may 28-(ap)-britain has rejected frence's request that she now approve in principle the schuman plan for pooling west european coal and steel prodution, informed sources said today.

in a note delivered in paris saturday, these sources said britain declared she could not commit herself until details of how the plan would function were worked out.

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the plan,proposed by french foreign minister robert schuman on may 9, envisaged the pooling of western europe's heavy industry under an international authority whose decisions would be mandatory on the governments taking part.

schuman urged a union of french and german coal and steel industries to start the ball rolling, other countries could join later.

in a note to the french government last thursday, britain urged france and germany to get going on the details of the plan as soon as possible.

the [illegible] representatives would join in the talks but that [illegible]tain's decision on whether to join the plan would not be

made until the disussions were completed.

meanwhile, informed sources said the french government in notes to britain, italy, belgium, germany, holland and luxembourg, had proposed that international talks on the plan be begun next month pending these discussions, france all the countries concerned to declare that they accepted the principles of the plan, the sources said.

britain refused to do this, the informants said, on the ground that she wanted to know what sacrifices might be demanded of her before she joins in.

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LONDON, MAY 28-(AP)-RADIO REPORTS FROM TIRANA SAID VIRTUALLY 100 PER CENT OF ALBANIAN VOTERS ARE CASTING BALLOTS IN TODAY'S ELECTIONS OF MEMBERS OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY.

ALL CANDIDATES ARE MEMBERS OF THE SINGLE POLITICAL PARTY, THE NATIONAL LIBERATION MOVEMENT, WHICH IS COMMUNIST.

TIRANA RADIO, IN A BROADCAST HEARD HERE, SAID VOTING WAS PROCEEDING "IN PERFECT ORDERLINESS AND WITH GREAT ENTHUSIASM."

BY LATE AFTERNOON MOST DISTRICTS WERE REPORTING THAT FROM 94 TO 98 PER CENT OF THE VOTE WAS IN. POLLING PLACES REMAIN OPEN UNTIL MIDNIGHT.

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LONDON, MAY 28-(AP)-BRITISH MOTORISTS, ABLE TO BUY ALL THE GASOLINE THEY WANTED FOR THE FIRST TIME IN 11 YEARS, WENT OUT TODAY AND BENT A LOT OF FENDERS.

CARS WHICH HADN'T BEEN OUT OF GARAGES FOR YEARS WERE SCORCHING THE HIGHWAYS.

IT WASN'T QUITE THE CRUSH THAT POLICE HAD EXPECTED, BUT AT TIMES THERE WERE BUMPER-TO-BUMPER PROCESSIONS ON THE DOZEN MAIN ROADS LEADING FROM LONDON. THE ROYAL AUTOMOBILE ASSOCIATION RECEIVED MANY CALLS FOR AID, BUT INDICATIONS THIS EVENING WERE THAT THERE HAD BEEN FEW SERIOUS ACCIDENTS.

"THE QUALITY OF DRIVING WASN'T QUITE UP TO STANDARD," SAID AN AUTOMOBILE ASSOCIATION OFFICIAL." THERE WERE A GOOD MANY BUMPS, AND ON THE MARGATE ROAD ESPECIALLY THERE WERE MANY BREAKDOWNS. SOME OF THESE OLD CARS JUST COULDN'T TAKE ALL THIS NEW PETROL."

AT SCARBOROUGH, IN YORKSHIRE, THERE WERE SO MANY AUTOMOBILES AT THE SEASIDE THAT BUS DRIVERS WERE UNABLE TO KEEP SCHEDULES. AT MOST SEASIDE RESORTS CAR PARKS WERE FILLED TO CAPACITY.

MANY THOUSANDS OF BRITISH WERE NOT AT HOME TONIGHT. THE COMBINATION OF GASOLINE DERATIONING AND THE BANK HOLIDAY TOMORROW MADE IT POSSIBLE TO MAKE LONG TOURS.

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CAMBRIDGE, ENG., MAY 28-(AP)-MEMORIAL SERVICES WERE HELD TODAY AT THE AMERICAN MILITARY CEMETERY FOR MEMBERS OF THE U.S. FORCES WHO DIED IN WORLD WAR II.

IT WAS THE FIRST SUCH SERVICE TO BE HELD HERE SINCE 1947 WHEN THE CEMETERY WAS CLOSED FOR ALTERATIONS AND THE REINTERMENT OF THE 3,800 REMAINS BURIED AT MADINGLEY HILL.

THE SERVICES WERE CONDUCTED BY CAPT. GUY A.MEOWS OF BLOOMINGTON, ILL., CHAPLAIN OF THE UNITED STAES AIR FORCE AT LAKENHEATH. AN AMERICAN PLANE FLEW OVER THE CEMETERY AND DROPPED FLOWERS OVER THE GRAVES.

A PRIVATE FLORAL WREATH WAS LAID ON THE GRAVE OF PETER LEHMAN, SON OF U.S. SEN. HERBERT H. LEHMAN OF NEW YORK, BY DR. SALISBURY WOODS CHAIRMAN OF THE CAMBRIDGE BRANCH OF THE BRITISH SERVICEMEN'S ORGANIZATION, THE BRITISH LEGION.

OTHERS WHO TOOK PART IN THE SERVICES INCLUDED CAPT. ROSS WILSON OF PITTSBURGH, PA., CHAPLAIN OF THE SCULTHORPE AIRFIELD; SGT. R.G. SMITH, HEMPSTEAD, N.Y., TECHNICAL SGT. GERALD WETZLER, MILLERSTOWN, PA.; AND MASTER SGT. CHARLES W. CARL OF KILGORE, TEX.

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GELSENKIRCHEN, GERMANY, MAY 28-(AP)-A FORMER COMMUNIST SUGGESTED TODAY THAT PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND PRIME MINISTER STALIN BOTH GO TO THE MORAL REARMAMENT CENTER AT CAUX, SWITZERLAND, AND PEEL POTATOES TOGETHER IN THE INTEREST OF FRIENDSHIP.

THE SPEAKER, PAUL KUROWSKI, ONCE A MEMBER OF THE WEST GERMAN COMMUNIST PARTY, ADDRESSED AN INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF THE MORAL REARMATMENT MOVEMENT IN THIS RUHR INDUSTRIAL CITY.

"LIKE ALL OTHER GUESTS AT CAUX, THEY SHOULD PEEL POTATOES AND WASH DISHES," SAID KUROWSKI." THEY WOULD FIND FRIENDSHIP TOGETHER, AS WE ALL DID."

"TRUMAN, A CHRISTIAN, HAS A FAMILY AND A HOME. STALIN, A SOCIALIST, HAS A FAMILY AND A HOME. THEREFORE, UNDERSTANDING SHOULD BE POSSIBLE."

THE MORAL REARMAMENT MOVEMENT STRESSES FRIENDSHIP AND BROTHERHOOD.

KUROWSKI WAS ONE OF SIX FORMER GERMAN COMMUNISTS WHO ATTENDED THE CONGRESS. ALL SAID THAT AFTER VISITNG THE MORAL REARMAMENT CENTER AT CAUX THEY HAD BECOME CONVINCED THAT COMMUNISM WAS NOT THE SOLUTION TO THE WORLD'S PROBLEMS.

WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER, IN A TELEGRAM TO THE CONGRESS, SAID.

"WHEN WE BEGIN TO IMPROVE OURSELVES FIRST, EACH OF US, THEN WE WILL COME OUT OF THE CHAOS, WITH THE HELP OF GOD, TO INNER AND OUTWARD PEACE."

IRENE LAURE, FORMER SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE FRENCH SOCIALIST WOMEN'S MOVEMENT, TOLD THE CONGRESS THAT GERMANY AND FRANCE WERE REACHING POSTWAR AGREEMENT THANKS TO FRANK BUCHMAN, FOUNDER OF THE MORAL REARMAMENT MOVEMENT.

BUCHMAN TOLD THE CONGRESS THAT DIFFERENCES BETWEEN EAST AND WEST COULD BE DISSOLVED BY APPLICATION OF HIS PRINCIPLES.

"UNITY IS OUR ONE HOPE," HE SAID. "IT IS THE TRUE DESTINY OF FRANCE AND OF GERMANY TODAY. IT IS THE DESTINY OF EAST AND WEST. THE ALTERNATIVE IS DIVIDE AND DIE. MORAL RE-ARMAMENT OFFERS THE WORLD THE LAST CHANCE FOR EVERY NATION TO CHANGE AND SURVIVE, TO UNITE AND LIVE."

DR. ADENAUER ARRANGED THE MEETING AS A PUBLIC DEMONSTRATION OF THE BASIC IDEAS OF DEMOCRACY. IT WAS TIMED TO COINCIDE WITH THE COMMUNIST YOUTH RALLY IN EAST BERLIN.

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"THERE ARE THOSE WHO ARE BITTER BECAUSE THEY HAVE LOST THEIR PRIVILEGES," UCHHAN DECLARED

PRIVILEGES," BUCHMAN DECLARED, "AND THERE ARE MARXISTS WHO HAVE NOT YET FOUND THIS NEW THINKING THAT CAN AVERT CRISIS. THEY NEED TO BE WON. THEY DIVIDE A NATION, JUST AS IN EASTERN AND WESTERN GERMANY.

"AND THERE ARE STATESMEN WHO ARE FINDING THEIR WAY, FIGHTING AGAINST OPPOSING TENDENCIES, AND THEY NEED THE UNITY THAT COMES AS THE GRACE OF REBIRTH. IT IS NOT EASY IN COUNTRIES LIKE THESE, BUT IT IS THE ONLY POSSIBLE WAY."

BUCHMAN OFFERED THE IDEALS OF HIS MOVEMENT AS A "POSITIVE ALTERNATIVE TO CLASS WAR." HE CITED MANAGEMENT-LABOR RELATIONS AS AN EXAMPLE.

"MANAGEMENT AND LABOR ARE BEGINNING TO LIVE THE POSITIVE ALTERNATIVE TO CLASS WAR," HE SAID. "THESE THINGS ARE THE ONE HOPE OF FINDING UNITY FOR ALL. IS THERE ANY DIFFERENCE BETWEEN WEST AND EAST WHEN THIS BECOMES A FACT?"

BUCHMAN HAS DESCRIBED THE MORAL RE-ARMAMENT MOVEMENT AS "A FORCE IN THE WAR OF IDEAS, WITH THE TRAINING AND THE EXPERIENCE WHICH, UNDER

GOD, CAN EQUIP THE STATESMEN AND THE ORDINARY MAN WITH AN IDEOLOGY ADEQUATE TO REMAKE THE NATIONS."
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LUXEMBOURG, LUXEMBOURG, MAY 28-(AP)-A MEMORIAL DAY SERVICE WAS HELD TODAY AT THE U.S. MILITARY CEMETERY IN HAM, LUXEMBOURG, FOR THE 8,000 AMERICAN SOLDIERS OF WORLD WAR II BURIED THERE.
PRINCE FELIX OF LUXEMBOURG, MEMBERS OF THE DIPLOMATIC CORPS AND OTHER HIGH MILITARY AND CIVILIAN PERSONALITIES ATTENDED.
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CLEMENTIS (300)
PRAGUE, MAY 28-(AP)-FOREIGN MINISTER VILEM SIROKY ANNOUNCED LAST NIGHT THAT THE SIN OF HIS PREDECESSOR, VLADO CLEMENTIS, WAS THAT "HE LOST FAITH IN STALIN."
"AND A TRUE COMMUNIST MUST ALWAYS HAVE UNCONDITIONAL FAITH IN THE SOVIET UNION AND STALIN, HOWEVER DIFFICULT THE SITUATION," SIROKY TOLD THE NINTH CONGRESS OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF SLOVAKIA.
"COMRADE CLEMENTIS SHOULD HAVE REALIZED THAT STALIN ALWAYS MAKES HIS POLICY IN THE INTERESTS OF THE INTERNATIONAL REVOLUTIONARY MOVEMENT AND FOR THE FIGHT AGAINST THE IMPERIALISTS."
HE SAID CLEMENTIS' CONFESSIONS TO ACCUSATIONS OF "BOURGEOIS NATIONALIST DEVIATIONISM" ARE INCOMPLETE AND UNACCEPTABLE. AT THE SAME TIME, HE ACCUSED KAROL SMIDKE, CHAIRMAN OF THE SLOVAK COUNCIL OF COMMISSIONERS, OF "OPPOSING THE EXECUTIVE POWER OF THE (PRESIDENT KLEMENT) GOTTWALD GOVERNMENT."
SIROKY DECLARED THAT THE CONGRESS COULD NOT ACCEPT THE CONFESSIONS OF EITHER CLEMENTIS OR SMIDKE AND ADDED THAT THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA WOULD DEAL WITH THEIR CASES.
(THIS COULD MEAN THAT CLEMENTIS AND SMIDKE WILL BE CHARGED WITH TREASON, OR A CRIME OF THIS NATURE, AND PLACED ON TRIAL FOR THEIR LIVES.)
CLEMENTIS QUIT AS FOREIGN MINISTER ON MARCH 14 AND THREE DAYS AGO WAS ACCUSED OF HAVING BEEN A "CLASS ENEMY UNFRIENDLY TOWARD THE SOVIET UNION." SPECIFICALLY, THE CHARGE SAID, HE DISCLOSED THIS ANTI-RUSSIAN FEELING BY OPPOSING THE SOVIET-GERMAN PACT OF 1939 AND CONTINUED THIS ATTITUDE THROUGHOUT THE WAR.
IN THE STATEMENT OF REPENTANCE, SIROKY SAID LAST NIGHT, "COMRADE CLEMENTIS CONFESSED THAT HE FAILED AT THE TIME WHEN THE ANGLO-AMERICAN IMPERIALISTS WANTED TO DIRECT THE AGGRESSION OF FASCIST GERMANY AGAINST THE SOVIET UNION. HE FAILED IN 1939 WHEN HE LOST FAITH IN THE SOVIET UNION, WHICH MEANT HE LOST FAITH IN STALIN."
NOW, SAID SIROKY, IT IS UP THE CLEMENTIS TO "RECONSIDER THE CRITICISMS OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE AND TRY TO MAKE A SINCERE AND HONEST SELF-CRITICISM." CLEMENTIS BECAME FOREIGN MINISTER AFTER HIS PREDECESSOR, JAN MASARYK, DIED IN A PLUNGE FROM A FOREIGN MINISTRY WINDO

PREDECESSOR, JAN MASARYK, DIED IN A PLUNGE FROM A FOREIGN MINISTRY WINDOW IN FEBRUARY, 1948.
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PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, MAY 29-(AP)-VLADO CLEMENTIS WAS OUSTED FROM HIS JOB AS FOREIGN MINISTER BECAUSE HE "LOST FAITH IN STALIN."
THAT WAS THE EXPLANATION GIVEN BY HIS SUCCESSOR, VILEM SIROKY, WHO SAID AT A PARTY CONFERENCE THAT "A TRUE COMMUNIST MUST ALWAYS HAVE UNCONDITIONAL FAITH IN THE SOVIET UNION AND STALIN, HOWEVER DIFFICULT THE SITUATION."
CLEMENTIS WENT OUT AS FOREIGN MINISTER ON MARCH 14. FOUR DAYS AGO HE WAS ACCUSED OF HAVING BEEN A "CLASS ENEMY, UNFRIENDLY TOWARD THE SOVIET UNION." SPECIFICALLY, THE CHARGE SAID, HE DISCLOSED THIS ANTI-SOVIET FEELING BY OPPOSING THE RUSSIAN-GERMAN PACT OF 1939.
SIROKY ALSO ACCUSED KAROL SMIDKE, CHAIRMAN OF THE SLOVAK COUNCIL OF COMMISSIONERS OF "OPPOSING THE EXECUTIVE POWER OF THE (PRESIDENT KLEMENT) GOTTWALD GOVERNMENT."
HE SAID THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA WOULD DEAL WITH BOTH CLEMENTIS AND SMIDKE.
(THIS COULD MEAN BOTH WILL BE CHARGED WITH TREASON, AND PLACED ON TRIAL FOR THEIR LIVES.)
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PRAGUE, MAY 28-(AP)-CZECHOSLOVAKIA'S COMMUNIST ORGAN, RUDE PRAVO, SHARPLY CRITICIZED TODAY THE "BUREAUCRATIC" PROCEDURE OF A HOUSING OFFICE WHICH ORDERED A HUSBAND TO FILL OUT AN APPLICATION AS A LODGER BEFORE HE COULD MOVE INTO HIS WIFE'S ONE-ROOM FLAT.
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MOSCOW, MAY 28-(AP)-JAPANESE COMMUNIST LEADER, SANZO NOZAKA, WAS REPORTED BY PRAVDA TODAY AS SAYING THAT HE WILL WAGE A DECISIVE BATTLE WITHIN THE PARTY AGAINST INTERNAL OPPOSITION.
THE PAPER, ORGAN OF THE RUSSIAN COMMUNIST PARTY, ALSO QUOTED NOZAKA AS SAYING THE COMING JAPANESE ELECTIONS WILL BE A STRUGGLE BETWEEN THE PROPONENTS OF A GENERAL AND A SEPARATE PEACE TREATY.
--DASH--
NOZAKA, A MEMBER OF THE JAPANESE COMMUNIST PARTY POLITBURO, TOLD A CHEERING CROWD OF 300,000 ON MAY DAY IN TOKYO THAT A "PEOPLE'S FRONT" AGAINST IMPERIALISM AND ANY PACIFIC PACT "OF AN IMPERIALIST NATURE" SHOULD BE FORMED.
THAT WAS HIS FIRST ADDRESS IN PUBLIC SINCE THE COMINFORM AND PRAVDA HAD REBUKED HIM FOR STRAYING FROM THE PARTY LINE. THE REBUKE FROM THE KREMLIN WAS FIRST MADE PUBLIC JAN. 20 WHEN JAPAN'S COMMUNISTS BOWED TO THE COMINFORM.
THEY ADMITTED THAT THEY HAD BEEN GUILTY OF DEVIATIONS AND SAID THEY WOULD NOT DO IT AGAIN.
EARLIER, NOZAKA AND HIS FELLOW MEMBERS OF THE JAPANESE POLITBURO HAD DENIED THE COMINFORM CHARGES. THE COMINFORM HAD ACCUSED NOZAKA OF SERVING THE IMPERIALIST OCCUPIERS OF JAPAN BY MAINTAINING THAT

COMMUNISM'S GOAL COULD BE ACHIEVED UNDER THE ALLIED OCCUPATION.
ON JAN. 20 THE JAPANESE COMMUNIST PARTY, HEADED BY NOZAKA, SAID IT WOULD TRY TO LIVE UP TO THE COMMUNIST IDEALS AS SET FORTH BY MOSCOW AND NOT SET UP STANDARDS OF ITS OWN.
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MOSCOW, MAY 28-(AP)-THE SOVIET PRESS DECLARED TODAY THAT GERMAN WORKERS ARE ENRAGED AT A "NEW CRIME OF THE AMERICANS"--DROPPING COLORADO BEETLES (POTATO BUGS) FROM PLANES OVER EASTERN GERMANY.
A TASS REPORT DATELINED BERLIN SAID THE AMERICANS ARE DOING THIS IN AN EFFORT TO HARM THE FOOD SUPPLY OF EASTERN GERMANY AND ADDED THAT THE POPULATION IS BEING MOBILIZED FOR BATTLE AGAINST THE BUGS.
--DASH--
AMERICANS IN GERMANY ARE INCREDULOUS AT THESE CHARGES OF POTATO BUG WARFARE AND GET THE GIGGLES WHEN ASKED ABOUT THEM. IN SOBER REFLECTION THEY FEEL THE POTATO CROP IN EASTERN GERMANY MAY HAVE FAILED, CAUSING THE COMMUNIST LEADERS THERE TO LOOK ABOUT FOR A SCAPEGOAT.
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BY SPENCER MOOSA
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TAIPEI, FORMOSA, MAY 28-(AP)-THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS ADMITTED TODAY THAT THEY HAD ABANDONED THE LAPSAPMEI ISLANDS NEAR HONG KONG.
(THIS WAS A BACKHANDED METHOD OF ACKNOWLEDGING WITHDRAWAL FROM THE WANSHAN OR LADRONE ISLANDS, WHERE THEY HAD PROCLAIMED A GREAT VICTORY OVER COMMUNIST INVASION FORCES ONLY TWO DAYS EARLIER. LAPSAPMEI IS THE KEY ISLAND IN THE CLUSTER OFF A DOZEN OR SO DOTS OF LAND IN THE PEARL RIVERS ESTUARY WHICH GENERALLY ARE LUMPED TOGETHER AS THE WANSHANS BUT SOMETIMES ARE CLASSIFIED AS DIFFERENT GROUPS.
(A BRITISH NAVAL SPOKESMAN IN HONG KONG DISCLOSED SATURDAY THAT THE NATIONALISTS HAD PULLED OUT AND HAD LANDED THEIR 1,000-MAN GARRISON ON LITTLE LINGTING ISLAND, 10 MILES SOUTH OF HONG KONG, AS A TEMPORARY HAVEN BEFORE LEAVING FOR FORMOSA.")
NATIONALIST NAVAL HEADQUARTERS SAID THE LAPSAPMEI ISLANDS WERE ISOLATED AS A RESULT OF RED LANDINGS ON THE WANSHANS MAY 25. IT SAID ONLY SMALL NATIONALIST GUERRILLA UNITS HAD BEEN STATIONED IN THE WANSHANS.
NAVAL SOURCES EXPLAINED THAT THIS MEANT THERE WERE NO REGULARS THERE, AND THE ISLANDS THEREFORE COULD NOT BE ABANDONED IN THE SENSE THAT HAINAN AND THE CHUSHAN ISLANDS WERE PREVIOUSLY.
THE NAVAL COMMUNIQUE SAID, "OUR SHIPS STILL MAINTAIN FREE MOVEMENT IN THE ESTUARY OF THE PEARL RIVER," WHICH LEADS TO COMMUNIST CANTON. IT ADDED THAT "COMMODORE LIU IS NOW DIRECTING HIS SHIPS IN HARASSING THE COMMUNISTS."
A GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN ALSO SAID ONE SMALL RED GUNBOAT AND FIVE LANDING CRAFT HAD BEEN ADDED TO THE LIST OF COMMUNIST VESSELS LISTED AS SUNK IN THE FIGHTING THURSDAY AND FRIDAY. THE ORIGINAL CLAIM WAS THAT 19 RED GUNBOATS, ONE LANDING CRAFT AND 54 MOTOR-DRIVEN JUNKS HAD BEEN SUNK, COSTING THE COMMUNISTS 4,000 CASUALTIES.
A TOTAL OF 249 RED PRISONERS WAS LISTED, INCLUDING SOME FORMER CREW MEMBERS OF THE CRUISER CHUNGKING. THAT SHIP, FORMERLY THE FAMOUS BRITISH CRUISER AURORA, DESERTED TO THE REDS MARCH 1, 1949. NATIONALIST FLIERS THEN CAUGHT HER OFF THE MANCHURIAN COAST AND REPORTED THEY HAD BOMBED HER TO A USELESS HULK IN SHALLOW WATER.

(THERE HAVE BEEN RECENT UNCONFIRMABLE RUMORS THAT THE REDS HAVE RIGHTED THE CHUNGKING AND ARE ATTEMPTING TO PERMIT HER TO AID AN INVASION OF FORMOSA.)
IN FORMOSA, THE DEFENSE MINIST[illegible] OF 64 COMMUNIST SUSPECTS, SAYING THEY HAD IGNORED [illegible] ALL PERSONS WITH RED AFFILIATIONS TO SURRENDER. I[illegible] HAD SURRENDERED VOLUNTARILY AND 31 OTHERS WERE SO
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TAIPEI, MAY 28-(AP)-NATIONALIST CHINA TODAY ADMITTED ABANDONMENT OF THE SMALL LAFSAMI ISLANDS IN THE PEARL RIVER ESTUARY WHICH HAD BEEN USED AS A NAVAL BASE.
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ON JAN. 20 THE JAPANESE COMMUNIST PARTY, HEADED BY NOZAKA, SAID IT WOULD TRY TO LIVE UP TO THE COMMUNIST IDEALS AS SET FORTH BY MOSCOW AND NOT SET UP STANDARDS OF ITS OWN.
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MOSCOW, MAY 28-(AP)-THE SOVIET PRESS DECLARED TODAY THAT GERMAN WORKERS ARE ENRAGED AT A "NEW CRIME OF THE AMERICANS"--DROPPING COLORADO BEETLES (POTATO BUGS) FROM PLANES OVER EASTERN GERMANY.
A TASS REPORT DATELINED BERLIN SAID THE AMERICANS ARE DOING THIS IN AN EFFORT TO HARM THE FOOD SUPPLY OF EASTERN GERMANY AND ADDED THAT THE POPULATION IS BEING MOBILIZED FOR BATTLE AGAINST THE BUGS.
--DASH--
AMERICANS IN GERMANY ARE INCREDULOUS AT THESE CHARGES OF POTATO BUG WARFARE AND GET THE GIGGLES WHEN ASKED ABOUT THEM. IN SOBER REFLECTION THEY FEEL THE POTATO CROP IN EASTERN GERMANY MAY HAVE FAILED, CAUSING THE COMMUNIST LEADERS THERE TO LOOK ABOUT FOR A SCAPEGOAT.
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A66FX
(375)
MAY 29 1950
BY SPENCER MOOSA
TAIPEI, FORMOSA, MAY 28-(AP)-THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS ADMITTED TODAY THAT THEY HAD ABANDONED THE LAPSAPMEI ISLANDS NEAR HONG KONG.
(THIS WAS A BACKHANDED METHOD OF ACKNOWLEDGING WITHDRAWAL FROM THE WANSHAN OR LADRONE ISLANDS, WHERE THEY HAD PROCLAIMED A GREAT VICTORY OVER COMMUNIST INVASION FORCES ONLY TWO DAYS EARLIER. LAPSAPMEI IS THE KEY ISLAND IN THE CLUSTER OFF A DOZEN OR SO DOTS OF LAND IN THE PEARL RIVERS ESTUARY WHICH GENERALLY ARE LUMPED TOGETHER AS THE WANSHANS BUT SOMETIMES ARE CLASSIFIED AS DIFFERENT GROUPS.
(A BRITISH NAVAL SPOKESMAN IN HONG KONG DISCLOSED SATURDAY THAT THE NATIONALISTS HAD PULLED OUT AND HAD LANDED THEIR 1,000-MAN GARRISON ON LITTLE LINGTING ISLAND, 10 MILES SOUTH OF HONG KONG, AS A TEMPORARY HAVEN BEFORE LEAVING FOR FORMOSA.")
NATIONALIST NAVAL HEADQUARTERS SAID THE LAPSAPMEI ISLANDS WERE ISOLATED AS A RESULT OF RED LANDINGS ON THE WANSHANS MAY 25. IT SAID ONLY SMALL NATIONALIST GUERRILLA UNITS HAD BEEN STATIONED IN THE WANSHANS.
NAVAL SOURCES EXPLAINED THAT THIS MEANT THERE WERE NO REGULARS THERE, AND THE ISLANDS THEREFORE COULD NOT BE ABANDONED IN THE SENSE THAT HAINAN AND THE CHUSHAN ISLANDS WERE PREVIOUSLY.
THE NAVAL COMMUNIQUE SAID, "OUR SHIPS STILL MAINTAIN FREE MOVEMENT IN THE ESTUARY OF THE PEARL RIVER," WHICH LEADS TO COMMUNIST CANTON. IT ADDED THAT "COMMODORE LIU IS NOW DIRECTING HIS SHIPS IN HARASSING THE COMMUNISTS."
A GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN ALSO SAID ONE SMALL RED GUNBOAT AND FIVE LANDING CRAFT HAD BEEN ADDED TO THE LIST OF COMMUNIST VESSELS LISTED AS SUNK IN THE FIGHTING THURSDAY AND FRIDAY. THE ORIGINAL CLAIM WAS THAT 19 RED GUNBOATS, ONE LANDING CRAFT AND 54 MOTOR-DRIVEN JUNKS HAD BEEN SUNK, COSTING THE COMMUNISTS 4,000 CASUALTIES.
A TOTAL OF 249 RED PRISONERS WAS LISTED, INCLUDING SOME FORMER CREW MEMBERS OF THE CRUISER CHUNGKING. THAT SHIP, FORMERLY THE FAMOUS BRITISH CRUISER AURORA, DESERTED TO THE REDS MARCH 1, 1949. NATIONALIST FLIERS THEN CAUGHT HER OFF THE MANCHURIAN COAST AND REPORTED THEY HAD BOMBED HER TO A USELESS HULK IN SHALLOW WATER.
(THERE HAVE BEEN RECENT UNCONFIRMABLE RUMORS THAT THE REDS HAVE RIGHTED THE CHUNGKING AND ARE ATTEMPTING TO REFIT HER TO AID AN INVASION OF FORMOSA.)
IN FORMOSA, THE DEFENSE MINISTRY ANNOUNCED ARREST OF 64 COMMUNIST SUSPECTS, SAYING THEY HAD IGNORED A RECENT ORDER FOR ALL PERSONS WITH RED AFFILIATIONS TO SURRENDER. IT SAID 196 OTHERS HAD SURRENDERED VOLUNTARILY AND 31 OTHERS WERE SOUGHT.
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UNUSUALLY SHORT TIME BEFORE SAILING. NO EXPLANATION FOR THE ABRUPT MOVE WAS GIVEN.

COL. SEVASTYAN A.POLYSHENKO, AN OBSCURE OFFICER, WAS LEFT IN CHARGE OF THE EXCEEDINGLY ACTIVE SOVIET MISSION IN TOKYO. EVEN WITH THE DEPARTURES, IT STILL NUMBERS MORE THAN 100 OFFICIALS.

AT LEAST TWO OF DEREVYANKO'S KEY DEPUTIES DEPARTED WITH HIM. A.A. GROMOV, CHIEF ECONOMIC ADVISER, LEFT HIS FAMILY IN TOKYO, INDICATING HE MIGHT INTEND TO RETURN. V.A.GLINKIN, DEPUTY POLITICAL ADVISER, TOOK HIS FAMILY WITH HIM.

A NUMBER OF OFFICERS FROM COLONEL DOWN, ALSO WERE IN THE PARTY, INCLUDING THE MISSION'S EXECUTIVE OFFICER, LT. COL. M.P. POSAZHENNIKOV.

AN OFFICIAL SOVIET LIST SENT TO OCCUPATION HEADQUARTERS DESCRIBED THE MAJORITY OF THOSE LEAVING AS CLERKS, COOKS AND CHAUFFEURS. THERE WAS NO WAY OF KNOWING WHETHER TOP MEN MIGHT BE MASQUERADING IN MENIAL JOBS, AS IS SOMETIMES THE CASE.

AMERICAN OFFICIALS SAID, HOWEVER, THAT, EXCEPT FOR DEREVYANKO, THE WITHDRAWAL COULD BE A ROUTINE TRANSFER. THEY NOTED THAT THERE HAD BEEN NO PERSONNEL CHANGES LATELY AND THAT MANY RUSSIANS LIKED TO TIME THEIR LIEAVES TO AVOID TOKYO'S SUMMER HEAT.

RELIABLE SOURCES DISAGREED WHETHER ANY KEY MEMBERS OF THE SOVIET MISSION WERE STILL IN TOKYO. SOME SAID ALL HAD GONE; OTHERS SAID A FEW MAJOR BUT LITTLE-KNOWN FIGURES REMAINED.

DEREVYANKO IS REGARDED BY HIGH AMERICAN OFFICIALS AS A CAPABLE AND LIKEABLE OFFICER. AUTHORITATIVE QUARTERS SAID HIS BACKGROUND MIGHT MAKE HIM A VALUABLE ADVISER IN MOSCOW FOR ANY INCREASED DRIVE IN THE FAR EAST, A SPHERE IN WHICH THEY SAID THE KREMLIN REGARDED MACARTHUR ITS MOST TROUBLESOME ADVERSARY.

ON THE OTHER HAND, DEREVYANKO HAS BEEN THE LOSER IN A BITTER AND OPEN CONFLICT WITH MACARTHUR FOR CONTROL OF JAPAN.

DEREVYANKO WAS ABSENT FROM HIS POST FOR A YEAR IN 1947-48. HIGH SOURCES EXPRESSED BELIEF THAT DURING THAT PERIOD HE WAS IN CHARGE OF PREPARING A SOVIET SPEARHEAD INTO JAPAN THROUGH THE LAST BIG GROUP OF REPATRIATED WAR PRISONERS.

SUBSEQUENTLY, 90,000 YOUNG HUSKIES WHO HAD BEEN CONSISTENTLY INDOCTRINATED IN SOVIET PRISON CAMPS WERE SUDDENLY RETURNED TO JAPAN.

THE INFORMANTS SAID THEIR JOB WAS TO FORM A CORE OF DISRUPTION WHICH IT WAS HOPED WOULD GROW INTO GUERRILLA FIGHTING SUCH AS THE COMMUNIST OPERATIONS IN INDOCHINA AND GREECE.

THE SCHEME FAILED. THE FIRST SHIPLOADS CAME ASHORE SINGING RED SONGS AND LOOKING FOR TROUBLE, BUT SOON QUIETED DOWN.

"DEREVYANKO HAS FAILED," SAID THE SOURCES, "AT LEAST FOR THE TIME BEING."

MACARTHUR HAS EMBARRASSED DEREVYANKO REPEATEDLY WITH HIS CAMPAIGN TO MAKE THE RUSSIANS ACCOUNT FOR SOME 370,000 MISSING WAR PRISONERS.

DEREVYANKO'S LATEST COUNTER-THRUST WAS A CHARGE THREE WEEKS AGO THAT AMERICAN BASES IN JAPAN AND OKINAWA VIOLATED OCCUPATION POLICY, MACARTHUR DISMISSED TTHIS AS "PROVOCATIVE IMPERTINENCE."

THIS FAILURE, AUTHORITATIVE INFORMANTS SAID, MIGHT ACCOUNT FOR DEREVYANKO'S HASTY RECALL. IT WOULD NOT EXPLAIN THE LARGE NUMBER OF OFFICIALS ACCOMPANYING HIM, UNLESS THEY, AS OFFICERS CLOSE TO THE GENERAL, ARE TTO SHARE THE BLAME.

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SEOUL, KOREA, MAY 28-(AP)-THE SOUTH KOREAN FOREIGN OFFICE DISCLOSED TODAY THAT AHN HO SANG, ACTING HEAD OF THE KOREAN YOUTH CORPS, WOULD GO TO JAPAN TO ORGANIZE A BRANCH OF THE CORPS AMONG KOREAN YOUTHS THERE.

IT ALSO REPORTED A FIVE-MEMBER GOODWILL MISSION SOON WOULD VISIT JAPAN.

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(130)

HONG KONG, MONDAY, MAY 29-(AP)-THERE WAS QUITE A DISAGREEMENT IN THIS COLONY TODAY WHETHER CHINESE COMMUNST TROOPS DID OR DID NOT LAND ON A BRITISH-CONTROLLED ISLAND 10 MILES WEST OF THIS CITY.

AN UNCONFIRMED REPORT SAID ABOUT 20 RED SOLDIERS LANDED IN LANTAO ISLAND SUNDAY. THE HONG KONG POLICE SENT LAUNCHES TO LANTAO ABOUT 2 P.M. SUNDAY.

WHEN THEY RETURNED EARLY MONDAY, POLICE DIVISIONAL SUPERINTENDENT B.TURNER SAID:

"POLICE WERE ABSOLUTELY UNABLE TO LOCATE ANY CHINESE RED TROOPS ON LANTAO. THE LANDING REPORT WAS OBVIOUSLY ERRONEOUS."

HOWEVER, THE CHINA MAIL SAID THE POLICE FOUND THE REDS AND QUIETLY TRANSFERRED THEM TO COMMUNIST TERRITORY BEFORE RETURNING HOME TO REPORT A WATERHAUL.

ITS THEORY WAS THAT THE REDS WERE CASTAWAYS WHOSE JUNK WAS SUNK IN THE BATTLE WITH THE NATIONALISTS FOR THE NEARBY WANSHAN ISLANDS.

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HONG KONG, MAY 28-(AP)-BRITISH MERCHANTS' HOPES FOR EARLY RESUMPTION OF THROUGH RAIL TRAFFIC TO COMMUNIST CANTON TOOK A NOSEDIVE TODAY.

INDEPENDENT CHINESE PRESS REPORTS SAID THAT IN TALKS WITH I.B.TREVOR, GENERAL MANAGER OF THE BRITISH SECTION OF THE LINE, THE REDS LAID DOWN THESE TERMS:

1. THE RED SECTION OF THE LINE TO GET 90 PER CENT OF THE PROFITS INSTEAD OF THE 80 PER CENT IT GOT UNDER THE NATIONALISTS;
2. ALL OLD NATIONALIST ACCOUNTS TO BE TURNED OVER TO THE REDS; AND
3. UNCONDITIONAL TRANSFER TO THE REDS OF ALL EQUIPMENT NOW ON THE HONG KONG SECTION OF THE LINE.

WHEN TREVOR RETURNED FROM CANTON WEDNESDAY, THE HONG KONG GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED THAT IT WAS "A LITTLE EARLY TO GIVE DETAILS OF THE OUTCOME OF DISCUSSIONS."

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A148FX (SEOUL ADV)
(ADVANCE FOR AMS OF SUNDAY, MAY 28)
KOREAN ELECTION (740)
BY O.H.P.KING

(ADVANCE) SEOUL,MAY 27-(AP)-SOUTH KOREANS--FACING THEIR FIRST SELF-CONDUCTED NATIONAL ELECTIONS TUESDAY--SEEM TO HAVE MASTERED THE

DISTINCTION BETWEEN BALLOTS AND BULLETS.
HUNDREDS DIED IN ELECTION VIOLENCE WHEN PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE AND THE 210-MEMBER NATIONAL ASSEMBLY WERE ELECTED TWO YEARS AGO. THE UNITED STATES SUPERVISED THAT ONE,WHEN RHEE WON A FOUR-YEAR TERM AND THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH KOREA CAME INTO BEING.
THE CAMPAIGN THIS YEAR HAS BEEN QUIET. THE 210 SEATS IN THE ASSEMBLY WILL BE FILLED. RHEE'S TERM STILL HAS TWO YEARS TO RUN, BUT AT STAKE IS HIS CONTROL OVER THE ASSEMBLY.
A UNITED NATIONS TEAM OF OBSERVERS WHICH TOURED THE PROVINCES REPORTED: "SINCERE EFFORTS FOR AN HONEST ELECTION ARE BEING MADE."
IT FOUND ONLY A FEW INSTANCES OF STRONG-ARM TACTICS.A HILL BAND RAIDED THE HOME OF A CANDIDATE REGARDED AS AN EXTREME RIGHTIST IN A ONCE-ACTIVE GUERRILLA AREA 150 MILES SOUTH OF SEOUL.
THEY BURNED HIS HOME, DESTROYED HIS RICE AND STOLE HIS COW.
ON KANG WHA ISLAND 45 MILES NORTHWEST OF SEOUL, POLICE PICKED UP A REGISTERED NON-PARTISAN CANDIDATE FOR QUESTIONING. HE WAS QUOTED AS SAYING IN PUBLIC SPEECHES THAT "MY IDEOLOGICAL BIRTHPLACE IS MOSCOW."

POLICE ROUNDED UP ABOUT 300 PERSONS THEY ACCUSED OF PLOTTING ELECTION INTERFERENCE WITH THE SUPPORT OF THE COMMUNIST NORTH KOREAN REGIME.
BRIG. GEN. WILLIAM L. ROBERTS, HEAD OF THE U.S. MILITARY ADVISORY GROUP, TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE TODAY, HOWEVER, THAT ALL INFORMATION HE HAD RECEIVED IN RECENT DAYS POINTED TO NORMAL ELECTION CONDITIONS.
ROBERTS SAID THAT U.S. AMBASSADOR JOHN J. MUCCIO HAD ADVISED AMERICANS TO STAY OFF THE STREETS AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE AS A PRECAUTION, EVEN THOUGH ELECTION DAY HAPPENS ALSO TO BE AMERICAN MEMORIAL DAY.
BUT IF THINGS XXX PICKING UP 9TH GRAF AND DELETING 8TH GRAF BEGINNING "BUT IF THINGS"
POLICE ROUNDED UP 150 ALLEGED MEMBERS OF THE OUTLAWED SOUTH KOREAN LABOR PARTY. THERE WERE A FEW OTHER SCATTERED ARRESTS.
BUT IF THINGS ARE QUIET NOW, THAT WASN'T THE PICTURE TWO YEARS AGO. THEN THE U.S. MILITARY GOVERNMENT RAN THE SHOW AND U.N. OBSERVERS LOOKED ON IN HORROR. THIS WAS THE ELECTION TOLL:
IN PRE-ELECTION CAMPAIGNING, 800 KILLED OR INJURED. ON ELECTION DAY, 44 KILLED AND 62 WOUNDED. VOTERS DODGED BULLETS ON THEIR WAY TO THE POLLS. COMMUNISTS WERE BLAMED FOR MUCH OF THE VIOLENCE.
NOW THE AUTHORITIES SEEM TO HAVE OBTAINED CONTROL OVER UNRULY ELEMENTS.
THE COMMUNISTS HAVE GONE UNDERGROUND AND ARE HARASSED BY THE ARMY.

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THE ELECTION ITSELF WAS AN ISSUE FOR A TIME. PRESIDENT RHEE, 75-YEAR-OLD PATRIARCH, POSTPONED THE ELECTION UNTIL NOVEMBER. HE SAID THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY NEEDED MORE TIME TO PASS THE BALANCED BUDGET URGED BY THE UNITED STATES, WHICH IS SUPPLYING MARSHALL PLAN AID.
ASSEMBLYMEN COULDN'T BE EXPECTED TO PASS STIFFER TAXES AND THEN CAMPAIGN WITH ANY HOPE OF REELECTION, RHEE INSISTED.
OPPONENTS OBJECTED. SO DID U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON, IN STRONG LANGUAGE. HE TOLD SOUTH KOREA TO PASS THE BALANCED BUDGET AND HOLD ITS ELECTIONS IN MAY OR FACE THE PROSPECT OF LOSING ALL U.S. AID, ABOUT $100,000,000 (M) A YEAR.
RHEE HASTILY RESCHEDULED THE ELECTION AND ORDERED THE ASSEMBLY TO PASS THE BALANCED BUDGET. IT OBEYED.
THE CRISIS CAUSED A CABINET SHAKEUP. PREMIER LEE BUM SUK RESIGNED, OSTENSIBLY TO SEEK ELECTION TO THE ASSEMBLY. HIS MOVE WAS REGARDED AS SHOULDERING THE BLAME FOR ACHESON'S CRITICISM. THERE WERE SEVERAL LATER CABINET RESIGNATIONS.
THERE ARE VIRTUALLY NO MAJOR PUBLIC ISSUES. FEW VOTERS CAN TELL ONE PARTY FROM ANOTHER, EITHER BY NAME OR PLATFORM. ALL ADVOCATE DEMOCRACY, UNIFICATION OF DIVIDED KOREA, A BALANCED BUDGET, LOWER TAXES, STRONGER MILITARY FORCES, MORE EXPORTS AND PROSPERITY.
BUT LACK OF THE CAMPAIGN, WAGED BY MORE THAN 2,000 CANDIDATES, IS THE ISSUE OF RHEE HIMSELF.
THE ADMINISTRATION MAKES NO ATTEMPT TO HIDE ITS CONCERN. SOME MONTHS AGO IT BEAT DOWN AN ATTEMPT TO CURTAIL THE PRESIDENT'S CONSTITUTIONAL POWERS.
THE ISSUE IS CERTAIN TO BE REVIVED IF ANTI-RHEE FORCES WIN CONTROL.
CHIEF OF THE OPPONENTS ARE THE DEMOCRATIC NATIONALISTS, WITH 155 CANDIDATES. THE NATIONAL SOCIETY (KOOK MIN HOI) AND KOREAN YOUTH CORPS, WITH 113 AND 67 CANDIDATES RESPECTIVELY, ARE STRONGLY PRO-RHEE. THE KOREAN NATIONALISTS, SOMEWHERE IN THE MIDDLE, HAVE 183 CANDIDATES.
ABOUT 1,500 CANDIDATES ARE RUNNING AS NON-PARTISANS OR INDEPENDENTS. BUT MANY ARE KNOWN PARTY STALWARTS.
SOUTH KOREA HAS 8,300,731 REGISTERED VOTERS. OBSERVERS ESTIMATE 75 TO 87 PER CENT WILL VOTE, DEPENDING LARGELY ON WEATHER. THEY EXPECT NO BOYCOTT AS WAS WAGED TWO YEARS AGO WHEN 29 PER CENT OF THE POTENTIAL VOTERS STAYED HOME OR JOINED SHARPSHOOTING BANDS. MANY OF THESE WERE COMMUNISTS OR SYMPATHIZERS.
THE WHOLE ISSUE OF COMMUNISM AND THE COLD WAR BOILS IN THE BACKGROUND. CAN THE SOUTH KOREA REPUBLIC REMAIN ON THE SIDE OF THE WESTERN POWERS? CAN IT RESIST THE TIDE OF COMMUNISM THAT HAS SWEPT OVER MUCH OF ASIA AND EVEN ONE-THIRD OF KOREA'S 31,000,000 (M) POPULATION AND ONE-HALF ITS LAND AREA?
ONE AMERICAN WHO HAS LIVED HERE FIVE YEARS SAYS HE THINKS SO.
SOUTH KOREA HAS TAKEN TO DEMOCRACY BECAUSE IT WAS PRESENTED TO HER ON A SILVER PLATTER ALONG WITH LIBERATION FROM THE JAPANESE, HE SAID. BUT "SHE IS DOING HER BEST TO EARN IT AND TO HELP HOLD BACK THE TIDE OF COMMUNISM."
(END ADVANCE FOR AMS OF SUNDAY, MAY 28)
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A71FX
BAGUIO, PHILIPPINES, MAY WIAKAP)-THE SEVEN NATIONS REPRESENTED AT THE BAGUIO CONFERENCE ARE SEEKING TO EXPAND REGIONAL TRADE, CARLOS P.ROMULO, PHILIPPINES FOREIGN SECRETARY, TOLD REPORTERS TODAY.
REPORTING ON THE CLOSED SESSIONS, ROMULO, WHO IS PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES-SPONSORED CONFERENCE, ALSO SAID, "THERE IS A POSSIBILITY OF SOME PROPOSALS ON THE POLITICAL LEVEL BEING BROUGHT BEFORE THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE WHEN IT MEETS MONDAY."
BESIDE THE PHILIPPINES, AUSTRALIA, INDIA, PAKISTAN, CEYLON, THAILAND (SIAM) AND INDONESIA ARE REPRESENTED.
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A126
TEL AVIV, ISRAEL, MAY 28-(AP)-ISRAEL SAID TONIGHT SHE WILL PAY $54,628 FOR DAMAGES IN CONNECTION WITH THE ASSASSINATION OF COUNT FOLKE BERNADOTTE. THE UNITED NATIONS PALESTINE MEDIATOR WAS KILLED IN THE JEWISH-HELD SECTOR OF JERUSALEM SEPT. 17, 1948.
THE GOVERNMENT SAID IN A PRESS STATEMENT IT IS APOLOGIZING FORMALLY FOR THE SLAYING OF BERNADOTTE AND PLEDGING CONTINUED SEARCH FOR HIS KILLERS.
U.N. SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE, IN A LETTER TO THE ISRAELI FOREIGN MINISTRY, DEMANDED DAMAGES FOR THE FUNERAL AND OTHER EXPENSES RESULTING FROM BERNADOTTE'S DEATH.

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The Israeli Government statement said Countess Bernadotte has specific-

ally waived all claim for pecuniary compensation for her husband's death

The statement added that Israel is drafting a reply to a report by Swede

chief prosecutor asserting that Israeli authorities had displayed "aston

ishing negligence" in the search for Bernadotte's slayers. The report was

delivered to the Israeli Government in March by a special Swedish envoy.

Bernadotte was a nephew of Sweden's King Gustav V.

Israel has maintained her investigators have done everything possible

find Bernadotte's slayers.

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QUALITY OF ITS RESPONSE TO THE CALL OF THE EAST THAT AMERICA'S FUTURE AS A WORLD LEADER WILL DEPEND."

THE PAPER, OF WHICH THE PRIME MINISTER IS ONE OF THE TRUSTEES, RECALLED THAT HE MADE 31 MAJOR SPEECHES, HELD EIGHT NEWS CONFERENCES AND APPEARED FOUR TIMES ON RADIO AND TELEVISION DURING HIS TOUR.

IT SAID THE OBJECT OF THE TRIP, MADE ON INVITATION OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN, WAS TO HELP AMERICA DISCOVER PAKISTAN. DAWN COMMENTED ON THE "PRODIGIES OF PUBLICITY" WHICH GREETED LIAQUAT AND SAID THE WASHINGTON TIMES HERALD HAD GREETED HIM WITH A HEADLINE USING A CHARACTERISTIC PAKISTANI PHRASE OF WELCOME.

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BEIRUT, LEBANON, MAY 28-(AP)-THE LEBANESE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS TODAY CONFIRMED THIS COUNTRY'S PEACEFUL INTENTIONS AS A CONDITION UNDER WHICH THE WESTERN POWERS WILL ARM THE MIDDLE EAST.

THE MINISTERS HELD A SPECIAL MEETING TO DISCUSS THE U.S.-BRITISH-FRENCH AGREEMENT TO SUPPLY ARMS TO THE ARAB NATIONS AND ISRAEL PROVIDED THESE COUNTRIES GIVE ASSURANCES THAT THE WEAPONS WILL NOT BE USED FOR AGGRESSIVE WARFARE.

WHILE DECLARING LEBANON'S PEACEFUL INTENTIONS, THE MINISTERS DECIDED TO ASK THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS TO CLARIFY THE TERMS "AGGRESSION," "STATUS QUO" AND "VIOLATION OF ARMISTICE." LEBANON WILL DISCUSS THE REQUEST WITH OTHER ARAB STATES FOR POSSIBLE JOINT PRESENTATION TO THE BIG THREE.

A BIG THREE STATEMENT THURSDAY SAID IF ANY NATION RECEIVING THE ARMS VIOLATED THE "TRUCE LINES" OF THE PALESTINE WAR, THE THREE POWERS WOULD ACT. IT MADE CLEAR THE ARMS WERE TO BE USED FOR DEFENSE ALONE.

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CAIRO,EGYPT,MAY 28-(AP)-THE NEWSPAPER AL MISRI SAID TODAY EGYPT WILL ASK THE WEST THAT THE EGYPTIAN ARMY BE PROPERLY EQUIPPED SO THAT SHE CAN DEFEND HER TERRITORY ALONE.

THIS INCLUDES THE STRATEGIC SUEZ CANAL GARRISONED AT PRESENT WITH BRITISH TROOPS.

THE WAFDIST NEWSPAPER, WHICH IS CLOSE TO THE EGYPTIAN GOVERNMENT, SAID THAT THE PROPOSAL WILL BE MADE IN A MEMORANDUM TO BRITAIN.

THE PAPER SAID EGYPT'S DEMAND WAS DECIDED ON AFTER THE RECENT BIG THREE ARMS STATEMENT WHICH PERMITS SHIPMENT TO EGYPT AND OTHER MID-EASTERN STATES OF AMERICAN AND BRITISH ARMAMENTS.

THE PROPOSAL WILL FOLLOW A RECENT EXCHANGE OF VIEWS BETWEEN CAIRO AND LONDON OVER REVISION OF THE 1936 ANGLO-EGYPTIAN ALLIANCE.

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KARACHI, PAKISTAN, MAY 28-(AP)-THE KARACHI NEWSPAPER DAWN DECLARED TODAY THE UNITED STATES GAVE PAKISTANI PREMIER LIAQUAT ALI KHAN AND HIS WIFE "A WELCOME WORTH OF THAT GREAT NATION" DURING HIS AMERICAN VISIT.

"PAKISTAN IS DEEPLY SENSIBLE OF THE HONOR DONE IT BY THE HOSTS, BELONGING TO ALL CLASSES AND WALKS OF AMERICAN LIFE," SAID DAWN.

"LIAQUAT CONDUCTED HIMSELF AS AN ADVOCATE OF THE BACKWARD AREAS OF THE EAST. HE REMINDED AMERICA THAT THE PEACE, PROSPERITY AND FREEDOM OF THE WORLD ARE INDIVISIBLE. NOW IT IS ON THE DISINTERESTED

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(NY) WASHINGTON, MAY 28-(AP)-ROBERT A.TAFT, THE REPUBLICAN PARTY'S TOP POLICY CHIEFTAIN IN THE U.S. SENATE, PROPOSED TODAY THAT THE UNITED STATES "TELL THE RUSSIANS THAT IF THEY START AGGRESSION THEY'RE IN WAR."

AT THE SAME TIME THE OHIO SENATOR CRITICIZED THE REARMING OF COUNTRIES AROUND RUSSIA BY THE UNITED STATES AND SAID "IF WE GO OUT TO PUT MODERN INVASION AIRPLANES IN EVERY COUNTRY SURROUNDING RUSSIA THEN WE HAVE BECOME AN AGGRESSOR."

THE "ONE DETERRENT" TO RUSSIAN AGGRESSION, TAFT SAID DURING THE NATIONAL BROADCASTING COMPANY'S "MEET THE PRESS" TELEVISION PROGRAM, IS AMERICAN MILITARY FORCE.

HE CONTINUED:

"I WOULD NOT ARM EUROPE. LET EUROPE WORK OUT ITS OWN SOLUTION. IN MY OPINION THERE IS ONLY ONE THING THAT WILL DETER RUSSIA FROM WAR AND THAT IS A STRONG AMERICAN AIR FORCE, A STRONG AMERICAN SUPPLY OF ATOMIC BOMBS."

"ARE YOU OFFERING THE WORLD NOTHING BUT ANOTHER OCCUPATION AND LIBERATION?" HE WAS ASKED BY ONE OF FOUR NEWSPAPER WRITERS INTERVIEWING HIM ON THE PROGRAM.

"I DON'T UNDERSTAND THE QUESTION," TAFT SAID. "I AM PROPOSING THAT WE GO ON AS WE ARE GOING, THAT WE TELL THE RUSSIANS THAT IF THEY [illegible] IN WAR. AND MEANWHILE, IF WE GO AHEAD WITH [illegible]

START AGGRESSION THEY'RE IN WAR, ...
THE GENERAL DEVELOPMENT OF THE WORLD, ALL THESE COUNTRIES ARE IMPROVING, THEY'RE GETTING STRONGER, 285£975 £-;8,& 5

IMPROVING, THEY'RE GETTING STRONGER, WITHOUT HAVING TREMENDOUS ARMIES AND AIR FORCES SPREAD ALL OVER EVERY LITTLE TOWN IN EUROPE."

"YOU'RE NOT ABANDONING THESE OTHER COUNTRIES, YOU'RE SIMPLY SAYING IF SOMEBODY ATTACKS THEM WE ARE GOING TO WAR AGAINST THE RUSSIANS, IS THAT CORRECT?" HE WAS ASKED.

"THAT IS RIGHT, WE ARE GOING TO WAR. THE RUSSIANS HAVE NOT UNDERTAKEN ANY MILITARY AGGRESSION WITH RUSSIAN SOLDIERS, AT LEAST, AND I AM VERY HOPEFUL THEY MAY NOT DO SO."

"DO YOU THINK WE ARE STRONG ENOUGH TO GO TO WAR TODAY?"

"OH, YES," TAFT ANSWERED. "WE COULD BE STRONGER."

HE SAID THE WHOLE EFFECT OF THE ATLANTIC PACT PROGRAM IS "TO INCREASE THE PROBABILITY OF WAR."

"WHAT I OBJECT TO IS UNDERTAKING BY CONTRACT TO ARM ABOUT 20 NATIONS ALL AROUND THE WORLD, ALL AROUND RUSSIA, OBVIOUSLY AN AGGRESSIVE MOVE," HE SAID.

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HE ASKED, "DO YOU THINK BELGIUM AND HOLLAND FOR ONE MINUTE WOULD DEFEND THEMSELVES WITH THE ARMS WE GIVE THEM IF RUSSIA NOTIFIES THEM THE NEXT DAY THEY ARE GOING TO DROP AN 'A' BOMB ON THEM?

"THE THING NOT ONLY STIMULATES WAR, IT IS A FUTILE OPERATION IN MY OPINION," TAFT ADDED.

SPENDING BILLIONS ON ARMING THE WESTERN EUROPEAN NATIONS, HE SAID, "MAKES WAR MORE LIKELY BECAUSE THE RUSSIANS VERY NATURALLY THINK THEY ARE BUILDING A GREAT RING OF ARMED FORCES AROUND THEM, AND IF THEY WAIT UNTIL IT IS FINISHED THEY WILL MOVE IN ON THEM."

TAFT SAID "RUSSIAN MENTALITY" IS SUCH THAT SURROUNDING THE SOVIET WITH A RING OF ARMED FORCES "IS MORE LIKELY TO MAKE THEM (THE RUSSIANS) START THIS WAR."

HE ASSERTED THAT "IN THE LAST ANALYSIS" THE WINNING OF A WAR WITH RUSSIA "IS GOING TO DEPEND ON AMERICA" AND NOT "ON WHETHER THESE OTHER COUNTRIES ARE ARMED OR NOT ARMED."

HIS QUESTIONERS VEERED TO THE SUBJECT OF COMMUNISM IN THIS COUNTRY, ONE ASKING TAFT "WHAT DEGREE OF APPROVAL DO YOU GIVE THE (SEN.JOSEPH) MCCARTHY CHARGES?"

TAFT ANSWERED, "WELL, SENATOR MCCARTHY STARTED HIS CHARGES WITHOUT ASKING ME. I HEARD THEM AND VOTED FOR THE RESOLUTION TO INVESTIGATE."

TAFT SAID THERE IS "A PRIMA FACIE CASE" WHICH CALLS FOR AN INVESTIGATION BUT EMPHASIZED THAT HE DOES NOT KNOW WHETHER MCCARTHY'S CHARGES "ARE RIGHT OR NOT."

"I NEVER HAVE BACKED UP THOSE CHARGES," TAFT SAID.

WHEN A QUESTIONER ASKED WHAT EFFECT HE THOUGHT IT WOULD HAVE ON THE OHIO POLITICAL CAMPAIGN IF PRESIDENT TRUMAN STUMPED HIS STATE, TAFT ANSWERED:

"I THINK IT WOULD HAVE A PRETTY GOOD EFFECT FOR ME."

"I'D BE VERY GLAD TO HAVE THE PRESIDENT COME," TAFT SAID, ADDING THAT PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT MADE A SPEECH AT MARIETTA IN 1938 AND "THE GENERAL OPINION WAS THAT IT WAS HELPFUL TO ME" RATHER THAN TO HIS DEMOCRATIC OPPONENT.

TAFT WAS ASKED WHAT EFFECT THE PRIMARY VICTORIES OF SEN.WAYNE MORSE IN OREGON AND GOV.JAMES H.DUFF IN PENNSYLVANIA WOULD HAVE ON THE REPUBLICAN PARTY IN 1952.

HE ANSWERED:

"EVERYTHING OF THAT SORT HAS SOME EFFECT, ALTHOUGH I THINK MOST OF THE ISSUES ARE PERSONAL."

BOTH MEN ARE POPULAR IN THEIR STATES, TAFT SAID.

HE ADDED THAT HE THOUGHT "GOV.DUFF'S VIEWS ARE FAIRLY MUCH LIKE MINE, AT LEAST ON DOMESTIC QUESTIONS--I HAVEN'T EXAMINED HIS FOREIGN."

WHEN HE WAS ASKED WHETHER THERE WASN'T "A MAJOR ISSUE OF PROGRESSIVISM AGAINST REACTIONISM IN PENNSYLVANIA" HE SAID HE DID NOT THINK THERE WAS.

ANSWERING QUESTIONS ABOUT THE GENERAL MOTORS CONTRACT WITH THE CIO-UNITED AUTOMOBILE WORKERS, TAFT SAID HE THOUGHT "THE FIVE-YEAR CONTRACT WAS A TREMENDOUS STEP FORWARD."

ON THE PANEL OF QUESTIONERS WERE:

MAE CRAIG OF THE PORTLAND,ME. PRESS-HERALD; NAT FINNEY, COWLES PUBLICATIONS; ERNEST LINDLEY, NEWSWEEK MAGAINZE; AND LAWRENCE SPIVAK, THE AMERICAN MERCURY.

THE MODERATOR WAS MARTHA ROUNTREE.

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POINT FOUR (400)

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BY JACK BELL

WASHINGTON, MAY 28-(AP)-SENATOR TAFT (R-OHIO) SOFTENED HIS OPPOSITION TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S "POINT FOUR" PROGRAM TODAY WITH A PROPOSAL FOR LIMITED GUARANTEES ON AMERICAN INVESTMENTS IN THE WORLD'S BACKWARD AREAS.

TAFT TOLD A REPORTER HE THINKS THE GOVERNMENT MIGHT WELL GUARANTEE THAT SOME OF THE PROFITS COULD BE BROUGHT HOME. HE SAID HE WOULD BE WILLING TO GUARANTEE THAT UP TO FIVE PER CENT OF ANY FIRM'S BUSINESS REVENUE ABROAD COULD BE CONVERTED INTO AMERICAN DOLLARS AND THUS BROUGHT HOME AS PROFIT.

"I DON'T THINK WE SHOULD GO INTO A WIDE FIELD OF CURRENCY CONVERSION ACTIVITIES, BUT I WOULD NOT OBJECT TO A FIVE PERCENT PROVISION SO THAT EHRE COULD BE SOME PROFIT RETURN," HE SAID.

TAFT, WHO JOINED SENATOR MILLIKIN (R-COLO) IN AN UNSUCCESSFUL FIGHT AGAINST A POINT FOUR PROVISION IN A FOREIGN AID BILL PASSED BY THE SENATE LAST WEEK, MADE IT CLEAR HE DOESN'T THINK ANY INVESTMENT GUARANTEE PROGRAM SHOULD BE UNDERTAKEN WITHOUT MORE STUDY.

ADMINISTRATION LEADERS HAVE DENIED THAT THE "POINT FOUR" PROPOSAL--MADE BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN IN HIS INAUGURAL ADDRESS LAST YEAR--IS INTENDED TO PICK UP WHERE THE MARSHALL PLAN WILL LEAVE OFF IN 1952.

AS IT WAS APPROVED IN THE FOREIGN AID BILL, SENATOR CONNALLY (D-TEX) SAID THE PROGRAM WOULD BE LIMITED TO GIVING TECHNICAL AID TO OTHER COUNTRIES.

PENDING ON THE SENATE CALENDAR IS A BILLCWHICH WOULD AUTHORIZE THE EXPORT-IMPORT BANK TO GO INTO THE BUSINESS OF GUARANTEEING AMERICAN INVESTMENTS ABROAD, UNDER CERTAIN CONDITIONS.

HOWEVER, CHAIRMAN MAYBANK (D-SC) OF THE SENATE BANKING COMMITTEE WHICH APPROVED THE MEASURE LAST YEAR, SAID HE ISN'T SATISFIED WITH IT IN ITS PRESENT FORM.

MAYBANK SAID IT OUGHT TO BE AMENDED TO MAKE IT CERTAIN THAT AMERICAN FIRMS WHICH HAVE RISKED CAPITAL ABROAD ON THEIR OWN INITIATIVE WOULDN'T BE PENALIZED BY HAVING U.S. COMPETITORS COME INTO THE TERRITORIES THEY HAVE DEVELOPMED WITH GOVERNMENT GUARANTEES ON THEIR INVESTMENTS.

"THERE SHOULD BE EQUAL TREATMENT FOR ALL," MAYBANK SAID.

TAFT SAID HE THINKS REPUBLICANS WILL OPPOSE ANY ACTION ON THE BILL IN THIS SESSION OF CONGRESS.

THE OHIO SENATOR SAID, MEANWHILE, THAT ANY LONG-RANGE PLANNING FOR FOREIGN AID TO TAKE THE PLACE OF THE MARSHALL PLAN, WHICH ENDS

IN 1952, OUGHT TO WAIT UNTIL AFTER THE NOVEMBER ELECTION.
HE SUPPORTS THE PROPOSAL MADE WEEKS AGO BY SENATOR VANDENBERG (R-MICH) THAT A BIPARTISAN GROUP OF CITIZENS BE NAMED TO STUDY THE WORLD'S ECONOMIC AID NEEDS. IT WOULD BE SIMILAR TO THE HARRIMAN COMMISSION WHICH SURVEYED THE GROUND FOR THE EUROPEAN RECOVERY PROGRAM.
PRESIDENT TRUMAN ALREADY HAS STARTED A SURVEY OF HIS OWN, WITH GORDON GRAY, FORMER SECRETARY OF THE ARMY, HEADING UP A STAFF THAT HAS BEEN WORKING FOR SOME TIME.
WHETHER GRAY'S FINDINGS WILL BE TURNED OVER TO A BIPARTISAN COMMISSION IS NOT YET CLEAR.
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COMMUNISTS (600)
BY DON SANDERS

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(ADVANCE)...WASHINGTON, MAY 28-(AP)-THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID TODAY THAT SENATOR MCCARTHY "HAS UTTERLY FAILED TO PROVE THERE IS A SINGLE COMMUNIST OR PRO-COMMUNIST IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT" AND SO HE HE SEEMS TO BE TRYING TO TURN ATTENTION AWAY FROM HIS CHARGES.
THE DEPARTMENT ALSO ACCUSED THE WISCONSIN REPUBLICAN OF INTENTIONALLY DISTORTING COMPLETELY THE MEANING OF A SPEECH OF SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON BY LIFTING "COMPLETELY OUT OF CONTEXT A SINGLE PHRASE."
IT WAS THE FOURTH OF A STEPPED-UP SERIES OF COUNTER-ATTACKS THE DEPARTMENT HAS BEEN MAKING RECENTLY IN THE THREE-MONTHS-OLD FEUD WITH THE SENATOR. EACH SHOOTS AT "INACCURACIES" IN MCCARTHY SPEECHES. THE LATEST REPLIED TO MCCARTHY'S SPEECH AT ROCHESTER, N.Y., ON THURSDAY BEFORE THE CATHOLIC PRESS ASSOCIATION.
THE SENATOR SAID AT ROCHESTER THAT OWEN LATTIMORE, FAR EASTERN EXPERT AND WRITER, INTERVENED BACK IN THE EARLY 1940'S TO PREVENT THE FIRING OF TWO CHINESE EMPLOYES OF THE OFFICE OF WAR INFORMATION AFTER THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION HAD RECOMMENDED THEY BE DISCHARGED FOR ALLEGED COMMUNIST ACTIVITY.
MCCARTHY SAID HE WAS DISCLOSING DOCUMENTS ABOUT THAT INCIDENT TO SHOW UP WHAT HE CALLED THE DEPARTMENT'S "FRAUDULENT COVERUP."
LATTIMORE, AN OCCASIONAL CONSULTANT TO THE DEPARTMENT, RETORTED THAT MCCARTHY FAILED TO PRODUCE THE FULL RECORD AND SAID ONE OF THE CHINESE INVOLVED HAD A NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT DIPLOMATIC PASSPORT.
THE DEPARTMENT SAID TODAY THAT THE SENATOR HAS AT VARIOUS TIMES SPOKEN OF 205 AND 57 COMMUNISTS IN THE DEPARTMENT, LATER OF ONE "TOP SOVIET ESPIONAGE AGENT" THERE, AND IT SAID HE HAS FAILED TO PROVE ANY OF THOSE ALLEGATIONS.
"HE NOW APPEARS TO BE REDUCED TO AN ATTEMPT TO DIVERT ATTENTION WITH TWO SEVEN- AND EIGHT-YEAR-OLD MEMORANDA DEALING WITH THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION CLEARANCES FOR OFFICE OF WAR INFORMATION EMPLOYMENT OF TWO CHINESE," THE STATEMENT SAID.
CONCERNING THE ACHESON SPEECH, THE DEPARTMENT ANALYSIS ACCUSED MCCARTHY OF SAYING AT ROCHESTER THAT "...OUR DISASTER IN CHINA...IS THE DISASTER TO WHICH MR. ACHESON REFERS AS THE 'DAWNING OF A NEW DAY.'"
THE DEPARTMENT SAID THE PHRASE WAS LIFTED FROM AN HOUR-LONG SPEECH WHICH ACHESON MADE BEFORE THE NATIONAL PRESS CLUB LAST JANUARY.

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IN THAT SPEECH, THE DEPARTMENT SAID, ACHESON REFERRED TO THE POSTWAR CREATION OF SEVEN NEW ASIATIC NATIONS AND THE GRANTING OF INDEPENDENCE TO SOME 500,000,000 PERSONS. IT QUOTED ACHESON AS SAYING:
"COMMUNISM XXX WOULD, IF IT COULD, TAKE FROM THESE PEOPLE WHAT THEY HAVE WON, WHAT WE WANT THEM TO KEEP AND DEVELOP WHICH IS THEIR OWN NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE. XXX
"SO AFTER THIS SURVEY, WHAT WE CONCLUDE, I BELIEVE, IS THAT THERE IS A NEW DAY WHICH HAS DA IN ASIA. IT IS A DAY IN WHICH THE ASIAN PEOPLES ARE ON THEIR OWN NOW IT AND INTEND TO CONTINUE ON THEIR OWN. XXX
"SO WHAT WE CAN SEE IS ... THIS NEW DAY IN ASIA, THIS NEW DAY WHICH IS DAWNING, MAY GO ON TO A GLORIOUS NOON OR IT MAY DARKEN AND IT MAY DRIZZLE OUT."
THE DEPARTMENT ALSO REPLIED TO MCCARTHY'S ASSERTION AT ROCHESTER THAT HE WAS PRODUCING PHOTOGRAPHIC COPIES OF DOCUMENTS WHICH WOULD SHOW THAT PHILIP JESSUP WAS AFFILIATED WITH FIVE COMMUNIST-FRONT ORGANIZATIONS AND WAS TIED UP WITH A SIXTH.
THE SENATOR HAS SAID THAT JESSUP, AMBASSADOR AT LARGE FOR THE DEPARTMENT, HAS SHOWN AS "UNUSUAL AFFINITY" FOR RED CAUSES. JESSUP HAS DENIED IT.
THE DEPARTMENT, AFTER REVIEWING IN DETAIL JESSUP'S CONNECTIONS OR LACK OF THEM WITH THESE GROUPS, SAID:
"OF THE SIX ORGANIZATIONS IN QUESTION, TWO ARE NOT COMMUNIST FRONTS AND TWO ARE ORGANIZATIONS WITH WHICH DR. JESSUP HAS HAD NO CONNECTION.
"FOR THE FIFTH ORGANIZATION, DR. JESSUP WAS A SPONSOR OF TWO DINNERS WHICH HE DID NOT ATTEND. HE SIGNED A 'CALL' WHICH RESULTED IN THE FORMATION OF THE SIXTH ORGANIZATION BUT HAD NO FURTHER CONNECTION WITH IT."
THE DEPARTMENT ALSO DISPUTED SEVERAL OTHER STATEMENTS WHICH MCCARTHY MADE AT ROCHESTER COVERING POINTS WHICH MCCARTHY HAS REPEATED BEFORE AND WHICH THE DEPARTMENT HAS ANSWERED.
MEANWHILE, THE NATIONAL FEDERATION OF INDEPENDENT BUSINESS SAID IN A STATEMENT THAT INDEPENDENT BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL PEOPLE VOTING IN A POLL CONDUCTED BY THE FEDERATION HAD SHOWN AN OVERWHELMING PREFERENCE FOR A SENATE BILL TO SET UP A NEW FEDERAL EMPLOYE LOYALTY REVIEW BOARD AS AN INDEPENDENT AGENCY. THE NUMBER VOTING WAS NOT STATED.
THE PRESENT LOYALTY PROGRAM WAS SET UP BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN.
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AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE (250)
WASHINGTON, MAY 28-(AP)-REP. JENKINS (R-OHIO) TODAY TERMED THE RESTRICTION OF MOVEMENTS OF ROMANIAN DIPLOMATS TO THE WASHINGTON AREA A "FEEBLE GESTURE."
HE SUGGESTED IN A STATEMENT THAT IF ACTION IS NEEDED A HALT IN IMPORTS WOULD BE BETTER UNDERSTOOD THAN A TRAVEL CURB.
COMMENTING ON THE ROMANIAN RULING BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT, HE SAID:
"IF ACTION IS WARRANTED, NOT ONLY AGAINST ROMANIA BUT ANY OF THE OTHER COMMUNIST DOMINATED COUNTRIES, INCLUDING RUSSIA, WHY ISN'T

POSITIVE ACTION TAKEN?
"THE PARTY IN POWER, AND THE STATE DEPARTMENT, COULD STOP THE DOLLR ERNING IPO

"THE PARTY IN POWER, AND THE STATE DEPARTMENT, COULD STOP THE DOLLAR EARNING IMPORTS--WHICH ARE THE PRODUCTS OF SLAVE AND FORCED LABOR. THIS IS SOMETHING THE COMMUNISTS--RUSSIAN, ROMANIAN, OR CZECHOSLOVAKIAN--WOULD UNDERSTAND."

THE STATE DEPARTMENT ACTION WAS TAKEN LAST FRIDAY IN RETALIATION FOR A TRAVEL BAN PLACED AGAINST THE AMERICAN LEGATION IN BUCHAREST BY THE BULGARIAN COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT.

JENKINS SAID AMERICAN INDUSTRY AND WORKERS ARE FEELING THE EFFECT OF THE ADMINISTRATION'S "FREE TRADE" POLICY PARTICULARLY FROM THE IMPORTS OF THE COMMUNIST "SLAVE LABOR" COUNTRIES.

COMMERCE DEPARTMENT REPORTS, HE SAID, FOR THE FIRST TWO MONTHS OF THIS YEAR SHOWED IMPORTS FROM CZECHOSLOVAKIA WERE 60 PER CENT OVER THE SAME MONTHS OF 1949. HE SAID IMPORTS FROM POLAND ALSO HAVE INCREASED SHARPLY.

HE ADDED:

"IT WOULD APPEAR THAT THE AMERICAN FARMER, AND THE AMERICAN WORKER IN THE COAL MINES, THE SHOE, HAT, GLASS POTTERY AND OTHER INDUSTRIES, IS DESERVING OF SOME PROTECTION FROM THESE SLAVE LABOR PRODUCTS OF THE COUNTRIES WITH WHQM THE STATE DEPARTMENT IS CURRENTLY DEALING."

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(400) REMINGTON-LEE

WASHINGTON,MAY 28-(AP)-THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT WILL SHORTLY START PROCEEDINGS AIMED AT THE OUSTER OF TWO OF ITS OFFICIALS WHO HAVE REJECTED SECRETARY SAWYER'S REQUEST THEY RESIGN, A DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN SAID TONIGHT.

THE TWO MEN, WHOSE LOYALTY HAS BEEN QUESTIONED IN CONGRESS, ARE WILLIAM W.REMINGTON AND MICHAEL E.LEE, BOTH $10,000 A YEAR MEN IN THE OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE. BOTH ANNOUNCED THEY WILL FIGHT SAWYER'S EFFORTS TO OUST THEM.

THE DEPARTMENT'S LOYALTY BOARD IS CURRENTLY CONSIDERING THEIR CASES, BUT SAWYER SAID LAST NIGHT THAT HIS REQUEST THAT THEY RESIGN IS NO

REFLECTION ON THEIR LOYALTY.

HE SAID HE ACTED "IN THE INTEREST OF GOOD ADMINISTRATION." A DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN, WHO DECLINED TO BE QUOTED BY NAME, SAID AS SOON AS REMINGTON AND LEE FORMALLY TURN DOWN SAWYER'S REQUEST, THE DEPARTMENT WILL PREPARE ADMINISTRATIVE CHARGES AGAINST THEM. THAT WILL CALL FOR CLOSED CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION HEARINGS.

ACTING BY ITSELF, THE DEPARTMENT CANNOT DISCHARGE ANY EMPLOYES ON LOYALTY GROUNDS. THAT AUTHORITY LIES IN THE HANDS OF THE PRESIDENT'S LOYALTY REVIEW BOARD.

THE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL DECLINED TO SPECULATE ON WHAT CHARGES WILL BE PLACED AGAINST THE PAIR, BUT PRESUMABLY THEY WILL CENTER AROUND THEIR EFFICIENCY OR COMPETENCY.

BOTH HAVE REPEATEDLY DENIED THEY ARE COMMUNISTS OR PRO-COMMUNIST. BOTH HAVE BEEN CLEARED AT LEAST ONCE BY THE LOYALTY BOARD.

LEE, CHIEF OF THE DEPARTMENT'S FAR EASTERN BRANCH, HAS BEEN UNDER ATTACK BY SENATOR MALONE (R-NEV), WHO CALLED FOR HIS REMOVAL AS A POOR SECURITY RISK.

MALONE SAID LAST NIGHT HE IS NOT SATISFIED WITH SAWYER'S REQUEST THAT LEE RESIGN. THE SENATOR SAID HE WILL PRESS FOR SENATE APPROVAL OF HIS PENDING PROPOSAL FOR AN INVESTIGATION OF THE DEPARTMENT.

HE SAID "THREE OR FOUR OTHERS" IN THE DEPARTMENT ARE "IMPLICATED" IN LEE'S CASE.

REMINGTON WAS QUESTIONED AT LENGTH BY A SENATE COMMITTEE TWO YEARS AGO ON CHARGES HE WAS PRO-COMMUNIST. THE LOYALTY BOARD LATER CLEARED HIM AND HE WAS RETURNED TO DUTY IN THE DEPARTMENT. HE RECENTLY DENIED BEFORE THE HOUSE UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE NEW CHARGES THAT HE WAS ONCE A COMMUNIST.

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SECRETARY SAWYER'S ACTION AGAINST LEE AND REMINGTON WAS DISCLOSED IN A DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCEMENT WHICH SAID THAT HE HAD INSTRUCTED OFFICIALS ON THURSDAY TO REQUEST THEIR RESIGNATIONS. IT ADDED:

"SHOULD THE RESIGNATIONS NOT BE FORTHCOMING, ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDINGS WILL BE BEGUN LOOKING TOWARDS THEIR SEPARATION FROM THE DEPARTMENT'S SERVICE."

THE DEPARTMENT SAID THAT SAWYER'S MOVE "IS IN NO WISE INTENDED TO REFLECT IN ANY WAY ON THE LOYALTY OF EITHER OF THESE TWO MEN. THEIR LOYALTY CASES ARE NOW PENDING BEFORE THE COMMERCE LOYALTY BOARD, AND NO DECISIONS HAVE YET BEEN REACHED."

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EXPORTS CONTROLS (110)

(ADVANCE)...WASHINGTON, MAY 28-(AP)-UNITED STATES EXPORT CONTROL OPERATIONS WERE CREDITED TONIGHT WITH BLOCKING POTENTIAL SHIPMENTS OF MORE THAN $150,000,000 IN GOODS TO THE RUSSIAN BLOC.

THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT, MAKING THE REPORT, SAID ALSO THAT CRIMINAL PENALTIES HAVE BEEN INVOKED IN A DOZEN CASES OF CONTROL VIOLATIONS, WITH PRISON SENTENCES UP TO TEN YEARS AND FINES UP TO $11,000. FURTHER PROSECUTIONS ARE INDICATED.

THE BLOCKED SHIPMENTS REFLECTED DENIALS OF LICENSES TO EXPORT DIRECT TO SOVIET-CONTROLLED AREAS, GOODS WHICH MIGHT INCREASE THEIR "WAR POTENTIAL."

IN ADDITION, THE DEPARTMENT SAID, IT HAD DENIED LICENSES FOR SHIPMENT OF ANOTHER $12,000,000 IN GOODS TO OTHER COUNTRIES IN ORDER TO PREVENT POSSIBLE RE-SHIPMENT FROM THEM TO THE SOVIET BLOC.

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CHICAGO, MAY 28-(AP)-A NATIONAL COMMITTEE FOR THE NATIONAL LABOR CONFERENCE FOR PEACE TODAY URGED WORKERS TO SIGN PETITIONS TO OUTLAW THE ATOMIC BOMB.

THE CONFERENCE SAYS IT REPRESENTS 1,400,000 (M) UNION WORKERS FROM AFL, CIO AND INDEPENDENT UNIONS IN ALL PARTS OF THE NATION.

JAMES DURKIN, COMMITTEE MEMBER AND PRESIDENT OF THE CIO OFFICE AND PROFESSIONAL WORKERS UNION OF AMERICA, TOLD THE COMMITTEE ALL ATTACKS ON ORGANIZED LABOR "STEM FROM THE COMMITMENTS OF THE BIG

EMPLOYERS AND THEIR AGENTS TO THE COLD WAR PROGRAM."
HE GAVE A KEYNOTE ADDRESS TO THE COMMITTEE.
THE GROUP ALSO SET AUG. 1-8 AS NATIONAL PEACE WEEK AND DECIDED TO PARTICIPATE IN "A FRATERNAL CAPACITY" IN THE WORLD CONGRESS OF PARTISANS OF PEACE IN ITALY IN OCTOBER.
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COLUMBUS,O.,MAY 28-(AP)-THE TIME MAY BE RIPE TO RELEASE SOME NOW-SECRET ATOMIC ENERGY INFORMATION, GORDON DEAN, MEMBER OF THE ATOMIC ENI COMMISSION, SAID HERE TODAY.
DEAN SPOKE BEFORE AN ATOMIC ENERGY CONFERENCE OF THE BLUE PENCIL CLUB OF OHIO, AN ORGANIZATION OF NEWSPAPER EDITORS. THE MEETING WAS OI TO THE PUBLIC.
HE SAID:
"THE RUSSIAN ATOMIC EXPLOSION, TAKEN TOGETHER WITH SEVERAL OTHER EVENTS, SUGGESTS THAT IN THE INTEREST OF NATIONAL SECURITY IT MAY BE WISE TO DECLASSIFY RATHER BROADLY CERTAIN SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNICAL INFORMATION WHICH THE RUSSIANS MUST HAVE POSSESSED IN ORDER TO ACHIEVE AN EXPLOSION X X ."
BUT, HE ADDED, AT THE SAME TIME INFORMATION ON PROGRAMS WHICH WOULD BE OF GREAT VALUE TO A POTENTIAL ENEMY STILL SHOULD REMAIN CLASSIFIED.
"TO REVEAL THAT A CERTAIN FACILITY IS DEVOTING HIGH PRIORITY TO A PARTICULAR WEAPON SOLVES A SERIOUS PROBLEM FOR A FOREIGN AGENT," HE SAID. "TO PINPOINT KEY SITES NOT ALREADY KNOWN INVITES INFILTRATION AND SABOTAGE. TO REVEAL EQUIPMENT USED, PARTICULARLY WHEN ITS DESIGN, ITS PURPOSE AND IT EFFICIENCY ARE ONLY TO INTEREST TO AN ENEMY, CERTAIN SERVES NO GOOD PURPOSE."
THE TEST OF WHAT SHALL AND WHAT SHALL NOT BE REVEALED, HE CONTINUE WILL BE WHETHER THE INFORMATION WILL HELP THE ATOMIC ENERGY PROGRAM OF AMERICA MORE THAN IT WILL BE THAT OF AN ENEMY.
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SAN FRANCISCO, MAY 28-(AP)-THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS TOOK ANOTHER CRACK TODAY AT BRITAIN ON THE RECOGNITION QUESTION.
BRITAIN EXTENDED RECOGNITION TO THE RED REGIME JAN. 6, BUT THE COMMUNISTS HAVE NOT RECIPROCATED. INSTEAD, THEY HAVE REPREATEDLY ACCUSED BRITAIN OF ACTING IN BAD FAITH.
A PEKPING BROADCAST TODAY, QUOTING FROM THE OFFICIAL "PEOPLE'S DAILY," SAID:
"ON THE 24TH (OF MAY) THE QUESTION OF ESTABLISHMENT OF DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS BETWEEN CHINA AND BRITAIN CAME UP IN THE BRITISH HOUSE OF COMMONS."
"THE SPEECH OF (ERNEST) BEVIN, BRITAIN'S FOREIGN SECRETARY, ON THIS OCCASION SHOWED EXTREME UNFRIENDLINESS TO CHINA. HE WENT SO FAR AS TO SAY THAT TO ESTABLISH DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH CHINA WAS AN 'UNPLEASANT DECISION.'
"THIS FULLY EXPOSES THE PURPOSE OF THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT."
THE BROADCAST, HEARD IN SAN FRANCISCO BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS, WENT ON TO ACCUSE BEVIN OF "DEFAMING" THE SOVIET UNION AND OF SEEKING IN VAIN TO "UNDERMINE THE SOLID FRIENDSHIP OF THE CHINESE AND SOVIET PEOPLES."
REITERATING RED DEMANDS FOR BRITISH SUPPORT IN OBTAINING A UNITED NATIONS SEAT AND FOR RELEASE OF 71 DISPUTED TRANSPORT PLANES AT HONG KONG, THE BROADCAST CONCLUDED:
"IF THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT DOES NOT CLARIFY ITS ATTITUDE OF DISCREPANCY BETWEEN ITS WORDS AND DEEDS, IT IS FUTILE FOR IT TO 'DISCUSS THE WHOLE PROBLEM IN WASHINGTON WITH ACHESON' OR TO BE 'ANNOYED AND IRRITATED.'"
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AMS BUDGET
LIE-TRUMAN (800)
BY CHARLES A. GRUMICH
LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 28-(AP)-TRYGVE LIE, SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS, SEEMS LIKELY TO ENCOUNTER A TYPICAL MISSOURI SHOW-ME ATTITUDE WHEN HE TALKS WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN THIS WEEK ON SOVIET REACTION TOWARD LIE'S 20-YEAR PEACE PROJECT.
FROM OFFICIAL STATE DEPARTMENT SOURCES THE PITCH HAS BEEN SOUNDED ON A NOTE OF SKEPTICISM OVER RUSSIAN SINCERITY IN ACCEPTING ANY SUGGESTIONS FOR ENDING THE COLD WAR -- EXCEPT ON SOVIET TERMS ALONE.
THERE IS NO SUGGESTION, HOWEVER, THAT THE UNITED NATIONS CHIEF EXECUTIVE IS ANYTHING BUT AN EARNEST DEVOTEE OF PEACE ON HIS SAVE-THE-U.N. MISSION.
THAT CRUSADE TOOK LIE FIRST TO THE WHITE HOUSE ON APRIL 20, AND THENCE TO EUROPE, WHERE HE TALKED WITH THE HIGHEST BRITISH AND FRENCH OFFICIALS ENROUTE TO HIS 90-MINUTE KREMLIN AUDIENCE WITH PRIME MINISTER STALIN, THEN BACK FOR MORE TALKS IN LONDON AND PARIS.
LIE WINDS UP HIS BACKTRACK FROM MOSCOW IN THE SECOND ROUND OF TALKS IN WASHINGTON WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON. THE SCHEDULING OF THEIR SESSION WAS DEFERRED UNTIL ACHESON'S RETURN TO WASHINGTON SATURDAY FROM HIS OWN ROUND OF TALKS WITH THE FRENCH AND BRITISH IN PARIS AND LONDON AT THE HUDDLES OF THE WESTERN BIG THREE ON HOW TO COPE WITH RUSSIA'S EXPLOITATION OF THE COLD WAR.
WHAT ACHESON REPORTS TO MR. TRUMAN WILL HAVE AN IMPORTANT BEARING ON WHAT THEY WILL TELL LIE.
ONE THE BASIS OF WHAT ACHESON ALREADY HAD REPORTED TO MR. TRUMAN FROM EUROPE AND ON PAST PERFORMANCES, STATE DEPARTMENT POLICY IS THIS: LET THE RUSSIANS SHOW BY DEEDS RATHER THAN WORDS THAT THEY WANT PEACE. THIS IS THE APPLICATION OF THE TRUMAN SHOW-ME ATTITUDE THAT IS THE TRADEMARK OF HIS HOME STATE.
LIE HAS REPORTED THAT ALL GOVERNMENTS AND PEOPLE HE SAW WANT "PEACE AND PEACE AND PEACE." ALL RIGHT, SAYS THE STATE DEPARTMENT IN EFFECT, LET THE RUSSIANS GIVE WHAT THE BRITISH WOULD CALL AN EARNEST OF THEIR EXPRESSED DESIRES -- AT LEAST A LITTLE TOKEN DEED NOW INSTEAD OF MOUTHINGS AND DEMONSTRATIONS SUCH AS THE WHITSUNTIDE MARCH IN BERLIN.
LIE SAYS 1950 IS THE YEAR OF DECISION FOR THE UNITED NATIONS AND FOR THE HOPES OF AVERTING A THIRD WORLD WAR.
IT ALSO IS A CRITICAL TIME OF DECISION AFFECTING LIE PERSONALLY AND THE WHOLE U.N. BUREAUCRACY OF MORE THAN 3,000 PERSONS OF 60-ODD NATIONALITIES AT LAKE SUCCESS AND GENEVA AND IN THE FIELD MISSIONS FOR PEACE AND ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL BETTERMENT.
THE PORTLY NORWEGIAN TOOK THE INITIATIVE TO "SAVE THE U.N." ON THE LAST LAP OF HIS FIVE-YEAR TERM AS CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER, WHICH EXPIRES IN JANUARY.
THE HOUSE OF THE UNITED NATIONS BEGAN TO CRUMBLE ON JAN. 10 WHEN RUSSIA LAUNCHED THE LONG SERIES OF WALKOUTS AND BOYCOTTS OF U.N. ORGANS IN PROTEST AGAINST KEEPING CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S NATIONALIST DELEGATES ON AS REPRESENTATIVES OF CHINA. THOSE SEATS NOW BELONG, THE RUSSIANS CONTEND, TO RED CHINA, WHICH CONTROLS THE MAINLAND AND ITS 470,000,000 PEOPLE.

STICKING HIS NECK OUT AND ACTING AGAINST ADVICE OF SOME OF HIS "CABINET," LIE INITIATED A CAMPAIGN TO KICK OUT THE FORMOSA BASED CHIANG GOVERNMENT AND SEAT CHAIRMAN MAO TZE-TUNG'S REDS; LIE PEGGED IT ON HIS OWN "COMMON SENSE" AND ON A LEGAL OPINION DRAWN UP BY U.N. LAWYERS, CHALLENGED THE NATIONALISTS TO TAKE IT TO THE HAGUE COURT FOR A TEST, AND SAID HISTORY WOULD PROVE HIM RIGHT.

TAKING A FURTHER CALCULATED RISK ON THE DIPLOMATIC FRONT, LIE DECIDED TO VISIT THE FOUR MAJOR CAPITALS--- WASHINGTON, LONDON, PARIS AND MOSCOW---AND SEE FOR HIMSELF WHETHER HE COULD SOLVE THE CHINA PUZZLE FIRST AND THEN BRING THE BIG POWERS BACK INTO DISCUSSIONS OF SUCH THINGS AS ATOMIC CONTROL UNDER THE U.N. AEGIS.

BEFORE HE UNDERTOOK HIS MISSION, THE CONSENSUS WAS THAT HE COULD WIN ANOTHER FIVE-YEAR TERM AT UPWARDS OF $40,000 PER ANNUM (TAX FREE) IN SALARY AND EXPENSES. HE GOT THE JOB AT THE 1946 LONDON ASSEMBLY AS THE ONLY CANDIDATE RUSSIA AND THE WESTERN POWERS COULD AGREE ON; HE SEEMED TO BE STILL THE ONLY MAN WHO COULD SPELL AVAILABLE ON THOSE TERMS FOR THE NEXT FIVE YEARS.

BUT NOW THE CHINA QUESTION INTRUDES WITH A CONFUSION THAT COULD FINISH THE U.N. AS IT NOW EXISTS. LIE PREDICTS CHAOS UNLESS THE SECURITY COUNCIL DECIDES THE CHINA REPRESENTATION QUESTION -- (IN FAVOR OF THE REDS)-- THIS SUMMER, BEFORE THE 1950 GENERAL ASSEMBLY MEETS IN SEPTEMBER.

THE ASSEMBLY MUST REELECT HIM OR PICK A SUCCESSOR. IF NATIONALIST CHINA IS STILL A MEMBER, IT IS HARDLY LIKELY THAT NATIONALIST CHIEF DELEGATE T.F. TSIANG WOULD VOTE FOR LIE. THE BIG POWER VETO APPLIES ON ELECTION OF THE SECRETARY-GENERAL. THE UNITED STATES, RUSSIA, BRITAIN, FRANCE AND CHINA MUST CONCUR IN HIS SELECTION.

IF RED CHINA IS STILL KEPT OUTSIDE THE PALE AND RUSSIA BOYCOTTS THE ASSEMBLY, THE ACCEPTED PRACTICE OF REGARDING A BIG POWER ABSTENTION---OR ABSENCE---ON THE VOTE PROBABLY WOULD BE FOLLOWED. THAT PRACTICE PROVIDES THAT THE LACK OF ANY BIG POWER VOTE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A VETO, ALTHOUGH CONCURRENCE IN ITS TRUE MEANING WOULD NOT BE COMPLETE WITHOUT RUSSIA.

SO NATIONALIST CHINA, IF STILL AROUND, COULD VETO LIE. BUT THE RUSSIANS REFUSE TO RECOGNIZE ANY U.N. DECISIONS MADE WITH NATIONALIST CHINA PARTICIPATING.

EXCEPT FOR HIS INTENSE HOPE OF BEING THE GREAT PEACE-MAKER OF THIS ERA, LIE HAS SEEMED INDIFFERENT TO A SECOND FIVE-YEAR TERM; HE PINES FOR THE FISHING STREAMS OF NORWAY AND A LESS ADDLED LIFE ALONG THE FJORDS.

THE UNITED STATES, IN CONGRATULATORY MESSAGES ON ANNIVERSARIES AND IN OTHER MANIFESTATIONS, SEEMS WILLING TO HAVE HIM STAY ON. AMONG HIS MORE ARDENT SUPPORTERS FOR ANOTHER TERM ARE MEMBERS OF HIS SECRETARIAT.

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U.N.-JERUSALEM

BY MAX HARRELSON

(ADVANCE)..LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 28-(AP)-ISRAEL SAID TODAY IT IS NOW READY TO ACCEPT COMPLETE UNITED NATIONS CONTROL OVER JERUSALEM'S HOLY PLACES AND ALL OTHER MATTERS OF UNIVERSAL RELIGIOUS CONCERN IN THE HOLY CITY.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT WAS MADE IN A MEMORANDUM TO THE U.N. TRUSTEESHIP COUNCIL REJECTING THE U.N. PLAN FOR AN INTERNATIONAL REGIME IN JERUSALEM. THE ISRAELI GOVERNMENT SAID THE INTERNATIONALIZATION PLAN IS "INHERENTLY UNIMPLEMENTABLE."

ISRAEL'S NEW PROPOSAL FALLS FAR SHORT OF COMPLETE INTERNATIONALIZATION, BUT IT GOES CONSIDERABLY BEYOND ISRAEL'S EARLIER PROPOSAL FOR U.N. SUPERVISION OF HOLY PLACES UNDER CONTRACTUAL AGREEMENT WITH ISRAEL AND JORDAN.

THE JERUSALEM ISSUE COMES BEFORE THE TRUSTEESHIP COUNCIL'S SUMMER SESSION OPENING HERE JUNE 1. IT IS TAKEN FOR GRANTED IN U.N. CIRCLES THAT THE COUNCIL WILL JUNK THE INTERNATIONALIZATION STATUTE IT ADOPTED IN GENEVA LAST SPRING.

THE PLAN ORIGINALLY WAS OPPOSED BY THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN, AND IT LOST ITS MOST STAUNCH SUPPORTER RECENTLY WHEN RUSSIA SAID SHE COULD NO LONGER BACK IT. BOTH ISRAEL AND JORDAN, WHOSE TROOPS ACTUALLY OCCUPY THE DIVIDED HOLY CITY, ALSO HAD VIGOROUSLY OPPOSED THE PLAN.

THERE WAS NO IMMEDIATE COMMENT ON THE NEW ISRAELI PROPOSAL, BUT SOME DIPLOMATIC QUARTERS BELIEVED IT MIGHT SERVE AS THE BASIS FOR A SOLUTION TO THE DEADLOCK. THE MAIN UNKNOWN FACTOR IS WHAT JORDAN'S REACTION WILL BE. THIS IS IMPORTANT SINCE MOST OF THE HOLY PLACES ARE LOCATED IN THE OLD WALLED CITY, CONTROLLED BY JORDAN.

THE MAIN DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE NEW PLAN AND ISRAEL'S EARLIER PROPOSAL IS ONE OF PRINCIPLE. UNDER THE OLD PLAN, U.N. AUTHORITY IN JERUSALEM WOULD HAVE DEPENDED SOLELY UPON AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE U.N. AND ISRAEL AND THE U.N. AND JORDAN. THE U.N. REPRESENTATIVE, OR COMMISSION, WOULD HAVE BEEN ACCREDITED TO THE TWO GOVERNMENTS. UNDER THE NEW PLAN, THE U.N. AGENCY WOULD DERIVE ITS POWERS EXCLUSIVELY FROM THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AND WOULD EXERCISE ITS FUNCTIONS INDEPENDENTLY OF ANY LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

THE MEMORANDUM SAID:

"THE GOVERNMENT OF ISRAEL BELIEVES THAT THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE UNITED NATIONS SHOULD OPERATE IN THIS UNIVERSAL RELIGIOUS DOMAIN LEAVING THE POLITICAL AND SECULAR LIFE OF THE CITY TO THE FREE DETERMINATION OF ITS PEOPLE, AS DEMOCRATIC PRINCIPLE REQUIRES."

WHILE THE TWO GOVERNMENTS IN JERUSALEM WOULD MAINTAIN THEIR OWN LOCAL GOVERNMENTS UNDER THIS PLAN, THEY WOULD OFFER VOLUNTARY UNDERTAKINGS PLEDGING THEMSELVES TO OBSERVE HUMAN RIGHTS AND FUNDAMENTAL FREEDOMS, RESPECT THE IMMUNITY AND SANCTITY OF THE HOLY PLACES, GUARANTEE FREE ACCESS, FACILITATE MOVEMENTS OF PILGRIMAGES, OBSERVE AND MAINTAIN ALL EXISTING RIGHTS OF CHURCHES AND RELIGIOUS FOUNDATIONS, LEVY NO TAXES ON HOLY PLACES EXEMPT ON MAY 14, 1948, AND COOPERATE FULLY WITH THE U. N. AUTHORITY.

THE NEW PLAN, THUS, WOULD PUT INTO FORCE BY AGREEMENT MOST OF THE SAFEGUARDS WRITTEN INTO THE PLAN FOR AN INTERNATIONAL REGIME.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 5 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME SUNDAY MAY 28)

BY A.I.GOLDBERG

(ADVANCE) LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 28-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS GAVE STRONG NOTICE TODAY TO ECONOMICALLY BACKWARD NATIONS THAT THEIR BEST BET IN GETTING OUTSIDE HELP TO BUILD UP THEIR ECONOMY IS BY SHOWING THE WORLD WHAT THEY CAN DO FOR THEMSELVES.

THE ADVICE IS STRESSED IN A REPORT OF THE SEVEN-NATION SUBCOMMISSION ON ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT BEING FORWARDED TO THE SUMMER MEETING OF THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL BEGINNING IN GENEVA JULY 3. RUSSIA AND CZECHOSLOVAKIA WALKED OUT OF THE SUBCOMMISSION SESSIONS

HERE IN APRIL AND MAY BUT EXPERTS FROM THE U.S., MEXICO, BRAZIL, CHINA, AND INDIA SIGNED THE REPORT.

PROMPT AND DETERMINED ACTION IN SELF-HELP BY UNDER-DEVELOPED COUNTRIES IS URGENT, THE REPORT SAID.

"IT IS MOST IMPORTANT THAT UNDER-DEVELOPED COUNTRIES MOBILIZE THEIR OWN RESOURCES FOR THE PROMOTION OF A SELF-DETERMINED COURSE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, SUITABLE TO THEIR RESOURCES AND NEEDS AND CARRIED OUT WITHOUT WAITING FOR, OR RELYING UNDULY UPON, FOREIGN ASSISTANCE," THE REPORT SAID.

IT MADE CLEAR THAT FOREIGN OR INTERNATIONAL AID CAN SPEED UP ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND IN MANY CASES THIS WILL BE NECESSARY, BUT ADDED THAT THE CHANCE TO GET SUCH AID ON AN INCREASED SCALE DEPENDS "IN A HIGH DEGREE UPON DOMESTIC ORGANIZATION AND ACTIVITY ADVANCING ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT."

THE REPORT MADE PLAIN THAT THE UNITED STATES IS THE CHIEF CONTRIBUTOR TODAY TO ANY FOREIGN INVESTMENT PLAN.

IT POINTED OUT THAT MANY UNDER-DEVELOPED COUNTRIES HAVE BASIC NATURAL RESOURCES SUCH AS FORESTS AND IRON ORES, AND THAT THEIR DEVELOPMENT OFFERS OPPORTUNITIES FOR EXPANDED TRADE WITH INDUSTRIALIZED COUNTRIES AS WELL AS FOR DOMESTIC DEVELOPMENT.

THIS WOULD HELP OVERCOME DOLLAR GAP OR OTHER BALANCE OF PAYMENT DIFFICULTIES FACED BY MOST INDUSTRIAL COUNTRIES.

THE REPORT ALSO SUGGESTED SEVERAL ATTRACTIONS FOR PRIVATE INVESTMENT, INCLUDING GUARANTIES OF SECURITY TO FOREIGN PERSONS AND PROPERTY AND COMPENSATING INVESTORS ADEQUATELY IF PUBLIC AUTHORITY TAKES OVER THEIR PROPERTIES.

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FIRST LEAD REFUGEES

NEW YORK, MAY 28-(AP)-CHEERING NEWS CAME LATE TODAY TO 107 JEWISH REFUGEES WHOSE FLIGHT FROM PERSECUTION AND WAR HAS CARRIED THEM ALMOST AROUND THE GLOBE.

ON THE EVE OF THEIR SCHEDULED DEPORTATION TO THEIR EUROPEAN HOMELANDS TOMORROW, THEY WERE TOLD THEY COULD REMAIN IN THE UNITED STATES, AT LEAST TEMPORARILY.

THE REPRIEVE CAME FROM THE U.S. ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE, WHICH ORDERED THE DELAY TO DETERMINE ELIGIBILITY OF THE REFUGEES FOR PERMANENT VISAS TO REMAIN HERE AS DISPLACED PERSONS.

THE REFUGEES, PART OF A GROUP THAT FLED TO SHANGHAI 10 TO 15 YEARS AGO BECAUSE OF AXIS PERSECUTION, WERE EVACUATED FROM CHINA AFTER THE COMMUNISTS SWEPT THAT COUNTRY.

BROUGHT TO SAN FRANCISCO, THE 107 ARRIVED HERE BY CHARTERED TRAIN TODAY, AND IMMEDIATELY WERE PLACED ABOARD THE U.S. TRANSPORT GEN. BALLOU WHICH HAD BEEN SLATED TO LEAVE FOR GERMANY TOMORROW.

AFTER THE DELAY WAS ANNOUNCED, A SPOKESMAN FOR THE GROUP, DR. HUGO LEWISOHN, FORMER HEAD OF THE SHANGHAI GENERAL HOSPITAL, EXPRESSED "THANKS TO THE U. S. GOVERNMENT FOR WHAT IT HAS DONE."

THE REFUGEES WILL BE HELD AT ELLIS ISLAND, PENDING FINAL DETERMINATION OF THEIR STATUS.

THE UNITED SERVICE FOR NEW AMERICANS HAD APPEALED FOR THE DELAY.

THE AGENCY HAD ASKED THE DELAY FOR SCREENING OF THE GROUP FOR POSSIBLE ELIGIBLES FOR SETTLEMENT IN THIS COUNTRY UNDER A NEW DISPLACED PERSONS BILL NOW PENDING.

A CROWD OF ABOUT 500 RELATIVES AND FRIENDS, MANY OF WHOM HAD NOT SEEN THEIR KINSMEN FOR MORE THAN 15 YEARS, GATHERED AT THE STATEN ISLAND PIER FOR SHIPBOARD VISITS, AND TO BRING GIFTS OF CLOTHING AND FOOD TO THE REFUGEES.

THE REFUGEES--97 GERMANS, NINE AUSTRIANS AND ONE ITALIAN--WERE MAKING THE TRIP UNDER AUSPICES OF THE INTERNATIONAL REFUGEE ORGANIZATION, TO WHICH THEY HAD APPEALED FOR EVACUATION FROM CHINA.

MEANWHILE, 20 OTHER JEWISH REFUGEES FROM SHANGHAI, PART OF A GROUP OF 76 ACCEPTED FOR RESETTLEMENT IN THIS COUNTRY, ARRIVED IN NEW YORK TO MAKE THEIR NEW HOMES.

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FIRST LEAD COPLON MARRIAGE (250)

NEW YORK, MAY 28-(AP)-JUDITH COPLON AND ALBERT H. SOCOLOV WERE MARRIED TODAY BY A RABBI WHO SAID THAT THE BRIDE'S TWO SPY CONVICTIONS "WERE BASED ON CONTEMPORARY WITCH-HUNTING."

INJECTING AN UNUSUAL NOTE INTO THE FORMAL RITUAL, DR. MAX FELSHIN, RABBI OF THE RADIO CITY SYNAGOGUE IN MANHATTAN, TOLD THE FORMER GOVERNMENT GIRL:

"WE WHO BELIEVE IN YOUR INNOCENCE HAVE ADMIRED THE CALM COURAGE AND DIGNITY WITH WHICH YOU BORE YOUR ORDEAL. LET US HOPE THAT TRUTH WILL EVENTUALLY TRIUMPH AND YOUR LOYALTY TO OUR BELOVED COUNTRY WILL BE THOROUGHLY VINDICATED."

THE CEREMONY WAS PERFORMED AT THE BROOKLYN HOME OF THE BRIDE'S MOTHER, MRS. REBECCA COPLON.

RABBI FELSHIN TOLD THE BRIDE, FACING 25 YEARS IN PRISON, THAT HE HAD "FOLLOWED YOUR STORY CLOSELY," AND THAT A "VAGUE CASE" BASED ON "CONTEMPORARY WITCH-HUNTING, MASS HYSTERIA AND WISHFUL THINKING AS TO UNTOWARD INTENTIONS" HAD BEEN BUILT UP AGAINST HER.

"BUT BEYOND MERE CONJECTURE THERE IS NEITHER PROOF NOR CERTAINTY AS TO ANY ACT OF DISLOYALTY ON YOUR PART," HE SAID. "NO ONE HAS TESTIFIED TO HAVING ACTUALLY SEEN OR HEARD YOU DIVULGE STATE SECRETS."

THE RABBI SAID THAT "WE CANNOT HELP SEEING GOD'S FINGER AND SALVATION IN THE ROMANCE" THAT RIPENED BETWEEN THE COUPLE.

BOTH ARE 29.

MISS COPLON WAS CONVICTED IN WASHINGTON OF STEALING JUSTICE DEPARTMENT SECRETS, AND IN NEW YORK, OF PLOTTING TO TRANSMIT THEM TO RUSSIA THROUGH SOVIET ENGINEER VALENTIN A. GUBITCHEV.

TEXT OF THE RABBI'S REMARKS WAS RELEASED TO THE PRESS AFTER THE WEDDING.

SOME 50 RELATIVES AND GUESTS ATTENDED THE CEREMONY AND THE RECEPTION IN THE BROOKLYN HOME. NEWSMEN WERE NOT PERMITTED AT THE WEDDING.

THE BRIDE WORE A DEEP ROSE-BEIGE ANKLE-LENGTH DRESS, TOPPED WITH A TIGHT-FITTING LACE CAP AND SHORT VEIL. SHE CARRIED A BOUQUET OF TWO ORCHIDS AND LILIES-OF-THE-VALLEY.

THE BRIDEGROOM WORE A DARK HERRINGBONE-STRIPED BUSINESS SUIT, STRIPED TIE, WHITE SHIRT AND BLACK SHOES.

THE COUPLE POSED FOR PHOTOGRAPHERS AND TALKED TO REPORTERS BEFORE THE CEREMONY.

"THIS IS THE MOST WONDERFUL DAY IN MY LIFE," SAID THE BEAMING BRIDE-TO-BE.

TURNING TO HER FUTURE HUSBAND SHE SAID, "DOESN'T HE LOOK HANDSOME?"

"SHE LOOKS BEAUTIFUL." SOCOLOV SAID, SMILING AT DARK-HAIRED MISS

COPLON.

"WE HOPE TO LIVE A HAPPY, NORMAL LIFE," SOCOLOV SAID. "WE ARE VERY MUCH IN LOVE AND CONFIDENT OF THE FUTURE."

SOCOLOV IS ASSOCIATED WITH A LAW FIRM THAT DEFENDED MISS COPLON IN HER NEW YORK CITY TRIAL. SHE FACES PRISON SENTENCES TOTALLING 25 YEARS.

THE COUPLE SAID THEY INTENDED TO SPEND TONIGHT AT A NEW YORK CITY HOTEL AND LEAVE TOMORROW BY AUTOMOBILE FOR AN UPSTATE HONEYMOON. THEY SAID THEY EXPECT TO BE GONE A WEEK OR 10 DAYS.

THE BRIDE, PENDING APPEAL OF HER CONVICTIONS, CANNOT LEAVE THE ENVIRONS OF THE SOUTHERN OR EASTERN FEDERAL JUDICIAL DISTRICTS, OPERATIVE WITHIN AN APPROXIMATE RADIUS OF 200 MILES ADJACENT TO NEW YORK CITY.

THE NEWLY-WEDS SAID THEY HAVE RENTED A THREE-ROOM APARTMENT IN BROOKLYN AND THAT IT ALREADY IS PARTLY FURNISHED. THEY SAID THEY WILL RENT ON A MONTH-TO-MONTH BASIS.

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U.N.-ECONOMIC (350)

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GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, MAY 26-(AP)-UNITED NATIONS ECONOMISTS SAY THE TRADE STALEMATE BETWEEN EAST AND WEST EUROPE IS LIKELY TO BECOME WORSE RATHER THAN BETTER.

THIS CONCLUSION APPEARED IN A LONG REPORT PUBLISHED LAST NIGHT BY THE ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR EUROPE. THE REPORT WILL BE THE BASIS FOR DISCUSSIONS AT A COMMISSION SESSION OPENING IN GENEVA MAY 31.

THE NEW U.N. STUDY ALSO WARNED OF ANOTHER THREAT TO EUROPEAN ECONOMIC EXPANSION: THE POSSIBLE FAILURE OF WESTERN EUROPE TO BRIDGE THE DOLLAR GAP THAT WOULD FOLLOW ANY SUDDEN CESSATION OF MARSHALL PLAN AID.

DESPITE THESE AND OTHER OBSTACLES, HOWEVER, THE U.N. ECONOMISTS SAID EUROPE'S INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION MAY INCREASE AS MUCH AS 50 PER CENT IN THE NEXT 10 YEARS IF SOUND POLICIES ARE FOLLOWED. MOST OF THE GAINS, THEY SAID, SHOULD OCCUR IN THE COMMUNIST-CONTROLLED EASTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES WHICH ARE JUST BEGINNING TO DEVELOP.

THEY SAID AGRICULTURAL OUTPUT DURING THE SAME PERIOD MAY GO UP 40 TO 50 PER CENT IN EASTERN EUROPE AND 20 TO 30 PER CENT IN THE OTHER SECTORS.

THE PROBLEM OF WORSENING EAST-WEST TRADE HAS BEEN ONE OF THE MAJOR HEADACHES OF GUNNAR MYRDAL, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE COMMISSION. MYRDAL HAS JUST RETURNED TO GENEVA FROM MOSCWO, WHERE HE HAD LONG TALKS WITH SOVIET OFFICIALS.

THTREPORT BLAMED THE DIFFICULTIES SQUARELY

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THE REPORT BLAMED THE DIFFICTIES SQUARELY ON THE COLD WAR AND SAID:

"AS LONG AS MUTUAL DISTRUST ON THE PRESENT SCALE PREVAILS, THERE CAN BE LITTLE HOPE THAT THE POTENTIAL CONTRIBUTION OF TRADE BETWEEN THE NATURALLY COMPLETMENTARY ECONOMIES OF EASTERN AND WESTERN EUROPE CAN BE REALIZED.

"ON THE ONE HAND, EXPORT LICENSING CONTROLS APPLIED BY THE UNITED STATES AND WESTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES CONTINUE TO CURTAIL EXPORTS TO EASTERN EUROPE, AND ON THE OTHER HAND, VARIOUS OFFICIAL STATEMENTS FROM EASTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES ABOUT THE INTENDED DISTRIBUTION OF THEIR TRADE SHOW THAT A CONSIDERABLE FURTHER SHIFT OF TRADE AWAY FROM WESTERN EUROPE IS PLANNED."

THE REPORT SAID THE STALEMATE IS HURTING BOTH SIDES. FOR EASTERN EUROPE, IT SAID, THE FAILURE TO OBTAIN CAPITAL GOODS FROM THE OUTSIDE CAN ONLY MEAN DELAYS IN THE ATTAINMENT OF THEIR INDUSTRIALIZATION OBJECTIVES. THE WEST NEEDS MARKETS WHICH CAN BOTH ABSORB EXPORTS OF MANUFACTURED GOODS AND SUPPLY FOODSTUFFS AND RAW MATERIALS.

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THIS PROBLEM IS PARTICULARLY ACUTE WITH REGARD TO WEST GERMANY, THE REPORT SAID. IT ADDED:

"THE RECOVERY OF EAST-WEST TRADE, WHICH FORMERLY ABSORBED ABOUT ONE-QUARTER OF WESTERN GERMANY'S TOTAL EXPORTS OF MANUFACTURES TO EUROPEAN COUNTRIES AND FURNISHED GERMANY WITH AN EQUIVALENT VOLUME OF IMPORTS OF FOODSTUFFS AND RAW MATERIALS, IS CLEARLY ONE OF THE AREAS IN WHICH WEST GERMAN TRADE COULD RECOVER TO THE ECONOMIC ADVANTAGE OF BOTH SIDES."

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BY BRACK CURRY

FRANKFURT, GERMANY, MAY 29-(AP)-WESTERN GERMANY'S NAZI-TAINTED NATIONALISTS ARE MAKING THEIR FIRST POST-WAR BID FOR A POLITICAL COMEBACK.

THEY ARE FEVERISHLY CAMPAIGNING TO JAR LOOSE THE MODERATE PARTIES' CONTROL OF THE FIVE BIGGEST STATES IN ELECTIONS OF NEW STATE PARLIAMENTS BEGINNING JUNE 18.

ALLIED OFFICIALS SAY THESE ELECTIONS WILL GIVE THE FIRST POSITIVE CLUE TO THE STRENGTH OF WEST GERMANY'S RISING NATIONALIST FORCES.

THESE OFFICIALS AGREE THAT THE NEW NATIONALIST PARTIES ARE HACKING INTO THE STRENGTH OF THE MODERATE PARTIES SUPPORTING THE GERMAN FEDERAL REPUBLIC AT BONN. THESE MODERATE PARTIES ALSO CONTROL ALL OF THE ELEVEN STATE GOVERNMENTS.

THE BIG QUESTION IS: HOW MUCH SUPPORT HAVE THE NATIONALISTS WEANED FROM SUCH GROUPS AS THE CONSERVATIVE CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATS, BACKBONE OF THE NATIONAL COALITION, AND THE SOCIAL DEMOCRATS, THE PRINCIPAL OPPOSITION PARTY?

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MOST OF THE NATIONALIST PARTIES HAVE BEEN FORMED SINCE LAST YEAR'S FEDRAL ELECTIONS.

THE NATIONALISTS WILL GET THEIR CHANCE JUNE 18 IN THE ELECTION IN THE BIG RUHR INDUSTRIAL STATE OF NORTH RHINE-WESTPHALIA. SCHLESWIG-HOLSTEIN, AN AGRICULTURAL STATE SOUTH OF DENMARK, VOTES ON JULY 9, FOLLOWED BY HESSE, BAVARIA, WUERTTEMBERG-BADEN AND POSSIBLY LOWER SAXONY.

THE PARTY OR COALITION OF PARTIES WINNING A MAJORITY IN THE PARLIAMENT WILL NAME A CABINET TO RUN THE STATE GOVERNMENT.

ALLIED OFFICIALS WHO HAVE JUST MADE ON-THE-SPOT SURVEYS OF ELECTION PROSPECTS IN THESE STATES SAY THIS:

THE MODERATE PARTIES WILL BE WEAKENED. IN SOME STATES THE BALANCE OF POWER MAY SHIFT TO THE NATIONALISTS. IN SCHLESWIG-HOLSTEIN THE NATIONALISTS ARE EXPECTED TO SHARE 30 TO 40 PER CENT OF THE TOTAL VOTE. THEY MAY NAME THE NEXT GOVERNMENT THERE.

ALTHOUGH THE NATIONALISTS MAY AMASS A SUBSTANTIAL VOTE IN OTHER STATES, THEY ARE GIVEN LITTLE CHANCE TO WIN CONTROL OF THE STATE GOVERNMENTS.

WEST GERMANY'S 9,000,000 RESTLESS REFUGEES ARE STAYING OUT OF THE MODERATE PARTIES. THE REFUGEES WANT THEIR OWN PARTIES, AND ARE TURNING TO THE RIGHT, PARTICULARLY IN THE BRITISH ZONE.

IN THEIR CAMPAIGNS, THE NATIONALISTS ARE APEING HITLER'S TECHNIQUE IN APPEALING TO THE "HAVE-NOTS. TO THE REFUGEES THEY PROMISE EQUAL RIGHTS IN WEST GERMANY AND DEMAND THE RETURN OF THEIR OLD HOMES IN THE LOST EASTERN TERRITORIES.

THEY PROMISE JOBS TO THE JOBLESS, HOMES FOR THE HOMELESS, AND A STRONG GERMANY TO THE INDUSTRIALISTS AND FORMER NAZIS.

THEY PLAY EAST AGAINST THE WEST, DEMAND THAT THE ALLIES GET OUT OF GERMANY AND LAMPOON THE BONN REPUBLIC. CANDIDATES OF THE GERMAN BLOC, FOR EXAMPLE, ACCUSE BONN OFFICIALS OF BEING "PUPPETS OF THE ALLIES."

ABOUT 20 NATIONALISTS PARTIES ARE NOW OPERATING IN WEST GERMANY. NOT ALL OF THESE HAVE ENTERED CANDIDATES IN THE FIVE STATE ELECTIONS. IN SOME STATES ONLY TWO OR THREE NATIONALIST GROUPS ARE ACTIVELY CAMPAIGNING.

THE FASTEST GROWING NATIONALIST GROUP IS THE SOCIALIST REICH PARTY, DESCRIBED BY ALLIED OFFICIALS AS "MILITARY NATIONALISTIC."

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THIS IS HEADED BY DR. FRITZ DORLS, A MEMBER OF THE WEST GERMAN PARLIAMENT AND A FORMER NAZI. ONE OF ITS MOST PUBLIZED SPEAKERS IS FORMER MAJ. GEN. OTTO REMER, WHO SMASHED THE 1944 PLOT AGAINST HITLER BERLIN.

DORLS' GROUP ADVOCATES A DICTATORSHIP OF SOCIALISM, APPEALING PRIMARILY TO FORMER NAZIS, ARMY MEN AND THE UNDERPRIVILEGED. DORLS TR. TO GET EXTREMISTS OF THE LEFT AND RIGHT UNDER ONE UMBRELLA.

THE CRITICAL TEST WILL COME IN THE SCHLESWIG-HOLSTEIN ELECTION. OVE 40 PER CENT OF THE POPULATION THERE ARE HOMELESS, DISGRUNTLED REFUGEES UNEMPLOYMENT IS HIGH. HOUSING IS SHORT.

DORLS' EXTREMIST GROUP IS ONE OF THE CHIEF CONTENDERS FOR THE SCHLESWIG-HOLSTEIN REFUGEE VOTE. A REFUGEE PARTY HEADED BY FORMER SS MAJOR WALDEMAR KRAFT ALSO IS EXPECTED TO GARNER A BIG SLICE OF THE REFUGEE VOTE.

IF THESE GROUPS COMBINED WITH OTHER EXTREMIST PARTIES, THEY MIGHT ELECT THE NEXT GOVERNMENT IN SCHLESWIG-HOLSTEIN, BUT THERE IS NO INDICATION YET THAT THEY WILL GET TOGETHER.

IN NORTH RHINE-WESTPHALIA, NATIONALIST GROUPS ARE STILL WEAK, OFFICIALS STATE. BUT THE PERSISTENCE OF THE HARD CORE OF NAZIS THERE BOTHERS ALLIED OFFICIALS.

ELECTIONS IN WUERTTEMBERG-BADENON HESSE AND BAVARIA--ALL I

ELECTIONS IN WUERTTEMBERG-BADEN, HESSE AND BAVARIA--ALL IN THE AMERICAN OCCUPATION ZONE--WILL BE HELD BETWEEN AUGUST AND NOVEMBER. THIS IS THE OUTLOOK ACCORDING TO ALLIED OFFICIALS:

WUERTTEMBERG-BADEN--BOTH THE CONSERVATIVE CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATS AND THE SOCIALISTS WILL LOSE SUPPORT TO THE "GERMAN COMMUNITY PARTY." THIS GROUP IS SUPPORTED LARGELY BY REFUGEES, UNEMPLOYED AND BOMBED-OUT VICTIMS. IT MAY GET 15 TO 18 PER CENT OF THE TOTAL VOTE.

HESSE---THE CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATS ARE EXPECTED TO LOSE HEAVILY TO THE EXTREME RIGHTISTS AND REFUGEE PARTIES. THE "GERMAN COMMUNITY PARTY" ALREADY HAS BEEN SINGLED OUT BY THE MAJOR PARTIES AS HOLDING THE BALANCE OF POWER; THAT IS, NO PARTY IS EXPECTED TO WIN ENOUGH PARLIAMENTARY SEATS TO FORM A GOVERNMENT WITHOUT THE HELP OF THIS REFUGEE GROUP.

BAVARIA--EXTREMISTS GROUPS ARE EXPECTED TO POLL A HEAVY VOTE.

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NIGHT LEAD BERLIN (740)

BY RICHARD KASISCHKE

BERLIN, MAY 29-(AP)-WESTERN CHIEFS TODAY CLAIMED A GREAT BLOODLESS VICTORY IN THE FAILURE OF COMMUNIST YOUTH TO MAKE GOOD ON BOASTS THEY WOULD "STORM ALL BERLIN."

BUT U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J. MCCLOY JOINED OTHER LEADERS IN WARNING THAT THE WEST MUST MEET THE TOTALITARIAN CHALLENGE IN THIS FRONT-LINE CITY WITH EVEN SHARPER VIGILANCE FROM NOW ON IN VIEW OF THE REGIMENTED POWER DISPLAYED BY THE EAST HERE THIS WEEKEND.

ON THE OTHER HAND, COMMUNIST LEADERS APPEARED JUBILANT AT WHAT THEY FELT WAS THE PSYCHOLOGICAL IMPACT OF THEIR SHOW.

"THE VICTORY WAS OURS," SAID MAJ. GEN. MAXWELL D. TAYLOR, U.S. COMMANDANT. "SUNDAY WAS THE DAY BERLIN WAS TO FALL BUT THE CHALLENGE WAS MET."

"WITHOUT ACTUAL FIGHTING WE HAVE WON A STRUGGLE DURING THE WHITSUN-TIDE HOLIDAYS," DECLARED WEST BERLIN'S MAYOR, ERNST REUTER.

"HOWEVER, WE MUST HAVE NO ILLUSIONS THAT THE EASTERN DICTATORSHIP HAS GIVEN UP ITS SCHEMES TO TAKE BERLIN."

"ONE BATTLE IS OVER AND WE ARE HAPPY THAT NOBODY GOT HURT HERE."

REUTER'S STATEMENTS WERE MADE AT A NEWS CONFERENCE AND IN AN EXCHANGE OF GREETINGS WITH SOCIALIST LEADER KURT SCHUMACHER OF WESTERN GERMANY.

SCHUMACHER DECLARED "THE WHITSUNTIDE HOLIDAYS HAVE SHOWN THAT THE CONCENTRATED POWER OF DICTATORSHIP IS DOOMED TO FAILURE IF THE FORCES OF DEMOCRACY HAVE ENOUGH COURAGE TO DEFY IT."

RESPONSIBLE SPOKESMEN DID NOT DISCOUNT THE COMMUNIST FORCE WHICH MASSED 500,000 DISCIPLINED YOUTHS HERE. MANY WATCHERS, PARTICULARLY GERMAN, FOUND FRIGHTENING AUTOMATIC PERFORMANCE IN ADULATION OF STALIN AND THE PRESENCE OF BATTALIONS OF SOLDIERLY PEOPLE'S POLICE.

"THIS DEMONSTRATION WAS A SERIOUS AFFAIR--SERIOUS IN THAT IT SHOWED WHAT A POLICE STATE CAN DO TO REGIMENT PEOPLE, PARTICULARLY THE YOUNG," DECLARED COMMISSIONER MCCLOY.

MAJ. GEN. G.K. BOURNE ALSO SAID IT WAS "DISTURBING" TO ALL WHO ARE "GENUINELY INTERESTED IN UNIFYING GERMANY ON TRUE DEMOCRATIC PRINCIPLES."

THE ALLIED LEADERS JOINED REUTER IN CALLING FOR THE STRENGTHENING OF WEST BERLIN, ECONOMICALLY AND MORALLY, TO FACE THE TESTS OF THE FUTURE.

MCCLOY'S STATEMENT SAID "THE COMMUNIST-DIRECTED WHITSUNTIDE DEMONSTRATION IN BERLIN BY THE SO-CALLED FREE GERMAN YOUTH HAS RUN ITS REGIMENTED COURSE. THE TIMELY AND FIRM DETERMINATION OF WESTERN BERLINERS AND OF THE WESTERN ALLIES TO MAINTAIN LAW AND ORDER IN FREE BERLIN CLEARLY DETERRED THE COMMUNISTS FROM ATTEMPTING TO CARRY OUT THEIR EARLIER THREATS TO TAKE OVER THE WESTERN SECTORS."

NEVERTHELESS, HE SAID, IT REVEALED "THE CONSTANT NEED OF ALL FREE PEOPLES IN BERLIN AND ELSEWHERE TO REMAIN STEADFAST AND ALERT. IN THE DAYS AHEAD IT IS IMPORTANT FOR THE PEOPLES OF THE DEMOCRATIC NATIONS TO REALIZE THAT THE COMMUNIST THREAT CAN BE MET AND OVERCOME ONLY BY WISE AND LIBERAL LEADERSHIP AND BY UNITED ACTION IN ALL FIELDS."

GEN.TAYLOR ALSO TOLD HIS NEWS CONFERENCE THAT "WE DO NOT WANT TO BE COMPLACENT. THIS MARCH OF THE COMMUNIST-CONTROLLED YOUTH WAS A SOBERING RESEMBLANCE TO THE OLD NAZI DAYS. IT SHOWED THAT THE FIGHT FOR BERLIN IS NOT A GAME WHICH IS FINISHED BY WHITSUNDAY."

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THE AMERICAN RADIO STATION RIAS SAID 500 COMMUNIST YOUTHS HAD CALLED OR TELEPHONED DURING THE RALLY ASKING AID FOR A GET-AWAY FROM EASTERN GERMANY OR OFFERING TO SPREAD WESTERN PROPAGANDA IN THE SOVIET ZONE.

THE YOUTHS HAD BEEN TOLD WEST BERLINERS WERE STARVING, BUT MANY WERE BEING ENTERTAINED IN WEST BERLIN HOMES TO SHOW THIS WAS FALSE. MANY OF THE VISITS WERE ARRANGED BY INVITATIONS EXTENDED THROUGH RIAS.

AT LEAST 25 DESERTERS FORMALLY REQUESTED ASYLUM IN WEST BERLIN. THREE OF THEM, TWO BOYS AND A GIRL, TOLD THE ASSOCIATED PRESS THEIR LEADERS HAD DISCOURAGED VISITS TO THE WEST BY WARNING THAT THE AMERICANS AND BRITISH WOULD FEED THEM POISONED ORANGES, BANANAS AND CANDY, AND GIVE THEM EXPLOSIVE CIGARETTES. THE GIRL SAID SHE HAD BEEN WARNED THAT "THE AMERICANS HAD BROUGHT NEGRO TROOPS TO GUARD THE SECTOR BORDERS WHO WOULD RAPE EVERY BLUE-SHIRT GIRL."

THE TRIO ESTIMATED THAT ONLY 10 PER CENT OF THE EAST ZONE'S 2,000,000 YOUTH MEMBERS WERE CONVINCED COMMUNISTS.

THE MAYOR OF AN EAST GERMAN TOWN TURNED UP IN WEST BERLIN TODAY AS THE LATEST REFUGEE. WESTERN AUTHORITIES WITHHELD HIS NAME.

MEANWHILE THE YOUTH DEMONSTRATION, WHICH COONTINUES THROUGH TUESDAY, RAN THROUGH A PROGRAM OF SPORTS EVENTS AND VAUDEVILLE SHOWS, TOPPED OFF BY TORCHLIGHT PARADES IN SIX PARTS OF EAST BERLIN TONIGHT.

ABOUT 5,000 ATHLETES AND 70,000 SPECTATORS SHOWED UP AT THE STADIUM, BUT SO MUCH TIME WAS GIVEN TO LOUDSPEAKER GREETINGS FROM VARIOUS POLITICAL LEADERS THAT THE SHOW DID NOT START UNTIL EVENING.

THE ATHLETES MARCHED IN WITH A HUGE PICTURE OF STALIN AT THE HEAD OF THE COLUMN AND CARRIED HUGE ANTI-WESTERN PLACARDS WHICH SAID "WE ARE NOT CANNON FODDER FOR IMPERIALISTS."

BERLIN'S SECTOR BORDERS REMAINED QUIET EXCEPT FOR A FEW ARRESTS.

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PMS BUDGET (670)
GERMAN YOUTH
BY WES GALLAGHER

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BERLIN, MAY 29-(AP)-THE MUCH-PUBLICIZED "BATTLE FOR BERLIN" TURNED OUT YESTERDAY TO BE JUST ANOTHER BIG COMMUNIST PARADE--NOT THE THREATENED PUTSCH THE WEST HAD GIRDED ITSELF TO MEET.

THE DEMONSTRATION, WHICH RECALLED DAYS OF HITLERITE GOOSE-STEPPING, HAD ITS SIGNIFICANT UNDERTONES, HOWEVER.

THE WEST PROVED ITSELF READY TO MEET ANY RED PUTSCH AND NOT BE MOVED OUT OF THE CITY BY SOVIET THREATS.

THE EAST PROVED IT HAD LAID THE GROUNDWORK FOR AN AUTOMATON STATE IN EAST GERMANY, FIRMLY IN THE COMMUNIST GRIP, BY POURING OUT A HALF MILLION YOUTHS TO PAY HOMAGE TO SOVIET RUSSIA.

SPEAKERS FOR BOTH SIDES WERE CLAIMING VICTORIES. BUT THERE WAS NONE--ONLY A DEADLOCK UNTIL THE NEXT BERLIN CRISIS.

THERE WAS NO COMMUNIST STORMING OF THE WEST SECTORS, AS FIRST THREATENED LAST FEBRUARY.

NEITHER WAS THE RED OUTPOURING IN THE EAST SECTOR ANY FLABBY AFFAIR.

UP THE WILHELMSTRASSE, PAST THE RUBBLE THAT MARKS THE END OF HITLER'S REICH, INTO UNTER DEN LINDEN WHERE THE KAISER'S LEGIONS AND LATER THE NAZI HOARDS USED TO MARCH, CAME THE BLUE-SHIRTED YOUTHS BY THE TENS OF THOUSANDS.

HOUR AFTER HOUR THEY MARCHED, THROUGH RAIN AND SUN, CHANTING HYMNS OF HATE AGAINST THE WEST AND PRAISE FOR COMMUNIST RUSSIA.

SANDWICHED IN WITH THE MARCHING YOUNGSTERS WERE 10,000 MEMBERS OF THE EAST ZONE POLICE FORCE, WHICH WESTERN OFFICIALS CLAIM IS THE NUCLEUS OF AN EAST GERMAN ARMY.

TANNED, RUGGED, AND OBVIOUSLY ARMY-DISCIPLINED IN THEIR DARK BLUE UNIFORMS AND BLACK JACK-BOOTS, THEY LOOKED MUCH LIKE THE WEHRMACHT FORCES OF A FEW YEARS AGO.

THE MARCHERS WOULD BURST INTO A FRENZY OF CHEERING AS THEY PASSED THE REVIEWING STAND, WHERE GERMAN AND RUSSIAN COMMUNIST LEADERS STOOD.

THEIR FATHERS AND OLDER BROTHERS BROKE INTO SIMILAR FRENZIES 10 YEARS AGO NEAR THE SAME PLACE. MOST OF THEM ARE DEAD NOW--FOLLOWING HITLER'S ILL-FATED STAR.

SUCH MEMORIES SEEMED TO OCCUPY THE THOUGHTS OF THE FEW THOUSANDS OF OLDER PEOPLE LINING THE UNTER DEN LINDEN TO WATCH THE MARCH. THE HORROR OF WAR AND THE BITTERNESS OF DEFEAT WAS STILL FRESH IN THEIR MINDS. THEY LOOKED CHILLED AND APATHETIC AS THEY WATCHED THE MACHINE-LIKE PERFORMANCE.

IT WAS DIFFICULT TO TELL ABOUT THE YOUNGSTERS. IT WAS IMPOSSIBLE TO KNOW HOW DEEPLY THE SOVIET HATE-THE-WEST PROPAGANDA HAD SUNK INTO THEIR MINDS.

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SOME LOOKED AS THOUGH THEY WOULD HAVE TRADED THE WHOLE AFFAIR FOR A COUPLE OF ORANGES OR A STICK OF CANDY. THEY WERE WET, COLD AND PROBABLY WOULD MUCH RATHER HAVE BEEN AT HOME, OR SIGHTSEEING ON THEIR OWN.

OTHERS HAD THE ATTITUDE OF FANATICS.

THERE WAS NO DOUBT OF ONE FACT, HOWEVER. ALL WERE AUTOMATONS FIRMLY IN THE GRIP OF THEIR COMMUNIST LEADERS. THEY CHEERED WHEN THEY WERE SUPPOSED TO AND DID AS THEY WERE TOLD, WITHOUT QUESTION, IF NOT WITH ENTHUSIASM.

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GROUPS OF VOLKS POLICE STOOD ON CERTAIN CORNERS, GIVING ORGANIZED CHEERS FOR THE MARCHING YOUTHS.

THE BAREHEADED YOUNGSTERS, WHO SWEPT 32 ABREAST UP TO THE LUSTGARTEN, CARRIED BANNERS BLARING FORTH THE PRESCRIBED JIBES AGAINST THE WEST.

THE BANNERS RIDICULED EVERYTHING FROM AMERICAN CHEWING GUM TO AMERICAN MAGAZINES. THEY ATTACKED "ANGLO-AMERICAN IMPERIALISM" AND HAILED GERMAN "HEROES" IN THE SOVIET ZONE URANIUM MINES.

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AMERICAN CULTURE WAS LAMPOONED WITH A SKETCH OF FEMALE WRESTLERS PULLING HAIR.

IN THE LUSTGARTEN ITSELF, WILHELM PIECK, PRESIDENT ~~DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER AND COMMUNIST STRONG MAN~~ OF EAST GERMANY, LED OFF THE ORATORY.

HAILING STALIN AS "THE GREATEST AND BEST FRIEND OF THE GERMAN PEOPLE," PIECK TOLD THE SHOUTING CHILDREN THAT THE "IMPERIALIST FOREIGN MINISTERS" HAD TRIED TO "GET GERMANY'S YOUTH FOR CANNON FODDER AND USE WEST GERMANY AS A BASE FOR A NEW WAR."

THE PEACEFUL PASSING OF THE RALLY BROUGHT A VICTORY CLAIM FROM WEST BERLIN'S MAYOR, ERNEST REUTER.

"OUR PEACEFUL DETERMINATION, TOGETHER WITH THE SUPPORT WE RECEIVED FROM THE ALLIES, HAS RESULTED IN A COMPLETE FAILURE OF COMMUNIST DREAMS TO OVERRUN BERLIN," HE SAID.

WEST BERLIN POLICE WERE ON GUARD AT THE SECTOR BOUNDARY TO STOP ANY THREATENED TROUBLE.

ONLY ONE INCIDENT WAS REPORTED TO MAR THE OTHERWISE PEACEFUL DAY. IT INVOLVED THE BEATING OF A WEST BERLIN NEWS VENDOR BY COMMUNIST YOUTHS ON A TROLLEY CAR CROSSING A STREET BISECTED BY THE AMERICAN AND SOVIET SECTOR BORDER. A WEST BERLIN POLICEMAN ARRESTED THE MOTORMAN WHO HAD DENOUNCED THE VENDOR TO THE YOUTHS.

THERE COULD BE NO DOUBT THE COMMUNIST BOSSES OF EAST GERMANY WERE SEEKING TO INTEREST THE MARCHING TEEN-AGERS IN FUTURE CAREERS AS SOLDIERS.

GIVEN A FEW MORE YEARS, IT WAS OBVIOUS THERE WOULD BE MORE FANATICS IN THE MARCHING MASSES--AND MORE SOLDIERS.

IN CONTRAST TO THE TEEMING EAST SECTOR STREETS, WERE THOSE OF THE WEST. THESE WERE VIRTUALLY DESERTED IN THE FREQUENT SHOWERS. A FEW SUNDAY STROLLERS CAME OUT WHEN THE SUN APPEARED. THE MOVIES WERE FULL, AN AUTO SHOW PACKED.

IT COULD HAVE BEEN SUNDAY ANYWHERE IN ANY CITY OF THE WORLD. more

TODAY THE WEARY MARCHERS WERE ROLLED OUT OF BED FOR A DAY OF CULTURE AND SPORTS.

ICE HOCKEY, SAILING, WRESTLING, GYMNASTICS AND CROSS COUNTRY RUNNING EVENTS WERE SCATTERED THROUGHOUT THE DAY. SOVIET SONG AND DANCE TEAMS FILLED IN WITH OPEN AIR SHOWS.

KEROSENE TORCHES WERE LAID OUT BY TENS OF THOUSANDS FOR USE IN A SERIES OF FINAL PARADES AT SIX POINTS IN EAST BERLIN TONIGHT.

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BY THOMAS A.REEDY

BERLIN, MAY 29-(AP)-THE ATHLETES OF THE EAST GERMAN COMMUNIST YOUTH ORCANIZATION PUT ON WHAT THEY CALLED A SPORTS SHOW TODAY.

THE DUCATS WERE FREE. THERE WERE 5,000 ATHLETES, 70,000 SPECTATORS.

EVERYBODY WAS SO BUSY WITH POLITICS, BANDS AND MARCHING THAT THEY HAD A HARD TIME GETTING AROUND TO THE SPORTS. IT WAS AS THOUGH THE YANKEES AND THE DODGERS STRUTTED AROUND FOR TWO HOURS BEFORE OPENING THE WORLD SERIES, CARRYING BANNERS THAT SAID HOORAY FOR TRUMAN AND STALIN IS A BUM.

THE PROGRAM, ONE OF THE LAST BIG ONES BEFORE THE 500,000 BLUESHIRTS WIND UP THEIR WHITSUN MARCH ON BERLIN, WAS SUPPOSED TO START AT AROUND NOON.

THE STADIUM WAS FILLED. A BAND BLARED COMMUNIST SONGS STARTING TIME CAME AND WENT AND NO ONE SEEMED TO MIND. MORE THAN AN HOUR LATE, THE ATHLETES, DRESSED IN ALL THE COLORS OF THE RAINBOW, TROOPED IN.

THEY MARCHED LIKED SOLDIERS, INCLUDING THE GIRLS. LEADING THE PARADE WAS A BIG PICTURE OF STALIN. NEXT CAME THE FLAG OF THE COMMUNIST WORLD YOUTH LEAGUE.

THEN, AND ONLY THEN, DID THE COMMUNIST LEADERS ALLOW A TOUCH OF GERMANY. THE GERMAN FDJ (FREIE DEUTSCHE JUGEND--FREE GERMAN YOUTH) FLAG AND THE BANNER OF THE EAST GERMAN REPUBLIC CAME THIRD.

A LOUDSPEAKER REELED OFF A HALF HOUR OF GREETINGS TO VARIOUS POLITICAL BIGWIGS FROM THE VOLGA TO THE SPREE. THE KIDS IN THE STANDS, BUBBLING UP AND DOWN LIKE A LOT OF BLUE TAILED FLIES, CHEERED AND CLAPPED ON SCHEDULE.

IT TOOK AN HOUR AND A HALF FOR THE ATHLETES TO MARCH IN, STAND AT ATTENTION FOR THE GREETINGS AND MARCH OUT AGAIN.

NOBODY DREAMED OF HOLLERING ANYTHING LIKE "LET'S GET ON WITH THE BALL GAME."

THE ATHLETES CARRIED PLACARDS WHICH PUNCHED THE WEST AROUND:

"WE ARE NOT CANNON FODDER FOR THE IMPERIALISTS."

"OUT WITH AMERICAN CULTURE."

"BE READY TO WORK AND DEFEND THE PEACE."

THERE WAS A BIG PORTRAIT OF CHINA'S COMMUNIST LEADER CRYING "LONG LIVE MAO TZE-TUNG."

BY THE TIME THE SUN WAS GETTING A LITTLE LOW, THE SPORTS EVENTS STARTED.

A TELEPHONE IN THE EAST PRESS BOX RANG.

"YOUR CALL TO BUDAPEST", AN OPERATOR SAID.

WHOEVER HAD PLACED IT MUST HAVE BEEN CARRIED AWAY AT THE SCENE. ANYWAY, HE WAS GONE.

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BERLIN, MAY 29-(AP)-THE MAYOR OF AN EAST GERMAN TOWN TURNED UP TODAY IN WEST BERLIN AS THE LATEST REFUGEE FROM THE RUSSIAN ZONE SEEKING ASYLUM IN THE WEST.

WEST BERLIN AUTHORITIES DESCRIBED THE OFFICIAL ONLY AS A MEMBER OF THE CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATIC UNION. THEY SAID HIS NAME WAS BEING WITHHELD "TO PROTECT MEMBERS OF HIS FAMILY STILL IN THE SOVIET ZONE.

THE CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATIC PARTY, ONCE INDEPENT, HAS BEEN FORCED INTO COLLABORATION IN A SYSTEM OF "BLOC POLITICS" WHICH IS DOMINATED BY THE SOVIET-SPONSORED SOCIALIST UNITY (COMMUNIST) PARTY.

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BERLIN, MAY 29-(AP)-A COURT IN THE SOVIET OCCUPATION ZONE SENTENCED FORMER GERMAN BANKER EMIL HECHLER TO LIFE IMPRISONMENT ON A CHARGE OF SPECULATING IN SUPPLIES OF A CHEMICAL EXTRACT FOR VITAMIN C, THE SOVIET-LICENSED NEWS AGENCY ADN ANNOUNCED TODAY.

THE AGENCY SAID HECHLER HAD ACQUIRED 9,278 POUNDS OF CHEMICALS FROM FORMER GERMAN ARMY STOCKS SINCE THE WAR AND SOLD HALF OF IT SECRETLY TO A WEST BERLIN FIRM. THE AMOUNT OF CHEMICALS INVOLVED WOULD HAVE BEEN ENOUGH TO SUPPLY ALL THE VITAMIN C REQUIREMENTS OF 3,000,000 EAST GERMANS FOR TWO YEARS, THE AGENCY ADDED.

THE AGENCY SAID A BROTHER OF HECHLER WORKED IN AN EXPORT COMPANY IN NEW YORK, BUT GAVE NO FURTHER DETAILS.

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PRECEDE LONDON DAY (320)

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OTTAWA, CANADA, MAY 29-(AP)-THE CANADIAN PRESS SAID TODAY THERE ARE SIGNS THAT A FULL-SCALE BRITISH-CANADIAN-AMERICAN OFFENSIVE AGAINST COMMUNIST SPIES MAY BREAK WIDE OPEN AT ANY TIME.

ONE OF THE SIGNS WAS SEEN IN LONDON REPORTS THAT A CANADIAN IS AMONG SUSPECTS IN AN INTERNATIONAL ATOMIC SPY RING LINKED WITH THE GERMAN BORN SCIENTIST, DR. KLAUS FUCHS.

THE FACT THAT OFFICIALS ARE SO FIRM IN THEIR DETERMINATION NOT TO TALK LEADS TO THE BELIEF THAT CANADA SOON MAY SEE A REVIVAL OF THE SENSATIONAL SPY TRIALS OF 1946, THE NEWS SERVICE SAID.

TWO LONDON NEWSPAPERS SAID YESTERDAY THAT MORE THAN A DOZEN ATOMIC SCIENTISTS, GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND BUSINESSMEN ARE LIKELY TO BE ARRESTED SOON AND CHARGED WITH PASSING SECRET INFORMATION TO RUSSIA. THEY INCLUDE A BRITON, AT LEAST ONE CANADIAN AND SIX AMERICANS, ONE PAPER SAID.

IN A NOTEBOOK SEIZED AT THE TIME OF THE 1946 TRIALS WAS FOUND THE NAME OF FUCHS, NOW SERVING 14 YEARS IN PRISON FOR GIVING SECRETS TO RUSSIA.

FUCHS' NAME CARRIED NO SIGNIFICANCE IN 1946; NOW IT DOES.

SINCE FUCHS HAS BEEN UNDER QUESTIONING BY AMERICAN FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION MEN, HARRY GOLD, PHILADELPHIA RESEARCH CHEMIST, HAS BEEN ARRESTED. THE FBI SAID GOLD ADMITTED HAVING DEALINGS WITH FUCHS.

LONDON'S SUNDAY WEEKLY, REYNOLDS NEWS, SAID THE EXPECTED ARREST OF THE CANADIAN AND OTHER MEMBERS OF THE ALLEGED RING WILL BE A DIRECT RESULT OF THE QUESTIONING OF FUCHS. IT SAID FUCHS HAD GIVEN THE NAMES OF 200 SUSPECTS.

THE SUNDAY EMPIRE NEWS SAID FOR THE PAST 10 DAYS FUCHS HAD BEEN IDENTIFYING "SUSPECT AFTER SUSPECT" FROM FILMS FLOWN TO LONDON, AND THAT ARRESTS ARE CERTAIN TO FOLLOW.

OF AN ALREADY FORMIDABLE LIST OF SUSPECTS COMPILED BY BRITISH, AMERICAN AND CANADIAN AUTHORITIES, 1,000 ARE AMERICANS, 150 CANADIANS AND 100 BRITISH, REYNOLDS NEWS SAID.

OFFICIALS HERE DECLINED COMMENT ON THE LONDON REPORTS WHICH WERE NOT CONFIRMED OFFICIALLY IN LONDON.

BUT THE IRON-BOUND RETICENCE AND OTHER HINTS INDICATED THAT BEHIND THE SCENES THE CANADIAN ROYAL MOUNTED POLICE ARE COOPERATING CLOSELY WITH SCOTLAND YARD AND THE FBI TO EXPLOIT THE FUCHS AND GOLD ARRESTS INTO ONE OF THE BIGGEST INTERNATIONAL SPY ROUNDUPS YET, THE CANADIAN PRESS SAID.

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LONDON, MAY 29-(AP)-TWO LONDON NEWSPAPERS CLAIM FURTHER ARRESTS, INCLUDING SOME AMERICANS, WILL RESULT FROM CURRENT QUESTIONING OF DR. KLAUS FUCHS, CONVICTED BRITISH ATOMIC SPY.

THE PREDICTIONS, MADE YESTERDAY BY THE SUNDAY REYNOLDS NEWS AND THE SUNDAY EMPIRE NEWS, WERE NOT CONFIRMED OFFICIALLY.

THE EMPIRE NEWS SAID THAT FOR THE PAST 10 DAYS FUCHS HAD BEEN "IDENTIFYING SUSPECT AFTER SUSPECT FROM FILMS OF THOUSANDS OF

"IDENTIFYING SUSPECT AFTER SUSPECT FROM FILMS OF THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE FLOWN SECRETLY AND UNDER CLOSE GUARD FROM AMERICA."

"FRESH ARRESTS IN THE WAR ON ATOM SPIES IN AMERICA AND CANADA," THE PAPER CONTINUED, "ARE CERTAIN TO FOLLOW INFORMATION HE HAS BEEN GIVING DAY BY DAY."

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REYNOLDS NEWS SAID "MORE THAN A DOZEN ATOMIC SCIENTISTS, GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND BUSINESSMEN ARE LIKELY TO BE ARRESTED IN THE BIGGEST INTERNATIONAL SPY ROUNDUP EVER KNOWN AND CHARGED WITH PASSING TOP SECRET INFORMATION TO RUSSIA. THEY INCLUDE A BRITON, AT LEAST ONE CANADIAN AND SIX AMERICANS."

FUCHS IS SERVING A 14-YEAR SENTENCE FOR FUNNELING ATOMIC SECRETS TO RUSSIA. TWO FBI MEN HAVE BEEN QUESTIONING HIM FOR THE PAST WEEK.

SINCE THE QUESTIONING BEGAN, ONE MAN ALREADY HAS BEEN ARRESTED IN THE UNITED STATES. HE IS HARRY GOLD, PHILADELPHIA RESEARCH CHEMIST. THE FBI SAID GOLD HAD ADMITTED HAVING DEALINGS WITH FUCHS, ONCE ONE OF BRITAIN'S TOP THEORETICAL ATOMIC SCIENTISTS.

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PMS BUDGET (230)
SCHUMAN PLAN
LONDON, MAY 29-(AP)-BRITAIN WANTS TO TAKE A LONG, HARD LOOK AT THE SCHUMAN PLAN FOR POOLING WEST EUROPE'S COAL AND STEEL INDUSTRIES BEFORE COMMITTING HERSELF TO FORMAL APPROVAL OF THE FAR-REACHING PROJECT.

INFORMED SOURCES SAID TODAY BRITAIN HAS REJECTED A FRENCH REQUEST THAT THE LABOR GOVERNMENT GO ON RECORD NOW AS FAVORING THE INDUSTRIAL POOL IN PRINCIPLE AND EXAMINE THE DETAILS LATER.

THE SOURCES EMPHASIZED THAT BRITAIN'S REFUSAL DOES NOT NECESSARY MEAN SHE DISAPPROVES OF THE PLAN, WHICH ALREADY HAS BEEN HAILED BY WEST GERMAN LEADERS AS A GREAT STEP TOWARD EUROPEAN UNITY.

BUT BRITAIN FIRST WANTS TO EXAMINE THE PROPOSAL IN DETAIL TO SEE WHAT SACRIFICES MIGHT BE DEMANDED OF HER IF SHE JOINED BRITISH COAL AND STEEL OUTPUT WITH THAT OF FRANCE, GERMANY AND OTHER EUROPEAN COUNTRIES.

FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN, WHO PROPOSED THE INDUSTRIAL POOL EARLY THIS MONTH, HAS SUGGESTED THAT TALKS ON THE PROJECT BE STARTED IN JUNE BY FRANCE, BRITAIN, WEST GERMANY, ITALY, BELGIUM, HOLLAND AND LUXEMBOURG. PENDING THESE DISCUSSIONS, THE FRENCH ASKED THAT THE COUNTRIES GO ON RECORD AS FAVORING THE PROJECT IN PRINCIPLE.

BRITAIN HAS URGED FRANCE AND GERMANY TO GET THE BALL ROLLING WITH NEGOTIATIONS ON POOLING COAL AND STEEL OUTPUT. BUT INFORMED SOURCES HERE SAID BRITAIN FLATLY TURNED DOWN THE FRENCH REQUEST FOR FORMAL APPROVAL IN PRINCIPLE NOW.

THE SOURCES SAID BRITAIN ALREADY HAS EXPRESSED APPROVAL OF THE IDEA OF FRANCO-GERMAN INDUSTRIAL UNION AND OF WIDENING THE PLAN TO INCLUDE OTHER COUNTRIES OF WESTERN EUROPE.
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FOLO LONDON (A17)
PARIS, MAY 29-(AP)-FRANCE IS SENDING A NEW REQUEST TO BRITAIN FOR A "CLEAR AND DEFINITE" STATEMENT OF BRITAIN'S ATTITUDE TOWARD THE FRENCH PLAN TO POOL EUROPEAN COAL AND STEEL.

AUTHORITATIVE SOURCES SAID TODAY THE FOREIGN OFFICE WAS DISSATISFIED WITH A BRITISH NOTE SATURDAY THAT BRITAIN WOULD SEND ONLY AN OBSERVER TO A MEETING TENTATIVELY ARRANGED FOR MID-JUNE TO WORK OUT DETAILS OF THE PLAN.

FRANCE HAD INVITED BELGIUM, HOLLAND, LUXEMBOURG, ITALY AND BRITAIN TO SEND DELEGATIONS TO A FRENCH-GERMAN CONFERENCE TO PUT THE COAL-STEEL PLAN INTO EFFECT. THERE WAS NO OFFICIAL STATEMENT ON THE NATURE OF REPLIES FROM OTHER COUNTRIES, BUT FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMEN SAID THEY BELIEVED ALL OF THEM WOULD ATTEND.

FRANCE AND THE WEST GERMAN REPUBLIC ALREADY HAVE HAD PRELIMINARY TALKS, IN BONN, ON THE APPLICATION OF THE POOL PLAN. THE POOLING WAS SUGGESTED BY FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN IN A STATEMENT MAY 9. SCHUMAN SAID THE POOL SHOULD MERGE ALL OF FRANCE AND GERMANY'S COAL AND STEEL, BUT ADDED THAT OTHER WESTERN EUROPEAN NATIONS WOULD BE INVITED TO JOIN.
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NIGHT LEAD SCHUMAN PLAN (370).

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PARIS, MAY 29-(AP)-INFORMED SOURCES SAID TODAY FRANCE IS DISPLEASED WITH A BRITISH BALK ON THE SCHUMAN PLAN TO POOL WESTERN EUROPE'S HEAVY INDUSTRIES.

BRITAIN REJECTED A FRENCH REQUEST THAT SHE IMMEDIATELY APPROVE IN PRINCIPLE THE PLAN PROJECTED BY FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN ON MAY 9.

AUTHORITATIVE SOURCES SAID THE FRENCH FOREIGN OFFICE, DISSATISFIED WITH A BRITISH NOTE SATURDAY, WILL SEND A NEW REQUEST TO BRITAIN FOR A "CLEAR AND DEFINITE" STATEMENT OF BRITAIN'S ATTITUDE.

FRANCE HAD INVITED BRITAIN, ITALY, HOLLAND, BELGIUM AND LUXEMBOURG TO SEND DELEGATES TO A FRENCH-GERMAN CONFERENCE TO PUT INTO EFFECT A MERGER OF FRENCH AND GERMAN STEEL AND COAL WHICH OTHER EUROPEAN COUNTRIES WOULD BE INVITED TO JOIN.

THE BRITISH NOTE SAID BRITAIN WOULD SEND ONLY AN OBSERVER TO THE CONFERENCE, TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED FOR MID-JUNE TO WORK OUT DETAILS OF THE STEEL-COAL POOL.

INFORMED SOURCES IN LONDON SAID BRITAIN'S REFUSAL TO COMMIT HERSELF TO FORMAL APPROVAL OF THE POOL AND EXAMINE THE DETAILS LATER, DID NOT MEAN BRITAIN OPPOSED THE PLAN. THEY POINTED OUT BRITAIN ALREADY HAD EXPRESSED APPROVAL OF THE IDEA OF A FRANCO-GERMAN COAL-STEEL MERGER AND WIDENING OF THE PLAN TO INCLUDE ALL OF WESTERN EUROPE.

THESE SOURCES SAID BRITAIN WANTS MORE TIME TO STUDY THE SCHUMAN PROPOSAL AND KNOW WHAT SACRIFICES MIGHT BE DEMANDED OF HER IF SHE JOINED HER COAL AND STEEL OUTPUT WITH THAT OF WESTERN EUROPE.

THE POOL WOULD BE UNDER AN INTERNATIONAL AUTHORITY WHOSE DECISIONS WOULD BE MANDATORY ON THE GOVERNMENTS TAKING PART.

A BRITISH NOTE LAST THURSDAY URGED FRANCE AND GERMANY TO START WORKING OUT DETAILS OF THE PLAN. BRITAIN'S DECISION ON WHETHER TO JOIN THE PLAN WOULD NOT BE MADE UNTIL THESE TALKS, ATTENDED BY A BRITISH OBSERVER, WERE COMPLETED.

FRANCE THEN PROPOSED THE BROADER INTERNATIONAL TALKS, WITH WEST GERMANY, BRITAIN, ITALY AND THE BENELUX COUNTRIES PARTICIPATING. PENDING THESE DISCUSSIONS FRANCE ASKED ALL THE COUNTRIES CONCERNED TO DECLARE THEIR ACCEPTANCE OF THE PRINCIPLES OF THE PLAN.

THERE WAS NO OFFICIAL STATEMENT ON THE NATURE OF THE REPLIES FROM OTHER COUNTRIES, EXCEPT BRITAIN, BUT A FRENCH FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMAN SAID IT WAS BELIEVED ALL WOULD SEND REPRESENTATIVES TO THE CONFERENCE.

AT THIONVILLE TODAY, SCHUMAN APPEALED TO FRENCHMEN TO FORGET PARTY DIFFERENCES IN CONSIDERING HIS PROJECT.

IN A SPEECH OBVIOUSLY AIMED AT SOCIALISTS, SCHUMAN DECLARED:

"IF YOU RECOGNIZE THAT THE IDEA IS GOOD, IT IS YOUR DUTY TO AID US, BECAUSE WE ARE NOT MAKING IT AN AFFAIR OF PARTIES OR OF CLASSES. IT CONCERNS THE PEACE OF THE WORLD, SOMETHING MUCH HIGHER THAN THAT".

SEVERAL SOCIALISTS HAVE COMMENTED THAT THE POOL IS A GOOD IDEA, BUT HAVE EXPRESSED RESERVATIONS.

SCHUMAN WAS SPEAKING AT A FRANCO-LUXEMBOURG FRIENDSHIP PROGRAM.

THE SOCIALIST PARTY CONGRESS TONIGHT APPROVED THE SCHUMAN PLAN WITH FIVE CONDITIONS: THAT LABOR BE STRONGLY REPRESENTED IN THE RULING BODY OF THE POOL; THE RULING BODY HAVE REAL POWER TO ENFORCE ITS DECISIONS; THE BODY BE RESPONSIBLE TO DEMOCRATICALLY CHOSEN REPRESENTATIVES OF THE MEMBER COUNTRIES; THE INTERNATIONAL RUHR AUTHORITY BE USED AS A REGIONAL ORGAN OF THE POOL AND THAT RETURN OF RUHR MINES TO PRIVATE OWNERSHIP BE PREVENTED.

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PARIS, MAY 29-(AP)-FRANCE'S SOCIALISTS DECIDED TODAY TO CONTINUE SUPPORTING PREMIER GEORGES BIDAULT'S MIDDLE OF THE ROAD CABINET WITHOUT TAKING PART IN IT.

THE DECISION WAS REACHED AT THE WINDUP OF A FOUR-DAY PARTY CONVENTION.

THE SOCIALISTS WITHDREW IN FEBRUARY FROM THE COALITION CABINET IN WHICH BIDAULT'S POPULAR REPUBLICANS ARE THE LEADING PARTY. THEY PULLED OUT IN A DISPUTE OVER COST-OF-LIVING BONUSES TO LOW PAID WORKERS. SINCE THEN THE SOCIALISTS HAVE CONTINUED TO BACK THEIR FORMER COLLEAGUES WITH THEIR VOTES IN PARLIAMENT.

THE SOCIALISTS ALSO ADOPTED FOREIGN POLICY PLANKS CALLING FOR FRANCE TO ABANDON THE "DANGEROUS ILLUSION" THAT EUROPE CAN BE NEUTRAL BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND RUSSIA.

THE PARTY WENT ON RECORD AS FAVORING FURTHER INTEGRATION OF AMERICAN AND WESTERN EUROPEAN DEFENSE.

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LONDON, MAY 29-(AP)-THE MOSCOW RADIO SAID TODAY S.Z. GINSBURG HAS BEEN RELEASED FROM HIS DUTIES AS MINISTER OF BUILDING MATERIALS.

THE BROADCAST, MONITORED HERE, SAID HE HAD BEEN REPLACED BY P. A. YUDIN, FORMERLY MINISTER OF CONSTRUCTION OF HEAVY INDUSTRY ENTERPRISES. YUDIN'S OLD POST WAS TAKEN BY D. Y. RAIZER.

ALL THE CHANGES WERE ANNOUNCED BY THE PRESIDIUM OF THE SUPREME SOVIET, THE RADIO SAID.

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LONDON, MAY 29-(AP)-TIRANA RADIO REPORTED TONIGHT THE RULING COMMUNISTS RECEIVED AN OVERWHELMING VOTE IN ALBANIA'S 1950 SINGLE-TICKET PARLIAMENTARY ELECTIONS.

THE VOTING TOOK PLACE YESTERDAY. THE RADIO SAID INCOMPLETE RETURNS SHOWED THE COMMUNISTS WON THE ENDORSEMENT OF 97.9 PER CENT TO 99.63 PER CENT OF THE VOTE IN VARIOUS PARTS OF THE COUNTRY.

ALBANIA IS UNDER A TIGHT DICTATORSHIP HEADED BY ENVER HOXHA. HIS CANDIDATES RAN UNDER THE LABEL OF "THE DEMOCRATIC FRONT."

THE RADIO ACCOUNT DID NOT EXPLAIN WHERE THE VOTES WENT WHICH WERE NOT WON BY THE OFFICIAL SLATE.

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PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, MAY 29-(AP)-VLADO CLEMENTIS WAS OUSTED FROM HIS JOB AS FOREIGN MINISTER BECAUSE HE "LOST FAITH IN STALIN."

THAT WAS THE EXPLANATION GIVEN BY HIS SUCCESSOR, VILEM SIROKY, WHO SAID AT A PARTY CONFERENCE THAT "A TRUE COMMUNIST MUST ALWAYS HAVE UNCONDITIONAL FAITH IN THE SOVIET UNION AND STALIN, HOWEVER DIFFICULT THE SITUATION."

CLEMENTIS WENT OUT AS FOREIGN MINISTER ON MARCH 14. FOUR DAYS AGO HE WAS ACCUSED OF HAVING BEEN A "CLASS ENEMY, UNFRIENDLY TOWARD THE SOVIET UNION." SPECIFICALLY, THE CHARGE SAID, HE DISCLOSED THIS ANTI-SOVIET FEELING BY OPPOSING THE RUSSIAN-GERMAN PACT OF 1939.

SIROKY ALSO ACCUSED KAROL SMIDKE, CHAIRMAN OF THE SLOVAK COUNCIL OF COMMISSIONERS OF "OPPOSING THE EXECUTIVE POWER OF THE (PRESIDENT KLEMENT) GOTTWALD GOVERNMENT."

HE SAID THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA WOULD DEAL WITH BOTH CLEMENTIS AND SMIDKE.

(THIS COULD MEAN BOTH WILL BE CHARGED WITH TREASON, AND PLACED ON TRIAL FOR THEIR LIVES.)

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BY MICHAEL GOLDSMITH

GENEVA, MAY 29-(AP)-OFFICIALS OF THE INTERNATIONAL REFUGEE ORGANIZATION (IRO) ESTIMATED TODAY THAT SOME 10,000 PERSONS HAVE FLED FROM THE COMMUNIST COUNTRIES OF EASTERN EUROPE DURING THE PAST SEVEN MONTHS.

THESE REFUGEES WERE THEORETICALLY ELIGIBLE FOR IRO AID, THE OFFICIALS SAID, BUT WERE EXCLUDED FROM SUCH AID IN PRACTICE BY A DECISION TAKEN BY THE IRO GENERAL COUNCIL LAST SUMMER.

THE COUNCIL RULED THEN THAT REFUGEES ARRIVING FROM EASTERN EUROPE IN GERMANY, AUSTRIA AND ITALY AFTER OCT. 15, 1949, WOULD RECEIVE THE IRO'S LEGAL PROTECTION, BUT WOULD NOT BE ADMITTED

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TO IRO REFUGEE CAMPS OR BE TRANSPORTED TO ASYLUM OVERSEAS WITH IRO FUNDS. THE IRO WAS ALWAYS INTENDED TO BE A TEMPORARY ORGANIZATION TO DEAL WITH A SPECIAL POSTWAR PROBLEM, AND THE GENERAL COUNCIL'S ACTION WAS LARGELY BASED ON A DESIRE TO CHECK THE INFLUX OF REFUGEES TO PERMIT THE IRO TO BE WOUND UP BY THE SUMMER OF 1951.

THE ESTIMATED 10,000 REFUGEES WHO HAVE REACHED GERMANY, AUSTRIA AND ITALY SINCE OCT. 15, 1949, THE OFFICIALS SAID, THUS RECEIVED NO MATERIAL ASSISTANCE FROM THE IRO, ALTHOUGH THEY WERE THEORETICALLY ENTITLED TO ASSISTANCE UNDER THE IRO CONSTITUTION.

THE GREAT MAJORITY OF THESE REFUGEES CAME FROM CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND FROM FORMER ITALIAN AREAS CEDED TO YUGOSLAVIA UNDER THE ITALIAN PEACE TREATY, THE OFFICIALS SAID.

"THERE ARE VERY FEW PEOPLE COMING OUT OF THE OTHER SATELLITE COUNTRIES ANY MORE," ONE OF THE OFFICIALS DECLARED.

IT WAS EXPECTED THAT THE IRO WOULD SOON ASK ITS MEMBER GOVERNMENTS--WHICH INCLUDE NONE OF THE EAST-EUROPEAN COMMUNISTS REGIMES--TO REVERSE LAST YEAR'S DECISION OF THE GENERAL COUNCIL NOT TO AID "NEW" REFUGEES.

THE OFFICIALS SAID THAT IF THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS APPROVED THE SECOND DISPLACED PERSONS ACT AT PRESENT IN THE COMMITTEE STAGE, MOST OF THE NEW REFUGEES WOULD BE ENTITLED TO ENTER THE UNITED STATES AS IMMIGRANTS.

BUT A UNITED STATES ENTRY VISA WOULD BE MEANINGLESS TO THEM, THE OFFICIALS ADDED, IF THE IRO WERE NOT AUTHORIZED TO PROVIDE THE FUNDS FOR THEIR TRANSPORTATION TO THE UNITED STATES.

THE OFFICIALS SAID, HOWEVER, THAT SOME FINAL DATE FOR IRO ASSISTANCE ELIGIBILITY WOULD HAVE TO BE SET, TO PERMIT THE ORGANIZATION TO BE DISBANDED.

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SS AMERICA FOR THE UNITED STATES TODAY, LARGELY TO DISCUSS THIS QUESTION WITH UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 5 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY, MONDAY, MAY 29)

(ADVANCE)..GENEVA, MAY 29-(AP)-GUNNAR MYRDAL OF SWEDEN, EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OF THE U.N. ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR EUROPE, SAID TODAY MILITARY EXPENDITURES THREATEN TO STIFLE THE ECONOMIC PROGRESS OF EUROPE.

THE POST-WAR STANDSTILL OF TRADE BETWEEN EAST AND WEST EUROPE IS HURTING BOTH SIDES EQUALLY, MYRDAL SAID IN A REPORT TO THE COMMISSIONS ANNUAL SESSION OPENING HERE MAY 31.

"THIS IS ONLY ONE OF THE COSTS OF THE COLD WAR," MYRDAL DECLARED. "ANOTHER XXX IS THE GROWING BURDEN OF MILITARY EXPENDITURES WHICH THREATENS TO STIFLE AGAIN, AS IT HAS SO OFTEN DONE IN THE PAST, THE CHANCES OF ECONOMIC PROGRESS IN BOTH EAST AND WEST BY DIVERTING RESOURCES INTO THE CONSTRUCTION OF ARMAMENTS AND THE MAINTENANCE OF MILITARY FORCES."

TODAY'S REPORT WAS IN THE FORM OF A PREFACE TO THE COMMISSION'S ANNUAL SURVEY OF THE EUROPEAN ECONOMY PUBLISHED LAST WEEK, WHICH CLAIMED THAT "DEFLATIONARY POLICIES" WERE LARGELY RESPONSIBLE FOR SERIOUS UNEMPLOYMENT IN ITALY AND WESTERN GERMANY.

MYRDAL DECLARED, HOWEVER, THAT "THE GRAVEST MENACE TO CONTINUED ECONOMIC STABILITY AND GROWTH IN WESTERN EUROPE" WAS STILL THE ANNUAL $5,000,000,000 TRADING DEFICIT OF WESTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES.

UNLESS ACTUAL DEVELOPMENTS PROVE TO BE MUCH BETTER THAN THE PROSPECTS AS SEEN IN THE SURVEY," MYRDAL SAID, "THERE SEEMS LITTLE TO PREVENT THE PRESENT DOLLAR DEFICIT FROM BEING SUCCEEDED BY AN EXTREMELY CRITICAL SITUATION IN INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND FINANCE ONLY A SHORT TIME AHEAD."

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THE SURVEY HAD PREDICTED THAT THE END OF AMERICAN FINANCIAL AID TO EUROPE, SCHEDULED IN 1952, WOULD COMPEL EUROPE TO REDUCE ITS IMPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES BY ONE HALF.

(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 5 P.M. E.S.T. MONDAY, MAY 29)

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BY GEORGE PALMER

FLORENCE, ITALY, MAY 29-(AP)-A NINE-NATION CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE TODAY OVERWHELMINGLY SUPPORTED NATIONALIST CHINA'S CLAIM TO BE SEATED AT THE FIFTH GENERAL CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED NATIONS EDUCATIONAL SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL ORGANIZATION.

THE COMMITTEE'S RECOMMENDATION WILL BE ACTED ON AT A SPECIAL PLENARY SESSION OF THE 59-MEMBER U.N. SPECIALIZED AGENCY TOMORROW. THE SOVIET SATELLITE COUNTRIES WERE EXPECTED TO SAVE THEIR WALK-OUT OF THE FLORENCE CONFERENCE LONG ENOUGH TO TAKE PART IN THE PLENARY DEBATE.

THE VOTE TO PERMIT THE FORMOSA DELEGATION TO ATTEND ALL UNESCO MEETINGS WAS SIX TO TWO, WITH ONE ABSTENTION. IT WAS TAKEN ON A DOCUMENT WHICH WAS DRAFTED OVER THE WEEK END AS THE RESULT OF A SUGGESTION PUT FORTH LAST WEEK BY THE BRAZILIAN DELEGATE.

THE UNITED STATES, FRANCE, CANADA, BRAZIL, LEBANON, AND CUBA VOTED IN FAVOR OF SEATING THE NATIONALISTS. INDIA AND YUGOSLAVIA VOTED AGAINST THE RECOMMENDATION AND BRITAIN ABSTAINED.

FOLLOWING THE COMMITTEE ACTION, MRS.BORIS FAI OF HUNGARY, WHO JOINED CZECHOSLOVAKIA IN BOYCOTTING THE CONFERENCE OVER THE CHINESE QUESTION, SAID BOTH SHE AND DR.ADOLF HOFMEISTER, HEAD OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK DELEGATION, WOULD SUSPEND THEIR WALKOUT TOMORROW PENDING A FINAL DECISION BY THE PLENARY SESSION.

SHE INDICATED, HOWEVER, THAT IF THE FULL CONFERENCE SUPPORTS THE COMMITTEE'S RECOMMENDATION THE TWO EASTERN EUROPEAN DELEGATIONS WILL STAGE THEIR SECOND WALKOUT IN NINE DAYS. THIS WAS VIRTUALLY ASSURED SINCE THE PLENARY SESSION IS EXPECTED TO ADOPT THE RECOMMENDATION BY A SIZABLE MARGIN.

A SECOND PORTION OF THE ORIGINAL BRAZILIAN SUGGESTION, TO ASK LAKE SUCCESS FOR A GENERAL DIRECTIVE ON THE COMPETENCE OF THE FORMOSA GOVERNMENT TO PARTICIPATE IN U.N. CONFERENCES, WAS APPROVED BY EIGHT VOTES TO ONE IN THE CREDENTIALS' COMMITTEE. YUGOSLAVIA WAS THE LONE DISSENTER. #

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Belgrade, yugoslavia, May 29---(AP)---The official Yugoslav press today interpreted a shift in the Bulgarian defense ministry as a part of the pattern to bring Russia's satellites under the direct leadership of her military agents.

The appointment of Lt. Gen. Petar Panchevsky as defense minister in place of Gen. Georgi Damianov was announced in Sofia, the Bulgarian capital, saturday Damianov was appointed to president of the praesidium, a committee of parliament which acts when parliament is

The newspaper Politika said Gen. Panchevsky took art in Bulgaria s communist uprising in 1923, and then escaped to Russia where he was educated in military schools. He fought in the spanish civil war the newspaper said, and in the ranks of the red army in the second world war and was wounded severely wounded, the newspaper said. He also is reported to have fought in the Spanish Civil War.

The Yugoslav press said the first sign of the trend that produced Panchevsky's appointment was in Poland where Marshal Konstantin Rokossovsky, technically shed his soviet citizenship to become defense minister.

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It was noted here that Czechoslovakia's new defense minister, Alexei Cepicka, son-in-law of President Klement Gottwald, warned communist a meeting of com unist members of the ministry their main task "will ver be to direct ourselves by deed, not words, according to the example of the soviet army."

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This was taken to mean that the Czech army is to be remade in the image of the soviet army.

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MOSCOW, MAY 29-(AP)-PRAVDA VOICED SUSPICION TODAY AT THE CONSTRUCTION OF AIRFIELDS AND DEEPENING OF HARBOR CHANNELS IN FINLAND.
THE COMMUNIST PARTY NEWSPAPER ALSO ATTACKED FINLAND'S ACCEPTANCE OF UNITED STATES LOANS AND DECLARED AMERICAN SCHOLARSHIPS TO FINNISH STUDENTS WERE BEING USED TO PREPARE "CADRES OF AMERICAN IMPERIALISM" IN FINLAND.
PRAVDA SAID SEVERAL AIRFIELDS CAPABLE OF HANDLING HEAVY BOMBERS WERE BEING BUILT IN STRATEGIC LOCATIONS, AND CHANNELS IN SEVERAL PORTS ARE BEING DEEPENED FOR THE USE OF LARGE SHIPS.
IT COMMENTED THAT THIS ACTIVITY WAS TAKING PLACE UNDER THE GUISE OF PREPARATIONS FOR THE 1952 OLYMPIC GAMES.
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Pravda declared,

"it's clear to everyone that Finland, whose rulers constantly complain of their poverty, would not carry on such expensive and complex wrks just to receive for a short time several thousand athletes and tourists."

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The attack on United States loans to Finland came while a Finnish delegation engaged in trade negotiations here. The delegation has been here several weeks, resuming negotiations which broke down invited here to resume negotiations which broke down in February fter a four-months stalemate.

Pravda charged that Finnish capitalists, at the instigation of American businessmen, are slowing up trade with Russia and eastern europe. As a result of American loans, it added, finland's debt has been increased enormously.

(The export-import bank early in January, 1947 granted Finland a $34,500,000 in credits $32,000,000 credit to buy cotton, food and lumber and paper and promote sales in the United States. making machinery. Another short-term $5,000,000 loan to buy cotton was granted in September, 1948. The war assets administration granted a $10,000,000 loan in september , 1947, to buy surplus equipment in the united states. The world bank, in which the united states is a heavy investor, granted a $2,300,000 loan in October, 1949, to increase finland's timber output for european countries.

(Last September President Truman signed an act setting aside all future payments on Finland's world war I debt to a special good will fund to bring Finnish students to the United States. The debt amounted t $13,408,207 to be paid over the next 34 years.)

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CAIRO, MAY 29-(AP)-GOVERNMENT AND OPPOSITION DEPUTIES LASHED OUT IN PARLIAMENT TONIGHT AT A PROPOSAL BY BRITAIN, FRANCE AND THE UNITED STATES TO PERMIT ISRAEL AND THE ARAB COUNTRIES TO BUY ARMS.

NUREDDIN TARRAF, OF THE SMALL BUT INFLUENTIAL NATIONALIST PARTY, CALLED THE PROPOSAL BY THE THREE COUNTRIES "AN ATTEMPT TO PLACE THE MIDDLE EAST UNDER A WESTERN POWERS MANDATE." HE URGED THAT EGYPT COUNTER IT BY SIGNING A NON-AGGRESSION PACT WITH RUSSIA.

"THOUGH WE HATE COMMUNISM, WE MUST PROTECT OURSELVES," TARRAF SAID. "EGYPT'S ENEMY IS BRITAIN."

MOHAMED BELAL OF THE RULING WAFDIST PARTY SAID THE BIG THREE PROPOSAL DID NOT "FAVOR THE ASPIRATIONS OF THE ARAB COUNTRIES." HE DENOUNCED THE U.S. FOR "PAYING $15,000,000 ANNUALLY TO SUPPORT ISRAEL."

TEWFICK KHASHABA OF THE LIBERAL PARTY ADVOCATED STRENGTHENING THE EGYPTIAN ARMY AND ASKED THE GOVERNMENT TO INCREASE ITS EFFORTS TOWARD THE EVACUATION OF BRITISH TROOPS FROM EGYPT. THEY ARE STATIONED IN THE AREA OF THE SUEZ CANAL.

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BRITAIN, FRANCE AND THE UNITED STATES ANNOUNCED THURSDAY THEY HAD DECIDED TO PERMIT ISRAEL AND THE ARAB COUNTRIES TO PURCHASE ARMS.

THEY SAID THE PURPOSE OF THE ARMS SALES WOULD BE TO SUPPLY THE MIDDLE EASTERN COUNTRIES WITH THE MEANS OF DEFENDING THEMSELVES AGAINST COMMUNISM.

THE ARAB COUNTRIES HAVE BEEN RECEIVING ARMS FROM BRITAIN UNDER OLD TREATY ARRANGEMENTS. THE NEW SYSTEM WAS INTERPRETED AS PUTTING ISRAEL ON AN EVEN FOOTING WITH THE ARAB COUNTRIES.

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BY EDWIN B.GREENWALD (270)

ANKARA, TURKEY, MAY 29-(AP)-TURKEY'S NEW GOVERNMENT TOLD ITS WESTERN FRIENDS TONIGHT THEY SHOULD NOT LOSE SIGHT OF THE NECESSITY FOR THE SECURITY OF THE EASTERN MEDITERRANEAN.

PREMIER ADNAN MENDERES OUTLINED THE DEMOCRAT PARTY'S POLICY TO THE NEW GRAND NATIONAL ASSEMBLY (PARLIAMENT), CHOSEN TWO WEEKS AGO. IN A POLITICAL UPSET, THE DEMOCRATS OVERWHELMINGLY DEFEATED THE PEOPLE'S PARTY WHICH HAD HELD POWER SINCE THE REPUBLIC WAS ESTABLISHED IN 1923.

MENDERES TOLD THE ASSEMBLY TURKEY'S PEACEFUL FOREIGN POLICY IS WELL KNOWN AND IS BASED ON TRADITIONAL ALLIANCES WITH BRITAIN AND FRANCE.

ANOTHER BASIS OF POLICY, HE SAID, IS THE "CLOSEST FRIENDSHIP AND COLABORATION WITH THE UNITED STATES AND OUR UNALTERABLE RESPECT TOWARD THE INDEPENDENCE AND TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY OF ALL NATIONS NEAR OR FAR, SMALL OR LARGE." THE PREMIER ADDED:

"IN ORDER TO ASSURE THE MATERIAL AND MORAL SECURITY OF THE EASTERN MEDITERRANEAN, WE FEEL IT NECESSARY TO ATTRACT THE ATTENTION AND INTERESTS OF OUR BIG FRIENDS AND ALLIES ON THIS PROBLEM AND, ON THE OTHER HAND, TO ESTABLISH CLOSER RELATIONS WITH THE STATES OF THE MIDDLE EAST. X X X

"THE SPEEDY REALIZATION OF THESE AIMS IS, IN OUR OPINION, EXTREMELY IMPORTANT, NOT ONLY FOR THE SECURITY OF THESE REGIONS BUT FOR THE ENTIRE WORLD AS A CONSEQUENCE."

ON INTERNAL CONDITIONS IN TURKEY, MENDERES PROPOSED THAT THE GOVERNMENT DEFICIT BE CUT BY USE OF MARSHALL PLAN FUNDS, FOREIGN LOANS AND THESE ADDITIONAL MEASURES:

1. REDUCTION OF STATE EXPENDITURES.
2. ENCOURAGING FOREIGN CAPITAL BY GIVING IT FULL SECURITY.
3. FREEING THE MACHINERY OF PRODUCTION FROM STATE AND BUREAUCRATIC INTERVENTION, IN ORDER TO RELEASE CAPITAL IMMOBILIZED IN STATE EXPLOITATION FOR MORE PROFITABLE ACTIVITIES AND PUBLIC SERVICES. THIS WOULD MEAN THE REDUCTION TO A MINIMUM OF STATE MONOPOLIES, WHICH NOW CONTROL NEARLY ALL BIG AND LITTLE INDUSTRY.

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TEL AVIV, ISRAEL, MAY 29-(AP)-ISRAEL SAYS SHE WILL PAY $54,628 DAMAGES IN CONNECTION WITH COUNT FOLKE BERNADOTTE'S ASSASSINATION AND PLEDGES CONTINUED SEARCH FOR HIS KILLERS. THE U.N. PALESTINE MEDIATOR WAS SLAIN IN THE JEWISH-HELD SECTOR OF JERUSALEM SEPT. 17, 1948.

UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE, IN A LETTER TO THE ISRAELI FOREIGN MINISTRY, HAD DEMANDED DAMAGES FOR THE FUNERAL AND OTHER EXPENSES RESULTING FROM BERNADOTTE'S DEATH.

AN ISRAELI GOVERNMENT PRESS STATEMENT YESTERDAY SAID BERNADOTTE'S WIDOW HAS WAIVED ALL CLAIMS FOR MONETARY COMPENSATION FOR THE DEATH OF THE COUNT--A NEWPHEW OF SWEDEN'S KING GUSTAV V.

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MANILA,MAY 29 (AP)-AMERICAN JET FIGHTERS WILL ROAR A MEMORIAL DAY SALUTE TOMORROW OVER CORREGIDOR, THE BITTER ROCK IN BRIGHT MANILA BAY.

FLIERS IN TINY L-5 OBSERVATION PLANES WILL STREW FLOWERS OVER THE ISLAND AND WATERS.

THE U.S.EMBASSY WILL SPONSOR THE MEMORIAL SERVICES WITH 12 AMERICAN, FILIPINO AND BRITISH ORGANIZATIONS TAKING PART. VICE PRESIDENT FERNANDO LOPEZ WILL SPEAK.

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NIGHT LEAD BAGUIO (240)

BY DON HUTH

BAGUIO, PHILIPPINES, MAY 29-(AP)-DELEGATES TO THE SEVEN-NATION SOUTHEAST ASIA CONFERENCE AGREED TONIGHT ON A RESOLUTION POLITELY CALLING FOR A VOICE IN ANY INTERNATIONAL DECISIONS AFFECTING THIS REGION.

THE RESOLUTION IS DUE TO BE APPROVED FORMALLY AT THE CLOSING SESSION TUESDAY.

IT ALSO WILL REQUIRE APPROVAL OF THE INDIVIDUAL GOVERNMENTS REPRESENTED: AUSTRALIA, INDIA, PAKISTAN, CEYLON, THAILAND (SIAM), INDONESIA AND THE PHILIPPINES.

ITS TACTFUL PHRASING RECOMMENDED TO THE SEVEN GOVERNMENTS THAT THEY:

"ACT IN CONSULTATION WITH EACH OTHER THROUGH NORMAL DIPLOMATIC CHANNELS TO FURTHER THE INTEREST OF THE PEOPLES OF THE REGION;

"SEEK JOINT ACTIONS SO AS TO EXERCISE DUE INFLUENCE IN THE UNITED NATIONS, ITS SPECIALIZED AGENCIES, AND OTHER INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS, OF WHICH THEY ARE MEMBERS, IN WAYS CONSISTENT WITH THE PRINCIPLES OF THESE ORGANIZATIONS; AND

"INSURE THAT IN THE CONSIDERATION OF SPECIAL PROBLEMS OF SOUTH AND SOUTHEAST ASIA, THE POINT OF VIEW OF THE PEOPLES OF THIS AREA IS PROMINENTLY KEPT IN MIND BY ANY CONFERENCE DEALING WITH SUCH PROBLEMS, SO THAT BETTER UNDERSTANDING AND CORDIAL RELATIONS MAY SUBSIST BETWEEN THE COUNTRIES IN THE REGION AND OTHER COUNTRIES OF THE WORLD."

THE RESOLUTION ALSO RECOMMENDED TRADE EXPANSION, INTERCHANGE OF TECHNICAL PERSONNEL AND INFORMATION, AND EFFORTS TO INCREASE AGRICULTURE AND INDUSTRY.

CARLOS P. ROMULO, PHILIPPINES FOREIGNSECRETARY AND PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES-INSTIGATED CONFERENCE, ACKNOWLEDGED THAT THE DOCUMENT "CONTAINS NO EARTH-SHAKING DECLARATIONS," BUT INSISTED IT WAS "EPOCH-MAKING" AS "THE FIRST OFFICIAL DECLARATION OF ITS KIND EMANATING FROM A CONFERENCE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF FREE STATES OF SOUTH AND SOUTHEAST ASIA."
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BAGUIO, PHILIPPINES, MAY 29-(AP)-SEVEN SOUTHEAST ASIA AND WESTERN PACIFIC NATIONS STUDIED TODAY A "LET-US-DECIDE" DOCTRINE FOR THIS PART OF THE WORLD.
INFORMED SOURCES SAID DELEGATES OF THE SEVEN COUNTRIES TENTATIVELY APPROVED A DECLARATION SERVING NOTICE THAT THEY MUST BE CONSULTED ON ANY ACTIONS AFFECTING THEIR AREA.
THE INFORMANTS SAID THE DECLARATION IS DESIGNED TO SHOW:
1. THE SEVEN NATIONS ARE UNITED IN THEIR DESIRE TO SOLVE COMMON PROBLEMS.
2. THEY ALONE SHOULD DECIDE MATTERS AFFECTING THEIR INTERESTS.
THE SEVEN NATIONS ARE AUSTRALIA, INDIA, PAKISTAN, THAILAND (SIAM) INDONESIA, CEYLON AND THE PHILIPPINES.
THE SOURCES SAID IT HAD BEEN DECIDED THAT NO PERMANENT REGIONAL ORGANIZATION WOULD BE FORMED.
INSTEAD, THE SEVEN NATIONS WOULD CONTINUE DISCUSSIONS AMONG THEMSELVES, SEEKING TO STRENGTHEN SOCIAL, ECONOMIC AND CULTURAL RELATIONS.
THE CONFERENCE AUTHORIZED ITS PRESIDENT, CAROLOS ROMULO, TO CONTINUE DISCUSSIONS WITH PARTICIPATING GOVERNMENTS. LATER CONFERENCES MAY BE CALLED.
TWO SUBCOMMITTEES DISCUSSED ECONOMIC AND CULTURAL MATTERS DURING THE PAST FOUR DAYS.
ROMULO SAID SEVERAL DELEGATIONS ASKED TO REPORT TO THEIR GOVERNMENTS BEFORE ANY ANNOUNCEMENTS ARE MADE. ROMULO INDICATED THE RESOLUTIONS TO BE ADOPTED WOULD BE MADE PUBLIC TONIGHT.
THE CONFERENCE WILL CLOTMORRO

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RESOLUTIONS TO BE ADOPTED WOULD BE MADE PUBLIC TONIGHT.
THE CONFERENCE WILL CLOSE TOMORROW WITH A PLENARY SESSION.
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B38 (Q)
KX (APW) (120)
HANOI, INDOCHINA, MAY 29-(AP)-A FRENCH GENERAL SAID TODAY THAT REBEL GUERRILLA FORCES HAVE BEEN DRIVEN FROM THE ENTIRE RED RIVER DELTA AREA OF NORTHERN INDOCHINA.
MAJ. GEN. MARCEL JEAN-MARIE ALLESSANDRI, COMMANDING OFFICER IN THI AREA, TOLD THE FRENCH PRESS AGENCY (AFP) THAT ABOUT 2,100 SQUARE MILES WITH A POPULATION OF 3,000,000 HAVE BEEN REOCCUPIED BY FRENCH AND VIETNAMES TROOPS SINCE LAST OCTOBER.

HE EMPHASIZED AS ESPECIALLY IMPORTANT THE TAKING OF RICH RICE LANDS IN THE DELTA FROM THE REBEL VIETMINH FORCES LED BY MOSCOW-TRAINED HO CHI MINH.
ALLESSANDRI QUOTED A VIETMINH DOCUMENT CAPTURED LAST MONTH AS SAYING THE REBELS HAD LOST 40 PER CENT OF THEIR "GENERAL POTENTIAL," 80 PER CENT OF THEIR RICE LANDS, AND THE WHOLE OF THEIR SALT SUPPLIES. HE WARNED, HOWEVER, THAT VIETMINH ARMS ARE IMPROVING AND THAT THE GUERRILLAS CONTINUE TO BE AGGRESSIVE.
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B91 (Q)
(120)
RANGOON, BURMA, MAY 29-(AP)-THE BURMESE GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT 690 NON-COMMUNIST REBELS HAD SURRENDERED IN TWO WEST COAST DISTRICTS AND WERE TURNING OVER LARGE QUANTITIES OF ARMS.
THE ANNOUNCEMENT CAME FROM THE CENTRAL PEACE COUNCIL, A BODY ORGANIZED TO COORDINATE THE GOVERNMENT'S STRUGGLE AGAINST BURMA'S MANY-SIDED CIVIL WAR.

THE REPORT SAID 448 REBELS HAD GIVEN UP IN THE DISTRICT OF KYAUKPYU AND 242 IN SANDOWAY, BOTH IN THE ARAKAN DIVISION. IT ADDED THAT MORE REBELS CONTINUED TO LAY DOWN THEIR ARMS.
A GOVERNMENT COMMUNIQUE SAID A REBEL FORCE HAD BEEN ROUTED, AFTER TWO OF ITS MEMBERS HAD BEEN KILLED NEAR THE CENTRAL BURMA OIL TOWN OF YENANGYAUNG. THREE REBELS WERE REPORTED KILLED IN THE WEST BURMA DISTRICT OF AKYAB; AND FOUR COMMUNISTS WERE KILLED AND FOUR CAPTURED IN A SKIRMISH WITH GOVERNMENT TROOPS IN THE PEGU DISTRICT OF SOUTH BURMA.
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A44FX
PMB BUDGET
KOREAN ELECTIONS (400)
BY O.H.P.KING
SEOUL, MAY 29-(AP)-THE LITTLE REPUBLIC OF KOREA, BORN OF THE TURMOIL OF WORLD WAR II AND A HOT SPOT IN THE ASIAN COLD WAR SINCE, TODAY WOUNDED UP A QUIET (FOR KOREA) CAMPAIGN FOR TOMORROW'S NATIONAL ELECTIONS.
SIX DEATHS, THREE KIDNAPINGS, FOUR CASES OF ARSON AND ABOUT 500 ARRESTS HAVE BEEN REPORTED. AMONG THOSE CLAMPED IN JAIL WERE 42 CANDIDATES AND 178 ELECTIONEERS. THE MAIN CHARGE WAS VIOLATION OF ELECTION LAWS IN SYMPATHY WITH COMMUNISM.
THIS CALM COMPARED TO THE BLOODY ELECTIONS OF TWO YEARS AGO. THEN SOME 800 WERE KILLED OR WOUNDED IN THE CAMPAIGN. ANOTHER 100 CASUALTIES WERE ADDED ELECTION DAY.
THE 1948 TROUBLE WAS BLAMED ON NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS -- DOWN FROM THE RUSSIAN SPONSORED STATE IN THE NORTH OF THE PENINSULA -- TO DISRUPT FORMATION OF THE REPUBLIC, A UNITED NATIONS SPONSORED STATE SOUTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.
FOR HALF A CENTURY ALL OF KOREA WAS A PART OF IMPERIAL JAPAN.
ON THE BLOCK TOMORROW ARE THE 210 SEATS IN THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

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SOUGHT BY 2,156 CANDIDATES. ACTUALLY, THE POWER OF PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE ALSO IS AT STAKE.

THE TERM OF THE 75-YEAR-OLD EXECUTIVE, ONCE IN EXILE IN AMERICA, HAS TWO MORE YEARS TO RUN. BUT IF THE ASSEMBLY GOES ANTI-RHEE THERE WILL BE EFFORTS TO CURB HIS CONSTITUTIONAL AUTHORITY.

POLICE ACTIVITY HAS BEEN INTENSE. SOME 5,000 EXTRA POLICE HAVE BEEN ORDERED ON DUTY TONIGHT AND TOMORROW.

THIS WILL BE THE YOUNG REPUBLIC'S FIRST SELF CONDUCTED NATIONAL BALLOTING. TWO YEARS AGO THE UNITED STATES SET UP THE ELECTIONS PREPARATORY TO ENDING THE OCCUPATION THAT BEGAN WITH JAPAN'S DEFEAT.

THE DRIVE FOR THE COUNTRY''S 8,000,000 (M) VOTES ENDED ON A NOISY PLANE IN SEOUL TODAY. CANDIDATES SPREAD THEIR APPEALS BY PUBLIC ADDRESS SYSTEM.

PARTY AFFILIATION MAY OR MAY NOT BE IMPORTANT IS THIS ELECTION.

TWO-THIRDS OF THE CANDIDATES ARE REGISTERED AS INDEPENDENTS. MANY OF THESE ARE BELIEVED TO BE PARTY MEMBERS WHO FAILED TO WIN ENDORSEMENT AND ENTERED ON THEIR OWN. ADMINISTRATION LEADERS SUSPECT THE COMMUNISTS OF HAVING 122 CANDIDATES RUNNING AS INDEPENDENTS.

TEN POLITICAL PARTIES ARE IN THE RACE. THERE ARE TWO BIG POWERS. ONE IS THE KOREAN NATIONALIST PARTY WHICH SUPPORTS THE RHEE GOVERNMENT AND HAD 183 CANDIDATES. THE OTHER IS THE DEMOCRATIC NATIONALIST PARTY WHICH FAVORS CURTAILING RHEE'S POWER AND ENTERED 155 CANDIDATES.

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD KOREAN

BY O. H. P. KING

SEOUL, TUESDAY, MAY 30-(AP)-ELECTION DAY BEGAN CALMLY IN SOUTH KOREA TODAY. NO DISTURBANCES WERE REPORTED IN THE FIRST HOURS OF BALLOTING FOR A NEW NATIONAL ASSEMBLY. COMMUNIST DISSIDENTS WERE QUIET.

SOME 6,000,000 OF THE NEW REPUBLIC'S 8,000,000 ELIGIBLE VOTERS ARE EXPECTED TO MAKE THEIR FREE CHOICE TO FILL THE 210 SEATS IN THE SINGLE LEGISLATIVE HOUSE BEFORE THE DAY IS OUT. THIS IS THEIR FIRST SELF-CONDUCTED ELECTION.

AS THE HOURS ADVANCED IT APPEARED THAT THREATS TO DISRUPT THE VOTING WERE NOT MATERIALIZING AS FORECAST BY THE CONTROLLED RADIO IN COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA. SOUTH KOREAN POLICE OFFICIALS INDICATED THE ARREST OF 500 RED SYMPATNIZERS DURING THE CAMPAIGN HAD LEFT THE DISSIDENTS LEADERLESS.

WITH ONLY SIX DEATHS REPORTED FOR THE PRE-ELECTION PERIOD, THE NATION GAVE HEAVY POLICE PROTECTION TO POLLING PLACES AS INSURANCE THAT THE ELECTION WOULD BE A CREDIT TO DEMOCRACY.

REVISED FIGURES SHOWED THAT 2,169 CANDIDATES REPRESENTING 15 PARTIES STILL WERE IN THE RACE FOR THE 210 ASSEMBLY SEATS. MORE THAN TWO-THIRDS OF THESE ARE LISTED AS INDEPENDENTS. THE TOTAL WAS REDUCED FROM THE ORIGINAL 2,237 CANDIDATES BY 67 WITHDRAWALS AND THE DEATH OF ONE.

THE MAIN I UE I PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE'S CONTROL OVER THE ASSEMBLY. HIS OWN TERM STILL HAS TWO YEARS TO GO, BUT ELECTION OF AN ANTI-RHEE MAJORITY WOULD BRING EFFORTS TO CHECK HIS CONSTITUTIONAL POWERS. EXPRESSING CONFIDENCE OF VICTORY FOR HIS SUPPORTERS, THE PRESIDENT ADE A SERIES OF CAMPAIGN SPEECHES ON THEIR BEHALF.

VIO ENCE HAS BEEN AT A MINIMUM, COMPARED WITH THE MORE THAN 900 KILLED AND WOUNDED DURING PRE-ELECTION AND ELECTION DAY FIGHTING TWO YEARS AGO.

FIVE THOUSAND EXTRA POLICE WERE CALLED TO DUTY, HOWEVER.

THREE ELECTION WORKERS WERE KIDNAPED EARLY MONDAY, AND SEVERAL BUILDINGS AT VARIOUS PLACES WERE SET AFIRE, PRESUMABLY BY COMMUNIST GUERRILLAS.

THE GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED THAT AMONG THE MANY ARRESTS IN THE PAST MONTH WERE 178 ELECTION WORKERS AND 42 CANDIDATES. THE PRINCIPAL CHARGES WERE VIOLATION OF THE ELECTION LAWS IN SYMPATHY WITH COMMUNISM.

ALONG THE 38TH PARALLEL, WHICH SEPARATES THE AMERICAN-SPONSORED SOUTHERN REPUBLIC FROM THE SOVIET-SPONSORED NORTHERN COMMUNIST REGIME, A FEW CASUAL MORTAR SHELLS FELL IN SOUTHERN TERRITORY.

NORTH KOREAN BORDER GUARDS SHOUTED SPORADIC THREATS TO INTERFERE WITH THE ELECTION, BUT SOUTH KOREA OFFICIALS AT THE BORDER CALLED THIS EMPTY PROPAGANDA.

UNITED NATIONS OBSERVERS WERE STATIONED AT STRATEGIC POINTS THROUGHOUT SOUTH KOREA TO OBSERVE THE BALLOTING.

JM202PCS NM ASKED

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CHINESE (170)

BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI, FORMOSA, MAY 29-(AP)-NATIONALIST CHINA ACCUSED RUSSIA TODAY OF POURING 300,000 SOVIET TROOPS INTO RED CHINA.

THERE WAS NO WAY OF CONFIRMING THE ACCUSATION. THE NATIONALISTS SAID EARLIER RUSSIA AND COMMUNIST CHINA HAD AGREED THAT 400,000 SOVIET CITIZENS COULD SETTLE IN MANCHURIA.

THE DEFENSE MINISTRY SAID THAT MORE THAN 150,000 RUSSIAN TROOPS ARE STATIONED IN SUCH KEY MANCHURIAN CITIES AD DAIREN, HARBIN, MUKDEN AND CHANGCHUN.

THE MINISTRY SAID 10,000 TO 20,000 SOVIET TROOPS ARE STATIONED SOUTH OF THE GREAT WALL IN PEIPING, TIENTSIN, TSINAN AND OTHER MAIN CITIES. TEN THOUSAND SOVIET TROOPS EARING CHINESE COMMUNIST UNIFORMS BUT CARRYING RUSSIAN EQUIPMENT ARRIVED RECENTLY IN SHANGHAI, THE MINISTRY ASSERTED.

IT SAID HUGE AMOUNTS OF RICE WERE BEING REQUISITIONED TO FEED RUSSIAN TROOPS. THE QUOTA FOR HANKOW ALONE WAS REPORTED AT 20,000 BAGS.

THE NATIONALISTS SAID THEY ARE USING THE TA-CHEN ISLANDS, 190 MILES SOUTH OF SHANGHAI, IN AN EFFORT TO MAINTAIN THEIR BLOCKADE OF THAT BIG CHINA PORT. THE NATIONALISTS WITHDREW FROM THEIR MAIN SHANGHAI BLOCKADE BASE, CHUSHAN, EARLIER THIS MONTH.

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD CHINESE (200)

BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI, FORMOSA, TUESDAY, MAY 30-(AP)-CHIANG KAI-SHEK SAID TODAY THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS HAVE LOST THEIR CHANCE FOR AN IMMEDIATE INVASION OF FORMOSA--UNLESS THEY GET EXTENSIVE HELP FROM RUSSIA.

THE CHIEF OF THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS ASSERTED FORMOSA'S POSITION HAS BEEN IMPROVED BY THE WITHDRAWAL OF 60,000 NATIONALIST TROOPS FROM HAINAN ISLAND AND 150,000 FROM THE CHUSHANS. HAINAN IS OFF SOUTH CHINA. THE CHUSHANS HAD BEEN USED AS A NAVAL AND AIR BASE FOR THE BLOCKADE OF SHANGHAI.

CHIANG SAID HE SEES NO NECESSITY FOR THE WITHDRAWAL OF AMERICANS ON FORMOSA BUT HE PROMISED MEASURES TO INSURE THEIR PROMPT AND SAFE DEPARTURE IF THE NEED ARISES.

THE GENERALISSIMO'S STATEMENTS WERE MADE IN AN INTERVIEW WITH FOREIGN CORRESPONDENTS.

ONE OF THEM MENTIONED "REALIABLE REPORTS" THAT THE UNITED STATES EMBASSY HERE HAD BEEN ADVISED BY ITS MILITARY ATTACHES THAT A RED INVASION ATTEMPT COULD BE EXPECTED ABOUT THE MIDDLE OF JULY AND THAT THE ISLAND'S FALL WAS NOT UNLIKELY.

CHIANG SAID INVASION ATTEMPTS ON A LARGE SCALE WITHIN THE NEXT SEVEN WEEKS ARE POSSIBLE OF COURSE BUT HE DOESN'T BELIEVE THEM PROBABLE.

HE SAID MILITARY STRATEGY REQUIRES THE NATIONALISTS TO "REALY UPON OUR OW

HE SAID MILITARY STRATEGY REQUIRES THE NATIONALISTS TO "RELY UPON OUR OWN PREPAREDNESS AND NOT UPON THE ENEMY'S INABILITY TO ATTACK."

"WHETHER THE COMMUNISTS CAN COME OR NOT, FORMOSA TODAY IS FULLY PREPARED AND HAS NO FEAR OF SUCH AN INVASION," CHIANG DECLARED.

THE NATIONALISTS ARE USING THE TINY TA-CHEN ISLANDS, ABOUT 190 MILES SOUTH OF SHANGHAI, IN AN EFFORT TO MAINTAIN THEIR BLOCKADE.

THE TWO PRINCIPAL ISLANDS OF THE GROUP ARE SHANG TA-CHEN AND HSIAO TA-CHEN. THEY ARE ABOUT 230 MILES NORTH OF FORMOSA.

(WHEN THE NATIONALISTS ABANDONED THE CHUSHAN ISLANDS, 100 MILES SOUTH OF SHANGHAI, ON MAY 16, THEY SAID THEY WOULD FIND MEANS TO CONTINUE THE BLOCKADE. THEY SAID THE APPROACHES TO SHANGHAI WERE STILL MINED. THE COMMUNISTS, HOWEVER, CONTENDED THE BLOCKADE WAS BROKEN AND, TODAY, THE BRITISH NAVY IN HONG KONG CONFIRMED THAT A GOOD-SIZED MERCHANTMAN FROM THAT COLONY HAD ARRIVED SAFELY IN SHANGHAI.

(THIS TEST RUN BY THE 3,372-TON MAUSANG LED SEVERAL HONG KONG SHIPPERS TO START SOLICITING CARGO FRO SHANGHAI.)

THE NATIONALIST DEFENSE MINISTRY ISSUED A STATEMENT ALLEGING THAT RUSSIA HAD POURED 300,000 TROOPS INTO COMMUNIST CHINA. IT SAID THESE FIGURES WERE BASED ON INTELLIGENCE REPORTS. THERE WAS NO WAY OF CONFIRMING THE ACCUSATION. THE MINISTRY SAID MORE THAN 150,000 RUSSIAN TROOPS WERE IN MANCHURIA AND 10,000 TO 20,000 WERE IN CHIEF CITIES SOUTH OF THE GREAT WALL. IT SAID 10,000 RUSSIANS IN CHINESE COMMUNIST UNIFORMS HAD ARRIVED IN SHANGHAI. (THIS DID NOT ADD UP TO 300,000 BUT THERE WAS NO EXPLANATION.)

FJ535PCS

A142KX (WEST OUT) (160)

CHINESE (WITH TAIPEO)

BY WILLIAM R. MOORE.

HONG KONG,TUESDAY, MAY 30-(AP)-CHINESE NATIONALISTS AND COMMUNISTS CLASHED AT SEA LAST NIGHT BETWEEN BRITISH HONG KONG AND PORTUGUESE MACAO. WHO WON STILL IS NOT KNOWN HERE.

THE BATTLE LASTED AN HOUR. IT INVOLVED TWO NATIONALIST GUNBOATS AND SEVERAL TROOP-LADEN RED JUNKS. SOME HONG KONG RESIDENTIAL DISTRICTS HEARD THE GUNFIRE.

A MACAO DISPATCH TO THE INDEPENDENT CHINESE NEWSPAPER WAH KIU YAT PO GAVE THIS DESCRIPTION:

THE BATTLE STARTED WHEN THE NATIONALIST GUNBOATS INTERCEPTED THE RED JUNKS, WHICH PRESUMABLY WERE ON THEIR WAY TO OCCUPY THE NATIONALIST ABANDONED WANSHAN ISLANDS. THEY ARE ABOUT 40 MILES SOUTHWEST OF HONG KONG.

THE JUNKS HAD SAILED FROM CHUNGSHAN ON THE MAINLAND JUST NORTH OF MACAO AND WERE CARRYING ABOUT 6,000 MEN OF RED GEN. LIN PIAO'S FOURTH FIELD ARMY. THOSE WHO WATCHED THE BATTLE FROM ATOP MACAO'S SEA-WALL WERE QUOTED AS SAYING THE NATIONALIST CRAFT WITHDREW AFTER AN HOUR. THEY GAVE NO ESTIMATES OF THE RESULT OR EITHER SIDE'S CASUALTIES.

NATIONALIST FORCES WHICH EVACUATED THE WANSHANS, ALSO KNOWN AS THE LADRONES, APPARENTLY ARE REGROUPING ON LINGTING ISLAND 30 MILES TO THE NORTHEAST OF THE WANSHANS AND 16 SOUTHWEST OF HONG KONG.

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SHANGHAI PORT (300)

HONG KONG, MAY 29-(AP)-THE STEAMSHIP MAUSANG EASED INTO SHANGHAI HARBOR TTODAY, RAISING HOPES THE CHINESE NATIONALIST BLOCKADE OF THAT PORT CRUMBLED WITH THEIR WITHDRAWAL FROM CHUSHAN.

SEVERAL SHIPPING LINES IMMEDIATELY CALLED FOR CARGOES TO SHANGHAI.

A REPORT TO THE BRITISH NAVY CONFIRMED THE ARRIVAL BUT GAVE NO DETAILS.

ONLY ONE OTHER VESSEL IS KNOWN TO HAVE REACHED THE BIG NORTHERN PORT THIS YEAR. THAT WAS THE LITTLE COAST STEAMER ELSIE MOLLER.

BECAUSE OF ITS SIZE, THE 3,372-TON MAUSANG WOULD HAVE HAD TO USE THE DEEP SOUTH CHANNEL OF THE YANGTZE RIVER. THE 476-TON ELSIE MOLLER WAS ABLE TO USE THE NORTH CHANNEL, WHICH THE NATIONALISTS DELAYED IN MINING.

JARDINE, MATHESON AND CO. SENT THE MAUSANG FROM HONG KONG THURSDAY WITH ONLY 1,000 TONS CARGO. TWO OFFICERS AND SEVERAL CHINESE CREWMEN WHO REFUSED TO GO WERE REPLACED.

THE BUTTERFIELD AND SWIRE STEAMSHIP TSINAN LEFT HONG KONG FRIDAY FOR SHANGHAI.

UNTIL THEY WITHDREW MAY 16 FROM CHUSHAN, 100 MILES SOUTHEAST OF SHANGHAI, THE NATIONALISTS MAINTAINED A TIGHT BLOCKADE FROM THAT ISLAND BASE.

THE 900-TON CLOVERLOCK, SEIZED APRIL 28 BY NATIONALISTS WHILE ATTEMPTING TO ENTER THE RED PORT OF AMOY, RETURNED TO HONG KONG TODAY. THE BRITISH NAVY SAID THE NATIONALISTS ALSO HAVE RELEASED THE SING HING, INTERCEPTED WHILE LEAVING AMOY MAY 1.

THE HONG KONG STANDARD SAID THE CHINESE REDS HAVE DIVERTED SHIPS FROM SWATOW HARBOR TO NEARBY HAIMUNG BAY BECAUSE OF MINES. SWATOW IS ABOUT 200 MILES NORTHEAST OF HONG KONG.

THE OIL TANKER EBONOL EXPLODED AND SANK LAST WEEK OFF SWATOW. THE CREW WAS SAVED.

THE INDEPENDENT WAH KIU YAT PO SAID 24 JAPANESE TANKS AND MORE THAN 200 MANCHURIAN TANK SOLDIERS ARRIVED THURSDAY IN CANTON. IT SAID THE TANKS WERE CAPTURED BY RUSSIANS WHEN THE JAPANESE SURRENDERED.

THERE WAS NO EXPLANATION OF WHY THE REDS ARE REINFORCING TROOPS IN SOUTH CHINA, ALL OF WHICH NOW IS IN COMMUNIST HANDS.

COMMUNIST NEWSPAPERS CARRIED PEIPING DISPATCHES SAYING THE REDS HAD CHECKED FAMINE IN FIVE NORTH CENTRAL PROVINCES.

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RUSS DEPARTURE (270)
BY RUSSELL BRINES
TOKYO, MAY 29-(AP)-TWO DAYS OF SPECULATION LEFT MANY OBSERVERS IN JAPAN CONVINCED TODAY THAT NEW COMMUNIST PRESSURE WOULD RESULT FROM SOVIET LT. GEN. KUZMA DEREVYANKO'S HASTY RECALL TO MOSCOW.

THE HEAD OF THE SOVIET MISSION IN TOKYO AND HIS WIFE LEFT SATURDAY. THEY WERE ACCOMPANIED BY 50 OTHER MEMBERS OF THE SOVIET COLONY INCLUDING AT LEAST TWO KEY ADVISERS.

IT WAS BELIEVED GENERALLY THAT ONLY URGENT BUSINESS WOULD CAUSE DEREVYANKO TO LEAVE JAPAN BEFORE THE DIET'S (PARLIAMENT) UPPER HOUSE ELCTIONS SATURDAY. SOVIET VESSELS CALL HERE EACH MONTH. THE TIMING SUGGESTED TWO MAJOR POSSIBILITIES:

1. THE KREMLIN MAY WANT FIRST HAND ADVICE ON COUNTER PROPOSALS FOR A JAPANESE PEACE TREATY. JOHN FOSTER DULLES AND TWO AMERICAN DEFENSE CHIEFS--SECRETARY JOHNSON AND GEN. OMAR BRADLEY--ARE SCHEDULED TO TALK OVER THE SAME PROBLEM WITH GENERAL MACARTHUR IN THE NEXT FEW WEEKS.

2. A NEW PUSH MAY BE PLANNED SOMEWHERE IN THE ORIENT, POSSIBLY SOUTHEAST ASIA, AND THE KREMLIN MIGHT WANT DEREVYANKO TO SAY WHAT MACARTHUR WILL DO ABOUT IT.

BEHIND THE PEACE TREATY QUESTION LIES ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT AMERICAN-SOVIET BATTLES OF THE OCCUPATION. THE COMMUNISTS BY CAREFULLY APPEALING TO NATIONALISM HAVE MADE LARGE NUMBERS OF JAPANESE PONDER WHETHER THEY WANT AMERICAN BASES HERE AFTER A PEACE TREATY IS SIGNED.

THAT HAS BECOME A BASIC ISSUE OF THE UPPER HOUSE ELECTION. THE COMMUNISTS APPARENTLY DO NOT EXPECT TO WIN MANY SEATS BUT THEY ARE FIGHTING FOR PRESTIGE. DEREVYANKO'S RECALL IF UNEXPLAINED MAY COST THEM SOME BACKING.

THE COMMUNISTS SAID THEY WERE AS MYSTIFIED AS EVERYONE ELSE.

SPOKESMEN FOR THE RUSSIAN EMBASSY AND THE JAPAN COMMUNIST PARTY SAID THEY DID NOT KNOW WHY THE GENERAL HAD LEFT OR WHETHER HE WOULD RETURN. THE COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER AKAHATA DID NOT CARRY THE STORY.

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A144KX ((WEST OUT) (230)
P BY RUSSELL BRINES

TOKYO,TUESDAY, MAY 30-(AP)-JAPANESE POLICE TODAY PREVENTED A COMMUNIST-LED DEMONSTRATION DESIGNED TO INTERFERE WITH UNITED STATES OBSERVANCES OF MEMORIAL DAY.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS IMMEDIATELY ISSUED A STATEMENT SAYING "THIS ACTION WAS TAKEN BY THE JAPANESE POLICE TO AVOID CONFUSION AND NOT AT THE REQUEST OF OCCUPATION AUTHORITIES."

HEADQUARTERS ALSO DENIED JAPANESE RADIO BROADCASTS THAT THE IMPERIAL PLAZA----SCENE OF THE AMERICAN SERVICES AND THE RED-LED DEMONSTRATION BY JAPANESE LABOR GROUPS---WAS TO BE RESTRICTED TODAY FOR THE USE OF OCCUPATION PERSONNEL.

THESE RADIO BROADCASTS WERE PART OF AN EVIDENT ATTEMPT TO EMBARRASS OCCUPATION AUTHORITIES.

JUST WHAT THE COMMUNISTS EXPECTED TO GAIN WAS NOT CLEAR. BUT THE OFFICIAL PARTY NEWSPAPER AKAHATA WAS VIGOROUS IN PUBLICIZING THE LABOR DEMONSTRATION SPONSORED BY THE "TOKYO PREPARATORY COMMITTEE OF THE DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL FRONT."

A CROWD OF JAPANESE APPEARED AT THE PLAZA ABOUT 9 A. M., THE HOUR THE MEMORIAL SERVICES WERE SCHEDULED TO BEGIN. POLICE TOLD THEM THE PLAZA WOULD NOT BE AVAILABLE UNTIL LATER WHEN THEY WOULD BE FREE TO HOLD THEIR MEETING.

LEADERS OF THE DEMONSTRATION HAD BEEN TOLD THE SAME THING YESTERDAY. THEY DISTRIBUTED PAMPHLETS SAYING RESERVATION OF THE PLAZA FOR OCCUPATION TROOPS WAS "CLEARLY AN INTENTIONAL OBSTRUCTION AND SUPPRESSION."

OSTENSIBLE PURPOSE OF THE DEMONSTRATION, WHICH MAY BE HELD THIS AFTERNOON, WAS TO COMMEMORATE THE DEATH OF A LABOR UNION MEMBER IN DEMONSTRATIONS MAY 30, 1949, AT THE TOKYO CITY ASSEMBLY.

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B90 (Q)

KUALA LUMPUR, MALAYA, MAY 29-(AP)-BRITAIN'S SECRETARY OF WAR, JOHN STRACHEY, HERE ON A VISIT TO BRITISH TROOPS IN THE FIELD, SAID TODAY HIS GOVERNMENT WILL SEND MALAYA MORE ARMOR TO BOLSTER ITS WAR AGAINST COMMUNIST GUERILLAS.

STRACHEY ALSO SAID HE WOULD CONSIDER THE QUESTION OF BETTER PAY AND CONDITIONS FOR MALAYAN SOLDIERS NOW FIGHTING WITH BRITISH TROOPS AND WOULD DISCUSS WITH HIS GOVERNMENT THE QUESTION OF KEEPING SUCH LOCAL SOLDIERS IN THE SERVICE OF THE BRITISH ARMY.

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TOKYO,MAY 29-(AP)-THREE U.S. GYMNASTS WILL LEAVE BY AIR TOMORROW FOR HOME AFTER A TWO-WEEK TOUR OF JAPAN--SOMEWHAT WEARY FROM "TOO MANY RECEPTIONS."

"IT WAS A BIT ROUGH," SAID JOSEPH KOTYS OF KENT STATE UNIVERSITY (OHIO). "THE JAPANESE TREATED US LIKE HOLLYWOOD CELEBRITIES."

THE OTHER GYMNASTS ARE WILLIAM ROETZHEIM OF FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY AND EDWARD SCROBE OF NEW YORK CITY. THEY WERE ACCOMPANIED BY ROY MOORE OF NEW YORK, CHAIRMAN OF THE NATIONAL AMATEUR ATHLETIC UNION.

THEY TOOK PART IN TWO MEETS AND THREE EXHIBITIONS, AT TOKYO, ASAKA, KYOTO AND YOKOHAMA.

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B88KX (Q)

TOKYO,MAY 29 (AP)-AMERICAN RED CROSS HEADQUARTERS HERE ANNOUNCED TODAY CLOSING OF ITS OFFICE IN SEOUL. IT WAS OPENED FOUR AND ONE-HALF YEARS AGO.

HUDSON BACON, 825 ISABEL AVE., RACINE, WIS., THE LAST RED CROSS REPRESENTATIVE TO LEAVE KOREA, IS HERE ENROUTE TO THE UNITED STATES.

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WASHINGTON, MAY 29-(AP)-THE IRANIAN EMBASSY DENIED TODAY REPORTS FROM TEHRAN FRIDAY THAT RUSSIAN TROOPS OCCUPIED A FIVE-MILE STRIP OF IRANIAN TERRITORY IN THE NORTHEASTERN BORDER AREA.

CHARGE DE AFFAIRES CHOLAM ABBAS ARAM SAID HE HAD COMMUNICATED WITH THE IRANIAN GOVERNMENT AND BEEN TOLD THAT THE REPORTS, ORIGINALLY PUBLISHED IN THE NEWSPAPER TEHERANE MOSSAVA WERE UNTRUE.

HE GAVE NO FURTHER DETAILS.

THE TEHRAN NEWSPAPER HAD SAID THAT THE SOVIETS REFUSED TO WITHDRAW FROM THE AREA DESPITE PROTESTS BY THE IRANIAN FOREIGN MINISTRY.

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A20WX
(110) TRIESTE
WASHINGTON, MAY 29-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE WERE REPORTED TODAY TO BE PLANNING SEPARATE BUT PARALLEL NOTES REJECTING RUSSIA'S DEMAND THAT TRIESTE BE INTERNATIONALIZED.
GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS SAID THE THREE GOVERNMENTS WERE CONSULTING BEFORE REPLYING TO RUSSIA'S STAND THAT THE "ILLEGAL" BRITISH-AMERICAN BASE AT TRIESTE MUST BE ELIMINATED BEFORE TALKS ON AN AUSTRIAN PEACE TREATY CAN BE RESUMED.
THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S POSITION IS THAT TRIESTE AND THE AUSTRIAN PEACE TREATY ARE IN NO WAY CONNECTED.
OFFICIALS TAKE THE VIEW THAT MOSCOW HAS RAISED THE TRIESTE ISSUE AS ANOTHER DELAYING TACTIC IN ITS LONG FIGHT TO PREVENT THE WRITING OF AN AUSTRIAN TREATY.
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ASHEVILLE, N.C., MAY 29-(AP)-GEN. MARK WAYNE CLARK SAID HERE TONIGHT THAT A PEACE TREATY FOR AUSTRIA HAS NEVER BEEN SIGNED BECAUSE "THE RUSSIANS WANT US TO AGREE ON A TREATY THAT WOULD GIVE THEM LEGAL TITLE TO EVERYTHING THEY HAVE STOLEN IN AUSTRIA."
GEN. CLARK, CHIEF OF THE ARMY GROUND FORCES AND FORMER U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER IN AUSTRIA, SPOKE AT A BANQUET CLIMAXING THE 50TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION OF ASHEVILLE SCHOOL.
HE SAID HIS EXPERIENCE IN AUSTRIA CONVINCED HIM THAT "EVERY SINGLE THING THAT WE HAD FOUGHT FOR, THEY (THE RUSSIANS) WANTED TO DESTROY."
EXCEPT FOR HIS REFERENCES TO AUSTRIA, GEN. CLARK AVOIDED DISCUSSIONS OF INTERNATIONAL POLITICS.
"I THINK IT IS UNBECOMING FOR ANYONE IN UNIFORM TO GET UP AND RATTLE THE SABER, HE COMMENTED.
GEN. CLARK REPORTED THAT UNIFICATION IS PROGRESSING "SATISFACTORILY." BUT HE ADDED THAT "IT'S ALWAYS GOING TO BE THE DOUGHBOY, PROPERLY SUPPORTED BY THE OTHER FORCES AND WITH THE BEST OF EQUIPMENT, THAT WILL WIN THE WAR WITH HIS RIFLE AND BAYONET."
HE DISCOUNTED THE IDEA OF "PUSH-BUTTON WAR" AND SAID THAT IF WAR SHOULD COME IN THE NEAR FUTURE IT WOULD BE FOUGHT WITH SUBSTANTIALLY THE SAME WEAPONS USED IN WORLD WAR II.
ASHEVILLE SCHOOL, A PRIVATE BOYS PREPARATORY ACADEMY, INVITED THE GENERAL TO MAKE THE CELEBRATION ADDRESS.
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(310)
LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 29-(AP)-THE GOVERNMENT OF ISRAEL HAS ACKNOWLEDGED THE RIGHT OF THE UNITED NATIONS TO CONTROL THE HOLY SHRINES OF THREE RELIGIONS IN JERUSALEM.
IT STILL OPPOSES INTERNATIONAL RULE OVER ALL OF JERUSALEM, DEMANDED BY THE 1949 U.N. ASSEMBLY. BUT ISRAEL OFFERED A COMPROMISE PROPOSAL YESTERDAY TO ROGER GARREAU, PRESIDENT OF THE U.N. TRUSTEESHIP COUNCIL WHICH MEETS HERE BEGINNING THURSDAY.
THE COMPROMISE WOULD GIVE THE U.N. COMPLETE AUTHORITY OVER THE HOLY PLACES IN JERUSALEM AND RELATED RELIGIOUS MATTERS, INCLUDING KEEPING THEM IN REPAIR AND HELPING PILGRIMS VISIT THEM. UP UNTIL NOW, THE ISRAEL GOVERNMENT HAS BEEN WILLING TO GRANT ONLY U.N. SUPERVISION OF THE SHRINES UNDER AN AGREEMENT AMONG THE U.N., ISRAEL AND JORDAN.
JORDAN AND ISRAEL CONTROL SEPARATE SECTORS OF JERUSALEM UNDER A MILITARY TRUCE. MOST OF THE SHRINES ARE IN THE OLD WALLED CITY CONTROLLED BY JORDAN.
THE LAST GENERAL ASSEMBLY ORDERED THE TRUSTEESHIP COUNCIL TO FRAME A STATUTE GIVING THE U.N. COMPLETE CONTROL, ADMINISTRATIVE AND OTHERWISE, OF ALL JERUSALEM. RUSSIA, MOST OF THE ARAB STATES AND CATHOLIC COUNTRIES IN LATIN AMERICA BANDED TOGETHER TO ADOPT THE PROJECT OVER THE BITTER PROTESTS BY ISRAEL AND JORDAN. THE U.S., BRITAIN AND SOME OTHER COUNTRIES AGREED THAT THE PLAN WAS UNWORKABLE.
THE TRUSTEESHIP COUNCIL WENT AHEAD AND DRAFTED THE STATUTE. ISRAEL AND JORDAN BOTH SAID THEY WOULD NEVER ACCEPT IT. RUSSIA SUDDENLY WITHDREW HER SUPPORT.
ISRAEL HAS ALSO SUGGESTED AN ALTERNATE PLAN TO GARREAU, WHICH MAY EMBARRASS JORDAN. THE ISRAELI SAID THEY WOULD COOPERATE IN CREATING AN INTERNATIONAL REGIME "LIMITED TO THE TERRITORY WHERE THE HOLY PLACES ARE MOSTLY CONCENTRATED--AN AREA OF ONE AND A HALF SQUARE MILES WITHIN THE WALLED CITY AND ITS IMMEDIATE ENVIRONS."
THE ISRAELI POINTED OUT THAT JORDAN WOULD HAVE TO BACK DOWN ON ITS OPPOSITION TO ANY INTERNATIONAL REGIME BEFORE SOMETHING LIKE THAT COULD WORK.
AN ISRAEL STATEMENT SAID THAT UNDER ITS SCHEME OF GIVING THE U.N. SUPERVISION OF THE HOLY PLACES, "JERUSALEM WOULD BECOME THE FIRST PLACE IN THE WORLD WHERE THE U.N. WAS PERMANENTLY REPRESENTED AS THE CUSTODIAN OF INTERNATIONAL INTERESTS."
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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 10:15 P.M., EST, TODAY, MONDAY, MAY 29)
(ADVANCE) NEW YORK, MAY 29-(AP)-HENRY A.WALLACE SAID TONIGHT "THE COLD WAR IS THE DEVIL'S PATH TO DESTRUCTION FOR BOTH RUSSIA AND THE UNITED STATES."
HE BLAMED BOTH COUNTRIES FOR KEEPING THE COLD WAR GOING.
IN A TRANSCRIBED ADDRESS OVER A NATIONAL HOOKUP OF THE MUTUAL BROADCASTING COMPANY, THE FORMER VICE PRESIDENT SAID:

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"THE PEOPLE OF BOTH NATIONS LONG FOR AN END TO THE COLD WAR BUT BOTH PEOPLES HAVE BEEN TRAPPED BY THEIR DIPLOMATIC AND MILITARY LEADERS INTO FOLLOWING A ROAD WHICH CAN ONLY END IN HOT WAR."
IN A THIRD WORLD WAR, WALLACE SAID, "THE UNITED STATES WILL LOSE MORE MEN BY FAR THAN IN ANY OTHER WAR, AND THE UNITED STATES CIVILIAN WILL FEEL WAR AT FIRST HAND FOR THE FIRST TIME SINCE 1865."
THE 1948 PROGRESSIVE PARTY PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE SAID THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT BELIEVES THE COLD WAR WILL HASTEN THE DESTRUCTION OF CAPITALISM, AND THAT U.S. LEADERS BELIEVE IT WILL WEAKEN COMMUNISM.
BUT, WALLACE SAID, NEITHER SIDE COULD EXPECT TO GAIN.
"FOR MY PART," HE SAID, "I AGREE WITH THE MILLIONS WHO HOLD WITH TRYGVE LIE THAT THE COLD WAR MUST BE ENDED AND ENDED SOON."
AS A "PEACEFUL SUBSTITUTE" FOR THE COLD WAR, WALLACE URGED:
1. A JOINT 30 PER CENT CUT IN ARMAMENTS BY BOTH RUSSIA AND THE U.S.
2. USE OF THE MONEY THUS SAVED AS A UNITED NATIONS REVOLVING FUND FOR LONG-TERM LOANS AT LOW INTEREST RATES TO DEVELOP BACKWARD PARTS OF THE WORLD, AND THUS EXPAND WORLD TRADE.
SUCH A PROGRAM, HE SAID, WOULD PREVENT UNEMPLOYMENT FROM ACCOMPANYING THE END OF THE COLD WAR AND THE ARMS PROGRAM.

"ONLY BY MOBILIZING THE WORLD'S CAPITAL FOR PEACE INSTEAD OF WAR," WALLACE SAID, "CAN THE MOST TERRIBLE DEPRESSION IN THE WORLD'S HISTORY BE PREVENTED."
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NEW YORK, MAY 29-(AP)-ELIAHU ELATH, ISRAEL'S AMBASSADOR TO THE U.S., SAID TONIGHT THE "FIRST STEPS TOWARD FRIENDLY RELATIONS BETWEEN THE MOSLEM WORLD AND ISRAEL ALREADY HAVE BEEN MADE."
PREDICTING THAT COOPERATION BETWEEN HIS COUNTRY AND ARAB STATES "WILL BE ACHIEVED IN THE FUTURE," ELATH CITED THE RECOGNITION OF ISRAEL BY TURKEY AND IRAN AS STEPS IN THIS DIRECTION.
HE MADE THE STATEMENTS IN AN ADDRESS PREPARED FOR THE FINAL SESSION OF A SERIES HELD BY THE AMERICAN CHRISTIAN PALESTINE COMMITTEE ON "PROBLEMS FACING THE NEW STATE OF ISRAEL."
"OUR SINCERE DESIRE," HE SAID, "IS TO REACH A JUST AND STABLE PEACE WITH OUR NEIGHBORS, FOR THIS IS VITAL FOR THE MIDDLE EAST AND FOR THE PRESERVATION OF PEACE IN THE WORLD."
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NEW YORK, MAY 29-(AP)-THE CHILDREN OF JAPAN WOULD LIKE TO SEND 3,000 CHERRY TREES TO BE PLANTED AT THE NEW UNITED NATIONS' HEADQUARTERS IN NEW YORK, YUKIO OZAKI, THE VETERAN JAPANESE DIET MEMBER, TOLD U.N. OFFICIALS TODAY.
THE 91-YEAR-OLD LEGISLATOR SAID HE HAD BEEN "COMMISSIONED" BY THE CHILDREN OF JAPAN TO MAKE THE OFFER. AS MAYOR OF TOKYO, OZAKI PRESENTED CHERRY TREES TO WASHINGTON, D.C., AS A MARK OF GRATITUDE TO PRESIDENT THEODORE ROOSEVELT FOR HIS PART IN SETTLING THE RUSSO-JAPANESE WAR.
ANDREW CORDIER, EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT TO U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE, SAID HE WOULD TAKE THE OFFER UP WITH THE U.N. TRUSTEES.
OZAKI HAD A BUSY DAY. HE VISITED THE U.N. BUILDINGS AT LAKE SUCCESS, SAT IN ON SOME DEBATES AND LUNCHED IN THE U.N. DELEGATES' DINING HALL.
AFTER LUNCH HE AND HIS PARTY, INCLUDING HIS DAUGHTER YUKIKA AND HIS SON YUKITERU, VISITED THE GRAVE OF THEODORE ROOSEVELT AT OYSTER BAY, N.Y., WHERE THE PARLIAMENTARIAN PLACED A WREATH. THEN THE PARTY HAD A SHORT VISIT WITH MRS. THEODORE ROOSEVELT,JR., BEFORE RETURNING TO NEW YORK.
NO OFFICIAL COMMITMENTS ARE PLANNED FOR TUESDAY AND ON WEDNESDAY MORNING THE PARTY WILL LEAVE FOR WASHINGTON WHERE OZAKI HOPES TO MEET PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND SIT IN ON CONGRESS SESSIONS.
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A6WX (570)
PMS BUDGET
MILITARY AID
BY JACK BELL
WASHINGTON,MAY 29-(AP)-SENATOR GEORGE (D-GA) SAID TODAY THAT WESTERN GERMANY'S MANPOWER WILL HAVE TO BE USED TO BUILD ANY ADEQUATE DEFENSE OF WESTERN EUROPE FROM POSSIBLE COMMUNIST AGGRESSION.
GEORGE, A VETERAN MEMBER OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE, MADE THIS OBSERVATION IN TELLING REPORTERS HE PROBABLY WILL SUPPORT A MILITARY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (MAP) THE ADMINISTRATION IS EXPECTED TO PRESENT TO CONGRESS THIS WEEK.
ON THE OTHER HAND, SENATOR TAFT (R-OHIO) CRITICIZED THE REARMING OF NATIONS AROUND EUROPE. HE PROPOSED INSTEAD THAT THE UNITED STATES, RELYING ON ITS OWN STRENGTH ALONE, "TELL THE RUSSIANS THAT IF THEY START AGGRESSION THEY'RE IN WAR."
"I WOULD NOT ARM EUROPE," TAFT SAID IN A TELEVISION INTERVIEW YESTERDAY. "LET EUROPE WORK OUT ITS OWN SOLUTION. IN MY OPINION THERE IS ONLY ONE THING THAT WILL DETER RUSSIA FROM WAR AND THAT IS A STRONG AMERICAN AIR FORCE, A STRONG AMERICAN SUPPLY OF ATOMIC BOMBS."
HE SAID THE WHOLE EFFECT OF THE ATLANTIC PACT PROGRAM IS TO MAKE WAR MORE PROBABLE, AND ADDED:
"WHAT I OBJECT TO IS UNDERTAKING BY CONTRACT TO ARM ABOUT 20 NATIONS ALL AROUND THE WORLD, ALL AROUND RUSSIA, OBVIOUSLY AN AGGRESSIVE MOVE."
LAST YEAR, WHEN THE MILITARY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM CAME UP IN THE SENATE, GEORGE TRIED TO CUT ITS AUTHORIZATION FROM $1,000,000,000 TO $500,000,000. FAILING IN THAT HE VOTED AGAINST FINAL PASSAGE OF THE BILL.
GEORGE SAID HIS ATTITUDE HAS CHANGED LARGELY BECAUSE HE BELIEVES SOME POSITIVE STEPS NOW ARE BEING TAKEN TO FUSE WESTERN GERMANY'S INDUSTRIAL PLANT WITH THAT OF THE ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS.
"BUT WE CANNOT REBUILD ADEQUATE DEFENSES FOR WESTERN EUROPE WITHOUT UTILIZATION OF GERMAN MANPOWER AND I BELIEVE IT IS COMING," GEORGE SAID.
THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAS AVOIDED ANY SUCH POSITION IN THE FACE OF ITS DEMAND ON RUSSIA LAST WEEK THAT THE EAST GERMANY POLICE FORCE BE DISBANDED BECAUSE IT HAS ASSUMED THE FORM OF AN ARMY.
SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON MAY FACE SOME QUESTIONING ON THIS POINT IN SCHEDULED TESTIMONY BEFORE A JOINT MEETING OF THE FOREIGN RELATIONS AND ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEES ON THE MAP PROGRAM FRIDAY.
THIS WILL FOLLOW HIS REPORT TO MEMBERS OF CONGRESS AT AN INFORMAL SESSION IN THE LIBRARY OF CONGRESS WEDNESDAY ON RESULTS OF THE LONDON MEETING OF AMERICAN-BRITISH-FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTERS.
ACHESON HAD AN APPOINTMENT TODAY (11 A.M. EST) TO SEE PRESIDENT TRUMAN. BESIDES TELLING THE PRESIDENT OF THE RESULTS OF MEETINGS IN LONDON, HE PRESUMABLY WANTED TO TALK OVER HIS REPORT TO CONGRESS.

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SENATOR GEORGE'S CHANGE OF ATTITUDE TOWARD THE MILITARY AID PROPOSAL SEEMED TO REFLECT LIKELY ACCEPTANCE BY THE SENATE OF ANY REASONABLE FOREIGN ARMS AID PROPOSED BY THE ADMINISTRATION.
TAFT TOLD A REPORTER HE PROBABLY WILL VOTE AGAINST THE PROGRAM, WHICH HE OPPOSED LAST YEAR, BUT WON'T LEAD ANY FIGHT AGAINST IT THIS YEAR.
SOME OTHER REPUBLICANS ARE EXPECTED TO OPPOSE THE PRINCIPLE OF CONTINUED ARMS AID TO OTHER NATIONS, BUT ADMINISTRATION LEADERS REMAINED CONFIDENT THEY CAN OBTAIN SENATE APPROVAL WITHOUT A MAJOR FIGHT.
JOHN FOSTER DULLES, FORMER REPUBLICAN SENATOR WHO IS SERVING AS STATE DEPARTMENT ADVISER, HAS DISCUSSED THE PROGRAM WITH SOME OF THE GOP CONGRESSIONAL LEADERS.
DULLES WAS UNDERSTOOD TO HAVE TOLD THE REPUBLICANS THAT THE PROGRAM IS LIKELY TO INVOLVE A TOTAL OUTLAY OF ABOUT $1,500,000,000 (B) OF WHICH $500,000,000 WOULD REPRESENT APPROPRIATIONS TO COVER CONTRACT AUTHORIZATIONS VOTED LAST SESSION. OF THE REMAINING $1,000,000,000 (B) PART MIGHT BE IN FUTURE CONTRACT AUTHORITY, IT WAS SAID.
GEORGE SAID HE HOPES THE TOTAL CAN BE HELD AROUND A BILLION DOLLARS, INCLUDING LAST YEAR'S CONTRACT AUTHORITY. HE SAID THE CASH, CONTRACT AUTHORITY AND EXISTING ARMS EQUIPMENT MADE AVAILABLE FOR WESTERN EUROPEAN NATIONS IN THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30 WAS ABOUT $1,800,000,000 (B).
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(400) DEFENSE
WASHINGTON, MAY 29-(AP)-THE AIR FORCE DISCLOSED TODAY IT MAY OPEN A FIGHTER TRAINING PROGRAM AT ITS BRITISH ISLES BASES BY SENDING A SQUADRON OF 25 JETS THERE NEXT FALL.
COINCIDENTALLY, THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT REPORTED THAT AN ESTIMATED 3,000 MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES OF THIS COUNTRY'S ATLANTIC TREATY ALLIES WILL BE IN TRAINING IN THE UNITED STATES BY THE END OF 1950.
TRAINING SIMILAR TO THAT CONSIDERED FOR FIGHTER SQUADRONS IS NOW PROVIDED FOR MEDIUM BOMBER GROUPS WHICH TAKE TURNS BEING BASED IN THE UNITED KINGDOM.
UNDER THE PLAN, THE FIGHTER SQUADRON MAKING THE FIRST TRIP TO ENGLAND WOULD BE REPLACED SHORTLY BY ANOTHER SQUADRON FROM THIS COUNTRY.
THE AIR FORCE DID NOT SPECIFY WHAT KIND OF JET PLANES WOULD BE INVOLVED. IT IS LIKELY THEY WOULD BE REPUBLIC F-84 THUNDERJETS, WHICH COULD DEFEND BOMBER BASES. WITH EXTRA FUEL TANKS HOOKED UNDER THEIR WINGS, THEY COULD ALSO FLY BOMBER ESCORT MISSIONS.
AIR BASES IN THE ENGLISH MIDLANDS ARE NOW BEING EXTENDED AND IMPROVED FOR JOINT USE BY U.S. MEDIUM BOMBERS-- B-29 AND B-50 SUPERFORTRESSES--AND JET FIGHTERS.
AS PREVIOUSLY ANNOUNCED, THE AIR FORCE IS ALSO PLANNING TO FLY TWO GROUPS OF REPUBLIC THUNDERJETS TO GERMANY THIS SUMMER TO REPLACE F-47 AND F-80 FIGHTERS NOW THERE.
A DEFENSE DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN SAID THERE ARE BETWEEN 500 AND 700 ALLIED TRAINEES IN THE UNITED STATES NOW AND BY JULY THE NUMBER WILL REACH 1,300 TO 1,500.
HE SAID COUNTRIES WHICH EITHER HAVE OR WILL HAVE TRAINEES IN THIS COUNTRY INCLUDE FRANCE, HOLLAND, THE UNITED KINGDOM AND BELGIUM.
SOME 200 MEMBERS OF THE NETHERLANDS NAVY ARE TRAINING IN THE BOSTON AREA, PREPARING TO TAKE OVER TWO U.S.DESTROYER ESCORTS WHICH WILL BE TRANSFERRED TO THE NETHERLANDS JUNE 1.

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APPROXIMATELY 150 MEMBERS OF THE FRENCH ARMY, NAVY AND AIR FORCE ARRIVED AT NORFOLK, VA., ON MAY 4 FOR ASSIGNMENT TO TRAINING SCHOOLS UNDER THE MUTUAL DEFENSE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM.
BRIG.GEN.RENE LEON PIERRE DU PERRON, COMMANDER OF THE ANTI-AIRCRAFT FIRING SCHOOL AT NIMES, FRANCE, RECEIVED A BRIEF INSTRUCTION COURSE AT THE ANTI-AIRCRAFT AND GUIDED MISSILE CENTER AT FORT BLISS, TEX.
FRENCH PILOTS AND NAVIGATORS WERE ASSIGNED TO THE RANDOLPH AND ELLINGTON AIR FORCE BASES IN TEXAS, AND TECHNICAL STUDENTS WERE ENROLLED IN SCHOOLS OF THE AIR TRAINING COMMAND.
FORTY FRENCH SAILORS WERE SENT TO THE PHILADELPHIA NAVAL YARD TO PREPARE TO TAKE DELIVERY ON DESTROYER ESCORTS.
FRENCH NAVAL AVIATORS ARE TRAINING AT THE PENSACOLA, FLA., NAVAL AIR STATION, AND OTHER FRENCHMEN ARE TAKING COURSES AT THE INFANTRY SCHOOL AT FORT BENNING, GA., THE ARMORED SCHOOL AT FORT KNOX, KY., AND THE ORDNANCE SCHOOL AT THE ABERDEEN, MD., PROVING GROUND.
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A13WX (LIE)
(470) NIGHT LEAD TRUMAN-LIE
WASHINGTON,MAY 29-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON REVIEWED PROSPECTS OF EASING COLD WAR TENSIONS TODAY IN CONFERENCES WITH TRYGVE LIE. HOWEVER, NO IMMEDIATE HINT OF PROGRESS WAS FORTHCOMING.
THE UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY GENERAL, JUST BACK FROM A PEACE-MAKING MISSION TO MOSCOW AND OTHER CAPITALS, IS SEEKING A WAY OUT OF THE CURRENT EAST-WEST DEADLOCK IN THE UNITED NATIONS OVER THE ADMISSION OF COMMUNIST CHINA. THE DISAGREEMENT LED TO A WALKOUT BY THE SOVIET BLOC.
WITH ACHESON AT HIS SIDE, THE PRESIDENT HAD A 25-MINUTE MEETING WITH LIE AT THE WHITE HOUSE.
EARLIER, ACHESON HAD A MORE PROTRACTED CONFERENCE WITH THE SECRETARY GENERAL AT THE STATE DEPARTMENT.
ALL PUT A "CONFIDENTIAL" LABEL ON THE TALKS, HOWEVER. DIPLOMATS SAID LIE HAS MADE PLAIN HIS BELIEF THERE MUST BE A SETTLEMENT OF THE CHINA ISSUE AS AN URGENT FIRST STEP TOWARD OTHER MEASURES TO BRING EAST AND WEST CLOSER TOGETHER AND TO RESTORE UN PRESTIGE.
THE STATE DEPARTMENT IN ADVANCE PUT A DAMPER ON TALK OF NEW DISCUSSIONS OF BASIC DISAGREEMENTS WITH RUSSIA AND THE COMMUNIST STATES WHICH TAKE THEIR CUE FROM MOSCOW. THE UNITED STATES HAS BEEN SIDESTEPPING THE CHINA QUESTION WITH AN ANNOUNCED POLICY THAT IT WILL ABIDE BY ANY DECISION OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL.
FROM ACHESON, MR.TRUMAN ALSO RECEIVED A FIRST HAND REPORT OF THE LONDON MEETINGS OF THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS AND THE 12-NATION NORTH ATLANTIC COUNCIL. THESE TALKS WERE IN PROGRESS AT THE TIME LIE WAS MAKING HIS EUROPEAN ROUND CLIMAXED BY A MOSCOW MEETING WITH PRIME MINISTER STALIN.
THE WHITE HOUSE CONFERENCE WAS PRELIMINARY TO THE ACCOUNTING ACHESON IS TO GIVE MEMBERS OF CONGRESS WEDNESDAY AT AN INFORMAL MEETING AT THE CONGRESSIONAL LIBRARY.
AT THE WHITE HOUSE THE SECRETARY TOLD REPORTERS MERELY "I REPORTED ON MY MISSION." HE DESCRIBED HIS TALKS WITH LIE AS "CONFIDENTIAL CHATS."

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EQUALLY TIGHT LIPPED, LIE REFUSED TO REPLY DIRECTLY TO A REPORTER'S QUESTION WHETHER HE FELT AT ALL ENCOURAGED BY HIS QUEST. HE REFERRED INSTEAD TO HIS NEWS CONFERENCE STATEMENT OF FRIDAY THAT HE FOUND THE SOVIET LEADERS STILL HAD FAITH IN THE U.N.
LIE REITERATED THAT HE WAS "NOT BRINGING ANY MESSAGE FROM STALIN TO TRUMAN" AND DID NOT TAKE ANY MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT TO THE SOVIET LEADER.
WITH LIE AT BOTH TALKS WAS BYRON PRICE, HIS PRINCIPAL AMERICAN ASSISTANT.
LIE LEFT MR.TRUMAN A MEMORANDUM CONTAINING A 10-POINT, 20-YEAR "PEACE PROGRAM" BUILT AROUND THE UNITED NATIONS, PRESUMABLY SUBMITTED ALSO TO STALIN, BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY BEVIN AND FOREIGN MINISTER SCHUMAN OF FRANCE.
TOPPING THE TEN POINTS IS A PROPOSAL FOR SPECIAL SEMI-ANNUAL MEETINGS OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL, WITH THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE MAJOR POWERS PRESENT IN PERSON. HE HAS URGED THAT THE FIRST SUCH MEETING BE HELD IN MID-SUMMER, IN ADVANCE OF THE NEXT FALL SESSION OF THE UN GENERAL ASSEMBLY.
OTHER POINTS IN THE PROGRAM INCLUDE RESUMPTION OF EFFORTS TO SETTLE ATOMIC AND CONVENTIONAL ARMS CONTROL AND CREATION OF AN INTERNATIONAL POLICE FORCE TO ENFORCE UN DECISIONS TO END AN IMPASSE OVER THE ADMISSION OF NEW MEMBERS.
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FOLO WASHINGTON TRUMAN-LIE
LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 29-(AP)-SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE'S "SAVE-THE UNITED NATIONS" CAMPAIGN WILL CONTINUE, INFORMED QUARTERS SAID TODAY AFTER LIE'S TALKS WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON IN WASHINGTON.

THESE QUARTERS SAID THE SECRETARY-GENERAL IS SATISFIED WITH THE WASHINGTON CONVERSATIONS AND THAT HE FEELS THE POSSIBILITIES FOR EAST-WEST NEGOTIATIONS STILL EXIST.

"THE BALL IS STILL IN PLAY," THIS INFORMANT SAID. "THE GAME IS STILL ON."

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A47WX
(330) ATOMIC
WASHINGTON, MAY 29-(AP)-CHAIRMAN MCMAHON (D-CONN) OF THE SENATE-HOUSE ATOMIC COMMITTEE SAID TODAY THE UNITED STATES IS SPENDING MONEY ON "TOO SMALL" A SCALE IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF ATOMIC BOMBS.

HE ALSO SAID HE BELIEVES THE VASTLY MORE POWERFUL HYDROGEN SUPER-BOMB "CAN PROBABLY BE BUILT" BY THIS COUNTRY.

MCMAHON SAID IN A COPYRIGHTED INTERVIEW PUBLISHED BY THE MAGAZINE, U.S. NEWS AND WORLD REPORT:

"SINCE THE RECENT WAR ENDED, WE HAVE ASSIGNED LESS THAN ONE-FORTIETH OF OUR NATIONAL MILITARY SPENDING TO ATOMIC WEAPONS. WE'VE USED LESS THAN ONE PER CENT OF OUR NATIONAL BUDGET AS A WHOLE FOR THIS PURPOSE. THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON ATOMIC ENERGY IS NOW STUDYING THE ADEQUACY OF SUCH A SCALE OF EFFORT."

"YOU THINK IT'S TOO SMALL?" HE WAS ASKED.

"YES," MC MAHON REPLIED.

ASKED IF HE THOUGHT RUSSIA WOULD GET AHEAD IN THE ATOMIC ARMS RACE, MCMAHON WARNED AGAINST ANY COMPLACENCY. HE SAID THERE IS ONLY ONE ANSWER-- "IMMEDIATE, VIGOROUS, IMAGINATIVE, POSITIVE ACTION FOR REAL PEACE. NO NATION CAN AFFORD AN ATOM RACE."

MCMAHON HAS RECOMMENDED TO THE SENATE THAT THE UNITED STATES SPEND $50,000,000,000 OVER A FIVE-YEAR PERIOD FOR WORLDWIDE AID AND ASSISTANCE TO ALL COUNTRIES. THE AID WOULD BE CONTINGENT ON ALL NATIONS ACCEPTING EFFECTIVE INTERNATIONAL CONTROL OF ATOMIC ENERGY AND REDUCING THEIR ARMAMENTS EXPENDITURES BY TWO-THIRDS.

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MC MAHON SAID IN THE INTERVIEW HE HAD HAD "ESPECIALLY IN MIND" A PROGRAM THAT MIGHT INTEREST THE RUSSIAN PEOPLE.

"I THINK WE SHOULD MAKE A HERCULEAN EFFORT TO GAIN THE EAR OF THE RUSSIAN PEOPLE," HE SAID. "AN ATOMIC WAR WOULD BE A CATASTROPHE FOR THEM AS WELL AS FOR US, AND MAYBE THEY CAN BE BROUGHT TO REALIZE OUR COMMON STAKE IN PEACE."

HE EXPRESSED FEAR THAT THE PRESENT ATOMIC RACE BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND RUSSIA WOULD EVENTUALLY LEAD TO WAR, WITH FREE ENTERPRISE IN THIS COUNTRY BECOMING LESS FREE AS THE RACE CONTINUED.

"OVER A PERIOD OF TIME, THE MERE PREPARATION FOR ALL-OUT ATOMIC WAR CAN PLAY HAVOC WITH FREEDOM, NOT TO MENTION WHAT MAY HAPPEN IF WAR ITSELF EVENTUALLY STRIKES," MC MAHON SAID.

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A170AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD COMMUNISTS
BY ROGER D.GREENE
WASHINGTON,MAY 29-(AP)-MICHAEL LEE, $10,000-A-YEAR COMMERCE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL WHOSE LOYALTY WAS QUESTIONED IN CONGRESS, CHALLENGED TODAY A MOVE TO FIRE HIM AND THUS SET THE STAGE FOR A BATTLE TO DEFEND HIS JOB.

LEE SHOWED UP FOR WORK AS USUAL, DESPITE A REQUEST BY SECRETARY OF COMMERCE SAWYER FOR HIS RESIGNATION.

LEE, A NATURALIZED CITIZEN, TOLD NEWSMEN HE HAD ASKED FOR AN INTERVIEW WITH SAWYER. HOWEVER, SAWYER IS OUT OF TOWN AND IS NOT EXPECTED BACK BEFORE WEDNESDAY OR THURSDAY.

DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS SAID THEY ARE DRAFTING OUSTER CHARGES AGAINST LEE AND WILLIAM W.REMINGTON32, ANOTHER $10,000 A YEAR COMMERCE EMPLOYE, FOR PRESENTATION LATER IN THE WEEK. SAWYER HAS DEMANDED THAT BOTH LEE AND REMINGTON RESIGN "IN THE INTEREST OF GOOD ADMINISTRATION."

REMINGTON WAS NOT AT HIS OFFICE TODAY. HE HAD PREVIOUSLY ARRANGED FOR A HOLIDAY AND IS NOT DUE TO RETURN TO WORK UNTIL THURSDAY. HE IS SCHEDULED TO APPEAR WEDNESDAY BEFORE A GRAND JURY IN NEW YORK.

BOTH LEE AND REMINGTON HAVE BEEN UNDER CONGRESSIONAL FIRE ON SECURITY GROUNDS. BOTH HAVE DENIED THEY ARE COMMUNISTS OR PRO-COMMUNISTS.

IN A WEEKEND STATEMENT, LEE CHARGED THAT SAWYER DEMANDED HIS RESIGNATION "AFTER BEING DIRECTED TO FIRE ME BY A SENATE SUBCOMMITTEE." IT WAS REPORTED THAT MEMBERS OF THE SENATE COMMERCE COMMITTEE HAD CALLED ON SAWYER TO DROP LEE. SOME SENATORS SAID AN INVESTIGATION OF THE DEPARTMENT MIGHT BE MADE IF HE DIDN'T ACT.

LEE SAID HE WAS "SHOCKED" BY SAWYER'S ORDER, AND DECLARED:

"THE DEPARTMENT LOYALTY BOARD HAS CLEARED ME AFTER A LENGTHY INVESTIGATION LAST AUGUST. THE SECRETARY (SAWYER) HIMSELF HAS PUBLICLY STATED HE HAS NO DOUBT AS TO MY LOYALTY.

"MY RECORD IS CLEAR AND I HAVE NOTHING TO HIDE. I AM NOT NOW AND I NEVER HAVE BEEN A COMMUNIST. I HAVE NEVER BEEN DUPED INTO JOINING A (COMMUNIST) FRONT ORGANIZATION. IT WOULD BE COWARDLY FOR ME TO RESIGN UNDER FIRE."

REMINGTON ASSERTED HE WOULD "SEE THIS FIGHT THROUGH; THAT "THERE ARE QUESTIONS OF PRINCIPLE AND INTEGRITY INVOLVED."

DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS SAID THEY WOULD NOT TRY TO BAR EITHER LEE OR REMINGTON FROM THEIR OFFICES OR TO EJECT THEM PENDING THE OUTCOME OF HEARINGS.

SECRETARY SAWYER'S ANNOUNCEMENT THAT HE WANTS THE TWO MEN TO RESIGN EMPHASIZED THAT HE WAS NOT QUESTIONING THEIR LOYALTY. IT ALSO STRESSED THAT IF THEY REFUSED TO QUIT, PROCEEDINGS WOULD BE LAUNCHED TO OUST THEM.

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AS A WORLD WAR II VETERAN,REMINGTON COULD APPEAL TO THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION IF THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT DECIDES TO FIRE HIM. HE SERVED AS A WARTIME LIEUTENANT IN NAVAL INTELLIGENCE.

LEE COULD APPEAL ONLY TO SAWYER HIMSELF AGAINST AN ADVERSE DECISION IN THE OUSTER HEARINGS. HE IS NOT A VETERAN.

LOYALTY REVIEWS AGAINST BOTH LEE AND REMINGTON ARE NOW PENDING BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT'S LOYALTY BOARD, BUT NO DECISIONS HAVE YET BEEN REACHED.

SENATOR FERGUSON (R-MICH) TOLD A REPORTER THAT A SENATE COMMITTEE WHICH INVESTIGATED REMINGTON IN 1948 HAS TURNED NEW EVIDENCE TO THE HOUSE UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE. FERGUSON SAID IT DEALS WITH REMINGTON'S ACTIVITIES AS A STUDENT AT DARTMOUTH.

THE HOUSE GROUP RECENTLY QUESTIONED REMINGTON IN A RENEWAL OF CHARGES

THAT HE FORMERLY WAS A COMMUNIST. HE HAS MADE REPEATED DENIALS AND LAST YEAR WAS CLEARED BY THE FEDERAL LOYALTY BOARD.

AS TO LEE, SENATOR MALONE (R-NEV) DESCRIBED HIM IN A RECENT SENATE SPEECH AS "THE MAN WHOM THE CHINESE BLAME MORE THAN ANY OTHER INDIVIDUAL FOR DELIBERATELY DELAYING VITAL SHIPMENTS OF AVIATION GASOLINE AND OTHER SUPPLIES TO NATIONALIST CHINA UNTIL THE RED HORDES TOOK OVER."

A COMMERCE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL HAS TESTIFIED THAT LEE NEVER MADE DECISIONS INVOLVING SHIPMENTS TO CHINA.

MALONE SAID LEE IS A MANCHURIAN-BORN RUSSIAN WHO HAD DIFFICULTY OBTAINING CITIZENSHIP. HE ASKED THE SENATE TO CHECK LEE'S LOYALTY.

IN OTHER DEVELOPMENTS:

1. A SCHEDULED HEARING BY A SENATE COMMITTEE INVESTIGATING CHARGES OF COMMUNISM IN THE GOVERNMENT WAS POSTPONED UNTIL WEDNESDAY BECAUSE OF THE ABSENCE OF CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD). TYDINGS WAS REPORTED ATTENDING THE FUNERAL OF A FRIEND IN NEW YORK.

THE COMMITTEE HAD PLANNED TO HEAR CLOSED-DOOR TESTIMONY FROM ASSOCIATE FBI DIRECTOR D.M.LADD, WHO DIRECTED THE FBI PROBE OF THE AMERASIA DOCUMENTS CASE IN 1945.

2. CHIEF COUNSEL EDWARD P.MORGAN TOLD NEWSMEN THE TYDINGS COMMITTEE WILL SOON RELEASE SECRET TESTIMONY BY WILLIAM J.(WILD BILL) DONOVAN, WARTIME HEAD OF THE OFFICE OF STRATEGIC SERVICES (OSS), CONCERNING THE AMERASIA CASE.

OSS AGENTS OPERATING UNDER DONOVAN CONDUCTED THE FIRST RAID ON THE NEW YORK OFFICES OF AMERASIA MAGAZINE FIVE YEARS AGO AND REPORTED FINDING HUNDREDS OF SECRET GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS. THE MAGAZINE IS NOW DEFUNCT.

FOLLOWING THE OSS RAID IN MARCH, THE FBI RAIDED AMERASIA HEADQUARTERS IN JUNE AND ARRESTED SIX PERSONS, INCLUDING TWO STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS. OF THE SIX, TWO WERE FINED; THE OTHERS WERE CLEARED.

THE TYDINGS COMMITTEE RE-OPENED THE CASE RECENTLY AFTER SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) CONTENDED THAT THE AMERASIA INCIDENT HELD THE KEY TO HIS GENERAL CHARGES OF COMMUNISM IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

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NEW YORK, MAY 29-(AP)-LOUIS DOLIVET, EDITOR OF THE MAGAZINE UNITED NATIONS WORLD, NOT ONLY DENIED YESTERDAY THAT HE IS A COMMUNIST, BUT SAID HE IS ENOUGH OF AN ANTI-COMMUNIST "TO HAVE EARNED A LONG STAY IN SIBERIA."

HE MADE THE STATEMENT AT IDLEWILD AIRPORT. HE LATER BOARDED A PLANE FOR CHILE WHERE HE WILL BE THE GUEST OF PRESIDENT GABRIEL GONZALES VIDELA, HIMSELF AN ANTI-COMMUNIST.

DOLIVET SAID "SOME CONGRESSMAN" HAD "HEARD" HE WAS A COMMUNIST. HE APPARENTLY REFERRED TO REP.EDWARD H.JENISON (R-ILL), WHO SAID LAST THURSDAY THAT THE FRENCH-BORN EDITOR HAD A RECORD "REPLETE WITH COMMUNIST AFFILIATIONS."

JENISON ACCUSED THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF "OMINOUS SILENCE" ON DOLIVET'S APPLICATION FOR NATURALIZATION.

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COMMUNISTS (450)
BY DANIEL DE LUCE

BERLIN, MAY 30-(AP)-WEARY YOUNG GERMANS MARCHED HOME TODAY BY THE HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS FROM THE SOVIET SECTOR'S COMMUNIST RALLY, LEAVING BERLIN TO WORRY ABOUT ITS NEXT CRISIS IN THE COLD WAR.

THE DISPERSAL OF 500,000 COMMUNIST-CONTROLLED "FREE GERMAN YOUTH" (FDJ) GOT UNDERWAY WITH THE SAME MILITARY PRECISION THAT THEY HAD SHOWN IN PARADING LAST SUNDAY UP THE RAINSWEPT UNTER DEN LINDEN AMID RED BANNERS AND CHEERS FOR STALIN.

THE SIX-DAY PROGRAM OF IDEOLOGICAL INDOCTRINATION--ALMOST LIKE MASS HYPNOSIS--PRODUCED ITS FINAL SLOGAN LAST NIGHT WHEN EASY GERMANY'S COMMUNIST PRIME MINISTER OTTO GROTEWOHL SHOUTED TO TORCHLIGHT PROCESSIONS IN MID-CITY:

"OUR YOUTH WILL ONE DAY TEAR DOWN ALL ZONAL BARRIERS AND RESTORE THE UNITY OF GERMANY."

BUT THE TOP SLOGAN OF ALL, REPEATED TIME AND AGAIN BY YOUTHFUL GERMAN LIPS, WAS:

"WE WILL FIGHT ALONGSIDE THE SOVIET UNION." MAY 31 1950

"FOR PEACE," THEY ADDED.

BOTH SIDES IN THIS EAST-WEST PROPAGANDA OUTPOST CLAIMED A VICTORY LAST SUNDAY. THEN THE 500,000 PARADED BUT THE PREVIOUSLY-THREATENED INVASION OF ALLIED-OCCUPIED WEST BERLIN FAILED TO MATERIALIZE.

THE OFFICIAL SOVIET ORGAN, TAEGLICHE RUNDSCHAU, CLAIMED THAT GERMANY'S YOUNGER GENERATION HAD BEEN DECISIVELY WON OVER TO THE "INTERNATIONAL PEACE MOVEMENT" SPONSORED BY THE SOVIET UNION, AND HAD BEEN ALIENATED FROM THE "WESTERN IMPERIALIST WARMONGERS."

THE ANTI-COMMUNIST DAILY TELEGRAF SAID "BERLIN SHOWED ANEW ITS DETERMINATION TO DEFEND ITS FREEDOM AGAINST ALL THREATS."

U.S. NCGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J. MCCLOY CALLED THE COMMUNIST RAWLY A "SERIOUS AFFAIR--SERIOUS IN THAT IT SHOWED WHAT THE POLICE STATE CAN DO."

"THE COMMUNIST THREAT CAN BE MET AND OVERCOME ONLY BY WISE AND LIBERAL LEADERSHIP AND BY UNITED ACTION IN ALL FIELDS," HE EMPHASIZED.

SECOND GUESSERS AMONG ALLIED OFFICIALS WONDERED PRIVATELY WHETHER THE WEST HAD FUMBLED A GREAT CHANCE TO DISILLUSION MANY COMMUNIST YOUTHS ABOUT SOVIET POLITICAL MYTHS.

ARRAYED TO REPEL A VIOLENT INVASION WHICH NEVER CAME, THE WESTERN AUTHORITIES WERE UNABLE TO SHIFT THEIR TACTICS QUICKLY TO OPEN UP THE ALLIED SECTORS SO THAT LARGE GROUPS OF THE CURIOUS UNARMED EASTERN YOUTHS COULD SEE THE TRUE SITUATION IN WEST BERLIN.

A FEW HUNDRED OF THE BLUE-SHIRTED YOUNGSTERS ACTUALLY WANDERED INTO WEST BERLIN AND WERE SHOWERED WITH GIFTS BY THEIR ANTI-COMMUNIST COUNTRYMEN.

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THE REST STARED ACROSS THE DIVIDING CITY BOUNDARY AT THE WEST BERLIN POLICE AND ALLIED TROOPS, NOT DARING TO COME OVER. EAST SECTOR POLICE THREATENED ARREST IF THEY STRAYED FROM THE SOVIET SECTOR.

THOSE WHO SURREPTITIOUSLY VISITED WEST BERLIN SAID THAT COMMUNISM YET WAS NO MORE THAN SKIN DEEP AMONG EAST GERMANY'S YOUTH DESPITE CONTINUAL POLITICAL LECTURING.

BUT THEY SAID THEY COULD NOT HELP BUT BE IMPRESSED BY THE CEASELESS BARRAGE OF SOVIET PRESS REPORTS ABOUT MISERY, UNEMPLOYMENT, SOCIAL INJUSTICE AND WARLIKE PREPARATIONS IN THE WESTERN COUNTRIES.

THEY SAID THEY REPEATEDLY WERE TOLD THE ALLIED POWERS SUPPRESSED ALL FREEDOM OF SPEECH AND POLITICAL THOUGHT IN WESTERN GERMANY.

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BERLIN, MAY 30-(AP)-EAST BERLIN PEOPLE'S POLICE TONIGHT SAID FOUR BZBANDITS" WERE DISARMED AND ARRESTED AFTER A GUN BATTLE WITH THE POLICE NEAR THE BRITISH SECTOR BORDER.

THE EASTERN POLICE MADE THE ANNOUNCEMENT WHEN PRESSED FOR CONFIRMATION OF A WESTERN RADIO REPORT THAT PEOPLE'S POLICE KILLED ONE OF A PARTY OF FOUR POLISH OFFICERS WHO TRIED TO ESCAPE THE SOVIET SECTOR IN THEIR CAR.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID FOUR "SUSPICIOUS PERSONS" HAD OPENED FIRE ON PEOPLE'S POLICEMEN WHEN ASKED TO PRODUCE THEIR IDENTITY PAPERS. POLICE HAD RETURNED THE FIRE AND SUBSEQUENTLY DISARMED AND ARRESTED FOUR.

ONE OF THE MEN WAS WOUNDED AND TAKEN TO A HOSPITAL, IT ADDED.

A PEOPLE'S POLICE SPOKESMAN REFUSED TO DISCLOSE THE NATIONALITY OF THE ARRESTED MEN. HE WOULD ONLY SAY THAT THEY WERE IN A "VERY RAGGED CONDITION," AND THAT THE WHOLE THING WAS A "PURELY CRIMINAL CASE."

THE AMERICAN-SPONSORED RADIO RIAS EARLIER REPORTED THAT FOUR MEN IN POLISH OFFICERS' UNIFORMS WERE STOPPED BY PEOPLE'S POLICE WHEN THEY TRIED TO SNEAK OVER TO WESTERN TERRITORY IN THEIR CAR. ONE OF THE MEN IN THE CAR HAD OPENED FIRE WITH A MACHINE PISTOL. THE POLICE HAD RETURNED THE FIRE AND KILLED ONE OFFICER, THE RADIO CLAIMED.

THE POLISH MILITARY MISSION SAID IT HAD NO KNOWLEDGE OF AN INCIDENT INVOLVING POLISH OFFICERS.

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BERLIN, MAY 30-(AP)-THE RUSSIANS TODAY TIGHTENED THEIR "SCRAP METAL BLOCKADE" ON GERMAN CANALS BY ORDERING 70 WEST-BOUND GERMAN BARGES TO RETURN TO BERLIN.

THEIR CARGOES WERE LISTED AS SCRAP METAL, BUT THE RUSSIANS DISAGREED. THE CRAFT HAD BEEN HELD NEARLY THREE WEEKS AT WITTENBERGE ON THE ELBE, CONTROL POINT BETWEEN THE SOVIET AND BRITISH ZONE, WHILE SOVIET ZONE AUTHORITIES ARGUED THAT THEY CONTAINED "CONTRABAND".

THE BRITISH SAID THE RUSSIANS HAD CONFISCATED OUTRIGHT THE CARGOES OF FOUR BARGES, CLAIMING THAT METAL OTHER THAN SCRAP WAS INCLUDED.

"IT'S ALL PART OF THE SOVIETS' BIG 'SCRAP METAL WAR'" SAID A BRITISH SPOKESMAN. "THE RUSSIANS LET THROUGH BARGES WITH CARGOES OTHER THAN METAL. BUT WHEN A LOAD OF METAL COMES ALONG THEY MAY FIND AN OLD ALUMINUM POT AND CLAIM THAT DISQUALIFIES THE LOAD BECAUSE IT'S NOT SCRAP BUT JUST A POT WITH BROKEN HANDLES."

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BERLIN, MAY 30-(AP)-THE RUSSIANS ARRESTED A 10-MAN WESTERN ALLIED MILITARY POLICE PATROL ON THE AUTOBAHN OUTSIDE BERLIN TODAY, BUT RELEASED THEM SHORTLY AFTER, AN AMERICAN ARMY SPOKESMAN SAID TONIGHT.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID THE 10--FOUR AMERICANS, FOUR BRITISH AND TWO FRENCH--WERE TAKEN TO SOVIET HEADQUARTERS AT BABELSBERG WHERE THEY WERE IMMEDIATELY RELEASED. THE RUSSIANS OFFERED NO EXPLANATION FOR THE ARREST.

THE INCIDENT IS BEING INVESTIGATED ON A HIGHER LEVEL AND PROBABLY WILL RESULT IN A PROTEST TO THE SOVIETS.

THE ALLIED PATROL, THE SOURCE SAID, WAS PICKED UP AT AN AUTOBAHN DETOUR WHERE THEY HAD BEEN STATIONED TO GUARD ALLIED TRAFFIC DURING THE WHITSUN COMMUNIST RALLY.

THE PATROL WAS COMMANDED BY LT. CHARLES BRECHER OF FOREST HILLS, NEW YORK.

THE BRITISH SAID ONE OF THEIR AUTOBAHN PATROLS WAS PICKED UP BY THE RUSSIANS THIS AFTERNOON AND TOLD TO GO BACK TO BERLIN.

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BERLIN, MAY 30-(AP)-A 21-GUN SALUTE IN HONOR OF AMERICA'S WAR DEAD WAS FIRED TODAY IN A BRIEF MEMORIAL DAY CEREMONY OF AMERICAN ARMY UNITS IN BERLIN.

IT WAS A HOLIDAY FOR ALL U.S. ARMY AND STATE DEPARTMENT EMPLOYES.

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LONDON, MAY 30-(AP)-THE QUIET WEEKEND IN BERLIN, WHERE THERE HAD BEEN FEARS OF COMMUNIST-STIRRED WHITSUNTIDE DISORDERS, INSPIRED BUOYANCY IN THE BRITISH STOCK EXCHANGE TODAY.

ANOTHER BULLISH FACTOR WAS THE LABOR GOVERNMENT'S DECISION LAST WEEK TO DE-RATION GASOLINE.

FRACTIONAL GAINS WERE WIDESPREAD BOTH IN BRITISH BONDS AND INDUSTRIALS. OILS AND GOLD MINES OPENED HIGHER, ALTHOUGH SOME WERE BELOW THEIR BEST AT THE CLOSE.

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SECOND LEAD DISORDER

HELMSTEDT, GERMANY, WEDNESDAY, MAY 31-(AP)-MILLING THOUSANDS OF RED-HATING RESIDENTS OF HELMSTEDT FOUGHT PRO-COMMUNIST GERMAN YOUTHS IN THE STREETS LAST NIGHT.

THE ANTI-REDS WERE VICTORIOUS. THEIR OPPONENTS--MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNIST-CONTROLLED FREE GERMAN YOUTH (FDJ)--BEGGED FOR A TRUCE AFTER THEIR BLUE SHIRTS WERE RIPPED FROM THEIR BACKS AND HEAPED ON BONFIRES ALONG WITH THEIR BLUE FLAGS.

THUS THE VIOLENCE BERLIN ESCAPED IN THE MASSIVE COMMUNIST WHITSUN RALLY FINALLY ERUPTED IN THIS BRITISH ZONE TOWN. IT WAS THE FIRST DISORDER STEMMING FROM LAST SUNDAY'S SHOW OF STRENGTH BY THE COMMUNISTS IN EASTERN BERLIN.

THE TROUBLE BEGAN WHEN ABOUT 2,000 FDJ MEMBERS FROM WESTERN GERMANY FOUND THEMSELVES TEMPORARILY MAROONED HERE FOR LACK OF TRANSPORTATION ON THEIR HOMEWARD TREK FROM THE BERLIN RALLY.

WITH THE SLOGANS OF THEIR COMMUNIST LEADERS STILL RINGING IN THEIR EARS, THE FDJ YOUTHS CONFIDENTLY MARCHED FROM THE RAILWAY STATION TO RESTAURANTS LOUDLY SINGING THE INTERNATIONALE.

TOWNSPEOPLE OUT IN DROVES TO WITNESS THE INFLUX OF THE HIGHLY-PUBLICIZED BLUESHIRTS RESPONDED WITH DEUTSCHLAND UEBER ALLES, THE FORMER GERMAN ANTHEM. THE SINGING CHANGED TO JEERING--THEN TO FIST FIGHTING.

BATTERED AND BEATEN THE OUTNUMBERED FDJ MEMBERS PROMISED TO LEAVE THEIR BLUE SHIRTS BEHIND--OR AS MANY OF THEM AS THEY STILL POSSESSED--AND GET OUT OF TOWN PROMPTLY IF THEIR OPPONENTS WOULD GUARANTEE THEIR SAFETY. NO SERIOUS INJURIES WERE REPORTED.

FOR A TIME HELMSTEDTERS BLOCKED OFF STREETS AROUND THE MAIN BODY OF FDJ YOUTHS IN A PARK NEAR THE RAILWAY STATION. A SMALLER GROUP OF ABOUT 40 OR 50 WERE HEMMED IN A RESTAURANT.

POLICE ESCORTED THE GROUP FROM THE RESTAURANT, AND THE TOWNSPEOPLE BEGAN TO DRIFT AWAY FROM THE PARK. THEN A NUMBER OF SPECIAL BUSES BEGAN ARRIVING WITHOUT NOTICE. THERE WAS NO INTERFERENCE AS THE BLUE SHIRTS SWARMED ABOARD.

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THE BUSES TOOK OFF FOR VARIOUS WEST GERMAN CITIES. POLICE SAID THEY DID NOT KNOW WHO SENT THEM. REGULAR TRAINS ALSO HELPED CARRY AWAY FDJ MEMBERS. POLICE ESTIMATED THAT BY EARLY TODAY THE NUMBER OF BLUE SHIRTS HAD BEEN REDUCED TO FEWER THAN 1,000.

HELMSTEDT, SITUATED AT THE BORDER OF THE BRITISH AND RUSSIAN ZONES, REMAINED TENSE, HOWEVER. AN UNKNOWN NUMBER OF OTHER WEST ZONE BLUE SHIRTS IS EXPECTED TO ARRIVE HERE TODAY AND TOMORROW. NO ONE KNOWS HOW THE NEW ARRIVALS WILL TAKE THE NEWS OF THE BEATING OF THEIR COMRADES.

THE BLOODLESS WHITSUNTIDE BATTLE FOR BERLIN WAS OVER EXCEPT FOR THE SHOUTING OF "VICTORY" ON BOTH SIDES.

WITH THE SAME MILITARY PRECISION THAT MARKED THEIR PARADE UP RAINSWEPT UNTER DEN LINDEN ON SUNDAY, THE BRIGADES OF FREE GERMAN YOUTH (FDJ) WERE DISPERSED TO THEIR HOMES THROUGHOUT EAST GERMANY BY TRAIN AND TRUCK CONVOY.

MOST OF THEM APPEARED HEARTILY PLEASED AT THOUGHTS OF HOME AFTER WEARY DAYS OF PARADING, SHOUTING, SIGHTSEEING, LISTENING TO CONTINUOUS PROPAGANDA SPEECHES AND LIVING IN TENTS.

THE WEST GOT IN THE FIRST BLOW OF VICTORY CLAIMS YESTERDAY, POINTING OUT THAT THE HERALDED YOUTH RALLY HAD FAILED TO MAKE GOOD ITS CLAIMS OF "STORMING ALLBERLIN."

THE VIOLENT ERUPTION CAME JUST WHEN IT APPEARED THE WHITSUN RALLY HAD ENDED WITHOUT ANY MAJOR INCIDENT.

MEANWHILE HUNDREDS OF BLUE SHIRTED FDJ MEMBERS MADE A PEACEFUL [illegible] GIF

MEANWHILE HUNDREDS OF BLUE SHIRTED FDJ MEMBERS MADE A PEACEFUL INVASION OF WEST BERLIN. THEY ATE GIFT FOOD WHICH TURNED OUT NOT TO BE POISONED AS COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA HAD ASSERTED.

ABOUT 600 OF THEM JAMMED THE MESS HALL OF WEST BERLIN'S TECHNICAL

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UNIVERSITY FOR FREE FOOD, DRINKS AND WESTERN NEWSPAPERS AS GUESTS OF THE UNIVERSITY'S STUDENTS. AFTER DINNER THEY DANCED ONE SAMBA AFTER ANOTHER ALTHOUGH THIS IS BRANDED "ROTTEN WESTERN MUSIC" IN THE SOVIET ZONE OF GERMANY.

PROPRIETORS AND CUSTOMERS IN MANY RESTAURANTS INVITED EAST ZONE YOUTHS TO HAVE DINNER WITH THEM.

MOST OF THE WEARY YOUTH ARMY OF NEARLY HALF A MILLION WAS WITHDRAWN BY ITS COMMUNIST BOSSES WITH PROMISES THAT THEY WOULD MEET THE NEXT TIME IN BONN. CAPITAL OF WEST GERMANY.

AN UNKNOWN NUMBER OF WEST ZONE YOUTHS--ESTIMATED UNOFFICIALLY AT 10,000--WENT TO EAST BERLIN TO TAKE PART IN THE COMMUNIST MARCH.

THEY ARE FUNNELLING BACK TO THEIR HOMES THROUGH HELMSTEDT. HERE MANY OF THEM ARE STRANDED FOR LACK OF TRANSPORTATION. BRITISH AUTHORITIES SAID THEY WERE TRYING TO ARRANGE FOR SPECIAL TRAINS TO TAKE CARE OF THEM.

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WHILE WAITING, THE YOUTHS TRIED JAUNTILY TO CARRY ON IN THE SAME MANNER AS IN THE SOVIET ZONE, BUT RAN INTO A HORNET'S NEST OF ANTI-COMMUNIST FEELING.

THIS FEELING WAS HEIGHTENED EARLY THIS MONTH WHEN MOSCOW ANNOUNCED THAT ALL GERMAN WAR PRISONERS HAD BEEN REPATRIATED, LEAVING TENS OF THOUSANDS STILL UNACCOUNTED FOR.

THE COMMUNIST RALLY IN BERLIN ITSELF SEEMED TO BE OVER EXCEPT FOR SHOUTS OF "VICTORY" ON BOTH SIDES.

BELATEDLY, COMMUNIST LEADERS DECLARED THE SIX-DAY PROGRAM OF IDEOLOGICAL INDOCTRINATION HAD PROVED A "PSYCHOLOGICAL TRIUMPH" THAT WOULD MAKE ITSELF FELT DECISIVELY IN THE FUTURE OF ALL GERMANY.

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"OUR YOUTH WON THE HEARTS OF BERLINERS," SAID THE SOVIET-CONTROLLED BERLINER ZEITUNG AM ABEND. "WE DEMONSTRATED THAT THE MAJORITY OF GERMAN YOUTH HAD JOINED THE FIGHT FOR PEACE."

"FIGHTING FOR PEACE," IN THE COMMUNIST DICTIONARY, MEANS FOLLOWING RUSSIA, HEAD OF THE SELF-STYLED WORLD PEACE BLOC.

THE DISPERSING YOUTH ALSO HAD THE HOPEFUL PROCLAMATION FROM EAST GERMANY'S PRIME MINISTER, OTTO GROTEWOHL, THAT "NEXT TIME WE SHALL MEET IN BONN ON THE RHINE."

WEST BERLINERS THOUGHT GROTEWOHL WOULD SEE THAT DAY A LONG TIME COMING.

AUTHORITIES IN THE WESTERN PART OF THE CITY SAID THEY HAD GIVEN ASYLUM TO SCORES OF FDJ'RS WHOSE FAITH IN COMMUNISM WAS SO LITTLE THAT THEY DESERTED AFTER ONE LOOK AT THE "GOLDEN WEST."

HUNDREDS MORE SLIPPED AWAY, AT LEAST FOR A VISIT TO WEST BERLIN'S BOUNTIFUL SHOPS BEFORE RETURNING TO THEIR DRAB AND RATIONED HOME TOWNS.

WESTERN AUTHORITIES WHO BEGAN BY DETERMINED EFFORTS TO PREVENT "INFILTRATION" OF THE WESTERN SECTORS BY AGITATOR GROUPS, WERE MAKING BELATED BUT STRENUOUS EFFORTS TO LURE OVER MORE YOUTH VISITORS BY PROMISES OF HOSPIALITY AND GIFTS.

SCORES WERE GUESTS IN WEST BERLIN HOMES, AND WERE LOADED WITH PRESENTS OF ORANGES AND BANANAS, FRUIT THEY NEVER HAVE SEEN AT HOME. MANY, FOR THE FIRST TIME, PICKED UP AND OPENLY READ ANTI-COMMUNIST NEWSPAPERS AND LITERATURE AS THEY WANDERED UP AND DOWN WEST BERLIN'S "GREAT WHITEWAY," THE KURFUERSTENDAMM.

GUARDIANS OF THE RETREATING YOUTH, WHO FIRST WANTED TO MARCH AND DEMONSTRATE IN WEST BERLIN, PROVED TO BE THE MOST ALERT IN PREVENTING STRAYS FROM REACHING THE WESTERN SECTORS.

THEY NOW APPEARED TO BE INTENT ON RIDDING THEIR CHARGES OF ANY "WESTERN TAINT" THEY MAY HAVE PICKED UP.

"WE ARE DUE FOR A STRONG POLITICAL DISINFECTING," SAID TWO NURSES FROM ERFURT. "WE WILL BE WELL SEARCHED AND DEPRIVED OF WESTERN GIFTS BEFORE WE GET HOME. THEREFORE WE WOULD RATHER HAVE GIFTS WE CAN EAT. WE HAVE BEEN WARNED AGAINST VISITING THE WEST OR TAKING ANY WESTERN PAPERS OR LEAFLETS IN BERLIN."

WEST GERMAN YOUTH WHO CAME FOR THE RALLY WERE HAVING TROUBLE GETTING HOME. ABOUT 2,000, WHO ARRIVED BY BUS OR FOOT AT HELMSTEDT, CROSSING POINT INTO THE BRITISH ZONE, WERE STRANDED FOR LACK OF TRAVEL ACCOMMODATIONS FOR THE REST OF THEIR JOURNEY. THEY SET UP TENTS NEAR THE RAILROAD STATION. BRITISH AUTHORITIES SAID THEY WERE TRYING TO ARRANGE SPECIAL TRAINS TO TAKE CARE OF THE INFLUX. GERMAN POLICE AT HELMSTEDT SAID THEY EXPECTED UP TO 10,000 WOULD ARRIVE THROUGH THE NIGHT.

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SCHUMAN PLAN

BY GLENN WILLIAMS

LONDON, MAY 30-(AP)-BRITAIN IS EAGER TO JOIN WITH "ALL POSSIBLE SPEED" IN TALKS ON A FRENCH PLAN TO POOL EUROPEAN COAL AND STEEL INDUSTRIES, AN INFORMED BRITISH SOURCE SAID TODAY.

HOWEVER, SHE HAS FLATLY TURNED DOWN A FRENCH INVITATION TO SIGN A PUBLIC DECLARATION ACCEPTING THE FRENCH PLAN BEFORE THE DISCUSSIONS START.

THIS SOURCE, WHO HAS ACCESS TO BRITISH AND FRENCH NOTES WHICH HAVE BEEN EXCHANGED ABOUT THE PLAN, SAID THE BRITISH OBJECT BECAUSE BRITAIN BELIEVES IT WOULD COMMIT HER TO FULL MEMBERSHIP IN THE SCHEME BEFORE IT HAS BEEN CLOSELY EXPLORED.

THE FRENCH, HE SAID, CALLED ON BRITAIN TO SIGN A COMMUNIQUE WHICH WOULD:

1. AGREE TO POOLING COAL AND STEEL;
2. SUBMIT HER COAL AND STEEL INDUSTRIES TO AN INTERNATIONAL AUTHORITY WITH POWER TO TAKE INDUSTRIAL DECISIONS WHICH WOULD BE BINDONG ON EACH COUNTRY'S GOVERNMENT;
3. AGREE THAT FURTHER TALKS WOULD CONTINUE ON THE BASIS OF THESE "ESSENTIAL COMMITMENTS."

ALL THIS DYNAMITE WAS CONTAINED IN A NOTE OF ABOUT 100 WORDS, THE SOURCE SAID.

THERE COULD BE NO DOUBT, HE EXPLAINED, THAT FRANCE WANTED ALL-OUT AGREEMENT ON THE PLAN BEFORE TALKS BEGIN ON HOW IT WILL WORK.

THE FRENCH WERE REPRESENTED AS FEELING THAT SUCH A COMMITMENT MEANT JOINING ONLY IN A STATEMENT OF PRINCIPLE.

BRITAIN BELIEVES IT WOULD COMMIT HER TO JOIN THE SCHEME EVEN IF FURTHER EXPLORATIONS SHOW IT WOULD BE DAMAGING OR UNWORKABLE.

THIS SHE WILL NOT DO, THE SOURCE SAID. CONSEQUENTLY, FRANCE MUST DROP HER REQUEST IF SHE WANTS BRITAIN TO JOIN THE TALKS.

THE SOURCE EMPHASIZED, HOWEVER, THAT BRITAIN DOES WANT TO DISCUSS IT THOROUGHLY WITH THE IDEA OF JOINING IF A WORKABLE SYSTEM CAN BE SET UP.

BOTH THE FRENCH AMBASSADOR IN LONDON, RENE MASSIGLI, AND THE BRITISH AMBASSADOR IN PARIS, SIR OLIVER HARVEY, ARE RECEIVING A CONSTANT FLOW OF INSTRUCTIONS FROM THEIR GOVERNMENTS AS A GUIDE FOR

NEGOTIATIONS OVER THE PRESENT ROADBLOCK.
FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN, WHO ADVANCED THE MERGER IDEA IN A STATEMENT MAY 9, INDICATED YESTERDAY NEGOTIATIONS WITH WESTERN GERMANY AND OTHER COUNTRIES MAY BEGIN SOON WITHOUT THE BRITISH. THE FRENCH WERE REPORTED SENDING ANOTHER NOTE TO LONDON ASKING THAT THE BRITISH MAKE THEIR POSITION CLEAR.

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BRITAIN WANTS TO PROCEED BY "PRACTICAL STEPS" TOWARD POSSIBLE UNITY OF EUROPE'S COAL AND STEEL INDUSTRIES, THE SOURCE SAID. HE DID NOT OUTLINE WHAT THESE PRACTICAL STEPS WOULD BE.
BRITISH GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS ALREADY HAVE FINISHED THEIR FIRST SURVEYS OF THE PLAN. AMONG THOSE WHICH JOINED IN THE STUDY WERE THE MINISTRIES OF SUPPLY, DEFENSE, FUEL AND POWER, AND THE FOREIGN OFFICE.
THEIR CONCLUSIONS ARE STILL SECRET.
THE STUDIES THEY MADE WERE BASED ON SCHUMAN'S BRIEF WRITTEN OUTLINE OF MAY 9 PLUS ORAL EXPANSIONS BY JEAN MONNET, FRENCH INDUSTRIAL PLANNER WHO WAS THE AUTHOR OF THE SCHEME.
THE BASIS OF THE FRENCH PLAN IS TO UNITE FRENCH AND GERMAN STEEL AND COAL PRODUCTION IN A POOL WHICH WOULD BE OPEN TO OTHER COUNTRIES IN EUROPE. THOSE INVITED TO JOIN ARE BRITAIN, BELGIUM, LUXEMBOURG, HOLLAND AND ITALY.
PRECISE DETAILS OF THE FRENCH PLAN ARE LACKING.
QUESTIONS BEING RAISED IN LONDON INCLUDE:
WOULD THE AUTHORITY ALLOT PRODUCTION QUOTAS WHICH WOULD LIMIT ANY COUNTRY IN ITS OUTPUT?
WOULD IT SET AGREED PRICES?
WHO WOULD BEAR THE COST OF PLANS TO MODERNIZE THESE INDUSTRIES, WHICH ARE AT DIFFERENT STAGES OF TECHNICAL EFFICIENCY IN DIFFERENT COUNTRIES? WOULD EACH COUNTRY PAY ITS OWN BILLS, OR WOULD THEY BE PAID FROM POOLED FUNDS?
SCHUMAN HAS SAID HIS IDEA IS TO EXPAND PRODUCTION AND CREATE A WIDE EUROPEAN MARKET. THIS IS DIFFERENT FROM A CARTEL WHICH HOLDS DOWN PRODUCTION IN ORDER TO GAIN HIGHER PRICES.
THE BRITISH ARE NOT AVERSE TO THE CARTEL IDEA, WHICH IS APPLIED IN MANY OF THEIR DOMESTIC INDUSTRIES. THEY JOINED THE EUROPEAN STEEL CARTEL DURING THE DEPRESSION.
THEY WANT TO MAKE SURE THAT THEIR OWN EXPANDING COAL AND STEEL INDUSTRIES WOULD NOT SUFFER IN A POOL.

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NOT SIGN A PUBLIC DECLARATION COMMITING HER TO IT BEFORE THE TALKS START.
FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN HANDED BRITISH AMBASSADOR SIR OLIVER HARVEY A NEW MEMORANDUM TONIGHT. THE CONTENTS WERE NOT DISCLOSED IN DETAIL. BUT OFFICIALS SAID IT EMPHASIZED THAT ACCEPTANCE OF THE PLAN "IN PRINCIPLE" WOULD NOT BIND BRITAIN TO ACCEPT THE RESULTS OF DISCUSSIONS ON DETAILS.
THE PURPOSE OF THE MEMORANDUM, OFFICIALS SAID, WAS TO ELIMINATE A MISUNDERSTANDING THAT AROSE FROM BRITISH INTERPRETATION OF THE PROPOSAL.
ANNOUNCING ACCEPTANCE OF THE PLAN IN ITS OUTLINES BY THE SIX OTHER COUNTRIES, A FRENCH FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMAN SAID:
"THESE COUNTRIES HAVE AGREED TO COME TO A MEETING WITH THE PRECONCEIVED IDEA OF MAKING A PLAN WORK. THEIR INTEREST IS TO PUT THEIR SHOULDERS TOGETHER FOR THE COMMON GOOD. WE HOPE THAT OTHER NATIONS WILL JOIN IN THE SAME EFFORT."
FRANKLY DISAPPOINTED AT BRITAIN'S ATTITUDE SO FAR, THE FRENCH HAVE DECLARED THE BRITISH VIEWPOINT "IGNORES THE SALIENT FACTS AND PICKS OUT THE MINOR ITEMS ON WHICH DISAGREEMENT MAY BECOME POSSIBLE."
"THERE IS ABSOLUTLY NO POINT," SAID AN AUTHORITATIVE SPOKESMAN, "IN GOING AHEAD WITH THESE DISCUSSIONS UNLESS THE DELEGATIONS ARE WILLING ACTUALLY TO TRY AND WORK OUT THE TECHNICAL DETAILS AND PUT THEM INTO EFFECT."
FRANCE, HE SAID, HAD ASKED BRITAIN ONLY FOR A PRIOR "AGREEMENT IN PRINCIPLE" ON THE POOL PLAN WHICH HAS BEEN HAILED BY U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON AS A "COURAGEOUS" STEP TOWARD EUROPEAN UNITY.

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BRITISH SOURCES SAID, HOWEVER, THEY CONSIDERED BRITAIN HAD BEEN ASKED FOR A BINDING COMMITMENT BEFORE SHE LEARNS HOW THE PLAN WOULD AFFECT HER COAL AND STEEL INDUSTRIES.
THE PLAN, AS OUTLINED BY SCHUMAN IN A STATEMENT MAY 9, PROVIDES FOR A MERGER OF COAL AND STEEL PRODUCTION UNDER AN INTERNATIONAL AUTHORITY WHOSE DECISIONS WOULD BE BINDONG ON MEMBER GOVERNMENTS.
THE PURPOSE OF THE PLAN, HE EXPLAINED, WAS TO BEAT DOWN THE COST OF PRODUCTION, EQUALIZATION OF COST FACTORS IN ALL THE COUNTRIES, MODERNIZATION OF PRODUCTION FACILITIES, REMOVAL OF CUSTOMS AND FREIGHT SURCHARGES ON COAL AND STEEL EXCHANGES AMONG MEMBERS OF THE POOL, AND EXPANSION OF MARKETS FOR EUROPEAN INDUSTRY.

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PRECEDE LONDON BUDGET (400)
BY CARTER L.DAVIDSON
PARIS, MAY 30-(AP)-SIX EUROPEAN NATIONS HAVE AGREED TO POOL THEIR COAL AND STEEL WEALTH "FOR THE COMMON GOOD," THE FRENCH FOREIGN OFFICE SAID TODAY.
DELEGATIONS FROM THE SIX NATIONS--BELGIUM, LUXEMBOURG, ITALY, THE NETHERLANDS, FRANCE AND WESTERN GERMANY--ARE TO MEET NEXT MONTH TO WORK OUT DETAILS OF THE MERGER AND PUT IT INTO EFFECT.
A FRENCH FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMAN SAID BRITAIN SO FAR HAS REFUSED TO ACCEPT "CLEARLY AND DEFINITELY" THE IDEA OF A COMMON POOL OF COAL AND STEEL PRODUCTION.
FRANCE STILL HOPES SHE WILL JOIN, HOWEVER.
LONDON DISPATCHES QUOTED AN INFORMED BRITISH SOURCE TODAY AS SAYING BRITAIN IS EAGER TO JOIN TALKS ON THE MERGER PLAN BUT WILL

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NIGHT LEAD MEMORIAL DAY (EUROPEAN ROUNDUP) (560)

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BY CHARLES WHITING
LONDON, MAY 30-(AP)-THE COMMUNIST MAYORS OF ANZIO AND NETTUNO, TWO FAMOUS ITALIAN BEACHHEAD TOWNS IN WORLD WAR II, JOINED AMERICANS AND DISTINGUISHED EUROPEANS TODAY IN MEMORIAL SERVICES TO UNITED STATES WAR DEAD.
IN BRITAIN, FRANCE, GERMANY AND BELGIUM TOURISTS AND AMERICAN CITIZENS LIVING ABROAD STOOD SIDE BY SIDE WITH HIGH RANKING AMERICAN MILITARY MEN AND DIPLOMATS TO PAY TRIBUTE AND PRAY THAT A THIRD WORLD CONFLICT BE AVOIDED.
IN ITALY'S AMERICAN MILITARY CEMETERY AT ANZIO, WHERE 7,862 GI'S

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ARE BURIED, THE MAYORS OF ANZIO AND NETTUNO MARCHED TO THE FLAGPOLE WITH HUGE FLORAL WREATHS FROM THE PEOPLE OF THE TWO TOWNS.

"THE AMERICANS WERE BRAVE BOYS," SAID MARIO DE FRANCESCHI, MAYOR OF NETTUNO. "I SAW THEM FIGHT. I HOPE THERE WILL NEVER BE ANOTHER WAR. THAT'S THE HOPE OF HUMANITY."

THE TOWNSPEOPLE TOLD REPORTERS CITIZENS' COMMITTEES HAD ASKED THE TWO COMMUNISTS TO TAKE PART IN THE JOINT AMERICAN-ITALIAN MEMORIAL DAY EXERCISES.

WITHOUT MENTIONING COMMUNISM, GEN.GEOFFREY KEYES, U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR AUSTRIA AND A WARTIME COMMANDER IN ITALY, TOLD 500 AMERICANS AND ITALIANS AT THE CEREMONY "THERE IS AN IDEOLOGY IN THE WORLD WHICH OPPOSES THE IDEALS WHICH MOTIVATE THE FREE WORLD. THIS IDEOLOGY IS NOT DIRECTED AGAINST ANY SINGLE COUNTRY, BUT AGAINST THE FREEDOMS AND LIBERTIES OF ALL."

ITALIAN DEFENSE MINISTER RANDOLFO PACCIARDI DECLARED THE GRAVES WERE NOT OF FOREIGNERS BUT OF "OUR BROTHERS."

AT SOME OF THE OTHER MEMORIAL SERVICES IN EUROPE THE SCARS OF WAR WERE STILL VISIBLE FIVE YEARS AFTER PEACE.

THE CHATTERING SOUNDS OF RECONSTRUCTION OF LONDON'S BLITZED AREAS COULD BE HEARD THROUGH THE OPEN DOORS OF ST.MARGARETS CHURCH DURING SERVICES HERE.

AMERICAN MINISTER JULIUS C.HOLMES, REPRESENTING AMBASSADOR LEWIS W.DOUGLAS, PLACED A WREATH ON THE TOMB OF BRITAIN'S UNKNOWN SOLDIER IN ADJOINING WESTMINSTER ABBEY.

A DELEGATION FROM LONDON POST NO.1, AMERICANSLEGION, ALSO LAID A WREATH AT THE BASE OF THE CENOTAPH, MEMORIAL TO BRITAIN'S WAR DEAD, IN WHITEHALL.

AMBASSADOR DAVID BRUCE ATTENDED NON-SECTARIAN SERVICES IN THE EPISCOPAL AMERICAN CATHEDRAL IN PARIS. BRUCE THEN WENT TO THE ARC DE TRIOMPHE, WHERE HE PUT A WREATH AT THE GRAVE OF FRANCE'S UNKNOWN SOLDIER OF WORLD WAR ONE. AFTERWARD, SERVICES WERE HELD AT THE AMERICAN CEMETERY AT SURESNES.

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THE AMERICAN LEGION POST IN PARIS PLACED FLOWERS ON THE MEMORIAL TO AMERICAN WAR DEAD IN THE PLACE DES ETAS UNIS.

TOP-RANKING AMERICAN MILITARY OFFICIALS IN GERMANY ATTENDED SERVICES AT THE AMERICAN MILITARY CEMETERY AT NEUVILLE-EN-CONDROZ NEAR LIEGE, BELGIUM.

LOOKING OUT ON THE ROW AFTER TOW OF WHITE CROSSES, EACH GRAVE DECORATED WITH FLOWERS, ROBERT MURPHY, U.S. AMBASSADOR TO BELGIUM, SAID:

"THE SACRIFICE MADE BY THOSE THOUSANDS OF OUR COUNTRYMEN WHO LIE BEFORE US IN THESE FIELDS X X X MORE THAN SUFFICES TO BRING HOME TO US THE ENORMITY OF THE SUFFERING THEY ENDURED AS PART OF THE PRICE OF AMERICAN INTEGRITY IN THE FAMILY OF NATIONS."

"THAT IS WHY," SAID MURPHY, "THE AMERICAN PEOPLE RESENT SO BITTERLY THE MAUDLIN AND FRAUDULENT ACCUSATIONS OF A CLOWNISH IMPERIALIST GROUP, INTOXICATED WITH POWER AND THIRSTING FOR WORLD DOMINATION, WHO SEEK TO CLOAK THEIR OWN EVIL INTENTIONS OF CONQUEST BY THE CLASSIC METHOD OF ACCUSING THE OTHER FELLOW."

IN BERLIN, A 21-GUN SALUTE WAS FIRED IN HONOR OF ALL THE WAR DEAD DURING A BRIEF MEMORIAL SERVICE ATENDED BY AMERICAN ARMY UNITS STATIONED IN THE FORMER GERMAN CAPITAL.

FIVE HUNDRED AMERICAN SAILORS FROM THE DESTROYERS HAWKINS AND MEREDITH FORMED A GUARD OF HONOR AT MEMORIAL SERVICES AT THE SCOTTISH-AMERICAN WAR MEMORIAL IN PRINCE'S STREET GARDEN IN EDINBURGH.

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LONDON, MAY 30-(AP)-AMERICAN VISITORS JOINED THE UNITED STATES COLONY HERE TODAY IN PAYING HOMAGE TO THE AMERICAN DEAD OF TWO WORLD WARS AT MEMORIAL DAY SERVICES IN ST.MARGARET CHURCH, WESTMINSTER.

WREATHS WERE PLACED AT THE CENOTAPH, BRITISH WAR MEMORIAL IN WHITEHALL, AND AT THE TOMB OF BRITAIN'S UNKNOWN SOLDIER IN WESTMINSTER ABBEY.

"IT IS NOT ENOUGH TO HONOR THOSE WHO LAID DOWN THEIR LIVES FOR THEIR COUNTRY," SAID CMDR.JOHN D.ZIMMERMAN, OF TIFFIN, OHIO, U.S. NAVY CHAPLAIN, IN AN ADDRESS AT THE ST.MARGARET SERVICES.

AMERICAN MINISTER JULIUS C.HOLMES REPRESENTED AMBASSADOR LEWIS W.DOUGLAS IN LAYING A WREATH ON THE UNKNOWN SOLDIER'S TOMB.

EARLIER, FREDERIC J.CARROLL, COMMANDER OF LONDON POST NO. 1, AMERICAN LEGION, LAID A WREATH AT THE CENOTAPH.

AT DARTMOOR PRISON, AMERICAN CONSUL-GENERAL WILLIAM H.BECK DECORATED THE GRAVES OF SOME AMERICANS WHO WERE BURIED THERE MORE THAN 100 YEARS AGO. THEY WERE PRISONERS TAKEN DURING THE WAR OF 1812 WHO DIED BEHIND THE GRIM OLD PRISON WALLS.

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LONDON, MAY 30-(AP)-BRITAIN MAY SOON BE SELLING SMALL AMOUNTS OF ARMS TO ISRAEL, AN INFORMED SOURCE SAID TODAY.

THE FOREIGN OFFICE HAS UNDER CONSIDERATION THE LIFTING OF ITS EMBARGO ON ARMS SHIPMENTS THAT HAS EXISTED SINCE BRITISH TROOPS WERE WITHDRAWN FROM PALESTINE AND THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS MANDATE TERMINATED TWO YEARS AGO, IT WAS SAID.

THE SOURCE ADDED, HOWEVER, THAT BRITAIN PROBABLY WILL WISH TO MAKE A CHECK FIRST AS TO WHAT ARMS ISRAEL ALREADY HAS IN COMPARISON WITH HER ARAB NEIGHBORS.

UNDER TREATY PROVISIONS WITH ARAB STATES IN THE MIDDLE EAST, BRITAIN ALREADY IS SUPPLYING SEVERAL OF THEM WITH ARMS.

BRITAIN, FRANCE AND THE UNITED STATES AGREED HERE LAST WEEK TO SUPPLY ALL MIDDLE EASTERN COUNTRIES WITH ARMS ON A "BALANCED" BASIS PROVIDED THEY GIVE ASSURANCES THEY HAVE NO AGGRESSIVE INTENTIONS. THE THREE POWERS EXPLAINED THAT THEY WISHED THE COUNTRIES TO BE ABLE TO DEFEND THEMSELVES AS WELL AS MAINTAIN INTERNAL ORDER.

ISRAEL HAS BEEN ABLE TO BUY AMERICAN ARMS, BUT PREFERS BRITISH EQUIPMENT SINCE HER TROOPS WERE LARGELY TRAINED WITH THE BRITISH ARMY DURING THE WAR.

THE INFORMANT SAID EVENTUALLY THE ARMED FORCES OF SEVERAL MIDDLE EASTERN COUNTRIES MAY BE COMPLETELY RE-EQUIPPED IN ORDER TO ACHIEVE UNIFORMITY.

A MIXTURE OF BRITISH, AMERICAN, GERMAN, FRENCH AND CZECHOSLOVAK ARMS IS NOW FOUND IN MOST ARMIES OF THE MIDDLE EAST.

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PRECEDE OTTAWA (A12)
LONDON, MAY 30-(AP)-BRITISH AND AMERICAN TELLIGENCE CHIEFS TODAY CLAMPED A TIGHT CURTAIN OF SECRECY OVER THEIR INVESTIGATION OF THE ACTIVITIES HERE AND IN THE UNITED STATES OF THE CONVICTED ATOM SPY, KLAUS FUCHS.

THEY CONTINUED OVER THE WHITSUN HOLIDAY THEIR PROBE OF FUCHS AND HIS CONNECTION WITH OTHER AGENTS THROUGH WHOM HE ALLEGEDLY FUNNELED ATOM SECRETS TO RUSSIA. BUT ALL INQUIRIES ABOUT THEIR WORK WAS ANSWERED BY "NO COMMENT."

V.H.CLEGG, ASSISTANT TO FBI DIRECTOR J.EDGAR HOOVER, AND SPECIAL AGENT ROBERT LAMPHER WORKED BOTH YESTERDAY AND TODAY WHILE OTHER AMERICAN OFFICIALS IN ENGLAND HAD A DOUBLE HOLIDAY. NEITHER THEY NOR THEIR BRITISH INTELLIGENCE ASSOCIATES WOULD SAY WHETHER THEY HAD AGAIN QUESTIONED DR.FUCHS IN AN OLD WORMWOOD SCRUBS PRISON, WHERE HE IS SERVING A 14 YEAR PRISON SENTENCE.

OFFICIAL SOURCES SAID SECRECY WAS ESSENTIAL TO THE SUCCESS OF EFFORTS BOTH HERE AND IN THE UNITED STATES TO UNCOVER OTHER ASSOCIATES OF THE BRITISH SCIENTIST WHO TURNED SPY.

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OTTAWA, ONT., MAY 30-(AP)-SPECULATION HEIGHTENED TODAY THAT CANADA HAS JOINED BRITAIN AND THE UNITED STATES IN A DRIVE AGAINST ATOMIC SPIES.

ALREADY TWO ENGLISH PAPERS HAVE REPORTED THAT ONE CANADIAN IS AMONG PERSONS DUE FOR ARREST AS THE RESULT OF DISCLOSURES BY DR. KLAUS FUCHS, GERMAN-BORN BRITISH ATOMIC SCIENTIST NOW SERVING A 14-YEAR SENTENCE FOR GIVING ATOMIC SECRETS TO RUSSIA.

FUCHS' NAME WAS FOUND IN A NOTEBOOK SEIZED FROM ONE OF THE DEFENDANTS IN THE 1946 TRIAL OF A CANADIAN SPY RING. FUCHS' NAME THEN HAD NO SIGNIFICANCE, AND THE NOTEBOOK'S OWNER WAS ACQUITTED.

THE CANADIAN PRESS SAID IT WAS SIGNIFICANT THAT OFFICIALS STERNLY REFUSED TO DISCUSS CONJECTURES THAT CANADA MAY SEE A REVIVAL AND EXTENSION OF THE 1946 SPY TRIALS. A CAUTIOUS GOVERNMENT APPROACH TO ALL PARLIAMENTARY QUESTIONS ABOUT SECURITY CHECKS AND ANTI-SPY ACTIVITY ALSO WAS TAKEN AS A SIGN THAT A SPY ROUNDUP IS IN THE OFFING.

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NIGHT LEAD DALTON (150)
COCKFIELD, ENG., MAY 30-(AP)-CABINET MINISTER HUGH DALTON SAID TODAY SUPPORTERS OF BRITAIN'S LABOR GOVERNMENT MUST BE READY AT ANY TIME FOR AN ELECTION.

HE TOLD A LABOR PARTY MEETING HERE IT DOES NOT LOOK AS IF THE PRESENT HOUSE OF COMMONS WILL LAST VERY LONG.

"WE MUST BE PREPARED AT ANY MOMENT AND BUILD UP OUR ORGANIZATION ACCORDINGLY BECAUSE AT ANY MOMENT IT MAY BE NECESSARY ONCE MORE TO APPEAL TO THE ELECTORS TO GIVE LABOR THIS TIME A CLEAR MAJORITY AND NOW A BARE NARROW MAJORITY."

AS A RESULT OF THE FEB. 23 ELECTION, LABOR HAS AN OVERALL MARGIN OF ONLY EIGHT IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS. IT IS CONSTANTLY SUBJECT TO THE POSSIBILITY OF LOSING A CONFIDENCE VOTE, WHICH WOULD REQUIRE ATTLEE'S CABINET TO RESIGN.

DALTON'S REMARKS WERE TAKEN TO MEAN THAT HE EXPECTS PARLIAMENT TO BE DISSOLVED SOON AND ANOTHER GENERAL ELECTION CALLED. OTHER REPORTS ON LABOR STRATEGY HAVE GIVEN A DIFFERENT PICTURE. THESE HAD SAID ATTLEE FAVORED DELAYING A NEW ELECTION UNTIL THE SUMMER OR FALL OF 1951. DALTON, MINISTER OF TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING, FORMERLY WAS CHANCELLOR OF THE EXCHEQUER.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 2 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, TUESDAY, MAY 30)

(ADVANCE) COCKFIELD, ENG., MAY 30-(AP)-HUGH DALTON, A RANKING MEMBER OF BRITAIN'S LABOR GOVERNMENT, SAID TODAY "IT DOES NOT LOOK AS IF THIS HOUSE OF COMMONS WILL LAST VERY LONG--IT IS NOT A GOOD INSTRUMENT FOR PASSING IMPORTANT LEGISLATION."

HIS WORDS INDICATED A BELIEF THAT PARLIAMENT SOON WOULD BE DISSOLVED AND ANOTHER GENERAL ELECTION CALLED. LABOR HAS ONLY AN OVERALL MARGIN OF EIGHT IN THE PRESENT HOUSE, WHICH WAS ELECTED FEB.23. IT IS CONSTANTLY SUBJECT TO THE POSSIBILITY OF LOSING A CONFIDENCE VOTE, WHICH WOULD REQUIRE PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE'S CABINET TO RESIGN.

DALTON, MINISTER OF TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING AND FORMERLY CHANCELLOR OF THE EXCHEQUER, ADDRESSED A LABOR PARTY MEETING HERE. HIS REMARKS APPEARED TO CONFLICT WITH RECENT REPORTS ON LABOR STRATEGY. THESE HAD SAID PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE FAVORED DELAYING A NEW ELECTION UNTIL THE SUMMER OR FALL OF 1951.
(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 2 P.M., EST, TODAY, TUESDAY, MAY 30).

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ANZIO, ITALY, MAY 30-(AP)-FOR THE FIRST TIME SINCE THEY TOOK OFFICE THREE YEARS AGO, THE COMMUNIST MAYORS OF ANZIO AND NETTUNO FAMED BEACHHEAD TOWNS OF WORLD WAR II TOOK PART TODAY IN A TRIBUTE TO AMERICAN WAR DEAD.

TOWNSPEOPLE SAID CITIZENS' COMMITTEES HAD ORDERED THE TWO MAYORS TO TAKE PART PERSONALLY IN THE JOINT ITALIAN AND AMERICAN MEMORIAL DAY SERVICES AT THE U.S. MILITARY CEMETERY OF ANZIO AND NETTUNO.

MAYOR MALVITO VECCHIARELLI OF ANZIO AND MAYOR MARIO DE FRANCESCHI OF NETTUNO RUBBED ELBOWS WITH HIGH RANKING AMERICAN AND ITALIAN OFFICERS ON A SPEAKERS' STAND FACING THE GRAVES OF 7,862 GIS KILLED ON ITALIAN SOIL IN THE WAR. A HUGE AMERICAN FLAG DOMINATED THE SCENE.

AS THEIR NAMES WERE ANNOUNCED OVER A LOUD SPEAKER, EACH MAYOR MARCHED TO THE FLAGPOLE BEHIND HUGE FLORAL WREATHS INSCRIBED: "FROM THE PEOPLE OF ANZIO" AND "FROM THE PEOPLE OF NETTUNO."

A GNARLED, GRAY-HAIRED LITTLE MAN, DE FRANCESCHI TOLD REPORTERS HE WAS IN THE BLOODY BEACHHEAD AREA DURING THE BITTER FOUR-MONTH CAMPAIGN WHICH COST THE LIVES OF 2,800 AMERICAN TROOPS.

"THE AMERICANS WERE BRAVE BOYS," HE SAID. "I SAW THEM FIGHT. I HOPE THERE WILL NEVER BE ANOTHER WAR. THAT'S THE HOPE OF HUMANITY."

VECCHIARELLI AND DE FRANCESCHI WERE ELECTED IN 1947 WHEN THE COMMUNISTS WERE STRONG IN THIS PART OF ITALY. IN APRIL, 1938, BOTH ANZIO AND NETTUNO WENT ANTI-COMMUNIST IN THE NATIONAL ELECTION, AND CITIZENS' COMMITTEES FORCED THE TWO MAYORS TO LOWER THEIR RED COMMUNIST FLAGS

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FROM THE TWO TOWN HALLS.
GEN. GEOFFREY KEYES, U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR AUSTRIA AND WARTIME COMMANDER OF THE SECOND ARMY CORPS IN SICILY AND ITALY, ADDRESSED SOME 500 AMERICANS AND ITALIANS AT THE CEREMONY. ITALIAN DEFENSE MINISTER RANDOLFO PACCIARDI ALSO WAS A SPEAKER.
WITHOUT MENTIONING COMMUNISM BY NAME, GEN. KEYES SAID:
"WE ARE BLINDING OURSELVES TO THE TRUTH IF WE FAIL TO ADMIT THERE IS AN IDEOLOGY IN THE WORLD WHICH OPPOSES THE IDEALS WHICH MOTIVATE THE FREE WORLD. THIS IDEOLOGY IS NOT DIRECTED AGAINST ANY SINGLE COUNTRY, BUT AGAINST THE FREEDOMS AND LIBERTIES OF ALL. THIS THREAT CAN BE COMBATTED ONLY BY CONCERTED, COOPERATIVE EFFORT AND BY THE WILLINGNESS OF EACH NATION TO ACCEPT ITS FULL MEASURE OF RESPONSIBILITY."
PACCIARDI SAID ITALY DOES NOT REGARD THE GRAVES OF AMERICAN SOLDIERS AS THE BURIAL PLACES OF FOREIGNERS.
"THEY ARE OUR BROTHERS," HE SAID.
THE REV. HILLIES DUGGINS, PROTESTANT RECTOR OF ST.PAUL'S AMERICAN CHURCH IN ROME, PRONOUNCED THE BENEDICTION AND READ LINCOLN'S GETTYSBURG ADDRESS.

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AMONG THE ONLOOKERS WAS PETER S. CONDORCHIN, 34, NOW A MINNEAPOLIS, MINN. (264 21ST AVE. SO.) POSTAL CLERK, WHO LANDED ON THE ANZIO BEACHHEAD WITH THE FIRST WAVE OF TROOPS JAN.22, 1944.
CONDORCHIN, A PRIVATE FIRST CLASS WHO SAW FRONTLINE ACTION AS A MEDICAL AIDE ATTENDANT, ESTIMATED ABOUT 200 OF HIS COMBAT BUDDIES WERE BURIED IN THE ANZIO-NETTUNO CEMETERY. HE WAS WOUNDED SLIGHTLY AND WAS EVACUATED FROM THE BEACHHEAD ABOUT TWO WEEK AFTER THE INVASION.
SPEAKING OF THE CEREMONY HE SAID: "IT WAS KIND OF IMPRESSIVE ALL RIGHT. I ALWAYS GET A LUMP IN MY THROAT WHEN THEY PLAY THE STAR SPANGLED BANNER."
HE HAD BROUGHT HIS SLIM-DARK-EYED ITALIAN-BORN WIFE, IRIS, WITH HIM. THEY WERE MARRIED IN ROME IN 1945.
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FLORENCE, ITALY, MAY 30-(AP)-CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND HUNGARY FINALLY WITHDREW FROM THE UNITED NATIONS EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL ORGANIZATION (UNESCO) CONFERENCE TODAY WHEN NATIONALIST CHINA WAS OFFICIALLY SEATED.
THEY MADE IT CLEAR, HOWEVER, THAT THEY HAVE NOT WITHDRAWN FROM THE 59-NATION U.N. AGENCY ITSELF.
THE TWO SOVIET SATELLITES' DELEGATIONS WALKED OUT OF THE FIFTH GENERAL UNESCO CONFERENCE FOR THE SECOND TIME IN NINE DAYS AND ANNOUNCED THEY WOULD NOT RETURN. THEY ACTED WHEN THE CONFERENCE DECIDED AT A SPECIAL SESSION TO SEAT THE FORMOSA DELEGATION.
THE CONFERENCE ALSO DECIDED BY A VOTE OF 31 TO 5 TO ASK LAKE SUCCESS FOR A GENERAL DIRECTIVE IN ORDER TO "REACH A UNIFORM AND PRACTICAL SETTLEMENT" OF THE CHINESE QUESTION.
UNESCO'S DIRECTOR GENERAL, JAIME TORRES BODET OF MEXICO, WAS AUTHORIZED TO ASK U.N. SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE TO COMMUNICATE THIS PROPOSAL TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL OR THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY "AS SOON AS POSSIBLE."
THE DECISION TO SEAT THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS WAS BY A VOTE OF 30 TO 3 WITH 14 ABSTENTIONS AND 10 DELEGATIONS ABSENT.
THE THREE NATIONS WHICH VOTED AGAINST NATIONALIST CHINA WERE INDIA, YUGOSLAVIA AND BURMA.
THE UNITED STATES AND FRANCE SUPPORTED THE SEATING OF THE NATIONALISTS; BRITAIN ABSTAINED FROM VOTING.
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NIGHT LEAD ECONOMIC (240)
GENEVA, MAY 30-(AP)-RUSSIA HAS RECEIVED FAVORABLY A PROPOSAL TO NEGOTIATE A LARGE-SCALE SUPPLY OF GRAIN TO WESTERN EUROPE, GUNNAR MYRDAL, EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OF THE U.N. ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR EUROPE SAID TODAY.
MYRDAL PROPOSED LAST NOVEMBER THAT A GRAIN AGREEMENT BE NEGOTIATED BETWEEN EAST AND WEST TO BREAK THE POST-WAR STAGNATION IN TRADE.
RECENTLY RETURNED FROM A MISSION TO MOSCOW AND OTHER EUROPEAN CAPITALS, MYRDAL PUBLISHED A REPORT WHICH DISCLOSED RUSSIA HAS REPLIED THAT HER DELEGATES WOULD "IN DUE COURSE" PARTICIPATE IN A EUROPEAN GRAIN CONFERENCE UNDER THE COMMISSION'S AUSPICES.
THE SWEDISH EXECUTIVE SECRETARY TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE WESTERN OFFICIALS ALSO "WERE ON THE WHOLE FAVORABLE TO THE PROPOSED APPROACH FOR CHANGING THE DEPRESSING CLIMATE."
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HE ADDED HE WOULD CONTINUE TO "SOUND OUT" SENTIMENT AND A EUROPEAN GRAIN CONFERENCE MIGHT BE CALLED BY THE END OF THE SUMMER.
MEANWHILE, THE COMMISSION'S STAFF MAY WORK OUT A DRAFT GRAIN TREATY TO BE CONSIDERED BY THE CONFERENCE. THE QUESTION MAY BE BROUGHT UP TOMORROW AT THE OPENING OF THE FIFTH GENERAL SESSION OF THE COMMISSION. BOTH UNITED STATES AND SOVIET DELEGATES WILL ATTEND.
MYRDAL EMPHASIZED, HOWEVER, THAT RUSSIA HAD NOT RELAXED ON ITS BAN ON INFORMATION ON ITS POTENTIAL EXPORTS, AND THE WEST HAD NOT EASED ITS CONTROLS ON EXPORTS OF STRATEGIC INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTS TO THE EAST--MAJOR TWIN BARRIERS TO EAST-WEST TRADE.
ANATOLE KOULAGENKOV, SOVIET MINISTER TO SWITZERLAND, WROTE RUSSIA'S REPLY TO MYRDAL'S PROPOSAL FOR A GRAIN AGREEMENT, WHICH WOULD INCLUDE LONG-TERM PURCHASE COMMITMEMTS BY THE WEST WITH UPPER AND LOWER PRICE LIMITS, AND USE OF THE PROCEEDS BY RUSSIA FOR PMZSE OF AN AGREED LIST OF PRODUCTS IN THE WEST.
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BY MICHAEL GOLDSMITH
GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, MAY 30-(AP)-A SOVIET OFFER TO NEGOTIATE AN AGREEMENT FOR THE LARGE-SCALE SUPPLY OF RUSSIAN GRAIN TO WESTERN EUROPE WAS PUBLISHED HERE TODAY BY THE UNITED NATIONS ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR EUROPE.
PROF. GUNNAR MYRDAL, OF SWEDEN, THE COMMISSION'S EXECUTIVE SECRETARY SUGGESTED LAST NOVEMBER THAT A GRAIN AGREEMENT SHOULD BE NEGOTIATED BETWEEN EAST AND WEST EUROPE TO BREAK THE POSTWAR STAGNATION OF TRADE BETWEEN THE TWO AREAS.
THE SOVIET REPLY, MADE PUBLIC BY MYRDAL TODAY, SAID THAT THE PROPOSAL HAD BEEN "FAVORABLY RECEIVED BY THE GOVERNMENT OF THE U.S.S.R."
SOVIET DELEGATES WOULD "IN DUE COURSE" TAKE PART IN A EUROPEAN GRAIN CONFERENCE UNDER THE COMMISSION'S AUSPICES, THE REPLY SAID.
MYRDAL HAS BEEN TOURING EUROPEAN CAPITALS, INCLUDING MOSCOW, DURING RECENT WEEKS AND DISCUSSED HIS PROPOSALS WITH SENIOR GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS.
WESTERN OFFICIALS, HE TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE, "WERE ON THE WHOLE FAVORABLE TO THE PROPOSED APPROACH FOR CHANGING THE DEPRESSING CLIMATE."
HE DISCUSSED HIS PROPOSALS IN MOSCOW EARLIER THIS MONTH WITH SOVIET FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI Y.VISHINSKY AND DEPUTY PREMIER A.MIKOYAN.
AS A RESULT OF HIS MOSCOW CONVERSATIONS, MYRDAL SAID, HE RECEIVED A LETTER FROM ANATOLE KOULAGENKOV, SOVIET MINISTER TO SWITZERLAND, LAST WEEK, EXPRESSING SOVIET APPROVAL OF HIS SUGGESTIONS.
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WEEK, EXPRESSING SOVIET APPROVAL OF HIS SUGGESTIONS. JUN 1 - 1950
MYRDAL'S PROPOSAL SPECIFICALLY SUGGESTED A EUROPEAN GRAIN AGREEMENT, BASED ON THE EXISTING INTERNATIONAL WHEAT AGREEMENT. HE STRESSED, HOWEVER, THAT THE SAME APPROACH MIGHT BE EXTENDED TO OTHER EAST EUROPEAN RAW MATERIALS NEEDED BY THE WEST.
THE PROPOSED AGREEMENT WOULD INCLUDE LONG TERM PURCHASE COMMITMENTS BY THE WEST, WITH UPPER AND LOWER PRICE LIMITS AND MINIMUM QUANTITY COMMITMENTS. IN RETURN, THE WESTERN COUNTRIES WOULD PERMIT THE PROCEEDS FROM THE SALE OF THE EASTERN SUPPLIES TO BE USED FOR PURCHASES SELECTEXLTN AGREED

COMMITMENTS. IN RETURN, THE WESTERN COUNTRIES WOULD PERMIT THE PROCEEDS FROM THE SALE OF THE EASTERN SUPPLIES TO BE USED FOR PURCHASES SELECTED FROM AN AGREED LIST OF WESTERN PRODUCTS, FREE OF EXPORT CONTROLS.
MYRDAL TOLD TODAY'S NEWS CONFERENCE THAT THE EAST-WEST TRADE DEADLOCK HAD BEEN LARGELY CAUSED BY A SOVIET REFUSAL TO PROVIDE INFORMATION ON POTENTIAL EXPORTS AND A SIMULTANEOUS WESTERN REFUSAL TO RELAX EXPORT CONTROLS ON STRATEGIC INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTS.

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"I MUST EMPHASIZE," MYRDAL DECLARED, "THAT NO GOVERNMENT HAS RETREATED FROM ITS PRINCIPLES IN THIS ISSUE.
"BUT THEY ARE PREPARED NOW TO DISCUSS BUSINESS ON A TECHNICAL LEVEL. THEY HAVE EXPRESSED AN INTEREST IN OPENING NEGOTIATIONS."
MYRDAL SAID HE WOULD NOW "SOUND OUT" THE SITUATION AND, GIVEN FAVORABLE CONDITIONS, A EUROPEAN GRAIN CONFERENCE MIGHT BE CALLED BY THE END OF THE SUMMER TO DISCUSS A DRAFT EUROPEAN GRAIN TREATY TO BE WORKED OUT MEANWHILE BY THE COMMISSION'S SECRETARIAT.
THE QUESTION IS ALMOST CERTAIN TO BE BROUGHT UP DURING THE FIFTH SESSION OF THE COMMISSION OPENING HERE TOMORROW WITH BOTH UNITED STATES AND SOVIET DELEGATES PARTICIPATING.
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A62
PRECEDE LONDON (A50)
WARSAW, POLAND, MAY 30-(AP)-POLAND HAS RECALLED JAN WENDA, HER AMBASSADOR TO YUGOSLAVIA, THE OFFICIAL RADIO ANNOUNCED TONIGHT.
YUGOSLAV'S AMBASSADOR TO POLAND, RADJE PIRPICEVIC, REFUSED TO SAY WHETHER HE WOULD LEAVE FOR BELGRADE IN RETURN, BUT INFORMED SOURCES BELIEVE EACH NATION WILL IN FUTURE BE REPRESENTED ONLY BY CHARGES D'AFFAIRES.
THE TREATY OF FRIENDSHIP AND MUTUAL AID BETWEEN POLAND AND YUGOSLAVIA TECHNICALLY REMAINS IN FORCE.
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A50
WITH ~~BELGRADE~~ WARSAW
LONDON, MAY 30-(AP)-THE POLISH PRESS AGENCY SAID TONIGHT POLAND HAS RECALLED HER AMBASSADOR TO YUGOSLAVIA, JAN KAROL WENDE. THERE WAS NO AMPLIFICATION OF THE STATEMENT.
POLAND IS ONE OF THE COMINFORM COUNTRIES WHICH HAVE BEEN FEUDING WITH MARSHAL TITO OF YUGOSLAVIA SINCE JUNE, 1948.
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A38
FIRST LEAD CZECH (250)
PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, MAY 30-(AP)-THE OFFICIAL CZECH RADIO TODAY ANNOUNCED THE SMASHING OF THE BIGGEST UNDERGROUND ORGANIZATION DISCOVERED SINCE THE COMMUNIST VICTORY OF 1948. IT SAID 13 MEMBERS WOULD GO ON TRIAL TOMORROW.
ACCORDING TO THE INDICTMENT, AS BROADCAST BY THE RADIO, PURPOSE OF THE CLANDESTINE ORGANIZATION WAS TO FIGHT THE COUNTRY'S COMMUNIST-LED REGIME BY ALL MEANS INCLUDING ESPIONAGE, SABOTAGE, TERRORISM AND TITOISM.
THE GROUP WAS ACCUSED OF PLANNING TO FORM A FIFTH COLUMN AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT "IN CASE OF AN ARMED ATTACK AGAINST THE SOVIET UNION AND THE PEOPLES DEMOCRACIES" AND OF APPEALING TO THE UNITED STATES FOR INTERVENTION.
THREE OF THOSE TO BE TRIED ARE WOMEN--DR.MILADA HORAKOVA, FRANTISKA ZEMINOVA AND ANTONIE KLEINEROVA. ALL ARE FORMER DEPUTIES OF THE NOW OUTLAWED NATIONAL SOCIALIST PARTY. THEY ARE ALLEGED TO HAVE BEEN IN CONTACT WITH DR.PETER ZENKL, EXILED FORMER HEAD OF THEIR PARTY.
THE INDICTMENT SAID THE GROUP HELPED CZECHS TO FLEE ABROAD AND COOPERATED WITH THE AMERICAN COUNTER INTELLIGENCE CORPS. ONE OF THOSE HELPED TO ESCAPE WAS VOJTA BENES, BROTHER OF THE LATE PRESIDENT EDOUARD BENES.
THE BROADCAST DECLARED THAT THE LATE LAWRENCE STEINHARDT, FORMER AMERICAN AMBASSADOR TO CZECHOSLOVAKIA, WAS A SUPPORTER OF THE GROUP AS WERE THE FRENCH AMBASSADOR, MAURICE DEJEAN, AND CITIZENS OF BRITAIN, NORWAY, BELGIUM AND SWEDEN.
SOME OF THE DEFENDANTS WERE ACCUSED OF GIVING VITAL INFORMATION ABOUT INDUSTRIAL PLANNING AND MILITARY SECRETS TO AGENTS OF THE WESTERN POWERS.
THE GROUP GOING ON TRIAL INCLUDES FORMER LEADING POLITICIANS OF THE NATIONAL SOCIALIST, SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC AND PEOPLE'S (CATHOLIC) PARTY.
THESE WERE ACCUSED BY THE STATE PROSECUTOR:

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DR.MILADA HORAKOVA, FORMER DEPUTY OF THE NATIONAL SOCIALIST PARTY.
DR.JOSEF NESTAVAL, FORMER FACTORY OWNER.
DR.JIRI HEJDA, FORMER FACTORY OWNER.
FRANTISKA ZEMINOVA, FORMER NATIONAL SOCIALIST PARTY DEPUTY.
FRANTISK PREUCIL.
JAN BUCHAL, STATE POLICE OFFICER.
ANTONIE KLEINERTOVA, FORMER NATIONAL SOCIALIST DEPUTY.
DR.OLDRICH PECL, FORMER OWNER OF MINES.
ZAVIS KALANDRA, FORMER NEWSPAPERMAN.
DR.ZDENEK PESTA, UNIVERSITY PROFESSOR.
VOJTECH DUNDR, FORMER CENTRAL SECRETARY OF THE SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC PARTY.
DR.BEDRICH HOSTICKA
DR.JIRI KRIZEK, LAWYER.
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A94 (180)
BELGRADE, YUGOSLAVIA, MAY 30-(AP)-YUGOSLAVIA DECIDED TODAY TO PLACE ON TRIAL AS TRAITORS TO THEIR COUNTRY TWO HIGH RANKING MILITARY MEN WHO TRIED TO FLEE TO ROMANIA ALMOST TWO YEARS AGO.
THEY ARE MAJ.GEN.BRANKO PETRICEVIC AND COL.VLADO DAPCEVIC WHO GO BEFORE A BELGRADE MILITARY COURT THURSDAY.
THE TWO YUGOSLAV OFFICERS WERE CAPTURED AUG. 12, 1948 IN THE DISTRICT OF VRSAC AS THEY TRIED TO FLEE OVER THE BORDER INTO ROMANIA. GEN.ARSO JOVANOVIC, FORMER CHIEF OF STAFF, WHO ACCOMPANIED THEM, WAS KILLED.
DAPCEVIC IS THE BROTHER OF COL.GEN.PEKO DAPCEVIC, ONE OF THE TOP MEN IN THE YUGOSLAV ARMY AND OFTEN REGARDED AS A POSSIBLE SUCCESSOR TO PREMIER MARSHAL TITO. GEN.DAPCEVIC DENOUNCED HIS BROTHER AS A TRAITOR SHORTLY AFTER THE ATTEMPTED FLIGHT.
THE FRUSTRATED ESCAPES FOLLOWED BY TWO MONTHS THE SPLIT BETWEEN TITO AND THE MOSCOW-DIRECTED COMINFORM. THE MEN WHO TRIED TO FLEE WERE SAID TO BE MEMBERS OF A YUGOSLAV GROUP WHICH SYMPATHIZED WITH THE COMINFORM IN ITS CAMPAIGN AGAINST TITO.
MAJ.GEN.PERO POPIVODA OF THE YUGOSLAV AIR FORCE MANAGED TO GET AWAY THAT NIGHT IN 1948 AND REACHED BUCHAREST, ROMANIA. THERE HE WROTE AN ARTICLE DENOUNCING TITO'S REGIME AS PERSECUTING THOSE "WHO STILL ADHERE TO THE COMMUNISM OF MARX AND LENIN."
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A49
(130)
BELGRADE, YUGOSLAVIA, MAY 30-(AP)-THE YUGOSLAV GOVERNMENT SAID TONIGHT IT HAS TEMPORARILY CLOSED ITS LEGATION IN NEIGHBORING ALBANIA.
THE ACTION WAS TAKEN, THE OFFICIAL NEWS AGENCY TANJUG SAID, BECAUSE "OF DISCRIMINATIONS AND ILL TREATMENT" OF YUGOSLAV CITIZENS AS A RESULT OF THE BALKAN COLD WAR BETWEEN THE MOSCOW-LED COMINFORM AND PREMIER MARSHAL TITO'S GOVERNMENT.
YUGOSLAV DIPLOMATIC HEADQUARTERS "WILL BE OPENED AGAIN WHEN ALBANIAN AUTHORITIES CHANGE THEIR ATTITUDE TOWARD YUGOSLAV DIPLOMATS," TANJUG SAID.
ALBANIA CAREFULLY PLANNED TO MAKE THE WORK OF YUGOSLAVS IN TIRANA IMPOSSIBLE, THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID. IT ADDED THAT THE YUGOSLAV LEGATION STAFF HAS RETURNED FROM TIRANA AND "HAS TEMPORARILY CLOSED ITS WORK IN ALBANIA."
SINCE ITS BREAK WITH THE COMINFORM TWO YEARS AGO, THE YUGOSLAV GOVERNMENT HAS BEEN DETERMINED IN ITS DEALINGS WITH EASTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES AND WITH ALBANIA. FOR EXAMPLE, SOME TIME AGO IT TOOK THE INITIATIVE IN BREAKING OFF ECONOMIC RELATIONS WITH ALBANIA.
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A53
BUDAPEST, HUNGARY, MAY 30-(AP)-A COMMUNIQUE SAID TONIGHT LUTHERAN BISHOP LAJOS ORDASS HAS BEEN RELEASED FROM PRISON.
BISHOP ORDASS WAS SENTENCED TO TWO YEARS IN PRISON SEPT. 28, 1948 AFTER CONVICTION FOR "NEGLECTING INTENTIONALLY TO REPORT FOREIGN CURRENCY ASSETS TO THE HUNGARIAN NATIONAL BANK."
THE HUNGARIAN LUTHERAN CHURCH REMOVED THE BISHOP FROM HIS OFFICE APRIL 2, 1950 AND ASKED THE GOVERNMENT TO EXTEND CLEMENCY TO HIM.
RB737PED

MAY 31 1950

A39 (200)
ANKARA, TURKEY, MAY 30-(AP)-TURKEY'S NEW PREMIER CALLED ON HIS COUNTRY'S WESTERN FRIENDS LAST NIGHT TO AID IN INSURING THE "MATERIAL AND MORAL SECURITY OF THE EASTERN MEDITERRANEAN."
PREMIER ADNAN MENDERES, IN A POLICY STATEMENT TO THE TWO-WEEK-OLD GRAND NATIONAL ASSEMBLY, SAID HIS GOVERNMENT ALSO CONSIDERED IT NECESSARY TO "ESTABLISH CLOSER RELATIONS WITH THE STATE OF THE MIDDLE EAST TO WHOM WE ARE BOUND BY INTIMATE RELATIONS AND TO CREATE IN THIS REGION AN ATMOSPHERE OF FRIENDSHIP AND SOLIDARITY BEARING THE MARKS OF JUSTICE AND MUTUAL UNDERSTANDING."
TURKEY'S FOREIGN POLICY WAS BASED, HE SAID, ON TRADITIONAL ALLIANCES WITH BRITAIN AND FRANCE, THE "CLOSEST FRIENDSHIP AND COLLABORATION WITH THE UNITED STATES" AND "UNALTERABLE RESPECT TOWARD THE INDEPENDENCE AND TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY OF ALL NATIONS NEAR OR FAR, SMALL OR LARGE."
CASTIGATING THE REGIME OF FORMER PRESIDENT ISMET INONU, MENDERES PROPOSED THE COUNTRY'S SHAKY ECONOMY BE IMPROVED THROUGH THE USE OF MARSHALL PLAN FUNDS, FOREIGN LOANS AND SUCH ADDITIONAL MEASURES AS THESE:
1. REDUCTION OF GOVERNMENT EXPENDITURES.
2. FULL SECURITY TO INDUCE FOREIGN CAPITAL TO COME TO TURKEY AND DIVERSION OF NATIONAL CAPITAL INTO FIELDS OF PRODUCTION.
3. ABANDONMENT OF GOVERNMENT CONTROLS INCLUDING REDUCTION TO A MINIMUM OF STATE MONPOLIES, NOW CONTROLLING NEARLY ALL OF TURKEY'S INDUSTRY.
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B25KX (SINO -17-) (Q)
NIGHT LEAD CHINESE (300)
BY SPENCER MOOSA
TAIPEI,FORMOSA,MAY 30-(AP)-THE OFFICIAL CENTRAL NEWS AGENCY ASSERTED TODAY THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS PLAN TO "ENCIRCLE" THE BRITISH CROWN COLONY OF HONG KONG.
THE AGENCY GAVE NO SOURCE FOR ITS REPORT. NORMALLY, IT ISSUES NO MILITARY NEWS WITHOUT PREVIOUS APPROVAL OR INSPIRATION BY THE

NATIONALIST DEFENSE MINISTRY.
CENTRAL NEWS SAID THE DECISION WAS REACHED AT A TOP-LEVEL COMMUNIST MILITARY CONFERENCE CALLED RECENTLY AT CANTON TO CONSIDER "THE HONG KONG PROBLEM."
IT REPORTED THE LEADERS REJECTED THREE OTHER COURSES--USE OF FORCE IMMEDIATELY, POLITICAL METHODS SUCH AS STRIKES, AND APPEASEMENT. IT REPRESENTED GEN.YEN CHIEN-YING, COMMUNIST BOSS IN CANTON, AS ADVOCATING FORCE NOW.
THE PLAN, THE AGENCY CONTINUED, HAS BEEN SUBMITTED TO THE RED CAPITAL AT PEIPING FOR APPROVAL. IN EXPECTATION OF THIS, GEN.LIN PIAO'S FOURTH FIELD ARMY WAS REPORTED MOVING BACK TO THE CANTON AREA.
THE FOURTH ARMY CONQUERED THE SOUTH CHINA ISLAND OF HAINAN.
THE AGENCY SAID THE FOURTH INCLUDING MORE THAN 1,000 RUSSIANS AND A LARGE NUMBER OF JAPANESE.
(THIS DISPATCH GAVE NO CLUE AS TO HOW HONG KONG WOULD BE "ENCIRCLED." ACTUALLY, THE COMMUNISTS ARE MOVING IN THIS DIRECTION NOW WITH THEIR CAMPAIGN AGAINST NATIONALIST ISLANDS WEST AND SOUTH OF HONG KONG.
(IN THIS CONNECTION, HONG KONG REPORTED SOME UNEASINESS OVER GROWING RED AIR STRENGTH OF HAINAN AND AROUND CANTON. FOREIGN OBSERVERS IN HONG KONG GUESSED THE RED AIR STRENGTH IN ALL CHINA NOW WAS FROM 200 TO 400 PLANES, INCLUDING 25 TO 75 JETS.
(WHAT CONCERNED HONG KONG WAS A REPORT THAT JET PLANES AND RADAR STATIONS WERE APPEARING AT BOTH CANTON AND HAINAN. THESE WOULD NOT BE NEEDED FOR THE EXPECTED ATTEMPT TO INVADE FORMOSA FAR TO THE EAST.)
ON THE CIVIL WAR FRONT, NATIONALIST HEADQUARTERS SAID RED ARTILLERY AT AMOY HAD BOMBARDED SMALL QUEMOY ISLAND. THIS TINY ISLAND IS BETWEEN THAT SOUTHEAST CHINA PORT AND BIG QUEMOY, NATIONALIST ISLAND OUTPOST OPPOSITE FORMOSA. HEADQUARTERS CLAIMED THE ARTILLERY WAS SILENCED BY NATIONALIST WARSHIPS.

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CHINESE (290)
BY SPENCER MOOSA
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TAIPEI, FORMOSA, MAY 30-(AP)-CHIANG KAI-SHEK SAID TODAY FORMOSA IS SAFE FROM IMMEDIATE CHINESE COMMUNIST INVASION UNLESS RUSSIA GIVES THE REDS "EXTENSIVE HELP."
NATIONALIST CHINA'S PRESIDENT SAID AT A NEWS CONFERENCE THAT FORMOSA'S "DEFENSIVE STRENGTH IS STEADILY GROWING." HE SAID THE WITHDRAWAL FROM HAINAN ADDED 60,000 TROOPS AND RETREAT FROM CHUSHAN 150,000.
THE QUESTION WAS RAISED BY ONE CORRESPONDENT'S REMARK THAT "RELIABLE REPORTS" QUOTED U.S. MILITARY ATTACHES AS PREDICTING A RED INVASION ATTEMPT ABOUT MID-JULY WITH THE FALL OF FORMOSA "NOT UNLIKELY."
"THE COMMUNISTS ALREADY HAVE LOST THEIR CHANCE FOR AN IMMEDIATE INVASION UNLESS EXTENSIVE HELP. . . IS FURNISHED BY SOVIET RUSSIA," CHIANG SAID.
HE PROMISED, HOWEVER, THAT NATIONALIST CHINA WOULD "TAKE MEASURES TO ENSURE THE PROMPT AND SAFE DEPARTURE" OF AMERICANS "WHEN SUCH NEED BECOMES APPARENT."
PREMIER CHEN CHENG, AT A RECEPTION FOR AMERICAN OFFICIALS, LAUDED U.S. AID AND SAID HE HOPED TO SEE MORE OF IT.
THE CONTROL YUAN CHARGED SEVERAL STATE BANKS HAD BEEN WASTING GOVERNMENT FUNDS BY PAYING LAVISH SALARIES, RENTING HOUSES IN HONG KONG FOR DISMISSED OFFICIALS AND GIVING HUGE SEVERANCE PAYMENTS TO OTHERS WHO LATER WERE REHIRED.
IT ALSO IMPEACHED TSU MING-CHEN, FORMER MANAGER OF THE CHINA COOPERATIVES BANK, ON CHARGES OF GRAFT AND DESERTION. THE CONTROL YUAN ASSERTED THAT TSU, WHEN MAINLAND CHINA FELL, DIVIDED THE BANK'S FOREIGN EXCHANGE ASSETS WITH TOP OFFICIALS AND FLED TO THE UNITED STATES.
IT REQUESTED THE GOVERNMENT TO BRING ABOUT HIS ARREST.
ON THE MILITARY FRONT, THE NATIONALISTS REPORTED A FRESH BURST OF GUERRILLA ACTIVITY IN CHEKIANG PROVINCE SOUTH OF SHANGHAI. GUERRILLAS REPORTEDLY CAPTURED 31 CHINESE COMMUNISTS AND TOOK THEM TO THE TA-CHEN ISLANDS, THEIR NEW BLOCKADE BASE 190 MILES SOUTH OF SHANGHAI.
THE GUERRILLAS ALSO BURNED DOWN A RED GRAIN DEPOT AND KILLED 11 COMMUNIST SOLDIERS, THE NATIONALISTS SAID.

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A140FX
V FIRST LEAD CLOVERLOCK (A26FX) (250)
HONG KONG, MAY 30-(AP)-TWO SMALL BRITISH SHIPS WERE BACK IN HONG KONG TODAY, FREED FROM ABOUT A MONTH'S CAPTIVITY BY RELENTLESS ROYAL NAVY PRESSURE ON THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS.
CREWMEN SAID THE NATIONALISTS IN RELEASING THE VESSELS RADIOED THE ROYAL NAVY ACCUSING IT OF "ABSOLUTE COERCION CONTRARY TO INTER-NATIONAL LAW."
THE SHIPS ARE THE 300-TON CLOVERLOCK AND THE SINGHING, A RIVER BOAT. THE CLOVERLOCK WAS SEIZED BY THE NATIONALISTS APRIL 28 AND THE SINGHING WAS CAPTURED MAY 1. BOTH WERE HELD AT QUEMOY, NATIONALIST ISLAND OUTPOST NEAR THE COMMUNIST PORT OF AMOY OPPOSITE FORMOSA.
THE TWO WERE TRYING TO RUN THE NATIONALIST BLOCKADE OF AMOY WHEN THEY WERE CAPTURED. THE CLOVERLOCK ARRIVED LAST NIGHT AND THE SINGHING TODAY.
THE CREW OF THE SINGHING SAID BRITISH DESTROYERS MAINTAINED A VIGIL JUST OUTSIDE NATIONALIST TERRITORIAL WATERS OF QUEMOY ALL THROUGH THE CAPTIVITY.
THEY SAID THE CAPTAINS OF THE WARSHIPS SIGNALLED VERBAL PROTESTS TO THE NATIONALISTS ALMOST EVERY DAY. THEY DEMANDED RELEASE OF THE SHIPS.
CREWMEN REPORTED THE CHINESE COMMANDER ON QUEMOY SEVERAL TIMES THREATENED THE WARSHIPS. THE WARSHIPS WERE TOLD TO GET OUT OF THE ARE OR "WE WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR WHAT HAPPENS." THE WARSHIPS IGNORED THE THREATS.
THE SINGHING WAS HIT BY MORE THAN 50 SHELLS FROM A NATIONALIST WARSHIP WHICH FIRED ON IT BEFORE IT WAS CAPTURED. A CHINESE MEMBER OF THE CREW WAS KILLED AND ANOTHER WAS INJURED.
CREWMEN SAID 10 CHINESE PASSENGERS WERE TAKEN OFF BY THE NATIONALISTS AT QUEMOY AND NEVER WERE HEARD FROM AGAIN. THEY WERE ACCUSED OF BEING COMMUNIST SPIES.
CREWMEN OF THE CLOVERLOCK COMPLAINED OF "ROTTEN" TREATMENT DURING THEIR MONTH OF CAPTIVITY.
THE NATIONALISTS GAVE THEM ONLY RICE, THE CREWMEN SAID, AND ALL OTHER NEEDS HAD TO BE PURCHASED ASHORE AT EXHORBITANT PRICES. AFTER THEIR MONEY GAVE OUT, THEY HAD TO LIVE ON A POTATO DIET, THEY SAID.
ONE EUROPEAN OFFICER COMPLAINED THE NATIONALISTS TOOK HIS GOLD WRIST WATCH, FOUNTAIN PEN "AND EVEN MY SHIRTS AND SOCKS."

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NIGHT LEAD (300)
HONG KONG, WEDNESDAY, MAY 31-(AP)-OFFICERS AND CREWMEN OF THE BRITISH FREIGHTER SINGHING CHARGE THEY WERE BEATEN FREQUENTLY BY CHINESE NATIONALIST NAVY OFFICERS DURING A MONTH'S DETENTION AT THE NATIONALIST ISLAND OF QUEMOY.

ONE CHINESE CREWMAN WAS KILLED WHEN THE NATIONALISTS SHELLED AND SEIZED THE SHIP OFF COMMUNIST AMOY MAY 1. TEN PASSENGERS ABOARD THE 300-TON BLOCKADE RUNNER WERE TAKEN FROM THE SHIP AND SENT TO FORMOSA UNDER SUSPICION OF BEING COMMUNIST AGENTS.

THE SINGHING'S OFFICERS SAID ANOTHER PASSENGER WAS ARRESTED BY THE NATIONALISTS "BECAUSE HE WAS IN POSSESSION OF A COPY OF DAVID COPPERFIELD."

THE SINGHING RETURNED TO HONG KONG YESTERDAY AFTER THE NATIONALISTS RELEASED HER AND THE BRITISH FREIGHTER CLOVERLOCK UNDER ROYAL NAVY PRESSURE.

CHIEF OFFICER ALEXANDER MERCER SUMMED UP THE DETENTION:

"I'D RATHER SPEND 12 MONTHS DAY AND NIGHT IN JAIL THAN GO THROUGH THIS ONE MONTH EXPERIENCE AGAIN."

MERCER WAS QUOTED BY THE ENGLISH LANGUAAGE SOUTH CHINA MORNING POST AS SAYING THE SHIP'S OFFICERS WERE "ROUGHLY TREATED" BY THE NATIONALISTS. THE OFFICERS ARE MERCER, CAPT. ROBERT A. YOUNG AND CHIEF ENGINEER A. MACINTYRE.

MERCER SAID THE NATIONALISTS QUESTIONED THEM AND OFTEN BEAT THEM. THEY WERE SLAPPED, JABBED WITH RIFLES AND SOMETIMES KNOCKED DOWN ON DECK, HE SAID.

"I WAS NOT SO BADLY BEATEN BECAUSE I KNOW A LITTLE CANTONESE," MERCER ADDED.

HE SAID THE NATIONALISTS CONFISCATED ANYTHING OF VALUE FROM THE OFFICERS, CREW AND 42 PASSENGERS WHO ORIGINALLY INTENDED TO DEBARK AT AMOY.

"EVERY TIME THEY CAME THEY WOULD NOT LEAVE WITHOUT GRABBING SOMETHING FROM THE SHIP'S CARGO OF OVER 200 TONS OF FOREIGN MEDICINE, FERTILIZERS AND OTHER GOODS. OUR BINOCULARS, COMPASSES--PRACTICALLY ALL NAVIGATION INSTRUMENTS--WERE ALL TAKEN AWAY. THEY EVEN TOOK THE CHRONOMETERS NAILED TO THE WALL, ELECTRIC BULBS, BUTTER AND SOME TINES OF CONDENSED MILK."

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A98FX
(230)
HONG KONG, MAY 30-(AP)-MOUNTING REPORTS FROM SOUTH CHINA INDICATED TODAY THAT AN UP-TO-DATE AIR FORCE OF PERHAPS 400 PLANES INCLUDING POSSIBLY 75 JET AIRCRAFT IS BEING ADDED TO THE COMMUNIST WAR MACHINE.

THE PLANES HAVE BEEN SPOTTED ALL THE WAY FROM SHANGHAI TO HAINAN ISLAND OFF SOUTH CHINA.

ESTIMATES OF COMMUNIST AIR STRENGTH VARY EVEN AMONG FOREIGNERS WHOSE JOB IT IS TO KNOW WHAT GOES ON BEHIND THE BAMBOO CURTAIN. THEIR GUESSES PLACE THE CHINESE RED AIR STRENGTH AT 200 TO 400 PLANES, OF WHICH 25 TO 75 ARE JETS.

ALONG WITH THE GROWING CHINESE COMMUNIST AIR STRENGTH COME THESE SIGNIFICANT DEVELOPMENTS:

1. THE REDS ARE BUILDING MANY NEW AIR FIELDS AND RECONDITIONING OLD ONES ALL ALONG THE CHINA COAST.

2. JET PLANES HAVE BEEN REPORTED AS FAR SOUTH AS CANTON. THESE ARE DESCRIBED AS SOVIET LA-9S, DG-3S AND YAK 15 MODELS.

3. THE NEWSPAPER WAH KIU YAT PO IN A CANTON DISPATCH QUOTED A "COMMUNIST SOURCE AS SAYING THAT LIU SAN-PIN, CHIEF OF STAFF OF THE CHINESE RED AIR FORCE, AND A PARTY OF SOVIET ADVISORS HAD SET UP HEADQUARTERS AT AMOY. THEIR PURPOSE, THE HONG KONG NEWSPAPER SAID, IS TO SUPERVISE THE AIR RECONSTRUCTION PROGRAM IN SOUTH CHINA.

AIR ACTIVITY AROUND AMOY, SWATOW AND NINGPO ON THE EAST COAST IS NOT UNEXPECTED, SINCE THOSE AREAS OBVIOUSLY ARE GOOD SPRINGBOARDS FOR THE PROMISED ATTACK ON NATIONALIST FORMOSA.

BUT WHY ARE JET PLANES AND RADAR STATIONS APPEARING AS FAR SOUTH AS CANTON AND HAINAN? DO THE CHINESE REDS HAVE SOMETHING MORE IN MIND THAN JUST FORMOSA?

OBSERVERS FEEL THE ANSWERS ARE NOT FAR OFF.

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A115FX
(125)
HONG KONG, WEDNESDAY, MAY 31-(AP)-HONG KONG'S SHAKY LABOR TRUCE SHOWED SIGNS OF COLLAPSING TODAY. THREE MAJOR UNIONS HELD MASS MEETINGS LAST NIGHT AIMED AT WINNING THEIR DEMANDS.

THIS WAS THE FIRST SIGN OF LABOR UNREST SINCE LAST DECEMBER AND JANUARY WHEN TRAMWAY WORKERS STRUCK FOR INCREASED COST-OF-LIVING PAYMENTS.

THE UNIONS INVOLVED IN LAST NIGHT'S MEETING REPRESENT WORKERS FOR HONG KONG AND SHANGHAI HOTELS, HONG KONG AND SHANGHAI GAS COMPANY AND CHINA MOTOR BUS.

HOTEL WORKERS ARE PROTESTING MANAGEMENT'S REFUSAL TO GRANT COST-OF-LIVING PAYMENTS OF 30 DOLLARS HONG KONG ($5 U.S.) GAS WORKERS ARE PROTESTING THE COMPANY'S REFUSAL TO RECOGNIZE UNION CHAIRMAN WONG PING AS SPOKESMAN FOR THE WORKERS. BUS WORKERS WANT REINSTATEMENT OF 14 APPRENTICES WHO WERE DIMISSED TO MAKE ROOM FOR SKILLED SUBSTITUTES.

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MAY 31 1950

A106FX
SECOND NIGHT LEAD JAPANESE (320)
BY RUSSELL BRINES
TOKYO, WEDNESDAY, MAY 31-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR TODAY WAS EXPECTED TO ISSUE A STATEMENT ON THE STONING OF FIVE (CORRECT) AMERICAN SOLDIERS AT A JAPANESE COMMUNIST RALLY YESTERDAY. HIS HEADQUARTERS WAS BUSY INVESTIGATING THE FIRST RED ATTACK ON U.S. TROOPS.

EIGHT YOUNG, SULLEN JAPANESE WERE ARRAIGNED IN A MILITARY COURT THIS MORNING. THEY WERE ARRESTED IN THREE STREET BRAWLS THAT FOLLOWED THE RED DEMONSTRATION IN TOKYO'S IMPERIAL PLAZA.

THE JAPANESE WERE CHARGED WITH ASSAULTING FIVE U.S. SOLDIERS AND WILFULLY DISOBEYING ORDERS OF ALLIED OCCUPATION AUTHORITIES. INDICATIONS WERE THAT THEY WILL BE GIVEN A SPEEDY HEARING BEFORE A THREE-MAN BOARD OF AMERICAN OFFICERS.

THERE WAS NO OFFICIAL WORD THAT THE ALLIED COMMANDER WOULD ISSUE A STATEMENT. BUT IT WAS BELIEVED HE MIGHT ACT TO NIP ANY BOLDER RED MOVES. JAPAN'S COMMUNISTS HAVE BEEN CHIDED BY THE COMINFORM FOR NOT GETTING TOUGHER.

MACARTHUR PUT THE BRAKES ON JAPANESE DEMONSTRATIONS AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT IN MAY, 1946, BY CAUTIONING AGAINST "THE GROWING TENDENCY TOWARDS MASS VIOLENCE...UNDER ORGANIZED LEADERSHIP." HE ADDED THEN:

"I SHALL BE FORCED TO TAKE THE NECESSARY STEPS TO CONTROL AND

REMEDY SUCH A DEPLORABLE SITUATION."
VIOLENT DEMONSTRATIONS FELL OFF SHARPLY AFTER THAT WARNING.
TWICE WITHIN THE LAST YEAR MACARTHUR HAS SUGGESTED THE POSSIBILITY THAT THE JAPANESE GOVERNMENT MIGHT OUTLAW THE COMMUNIST PARTY.
THE FIVE AMERICANS LISTED IN THE ASSAULT CHARGES AGAINST THE JAPANESE ARE:
CAPT.WILLIAM G.CLARKE, BALTIMORE, MD.; SGT. PETER W. KOEHN, OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLA.; SGT.TERRY K.YAMAMOTO, OAHU, HAWAII; CPL. HENRY K.YAMASHITA, HONOLULU, HAWAII, AND PFC.JOHN J.THOMAS, DETROIT, MICH.
ALL EXCEPT THOMAS WERE CONNECTED WITH THE ARMY'S COUNTER INTELLIGENCE CORPS AND WERE ASSIGNED TO OBSERVE THE RALLY. THOMAS IS A SIGNAL CORPS PHOTOGRAPHER. NONE WAS INJURED SERIOUSLY.
THE COMMUNISTS HAD BOASTED THEY WOULD HAVE 100,000 OUT FOR THE FRANKLY ANTI-AMERICAN RALLY. THE TURNOUT WAS ONLY 5,000 OR SO. BUT THE CROWD MADE UP IN TOUGHNESS FOR LACK OF NUMBERS.
FIRST, THE COMMUNISTS TRIED TO TAKE OVER IMPERIAL PLAZA DURING THE MORNING. THE POLICE STOPPED THEM. THE PLAZA HAD BEEN RESERVED BY U.S. OCCUPATION FORCES FOR A MEMORIAL DAY CEREMONY.
THE COMMUNISTS, IN LEAFLETS, CALLED THE RESERVATION OF THE PLAZA FOR U.S. TROOPS "AN INTENTIONAL OBSTRUCTION AND SUPPRESSION."
BUT THE COMMUNISTS WERE BACK THIS AFTERNOON AND WERE ALLOWED TO MASS IN THE DOWNTOWN PLAZA. SANZO NOZAKA, ONE OF JAPAN'S LEADING REDS, STEPPED TO THE PLATFORM AND SHOUTED:
"THIS ISN'T A PARADE GROUND. IT'S THE PEOPLES PLAZA, AND WE MUST KEEP IT THE PEOPLES' PLAZA. WE CAN ONLY DO THAT IF THE PEOPLE TAKE OVER THE GOVERNMENT."
STUDENTS IN FRAYED PANTS AND THE PEAKED CAPS OF THE UNIVERSITIES SANG AND SHOUTED THEMSELVES INTO A FRENZY.
THE TROUBLE BEGAN, SAID A RELIABLE SOURCE, WHEN MEMBERS OF A COMMUNIST YOUTH GROUP SNATCHED A NOTEBOOK FROM A JAPANESE PLAIN CLOTHESMAN. THE FOUR U.S. SOLDIERS, THERE AS OBSERVERS, STEPPED IN.
ONE SOLDIER WAS STRUCK WHEN HE TRIED TO GRAB THE NOTEBOOK. HE STRUCK BACK. THE CROWD THEN THREW STONES. ONE SOLDIER WAS KNOCKED DOWN. THE FOUR FINALLY FOUGHT CLEAR OF THE CROWD.
U.S. MILITARY POLICE WENT LOOKING FOR THE TROUBLE MAKERS. THEY ARRESTED THREE JAPANESE AS THE CROWD ENTERED HIBAYA PARK FOR A SECOND RALLY. THE THREE PUT UP A FIGHT. CLUBS AND FISTS FLEW.
AFTER THE THREE JAPANESE WERE LED AWAY ANOTHER ROW BROKE OUT. A JAPANESE IN A MARCHING COLUMN SHOUTED ANGRILY AT THE LINE OF MILITARY POLICE. THE M.P.'S PULLED HIM OUT OF THE LINE OF MARCH.
OTHER JAPANESE IN THE COLUMN TRIED TO PREVENT THE ARREST. THERE WAS MORE PUSHING AND SHOUTING, BUT THE AMERICANS ARRESTED TWO MORE JAPANESE AND THEN FOUGHT OUT OF THE ANGRY CROWD.

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TWO MORE JAPANESE WERE ARRESTED WHEN A CROWD DESCENDED ON A POLICE STATION AND DEMANDED THE RELEASE OF THE SIX.
IN ALL, PERHAPS A DOZEN JAPANESE COMMUNISTS WERE CLUBBED. NONE WAS HURT SERIOUSLY.
THE MOOD OF THE COMMUNISTS TODAY WAS DIFFERENT FROM ANY THEY HAVE SHOWN SINCE THE OCCUPATION BEGAN. THEY ABANDONED PLANS IN 1946 TO USE VIOLENCE IN LABOR DEMONSTRATIONS WHEN GENERAL MACARTHUR THREATENED RETALIATION. WHAT COURSE HE WILL PURSUE NOW IS NOT IMMEDIATELY CLEAR.
THE COMMUNISTS SEEM TO BE TRYING TO PROVOKE RETALIATION.
THEY CAME TO THE RALLY TTODAY BRINGING THEIR OWN NURSES AND FIRST AID EQUIPMENT.
INFORMED JAPANESE SAY THE COMMUNISTS PLAN TO RELY STRONGLY ON STUDENTS AND KOREANS, WHO MAKE UP THE MORE EXCITABLE PORTION OF THE POPULATION.
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FIRST LEAD JAPANESE COMMUNISTS (ALL)
BY WILLIAM JORDEN

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TOKYO, MAY 30-(AP)-COMMUNIST-LED JAPANESE TODAY ATTACKED FOUR AMERICAN SOLDIERS IN THE FIRST PUBLIC FIGHT OF THE OCCUPATION.
THE AFFRAY TOUCHED OFF OTHER SKIRMISHES AS AMERICAN MILITARY POLICE CRACKED DOWN ON INSTIGATORS. AT LEAST EIGHT JAPANESE WERE ARRESTED.
DEMONSTRATORS, GATHERED IN IMPERIAL PLAZA FOR A COMMUNIST RALLY, SHOWERED THE AMERICAN MILITARY OBSERVERS WITH ROCKS. ONE SOLDIER WAS KNOCKED DOWN.
ONE AMERICAN WAS CAPT. C.V. CLARK OF THE TOKYO PROVOST MARSHALS OFFICE. THE OTHERS WERE A NISEI INTERPRETER AND TWO ENLISTED MEN.
ONE WITNESS SAID THE INCIDENT BEGAN WHEN MEMBERS OF A COMMUNIST YOUTH GROUP SNATCHED A NOTEBOOK FROM A JAPANESE PLAINCLOTHESMAN WHO WAS TAKING NOTES ON SPEECHES.
THE AMERICANS ATTEMPTED TO ROCOVER THE NOTEBOOK. ONE OF THE SOLDIERS WAS HIT AND STRUCK BACK. THE CROWD, IN UGLY MOOD, THREW ROCKS AT THE AMERICANS WHO FORCED THEIR WAY INTO THE CLEAR.
AMERICAN MILITARY POLICE MOVED INTO THE CROWD AS IT ENTERED HIBAYA PARK FOR A SECOND RALLY. THEY ARRESTED AT LEAST THREE JAPANESE BELIEVED TO HAVE TAKEN PART IN THE FIRST AFFRAY.
THE THREE PUT UP STIFF RESISTANCE. CLUBS AND FISTS SWUNG FREELY.
ANOTHER JAPANESE WAS PULLED OUT OF A MARCHING COLUMN WHEN HE SHOUTED AN ANTI-AMERICAN SLOGAN AS HE PASSED THE MILITARY POLICE. OTHER JAPANESE TRIED TO PREVENT THE ARREST. THE AMERICANS QUICKLY FOUGHT CLEAR OF A HOSTILE CIRCLE OF SHOUTING, PUSHING DEMONSTRATORS.
THE WHITE-HELMETED MPS PICKED UP TWO MORE JAPANESE WHO TRIED TO HELP THEIR FRIEND ESCAPE. LATER THE RED DEMONSTRATORS SENT A DELEGATION TO NEARBY MARUNOUCHI POLICE STATION TO LOUDLY DEMAND THEIR RELEASE. TWO LEADERS WERE ARRESTED.
THE FIRST RALLY WAS PEPPERED WITH ANTI-AMERICAN STATEMENTS SUCH AS:
"EXPEL THE OCCUPATION FORCES FROM JAPAN."
"REMEMBER GANDHI'S STRUGGLE AGAINST THE BRITISH IMPERIALISTS. HE DID IT. WHY DON'T YOU?"
"THOUSANDS OF WORKERS ARE BEING FIRED TO PAVE THE WAY FOR FOREIGN MONOPOLY CAPITAL AND THE ENSLAVEMENT OF JAPAN."
THE ANTI-AMERICAN DEMONSTRATION APPEARS TO BE THE FIRST FRUIT OF CRITICISM OF JAPAN'S COMMUNISTS BY THE COMINFORM, INTERNATIONAL COMMUNISM'S CENTRAL AGENCY. THE COMINFORM HAS ATTACKED JAPANESE REDS FOR TRYING TO WORK WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE OCCUPATION.
THE COMINFORM DEMANDED A STIFFER STAND AGAINST THE OCCUPATION AND "INTERNATIONAL IMPERIALISM."
THIS MORNING JAPANESE POLICE HAD PREVENTED THE RED-LED LABOR DEMONSTRATION FROM TAKING OVER IN THE PLAZA WHICH THEN WAS BEING USED FOR MEMORIAL DAY OBSERVANCES BY AMERICAN TROOPS.
THE AMERICANS INVOLVED WOULD NOT DISCUSS THE CLASH. THEY SAID THEY HAD MADE THEIR REPORT AND ANY STATEMENT WOULD HAVE TO COME FROM GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS. HEADQUARTERS SOURCES WERE NOT AVAILABLE IMMEDIATELY.
ANTI-AMERICANISM WAS THE KEYNOTE OF THE LABOR DEMONSTRATION. THE MOB WAS MADE UP OF LEFTIST UNION MEMBERS, STUDENTS AND KOREAN GROUPS. AT LEAST ONE-FOURTH OF THEM SEEMED TO BE MERELY LOOKING ON. THE REST WERE IN AN UGLY MOOD.
THE RALLY OSTENSIBLY WAS TO HONOR A JAPANESE UNION MEMBER WHO DIED DURING A LABOR DEMONSTRATION BEFORE THE TOKYO MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY MAY

30, 1949. IT WAS SPONSORED BY A COMMUNIST GROUP CALLING ITSELF THE TOKYO PEOPLES DEMOCRATIC FRONT PREPARATORY COMMITTEE.
ACTUALLY IT APPEARED TO BE AN ATTEMPT TO EMBARRASS OCCUPATION AUTHORITIES ON THIS MEMORIAL DAY.
THE DEMONSTRATION WAS CALLED FOR THE PLAZA AT 9 A.M., THE HOUR WHEN AMERICAN TROOPS SCHEDULED THEIR MEMORIAL OBSERVANCE.
WHEN THE DEMONSTRATORS TRIED TO GET ON THE PLAZA, JAPANESE POLICE TOLD THEM IT COULD NOT BE USED UNTIL LATER IN THE DAY. LABOR LEADERS HAD BEEN TOLD THE SAME THING YESTERDAY. THEY DISTRIBUTED LEAFLETS CALLING RESERVATION OF THE PLAZA FOR OCCUPAATION TROOPS "CLEARLY AN INTENTIONAL OBSTRUCTION AND SUPPRESSION."
MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS IMMEDIATELY ISSUED A STATEMENT SAYING THE PREVENTION OF THE RALLY BY JAPANESE POLICE WAS "TO AVOID CONFUSION AND NOT AT THE REQUEST OF OCCUPATION AUTHORITIES."
WHEN THE DEMONSTRATORS TOOK OVER THE PLAZA THIS AFTERNOON, THE LEADING SPEAKER WAS SANZO NOZAKA, ONE OF JAPAN'S TWO TOP COMMUNISTS. HE SAID IN A FIERY ORATION THAT CONTRASTED WITH HIS USUAL SUAVE DELIVERY:
"THIS ISN'T A PARADE GROUND. IT'S THE PEOPLES' PLAZA. AND WE MUST KEEP IT THE PEOPLES' PLAZA. WE CAN ONLY DO THAT IF THE PEOPLE TAKE OVER THE GOVERNMENT."
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SECOND NIGHT LEAD KOREAN (325)
BY O.H.P. KING.
SEOUL, WEDNESDAY, MAY 31-(AP)-SOUTH KOREAN VOTERS THREW MAJOR POLITICAL PARTIES OVERBOARD IN ELECTING A NEW NATIONAL ASSEMBLY YESTERDAY, EARLY RETURNS INDICATED TODAY. WHETHER PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE STILL WOULD CONTROL THE LEGISLATURE COULD NOT BE DETERMINED.
THE VOTE WAS RUNNING HEAVILY FOR NON-PARTISAN OR INDEPENDENT CANDIDATES WITH PARTY WARHORSES TRAILING. THIS MEANS THE NEW ASSEMBLY WILL CONTAIN MANY NEW MEMBERS OF UNCERTAIN POLITICAL ALLEGIANCE. ITS COMPLEXION WILL NOT BE KNOWN UNTIL AFTER THE NEW SESSION BEGINS JUNE 19.
WITH 60 CONTESTS DECIDED, NON-PARTISANS AND INDEPENDENTS WON 36 SEATS. THE KOREAN NATIONALIST PARTY, THE COUNTRY'S STRONGEST, WON ONLY FIVE SEATS. THE DEMOCRATIC NATIONALISTS, THE SECOND MOST POWERFUL PARTY, CAPTURED NINE.
THE KOREAN NATIONALISTS ARE PRO-RHEE; THE DEMOCRATIC NATIONALISTS FAVOR CURTAILING THE PRESIDENT'S CONSTITUTIONAL POWER.
BALLOTING WAS HEAVY THROUGHOUT THE LITTLE REPUBLIC TO CHOOSE 210 MEMBERS OF THE SINGLE HOUSE FROM A FIELD OF 2,144 CANDIDATES, TWO-THIRDS OF WHOM RAN WITHOUT PARTY AFFILIATION. MORE THAN 7,400,000 (M) OF THE 8,300,000 ELIGIBLE VOTERS WENT TO THE POLLS--A TURNOUT OF 89.3 PER CENT.
A FEW RAIDS BY COMMUNIST GUERRILLAS IN THE PROVINCES MARRED THE ELECTION AND SIX CASUALTIES WERE REPORTED IN SCATTERED VIOLENCE. THREATS BY THE COMMUNIST NORTH KOREAN RADIO THAT THE VOTING WOULD BE DISRUPTED NEVER MATERIALIZED.
IN SEVERAL RACES, THE VOTERS APPARENTLY SWUNG TO MEN THEY THOUGHT HAD BEEN PERSECUTED.
CHOUGH SO ANG, FOUNDER OF THE SOCIALIST PARTY, SCORED A THREE-TO-ONE VICTORY OVER DR. CHOUGH BYONG OK, DEMOCRATIC NATIONALIST CANDIDATE AND THE PARTY'S CHOICE FOR PREMIER. THE PRESS HAD REPORTED FALSELY THAT THE SOCIALIST LEADER HAD BEEN QUESTIONED BY POLICE THE DAY BEFORE THE ELECTION.
HIGHLIGHT RETURNS INCLUDED:
YOON CHI YUNG, VICE CHAIRMAN OF THE ASSEMBLY AND A MEMBER OF THE PRO-RHEE KOREAN NATIONALISTS, WAS DEFEATED BY A NATIONAL INDEPENTS FEDERATION CANDIDATE.
KIM DO YUN, WHO RESIGNED AS FINANCE MINISTER TO RUN FOR THE ASSEMBLY AS A DEMOCRATIC NATIONALIST LOST TO A NON-PARTISAN.
THE OPPOSITION TO RHEE HAD DEMANDED THE ELECTIONS NOW. SO DID THE U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT. RHEE WANTED THE PUT OFF, BUT HE BOWED TO THE UNITED STATES. AT U.S. PRODDING,

U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT. RHEE WANTED THEM PUT OFF, BUT HE BOWED TO THE UNITED STATES. AT U.S. PRODDING, THE PRO-RHEE ASSEMBLY HAD RAISED TAXES TO BALANCE THE BUDGET. RHEE WANTED TO GIVE THE VOERS TIME TO COOL OFF.
THE OPPOSITION WANTS TO AMEND THE CONSTITUTION AND CREATE A PRIME MINISTER RESPONSIBLE TO THE ASSEMBLY. RHEE, AN OLD FIGHTER FOR KOREAN INDEPENDENCE, WOULD BECOME A FIGUREHEAD.
THE RELATIVE QUIET ON ELECTION DAY WAS A TRIUMPH FOR KOREAN AUTHORITIES. IT WAS THEIR FIRST SELF-CONDUCTED ELECTION INHISTORY. APPROXIMATELY 87 PERCENT OF THE REGISTERED VOTE TURNED OUT, COMPARED WITH 75 PERCENT TWO YEARS AGO.
IN KOREA'S FIRST ELECTION TWO YEARS AGO, WHEN RHEE WON A FOUR-YEAR TERM, THE U.S. MILITARY GOVERNMENT WAS IN CHARGE. BUT 800 KOREANS WERE KILLED OR WOUNDED IN PRE-ELECTION VIOLENCE AND 44 WERE KILLED ON ELECTION DAY.
NINE KOREANS WERE KILLED IN PRE-ELECTION VIOLENCE THIS YEAR. THEN EARLY TODAY POLICE KILLED THREE GUERRILLAS OUT OF A BAND WHICH BURNED DOWN THE COURTHOUSE AT SANCHONG, 150 MILES SOUTH OF SEOUL. THE POLICE SUFFERED THREE CASUALTIES.
A FEW SMALL GUERRILLA RAIDS ALSO WERE REPORTED NEAR CHONGJU, 120 MILES SOUTH OF SEOUL. THERE WAS NO REPORT OF CASUALTIES, HOWEVER.
OFFICIALS CREDITED PRECAUTIONARY STEPS BY POLICE FOR THE LACK OF VIOLENCE. POLICE ARRESTED ABOUT 300 KOREANS SUSPECTED OF CONSPIRING WITH THE COMMUNIST NORTH TO MAKE TROUBLE ON ELECTION DAY.
VOTERS TOOK ADVANTAGE OF THE QUIET. THEY CARRIED PICNIC LUNCHES WITH THEM TO THE POLLS. IT WAS A LEGAL HOLIDAY AND THE WARM WEATHER SENT THOUSANDS TO PARKS AND TO THE COUNTRYSIDE.
UNITED NATIONS OBSERVER TEAMS WERE SCATTERED THROUGHOUT SOUTH KOREA TO WATCH THE CONDUCT OF THE ELECTION.
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KOREAN ELECTIONS (330)
BY O.H.P.KING
SEOUL, KOREA, MAY 30-(AP)-SMALL SCALE TERRORIST RAIDS AND ISOLATED ACTS OF VIOLENCE ERUPTED TODAY AS SOUTH KOREANS BALLOTED FOR A NEW NATIONAL ASSEMBLY.
BUT THE MAJOR DISRUPTIONS PROMISED BY COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA IN BROADCASTS FROM PYONGYANG DID NOT MATERIALIZE. POLICE OFFICIALS SAID PRE-ELECTION CRACKDOWNS ON ABOUT 500 SUSPECTS HAD LEFT COMMUNIST ELEMENTS LEADERLESS.
BETWEEN 6.000.000 AND 8.000.000 VOTERS WERE TO CAST BALLOTS TO

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FILL THE 210 SEATS IN THE SOUTH KOREA REPUBLIC'S SINGLE HOUSE.
LAST MINUTE WITHDRAWALS CUT THE NUMBER OF CANDIDATES TO 2,144, REPRESENTING 15 PARTIES. MORE THAN TWO-THIRDS WERE LISTED AS INDEPENDENTS.

THIS WAS THE FIRST SELF-CONDUCTED ELECTION IN KOREA'S 4,000 YEAR HISTORY.

TWO YEARS AGO, THE U.S.MILITARY GOVERNMENT SUPERVISED THE ELECTION. KOREA FOR 50 YEARS BEFORE THE END OF WORLD WAR II HAD BEEN UNDER JAPANESE CONTROL.

PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE, 75, WHO CAMPAIGNED LAST WEEK IN BEHALF OF HIS SUPPORTERS, VOTED AT 7 A.M. TODAY WITH MRS.RHEE. HE WAS ELECTED TWO YEARS AGO FOR A FOUR YEAR TERM.

ALTHOUGH HE IS NOT FACING AN ELECTION, RHEE'S POWER IN THE ASSEMBLY IS AT ISSUE. OPPONENTS WANT TO RESTRICT HIS CONSTITUTIONAL POWERS BY GIVING THE PRIME MINISTER THE POWER TO APPOINT A CABINET.

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RHEE SAID JUST BEFORE THE ELECTION, "SO LONG AS I AM ALIVE THE PRESENT CONSTITUTION SHALL NOT BE AMENDED."

SEVEN TEAMS OF UNITED NATIONS OBSERVERS WATCHED THE ELECTION.

ARTHUR B.JAMIESON OF AUSTRALIA, ACTING CHAIRMAN OF THE U.N. COMMISSION FOR KOREA, HEADED A TEAM AT CHONGJU, 120 MILES SOUTH OF SEOUL.

AN ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT REPORTED SMALL SCALE RAIDS SOUTH OF CHONGU. FOUR CANDIDATES WERE ARRESTED THERE AND OTHERS WERE QUESTIONED BY POLICE.

THIRTY GUERRILLAS SWEPT DOWN FROM THE CHIRI MOUNTAINS AND BURNED THE COURTHOUSE AT SANCHONG, 150 MILES SOUTH OF SEOUL. POLICE KILLED THREE AND SUFFERED THREE CASUALTIES.

ABOUT 30 TERRORISTS INVADED THE SEOUL HOME OF CHO SO ANG, HEAD OF THE SOCIALIST PARTY AND A CANDIDATE, POLICE SAID. THEY BEAT UP HIS CHAUFFEUR.

IN THE ELECTIONS TWO YEARS AGO, ABOUT 900 PERSONS WERE KILLED AND WOUNDED. COMMUNISTS SNIPED AT VOTERS AS THEY WENT TO THE POLLS.

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KOREAN PLANES

SEOUL, KOREA, MAY 30-(AP)-U.S. AMBASSADOR JOHN J. MUCCIO SAID TONIGHT THE HIGHEST LEVELS IN WASHINGTON WILL DETERMINE IF AND WHEN THE SOUTH KOREA REPUBLIC WILL GET AMERICAN WARPLANES.

MUCCIO SAID DISCUSSION OF THIS MATTER RECENTLY IN WASHINGTON DELAYED HIS RETURN TO SEOUL FOR FIVE DAYS. HE RETURNED TWO WEEKS AGO.

THE AMBASSADOR TERMED AS PREMATURE REPORTS THAT AMERICAN PLANES NOW IN JAPAN WOULD BE GIVEN TO SOUTH KOREA WHEN THEY ARE REPLACED BY JET AIRCRAFT. BUT HE SAID THE SUBJECT HAD BEEN DISCUSSED.

"IT WOULD BE COMFORTING TO KNOW THAT AN ADEQUATE AIR DEFENSE WERE HERE TO PROTECT US SHOULD THE (COMMUNIST) NORTH KOREANS ATTACK US," MUCCIO SAID.

BRIG. GEN. WILLIAM L. ROBERTS URGED AN EARLY BUILD-UP OF SOUTH KOREA'S AIR STRENGTH. HE SAID ITS GROUND SUPERIORITY PROBABLY WOULD BE LOST BECAUSE OF NORTH KOREA'S SUPERIOR AIR POWER IN EVENT OF AN INVASION.

ROBERTS SAID: KOREA NEEDS AN AIR FORCE. WE KNOW LOTS OF U.S. PLLANES SUCH AS C-47S AND F-51S ARE GOING OBSOLESCENT AND WE PROBABLY WILL GET SOME OF THEM EVENTUALLY."

ROBERTS, CHIEF OF THE KOREAN MILITARY ADVISORY GROUP, SAID THE MATTER RESTED WITH THE NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL IN WASHINGTON.

PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE SAID RECENTLY: "WE HEAR OF SCRAP PILES OF WEAPONS IN JAPAN. WHY WE CANNOT HAVE THEM I DON'T KNOW."

THE KOREAN DEFENSE MINISTRY SAID SOUTH KOREA HAS 30 PLANES COMPARED TO MORE THAN 180 IN COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA.

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HANOI, INDOCHINA, MAY 30-(AP)-ALL DAILY NEWSPAPERS PRINTED HERE IN THE ANNAMITE LANGUAGE RECEIVED FOUR DAY SUSPENSIONS TODAY FOR PROTESTING AGAINST THE ESTABLISHMENT OF CENSORSHIP. THE SUSPENSIONS WERE ORDERED BY VIETNAMESE PREMIER TRAN VAN HUU.

THE NEWSPAPER HAD DECIDED NOT TO PUBLISH FOR TWO DAYS AS A PROTEST AGAINST THE CENSORSHIP. OTHER PUBLICATIONS WHICH JOINED THE PROTEST MOVEMENT WERE SUSPENDED FOR TWO WEEKS.

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BY STANLEY CARTER

HONOLULU, MAY 30-(AP)-MILLIONS OF FLOWERS BRIGHTENED TODAY THE GRAVES OF WAR CORRESPONDENT ERNIE PYLE AND 12,500 AMERICAN WAR DEAD IN PUNCHBOWL CRATER OVERLOOKING THIS CITY.

IT WAS A TYPICALLY HAWAIIAN OUTPOURING OF REVERENCE, EXPRESSED IN THE FRAGRANT CARNATIONS AND GINGER, THE COLORFUL ORCHIDS AND PLUMERIA WHICH GROW EVERYWHERE HERE.

ISLANDERS WERE ASKED TO MAKE A LEI FOR MEMORIAL DAY . FROM EVERY CORNER OF THE ISLAND THE FLOWERS POURED INTO HONOLULU, 42,500 LEIS, IN ALL ABOUT 3,500,000 BLOSSOMS.

BOY SCOUTS LAST NIGHT DRAPPED THE LEIS ON THE WHITE CROSSES OF PUNCHBOWL.

SOMEONE PLACED TWO BASKETS OF FLOWERS--AND TWO GARDENIAS--ON PYLE'S GRAVE. THE BELOVED WAR CORRESPONDENT OF THE "LITTLE GUY" WAS KILLED ON IE SHIMA, NEAR OKINAWA, LATE IN THE WAR.

IT WAS, TOO, THE FIRST MEMORIAL DAY FOR THE NATIONAL MEMORIAL CEMETERY OF THE PACIFIC. THE CEMETERY WAS OPENED LAST JULY 9, WITH THE BURIAL OF PYLE. IT WAS DEDICATED SEPT. 2, FOURTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE END OF THE WAR.

PUNCHBOWL IS A LONG-QUIET VOLCANO THRUSTING UPWARD FROM THE HEART OF HONOLULU. ONE CAN SEE, FROM THE CRATER, THE GLISTENING LOCHS OF PEARL HARBOR, WHERE THE WAR STARTED.

THE DEAD BURRIED HERE ARE THOSE WHOSE NEXT OF KIN WANTED THEM TO REMAIN IN THE PACIFIC, WHERE THEY DIED IN SERVICE OF THEIR COUNTRY.

MEMORIAL SERVICES WERE PLANNED AT MID-MORNING. AND LATER, THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS WILL STREW FLOWERS OVER THE SEA IN MEMORY OF THOSE WHO DIED ON THE PACIFIC OCEAN.

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NIGHT LEAD
HONOLULU,MAY 30-(AP)-FLOWERS WERE STREWN OVER THE WATERS OF PEARL HARBOR TODAY IN TRIBUTE TO THE MEN WHO DIED THERE IN THE JAPANESE ATTACK OF 1941.
MORE THAN 1,000 MEN WHO DIED THAT DAY LIE IN THE RUSTING HULK OF THE BATTLESHIP ARIZONA. THE CEREMONY ALSO HONORED THOSE WHO DIED AT SEA IN THE PACIFIC WAR.
THOUSANDS ATTENDED MEMORIAL DAY SERVICES IN PUNCH BOWL CEMETERY, WHERE 12,500 WAR DEAD FROM ALL OVER THE NATION LIE. THE CEMETERY LOOKS DOWN ON THE GREAT NAVAL BASE WHERE THE WAR BEGAN.
THE GRAVES WERE DECORATED YESTERDAY WITH 42,000 FRESH FLOWER LEIS MADE IN HAWAII'S HOMES AND CLASSROOMS.
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NIGHT LEAD BAGUIO (300)
BY DON HUTH
BAGUIO, PHILIPPINES, MAY 30-(AP)-THE BAGUIO CONFERENCE ENDED TODAY ON A NOTE OF CO-OPERATING FOR PEACE IN THE WORLD.
THE CONFERENCE OF SEVEN SOUTHEAST ASIAN NATIONS FELL FAR SHORT OF THE CLOSE POLITICAL UNION ENVISIONED BY THE PHILIPPINES FOR THIS COMMUNIST-TROUBLED PART OF THE WORLD. NO UNION OF ANY KIND WAS PROVIDED FOR.
YET CONFERENCE PRESIDENT CARLOS P. ROMULO TOLD THE CLOSING SESSION THAT THE FIVE DAYS OF MEETINGS HAD SIGNALLED CLOSER TEAMWORK AMONG THE PARTICIPATING COUNTRIES IN THE INTEREST OF WORLD PEACE.
"MANY TANGIBLE BENEFITS HAVE ACCRUED," HE ADDED. "A HEIGHTENED FEELING OF COMRADESHIP, A RICHER FUND OF KNOWLEDGE AND MUTUAL UNDERSTANDING ABOUT MATTERS OF COMMON CONCERN TO US, GREATER CONFIDENCE THAT WE CAN ACCOMPLISH CERTAIN TASKS MORE EASILY TOGETHER THAN SEPARATELY."
WHILE THE CONFERENCE PROPOSED NO FINAL SOLUTIONS FOR THE REGION'S PROBLEMS, ROMULO CALLED IT "THE BEGINNING OF A MAJOR HISTORICAL DEVELOPMENT IN ASIA."
THE CONFERENCE DREW UP A RESOLUTION FOR APPROVAL OF THE HOME GOVERNMENTS ASKING A VOICE IN ANY INTERNATIONAL DECISIONS AFFECTING SOUTHEAST ASIA.
THE DELEGATES TOOK NO ACTION ON THE PHILIPPINES PROPOSAL FOR A PERMANENT ORGANIZATION. INSTEAD, THEY AGREED TO CLOSER CO-OPERATION ON ECONOMIC, SOCIAL AND CULTURAL PROBLEMS RANGING FROM ILLITERACY TO BALANCED ECONOMIES.
OBSERVERS FELT THE WEAKNESS OF THE CONFERENCE, ATTENDED BY AUSTRALIA, INDIA, PAKISTAN, THAILAND, CEYLON, INDONESIA AND THE PHILIPPINES, WAS IN THE LACK OF POLITICAL DECISIONS.
PRESIDENT ELPIDIO QUIRINO ORIGINATED THE CONFERENCE IDEA AS A UNION TO STEM THE RISING TIDE OF COMMUNISM IN SOUTHEAST ASIA. NATIONALIST CHINA AND SOUTH KOREA LIKED THIS PLAN.
SOME OF THE SEVEN NATIONS REFUSED TO ATTEND UNLESS THE POLITICAL QUESTION WAS DODGED AND THEY WERE ASSURED THE CONFERENCE WAS NOT AGAINST ANYONE. THE UPSHOT WAS THAT KOREA AND CHINA WERE NOT INVITED.
THERE IS NO INDICATION WHETHER ANY FUTURE CONFERENCES WILL BE HELD. INSTEAD DELEGATES AGREED TO ASK THEIR GOVERNMENTS TO ALLOW ROMULO TO COMMUNICATE WITH THE GOVERNMENTS FROM TIME TO TIME ON THE PROGRESS OF THE CONFERENCE'S RECOMMENDATIONS.
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BAGUIO (300)
BY DON HUTH
BAGUIO, PHILIPPINES, MAY 30-(AP)-CARLOS P.ROMULO TODAY TOLD DELEGATES TO THE SEVEN-NATION SOUTHEAST ASIA CONFERENCE THEIR FIVE-DAY TALKS HAD PAVED THE WAY TO CLOSER COOPERATION "IN THE INTEREST OF WORLD PEACE."
SPEAKING AT THE CLOSING PLENARY SESSION, THE CONFERENCE PRESIDENT AND PHILIPPINES FOREIGN SECRETARY SAID:
"MANY TANGIBLE BENEFITS HAVE ACCRUED... MUTUAL UNDERSTANDING ABOUT MATTERS OF COMMON CONCERN TO US, GREATER CONFIDENCE THAT WE CAN ACCOMPLISH CERTAIN TASKS MORE EASILY TOGETHER THAN SEPARATELY."
THE CONFERENCE DREW UP A RESOLUTION FOR APPROVAL BY THE INDIVIDUAL GOVERNMENTS POLITELY ASKING A VOICE IN ANY INTERNATIONAL DECISIONS AFFECTING THIS REGION. GOVERNMENTS REPRESENTED WERE AUSTRALIA, INDIA, PAKISTAN, CEYLON, THAILAND (SIAM), INDONESIA AND THE PHILIPPINES.
BUT TO OBSERVERS, THE CONFERENCE SEEMED TO FALL FAR SHORT OF BINDING THE NATIONS POLITICALLY INTO A CLOSER REGIONAL UNIT.
WHEN THE CONFERENCE FIRST WAS CONCEIVED BY PHILIPPINES PRESIDENT ELPIDIO QUIRINO, THE ANNOUNCED PURPOSE WAS TO FORM A UNION TO STEM THE RUSH OF COMMUNISM IN THE FAR EAST. NATIONALIST CHINA AND SOUTH KOREA HAILED THE IDEA. OTHER NATIONS BALKED.
THE CONFERENCE LATER WAS PATTERNED ALONG ECONOMIC, CULTURAL AND SOCIAL LINES "NOT AGAINST ANYBODY." NATIONALIST CHINA AND SOUTH KOREA WERE NOT INVITED.

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THE PHILIPPINES DELEGATION PROPOSED A PERMANENT REGIONAL ORGANIZATION. THE PROPOSAL EMERGED HEAVILY WATERED DOWN. THE DELEGATES AGREED TO RECOMMEND TO THEIR GOVERNMENTS THAT ROMULO COMMUNICATE WITH THEM REGULARLY ON PROGRESS OF CONFERENCE RECOMMENDATIONS.
FUTURE NEGOTIATIONS, IF ANY, WILL BE CARRIED ON THROUGH REGULAR DIPLOMATIC CHANNELS.
ON THE POSITIVE SIDE, THE FACT THAT SEVEN NATIONS HAVE JOINED IN TALKING OVER COMMON PROBLEMS WAS SEEN AS A STEP TOWARD CLOSER UNITY.
ROMULO CONCEDED THAT THE CONFERENCE'S DECLARATION OF PRINCIPLES "PROPOSES NO FINAL SOLUTION FOR THE COMPLEX AND DIFFICULT PROBLEMS OF OUR REGION." BUT HE CALLED THE MEETING "THE BEGINNING OF A MAJOR HISTORIC DEV

HISTORIC DEVELOPMENT IN ASIA."
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MANILA, MAY 30-(AP)-AMERICAN NAVAL FORCES IN THE PACIFIC ARE ADEQUATE TO MEET ANY EMERGENCY, THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF OF THE U.S. PACIFIC FLEET SAID TODAY.
ADM.ARTHUR W.RADFORD SAID NO IMMEDIATE STRENGTHENING OF NAVAL FORCES IN THIS PART OF THE WORLD IS CONTEMPLATED. HE SPOKE BRIEFLY ON ARRIVING FOR A BRIEF INSPECTION OF BASES IN THE PHILIPPINES.
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JERUSALEM, MAY 30-(AP)-GREEK ORTHODOX CLERGY ATTENDED A RUSSIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH SERVICE IN JERUSALEM LAST NIGHT AND OBSERVERS CONSIDERED THIS HIGHLY SIGNIFICANT.

IT WAS THE FIRST TIME IN 38 YEARS THAT GREEKS ATTENDED A RUSSIAN SERVICE HERE. THE LAST TIME WAS BEFORE THE FIRST WORLD WAR. AFTER THE RUSSIAN REVOLUTION THE RUSSIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH NO LONGER HAD CONTACT WITH EASTERN ORTHODOX CHURCHES OUTSIDE THE SOVIET ORBIT.

SOME QUARTERS HERE CONSIDERED LAST NIGHT'S EVENT AN OPEN DEMONSTRATION OF GREEK-RUSSIAN ORTHODOX UNITY AGAINST THE VATICAN. IT WAS NOTABLE THAT THE COLORFUL EASTERN PENTECOST SERVICE, HELD IN THE GREEN-DOMED RUSSIAN CHURCH OF THE NEW CITY, WAS ATTENDED BY A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE SOVIET EMBASSY, WHO CAME FROM TEL AVIV. ALSO IN ATTENDANCE WERE THE CONSULS OF POLAND, CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND GREECE IN JERUSALEM.

ARCHBISHOP ATHENAGORAS, REPRESENTING THE GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH AS PATRIARCH OF JERUSALEM, ACCOMPANIED BY FATHER NARKISSUS, POLITICAL ADVISER TO THE PATRIARCHATE, CROSSED THE LINES FROM THE OLD CITY SUNDAY. THEY WERE GREETED AND LED INTO THE NEW CITY BY BISHOP VLADIMIR, HEAD OF THE RUSSIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH IN JERUSALEM.

ARMENIAN CHURCH DIGNITARIES ALSO WERE IN ATTENDANCE. THE PRESENCE OF RUSSIANS, GREEKS AND ARMENIANS WAS CONSIDERED BY QUALIFIED OBSERVERS TO BE OF HIGH IMPORTANCE.

RECENTLY, GREEK ECCLESIASTICS AND RUSSIANS IN THE HOLY CITY WERE REPORTED TO HAVE FOUND COMMON GROUND IN OPPOSITION TO THE VATICAN'S PLANS FOR STRENGTHENING THE POSITION OF THE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH IN JERUSALEM.

SOME OBSERVERS LINK THIS WITH THE RECENT MOSCOW TURNABOUT ON INTERNATIONALIZATION OF JERUSALEM. THE SOVIET UNION, WHICH HAD FAVORED INTERNATIONALIZATION, LATER DECLARED ITSELF OPPOSED TO THE UNITED NATIONS PLAN.
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A51 (180)
CAIRO, MAY 30-(AP)-A MEMBER OF THE EGYPTIAN PARLIAMENT LAST NIGHT PROPOSED THAT EGYPT SIGN A NON-AGGRESSION PACT WITH RUSSIA AS A COUNTER TO THE WESTERN BIG THREE'S OFFER TO SUPPLY ARMS TO THE ARAB STATES AND ISRAEL.

NUREDDIN TARRAF OF THE SMALL BUT INFLUENTIAL NATIONALIST PARTY TOLD PARLIAMENT THE ARMS OFFER BY THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE WAS "AN ATTEMPT TO PLACE THE MIDDLE EAST UNDER A WESTERN POWERS MANDATE."

NAMING BRITAIN AS EGYPT'S ENEMY, TARRAF URGED THE PACT WITH RUSSIA AND SAID, "THOUGH WE HATE COMMUNISM, WE MUST PROTECT OURSELVES."

THE ARMS PROPOSAL, WHICH THE WESTERN POWERS SAID WOULD STABILIZE THE MIDDLE EAST AND GIVE IT THE MEANS OF DEFENSE AGAINST COMMUNISM, ALSO WAS CRITICIZED BY MOHAMED BELAL OF THE RULING WAFDIST PARTY AND TEWFICK KHASHABA OF THE LIBERAL PARTY.

BELAL SAID THE PROPOSAL DID NOT "FAVOR THE ASPIRATIONS OF THE ARAB COUNTRIES." HE CHARGED THE UNITED STATES IS SUPPORTING ISRAEL FINANCIALLY.

KHASHABA URGED A STRENGTHENING OF THE EGYPTIAN ARMY AND DEMANDED THAT THE GOVERNMENT STEP UP ITS EFFORT TO SEEK REMOVAL FROM EGYPT OF BRITISH TROOPS, WHO NOW OCCUPY THE SUEZ CANAL AREA.

THE THREE WESTERN POWERS ANNOUNCED LAST WEEK THEY HAD AGREED TO ALLOW ISRAEL AND THE ARAB COUNTRIES TO PURCHASE ARMS. THE ARABS HAVE BEEN GETTING ARMS FROM BRITAIN UNDER EXISTING TREATY ARRANGEMENTS. THE NEW AGREEMENT WAS VIEWED AS A MEANS OF GIVING ISRAEL A SIMILAR CHANCE AT NEEDED ARMS.
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SANTIAGO, CHILE, MAY 30-(AP)-THE REV. MARTIN NIEMOELLER, ANTI-NAZI GERMAN PROTESTANT LEADER, WAS ATTACKED AS A "TRAITOR TO GERMANY'S CAUSE" DURING A SERMON HE PREACHED HERE, IT WAS LEARNED TODAY.

TWO CHILEAN YOUTHS OF GERMAN PARENTAGE REBUKED THE PASTOR AND TOLD HIM HE "SHOULD HAVE BEEN SHOT" BY A FIRING SQUAD. THE REV. NIEMOELLER, WHO WAS ONCE A PRISONER IN A NAZI CONCENTRATION CAMP, CALMLY REPLIED:

"IT IS EASY TO SEE THAT YOU NEVER HAD THE OPPORTUNITY TO SEE THOUSANDS OF CADAVERS PILED UP IN CONCENTRATION CAMPS."

THE GERMAN LUTHERAN LEADER TODAY VISITED VALPARAISO WHERE HE PREACHED TO A FILLED CHURCH. TOMORROW HE WILL LEAVE FOR BUENOS AIRES ENROUTE TO GERMANY.
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B13 (Q)
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OTTAWA, CANADA, MAY 30-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER LOUIS ST. LAURENT TODAY WELCOMED PAKISTAN'S PRIME MINISTER LIAQUAT ALI KHAN WHO ARRIVED HERE BY PLANE ON HIS FIRST OFFICIAL VISIT TO CANADA'S CAPITAL.

UNDER A RAINY SKY, LIAQUAT ALI MOUNTED A DAIS AT ROCKCLIFFE AIR STATION TO RECEIVE A GENERAL SALUTE FROM A 100-MAN ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE GUARD OF HONOR. HE LATER INSPECTED THE UNIT.

THE VISITING PRIME MINISTER AND HIS WIFE, AFTER THE CEREMONIES, WERE DRIVEN TO GOVERNMENT HOUSE WHERE THEY WILL BE GUESTS OF THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL VISCOUNT ALEXANDER AND LADY ALEXANDER.
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A64WX
(460) NIGHT LEAD COMMUNISTS
WASHINGTON, MAY 30-(AP)-SENATOR MCCARTHY FILED A FORMAL DEMAND TONIGHT THAT THE SIX PERSONS ARRESTED IN THE AMERASIA MAGAZINE CASE OF 1945 BE QUESTIONED IN THE INVESTIGATION OF HIS CHARGES THAT REDS INFEST THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

THE WISCONSIN REPUBLICAN, RECALLING THE ALLEGATIONS OF THEFT OF SECRET DOCUMENTS FROM GOVERNMENT WAR AGENCIES, WROTE CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD) OF THE INVESTIGATING SENATE SUBCOMMITTEE:

"AS I HAVE PREVIOUSLY POINTED OUT, THE AMERASIA CASE IS IN MY OPINION THE KEY TO THE COMMUNIST FIFTH COLUMN IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT."

THE SIX ORIGINALLY ARRESTED IN THE AMERASIA AFFAIR WERE JOHN S. SERVICE, VETERAN CAREER OFFICER IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT; PHILIP JAFFE, EDITOR OF THE NOW-SUSPENDED PUBLICATION SPECIALIZING IN FAR EASTERN AFFAIRS; KATE MITCHELL, CO-EDITOR; MARK GAYN, FREE-LANCE WRITER; ANDREW ROTH, NAVAL INTELLIGENCE OFFICER, AND EMMANUEL S. LARSEN, A

STATE DEPARTMENT EMPLOYE.

A FEDERAL GRAND JURY DECLINED TO INDICT SERVICE, GAYN OR MISS MITCHELL. THE CHARGES AGAINST ROTH WERE DROPPED. JAFFE WAS FINED $2,500 AND LARSEN $500.

MCCARTHY, ACCUSING SERVICE OF PRO-COMMUNIST LEANINGS, HAS MADE THE FOREIGN SERVICE OFFICER ONE OF THE CHIEF TARGETS IN HIS CAMPAIGN OF CHARGES THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT IS RIDDLED WITH SUBVERSIVES.

SERVICE, NOW UNDERGOING A NEW LOYALTY INVESTIGATION BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT, HAS STRONGLY DENIED THE SENATOR'S ACCUSATION.

THE AMERASIA CASE BROKE WITH A RAID ON THE MAGAZINE'S NEW YORK OFFICE IN MARCH, 1945, BY FRANK BIELASKI OF THE OFFICE OF STRATEGIC SERVICES (OSS). THE FBI RAIDED THE OFFICE THREE MONTHS LATER. IN BOTH RAIDS FEDERAL AGENTS REPORTED TURNING UP NUMEROUS GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS.

THE SENATE INVESTIGATORS ALREADY HAVE QUESTIONED WILLIAM J. DONOVAN, WARTIME HEAD OF THE OSS; ARCHBOLD VAN BEUREN, ONE OF HIS AIDES; BIELASKI, AND ROBERT M.HITCHCOCK, NOW A BUFFALO,N.Y., ATTORNEY, WHO HANDLED THE PROSECUTION FOR THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT.

HITCHCOCK TESTIFIED LAST WEEK THAT THE PROSECUTION CASE WAS WRECKED BY THE FACT THAT THE RAIDS WERE CONDUCTED WITHOUT SEARCH WARRANTS, WHICH MADE THE SEIZURE OF PAPERS QUESTIONABLE.

MCCARTHY WROTE TYDINGS TODAY THAT IT IS TIME NOW TO GET WHATEVER PART OF THE STORY CAN BE OBTAINED FROM THE SIX ORIGINALLY ACCUSED. HE SAID THEY NEVER HAVE BEEN PUT UNDER OATH TO TELL IT.

HE TOLD TYDINGS:

"THE MAGAZINE AMERASIA WAS ESTABLISHED FOR THE PURPOSE OF INFLUENCING THE FAR EASTERN POLICY OF OUR STATE DEPARTMENT. IN THIS IT WAS SUCCESSFUL.

"ONE OF ITS MAJOR JOBS IN THIS CONNECTION WAS TO SIPHON SECRET DOCUMENTS OUT OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT IN ORDER TO KEEP ITS OPERATIVES INFORMED ON U.S. DIPLOMATIC AND MILITARY PLANS. IN THIS IT WAS ALSO SUCCESSFUL."

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IN HIS LETTER MCCARTHY RENEWED HIS FREQUENT DEMAND THAT HE BE ALLOWED TO CROSS-EXAMINE WITNESSES, ESPECIALLY THOSE TESTIFYING ON THE AMERASIA MATTER.

"NEVER BEFORE TO MY KNOWLEDGE HAS THE CHAIRMAN OF A SENATE COMMITTEE TAKEN IT UPON HIMSELF TO DISREGARD SO ARBITRARILY THE RIGHTS OF THE MINORITY BY CONTINUOUSLY REFUSING THE RIGHT OF CROSS-EXAMINATION TO A MEMBER OF THE MINORITY PARTY WHO HAS DEVOTED MONTHS OF INVESTIGATION TO THE SUBJECT BEFORE THE COMMITTEE," MCCARTHY WROTE.

TYDINGS, BACKED BY A COMMITTEE MAJORITY, HAS DECLINED TO PERMIT QUESTIONING BY MCCARTHY EXCEPT IN QUERIES SUBMITTED THROUGH MEMBERS OF THE SUBCOMMITTEE.

THE INVESTIGATING GROUP PLANS TO HEAR TOMORROW FROM D.M.LADD, CHIEF OF THE FBI SECURITY DIVISION, WITH SPECIAL REFERENCE TO THE AMERASIA CASE.

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(400) PMS BUDGET

SUPREME COURT

BY PAUL M.YOST

WASHINGTON,MAY 30-(AP)-THE SUPREME COURT HAS CLEARED THE WAY FOR A FINAL GOVERNMENT EFFORT TO THROW 21 MORE MEN AND WOMEN INTO PRISON ON CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS CHARGES.

ALL 21 CASES GREW OUT OF COMMUNIST INVESTIGATIONS BY THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES.

BY A VOTE OF 6 TO 2 THE HIGH TRIBUNAL YESTERDAY REFUSED FOR THE SECOND TIME TO GRANT HEARINGS TO FILM WRITERS JOHN HOWARD LAWSON AND DALTON TRUMBO. THEIR CONTEMPT CONVICTIONS IN U.S. DISTRICT COURT HERE WERE FOR REFUSING TO TELL THE HOUSE COMMITTEE WHETHER THEY ARE COMMUNISTS.

AT THE SAME TIME THE COURT AGAIN REJECTED AN APPEAL BY DR.EDWARD K.BARSKY AND 10 OTHER LEADERS OF THE JOINT ANTI-FASCIST REFUGEE COMMITTEE.

THEY WERE CONVICTED, ALSO IN U.S. DISTRICT COURT HERE, OF CONTEMPT FOR REFUSING TO PRODUCE RECORDS SUBPOENAED BY THE HOUSE COMMITTEE. THE HIGH COURT BY A VOTE OF 5 TO 2 REFUSED TO REVIEW THEIR TRIAL. TWO YEARS AGO IT UNANIMOUSLY REFUSED A REVIEW.

OFFICIAL NOTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT'S DENIALS WILL BE SENT TO THE DISTRICT COURT HERE BY THURSDAY. GOVERNMENT ATTORNEYS THEN WILL ASK DISTRICT COURT JUDGES TO ORDER IMMEDIATE EXECUTION OF PRISON SENTENCES.

LAWSON AND TRUMBO EACH FACE A YEAR'S IMPRISONMENT. THEY ALSO WERE FINED $1,000 EACH.

IN NEW YORK YESTERDAY LAWSON TOLD REPORTERS HE PROBABLY WOULD SURRENDER HERE, BUT SAID HE DID NOT KNOW WHEN HE WOULD BEGIN HIS SENTENCE.

LAWSON TOLD NEWSMEN THAT THE SUPREME COURT'S ACTION AUTHORIZED ANY COMMITTEE OF CONGRESS TO "EXERCISE POWERS OF CENSORSHIP WHICH ARE CLEARLY FORBIDDEN BY THE FIRST AMENDMENT" TO THE CONSTITUTION.

EIGHT OTHER FILM FIGURES WERE CITED FOR CONTEMPT WITH LAWSON AND TRUMBO. THE U.S. ATTORNEY'S OFFICE HERE PLANS TO PRESS FOR IMMEDIATE DISPOSITION OF THEIR CASES.

THE EIGHT AGREED TO ACCEPT THE LAW HELD TO BE BINDING IN THE LAWSON AND TRUMBO CASES. THEY WAIVED A JURY TRIAL AND AGREED TO SUBMIT THEIR CASES TO THE DISTRICT COURT FOR DECISION ON THE BASIS OF THE RECORD.

GOVERNMENT ATTORNEYS SAID THEY PLAN TO ASK THE DISTRICT COURT TO DISPOSE PROMPTLY OF THESE EIGHT CASES. THE EIGHT ARE: RING LARDNER,JR., ALBERT MALTZ, ALVAH BESSIE, SAMUEL ORNITZ, HERBERT BIBERMAN, EDWARD DYMTRYK, ADRIAN SCOTT AND LESTER COLE.

BARSKY FACES SIX MONTHS BEHIND BARS. HIS 10 ASSOCIATES IN THE ANTI-FASCIST COMMITTEE GOT SENTENCES OF THREE MONTHS EACH. IN ADDITION, ALL 11 WERE FINED $500.

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BARSKY ISSUED A STATEMENT IN NEW YORK SAYING: "BY ABDICATING THEIR RIGHT AND DUTY TO PASS UPON THE CONSTITUTIONALITY OF THE HOUSE COMMITTEE, THE SUPREME COURT AFFIRMS THE THEORY X X X THAT TO BE ANTI-FRANCO AND PRO-SPANISH REPUBLICAN IS TO BE DISLOYAL TO THE UNITED STATES."

ALL THOSE IN THE ANTI-FASCIST CASE ARE NEW YORK CITY RESIDENTS. IN ADDITION TO BARSKY THEY ARE:

JACOB AUSLANDER, LYMAN R.BRADLEY, MARJORIE CHODOROV, HOWARD FAST, HARRY M.JUSTIZ, RUTH LEIDER, JAMES LUSTIG, MANUEL MAGAÑA, LOUIS MILLER AND CHARLOTTE STERN.

EARLIER THIS MONTH EUGENE DENNIS, THE U.S. COMMUNIST PARTY SECRETARY, BEGAN SERVING A SENTENCE OF ONE YEAR IN PRISON FOR CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS. HIS CONVICTION WAS FOR REFUSING TO APPEAR BEFORE THE HOUSE COMMITTEE THREE YEARS AGO.

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A72WX (200)
(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 11 A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, TUESDAY, MAY 30)
MCCARTHY-MEMORIAL DAY
(ADVANCE)...(WX)...WEST ALLIS, WIS., MAY 30-(AP)-SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) SAID TODAY THE NATION IS HONOR-BOUND TO SECURE PEACE AND FULFILL THE PROMISE TO THE DEAD OF WORLD WAR II "THAT THEY DIED FOR SOMETHING WORTHWHILE."
MCCARTHY ALSO ASKED FOR A NATIONAL REDEDICATION TO THE TASK OF CARING FOR THE WAR CRIPPLED, AND THE WIDOWS AND ORPHANS OF THE WAR DEAD.
THE WISCONSIN LAWMAKER, WHO HAS CHARGED THE STATE DEPARTMENT WITH HARBORING COMMUNISTS, MADE ONLY PASSING REFERENCES TO COMMUNISM IN HIS PREPARED MEMORIAL DAY ADDRESS.
INSTEAD, HE CHALLENGED AMERICANS TO WORK TOGETHER TO PAY THE NATION'S OBLIGATIONS TO THOSE CRIPPLED, WIDOWED AND ORPHANED BY WAR AND "TO LAY THE GROUND-WORK AT LONG LAST FOR A WORLD WITHOUT WAR AND WITHOUT UNNECESSARY WANT."
MCCARTHY SAID THAT VETERANS' HOSPITALS SHOULD BE BUILT "IN THE FINEST RESORT AREAS IN THE NATION" INSTEAD OF ON "SUN BAKED SAND DUNES TO SUIT THE WHIM OF SOME SENATOR OR REPRESENTATIVE SEEKING VOTES." HE ADDED:
"AS WORLD WAR II FADES INTO THE PAST, EACH YEAR, EACH MONTH, EACH WEEK, EACH DAY, WE ARE MORE AND MORE STARTING TO TREAT THOSE WHO WERE CRIPPLED MENTALLY AND PHYSICALLY, AND THE WIDOWS AND ORPHANS OF THOSE WHO WERE KILLED, AS RELIEF CLIENTS, TREATING THEM AS THOUGH WHAT THEY ARE GETTING IS NOT A DEBT BEING PAID BUT RATHER CHARITY BEING GIVEN."
(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 11 A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, TUESDAY, MAY 30)
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B8WX (REDS-FORMOSA & HU CHAIRMANSHIP) (Q)
(250) RED CHINA
WASHINGTON,MAY 30-(AP)-RUSSIAN AIRFORCE PERSONNEL, INCLUDING JET PLANE PILOTS WITH THEIR AIRCRAFT, PROBABLY ARE TAKING PART IN CHINESE COMMUNIST PREPARATIONS TO ATTACK THE CHINESE NATIONALIST STRONGHOLD OF FORMOSA, ACCORDING TO REPORTS TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT.
THESE REPORTS COME FROM AMERICAN DIPLOMATIC AUTHORITIES WHO WERE IN SHANGHAI ONLY A FEW WEEKS AGO AND HAVE NOW REACHED WASHINGTON TO REPORT THEIR FIRST HAND OBSERVATIONS. ONE OF THESE AUTHORITIES WHO DECLINED USE OF HIS NAME SAID:
1. THERE ARE MORE THAN 3,000 SOVIET MILITARY OR OFFICIAL PERSONNEL IN SHANGHAI, ABOUT EQUALLY DIVIDED BETWEEN AIR FORCE OFFICERS AND ADMINISTRATIVE ADVISERS TO THE CHINESE COMMUNIST REGIME.
2. ELEVEN OF THE LATEST TYPE SOVIET JET FIGHTER PLANES WERE RECENTLY OBSERVED BY HIM IN THE AIR OVER SHANGHAI AND IT IS A "REASONABLE INFERENCE" THAT RUSSIAN PILOTS WERE FLYING THEM.
3. CHIANG KAI SHEK'S ISLAND POSITION ON FORMOSA REMAINS THE NO. 1 TARGET OF COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA AND IT IS ALSO REASONABLE TO LINK THE DISPLAY OF RUSSIAN ARMED MIGHT WITH CHINESE PREPARATIONS TO ASSAULT FORMOSA.
THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS RECENTLY OVERRAN SOME OF THE OTHER AND LESS IMPORTANT ISLANDS HELD BY CHIANG'S FORCES. AMERICAN EXPERTS HERE BELIEVE THEY WILL BE IN NO URGENT HASTE TO ATTACK FORMOSA, WHICH COULD BE STRONGLY DEFENDED, BUT THAT THEY MAY VERY WELL TRY TO TAKE IT AFTER SOME MONTHS OF PREPARATION FOR WHAT IS OBVIOUSLY A MAJOR LAND-SEA-AIR OPERATION. THE ISLAND LIES ABOUT 100 MILES OFF THE CHINA COAST.
INSIDE CHINA ITSELF, THE AMERICAN INFORMANT SAID, THE CHINESE RED REGIME IS FOLLOWING THE RUSSIAN COMMUNIST LINE WITHOUT DEVIATION AND NO SIGN OF TITOISM HAS APPEARED; NOR HAS THERE BEEN ANY INDICATION IT WILL DEVELOP.
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A10WX
(350) PMS BUDGET
U.N.-CHINA

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BY EDWARD E.BOMAR
WASHINGTON,MAY 30-(AP)-SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON IS REPORTED TO HAVE ASSURED TRYGVE LIE THAT THE UNITED STATES WILL NOT USE THE VETO TO KEEP COMMUNIST CHINA OUT OF THE UNITED NATIONS.
THIS RESTATEMENT OF AMERICAN POLICY APPEARED TODAY TO HAVE BEEN THE PRINCIPAL FIRM DEVELOPMENT IN THE MEETINGS HELD BY LIE, THE U.N. SECRETARY GENERAL, WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND SECRETARY ACHESON.
DIPLOMATS FAMILIAR WITH THE SUBSTANCE OF YESTERDAY'S "CONFIDENTIAL CHATS" INDICATED THEY PRODUCED LITTLE IN THE WAY OF DEFINITE UNDERSTANDINGS PROMISING TO EASE COLD WAR TENSIONS. LIE, HOWEVER, WAS LEFT WITH A FREE HAND TO CONTINUE HIS EFFORTS TO FIND A WAY OUT OF THE U.N. DEADLOCK.
THE IMPRESSION AMONG DIPLOMATIC AUTHORITIES FOLLOWING THE MEETINGS IS THAT LIE, ON HIS RECENT MISSION TO MOSCOW AND OTHER CAPITALS, WAS GIVEN NO COMMITMENTS BY STALIN. ON HIS RETURN TO LAKE SUCCESS LAST WEEK THE SECRETARY GENERAL EXPRESSED GUARDED OPTIMISM AND TOLD REPORTERS HE FOUND THE SOVIET LEADERS STILL HAVE FAITH IN THE U.N.
THIS FEELING, AMERICAN OFFICIALS SAID, APPEARED BASED ON A GENERALLY FRIENDLY ATTITUDE SHOWN BY STALIN AND ANDREI GROMYKO AND FOREIGN MINISTER A.Y.VISHINSKY RATHER THAN ON ANY FIRM PROMISES THAT RUSSIA MIGHT BE READY TO TALK COMPROMISE.
THE U.S. ATTITUDE ON THE POINT OF ADMITTING COMMUNIST CHINA, WHICH WAS RESTATED TO LIE AND BYRON PRICE, HIS AMERICAN ASSISTANT, WAS THUS OUTLINED AUTHORITATIVELY:
1. THE DECISION WHETHER TO ADMIT THE PEIPING REGIME IN PLACE OF THE NATIONALISTS IS THE MOST URGENT ISSUE FACNG THE UNIT

THE NATIONALISTS IS THE MOST URGENT ISSUE FACING THE UNITED NATIONS, IN VIEW OF THE SOVIET BLOC WALKOUT FROM U.N. AGENCIES.
2. UNTIL IT IS SETTLED, LIE'S PROPOSAL FOR PERIODIC TOP LEVEL MEETINGS OF THE COUNCIL TO TRY TO SETTLE SOME COLD WAR ISSUES IS LARGELY ACADEMIC. BESIDES, THIS GOVERNMENT WANTS TO GIVE THE IDEA FURTHER STUDY.
ON ADMITTING COMMUNIST CHINA, THE U.S. WILL NOT VETO A DECISION BY THE SECURITY COUNCIL NOR FOLLOW THE SOVIET WALKOUT EXAMPLE. IT WILL NOT "LOBBY" WITH OTHER MEMBERS TO BLOCK THE PEIPING REPRESENTATIVES AND WILL ACCEPT THE DECISION BY THE REQUISITE SEVEN OF THE 11 COUNCIL MEMBERS.
LIE ASKED FOR THE MEETING WITH TRUMAN AND ACHESON BEFORE HIS RETURN FROM HIS TRIP. THEY WERE SET BY ACHESON FOR YESTERDAY TO SUIT MR.TRUMAN'S CONVENIENCE AND SO AS TO PRECEDE ACHESON'S REPORT TOMORROW TO A JOINT CONGRESSIONAL SESSION ON THE LONDON BIG THREE AND NORTH ATLANTIC COUNCIL SESSIONS.
AFTER TALKING WITH ACHESON AT THE STATE DEPARTMENT FOR AN HOUR AND 10 MINUTES, LIE GAVE A SUMMARY OF HIS REPORT IN ABOUT 20 MINUTES TO MR.TRUMAN AT THE WHITE HOUSE.
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ACHESON

WASHINGTON,MAY 30-(AP)-SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON WILL REPORT TO CONGRESS AND THE NATION TOMORROW ON THE RECENT MEETINGS OF THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS AND THE 12-NATION NORTH ATLANTIC COUNCIL.

IN THE WAKE OF THOSE LONDON TALKS, THE SECRETARY IS EXPECTED TO CALL UPON THE NATION TO STEP UP ITS EFFORT TO HALT THE SPREAD OF COMMUNISM.

ACHESON WILL REPORT DIRECTLY TO MEMBERS OF CONGRESS IN A TALK AT THE LIBRARY OF CONGRESS AUDITORIUM AT 11:30 A.M.(EST). HIS SPEECH WILL BE BROADCAST BY THREE MAJOR RADIO NETWORKS, ABC, MBS AND NBC. IN ADDITION, NBC WILL TELEVISE THE SCENE.

CONSIDERABLY LESS THAN THE FULL MEMBERSHIP OF CONGRESS IS EXPECTED TO BE ON HAND. THE HOUSE IS IN THE MIDDLE OF AN INFORMAL 10-DAY MEMORIAL DAY RECESS, AND MANY MEMBERS ARE OUT OF THE CITY.

ACHESON IS EXPECTED TO BE ACCOMPANIED BY AMBASSADOR-AT-LARGE PHILIP C.JESSUP AND JOHN SHERMAN COOPER, A REPUBLICAN CONSULTANT, BOTH OF WHOM ACCOMPANIED HIM TO LONDON, AND BY UNDERSECRETARY JAMES WEBB.

AFTER A PREPARED TALK, ACHESON WILL SUBMIT TO QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS OF CONGRESS. IT IS LIKELY, HOWEVER, THAT ANY EXTENDED QUESTIONING WILL COME LATER IN THE WEEK WHEN HE APPEARS BEFORE A JOIT MEETING OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS AND ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEES.

THE SECRETARY, WHO RETURNED TO THIS COUNTRY SATURDAY, HAS ALREADY REPORTED ON THE LONDON TALKS TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN. HE ALSO HAD AN OPPORTUNITY TO BRIEF TRYGVE LIE, SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS.

LIE YESTERDAY CONFERRED WITH ACHESON AND LATER WITH ACHESON AND MR. TRUMAN TO TALK OVER HIS ONE-MAN QUEST FOR A SOLUTION TO THE U.N.'S MOST PRESSING PROBLEM--A RUSSIAN WALKOUT OVER THE ISSUE OF CONTINUED CHINESE NATIONALIST REPRESENTATION.

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A1WX (BJT)

(450) AMS BUDGET

NAVY PLANES

BY MAX BOYD

WASHINGTON,MAY 30-(AP)-THE NAVY IS PUTTING POWERFUL BUT FUEL-STINGY TURBO-PROP ENGINES IN TWO OF ITS LATEST CARRIER-BASED ATTACK PLANES, ONE OF THEM RATED OFFICIALLY AS BEING ABLE TO CARRY AN ATOMIC BOMB.

THE AIR FORCE ALSO IS CONSIDERING THE USE OF TURBO-PROP ENGINES TO STRETCH THE RANGE OF ITS 600-MILE-AN-HOUR B-47 JET BOMBER AND OTHER PLANES.

THESE DEVELOPMENTS WERE LEARNED ON GOOD AUTHORITY TODAY ALTHOUGH NEITHER THE NAVY NOR THE AIR FORCE WOULD CONFIRM THEM OFFICIALLY.

THE POWER PLANT BEING INSTALLED IN THE NAVY ATTACK PLANES IS A 5,500 HORSEPOWER TURBO-PROP ENGINE BUILT FOR THE NAVY BY THE ALLISON DIVISION OF GENERAL MOTORS. IT IS ALREADY BEING USED IN A 60-TON NAVY SEAPLANE BUILT BY THE CONSOLIDATED VULTEE AIRCRAFT CORPORATION AND NOW UNDERGOING FLIGHT TESTS AT SAN DIEGO.

THE ALLISON ENGINE CONSISTS OF TWIN TURBINES GEARED TO A PROPELLOR, PLUS A TAILPIPE FROM WHICH ESCAPING GASSES PROVIDE ADDITIONAL THRUST. THE ENGINE COMPRESSES AIR, MIXES IT WITH FUEL AND BURNS THE MIXTURE IN A COMBUSTION CHAMBER. THE EXPANDED GASSES DRIVE THE PROPELLERS BY TURNING THE TURBINE BLADES AND, IN ADDITION, DEVELOP TAILPIPE THRUST.

ON TAKEOFFS AND WHEN HIGH SPEED IS REQUIRED, BOTH OF THE TWIN TURBIN UNITS ARE USED. BUT ONE OF THEM CAN BE SHUT DOWN IN FLIGHT, THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT SAYS, TO PERMIT THE PLANE TO CRUISE FOR LONG DISTANCES AT A CONSIDERABLE SAVING IN FUEL.

THE DEPARTMENT SAYS ALSO THAT THE WEIGHT OF THE ENGINES PER HORSE-POWER IS LESS THAN HALF THAT OF CONVENTIONAL DISTANCE ENGINES.

TOGETHER WITH OTHER TURBO-PROP ENGINES WHICH HAVE BEEN AND ARE BEING BUILT, THE DEVELOPMENT HAS RAISED HOPES OF GREATER FUEL ECONOMY THAN THAT OBTAINED WITH TURBO-JET ENGINES

THE LATTER CONSISTING OF GAS TURBINES PLUS AN EXHAUST NOZZLE, REQUIRE NO PROPELLORS, ARE EXTREMELY LIGHT AND DEVELOP GREAT POWER AT HIGH SPEEDS. TURBO-JETS DRIVE AIR FORCE AND NAVY FIGHTERS AND ALSO, AT PRESENT, THE B-47 MEDIUM BOMBER.

THE NEW MODEL NAVY ATTACK PLANE IN WHICH THE ALLISON TURBO-PROP ENGINE IS BEING INSTALLED HAVE NOT YET BEEN ANNOUNCED OFFICIALLY. ONE IS A SINGLE ENGINED DOUGLAS XA2D, TO BE NAMED THE SKYSHARK, AND THE OTHER IS THE TWIN ENGINED NORTH AMERICAN XA2J. PREVIOUS MODELS OF BOTH PLANES WERE EQUIPPED WITH PISTON ENGINES.

NORTH AMERICAN'S ATTACK PLANE HAS BEEN DESCRIBED OFFICIALLY AS BEING ABLE TO CARRY AN ATOMIC BOMB.

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WHAT RANGE IT WILL HAVE WITH ITS NEW TURBO-PROP ENGINES IS NOT KNOWN. HOWEVER, A POSSIBLE INDICATION IS THE FACT THAT THE NAVY RATES THE RANGE OF ITS NEW TURBO-PROP SEAPLANE, THE XP5Y-1, AT MORE THAN 3,000 MILES. THE HUGE SEAPLANE'S SPEED IS PLACED OFFICIALLY AT MORE THAN 350 MILES AN HOUR.

THE NAVY IS MOVING TOWARD A GOAL OF REPLACING ALL CARRIER BASED PISTON ENGINE FIGHTERS AND ATTACK AIRCRAFT EITHER WITH TURBO-JET OR TURBO-PROP TYPES.

THE AIR FORCE, MEANTIME, IS CONSIDERING THE POSSIBILITY OF ACHIEVING FAIRLY LONG RANGE AND HIGH SPEEDS BY PUTTING TURBO-PROP ENGINES IN SEVERAL OF ITS PLANES.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M.,EASTERN STANDARD TIME,TODAY,TUESDAY, MAY 30)

(ADVANCE)-WASHINGTON,MAY 30-(AP)-JAPAN HAS REPAID IN FULL, WITH INTEREST, A $26,000,000 LOAN GRANTED FOR THE PURCHASE OF AMERICAN COTTON, THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCED TODAY.

THE LOAN, MADE LAST YEAR, WAS THE FIRST UNDER A $150,000,000 REVOLVING FUND SET UP BY CONGRESS TO ENABLE JAPAN TO BUY RAW TEXTILE FIBERS. IT WAS REPAID WITH DOLLARS JAPAN REALIZED BY THE SALE OF CONSUMER GOODS IN THE WORLD MARKET.

A SECOND LOAN PROGRAM OF SIMILAR SIZE IS NOW UNDER WAY.

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NIGHT LEAD ARMS AID

WASHINGTON,MAY 30-(AP)-A REQUEST FOR ABOUT $1,225,000,000 MORE FOR ARMS AID FOR NON-COMMUNIST NATIONS IS EXPECTED TO BE SENT TO CONGRESS THURSDAY BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN.

THE MONEY WOULD GO TO FINANCE ARMS SHIPMENTS IN THE 1951 FISCAL YEAR, STARTING JULY 1, 1950. IT WOULD BE THE SECOND INSTALLMENT IN AN ARMS PROGRAM DESIGNED TO STRENGTHEN WORLD DEFENSES AGAINST COMMUNISM. THE SUM OF $1,238,600,000 WAS APPROPRIATED FOR THE PRESENT FISCAL YEAR, FOR SHIPMENTS TO 13 NATIONS.

THE SECOND YEAR INSTALLMENT WOULD EMBRACE 14 NATIONS, WITH PORTUGAL ADDED TO THE LIST FOR THE FIRST TIME. OFFICIALS PLAN TO SEND SMALL QUANTITIES OF NAVAL AND AIR FORCE EQUIPMENT TO THAT COUNTRY TO HELP PROTECT HER STRATEGIC COASTLINE AND THE AZORES NAVAL BASES.

EIGHT OTHER ATLANTIC PACT COUNTRIES WOULD RECEIVE ABOUT $1,000,000,000 WORTH OF MILITARY SUPPLIES. THEY ARE FRANCE, BRITAIN, ITALY, BELGIUM, THE NETHERLANDS, LUXEMBOURG, NORWAY AND DENMARK.

OTHER RECIPIENTS WOULD BE GREECE, TURKEY, IRAN, KOREA AND THE PHILIPPINES.

FRANCE GOT THE LARGEST SHARE OF THIS YEAR'S SHIPMENTS, AND IS CONSIDERED LIKELY TO GET THE BIGGEST PROPORTION OF THE NEW PROGRAM ALSO. THE AIM IS TO BUILD UP FRANCE'S GROUND FORCES, SCHEDULED FOR AN IMPORTANT ROLE IN THE DEFENSE OF WESTERN EUROPE.

THE EXACT SHARE EACH COUNTRY GETS IS KEPT SECRET, BUT SOME OFFICIALS ESTIMATED THAT FRANCE'S SHARE THIS YEAR AT ABOUT $300,000,000.

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(THOMAS)
(300) THOMAS

WASHINGTON,MAY 30-(AP)-J.PARNELL THOMAS, FORMER CONGRESS MEMBER NOW SERVING A JAIL SENTENCE ON CONVICTION OF PADDING HIS OFFICE PAYROLL, HAS APPEALED TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN TO FREE HIM AND CANCEL AN UNPAID $10,000 FINE.

WILLIAM H.COLLINS, WHO REPRESENTED THOMAS AT HIS TRIAL LAST DECEMBER, TOLD A REPORTER IN RESPONSE TO QUESTIONS TODAY THAT THE PETITION WAS SENT TO MR.TRUMAN "QUITE SOME TIME AGO." HE SAID HE HAD HEARD NOTHING FURTHER ABOUT IT.

UNDER WHITE HOUSE ROUTINE, A PETITION OF THAT KIND IS TURNED OVER TO THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT. A DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN SAID THAT IT IS NOW BEFORE DANIEL M.LYONS, PARDON ATTORNEY, AND THAT THERE HAS BEEN NO RECOMMENDATION MADE ON IT.

THOMAS, A NEW JERSEY REPUBLICAN, WAS HEAD OF THE HOUSE UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE IN 1947-48.

HE WAS ACCUSED OF DEFRAUDING THE GOVERNMENT BY PUTTING ON HIS PAYROLL PERSONS WHO DID NO WORK AND ARRANGING FOR THEM TO "KICK BACK" THEIR SALARIES TO HIM.

THOMAS DENOUNCED THE CHARGES AT FIRST AS "POLITICAL" BUT IN THE MIDST OF HIS TRIAL CHANGED HIS PLEA TO ONE OF NO CONTEST. HE WAS SENTENCED TO SIX TO 18 MONTHS IN PRISON AND FINED $10,000.

THOMAS WILL BECOME ELIGIBLE FOR PAROLE ON JUNE 6. COLLINS SAID THOMAS HAS INDICATED TO THE FEDERAL PAROLE BOARD THAT HE HOPES FOR A PAROLE IF THERE IS NO ACTION, MEANTIME, ON HIS PETITION FOR COMMUTATION OF HIS SENTENCE AND CANCELLATION OF THE FINE.

UNDER PAROLE BOARD PROCEDURES, THERE WOULD BE AN INVESTIGATION TO DETERMINE, AMONG OTHER THINGS, WHAT KIND OF PRISONER THOMAS HAS BEEN.

THE 54-YEAR-OLD THOMAS HAS BEEN SERVING HIS SENTENCE AT THE FEDERAL CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTE, DANBURY,CONN. REPORTEDLY, HIS PRISON DUTIES HAVE BEEN TO CARE FOR A FLOCK OF CHICKENS.

WHILE A PAROLE WOULD OPEN THE PRISON'S GATES FOR THOMAS, IT WOULD NOT RELIEVE HIM OF LIABILITY FOR THE $10,000 FINE. IN A MOVE TO COLLECT IT, THE GOVERNMENT COULD AT ANY TIME BRING ATTACHMENT PROCEEDINGS AGAINST ANY PROPERTY THOMAS WAS FOUND TO HAVE.

COLLINS SAID HIS UNDERSTANDING IS THAT THOMAS IS NOT ABLE TO PAY THE FINE.

UNDER GENERAL LAWS, THOMAS, IF UNABLE TO PAY THE FINE, COULD TAKE A PAUPER'S OATH AND SERVE 30 DAYS IN LIEU OF THE FINE.

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IRANIAN (230)

WASHINGTON, MAY 30-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS DECIDED TO SHIFT AMBASSADOR HENRY F.GRADY FROM GREECE TO IRAN IN ORDER TO STRENGTHEN THE NON-COMMUNIST FRONT AGAINST RUSSIA AT A CRITICAL POINT.

GRADY, NOW IS CALIFORNIA ON LEAVE, IS EXPECTED TO BE FORMALLY ASSIGNED TO THE POST NEXT MONTH. HE WILL REPLACE JOHN C.WILEY, CAREER DIPLOMAT, WHO COMPLETED TWO YEARS' SERVICE THERE LAST FEBRUARY.

IRAN IS IN AN ECONOMIC CRISIS NOW BUT STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS BELIEVE THIS WILL BE ENDED BY AN IMPENDING NEW OIL CONTRACT WITH BRITAIN AND BY A BETTER HARVEST THIS YEAR THAN LAST.

THE CRISIS HAS CAUSED CONSIDERABLE CONCERN HERE FOR SEVERAL MONTHS. BASICALLY, HOWEVER, WHAT AMERICAN OFFICIALS ARE WORRIED ABOUT IS THE STRENGTH AND DETERMINATION OF THE IRANIAN GOVERNMENT TO PULL THE COUNTRY OUT OF ITS TROUBLES AND MAINTAIN FIRM RESISTANCE TO SOVIET PRESSURE.

GRADY HAS A TOP-NOTCH REPUTATION IN THE GOVERNMENT AS A TROUBLE-SHOOTER. HE SERVED AS ENVOY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA IN ITS FORMATIVE PERIOD, AND LATER WENT TO GREECE WHERE HE IS CREDITED WITH HAVING PLAYED A MAJOR ROLE IN SAVING THAT COUNTRY FROM COMMUNISM AND GETTING IT REORGANIZED AFTER THE CIVIL WAR.

GRADY, ACCORDING TO STATE DEPARTMENT PLANS, WILL SERVE NOT ONLY AS AMBASSADOR BUT ALSO DIRECTOR OF AMERICAN AID FOR IRAN. THE COUNTRY IS SLATED TO GET ABOUT $10,000,000 (M) WORTH OF ARMS SOON AND A SURVEY MISSION IS EXPECTED TO STUDY WHETHER AMERICAN ECONOMIC AID IS ALSO NEEDED.

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(ADVANCE) CHICAGO,MAY 30-(AP)-JAMES P.WARBURG SAID TONIGHT THAT IF THE UNITED STATES PURSUES CURRENT FOREIGN POLICY MUCH LONGER "WE SHALL EITHER PROVOKE THE WAR WE SEEK TO PREVENT, OR ELSE END UP BY BECOMING MORE AND MORE LIKE OUR TOTALITARIAN ENEMY."

WARBURG IS A NEW YORK BANKER AND AUTHOR WHO SERVED DURING WORLD WAR TWO AS DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF THE OVERSEAS BRANCH, OFFICE OF WAR INFORMATION.

IN A MEMORIAL DAY LECTURE AT THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO, HE DECLARED THAT "THE NEGATIVE POLICY OF STOPPING RUSSIA--WITHOUT KNOWING WHAT WE SHOULD DO IF WE HAD RUSSIA STOPPED--IS NOT A POLICY WORTHY OF THE

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.
"NOR IS IT A POLICY THAT COULD CONCEIVABLY LEAD TO PEACE," HE ADDED. "WE HAVE BEEN LETTING MOSCOW PIPE THE TUNE TO WHICH WE HAVE BEEN DANCING.
"BEING RELATIVELY RICH IN DOLLARS AND POOR IN CONSTRUCTIVE IDEAS, WE HAVE BEEN TRYING TO FIGHT IDEAS WITH DOLLARS; AND NOW, WITH THE DOLLARS BEGINNING TO RUN OUT, WE HAVE CONFIDED OUR LAST BEST HOPE OF PEACE INTO THE HANDS OF SCIENTISTS, INSTRUCTED AT ALL COSTS TO KEEP US 'AHEAD' OF ALL OTHER NATIONS IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF EVER MORE HORRIBLE WEAPONS OF MASS DESTRUCTION."
WARBURG ADVOCATED ADOPTION OF AN ALL-EUROPEAN COAL AND STEEL AUTHORITY, SUCH AS HE SAID HAD BEEN PROPOSED BY FRANCE BUT NEVER ADOPTED. UNDER SUCH AN AUTHORITY, CONTROL OF COAL AND STEEL WOULD BE VESTED IN AN INTERNATIONAL GROUP WHICH "COULD MAKE PREPARATION FOR WAR BY ANY NATION WELL NIGH IMPOSSIBLE."
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"IT WOULD VASTLY STRENGTHEN THE WESTERN POSITION IN THE COLD WAR BY CLEARLY THROWING THE ONUS FOR ITS CONTINUANCE UPON THE KREMLIN."
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NIGHT LEAD PEACE MEETING (400)
CHICAGO, MAY 30-(AP)-THE MID-CENTURY CONFERENCE FOR PEACE TODAY CALLED FOR AN END TO THE COLD WAR WITH RUSSIA "THROUGH NEGOTIATIONS WITHIN THE UNITED NATIONS."
THE CONFERENCE, FORMED THIS YEAR AND REPORTING 1,200 DELEGATES AT ITS TWO-DAY SESSIONS ENDING TODAY, ANNOUNCED ITS VIEWS INUTATEMENT

ITS TWO-DAY SESSIONS ENDING TODAY, ANNOUNCED ITS VIEWS IN A STATEMENT SENT TO TRYGVE LIE, UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY.
LIE SENT A MESSAGE EXPRESSING "BEST WISHES" FOR THE MEETING'S SUCCESS. "THE EXAMINATION OF AVENUES FOR PEACE ARE THE OBLIGATION OF EVERY CITIZEN," LIE STATED.
THE CONFERENCE STATEMENT TO LIE SAID THAT 1,200 AMERICANS AT THE MEMORIAL DAY MEETINGS "SUPPORT UNRESERVEDLY YOUR COURAGEOUS EFFORT TO BRING ABOUT UNDERSTANDING AND NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN THE PRINCIPAL POWERS OF THE WORLD IN THE INTEREST OF ENDING THE COLD WAR THROUGH NEGOTIATIONS WITHIN THE U.N."
"WE STAND WITH YOU AND PLEDGE OUR CONTINUED SUPPORT, IN THE DETERMINED WILL OF THE PEOPLE FOR PEACE."
DR. WILLARD UPHAUS OF CHICAGO, EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OF THE CONFERENCE, TOLD DELEGATES THAT BOTH THE UNITED STATES AND RUSSIA HAVE BEEN "TERRIBLY GUILTY."
"WE HAVE USED OUR ARMED MIGHT AND MONEY TO UPHOLD FASCIST REGIMES. MAINLY OUT OF FEAR AND HATE OF THE SOVIET," UPHAUS SAID.
IT IS TRUE THAT BOTH OF THESE POWER GIANTS ARE TERRIBLY GUILTY."
HE TOLD THE DELEGATES THE CONFERENCE WOULD NOT "WHITEWASH" EITHER OF "THE POWER GIANTS."
THE CONFERENCE MET WITHOUT ONE OF ITS ORIGINAL SPONSORS, DR. RONALD HARRINGTON, OF NEW YORK, MINISTER OF THE COMMUNITY CHURCH.
HE DISCLOSED IN A STATEMENT TODAY THAT HE HAD WITHDRAWN AS A SPONSOR "WHEN IT BECAME CLEAR THAT THE COMMUNISTS WERE GOING TO TAKE A VERY VIGOROUS PART" IN THE MEETING.
"THE TEST OF THE FAIRNESS OF THE FINDINGS OF THE MID-CENTURY CONFERENCE," DR. HARRINGTON STATED, "WILL BE WHETHER THEY CALL AS VIGOROUSLY FOR THE DEMOBILIZATION OF THE 150 DIVISIONS OF THE RED ARMY, WHICH IS THE DECISIVE MILITARY POWER ON THE EURASIA CONTINENT TODAY, AS THEY DO FOR OUTLAWING ATOMIC WEAPONS."
DR. HARRINGTON SAID HE DID NOT HATE COMMUNISTS, BUT "I JUST DON'T THINK IT IS PRACTICAL TO WORK WITH THE COMMUNISTS."
DEAN JOHN B. THOMPSON OF ROCKEFELLER MEMORIAL CHAPEL AT THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO, SAID "ALL SORTS OF PEOPLE OF VARIOUS POLITICAL BELIEFS WERE ATTENDING THE CONFERENCE."
"THERE MAY BE COMMUNISTS HERE," DEAN THOMPSON SAID.
DR. UPHAUS SAID THE CONFERENCE WAS ORGANIZED BY SENDING 116,000 NOTICES OF ITS PURPOSE, A "CALL TO PEACE," TO CLERGYMEN, SCIENTISTS AND EDUCATORS, FROM NEW YORK AND CHICAGO OFFICES.
HE SAID THE MOVEMENT STARTED WHEN DR. THOMAS MANN, NOTED AUTHOR, AND ALBERT EINSTEIN, MET WITH OTHERS IN WASHINGTON IN MAY, 1949, AND FORMED A CONTINUING COMMITTEE.
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BOSTON, MAY 30-(AP)-ISRAEL'S NEW AMBASSADOR TO LONDON, ELIAHU ELATH, SAID TODAY HIS COUNTRY HAS "EVERY RIGHT TO ACQUIRE DEFENSIVE ARMS X X X SO LONG AS AN ARMS RACE CONTINUES IN THE ARAB COUNTRIES."
HE SAID THE WEST'S DECISION TO KEEP DOWN AGGRESSION IN THE MIDDLE EAST MERITS APPLAUSE BUT THE TEST WILL COME WHEN ISRAEL ATTEMPTS TO BUY ARMS FOR ITS OWN PROTECTION.
ELATH, ISRAEL AMBASSADOR TO THE UNITED STATES FOR THE LAST FIVE YEARS, SPOKE TO THE 27TH NATIONAL CONVENTION OF THE LABOR ZIONIST ORGANIZATION OF AMERICA.
HE EXPRESSED GRATIFICATION AT THE DECISION OF THE UNITED STATES, GREAT BRITAIN AND FRANCE TO PREVENT STRIFE IN THE MIDDLE EAST AND ADDED:
"WE SHALL JUDGE THE VALIDITY OF THIS DECISION X X X BY HOW FAR THE JUST AND VITAL REQUIREMENTS OF ISRAEL IN OBTAINING DEFENSIVE ARMS WILL BE MET BY THOSE FROM WHOM WE WANT TO ACQUIRE THEM.
"ISRAEL FEELS THAT SO LONG AS THE ARMS RACE IN THE ARAB COUNTRIES CONTINUES, SHE SHOULD HAVE EVERY RIGHT TO ACQUIRE DEFENSIVE ARMS FOR THE PROTECTION OF THE STATE.
"ISRAEL WOULD LIKE TO SPEND HER LIMITED MEANS, NOT ON ARMS, BUT ON THE ABSORPTION OF THE HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF IMMIGRANTS BY BUILDING SETTLEMENTS, FARMS AND SCHOOLS," HE SAID.
THE 300 CONVENTION DELEGATES ADOPTED A RESOLUTION FAVORING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A THIRD POLITICAL PARTY IN THE UNITED STATES, AND PLEDGED SUPPORT TO CANDIDATES FOR PUBLIC OFFICE WHO ARE DEVOTED TO A PRO-LABOR POLICY AND TO LIBERAL AIMS AND OBJECTIVES.
THE RESOLUTION ALSO AFFIRMED SUPPORT OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S "FAIR DEAL" PROGRAM, AND CALLED FOR ENACTMENT OF NATIONAL CIVIL RIGHTS LEGISLATION.
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(ADVANCE) CARBONDALE, ILL., MAY 30-(AP)-AMERICA SHOULD TAKE THE OFFENSIVE IN THE COLD WAR WITH RUSSIA, HAROLD STASSEN SAID TODAY.
THE UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA PRESIDENT, SPOKE AT MEMORIAL DAY SERVICES ON THE CAMPUS OF SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY.
"IT IS ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY THAT IN THE SOCIAL AND IDEOLOGICAL AND ECONOMIC STRUGGLE WE BEGIN TO ATTACK, RATHER THAN SIT BACK WITH A NEGATIVE, DEFENSIVE, WAIT-FOR-THE-DUST TO SETTLE POLICY," STASSEN DECLARED.
"THERE IS GRAVER DANGER TODAY OF WAR COMING TO THE SHORES OF AMERICA FROM A FOREIGN SOURCE THAN AT ANY TIME SINCE THE WAR OF 1812."
"THIS IS TRUE BECAUSE IN THESE LAST FIVE YEARS WE HAVE BEEN LOSING THE COLD WAR STRUGGLE WITH THE RUTHLESS RULERS OF RUSSIA IN THE KREMLIN."
THREE "SALIENTS" FOR THE COLD ATTACK WERE LISTED BY STASSEN:
"FIRST, -TIGHTEN UP OUR DEFENSE AGAINST SUBVERSION AND ESPIONAGE AT HOME, PERMIT NO ONE TO REMAIN IN A CRUCIAL, CRITICAL POSITION IN EITHER THE DIPLOMATIC OR ECONOMIC BATTLEFRONT WHO HAS IN THE PAST BEEN A CODDLER OF COMMUNISTS OR AN ASSOCIATE IN RED CAUSES".
STASSEN SAID THIS DOES NOT MEAN THE COUNTRY SHOULD ENGAGE IN A "WITCH HUNT", BUT THAT "WE NEED OUR BEST FORCES IN THE FRONT RANKS AND THOSE BEST FORCES ARE MEN WHO NEITHER NOW NOR IN THE PAST HAVE BEEN LINKED WITH ORGANIZATIONS OF A PRO-COMMUNIST NATURE".
"SECOND, EMBARK UPON AN AFFIRMATIVE PROGRAM IN ASIA, UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF AN ABLE ADMINISTRATOR SIMILAR TO PAUL HOFFMAN IN THE MARSHALL PLAN IN EUROPE."
"THIRD, CARRY ON AN EXTENSIVE INFORMATION PROGRAM TO THE PEOPLE BEYOND THE IRON CURTAIN, USING EVERY INGENUOUS METHOD, INCLUDING THE SUGGESTION OF DR.ROBERT MILIKAN, THE EMINENT SCIENTIST, OF FLOATING BALLOONS SCATTERING LITERATURE IN THE CITIES OF RUSSIA".
STASSEN SAID MANY OTHER METHODS WILL BE BROUGHT FOREWARD "IF WE ONCE DEFINITELY CHANGE TO THE OFFENSIVE IN THE COLD WAR AND END THIS WEAK AND LOSING DEFENSIVE POSITION".
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LOS ANGELES, MAY 30-(AP)-QUAKER SCHOOLTEACHER FLOYD SCHMOE IS EN ROUTE TO HELP HIROSHIMA AGAIN.
FOR THE THIRD STRAIGHT YEAR THE 54-YEAR-OLD SEATTLE MAN--A FORMER INSTRUCTOR AT THE UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON--PLANS TO BUILD HOUSES, AND THIS TIME, START A HOSPITAL, TOO. HE LED A PARTY OF EIGHT STUDENTS FROM VARIOUS COUNTRIES ABOARD THE S.S. PRESIDENT WILSON, WHICH SAILED YESTERDAY.
"WE NEED THIS SORT OF THING IF WE ARE TO HAVE A PEACEFUL WORLD," SAID SCHMOE WHO HAS COLLECTED $5,000 TO START HIS PRESENT HOUSING PROJECT FOR THE A-BOMBED CITY.
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FIRST LEAD LEHMAN (180)
HYDE PARK, N.Y., MAY 30-(AP)-SENATOR HERBERT H.LEHMAN (D-NY) SAID TODAY THAT DESPITE SLANDERS THE FAME OF THE LATE PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT "GROWS STEADILY IN THIS COUNTRY, AS IT DOES THROUGHOUT THE WORLD."
LEHMAN ADDRESSED A MEMORIAL DAY SERVICE AT THE GRAVE OF THE WARTIME PRESIDENT. THE CEREMONY WAS SPONSORED BY THE FRANKLIN D.ROOSEVELT HOME CLUB OF THIS VILLAGE.
ATTENDING THE SERVICE WERE THE PRESIDENT'S WIDOW, HIS SONS, ELLIOTT AND U.S. REP.ROOSEVELT, JR., AND THE LATTER'S WIFE; AND HIS GRANDSON, CURTIS ROOSEVELT, AND THE LATTER'S WIFE.
LEHMAN OMITTED FROM HIS PREPARED SPEECH THE ASSERTION "BECAUSE I KNEW THE MAN, AND HIS PATRIOTIC DEVOTION TO HIS COUNTRY AS WELL AS HIS BOUNDLESS DEVOTION TO MANKIND, I AM APPALLED AT THE ENDLESS REPETITION OF THE SLANDER THAT PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT WAS NAIVE, OR SHORT SIGHTED OR WEAK OR EVEN WORSE IN HIS DEALINGS WITH THE RUSSIANS."
LIKEWISE HE OMITTED THE REMARK "TO ATTRIBUTE THE PRESENT TRAGIC STATE OF WORLD AFFAIRS TO FAILURE OR ERROR ON THE PART OF FRANKLIN ROOSEVELT IS A BASE INJUSTICE AND A SAD REFLECTION OF INABILITY TO UNDERSTAND THE MEANING OF THE PRESENT STRUGGLE."
LEHMAN'S SECRETARY SAID THE SENATOR OMITTED THE REMARKS FOR THE SAKE OF BREVITY.

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THE SENATOR DESCRIBED MR. ROOSEVELT AS "THE GRAND ARCHITECT OF OUR VICTORY OVER A SAVAGE AND RUTHLESS ENEMY."
LEHMAN ADDED: "THAT THIS STRATEGY DID NOT SUCCEED IN SOLVING THE BASIC PROBLEM OF THE RELATIONS OF SOVIET RUSSIA WITH THE WORLD IS NOT TO PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S DISCREDIT ANY MORE THAN TO THE DISCREDIT OF WINSTON CHURCHILL."
THE PROBLEM, HE SAID, "HAD BEEN WITH EUROPE AND THE WORLD SINCE 1917."
"IT HAD ITS ORIGINS IN CENTURIES OF HISTORY," LEHMAN SAID. "ITS CURRENT MANIFESTATIONS ARE THE RESULT OF ALL THE FORCES WHICH COMBINED TO PRODUCE THE INDUSTRIAL REVOLUTION, AND ALL THE CONSEQUENCES WHICH FLOWED OUT OF THAT REVOLUTION."
THERE IS, LEHMAN SAID, "NO SIMPLE FORMULA FOR PEACE AND JUSTICE IN A WORLD DIVIDED AGAINST ITSELF, WITH ONE ENTIRE SECTOR OF MANKIND UNDER THE RIGID CONTROL OF A BRUTAL AND TYRANNICAL SYSTEM."
THE SENATOR ADDED, HOWEVER: "IF, IN OPPOSING THIS TYRANNY WITH ALL OUR STRENGTH, AS WE MUST, WE FAIL TO EXHAUST EVERY POSSIBILITY FOR AVOIDING THE CATASTROPHE OF A WAR WHICH CAN SPELL THE END OF OUR CIVILIZATION, WE WILL HAVE DENIED OUR OBLIGATION BOTH TO THE DEAD AND TO THE LIVING."
THAT OBLIGATION, HE SAID, WAS "NOT ONLY TO OPPOSE THE COMMUNIST TERROR, BUT TO SAVE MANKIND FROM FINAL DISASTER."
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NEW YORK, MAY 30-(AP)-HLA MAUNG, BURMESE MINISTER OF FINANCE, ARRIVED TODAY BY PLANE FROM ROME TO ATTEND A UNITED NATIONS TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE CONFERENCE AT LAKE SUCCESS.

MAUNG SAID HE WOULD REMAIN IN THE UNITED STATES THREE WEEKS AND WHILE HERE WOULD VISIT "OLD FRIENDS" IN WASHINGTON.

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NEW YORK, MAY 30-(AP)-HARVEY S. FIRESTONE, JR., RETURNING FROM MEETINGS OF AN INTERNATIONAL RUBBER STUDY GROUP AT BRUSSELS, SAID CONTINUATION OF PRESENT NATURAL RUBBER PRICES MAY THREATEN THE ECONOMY OF SOUTHEAST ASIA.

FIRESTONE, BOARD CHAIRMAN OF THE FIRESTONE TIRE AND RUBBER CO., SAID THE CONTENTION THAT A NATURAL RUBBER SHORTAGE EXISTS WAS "NOT BORNE OUT" BY FINDINGS OF THE STUDY GROUP.

"UNLESS THE PRICE OF NATURAL RUBBER BECOMES MORE REALISTIC IN THE REASONABLY NEAR FUTURE," HE SAID, "THE RESULTING SITUATION MAY BECOME A DETERRENT TO THE PROGRESS OF THE ECONOMY OF SOUTHEAST ASIA THROUGH A DECREASE IN THE USE OF NATURAL RUBBER."

HE ADDED SYNTHETIC RUBBER NOW COSTS 18 1/2 CENTS A POUND AND NATURAL RUBBER COSTS 28 CENTS.

THE NATURAL RUBBER PRICE HAS THE EFFECT OF "DRYING UP" THE MARKET WHEN EFFORTS SHOULD BE MADE TO "GET OUT ALL THE PRODUCTION THEY CAN," HE SAID.

FIRESTONE AND HIS WIFE RETURNED FROM EUROPE AMONG 2,071 PASSENGERS ABOARD THE QUEEN ELIZABETH.

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NEW YORK, MAY 30-(AP)-LESTER B.PEARSON, CANADIAN SECRETARY OF STATE FOR EXTERNAL AFFAIRS, TODAY CREDITED DEAN ACHESON, U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE, WITH BEING "LARGELY RESPONSIBLE" FOR SUCCESS OF THE RECENT NORTH ATLANTIC PACT CONFERENCES.

PEARSON TOLD NEWSMEN ON HIS ARRIVAL ON THE LINER QUEEN ELIZABETH: "WE HAD A VERY USEFUL AND, I THINK, A VERY SUCCESSFUL MEETING. AND SECRETARY ACHESON, AS CHAIRMAN OF THE MEETING, WAS LARGELY RESPONSIBLE FOR THE SUCCESS OF THE MEETING BY THE WAY HE HANDLED IT.

"I THINK THAT AT THIS MEETING WE MADE FURTHER IMPORTANT PROGRESS IN BUILDING UP THE ATLANTIC UNION."

PEARSON SAID HE WOULD FLY TO OTTAWA TO REPORT TO THE CABINET, AND TO THE CANADIAN PARLIAMENT "AT THE FIRST OPPORTUNITY."

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NIGHT LEAD UNDATED MEMORIAL DAY

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

(WX)-GENERAL OF THE ARMY GEORGE C.MARSHALL LED THE NATION'S MEMORIAL DAY SERVICES YESTERDAY (TUESDAY) WITH A CALL FOR SUPPORT OF THE UNITED NATIONS AS A FORUM "WHERE WORDS CAN BE USED INSTEAD OF BULLETS."

SPEAKING BESIDE THE TOMB OF THE UNKNOWN SOLDIER IN ARLINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY, ACROSS THE POTOMAC RIVER FROM WASHINGTON, MARSHALL SAID THAT ANOTHER WAR WOULD SHATTER THE WORLD.

"WHOEVER WINS ANOTHER WAR, THEIR GENERATION WILL LOSE IT X X X THE VICTORIOUS POWER WILL STAND AMIDST ITS OWN RUINS," HE SAID.

THE FORMER SECRETARY OF STATE, WARTIME CHIEF OF STAFF AND AUTHOR OF THE MARSHALL PLAN FOR EUROPEAN RECOVERY SAID THAT WAR IS "BETTER THAN APPEASEMENT" AND "FAR BETTER THAN SUBMISSION TO TYRANNY AND OPPRESSION, BECAUSE WITHOUT FREEDOM AND RESPECT FOR HUMAN DIGNITY LIFE WOULD NOT BE WORTH LIVING."

BUT HE SAID THE UNITED STATES SHOULD CONTINUE TO SUPPORT THE UNITED NATIONS AS A WEAPON "IN THE FIGHT FOR PEACE," AND AS LONG AS THERE IS A FORUM FOR OPEN DISCUSSION OF INTERNATIONAL DISPUTES, THIS COUNTRY SHOULD BE "THE FIRST TO ATTEND AND THE LAST TO RETIRE."

MARSHALL CONTINUED:

"SOME HAVE SUGGESTED THAT THE UNITED STATES SHOULD TAKE THE LEAD IN DISSOLVING THE UNITED NATIONS AND IN SETTING UP A NEW ORGANIZATION COMPOSED ONLY OF LIKE-MINDED NATIONS.

"PERSONALLY, I THINK IT WOULD BE UNFORTUNATE FOR THE PEACE OF THE WORLD DELIBERATELY TO UPSET THE PRECARIOUS EQUILIBRIUM THAT NOW EXISTS.

"ADMITTEDLY THE UNITED NATIONS IS AN IMPERFECT ORGANIZATION. BUT REMEMBER IT DOES PROVIDE A FORUM WHERE WORDS CAN BE USED INSTEAD OF BULLETS. AND SO LONG AS THIS FORUM REMAINS OPEN, THERE ARE CRACKS IN THE IRON CURTAIN THROUGH WHICH SOME OF OUR IDEAS WILL PENETRATE."

NEVERTHELESS, WHILE URGING THE UNITED STATES TO SEEK PEACE THROUGH NEGOTIATION, MARSHALL DECLARED:

"WE MUST NOT--I IMPHASIZE, WE MUST NOT, AS WE HAVE DONE IN THE PAST, RENDER OURSELVES IMPOTENT, AN INVITATION TO THE RUTHLESS AGGRESSOR."

ACROSS THE NATION, AND IN MANY PARTS OF A WORLD BESET BY CONFLICTING IDEOLOGIES, AMERICANS PAID DEVOUT TRIBUTE TO THEIR WAR DEAD--TO THE FALLEN HEROES OF BASTOGNE...ANZIO...GUADALCANAL...CHATEAU THIERRY... THE MARNE...GETTSBURG...

PRESIDENT TRUMAN, ON A HOLIDAY CRUISE ABOARD THE PR

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PRESIDENT TRUMAN, ON A HOLIDAY CRUISE ABOARD THE PRESIDENTIAL YACHT, SOUNDED THE MEMORIAL DAY KEYNOTE IN A PROCLAMATION CALLING UPON HIS FELLOW CITIZENS TO "UNITE IN PRAYER, EACH IN ACCORDANCE WITH HIS OWN RELIGIOUS FAITH, FOR DIVINE AID IN BRIN

UPON HIS FELLOW CITIZENS TO "UNITE IN PRAYER, EACH IN ACCORDANCE WITH HIS OWN RELIGIOUS FAITH, FOR DIVINE AID IN BRINGING ENDURING PEACE TO A TROUBLED WORLD."

SPRING FLOWERS AND SMALL AMERICAN FLAGS DECORATED THE GRAVES OF

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THE NATION'S WAR DEAD IN COUNTLESS CEMETERIES HERE AND ABROAD, WHILE AMERICANS PRAYED FOR GUIDANCE TO PREVENT ANOTHER GLOBAL CONFLICT.

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IN LONDON, U.S. OFFICIALS PAID HOMAGE TO THE AMERICAN DEAD OF TWO WORLD WARS, AND AT GRIM OLD DARTMOOR PRISON, DECORATIONS WERE PLACED ON THE GRAVES OF AMERICANS WHO DIED THERE AS PRISONERS IN THE WAR OF 1812.

ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THE WORLD, IN AMERICAN-OCCUPIED JAPAN, THE DAY WAS MARKED BY ANTI-AMERICAN DEMONSTRATIONS LED BY JAPANESE COMMUNISTS. FOUR U.S. SOLDIERS WERE ATTACKED IN THE FIRST PUBLIC FIGHT SINCE THE WAR ENDED. AT LEAST EIGHT JAPANESE WERE ARRESTED DURING A SERIES OF ROCK-THROWING SKIRMISHES.

HERE AT HOME, THE DOMINANT THEME IN COUNTLESS MEMORIAL DAY SPEECHES WAS THE HOPE FOR A LASTING PEACE. BUT THE NATION'S MILITARY AND CIVIC LEADERS CAUTIONED THAT PEACE CAN BE MAINTAINED ONLY THROUGH STRENGTH AND A READINESS TO FIGHT IF ATTACKED.

SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON URGED THE NATION TO BE "ALERT TO USE OUR STRENGTH TO PREVENT RATHER THAN TO FIGHT WARS" AND DECLARED THAT "WE MUST HAVE UNITY FOR PEACE."

IN A MEMORIAL DAY SPEECH AT THE GRAVE OF THE LATE PRESIDENT FRANKLIN D.ROOSEVELT AT HYDE PARK,N.Y., SENATOR LEHMAN (D-NY) SAID THAT DESPITE SLANDERS THE FAME OF THE WARTIME PRESIDENT "GROWS STEADILY IN THIS COUNTRY AS IT DOES THROUGHOUT THE WORLD."

THE SENATOR OMITTED A SECTION OF HIS PREPARED SPEECH IN WHICH HE HAD ASSERTED IT WAS A "BASE INJUSTICE" TO ATTRIBUTE "THE PRESENT TRAGIC STATE OF WORLD AFFAIRS TO FAILURE OR ERROR" ON THE PART OF THE LATE PRESIDENT.

ALSO OMITTED WAS A SENTENCE SAYING LEHMAN IS "APPALED AT THE ENDLESS REPETITION OF THE SLANDER THAT PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT WAS NAIVE OR SHORT-SIGHTED OR WEAK OR EVEN WORSE IN HIS DEALINGS WITH THE RUSSIANS."

LEHMAN DECLARED THERE IS "NO SIMPLE FORMULA FOR PEACE AND JUSTICE IN A WORLD DIVIDED AGAINST ITSELF, WITH ONE ENTIRE SECTOR OF MANKING UNDER THE RIGID CONTROL OF A BRUTAL AND TYRANNICAL SYSTEM."

THE NATION TODAY, HE SAID, FACES AN OBLIGATION TO ITS WAR DEAD "NOT ONLY TO OPPOSE THE COMMUNIST TERROR BUT TO SAVE MANKIND FROM FINAL DISASTER."

PRESIDENT HAROLD STASSEN OF THE UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA, 1948 CANDIDATE FOR THE REPUBLICAN PRESIDENTIAL NOMINATION, SAID IN A MEMORIAL DAY ADDRESS THAT AMERICA SHOULD TAKE THE OFFENSIVE IN THE COLD WAR WITH RUSSIA.

"IT IS ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY THAT IN THE SOCIAL AND IDEOLOGICAL AND ECONOMIC STRUGGLE, WE BEGIN TO ATTACK RATHER THAN SIT BACK WITH A NEGATIVE, DEFENSIVE WAIT-FOR-THE-DUST-TO-SETTLE POLICY," STASSEN SAID.

"IN THESE LAST FIVE YEARS WE HAVE BEEN LOSING THE COLD WAR STRUGGLE WITH THE RUTHLESS RULERS OF RUSSIA IN THE KREMLIN."

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PRECEDE HELMSTEDT (200-UP)

LUEBECK, GERMANY, MAY 31-(AP)-TEN THOUSAND GERMAN YOUTHS HOMEWARD BOUND FROM BERLIN'S COMMUNIST RALLY MAROONED THEMSELVES TONIGHT IN A DREARY CAMP JUST INSIDE THE IRON CURTAIN.

THEY REFUSED TO COMPLY WITH WESTERN GERMANY'S POLICE AND HEALTH REGULATIONS, PREFERING INSTEAD TO LEAVE NO RECORD OF THE FACT THAT THEY HAD HAILED STALIN IN THE WHITSUN RALLY IN EASTERN BERLIN.

COLD AND BEGRIMED, THE BLUESHIRTED MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNIST-CONTROLLED FREE GERMAN YOUTH (FDJ) LIGHTED CAMPFIRES AND PILED BUNDLES OF STRAW IN OPEN FIELDS FOR BEDS.

POLICE SAID MOST OF THEM WERE ANXIOUS TO GET HOME AND WERE WILLING TO COMPLY WITH THE REGULATIONS, BUT THE ACTIVE COMMUNISTS WERE DOING THE THINKING FOR THE WHOLE CROWD.

THEY WERE CAMPED AT EICHHOLZ, JUST OUTSIDE LUEBECK, A BRITISH-ZONE CITY IN SCHLESWIG-HOLSTEIN. HERE AND AT OTHER ZONAL BORDER POINTS THE YOUNG WEST GERMANS WHO TOOK PART IN THE BERLIN RALLY WERE MET WITH SCORN AND IN SOME CASES HOSTILE OUTBREAKS. ANTI-COMMUNIST WESTERN GERMANS MADE NO EFFORT TO CONCEAL THEIR DISGUST OVER THE BLUESHIRTS. POLICE REINFORCEMENTS WERE RUSHED TO ZONAL BORDER POINTS.

THE 10,000 MAROONED NEAR HERE FACE DEMANDS BY WEST GERMAN POLICE THAT:

1--THEY REGISTER THEIR NAMES BECAUSE THEY LACK INTERZONAL PASSES.

2--UNDERGO MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS TO SHOW THEY HAD NOT CONTRACTED TYPHOID OR SOME OTHER COMMUNICABLE DISEASE WHILE LIVING IN THEIR CRAMPED BERLIN CAMPS.

POLICE SAID THAT IN MAKING THESE DEMANDS THEY WERE ENFORCING THE RULES OF THE STATE OF SCHLESWIGAHOLSTEIN.

THE FDJ MEMBERS IN THE NO-MAN'S LAND, SOME OF THEM AS YOUNG AS 12, SAID THEY FEARED TO REGISTER THEIR NAMES IN THE BELIEF THEY WOULD BERBNIGERI

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12, SAID THEY FEARED TO REGISTER THEIR NAMES IN THE BELIEF THEY WOULD BE BLACKLISTED AND FIRED FROM THEIR JOBS IN THEIR HOME TOWNS IN WESTERN GERMANY.

POLICE OFFICIALS SAID THAT DURING THE EVENING AN AGREEMENT WAS WORKED OUT WITH BLUESHIRT LEADERS UNDER WHICH ONLY FDJ MEMBERS LIVING IN SCHLESWIG-HOLSTEIN AND NEARBY HAMBURG WOULD BE REQUIRED TO REGISTER. THE OTHERS WOULD BE GIVEN MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS BUT THEIR NAMES WOULD NOT BE TAKEN. ONLY A FEW BLUESHIRTS MOVED ACROSS THE ZONAL BORDER AFTER THIS COMPROMISE WAS REACHED.

OFFICIALS SURMISED THE OTHERS WERE SO TIRED THEY WANTED TO SLEEP ON THEIR STRAW BEDS RATHER THAN UNDERTAKE A NIGHT HIKE TO THEIR HOMES.

AT THE NO-MAN'S LAND CAMP THE MORE MILITANT BLUESHIRTS FORMED A LINE 250 FEET WIDE AND FIVE YOUTHS DEEP FACING A ROW OF WEST GERMAN POLICE LESS THAN 20 FEET AWAY.

SCATTERED OUTBREAKS OF VIOLENCE CONTINUED IN THE HELMSTEDT AREA, 113 MILES SOUTH OF HERE. ONE YOUTH WHO ENTERED HELMSTEDT HAD HIS MEDALS RIPPED OFF.

THE VIOLENCE BEGAN IN HELMSTEDT LAST NIGHT WHEN SEVERAL THOUSAND ANTI-COMMUNIST GERMANS TANGLED WITH FDJ MEMBERS WHO WERE SINGING THE INTERNATIONALE.

UNOFFICIAL ESTIMATES SAID 4,000 POLICE WERE MUSTERED ALONG THE 36-MILE SCHLESWIG-HOLSTEIN BORDER. A RIOT TRUCK FOR THROWING HIGH PRESSURE STREAMS OF WATER WAS BROUGHT UP.

SOME POLICE WERE MOUNTED. OTHERS AFOOT WERE ACCOMPANIED BY POLICE DOGS. SOME BOARDED SMALL BOATS IN THE RIVER NORTH OF LUEBECK TO KEEP YOUNG BLUESHIRTS FROM CROSSING WITHOUT REGISTERING.

THE YOUTHS PROTESTED THAT REGISTRATION WOULD EXPOSE THEM TO BEING BLACKLISTED AND FIRED FROM THEIR JOBS.

THEIR SITDOWN DREW AN OUTRAGED PROTEST FROM WILHELM BOECKLER, MINISTER PRESIDENT OF THE SOVIET ZONE STATE OF MECKLENBURG. IN A TELEGRAM TO SCHLESWIG-HOLSTEIN AUTHORITIES HE DEMANDED THAT THE YOUTH BE ALLOWED TO PASS.

MAX REIMANN, WEST GERMAN COMMUNIST LEADER, WAS REPORTED ENROUTE TO THE SCENE.

ADN, SOVIET-LICENSED NEWS AGENCY, ISSUED A DRUMFIRE OF CHARGES. IT SAID NUMEROUS YOUTHS WERE BEATEN BY POLICE AND ONE 12-YEAR-OLD BOY'S BACK WAS BROKEN; THAT ANOTHER 13-YEAR-OLD WAS BITTEN BY A DOG; THAT BRITISH ARMORED UNITS ARRIVED AND POLICE THREATENED TO SHOOT YOUNG GERMANS TRYING TO CROSS THE BORDER.

POLICE SOURCES AT THE BORDER DENIED ALL THESE REPORTS.

ADN SAID 15,000 YOUNG "PEACE FIGHTERS" HAD RETURNED TO THEIR HOMES IN WESTERN GERMANY AND THAT VIRTUALLY ALL HAD GOT ACROSS THE BORDER EXCEPT THE 7,000 AT LUEBECK.

SOME OF THE YOUTH, GROWING TIRED OF THE SITDOWN, SLIPPED AWAY AND SUBMITTED TO REGISTRATION AND MEDICAL EXAMINATION AT LUEBECK. POLICE ESTIMATED ABOUT 1,000 HAD REGISTERED BY EVENING.

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THE DIEHARDS JEERED AND SHOUTED "TRAITOR" AT THEM.

THOUGH TIRED AND GRIMY FROM THEIR 100-MILE TREK FROM BERLIN, THE REMAINING YOUTHS DANCED AND SANG COMMUNIST AND RUSSIAN FOLK SONGS. SOVIET ZONE POLICE BROUGHT UP SUPPLIES OF FOOD AND MILK FOR THEM.

OTHER THOUSANDS OF POLICE FROM THE AMERICAN ZONE RUSHED TO THE CROSSING POINTS OF HOF AND COBURG TO BACK UP BORDER PATROLS. COMMUNIST BUSSES AND TRAINS HAD DISCHARGED SEVERAL HUNDRED YOUTH AT THOSE POINTS.

ABOUT 200 TRIED TO RUSH THE BORDER AT HOF BUT WERE CAUGHT BY POLICE. THEY WERE TURNED LOOSE.

AS TENSION MOUNTED IN THE LUEBECK AREA THE NUMBER OF BLUESHIRTS IN THE HELMSTEDT AREA DECLINED. THE RETURNING YOUTH APPEARED TO BE DETOURING AROUND HELMSTEDT TO AVOID THE BATTERING THEY RECEIVED HERE LAST NIGHT. THEY WERE CROSSING SINGLY AND IN PAIRS AT POINTS 15 MILES NORTH AND THREE MILES SOUTH.

BY NIGHTFALL SCARCELY A BLUE SHIRT WAS TO BE SEEN HERE.

TWO TRAINS ARRIVED FROM BERLIN LATE IN THE DAY WITHOUT A SINGLE BLUE SHIRT. EITHER THE YOUTH HAD AVOIDED THE HELMSTEDT TRAIN OR CHANGED TO OTHER CLOTHING.

EARLIER, 600 DEFIED POLICE DEMANDS TO INSPECT THEIR BAGGAGE AND MARCHED TO THE RAILROAD STATION. THE MARCHERS WERE BOOED BY BYSTANDERS. POLICE LATER PREVAILED ON THE YOUTHS TO OPEN THEIR LUGGAGE. AND BUNDLES OF COMMUNIST LITERATURE WERE CONFISCATED.

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THE TIRED BLUESHIRTS IN THE NO-MAN'S LAND AT EICHHOLZ, OPPOSITE LEUBECK, RANGE IN AGE FROM ABOUT 12 TO ADULTHOOD. MOST OF THEM ARE THINLY CLAD AGAINST THE NIGHT CHILL.

SOVIET ZONE POLICE HAVE BROUGHT THEM FOOD AND MILK. A WEST GERMAN LOUDSPEAKER DROVE UP TO THE BORDER AND CALLED UPON TWO YOUTHS TO RETURN HOME BECAUSE THEIR MOTHER HAD DIED. THE BLUESHIRTS BEGAN SHOUTING TO DROWN OUT THE ANNOUNCER'S VOICE. THEY DEMANDED THE MESSAGE IN WRITING. "IT'S A LIE ANYWAY," THEY SAID.

KARL STUDIER, LEUBECK POLICE SHIEF, SAID HE WAS CONVINCED THE RANK AND FILE OF BLUESHIRTS WANTED NOTHING BETTER THAN TO GET HOME AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE.

"HOWEVER, ABOUT 15 PER CENT OF THEM, WHO ARE ACTIVISTS, ARE MAKING IT DIFFICULT FOR THE REST," HE SAID.

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PRECEDE FRANKFURT

BY BRACK CURRY

HELMSTEDT, GERMANY, MAY 31-(AP)-SWARMS OF WEST GERMAN POLICE REINFORCEMENTS HURRIED TO ZONAL BORDER CROSSING POINTS TODAY, FEARFUL OF NEW RIOTING IN THE HOMEWARD TREK OF 20,000 COMMUNIST YOUTH FROM THE EAST BERLIN WHITSUN DEMONSTRATIONS.

HOSTILITY TOWARD THE RETURNING COMMUNISTS WAS HEIGHTENED BY LAST NIGHT'S RIOTING AT HELMSTEDT, WHERE CIVILIANS ATTACKED SOME 2,000 OF THE COMMUNIST YOUTH, RIPPED OFF THEIR BLUE SHIRTS AND BURNED THE SHIRTS IN BONFIRES.

HEAVY POLICE REINFORCEMENTS WERE SENT INTO LUEBECK, ON THE BRITISH ZONAL FRONTIER, WHERE 10,000 MORE COMMUNIST YOUTH WERE EXPECTED LATE TODAY. THESE WILL SWELL THE RANKS OF 7,000 SITDOWN DEMONSTRATORS AT LUEBECK WHO HAVE SQUATTED ON THE BORDER SINCE LAST NIGHT, REFUSING A STATE GOVERNMENT ORDER TO UNDERGO MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS. GERMAN POLICE WERE STONED BY SOME OF THE 7,000 LAST NIGHT.

AT HELMSTEDT, THE MAIN ZONAL BORDER CROSSING POINT IN THE BRITISH ZONE, 600 COMMUNISTS THIS MORNING CRACKED THROUGH THE BORDER CROSSING POINT AFTER THREATENING POLICE WHO TRIED TO INSPECT THEIR LUGGAGE. BUT THEY SUBMITTED TO LUGGAGE INSPECTION AT THE RAILWAY STATION, WHERE MOST TOOK TRAINS TO THEIR WEST GERMAN HOMES. WEST GERMANS ALONG THE WAY BOOED AND JEERED AT THE COMMUNISTS.

TOWNSPEOPLE IN HELMSTEDT GRABBED ONE YOUTH AND RIPPED OFF HIS COMMUNIST MEDALS, BUT CLUB-SWINGING POLICE RESCUED HIM. MANY IN THE CROWD OF WEST GERMAN CRIED: "WHY DON'T YOU STAY IN THE EAST ZONE?"

LUEBECK POLICE SAID BETWEEN 2,000 AND 3,000 POLICEMEN NOW PATROL THE 60-MILE SCHLESWIG-HOLSTEIN BORDER LINE, CHARGED WITH ENFORCING THE ORDER FOR MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS FOR ALL COMMUNISTS RETURNING FROM THE HUGE BUT PEACEFUL WHITSUN DEMONSTRATIONS IN BERLIN.

MANY OF THE POLICE WERE MOUNTED. OTHERS PATROLED WITH DOGS. HEAVY POLICE TRUCKS LINED UP ACROSS ROADS TO HABOL.?$?9)3 .-'' ?4?

MANY OF THE POLICE WERE MOUNTED. OTHERS PATROLED WITH DOGS. HEAVY POLICE TRUCKS LINED UP ACROSS ROADS TO HALT POSSIBLE MASS BREAKOUTS BY COMMUNIST YOUTH. OTHER HUNDREDS OF POLICE TOOK UP POSITIONS ELSEWHERE ALONG THE ZONAL BORDERS.

THE 7,000 YOUTHS MASSED IN LUEBECK SHOUTED DEFIANCE AT 1,000 GERMAN POLICE. FROM ACROSS THE BORDER THEY WAVED THEIR HUGE FLAGS, SHOUTING "LONG LIVE STALIN, ONLY FRIEND OF THE GERMAN PEOPLE." MANY DANCED TO RUSSIAN FOLK TUNES. EAST ZONE PEOPLE'S POLICE CARTED UP FOOD AND MILK FOR THE BLUESHIRTS THROUGHOUT THE DAY.

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BY EVENING, HOWEVER, MANY OF THE LUEBECK BLUESHIRTS WERE SNEAKING AWAY TO SUBMIT TO THE MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS. CRIES OF "TRAITOR" WERE HURLED AT THEM BY THEIR COMRADES.

ALONG THE AMERICAN ZONAL BORDER, POLICE FROM INLAND TOWNS SWARMED TO THE CROSSING POINTS AT HOF AND COBURG TO BACK UP BORDER POLICE UNITS. COMMUNIST TRANSPORTS HAVE DISCHARGED AT LEAST SEVERAL HUNDRED OF THE BLUESHIRTS JUST ACROSS THE ZONAL FRONTIER FROM THESE POINTS.

THE SOVIET-LICENSED NEWS AGENCY ADN REPORTED THAT MINISTER-PRESIDENT WILHELM BOECKLER OF THE EAST ZONE STATE OF MECKLENBURG HAS PROTESTED TO THE MINISTER-PRESIDENT OF SCHLESWIG-HOLSTEIN AGAINST ALLEGED MISTREATMENT OF DEMONSTRATORS AT LUEBECK.

AT HOF, WEST GERMAN POLICE SAID 200 BLUE SHIRTS TRIED TO CROSS THE BORDER ILLEGALLY EARLY TODAY. THEY WERE ARRESTED AND THEN RELEASED TO MOVE ON TO THEIR HOMES.

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ALL ARE ENROUTE TO HOMES IN WESTERN GERMANY AFTER ATTENDING THE COMMUNIST-CALLED YOUTH DEMONSTRATIONS LAST SUNDAY IN RED-CONTROLLED EAST BERLIN. THE BERLIN RALLIES WENT OFF WITHOUT ANY VIOLENCE.

THE BLUE SHIRTS AT LUEBECK MASSED ALONG THE ROADS IN THE HALF-MILE-LONG NO MAN'S LAND BETWEEN THE BORDERS OF THE SOVIET AND BRITISH ZONES, DEFIANT BUT ORDERLY. POLICE SAID A FEW HOTHEADS THREW STONES AT WEST GERMAN BORDER POLICE LAST NIGHT. ONE POLICEMAN WAS INJURED BUT ORDER SOON WAS RESTORED.

THE CROWD WAS GROWING, POLICE SAID, AND ONE ATTEMPT WAS MADE DURING THE NIGHT TO STORM THE BORDER ACROSS THE RAILROAD TRACKS. THE YOUTHS WERE TURNED BACK WITHOUT VIOLENCE, THE POLICE REPORTED.

AT INTERVALS THE BOYS AND GIRLS CHANTED: "WE WANT TO GO HOME!"

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THE POLICE SET UP LOUDSPEAKERS AND URGED THEM TO TAKE THE MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS WHICH GERMAN OFFICIALS OF THE SCHLESWIG-HOLSTEIN STATE HAD ORDERED TO PREVENT SPREAD OF DISEASE. THE EXAMINATIONS, POLICE SAID, WOULD LAST LESS THAN AN HOUR. THE CROWD TOOK UP ANOTHER CHANT: "WE WILL STAY HERE EIGHT DAYS. WE WILL SEE WHAT HAPPENS THEN."

COMMUNISTS FROM LUEBECK TRIED TO NEGOTIATE WITH THE POLICE TO LET THE YOUTHS CROSS THE BORDER WITHOUT THE EXAMINATION. WHEN POLICE POINTED OUT THEY ONLY WERE ACTING UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM THE STATE MINISTRY OF INTERIOR, THE ERSTWHILE NEGOTIATORS DECLARED THE WESTERN ACTION WAS "PROVOCATION."

RIOTING STARTED LAST NIGHT AT HELMSTEDT WHEN LACK OF TRANSPORT TEMPORARILY STRANDED THE PRO-RED YOUTHS THERE AND SENT THEM TOWARD RESTAURANTS AND TAVERNS, SINGING THEIR COMMUNIST MARCHING SONG.

TOWNSPEOPLE OUT IN DROVES RESPONDED WITH GERMANY'S OLD ANTHEM, DEUTSCHLAND UEBER ALLES. JEERING, THEN FISTICUFFS FOLLOWED. THE ANTI-REDS WON.

THE PRO-COMMUNISTS BEGGED FOR A TRUCE AND SURRENDERED THEIR BLUE SHIRTS AND BLUE FLAGS. THESE WENT ON BONFIRES. CITY POLICE SAID THE RIOTING STOPPED AT MIDNIGHT AND THAT ALL BUT A FEW STRAGGLERS APPARENTLY MANAGED TO LEAVE THE CITY BY BUS OR TRAIN OR ON FOOT.

THE STRAGGLERS WERE NOT MOLESTED.

NO SERIOUS INJURIES WERE REPORTED.

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WITH HELMSTEDT (260)

BERLIN, MAY 31-(AP)-THE WEST WOOED LINGERING SOVIET ZONE YOUTHS IN BERLIN TONIGHT WITH JAZZ, ANTI-COMMUNIST JOKES AND A GIVE-AWAY QUIZ PROGRAM.

AN AMERICAN EFFORT TO AMUSE FDJ (FREE GERMAN YOUTH) MEMBERS STILL IN BERLIN AFTER THE WEEKEND OF COMMUNIST DEMONSTRATIONS WAS IN DRAMATATIC CONTRAST TO THE VIOLENCE OTHER BLUESHIRTS ENCOUNTERED AT THE WEST GERMAN FRONTIER.

RIAS, THE U.S. HIGH COMMISSION'S RADIO STATION IN BERLIN, PUT ON A SPECIAL SHOW FOR 1,000 OF THE YOUTHS AT TITANIA PALACE THEATER. THE YOUNG PEOPLE SLIPPED OVER FROM THE EAST SIDE TO ATTEND.

FRED G.TAYLOR, RIAS DIRECTOR, SAID EASTERN POLICE SNATCHED SOME FDJ MEMBERS FROM CROSS-TOWN STREET CARS TO PREVENT A LARGER TURNOUT. THE TITANIA PALACE SEATS 1,800.

A LOUDSPEAKER TRUCK, DONATED BY THE C.I.O. IN THE UNITED STATES TO THE AMERICAN-SPONSORED WEST BERLIN TRADE UNION FEDERATION (UGO) TOURED THE SOVIET SECTOR BOUNDARY DURING THE DAY TO ANNOUNCE THE ENTERTAINMENT.

WEST BERLIN POLITICAL LEADERS COOPERATED IN GREETING THE VISITORS AND IN HELPING DISPEL HATE-THE-WEST PROPAGANDA IMPLANTED IN THE YOUTHS AT THE WHITSUNTIDE RALLY.

LEADING WEST BERLIN SHOPS DONATED CLOTHING, CANDY, AND FOOTWEAR AS PRIZES FOR FDJ QUIZ WINNERS.

THE AUDIENCE GASPED WITH AMAZEMENT AS THE FIRST FDJ CONTESTANT, A TEEN AGE BLONDE, RECEIVED AN ARMLOAD OF GIFTS.

IT RESPONDED WITH THUNDEROUS APPLAUSE WHEN THE RIAS DANCE BAND PLAYED AMERICAN TUNES WHICH ARE BANNED AS "DECADENT" IN EASTERN GERMANY.

AT THE DOOR WEST BERLIN POLITICAL WORKERS DISTRIBUTED AN ANTI-KREMLIN PAMPHLET URGING EAST GERMAN STUDENTS "TO PRESERVE SPIRITUAL FREEDOM IN THE MIDST OF POLITICAL SLAVERY."

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"THE FIRST STEP TOWARD RESISTANCE," IT SAID, MUST BE TAKEN BY STUDENTS CRITICIZING AMONG THEMSELVES THE DOGMAS OF COMMUNISM.

"WE HAVE WAYS AND MEANS TO SUPPORT YOU," THE PAMPHLET DECLARED.

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FIRST LEAD INVESTMENTS

BONN, GERMANY, MAY 31-(AP)-THE ALLIED HIGH COMMISSION SAID TONIGHT IT HAS AGREED IN PRINCIPLE ON PLANS FOR REOPENING WESTERN GERMANY TO FOREIGN INVESTMENTS, WHICH HAVE BEEN BARRED SINCE THE WAR.

THE ACTION APPARENTLY ENDED ONE OF THE OCCUPATION'S LONGEST DISPUTES. IT DOES NOT MEAN THAT FOREIGNERS CAN BEGIN INVESTING IN WESTERN GERMANY AT ONCE. THE COMMISSION CALLED ITS PLAN ONE OF "PROGRESSIVE RELAXATION OF RESTRICTIONS."

DETAILS WILL NOT BE ANNOUNCED UNTIL FURTHER TALKS WITH WEST GERMAN OFFICIALS.

AN ALLIED SOURCE DISCLOSED THE FIRST STEP WILL BE A PARTIAL FREEING OF THE BLOCKED ACCOUNTS OF GERMAN MARKS OWNED BY FOREIGN COMPANIES.

THEN DETAILS MUST BE WORKED OUT FOR SETTLING PRE-WAR GERMAN DEBTS TO FOREIGN CREDITORS--CHICH TOTAL AROUND $1,000,000,000 (B)--BEFORE NEW INVESTMENTS FROM ABROAD ACTUALLY CAN BEGIN.

ALLIED AGREEMENT WAS DELAYED FOR MANY MONTHS ON HOW THESE OLD CLAIMS SHOULD BE ADJUSTED AND WHAT SHOULD BE DONE WITH FOREIGNERS' FROZEN BANK ACCOUNTS.

WHEN THE ALLIES BANNED FOREIGN INVESTMENTS IN WESTERN GERMANY AT THE END OF THE WAR THEIR CHIEF AIM WAS TO PREVENT "CARPET BAGGERS" FROM BUYING UP RICH GERMAN PROPERTIES AT RIDICULOUSLY LOW PRICES IN THE POST-WAR DEFLATION PERIOD.

NOW, HOWEVER, WESTERN GERMANY SORELY NEEDS NEW CAPITAL TO FINANCE ITS REBUILDING PROGRAM AND CLIMB BACK TOWARD ECONOMIC SELF SUPPORT.

THERE STILL IS OFFICIAL DOUBT WHETHER, EVEN AFTER THE BAN IS LIFTED, ENOUGH FOREIGN CAPITAL CAN BE ATTRACTED INTO THIS COLD WAR FRONT LINE COUNTRY TO MEET ITS NEEDS.

OFFICIALS HAVE INDICATED THIS PROBABLY WILL BE THE GENERAL PROCEDURE WHEN DETAILS OF THE PLANS ARE REVEALED:

FOREIGN COMPANIES OWNING GERMAN MARKS PROBABLY WILL BE PERMITTED TO INVEST THEM IN EXPANDING THEIR PLANTS OR BUSINESSES IN WESTERN GERMANY. THEY MAY NOT AT FIRST BE PERMITTED TO TRANSFER THESE MARKS OUTSIDE THE COUNTRY.

UP UNTIL NOW THESE MARKS COULD BE USED ONLY FOR PAYING OPERATING EXPENSES AND FOR REPLACEMENT OF OUTWORN EQUIPMENT. NO PLANT EXPANSION HAS BEEN PERMITTED.

ONE OFFICIAL ESTIMATED THERE ARE ABOUT 165,000,000 (M) MARKS WORTH NEARLY $40,000.100 IN THESE BLOCKED ACCOUNTS. MOST OF THEM BELONG TO AMERI

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AMONG THOSE WITH THE LARGEST AMOUNTS OF FROZEN MARKS IN GERMANY ARE AMERICAN MOVING PICTURE COMPANIES, AUTOMOBILE MANUFACTURERS AND SOFT DRINK CONCERNS.

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NIGHT LEAD KREKELER (230)

BONN, GERMANY, MAY 31-(AP)-DR.HEINZ KREKELER, A GERMAN OIL CHEMIST WHO ADMIRES NEW YORK SKYSCRAPERS, HAS U.S.GOVERNMENT APPROVAL TO BE THE FIRST POST-WAR GERMAN CONSUL IN THE UNITED STATES.

FROM 1934 UNTIL THE END OF THE SECOND WORLD WAR HE WORKED FOR I.G. FARBENINDUSTRIE, A MAJOR FACTOR IN HITLER'S WAR MACHINERY.

THE DECISION ON HIS ACCEPTANCE WAS ANNOUNCED BY THE WEST GERMAN GOVERNMENT TODAY. KREKELER, 43, IS A DEPUTY OF THE RIGHT WING FREE DEMOCRATIC PARTY IN THE RUHR VALLEY STATE OF NORTH RHINE-WESTPHALIA.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT DID NOT SAY WHERE HE WOULD SET UP HIS CONSULATE BUT PRESUMABLY IT WOULD BE IN NEW YORK AS IN THE PAST. KREKELER, HIS WIFE ILSE AND THEIR SON JUERGEN EXPECT TO REACH NEW YORK IN AUGUST. ALL SPEAK ENGLISH.

KREKELER GOT HIS FIRST VIEW OF NEW YORK IN 1925 WHEN AS A STUDENT HE WORKED HIS WAY ACROSS THE ATLANTIC IN THE ENGINE ROOM "BLACK GANG"

OF THE GERMAN STEAMSHIP WESTPHALIA.
"THE SKYSCRAPERS AND GIANT BUILDING PROJECTS CAUGHT MY ADMIRATION FOR THE GREAT TECHNICAL UNDERSTANDING OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE," HE TOLD INTERVIEWERS TODAY. x13
HE COMPLETED HIS STUDIES IN GERMANY AND THEN WENT TO THE UNITED STATES AGAIN FOR AN OIL REFINERY FIRM AND TRAVELED OVER MUCH OF NORTH AMERICA. HE WAS BORN JULY 20, 1906, AT BOOTROP, IN THE RUHR. AFTER THE WAR HE PLUNGED INTO POLITICS AS A MEMBER OF THE FREE DEMOCRATIC PARTY, SOMETIMES REFERRED TO AS THE GERMAN BUSINESS MEN'S PARTY.
HE SAID HIS NEW JOB IN THE UNITED STATES WOULD BE STRICTLY NON-POLITICAL. HIS HOBBY IS AUTOMOBILES AND HE LOOKS FORWARD TO GETTING AN AMERICAN CAR WITH AN AUTOMATIC GEAR-SHIFT.
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BONN, GERMANY, MAY 31-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT HAS APPROVED APPOINTMENT OF DR.HEINZ KREKELER AS THE FIRST POST-WAR GERMAN CONSUL GENERAL TO THE U. S., GERMAN AUTHORITIES SAID TODAY.
KREKELER IS A DEPUTY OF THE RIGHT WING FREE DEMOCRATIC PARTY IN THE RUHR VALLEY STATE OF NORTH RHINE-WESTPHALIA. HE IS A CHEMIST WHO WORKED FOR THE GERMAN OIL INDUSTRY BEFORE THE WAR. HE IS EXPECTED TO ESTABLISH HIS OFFICE IN NEW YORK CITY. x13
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A30
NIGHT LEAD BARGES (120)
BERLIN,MAY 31-(AP)-WEST BERLIN'S GOVERNMENT DETAINED FOUR EAST BERLIN BARGES TONIGHT IN A TIT-FOR-TAT ACTION AGAINST A SOVIET BLOCKADE ON METAL SHIPMENTS.
THE GOVERNMENTS SAID THE BARGES WOULD BE GIVEN "A MORE THOROUGH INVESTIGATION." ONE BARGE WITH DOCUMENTS FOR A CARGO OF GRAVEL FOR EAST BERLIN WAS FOUND TO BE CARRYING COAL.
EARLIER THE CITY ADMINISTRATION SAID IT HAD RECEIVED ALLIED APPROVAL TO START HALTING BARGES ON THE CITY CANALS. THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID DETAILED INSPECTIONS WOULD BE MADE "TO HINDER ILLEGAL EXPORTS FROM WEST BERLIN."
YESTERDAY 70 BARGES WITH SCRAP METAL CONSIGNED TO WESTERN GERMANY WERE FORCED BY THE RUSSIANS TO TURN BACK FROM THE BRITISH FRONTIER AT WITTENBERGE ON THE ELBE. FOUR BARGELOADS WERE CONFISCATED OUTRIGHT ON THE GROUNDS THAT THEY WERE ILLEGAL SHIPMENTS FROM THE EAST ZONE.
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BERLIN, MAY 31-(AP)-WEST BERLIN HIT BACK TODAY AT THE SOVIET BLOCKADE OF ITS SCRAP METAL SHIPMENTS BY HALTING RUSSIAN ZONE BARGES IN THE CITY CANALS.
WITH ALLIED APPROVAL, MAYOR ERNST REUTER'S GOVERNMENT BEGAN A DETAILED INSPECTION OF TRANSIT BARGES AIMED AT HALTING "ILLEGAL EXPORTS FROM WEST BERLIN," AN OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT CLAIMED.
SEVERAL EAST GERMAN BARGES WERE IMMEDIATELY CAUGHT AND THEIR CARGOES ORDERED SEARCHED.
YESTERDAY 70 BARGES WITH SCRAP METAL CONSIGNED TO WEST GERMANY WERE FORCED TO TURN BACK TO WEST BERLIN FROM THE SOVIET FRONTIER CONTROL POINT AT WITTENBERGE ON THE ELBE. THE RUSSIANS ASSERTED THE SCRAP WAS CONTRABAND. FOUR BARGELOADS WERE CONFISCATED OUTRIGHT.
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B24 S E G
(150)
BERLIN,MAY 31-(AP)-THE WESTERN ALLIES PROTESTED TO RUSSIAN HEADQUARTERS TODAY AGAINST THE BRIEF ARREST OF AN ALLIED MILITARY POLICE PATROL ON THE EXPRESS HIGHWAY TO WEST GERMANY LATE YESTERDAY.
THE PATROL--FOUR AMERICAN, FOUR BRITISH AND TWO FRENCH SOLDIERS -- WAS POSTED AT A SUBURBAN DETOUR WHICH THE SOVIET AUTHORITIES HAD ORDERED TO FACILITATE TRAFFIC TO AND FROM THE COMMUNIST YOUTH RALLY IN EAST BERLIN LAST WEEKEND.
THE SOLDIERS WERE RELEASED FROM SOVIET CUSTODY WITHOUT AN EXPLANATION. IT WAS LEARNED, HOWEVER, THAT THE RUSSIANS OBJECTED TO THEIR SETTING UP A STATIONARY WATCH POINT INSTEAD OF KEEPING MOVING IN THEIR VEHICLES THROUGH THE SOVIET-OCCUPIED TERRITORY.
THE AMERICAN PROVOST MARSHAL IN BERLIN, COL.HAROLD A.DAVENPORT, IN A TELEPHONE CALL INFORMED COL.B.P.KALININ, LIAISON CHIEF FOR THE SOVIET CONTROL COMMISSION HERE, THAT THE ALLIES "DID NOT APPRECIATE INTERFERENCE WITH THEIR AUTOBAHN PATROLS."
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BERLIN,MAY 31-(AP)-SOURCES IN EAST GERMANY SAID TODAY COMMUNIST POLICE ARE INVESTIGATING THE POSSIBILITY OF ARSON IN RECENT FIRES WHICH HEAVILY DAMAGED THE FAMED ZEISS PLANT AT JENA AND SEVERAL OTHER STATE-OWNED FACTORIES IN THE RUSSIAN OCCUPIED STATE OF THURINGIA.
EAST GERMAN AUTHORITIES HAVE ADMITTED FIRE LOSSES IN THURINGIA INDUSTRIES LAST YEAR TOTALLING 24,000,000 EAST MARKS, THE EQUIVALENT OF ABOUT $1,000,000.
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A10
NIGHT LEAD HOFFMAN (100)
MUNICH, GERMANY, MAY 31-(AP)-HEINRICH HOFFMAN, THE OFFICIAL NAZI PARTY PHOTOGRAPHER, WAS ADJUDGED A MAJOR NAZI OFFENDER BY A DENAZIFICATION COURT TODAY AND STRIPPED OF HIS TITLE OF PROFESSOR. THE TITLE HAD BEEN GIVEN HIM BY HITLER.
MOST OF HIS PROPERTY WAS CONFISCATED AND HE WAS SENTENCED TO FIVE YEARS IN A LABOR CAMP BUT LATER SENTENCE WAS SUSPENDED SINCE HE ALREADY HAD SERVED THAT MUCH TIME IN INTERNMENT. THE COURT ALSO FORBADE HIM TO WORK AS A PHOTOGRAPHER FOR 10 YEARS.
HOFFMAN'S WIFE SHOUTED "HEIL MOSCOW," AS HE WAS LED FROM THE COURT.
HOFFMAN WAS CAPTURED BY THE U.S.ARMY IN MAY, 1945.
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MUNICH, GERMANY, MAY 31-(AP)-HEINRICH HOFFMAN, ONE TIME PERSONAL PHOTOGRAPHER TO ADOLF HITLER, WAS CONVICTED AS A MAJOR NAZI OFFENDER BY A DENAZIFICATION COURT TODAY.
HIS WIFE YELLED: "HEIL MOSCOW!" AS HE WAS LED FROM THE COURT WHICH FORBADE HIM TO WORK AS A PHOTOGRAPHER FOR 10 YEARS. THE COURT ALSO:
CONFISCATED ALL OF HOFFMANN'S PROPERTY EXCEPT 5,000 DEUTSCHE MARKS (ABOUT $1,200), AND SENTENCED HIM TO FIVE YEARS INTERNMENT IN A LABOR CAMP BUT SUSPENDED THE SENTENCE SINCE HE HAS ALREADY SERVED THIS TIME.
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B11 (Q) (190)
STUTTGART, GERMANY, MAY 31-(AP)-SEVEN MORE SOLDIERS HAVE BEEN CONVICTED ON CHARGES OF DESTROYING PRIVATE PROPERTY AND OF RIOTING IN A TAVERN NEAR AUGSBURG, THE U.S. ARMY SAID TODAY.
THE ARMY LISTED THE SEVEN MEN CONVICTED AS:
PVT. JEAN ROY, COMPTON, CALIF.; PFC FREDERICK STONEBREAKER, BUFFALO N.Y.; PVT. JOSEPH F.JOSEPH, WATERVILLE, MAINE; PVT. FREDERICK MAYNARD, SOUTHBRIDGE, MASS.; PFC JOE CRAVENS, JR., WINTERSET, OHIO; PFC EDWARD L.BLANFORD, CULVER CITY, CALIF.; CPL. CLARENCE HICKS, EASTBANK, W.VA.
THE SEVEN CONVICTED WERE SENTENCED TO SIX MONTHS EACH WITH FORFEITURES OF $50 A MONTH, THE ARMY SAID. THE SENTENCES ARE SUBJECT TO REVIEW.
THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID ALSO THAT THE IMPRISONMENT OF FIVE OTHER SOLDIERS CONVICTED EARLIER IN THE SAME CASE HAS BEEN SUSPENDED BY THE REVIEWING AUTHORITY.
THESE FIVE SOLDIERS WERE NAMED AS:
PFC EARL G.COUNTNEY, OF 100 SECOND ST., ROSSVILLE, GA.; PFC HUGH G.METZLAR, BIRCHWOOD ROAD, BILLERICA, MASS.; PFC PAUL C.O'DONNELL, 308 EAST 56TH ST., LONG BEACH, CALIF.; PVT. JAMES H.DEISCHER, BOX 401, NEW HARMONY, IND.; PVT. THOMAS A.WHITLOCK, 705 EAST MONROE, HUTCHINSON, KAN.
FORFEITURES OF $50 A MONTH FOR 12 MONTHS AND AUTOMATIC REDUCTION TO THE GRADE OF RECRUIT STAND FOR THESE FIVE, THE ARMY SAID.
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LUENEBURG, GERMANY, MAY 31-(AP)-SEVEN WEST GERMAN CHILDREN WERE KILLED TODAY BY AN EXPLOSION OF A WARTIME SHELL THEY PICKED UP TO SELL TO A SCRAP DEALER. SIX WERE BOYS FROM THREE TO 13 YEARS OLD. THE SEVENTH CHILD WAS A 12-YEAR-OLD GIRL. X47.17
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A100
FIRST LEAD TRIAL (180)
PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, MAY 31-(AP)-THE TOP-RANKING DEFENDANT AMONG 13 ACCUSED OF PLOTTING WITH WESTERNERS AGAINST THE CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT PLEADED GUILTY AT THE OPENING SESSION OF THE TRIAL TODAY, THE PRAGUE RADIO REPORTED.
THE DEFENDANT, A WOMAN NAMED DR.MILADA HORAKOVA, TESTIFIED THAT "THE NATIONAL SOCIALIST PARTY'S FUNCTIONARIES WERE RECEIVING THEIR DIRECTIVES FROM THE AMERICAN, BRITISH AND FRENCH DIPLOMATS," THE BROADCAST SAID.
DR.HORAKOVA, A FORMER DEPUTY OF THE NOW OUTLAWED NATIONAL SOCIALIST PARTY, TOLD THE COURT SHE CONSIDERED HERSELF GUILTY OF SABOTAGE AND SPYING.
WITH THE OTHERS. DR.HORAKOVA IS ACCUSED OF ORGANIZING THE BIGGEST UNDERGROUND GROUP DISCOVERED IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA SINCE THE COMMUNIST PARTY CAME TO POWER EARLY IN 1948.
THE INDICTMENT STATED THAT "THE ILLEGAL LEADERSHIP HAD 1,400,000 CROWNS ($28,000) AT ITS DISPOSAL FOR ITS ILLEGAL ACTIVITIES. THE AMOUNT WAS STOLEN FROM THE FUNDS OF THE NATIONAL SOCIALIST PARTY BY HUBERT RIPKA (FORMER MINISTER OF FOREIGN TRADE) BEFORE HE ESCAPED ABROAD, AND GIVEN BY HIM FOR ILLEGAL PURPOSES."
THE DEFENDANTS WERE LINKED IN THE INDICTMENT WITH THE LATE LAURENCE STEINHARDT, FORMER U.S. AMBASSADOR TO CZECHOSLOVAKIA; FORMER FRENCH AMBASSADOR MAURICE DEJEAN, AND MANY OTHER WESTERN DIPLOMATIC OFFICIALS AND NEWSPAPER CORRESPONDENTS.
THE INDICTMENT CHARGED THAT THE AMERICANS NAMED "ALL PLAYED AN ACTIVE ROLE IN THE CRIMINAL ACTIVITIES OF THE ACCUSED."
DR. HORAKOVA ADMITTED TO THE COURT THAT SHE ADOPTED A "NEGATIVE ATTITUDE" TO THE EVENTS OF FEBRUARY, 1948, WHEN THE COMMUNISTS SEIZED POWER IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA.
SHE ALSO SAID SHE HAD CLOSE AND FRIENDLY RELATIONS WITH PETER ZENKL, FORMER DEPUTY PREMIER AND LEADER OF THE CZECH SOCIALIST PARTY WHO IS NOW LIVING IN EXILE IN THE UNITED STATES.
THE GRAY-HAIRED WOMAN QUIETLY BUT IN A FIRM VOICE TOLD OF MEETING DEJEAN AND OTHER WESTERN DIPLOMATS IN PRAGUE, AND TESTIFIED SHE HAD SOUGHT THE OPINIONS OF THE WESTERNERS ON EVENTS IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA.
SHE SAID THE GROUP TO WHICH SHE BELONGED HAD TRIED TO GET PERSONS OF ITS CHOICE APPOINTED TO HIGH OFFICIAL POSITIONS IN ORDER TO CARRY OUT ITS ILLEGAL WORK MORE EFFICIENTLY.
LISTED IN THE INDICTMENT AMONG THE WESTERN REPRESENTATIVES WITH WHICH THE GROUP WAS ALLEGED TO HAVE HAD CONTACT WERE THE AMERICAN CORRESPONDENTS FOR THE NEW YORK TIMES, DANA ADAMS SCHMIDT, WHO IS STILL IN PRAGUE, AND FOR THE UNITED PRESS, MISS HELEN FISHER.
THE FEW WESTERN CORRESPONDENTS REMAINING IN PRAGUE ALL WERE ADMITTED TO THE COURTROOM WITH THE EXCEPTION OF SCHMIDT.
IN A DISPATCH TO THE NEW YORK TIMES FROM PRAGUE, SCHMIDT DENIED KNOWING THE PERSONS WITH WHOM THE INDICTMENT CHARGED HE HAD BEEN IN CONTACT.
OTHER AMERICANS NAMED AS CO-CONSPIRATORS WITH THE GROUP WERE MISS MARY VANCE TRENT, FORMER SECOND SECRETARY IN THE U.S. EMBASSY; CAPT. JACK C.NOVAK, FORMER ASSISTANT AIR ATTACHE; MILTON FRIED, FORMER LABOR ATTACHE; AND MISS LOUISE SCHAEFFER, FORMER THIRD SECRETARY.

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THE PRESENT BRITISH VICE-CONSUL ADRIAN L.MCLAUGHLIN WAS CITED ALONG WITH FORMER BRITISH FIRST SECRETARY HAROLD C.L.GIBSON AND FORMER THIRD SECRETARY ANTHONY J.WILLIAMS. THE INDICTMENT SAID THEY PLAYED A SIMILAR ROLE WITH THAT OF THE AMERICANS NAMED.
THE FRENCH DIPLOMATS NAMED, IN ADDITION TO DEJEAN, WERE THE FORMER MILITARY ATTACHE, GEN. JULIAN FLIPPO, AND ANOTHER MILITARY ATTACHE, COL. GEORGES HELLIOT.
THE INDICTMENT ALSO CHARGED THAT IVOR MURKO, FORMER YUGOSLAV CHARGE D'AFFAIRES IN PRAGUE, ASSISTED THE PLOTTERS.
ALSO NAMED WERE COL. ROBERT MAUROY, BELGIAN MILITARY ATTACHE; MISS VLASTA VRAZ, A FORMER OFFICIAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS CHILDREN'S EMERGENCY RELIEF ORGANIZATION; MISS MARY BAKER, DESCRIBED AS A FORMER CLERK IN THE UNITED PRESS OFFICE IN PRAGUE; A SWEDISH CITIZEN AND TWO NORWEGIANS.

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THE INDICTMENT AS BROADCAST BY THE OFFICIAL CZECH RADIO, GAVE THIS ACCOUNT OF THE ALLEGED PLOT:

THE UNDERGROUND ORGANIZATION PLANNED TO OPPOSE THE COMMUNIST-LED GOVERNMENT BY ESPIONAGE, SABOTAGE AND TERRORISM.

IT ALSO PLANNED TO FURNISH AN ANTI-GOVERNMENT FIFTH COLUMN "IN CASE OF AN ARMED ATTACK AGAINST THE SOVIET UNION AND THE PEOPLE'S DEMOCRACIES."

THE GROUP HELPED CZECHS TO ESCAPE TO WEST EUROPE AND WORKED WITH THE AMERICAN COUNTERINTELLIGENCE CORPS. SOME OF THE DEFENDANTS WERE ACCUSED OF GIVING THE WESTERN POWERS VITAL INDUSTRIAL AND MILITARY INFORMATION.

THREE OF THE DEFENDANTS ARE WOMEN, ALL FORMER DEPUTIES OF THE NOW OUTLAWED NATIONAL SOCIALIST PARTY. THEY ARE DR. MILADA HORAKOVA, FRANTISKA ZEMINOVA AND ANTONIE KLEINEROVA. THESE, THE INDICTMENT SAID, RECEIVED INSTRUCTIONS FROM THE FORMER CHAIRMAN OF THEIR PARTY, DR. PETR ZENKL, NOW IN EXILE.

THE UNDERGROUND WAS ORGANIZED, THE INDICTMENT SAID, BY FORMER LEADERS OF THE NATIONAL SOCIALIST, SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC AND PEOPLES (CATHOLIC) PARTIES.

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THE INDICTMENT LISTED THESE OTHER DEFENDANTS:

DR. JOSEF NESTAVAL, FORMER FACTORY OWNER.

DR. JIRI HEJDA, FORMER FACTORY OWNER.

FRANTISK PREUCIL.

JAN BUCHAL, STATE POLICE OFFICER.

DR. OLDRICH PECL, FORMER OWNER OF MINES.

ZAVIS KALANDRA, FORMER NEWSPAPERMAN.

DR. ZDENEK PESTA, UNIVERSITY PROFESSOR.

VOJTECH DUNDR, FORMER CENTRAL SECRETARY OF THE SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC PARTY.

DR. BEDRICH HOSTICKA.

DR. JIRI KRIZEK, LAWYER.

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NIGHT LEAD CZECH (600)

PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, MAY 31-(AP)-THE MAIN DEFENDANT, DR. MILADA HORAKOVA, PLEADED GUILTY TODAY TO CHARGES OF HIGH TREASON, SPYING AND SABOTAGE AT THE TRIAL OF 13 CZECHOSLOVAKS ACCUSED OF FIFTH COLUMN TREACHERY.

THEY WERE CHARGED WITH RUNNING AN UNDERGROUND SPY NETWORK IN COLLUSION WITH WESTERN DIPLOMATS AND OTHER ALIENS.

AMONG THOSE THEY WERE ACCUSED OF WORKING FOR WAS LAURENCE A. STEINHARDT, FORMER U.S. AMBASSADOR TO PRAGUE WHO WAS KILLED IN A PLANE CRASH LAST MARCH 28 NEAR OTTAWA WHERE HE WAS THEN SERVING AS AMBASSADOR TO CANADA.

(AT WASHINGTON THE STATE DEPARTMENT FLATLY DENIED THE CZECH GOVERNMENT ACCUSATION.

IT SAID THE CHARGES WERE "TRUMPED UP" AND PART OF A CONTINUING CAMPAIGN IN THE IRON CURTAIN COUNTRIES TO DISCREDIT WESTERN DIPLOMATS.

(A DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL SAID NONE OF THE AMERICANS NAMED WAS "IN ANYWAY WHATEVER" INVOLVED IN ESPIONAGE OR SUBVERSIVE WORK WHILE IN CZECHOSOLOVKIA.)

THE PRAGUE RADIO, REPORTING DEVELOPMENTS AT THE TRIAL WHICH BEGAN THIS MORNING, SAID MRS. HORAKOVA TESTIFIED "HOW THE NATIONAL SOCIALIST PARTY'S FUNCTIONARIES WERE RECEIVING THEIR DIRECTIVES FROM THE AMERICAN, BRITISH AND FRENCH DIPLOMATS." TWO OTHER DEFENDANTS ARE WOMEN.

MRS. HORAKOVA IS A FORMER DEPUTY OF THE OUTLAWED NATIONAL SOCIALIST PARTY.

SHE ADMITTED ADOPTING A "NEGATIVE ATTITUDE" TOWARD THE SEIZURE OF POWER BY THE COMMUNISTS IN FEBRUARY, 1948 AND OF SEEKING OPINIONS ON THOSE EVENTS FROM WESTERN DIPLOMATS HERE, INCLUDING FRENCH AMBASSADOR MAURICE DEJEAN.

THE GRAY-HAIRED DEFENDANT, DRESSED NEATLY IN NAVY BLUE, TESTIFIED QUIETLY THAT SHE HAD CLOSE AND FRIENDLY RELATIONS WITH PETER ZENKL, FORMER DEPUTY REMIER AND SOCIALIST PARTY LEADER WHO NOW IS LIVING IN THE UNITED STATES.

SHE SAID HER GROUP HAD TRIED TO PUT THEIR FRIENDS INTO HIGH GOVERNMENT JOBS SO THEY COULD CONSPIRE AGAINST THE STATE.

THE NAMES OF DIPLOMATS, THEIR EMPLOYES AND NEWSPAPER REPRESENTATIVES FROM HALF A DOZEN WESTERN COUNTRIES APPEAR IN THE 37-PAGE INDICTMENT AGAINST THE 13.

THE FEW WESTERN CORRESPONDENTS WHO HAVE NOT BEEN EXPELLED FROM THIS COUNTRY WERE ADMITTED TO THE COURTROOM WITH ONE EXCEPTION. DANA ADAMS SCHMIDT OF THE NEW YORK TIMES WAS NOT INVITED; HIS NAME APPEARS IN THE INDICTMENT AS AN ALLEGED CONTACT WITH THE RING. (IN A PRAGUE DISPATCH TO THE NEW YORK TIMES SCHMIDT SAID HE KNEW NONE OF THE PERSONS HE IS ALLEGED TO HAVE CONTACTED).

OTHER AMERICANS MENTIONED AS CO-CONSPIRATORS IN THE INDICTMENT ARE MARY VANCE TRENT, FORMER SECOND SECRETARY OF THE EMBASSY; CAPTAIN JACK C. NOVAK, FORMER ASSISTANT AIR ATTACHE; MILTON FRIED, FORMER LABOR ATTACHE; MISS LOUISE SHAFFNER, FORMER THIRD SECRETARY, AND HELEN FISHER, A FORMER UNITED PRESS CORRESPONDENT IN PRAGUE.

THE DEFENDANTS ARE FORMER LEADERS OF THE NATIONAL SOCIALIST PARTY (OF THE LATE PRESIDENT EDUARD BENES), SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC AND PEOPLES (CATHOLIC) PARTIES THAT FLOURISHED BEFORE FEBRUARY, 1948.

THE INDICTMENT ALLEGES THEY PREPARED "AN ARMED PUTSCH" TO FACILITATE "ARMED AGGRESSION OF THE ANGLO-AMERICAN IMPERIALISTS AGAINST CZECHOSLOVAKIA."

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AMERICANS NAMED IN THE INDICTMENT "ALL PLAYED AN ACTIVE ROLE IN THE CRIMINAL ACTIVITIES OF THE ACCUSED" AS DID THE BRITISH AND FRENCH EMBASSY STAFFS, IT WAS CHARGED.

IVOR MURKO, FORMER YUGOSLAV CHARGE D'AFFAIRES IN PRAGUE IS AMONG THE ALLEGED PLOTTERS

ALSO NAMED WERE COL. ROBERT MAUROY, BELGIAN MILITARY ATTACHE; MISS VLASTA VRAZ, A FORMER OFFICIAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS CHILDREN'S EMERGENCY FUND; MISS MARY BAKER, DESCRIBED AS A FORMER CLERK FOR THE UNITED PRESS OFFICE; A SWEDE AND TWO NORWEGIANS.

THE RADIO REPORTED ONE UNDERGROUND FACTION WAS HEADED BY A UNIVERSITY PROFESSOR NAMED DR. ZDENEK PESTA AND THAT HE SENT "PETITIONS TO THE AMERICAN EMBASSY DEMANDING SO-CALLED FREE ELECTIONS, THUS ASKING THE UNITED STATES FOR INTERVENTION."

PESTA IS A DEFENDANT ALONG WITH THESE OTHERS: DR. JOSEF NESTAVAL AND DR. JIRI HEJDA, FORMER FACTORY OWNERS; FRANTISK PREUCIL; A

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BUCHAL, STATE POLICE OFFICER; DR. OLDRICH PECL, FORMER MINE OWNER; ZAVIS KALANDRA, FORMER JOURNALIST; VOJTECH DUNDR, FORMER CENTRAL SECRETARY OF THE SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC PARTY; DR. BEDRICH HOSTICKA; DR. JIRI KRIEZEK, LAWYER; MRS. HORAKOVA, FRANTISKA ZEMINOVA AND ANTONIE KLEINEROVA.

THEY WERE ACCUSED OF HELPING CZECHOSLOVAKS ESCAPE THE COUNTRY AND OF COOPERATING WITH THE AMERICAN COUNTER INTELLIGENCE AGENCIES. SOME WERE CHARGED WITH GIVING THE WESTERN POWERS INDUSTRIAL PLANNING AND MILITARY SECRETS. AMONG THOSE REPORTED SMUGGLED OUT OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA IS VOJTA BENES, BROTHER OF THE LATE PRESIDENT, WHO WAS ALLEGED TO HAVE ATTENDED AN ORGANIZATION MEETING OF THE RING.

THE RING WAS CHARGED WITH LOOTING THE NATIONAL SOCIALIST PARTY TREASURY OF 1,400,000 CROWNS (ABOUT $28,000) TO FINANCE ITS WORK. THE MONEY WAS TAKEN, THE INDICTMENT SAID, BY FORMER FOREIGN TRADE MINISTER HUBERT RIPKA BEFORE HE ESCAPED ABROAD.

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prague, may 31-(ap)-a czechoslovak newspaper complained today that when "people's democratic sportsmen" go west to take part in international tournaments, they are "judged by unjust bourgeois referees." (this is communist for: "we wuz robbed.")

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The paper, the youth organization organ mlada fronta, contended that the west uses sports and physical education for spying and warmongering.

"one of these cases, the paper said, "when sport was used for espionage purposes was when, in 1948, the mormon basketball team came to prague. besides playing basketball, the mormons also held 'religious services' in which, however, they incited our people against the people's democratic system and members of the team collected information for the intelligence service.

"in other cases, diplomats from the capitalist states play tennis or golf in countries 'behind the iron curtain.' in both sports they find sufficient people of the former 'golden youth' from whom they collect information or they even organize these people for activities hostile to the people's democratic regime."

when eastern athletes go to the west to play, said mlada fronta, "they are denied visas, given rooms in the worst hotels and their efforts are judged by unjust bourgeois referees."

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"on the other hand," the article concluded, "sport and physical culture in the soviet union and the people's democratic countries is becoming a power of peace which leads the masses to fight irreconcilably against exploitation and cultivates in them the noblest moral characteristics."

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PROKUPLJE, YUGOSLAVIA, MAY 31-(AP)-PREMIER MARSHAL TITO SAID TONIGHT YUGOSLAVIA INTENDED TO REMAIN FREE FROM FOREIGN ENTANGLEMENTS AND PARTICIPATION "IN ANY BLOC--EITHER EAST OR WEST."

HE SPOKE BEFORE AN AUDIENCE OF APPROXIMATELY 30,000.

"DON'T THINK THAT WE ARE EVER GOING TO SELL OURSELVES FOR LOANS," HE SAID. "IF SOMEONE WANTS TO GIVE US A LOAN, LET HIM DO IT; WE KNOW THAT HE ALSO WILL HAVE A BENEFIT FROM IT. WE SHALL RETURN THE LOAN WITH A PROFIT. WE SAY: IF THEY WANT TO DO THIS ON SUCH A BASIS, IT IS ALL RIGHT: IF NOT, WE DO NOT NEED IT."

TITO CALLED YUGOSLAVIA "THE ONLY NEUTRAL AND INDEPENDENT COUNTRY WHICH HAS NO OBLIGATIONS TOWARDS EITHER EAST OR WEST."

HE SAID, "WE KNOW OUR ROAD. WE HAVE NO OTHER ROAD, EXCEPT OUR ROAD TO SOCIALISM AND WE ARE READY TO DIE, TO THE LAST MAN, IF SOMEONE WOULD ATTEMPT TO PREVENT OUR ACHIEVEMENT X X X."

THEN HE PUT IN A SCOFFING WORD FOR YUGOSLAVIA'S LAST KING. HE SAID THE YUGOSLAV PEOPLE NEVER WOULD PERMIT "THAT LITTLE KING PETER WITH SUPPORT FROM ABROAD, NOR ANYONE ELSE, NO MATTER WITH WHOM ALLIED," TO IMPOSE UPON THE COUNTRY "THE OLD REGIME, A REGIME OF EXPLOITATION OF MAN BY MAN."

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ORDASS (340)
BUDAPEST, HUNGARY, MAY 31-(AP)-FORMER LUTHERAN BISHOP LAJOS ORDASS HAS BEEN RELEASED FROM PRISON AFTER SERVING ALMOST 20 MONTHS OF A TWO-YEAR SENTENCE, AN OFFICIAL COMMUNIQUE DISCLOSED LAST NIGHT.

REMISSION OF THE REST OF HIS SENTENCE FOLLOWED HIS REMOVAL FROM OFFICE ON APRIL 2 BY A SPECIAL COURT OF HUNGARY'S LUTHERAN CHURCH. HE HAD BEEN CONVICTED IN A WORKERS' COURT SEPT. 28, 1948, OF NEGLECTING TO REPORT TO THE GOVERNMENT THAT HIS CHURCH HAD RECEIVED $500,000 FROM AMERICAN LUTHERANS.

(THE BISHOP'S REMOVAL FROM OFFICE WAS PROTESTED FORMALLY ON APRIL 18 BY THE LUTHERAN WORLD FEDERATION, OF WHICH ORDASS WAS A VICE PRESIDENT.

(THE WORLD FEDERATION SENT A TELEGRAM TO IVAN REOK, LAY PRESIDENT OF THE HUNGARIAN CHURCH, EXPRESSING "GREAT CONCERN" OVER THE REMOVAL AND REQUESTING INFORMATION ON THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE SPECIAL DISCIPLINARY COURT.)

THE COMMUNIQUE SAID THE LUTHERAN CHURCH HAD ASKED CLEMENCY FOR BISHOP ORDASS. THE BISHOP HAD PLEADED INNOCENT TO THE CHARGE AGAINST HIM AT HIS TRIAL.

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FOLLOWING BISHOP ORDASS' ARREST ON SEPT. 10, 1948, THE LUTHERAN WORLD FEDERATION IN A STATEMENT SAID AMERICAN LUTHERANS HAD SENT THE HUNGARIAN CHURCH ONLY $200,000. ALL OF THIS, THE STATEMENT SAID, WAS TRANSMITTED THROUGH THE HUNGARIAN NATIONAL BANK AND BECAME A MATTER OF PUBLIC RECORD.

LATER BISHOP ELVIND BERGGRAV, PRIMATE OF THE LUTHERAN CHURCH OF NORWAY, CHARGED THAT BISHOP ORDASS WAS IMPRISONED BECAUSE HE OPPOSED THE "MISUSE OF POLICE POWER" IN COMMUNIST-DOMINATED HUNGARY.

IN JANUARY, 1949, BISHOP ORDASS WAS GRANTED A RETRIAL AT HIS OWN REQUEST BUT NO FURTHER ANNOUNCEMENT WAS MADE BY THE HUNGARIAN COURT CONCERNING THIS. ON FEB. 8, 1949, HUNGARY'S ROMAN CATHOLIC PRIMATE, JOSEF CARDINAL MINDSZENTY, WAS SENTENCED TO LIFE IMPRISONMENT ON TREASON CHARGES WHICH INCLUDED ACCUSATIONS OF BLACK MARKET MONEY DEALINGS.

THE DAY AFTER MINDSZENTY'S CONVICTION U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THE "PERSECUTION" OF THE CARDINAL, OF BISHOP ORDASS AND OF OTHER COMMUNIST-CONVICTED CHURCH LEADERS WERE PART OF A DELIBERATE PATTERN OF SUPPRESSION OF FREEDOM AND EXTENSION OF "TOTALITARIAN CONTROLS" OVER HUNGARY.

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BUDAPEST, HUNGARY, MAY 31-(AP)-THE HUNGARIAN PRESS ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT SPECIAL PERMITS WILL BE REQUIRED ON AND AFTER JULY 1 FOR TRAVEL IN A 15-KILOMETER (ABOUT NINE-MILE)BELT OF THE HUNGARIAN BORDER ZONE FACING YUGOSLAVIA.

THE BRIEF ANNOUNCEMENT SAID SUCH PERMITS WILL BE GRANTED BY POLICE AUTHORITIES ON PERSONAL REQUEST. NO PERMITS WILL BE NEEDED FOR VISITS TO THE TWO MAJOR CITIES IN THE BORDER ZONE, SZEGED AND NAGYKANISZA. THESE TOWNS ARE AT OPPOSITE SIDES OF HUNGARY'S FRONTIER WITH YUGOSLAVIA. SZEGED IS ABOUT 150 MILES EAST OF NAGYKANISZA.

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PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, MAY 31-(AP)-MINISTER OF DEFENSE ALEXEI CEPICKA FIRED THE HEAD OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK ARMY QUARTERMASTER DEPARTMENT TODAY AND WARNED THIS WAS JUST THE BEGINNING OF "IMPROVEMENTS."

CEPICKA ACCUSED DIVISIONAL GEN. BRUNO ZAPLETAL OF THE ARMY PROVISIONING SERVICE OF "GROSS NEGLIGENCE IN THE PROVISIONING OF THE ARMY" AND OF HAVING BEEN INDIFFERENT TO FAULTS IN THE SYSTEM OF PROVIDING FOR MATERIAL NEEDS OF THE SOLDIERS. OTHERS AMONG ARMY OFFICERS RESPONSIBLE WILL BE PUNISHED, THE MINISTER SAID.

"THERE ARE GREAT DEFICIENCIES IN THE CARE OF SOLDIERS, HE DECLARED. "HIGH ARMY OFFICIALS NEGLECT THEIR DUTIES AND TAKE NO STEPS TO REMOVE THE FAULTS.

"WE SHALL IN THE FUTURE DO EVERYTHING POSSIBLE TO IMPROVE THE MATERIAL CONDITIONS OF THE SOLDIERS AND PUNISH ALL CULPRITS GUILTY OF NEGLIGENCE IN THIS RESPECT."

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BELGRADE, YUGOSLAVIA, MAY 31-(AP)-TWO HIGH RANKING MILITARY MEN WHO TRIED TO FLEE TO ROMANIA AFTER THE COMINFORM'S BREAK WITH PREMIER MARSHAL TITO FACE TRIAL AS TRAITORS IN A MILITARY COURT HERE TOMORROW.

THEY ARE MAJ. GEN. BRANKO PETRICEVIC AND COL. VLADO DAPCEVIC, WHO REPORTEDLY WERE MEMBERS OF A YUGOSLAV GROUP WHICH SIDED WITH THE RUSSIAN-LED COMINFORM.

THEY WERE CAPTURED AUG. 12, 1948, AS THEY MADE THEIR ESCAPE ATTEMPT. GEN. ARSO JOVANOVIC, FORMER YUGOSLAV CHIEF OF STAFF WHO WAS WITH THEM, WAS KILLED BUT ANOTHER REFUGEE, AIR FORCE MAJ. GEN. PERO POPIVODA, MADE GOOD HIS ESCAPE.

DAPCEVIC IS THE BROTHER OF COL. GEN. PEKO DAPCEVIC, A TOP FIGURE IN YUGOSLAVIA'S ARMY OFTEN MENTIONED AS A POSSIBLE SUCCESSOR TO MARSHAL TITO. THE GENERAL DENOUNCED HIS BROTHER AS A TRAITOR SHORTLY AFTER HIS ATTEMPTED FLIGHT.

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A36
(150)
BELGRADE, YUGOSLAVIA, MAY 31-(AP)-YUGOSLAVIA HAS CLOSED ITS LEGATION IN NEIGHBORING ALBANIA AND WON'T REOPEN IT UNTIL ALBANIAN OFFICIALS "CHANGE THEIR ATTITUDE TOWARD YUGOSLAV DIPLOMATS."
THE OFFICIAL NEWS AGENCY TANJUG SAID THE CLOSURE RESULTED FROM "DISCRIMINATIONS AND ILL TREATMENT" OF YUGOSLAV CITIZENS, A TACTIC IN THE COMINFORM CAMPAIGN AGAINST PREMIER MARSHAL TITO'S GOVERNMENT. ALBANIA SUPPORTS THE RUSSIAN-LED COMINFORM'S DRIVE AGAINST TITO.
THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID THE YUGOSLAV LEGATION STAFF HAD RETURNED FROM TIRANA AND "HAS TEMPORARILY CLOSED ITS WORK IN ALBANIA."
TITO'S GOVERNMENT IN RECENT MONTHS HAS CHARGED THE SOVIET SATELLITES WITH MISTREATING YUGOSLAV REPRESENTATIVES IN THEIR CAPITALS AND WITH HAMPERING THEIR WORK.
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WARSAW, POLAND, MAY 31-(AP)-THE OFFICIAL RADIO LAST NIGHT ANNOUNCED THE RECALL OF POLAND'S AMBASSADOR TO YUGOSLAVIA, JAN WENDE. INFORMED SOURCES SAID EACH NATION IN THE FUTURE WOULD BE REPRESENTED IN THE OTHER'S CAPITAL BY A CHARGE D'AFFAIRES. YUGOSLAVIA'S AMBASSADOR HERE, RADJE PIRPICEVIC, DECLINED, HOWEVER, TO SAY WHETHER HE WOULD LEAVE FOR BELGRADE.
THE TREATY OF FRIENDSHIP AND MUTUAL AID BETWEEN POLAND AND YUGOSLAVIA REMAINS IN FORCE TECHNICALLY. POLAND IS ONE OF THE COMINFORM COUNTRIES WHICH HAVE BEEN OPPOSING THE REGIME OF YUGOSLAV PREMIER MARSHAL TITO SINCE 1948.
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A32
MOSCOW,MAY 31-(AP)-NEW TIMES, SOVIET RUSSIA'S AUTHORITATIVE FOREIGN POLICY WEEKLY, ACCUSED THE UNITED STATES TODAY OF PARALYZING THE UNITE NATIONS BY ITS ACTIONS.
THE MAGAZINE SAID U.N. DECISIONS HAVE NO WEIGHT SO LONG AS CHINA IS REPRESENTED BY "KUOMINTANG AGENTS."
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THE UNITED STATES ACCUSES RUSSIA OF PARALYZING THE UNITED NATIONS BY REFUSING TO TAKE PART IN U.N. DELIBERATIONS WHILE CHINESE NATIONALISTS REMAIN SEATED INSTEAD OF CHINESE COMMUNISTS.
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B36 (150)
KX (APW)
LONDON, MAY 31-(AP)-SIR WILLIAM CRAWFORD CURRIE, CHAIRMAN OF THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENT STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, CHARGED TODAY THAT BRITISH INTERESTS WERE BEING DISCRIMINATED AGAINST IN THE FAR EAST TO THE ADVANTAGE OF JAPANESE SHIPPING.
IN A SPEECH TO THE COMPANY'S ANNUAL ASSEMBLY, CURRIE STATED:
"THERE ARE SEVERAL FEATURES IN THE PRESENT POLICY IN THE JAPANESE GOVERNMENT WHICH ARE DISTURBING TO US AND TO OTHER BRITISH INTERESTS. HOW FAR THEY ARE INSPIRED BY JAPANESE THOUGHT AND HOW FAR THEY ARE THE RESULT OF UNITED STATES GUIDANCE IS IMPOSSIBLE FOR US HERE TO DETERMINE."
HE SAID JAPANESE SHIPPING, "EVEN ON ITS PRESENT SMALL SCALE, HAS ALREADY BEEN AND IS AT THIS MOMENT BEING DIRECTED INTO CERTAIN OF OUR ESTABLISHED TRADES."
"THIS," CURRIE ADDED, "HAS BEEN DONE TO THE EXCLUSION OF OUR OWN AND OTHER FLAGS, AT CONSIDERABLY HIGHER RATES OF FREIGHT THAN OURS. AT THESE INCURSIONS WE HAVE PROTESTED, WE ARE PROTESTING AND WE WILL CONTINUE TO PROTEST AS VIGOROUSLY AS WE CAN. WE ARE NOT ASKING FOR FAVORS--WE ARE PROTESTING AGAINST DISCRIMINATION."
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JUN 1, 1950
A124 (250)
LONDON, THURSDAY, JUNE 1-(AP)-THE MOSCOW RADIO SAID TODAY RUSSIA IS SEEKING AN ANSWER FROM THE UNITED STATES TO A SOVIET DEMAND THAT JAPANESE EMPEROR HIROHITO BE TRIED AS A WAR CRIMINAL.
THE SOVIET DEMAND WAS CONTAINED IN A NOTE DELIVERED FEB.1. IT CALLED FOR TRIALS OF HIROHITO AND A GROUP OF JAPANESE WARTIME GENERALS ON THE ALLEGATION THAT THEY PLOTTED TO USE GERMS IN FIGHTING AGAINST THE SOVIET UNION, CHINA, THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN.
THE MOSCOW BROADCAST SAID THAT ON TUESDAY THE SOVIET CHARGE D'AFFAIRES HANDED U.S. OFFICIALS IN WASHINGTON A SECOND NOTE REMINDING THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT IT HAD NOT YET ANSWERED THE FEB.1 NOTE.
THE NEW NOTE SAID THE RUSSIAN EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON "EXPECTS THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT TO GIVE A REPLY TO THE NOTE OF THE U.S.S.R. OF FEB.1 AT THE EARLIEST DATE."
THE U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT ISSUED A SHARPLY WORDED STATEMENT FEB.3 ASSAILING THE RUSSIAN DEMAND ON THESE GROUNDS:
1. THE RUSSIAN ACCUSATION IS A SMOKE SCREEN INTENDED TO COVER UP "SOVIET FAILURE TO REPATRIATE OR OTHERWISE EXPLAIN THE FATE OF OVER 370,000 JAPANESE PRISONERS DETAINED IN SOVIET-HELD TERRITORY.
2. THE JAPANESE EMPEROR ALREADY HAS BEEN SPECIFICALLY EXEMPTED FROM WAR CRIMES TRIALS, WITH RUSSIAN CONSNT, IN A DECISION TAKEN BY THE FAR EASTERN COMMISSION APRIL 3,1946.
A COPY OF TUESDAY'S NOTE WAS PRESENTED TO THE CHINESE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT, THE MOSCOW RADIO SAID. OTHER COPIES WENT TO AUSTRALIA, BURMA, THE NETHERLANDS, INDIA, CANADA, NEW ZEALAND, PAKISTAN AND FRANCE--NATIONS WHICH ARE REPRESENTED ON THE FAR EASTERN COMMISSION.
THE BROADCAST ALSO SAID A NOTE ON THE TRIAL OF HIROHITO AND HIS GENERALS WAS HANDED THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT BY THE SOVIET EMBASSY IN LONDON. IT WAS NOT INDICATED WHETHER THAT NOTE WAS THE SAME AS THE ONE PRESENTED IN WASHINGTON.
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A150
LONDON, MAY 31-(AP)-BRITAIN INTENDS TO UNDERTAKE ABOUT 350 MAJOR ECONOMIC PROJECTS IN ITS COLONIAL TERRITORIES AT AN EXPENSE OF £400,000,000 ($1,120,000,000), COLONIAL SECRETARY JAMES GRIFFITHS ANNOUNCED TODAY.
GRIFFITHS, IN AN OFFICIAL REPORT, SAID MOST THE PLANNED PROJECTS ARE HEALTH, FOOD RAISING, AND EDUCATIONAL SCHEMES IN AFRICA, THE FAR EAST AND THE WEST INDIES.
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B37 (Q)
(120)
LONDON, MAY 31-(AP)-COMMUNIST CHINA HAS NAMED A REPRESENTATIVE TO THE UNITED NATIONS TRUSTEESHIP COUNCIL AND ASKED SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE WHEN HE CAN TAKE HIS SEAT, BELGRADE RADIO SAID TODAY.

QUOTING A PEIPING DISPATCH OF THE OFFICIAL YUGOSLAV NEWS AGENCY TANJUG, THE RADIO SAID CHINESE FOREIGN MINISTER CHOU EN-LAI MESSAGED LIE THAT MENG JUNG-CHIEN HAD BEEN NOMINATED HIS COUNTRY'S REPRESENTATIVE ON THE COUNCIL.

"TO THIS DAY THE ILLEGAL DELEGATES OF REACTIONARY KUOMINTANG REMNANTS HAVE BEEN TOLERATED IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL, SOCIAL COUNCIL, AND ALL OTHER BODIES AND AGENCIES OF THE U.N. EXCEPT THE INTERNATIONAL POSTAL UNION," TANJUG QUOTED THE MESSAGE.

"PLEASE REPLY TO QUESTION OF WHEN THE LEGITIMATE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE CHINESE PEOPLE WHOM THE CENTRAL CHINESE GOVERNMENT HAS NOMINATE WILL BE ABLE TO TAKE PART IN THE U.N."

RED CHINA, WITH SUPPORT OF RUSSIA AND THE COMINFORM COUNTRIES, HAS BEEN CAMPAIGNING FOR ADMISSION TO THE U.N. IN PLACE OF GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S NATIONALIST DELEGATION.

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london, may 31-(ap)-britain raised the controlled price of gasoline another notch today.

the rise is limited to three quarters of a penny (seven eighths cents) per imperial gallon, effective tomorrow. British oil companies had asked a three-penny (3½ cents) rise to cover a world wide rise in prices.

the new rise, following by only four days the end of gasoline rationing, brings the cost of gasoline to 42 7/8 cents per imperial gallon, an imperial gallon is 20 per cent more than the u.s. gallon, and the new price would be the equivalent of 34 3/10 cents for an amount equal to an american gallon.

the previous rise was in mid-april when the annual budget was announced, then the price was raised nine pence (10½ cents), bringing it to 42 cents for areas within 15 miles of the 11 major importing centers. prices are slightly higher in zones outside these radii.

the new order also raised the price of diesel oil for trucks by 5/8 of a penny (about 3/4 of a cent) per imperial gallon. the new price is two shillings, 6 3/8 pence (35 and 7/16 cents) per gallon.

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COPENHAGEN, DENMARK, MAY 31-(AP)-THREE MODERN RUSSIAN TRAWLERS SHOWED UP YESTERDAY IN THE SKAGERRAK, THE BROAD CHANNEL BETWEEN NORWAY AND DENMARK, THE DANISH NAVY PRESS BUREAU ANNOUNCED TODAY.
NAVAL AUTHORITIES SAID THEY BELIEVED THE TRAWLERS WERE PART OF A RUSSIAN FISHING FLEET WHICH POPPED UP IN THE ENGLISH CHANNEL LESS THAN TWO WEEKS AGO DURING HUSH-HUGH NAVAL MANEUVERS OF WESTERN UNION ALLIANCE SHIPS. BRITISH FLEET MANEUVERS ARE TO BE HELD IN DANISH WATERS SOON.
THE TRAWLERS WERE SIGHTED BY DANISH FISHERMEN WHO REPORTED THEM TO THE COAST GUARD AT NORTH JUTLAND. SAILING SLOWLY WESTWARD THROUGH INTERNATIONAL WATERS, THE TRAWLERS DISAPPEARED FROM SIGHT, THE FISHERMEN REPORTED.
NO MESSAGES WERE RECEIVED BY DANISH AUTHORITIES FROM THE TRAWLERS.
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B34 Q
(440)
BY MICHAEL GOLDSMITH
GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, MAY 31-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR EUROPE (ECE), THE ONLY U.N. BODY NOW FUNCTIONING WITH SOVIET PARTICIPATION, OPENED A TWO-WEEKS CONFERENCE TODAY ON A NOTE OF CAUTIOUS HOPE OVER RUSSIA(S NEW OFFER TO NEGOTIATE A GRAIN AGREEMENT.
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GUNNAR MYRDAL, EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OF THE COMMISSION, TOLD THE OPENING SESSION HE HOPED TO SUBMIT "CONCRETE PROJECTS" FOR THE NEGOTIATION OF A EUROPEAN GRAIN AGREEMENT BY THE END OF THIS SUMMER. MYRDAL ANNOUNCED YESTERDAY RUSSIA HAD RECEIVED FAVORABLY A PROPOSAL TO NEGOTIATE AN AGREEMENT FOR LARGE-SCALE SUPPLY OF SOVIET GRAIN TO WESTERN EUROPE.

DESPITE THE SOVIET OFFER, HOWEVER, "THE DEADLOCK OF PRINCIPLE ON TRADE QUESTIONS BETWEEN THE WESTERN AND EASTERN GOVERNMENTS REMAINS UNCHANGED AT THE POLITICAL LEVEL," MYRDAL TOLD THE COMMISSION.

"NONE OF THE GOVERNMENTS I HAVE CONSULTED," SAID MYRDAL, WHO HAS JUST TALKED WITH TOP OFFICIALS IN LONDON, PARIS AND MOSCOW, "IS PREPARED AT THIS TIME TO ALTER THE POSITION IT HAS TAKEN ON CERTAIN PROBLEMS OF TRADE POLICY WHICH HAVE BEEN SO VIGOROUSLY DISCUSSED BEFORE THIS COMMISSION.

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"NONETHELESS, AND SUBJECT TO THAT RESERVATION, A SIGNIFICANT NUMBER OF GOVERNMENTS HAVE DECLARED THAT THEY ARE READY TO UNDERTAKE MULTILATERAL AND ALL-EUROPEAN CONSULTATIONS WITHIN THE ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR EUROPE X X X WHICH MIGHT SUBSTANTIALLY ENLARGE THE LEVEL OF INTRA-EUROPEAN TRADE."

THE UNITED STATES, THE SOVIET UNION AND 24 NATIONS FROM EAST AND WEST EUROPE WERE REPRESENTED AT THE OPENING SESSION. SINCE THIS IS A BODY DEALING WITH EUROPEAN PROBLEMS, CHINA IS NOT REPRESENTED AND THE QUESTION OF NATIONALIST OR COMMUNIST CHINESE REPRESENTATION DOES NOT COME UP. THIS IS THE ISSUE WHICH HAS BROUGHT A SOVIET BOYCOTT OF THE OTHER UNITED NATIONS AGENCIES.

MYRDAL PLEADED FOR VIGOROUS EFFORT OF BOTH EAST AND WEST TOWARD REVIVING EUROPE'S TRADE, WHICH HE SAID HAS FALLEN TO LESS THAN HALF THE PREWAR LEVEL.

"FORCES OF GEOGRAPHY, HISTORY AND SELF INTEREST CONTINUE TO MAKE A REVIVAL OF TRADE WITHIN EUROPE A MATTER OF CLEAR MUTUAL ADVANTAGE FOR ALL THE COUNTRIES OF THIS CONTINENT," MYRDAL SAID.

"THE GREAT PROBLEM WE IN EUROPE ALL SHARE AT THIS MOMENT IS THE ACUTENESS OF THE POLITICAL DIFFERENCES WHICH SEPARATE SOME OF OUR MEMBER COUNTRIES. SUSPICION, FEAR AND DEEPENDING SECRECY HAVE INCREASEI IN EUROPE, AND THREATEN TO SPLIT THE CONTINENT INTO AREAS WHICH MAY BECOME MORE REMOTE FROM EACH OTHER THAN IF THERE WERE OCEANS BETWEEN THEM.

B35 (Q)
"OUR OVERRIDING DUTY X X X IS TO TAKE EVERY POSSIBLE STEP WITHIN THE REACH OF POSSIBILITY TOWARD REESTABLISHING A MORE NORMAL AND PEACEFUL WAY OF LIFE FOR THE COUNTRIES OF EUROPE."

SOME DELEGATES HERE EXPECT THE SOVIET REPRESENTATIVE, AMASASP ARUTIUNIAN, TO BRING INTO THE DISCUSSIMNS THE SCHUMAN PLAN FOR INTEGRATING THE FRENCH AND GERMAN STEEL INDUSTRIES. THIS SESSION WOULD PROVIDE THE RUSSIANS WITH AN OPPORTUNITY TO COMMENT ON THE PLAN AT AN INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE.

W. AVERELL HARRIMAN, U.S. EUROPEAN RECOVERY PROGRAM AMBASSADOR, AND PAUL R. PORTER, HEAD OF THE ERP MISSION TO GREECE, ARE THE SENIOR AMERICAN DELEGATES AT THE SESSION.
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NIGHT LEAD ECONOMIC
GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, MAY 31-(AP)-W.AVERELL HARRIMAN, ROVING AMBASSADOR FOR THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION, SAID TODAY THE SCHUMAN PLAN FOR POOLING FRENCH AND GERMAN BASIC INDUSTRIES OPENED "NEW HORIZONS" FOR EUROPE'S ECONOMY.

HERE AS CHIEF U.S. DELEGATE TO THE FIFTH SESSION OF THE UNITED NATIONS ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR EUROPE, HARRIMAN TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THE PLAN WAS A "DYNAMIC AND CONSTRUCTIVE PROPOSAL" FOR EFFECTIVE COOPERATION.

THE ECONOMIC COMMISSION, HE SAID, "IS NOW CONVENING AT A TIME WHEN THERE IS THE MOST ENCOURAGING NEWS FROM WESTERN EUROPE, NEWS WHICH MEANS A RISING STANDARD OF LIVING FOR THE PEOPLE OF THESE COUNTRIES."

SOME DELEGATES EXPECTED AMASASP ARUTIUNIAN, THE SOVIET REPRESENTATIVE, TO BRING THE PLAN OF FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN UP FOR DISCUSSION AT THE CONFERENCE.

GUNNAR MYRDAL OF SWEDEN, EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OF THE COMMISSION, TOLD THE OPENING SESSION IT WOULD TAKE FAR-REACHING DECISIONS DETERMINING "THE FUTURE COURSE OF INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC COOPERATION IN EUROPE."

HE SAID HE HOPED TO SUBMIT A CONCRETE PROJECT FOR THE NEGOTIATION OF A GRAIN AGREEMENT BETWEEN RUSSIA AND WESTERN EUROPE BEFORE THE END OI THE SUMMER.

THIRTY NATIONS ARE REPRESENTED AT THE CONFERENCE.
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B1 (Q)
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NIGHT LEAD COAL-STEEL (410)
BY CARTER L.DAVIDSON
PARIS, MAY 31-(AP)-A FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY FRANCE "HAS ALREADY ASSUMED" THAT BRITAIN WILL JOIN TALKS IN PARIS JUNE 15 TO POOL WESTERN EUROPE'S COAL AND STEEL.

"THE ATMOSPHERE OF DISAGREEMENT BETWEEN FRANCE AND BRITAIN RESULTED PURELY FROM A MISUNDERSTANDING OF PHRASES" IN THE

FRENCH INVITATION TO THE TALKS, HE SAID.
BRITAIN HAS MAINTAINED A POSITION OF CAGEY INTEREST IN THE MAY 9 PROPOSAL OF FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN TO RUB OUT NATIONAL FRONTIERS IN THE COAL AND STEEL INDUSTRIES.
THE FRENCH SPOKESMAN EXPLAINED THAT WHEN FRANCE SENT BRITAIN AND OTHER NATIONS NOTES INVITING THEM TO PARIS THE FRENCH TEXT ASKED BRITAIN "TO ENGAGE IN NEGOTIATIONS ON THE PLAN." BRITAIN, HE SAID, INTERPRETED THE PHRASE AS CALLING FOR AN "ENGAGEMENT" OR COMMITMENT IN PRINCIPLE TO THE PLAN, AND SAID SHE WOULD SEND AN OBSERVER, NOT A NEGOTIATOR.
A LONDON SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY "THERE IS NO PRINCIPLE TO WHICH WE CAN ADHERE WITHOUT KNOWING ITS PRACTICAL BASIS." HE SAID A NEW FRENCH NOTE WAS UNDER STUDY. THERE WERE INDICATIONS THAT THE INVITATION WOULD BE ACCEPTED.
THE FRENCH SPOKESMAN TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE "FEANCE ASKS NO COMMITMENTS, SINCE THAT COULD NOT BE POSSIBLE WITHOUT REFERENCE TO PARLIAMENTS. WE HAD WISHED THAT GOVERNMENTS TAKINGL./.)20ᴇᴇ"9ᴇ9)9.;7

TO PARLIAMENTS. WE HAD WISHED THAT GOVERNMENTS TAKING PART IN THE TALKS WOULD ISSUE A STATEMENT APPROVING THE IDEA OF DISCUSSING THE POOLING OF COAL AND STEEL."
BELGIUM, LUXEMBOURG, HOLLAND, ITALY AND THE WEST GERMAN REPUBLIC HAVE AGREED TO SEND NEGOTIATORS TO PARIS.
"WE ALWAYS HAVE BEEN UNDER THE ASSUMPTION THAT BRITAIN WOULD ENTER THE NEGOTIATIONS AS AN EQUAL PARTNER," THE FRENCH SPOKESMAN SAID.
HE ADDED THAT EUROPEAN UNITY WOULD BE DISCUSSED HERE FRIDAY AT A MEETING OF CABINET MINISTERS ON THE COUNCIL OF THE ORGANIZATION FOR EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COOPERATION (OEEC), INCLUDING THE 17 AREAS GETTING MARSHALL PLAN AID.
THE MINISTERS ARE TO TAKE ACTION ON A SUBCOMMITTEE STUDY OF A EUROPEAN PAYMENTS UNION (EPU) WHICH WILL PUT TRADE AMONG WESTERN NATIONS ON A GENERAL INSTEAD OF BILATERAL BASIS. THE COUNCIL ALSO WILL DISCUSS EUROPEAN TRADE WITH THE U.S. AND CANADA AND THE OEEC'S RELATIONS WITH THE 12-NATION COUNCIL OF EUROPE.
BRITAIN DID NOT DISCLOSE CONTENTS OF THE NEW NOTE FLOWN FROM PARIS WITH RENE MASSIGLI, FRENCH AMBASSADOR TO LONDON AND DELIVERED TO ACTING FOREIGN SECRETARY KENNETH YOUNGER. THIS NOTE WAS AN ANSWER TO BRITAIN'S REFUSAL TO JOIN IN A "PUBLIC DECLARATION" SUPPORTING THE SCHUMAN PLAN BEFORE FORMAL NEGOTIATIONS BEGIN.
BUT BRITAIN, A BRITISH SPOKESMAN SAID, "IS STILL ANXIOUS THAT DISCUSSIONS ON PROPOSALS TO POOL THE COAL AND STEEL INDUSTRIES SHOULD BE STARTED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE."
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PMS BJT (480)
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INDUSTRIAL POOL
PARIS, MAY 31-(AP)-SIX EUROPEAN NATIONS TODAY WERE READY TO POOL THEIR COAL AND STEEL INDUSTRIES BUT BRITAIN MAINTAINED A "WAIT AND SEE" ATTITUDE TOWARD FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN'S ECONOMIC UNION PLAN.
THE FRENCH FOREIGN OFFICE ANNOUNCED BELGIUM, LUXEMBOURG, ITALY, THE NETHERLANDS, WEST GERMANY AND FRANCE HAD AGREED TO SET UP AN INTERNATIONAL AUTHORITY TO ADMINISTER THEIR COAL AND STEEL PRODUCTION.
THE SIX NATIONS WILL MEET NEXT MONTH TO WORK OUT THE POOL ARRANGEMENT AND PUT IT INTO EFFECT.
BRITISH SOURCES IN LONDON SAID THEIR COUNTRY WAS ANXIOUS TO JOIN IN THE TALKS BUT HAD REFUSED FLATLY A FRENCH INVITATION TO APPROVE THE FRENCH PLAN BEFORE THE TALKS START.
THE BRITISH, THESE SOURCES SAID, FELT THEY HAD BEEN ASKED TO GIVE A BINDING COMMITMENT BEFORE LEARNING HOW THE MERGER WOULD AFFECT THEIR INDUSTRIES.
SCHUMAN AT ONCE DISPATCHED A NEW MEMORANDUM TO THE LONDON GOVERNMENT DESIGNED TO CLEAR UP WHAT OFFICIALS SAID WAS A BRITISH MISUNDERSTANDING OF THE ORIGINAL FRENCH INVITATION.
THE FRENCH SOURCES SAID THE NEW NOTE EMPHASIZED THAT BRITISH ENDORSEMENT OF THE PLAN "IN PRINCIPLE" WOULD NOT BIND BRITAIN TO APPROVE THE RESULTS OF THE FUTURE DISCUSSIONS.
IN LONDON A FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMAN SAID THE NOTE WAS UNDER STUDY. HE SAID BRITAIN IS "STILL ANXIOUS THAT DISCUSSIONS ON PROPOSALS TO POOL THE COAL APH STEEL INDUSTRIES SHOULD BE STARTED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE." RENE MASSIGLI, THE FRENCH AMBASSADOR IN LONDON, CALLED ON KENNETH YOUNGER, BRITISH MINISTER OF STATE WHO IS ALSO ACTING FOREIGN SECRETARY.
THE SIX COUNTRIES WHO HAVE ACCEPTED THE PLAN, A FRENCH SPOKESMAN SAID, "HAVE AGREED TO COME TO A MEETING WITH THE PRECONCEIVED IDEA OF MAKING A PLAN WORK." HE ADDED:
"THEIR INTEREST IS TO PUT THEIR SHOULDERS TOGETHER FOR THE COMMON GOOD. WE HOPE THAT OTHER NATIONS WILL JOIN IN THE SAME EFFORT."
ONE AUTHORITATIVE FRENCH SPOKESMAN INDICATED THE BRITISH WOULD HAVE TO GIVE THE REQUESTED APPROVAL OF THE FRENCH PLAN IF THEY WANTED TO GET IN ON THE TALKS NEXT MONTH.
"THERE IS ABSOLUTELY NO POINT IN GOING AHEAD WITH THESE DISCUSSIONS UNLESS THE DELEGATIONS ARE WILLING ACTUALLY TO TRY AND WORK OUT THE TECHNICAL DETAILS AND PUT THEM INTO EFFECT," HE SAID.

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IN LONDON A BRITISH SOURCE HAD A DIFFERENT VERSION OF THE ORIGINAL FRENCH PROPOSAL. HE SAID BRITAIN HAD BEEN ASKED TO AGREE, IN ADVANCE OF THE CONFERENCE ON DETAILS, TO POOL HER COAL AND STEEL, TO SUBMIT TO AN ALL-POWERFUL INTERNATIONAL AUTHORITY CONTROLLING THESE INDUSTRIES, AND TO AGREE TO FURTHER TALKS ON THE BASIS OF THESE "ESSENTIAL COMMITMENTS."
SCHUMAN PROPOSED HIS PLAN FOR AN INTERNATIONAL AUTHORITY TO ADMINISTER EUROPE'S COAL AND STEEL OUTPUT ON MAY 9. HE SAID THE POOL WAS DESIGNED TO LOWER PRODUCTION COSTS, EQUALIZE COST FACTORS IN ALL COUNTRIES, MODERNIZE PRODUCTION FACILITIES, AND EXPAND MARKETS FOR EUROPEAN INDUSTRIES.
THE BRITISH WERE REPORTED ANXIOUS, BEFORE FINALLY COMMITTING THEMSELVES TO THE FRENCH PLAN, TO HAVE ANSWER TO SUCH QUESTIONS AS THESE:
WOULD PRODUCTION QUOTAS BE ALLOTTED LIMITING ANY COUNTRY'S OUTPUT?
WOULD AGREED PRICES BE SET?
SINCE PRODUCTION FACILITIES IN EACH COUNTRY ARE AT DIFFERENT STAGES OF MODERNIZATION, WOULD FURTHER IMPROVEMENTS BE FINANCED BY EACH COUNTRY OR BY POOL FUNDS?
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D43 (120)

PARIS, MAY 24-(AP)-THE PARIS OFFICE OF THE INTERNATIONAL BANK FOR RECONSTRUCTION AND DEVELOPMENT ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT SIX MORE COUNTRIES HAVE ACTED TOWARD MAKING THEIR CURRENCIES AVAILABLE TO THE BANK FOR ITS LENDING OPERATIONS.

THEY ARE THE NETHERLANDS, ITALY, MEXICO, HONDURAS, EL SALVADOR, AND PARAGUAY.

IT WAS EXPLAINED THAT OF THE 20 PER CENT OF THE BANK'S PAID-IN CAPITAL, ONLY TWO PER CENT IS IN THE FORM OF GOLD OR UNITED STATES DOLLARS AND IS IMMEDIATELY AVAILABLE FOR LENDING. THE REMAINING 18 PER CENT IS PAID TO THE BANK IN THE CURRENCIES OF THE VARIOUS MEMBER COUNTRIES AND CAN BE USED FOR LOANS ONLY WITH THE CONSENT OF THE PARTICULAR NATION WHOSE CURRENCY IS INVOLVED.

PRIOR TO THIS TIME, OTHER COUNTRIES HAVING GIVEN THE BANK PERMISSION TO USE THEIR CURRENCIES WERE:

THE UNITED STATES, BELGIUM, DENMARK, CANADA, THE UNITED KINGDOM AND FRANCE.

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THIRD NIGHT LEAD JAPANESE

TOKYO, THURSDAY, JUNE 1-(AP)-JAPAN'S COMMUNIST PARTY TODAY CALLED FOR A GENERAL STRIKE IN RETALIATION FOR THE TRIAL OF EIGHT JAPANESE FOR MEMORIAL DAY ATTACKS ON FIVE AMERICAN SOLDIERS.

THE PARTY ISSUED AN OFFICIAL STATEMENT DEMANDING "IMMEDIATE RELEASE OF THE EIGHT PATRIOTS." THEY WERE SPEEDILY BROUGHT TO TRIAL BY U.S. OCCUPATION AUTHORITIES YESTERDAY AND THE PROSECUTION COMPLETED ITS CASE THIS MORNING.

THE COMMUNIST PARTY ASSERTED THAT "THE INCIDENTS THIS TIME WERE CAUSED BY SYSTEMATIC AND ORGANIZED PROVOCATIONS BY SPIES OF THE METROPOLITAN POLICE BOARD AND TROTSKYITE STUDENTS." THE SAME CHARGE APPEARED IN THE PARTY NEWSPAPER AKAHATA.

THE STATEMENT OF THE PARTY DEMANDED REVOCATION OF THE PROVOST COURT TRYING THE EIGHT JAPANESE. IT SAID:

"LET US RISE UP FOR FREEDOM OF ALL WORKING PEOPLE BEFORE ALL IS LOST AT THE HANDS OF THE FASCISTS. WORKERS AND STUDENTS: RISE UP AND START A GENERAL STRIKE...DEMANDING IMMEDIATE RELEASE OF THE EIGHT PATRIOTS."

THE RED PARTY ACTION CAME ALMOST SIMULTANEOUSLY WITH THE ACQUITTAL SEVEN OF THE EIGHT ON CHARGES OF DISOBEYING ORDERS OF THE OCCUPATION I THE MEMORIAL DAY OUTBREAKS.

HOWEVER, ALL EIGHT REMAINED ON TRIALS ON CHARGES OF ASSAULTING FIVE AMERICAN SOLDIERS.

THE COMMUNIST PARTY STRIKE CALL WAS ISSUED IN THE FACE OF GRIM WARNINGS BY OCCUPATION OFFICIALS FOR THE REDS TO "BEHAVE OR ELSE." IT FOLLOWED A CALL BY STUDENT LEADERS FOR A NATIONWIDE STRIKE FOR SATURDAY.

POLICE THROUGHOUT JAPAN HAD BEEN PUT ON THE ALERT FOR RED DISTURBANCES EXPECTED AS AN ATTEMPT TO INFLUENCE SUNDAY ELECTION FOR THE UPPER HOUSE OF PARLIAMENT.

STUDENT LEADERS SAID ABOUT 20,000 WOULD BE INVOLVED IN THEIR "STRIKE." ANNOUNCED SLOGANS INDICATED THIS DEMONSTRATION WOULD FOLLOW THE COMMUNIST PARTY LINE.

MOVING SWIFTLY INTO THE SECOND DAY OF THE TRIAL OF THE EIGHT JAPANESE, THE PROSECUTION ENDED ITS CASE THIS MORNING. THE MILITARY COURT CONVENED AT 8 A. M. AND RAN THROUGH THE MORNING WITHOUT DISTURBANCE.

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A MOB OF SOME 200 SCREAMING, MILLING STUDENTS WAS OUTSIDE THE COURT BUILDING LAST NIGHT AS THE JAPANESE WERE RUSHED TO TRIAL FOR TH MEMORIAL DAY ATTACKS. NONE REAPPEARED TODAY.

THEY FLED WHEN JAPANESE AND U.S. MILITARY POLICE MOVED OUT AGAINST THEM. THEN THEY SURGED BACK REPEATEDLY, THEIR SHOUTS ECHOING IN THE COURTROOM. THEY DISPERSED BEFORE THE COURT RECESSED NEAR MIDNIGHT.

THE GRIMNESS WAS APPARENT AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS. THE BEATING AND STONING OF FIVE AMERICAN SOLDIERS YESTERDAY WAS REGARDED AS A COMMUNIST TEST AND MORE VIOLENCE WAS EXPECTED.

"THE COMMUNISTS HAD BETTER BEHAVE," SAID ONE OFFICIAL.

MAJ. GEN. CHARLES A. WILLOUGHBY, MACARTHUR'S INTELLIGENCE OFFICER, WAS MORE SPECIFIC. COMMENTING THAT HE HAD ORDERED THE COURT CONVENED IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE OUTBREAKS, HE DECLARED:

"WE DO NOT INTEND TO PERMIT ANY DELAY IN THE TRIAL OF PEOPLE WHO DEFY OR TAKE ACTION AGAINST AMERICANS IN UNIFORM."

WILLOUGHBY SAID HE THOUGHT THE RED DEMONSTRATION, WHICH PRODUCED THE FIRST PHYSICAL ATTACKS ON U.S. TROOPS UNDER THE OCCUPATION, WAS CO-ORDINATED CLOSELY WITH THE COMMUNIST DEMONSTRATIONS IN BERLIN.

THE EIGHT JAPANESE FILED SULLENLY INTO THE PLAIN COURTROOM AT DOWNTOWN JAPANESE POLICE HEADQUARTERS THIS MORNING. WHILE MILITARY POLICE USED THEIR CLUBS IN MAKING ARRESTS, THE JAPANESE SHOWED NO MARKS.

THEY ENTERED PLEAS OF INNOCENT TO CHARGES OF ASSAULTING THE AMERICANS AND DISOBEYING OCCUPATION ORDERS. THEY FACE PRISON TERMS UP TO 10 YEARS AND FINES OF 75,000 YEN (ABOUT $208).

THEY SAT STIFFLY AS WITNESSES TESTIFIED THAT THREE OF THE FIVE AMERICANS WERE KICKED AND BEATEN WHILE ON THE GROUND. THEY WERE

DEFENDED BY TWO AMERICAN AND THREE JAPANESE LAWYERS.

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CPL. HENRY K. YAMASHITA OF HONOLULU SAID THE TROUBLE BEGAN AT THE IMPERIAL PLAZA WHEN HE TRIED TO RECOVER NOTES OF RALLY SPEECHES WHICH DEMONSTRATORS SEIZED FROM A JAPANESE POLICEMAN. HE SAID THE CROWD PUSHED HIM VIOLENTLY.

SGT. PETER W. KOEHN OF OKLAHOMA CITY SAID WHEN HE TRIED TO ARREST A JAPANESE HE WAS TRIPPED AND FELL. WHILE DOWN, FOUR OR FIVE OTHERS LEAPED ON HIM, KICKED HIM IN THE STOMACH AND HIT HIM IN THE MOUTH. A ROCK STRUCK HIM ON THE HEAD AND DAZED HIM.

CAPT. WILLIAM G. CLARK, BALTIMORE, MD., TESTIFIED HE AND SGT. TERRY K. YAMAMOTO OF HAWAII ALSO WERE KNOCKED DOWN AND KICKED WHEN THEY WENT TO THE AID OF THE OTHERS. THEN THE CROWD AROUND THEM BROKE UP.

THE FIFTH MANHANDLED AMERICAN, PFC JOHN J. THOMAS, DETROIT, MICH., HAD YET TO TESTIFY. HE IS A SIGNAL CORPS PHOTOGRAPHER. THE OTHER FOUR ARE ASSIGNED TO THE COUNTER INTELLIGENCE CORPS AND WERE AT THE RALLY AS OBSERVERS.

PICTURES TAKEN OF THE MELEE WERE USED IN IDENTIFYING THE ATTACKERS. SIX OF THE DEFENDANTS WERE ARRESTED FOUR HOURS LATER WHEN THEY MARCHED INTO A NEARBY PARK, WHERE ANOTHER SCUFFLE ENSUED. THE OTHER TWO WERE ARRESTED WHEN A CROWD DESCENDED ON POLICE HEADQUARTERS TO PROTEST THE ARRESTS.

THE JAPANESE GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED IT ALSO WAS INVESTIGATING THE OUTBREAKS AND MIGHT APOLOGIZE FORMALLY TO OCCUPATION HEADQUARTERS. MOST JAPANESE DEPLORED THE ATTACKS.

THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE NIPPON TIMES LIKENED THE COMMUNIST RALLY "TO THOSE HECTIC PREWAR DAYS WHEN THE MILITARY WAS DOING ALL IN ITS POWER TO KINDLE THE PEOPLE AGAINST THE ANGLO-AMERICANS."

"THE DELIBERATELY PROVOCATIVE ATTITUDE OF THE COMMUNISTS IS DISGUSTING TO THE JAPANESE PEOPLE AS A WHOLE," IT ADDED, "AND IF THE REDS ARE ASKING FOR TROUBLE THEY WILL GET IT."

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SECOND LEAD JAPANESE (190)
BY WILLIAM JORDEN

TOKYO,MAY 31-(AP)-THE RUSH TRIAL OF EIGHT JAPANESE ACCUSED OF ATTACKING AMERICAN SOLDIERS YESTERDAY AT A COMMUNIST RALLY WAS RECESSED SHORTLY BEFORE MIDNIGHT.

IT WILL RESUME AT 8 A.M. TOMORROW (7 P.M., EDT, WEDNESDAY).

THE COURT ABRUPTLY CHANGED ITS PLAN TO "GO RIGHT THROUGH THE NIGHT IF NECESSARY."

THE PROSECUTION ASKED TIME TO STUDY MOTION PICTURES OF THE ATTACK IN THE IMPERIAL PLAZA, WHEN FIVE U.S. SOLDIERS WERE BEATEN, KICKED AND STONED.

YELLS OF 200 UNIVERSITY STUDENTS AND WORKERS DEMANDING IMMEDIATE RELEASE OF THE ACCUSED ECHOED THROUGHOUT THE COURTROOM LATE TONIGHT. THE COURT IS ON THE FIFTH FLOOR OF THE DOWNTOWN JAPANESE POLICE BUILDING.

ABOUT 100 JAPANESE POLICE AND SOME U.S. MILITARY POLICE GUARDED THE ENTRANCES.

THE STUDENTS SURGED TOWARD THE ENTRANCES, THEN FLED WHEN POLICE TRIED TO NAB THEM.

THEY RETURNED REPEATEDLY, SHOUTING: "HOW MISERABLE THE JAPANESE," "OPEN THE TRIAL TO THE PUBLIC," "RELEASE THEM IMMEDIATELY."

THE EIGHT JAPANESE PLEADED INNOCENT. THEY SAT STIFFLY ON A LONG BENCH THROUGHOUT THE EVENING. THE ONLY TIME THEY SHOWED INTEREST WAS WHEN THE PROSECUTION INTRODUCED NEWS PICTURES OF THE PLAZA SKIRMISH.

MORE VIOLENCE IS EXPECTED.

THE JAPANESE GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED IT WOULD APOLOGIZE FORMALLY TO OCCUPATION HEADQUARTERS IF NECESSARY.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S INTELLIGENCE OFFICER SAID HE ORDERED THE COURT TO CONVENE AT ONCE BECAUSE "WE DO NOT INTEND TO PERMIT ANY DELAY IN THE TRIAL OF PEOPLE WHO DEFY OR TAKE ACTION AGAINST AMERICANS IN UNIFORM."

THE OFFICER, MAJ.GEN.CHARLES A.WILLOUGHBY, SAID THE RALLY WAS A "SORT OF TEST" BY JAPAN'S COMMUNIST PARTY. HE EXPRESSED THE BELIEF THERE WAS "CLOSE COORDINATION" BETWEEN THE TOKYO AND BERLIN DEMONSTRATIONS.

THE TOKYO DEMONSTRATION PRODUCED THE FIRST PHYSICAL ATTACKS OF THE OCCUPATION ON AMERICAN SOLDIERS. IT WAS THE FIRST VIOLENCE IN ANY SUCH PUBLIC ASSEMBLY SINCE EARLY 1946 WHEN MACARTHUR CRACKED DOWN ON DISORDERS IN LABOR MEETINGS.

THOSE, TOO, WERE COMMUNIST-INSPIRED.

AMERICAN MILITARY POLICE SWUNG NIGHTSTICKS FREELY IN ARRESTING THE EIGHT JAPANESE.

THE OCCUPATION HEADQUARTERS WAS NOTICEABLY GRIM.

"THE COMMUNISTS HAD BETTER BEHAVE," ONE OFFICIAL SNAPPED.

OTHERS EXPRESSED THE BELIEF THAT THE INCIDENT MIGHT LEAD TO MORE VIOLENCE. MOST JAPANESE DEPLORED THE ATTACKS. THEY CRITICIZED COMMUNIST "ARROGANCE."

POLICE CHIEF EIICHI TANAKA SAID TOKYO POLICE ARE MAKING "FULL PREPARATIONS" TO CONTROL AN EXPECTED SERIES OF NATIONWIDE COMMUNIST DEMONSTRATIONS THIS WEEK.

THE FIRST IS EXPECTED TOMORROW WHEN THE LEFTIST OSAKA STUDENTS FEDERATION STAGES A RALLY TO DEMAND RETURN OF OSAKA COMMERCIAL COLLEGE BUILDINGS. THESE NOW ARE OCCUPIED BY THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION.

IF CONVICTED, THE EIGHT JAPANESE FACE PRISON TERMS UP TO 10 YEARS AND FINES UP TO $208 EACH.

LT.COL.HENRY RUSSELL OF CORVALLIS, ORE., PRESIDENT OF THE PROVOST COURT, SAID THE TRIAL WILL CONTINUE RIGHT THROUGH THE NIGHT IF NECESSARY. AT 6 P.M. (5 A.M., EDT) HE CALLED A ONE HOUR RECESS FOR DINNER.

PROSECUTORS SAID AN EFFORT WOULD BE MADE TO COMPLETE THE TRIAL BEFORE NIGHTFALL.

GENERAL MACARTHUR, HIMSELF A TARGET OF THE DEMONSTRATORS' TAUNTS, MAINTAINED SILENCE. BUT THE SPEED WITH WHICH THE COURT WAS SUMMONED LEFT LITTLE DOUBT THE OCCUPATION CHIEF WAS CALLING SIGNALS.

THE INCIDENT WAS THE FIRST VIOLENT OUTBREAK OF THE OCCUPATION AGAINST AMERICAN TROOPS.

THREE OF THE FIVE U.S.SOLDIERS ATTACKED BY JAPANESE AT THE IMPERIAL PLAZA WERE KNOCKED TO THE GROUND, BEATEN, KICKED AND STONED, THE COURT WAS TOLD.

DEMONSTRATORS LOCKED ARMS IN A TIGHT CIRCLE AROUND THE AMERICANS, PREVENTING JAPANESE POLICE FROM BREAKING THROUGH TO THE RESCUE.

CPL.HENRY K.YAMASHITA OF HONOLULU TESTIFIED THAT SEVERAL HUNDRED FRENZIED DEMONSTRATORS SURGED AROUND THE AMERICAN MILITARY OBSERVERS

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WHEN HE TRIED TO RECOVER NOTES ON ANTI-AMERICAN SPEECHES SEIZED FROM A JAPANESE POLICEMAN.

YAMASHITA SAID HE HANDED BACK THE NOTES TO A DEMONSTRATOR BUT THE CROWD WAS NOT APPEASED. "THE PUSHING WAS VIOLENT," YAMASHIT SAID.

SGT.PETER W.KOEHN OF OKLAHOMA CITY SAID ONE DEMONSTRATOR, SHOUTING "DOWN WITH MACARTHUR," LIFTED HIM HIGH IN THE AIR. KOEHN TRIED TO FORCE HIM INTO A NEARBY MILITARY POLICE JEEP.

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"THE CROWD BEGAN TO PUSH ME," KOEHN SAID. "SOMEONE TRIPPED ME AND I FELL ON MY BACK. FOUR OR FIVE JUMPED ON ME. ONE PUNCHED ME ON THE LEFT ARM. ANOTHER KICKED ME IN THE STOMACH THREE OR FOUR TIMES ANOTHER HIT ME IN THE MOUTH WITH HIS FIST."

KOEHN SAID HE WAS "DAZED" BY A ROCK THAT STRUCK HIS RIGHT TEMPLE.

CAPT.WILLIAM G.CLARKE OF BALTIMORE SAID HE AND SGT. TERRY K.YAMAMOTO OF WAHIAWA, HAWAII, RUSHED TO HELP BUT ALSO WERE KNOCKED DOWN AND KICKED.

THEN THE CROWD BROKE, "ALMOST AS IF BY A PREARRANGED SIGNAL," CLARKE SAID. HE AND THE OTHER AMERICANS WALKED AWAY WITHOUT FURTHER TROUBLE.

THE AMERICANS SAID THE DEFENDANTS WERE IDENTIFIED FROM PICTURES TAKEN DURING THE SCUFFLE. SIX OF THE EIGHT WERE ARRESTED FOUR HOURS LATER WHEN THEY TROOPED INTO HIBAYA PARK AFTER PARADING DOWNTOWN. TWO OTHERS WERE ARRESTED WHEN THE CROWD DEMANDED THEIR RELEASE.

KOEHN SAID ONE MAN WAS ARRESTED FOR SHOUTING "DOWN WITH AMERICA."

MILITARY POLICE CLUBBED JAPANESE WHO TRIED TO PREVENT THE ARRESTS.

TWO AMERICAN AND THREE JAPANESE LAWYERS DEFENDING THE JAPANESE CHALLENGED THE ARRESTS ON GROUNDS WARRANTS WERE NOT ISSUED. THE COURT OVERRULED.

SEVEN OF THE JAPANESE WERE IN SHIRTSLEEVES. ONE WORE A STUDENT'S UNIFORM. ONE HAD LOST A SHOE IN THE FIGHT; ANOTHER HELD UP BELTLESS PANTS.

MEMBERS OF THE COURT ARE LT.COL.HENRY RUSSELL AND MAJORS EDWARD J.HEALY AND DUDLEY O.RAE.

THE PROSECUTORS ARE TWO CIVILIANS FROM THE JUDGE ADVOCATES OFFICE--CALVIN E.NEWTON, PINE BLUFF, ARK., AND J.O.SULLIVAN, JACKSON, MICH.

THE TWO AMERICANS AIDING IN THE DEFENSE ARE LT.JAMES W.FARRELL, NEW YORK CITY, AND LT.WILLIAM BULLOCK, CAN ANDAIGUA, N.Y.

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(SECOND NIGHT LEAD KOREAN

BY O. H. P. KING

SEOUL,THURSDAY, JUNE 1-(AP)-INDEPENDENTS BECAME THE POWER IN SOUTH KOREA'S NATIONAL ASSEMBLY TODAY WITH RETURNS FROM TUESDAY'S ELECTION ALMOST COMPLETE.

NON-PARTISAN CANDIDATES WON 121 SEATS--ENOUGH TO CONTROL THE 210-MEMBER SINGLE HOUSE SHOULD THEY STAND TOGETHER. ONLY 11 RACES REMAINED TO BE DECIDED. INDEPENDENTS STILL COULD MUSTER A MAJORITY OF FIVE IF THEY LOST ALL THESE CONTESTS.

THE ROUT OF THE MAJOR PARTIES WAS SURPASSED ONLY BY THE VOTERS' REJECTION OF ASSEMBLY INCUMBENTS. ONLY 28 OF THE 175 MEMBERS WHO SOUGHT RE-ELECTION WERE RETURNED.

WHERE PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE STOOD TODAY IN HIS FIGHT TO CRACK THE WHIP OVER THE ASSEMBLY WAS NOT CLEAR. PARTIES WHO SUPPORTED HIM TOOK A BAD BEATING. BUT SO DID THE OPPOSITION PARTIES.

THE PRO-RHEE KOREAN NATIONALIST PARTY WON ONLY 22 SEATS, A LOSS OF 49 FROM THE 71 THEY HOLD IN THE PRESENT HOUSE.

THE STORY WAS ALMOST THE SAME FOR THE ANTI-RHEE DEMOCRATIC NATIONALISTS. THEY SEATED 21 CANDIDATES, A LOSS OF 48 FROM THEIR PRESENT 69.

THE PRESIDENT'S FORCES FOUND SOME ENCOURAGEMENT, HOWEVER, IN THE SEATING OF 11 CANDIDATES BY THE NATIONAL SOCIETY AND 10 BY THE KOREAN YOUTH CORPS. BOTH GROUPS ARE FRIENDLY TO RHEE.

THE BIG QUESTION IS: HOW MANY OF THE INDEPENDENTS CAN RHEE WIN OVER?

CERTAINLY SOME OF THE NON-PARTISANS WILL GO ALONG WITH HIM. SO WILL SOME SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES OF THE SEVERAL MINOR PARTIES.

OF THE NON-PARTISANS ABOUT 15 ARE REGARDED AS "MIDDLE-OF-THE-ROADERS." THAT'S WHAT BITTERLY ANTI-RED RHEE CALLS THOSE WHO BELIEVE PEACEFUL NEGOTIATION WILL BRING ABOUT UNIFICATION OF THE SOUTHERN REPUBLIC WITH COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA.

SOME INDEPENDENTS WERE ACTIVELY OPPOSED BY RHEE'S FORCES. THREE NEW ASSEMBLYMEN, IN FACT, WERE UNDER ARREST ON ELECTION DAY. CHARGES AGAINST THEM RANGED FROM SUSPECTED COMMUNISM TO ELECTION LAW VIOLATIONS. COMMUNISM, HOWEVER, WAS NOT AN ELECTION ISSUE. MOST CANDIDATES OPPOSE THE REDS.

THE TEST WILL COME AFTER JUNE 19, WHEN THE NEW 210-MEMBER NATIONAL ASSEMBLY MEETS. THE OPPOSITION IS EXPECTED TO INTRODUCE AGAINST A BILL TO STRIP RHEE OF POWER IN FAVOR OF A PRIME MINISTER. THE LATTER WOULD BE RESPONSIBLE ONLY TO THE ASSEMBLY.

THE ELECTION COUNCIL REPORTED THAT 140 RACES HAD BEEN DECIDED AND INDEPENDENTS WON IN 84 OF THEM.

RHEE'S SUPPORTERS COULD FIND SOME SOLACE IN THE FACT THAT THUS FAR, PRO-RHEE KOREAN NATIONALIST CANDIDATES HAD WON 18 SEATS AND THE FRIENDLY NATIONAL SOCIETY HAD 11 MORE.

THE DEMOCRATIC NATIONALISTS, LEADERS OF THE OPPOSITE, HAD WON BUT 12 SEATS. THE REMAINING 15 DECIDED CONTESTS WERE DISTRIBUTED AMONG MINOR PARTIES OF VARYING LOYALTIES.

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SOME OF THE INDEPENDENT STRENGTH COULD BE ATTRIBUTED TO RESENTMENT OVER HIGHER TAXES. THIS HAD BEEN FEARED BY RHEE WHEN HE TRIED TO POSTPONE THE ELECTIONS UNTIL NOVEMBER.

THE U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT DEMANDED EARLY ELECTIONS, AND HIGHER TAXES TO BALANCE KOREA'S BUDGET. OTHERWISE, THE U.S. THREATENED TO WITHDRAW ECONOMIC AID AMOUNTING TO ABOUT $100,000,000 A YEAR. RHEE BOWED.

VOTERS IGNORED IN MANY CASES ADMINISTRATION ASSERTIONS THAT THE INDEPENDENTS MIGHT CLOAK COMMUNISTS WHOSE PARTY IS OUTLAWED. SOME OF THE INDEPENDENTS FAVORED NEGOTIATING WITH THE COMMUNIST NORTH FOR A UNIFIED KOREA. RHEE THINKS SUCH NEGOTIATIONS WOULD BE FUTILE.

RHEE TOLD NEWSMEN TUESDAY THAT CANDIDATES SUSPECTED OF DISLOYALTY WOULD NOT BE INTERFERED WITH UNTIL AFTER THE ELECTION. SOME OF THEM MAY FACE COURT TRIALS.

UNITED NATION OBSERVER TEAMS WATCHED THE ELECTIONS. AUSTRALIA'S ARTHUR B.JAMIESON, CHAIRMAN OF THE U.N. COMMISSION ON KOREA, OBSERVED THE VOTING IN CENTRAL PROVINCES. HE SAID HE WAS IMPRESSED BY THE LARGE TURNOUT AND THE ABSENCE OF ANY HINT OF COERCION.

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FIRST LEAD KOREAN ELECTION (150)

BY O.H.P.KING

SEOUL,KOREA,MAY 31-(AP)-INDEPENDENTS SNOWED UNDER GOVERNMENT MEMBERS AND PARTY REGULARS AS RETURNS REACHED THE TWO-THIRDS MARK IN SOUTH KOREA'S FIRST SELF-CONDUCTED ELECTION.

WITH RETURNS REPORTED FOR 140 OF THE 210 NATIONAL ASSEMBLY SEATS, THE INDEPENDENTS HAD TAKEN 84.

THE KOREAN NATIONALISTS WON 18 SEATS AND THE NATIONAL SOCIETY 11. BOTH ARE SUPPORTS OF PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE, WHO HOLDS OFFICE FOR ANOTHER TWO YEARS.

THE ANTI-RHEE DEMOCRATIC NATIONALISTS CAPTURED 12 SEATS.

THE ELECTION INDICATED PRIMARILY THAT SOUTH KOREANS WANT NEW FACES IN THEIR ONE-HOUSE LEGISLATURE. IT IS NOT KNOWN HOW THE INDEPENDENTS WILL LINE UP. SOME ARE PARTY STALWARTS WHO FAILED TO WIN NOMINATIONS.

VOTERS DISREGARDED WARNINGS BY RHEE THAT OUTLAWED COMMUNIST PARTY MEMBERS MIGHT RUN UNDER INDEPPENDENT LABELS. IN THIS SENSE, AT LEAST, THE ELECTION WAS A SOUND DEFEAT FOR THE ADMINISTRATION.

RHEE INDICATED YESTERDAY THE ADMINISTRATION WOULD CRACK DOWN ON SOME CANDIDATES SUSPECTED OF DISLOYALITY.

"WE HAVE THE RPOOF," HE SAID.

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"WE HAVE THE PROOF," HE SAID.

RETURNS WERE SLOW FROM OUTSIDE DISTRICTS. BUT IT WAS EVIDENT THE NEW ASSEMBLY, WHICH CONVENES JUNE 19, WILL BE DOMINATED BY MEN WITHOUT PARTY LABELS.

WHETHER THIS WAS A REBUKE TO THE ADMINISTRATION FOR FORCING THROUGH --UNDER U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT ORDERS--A BALANCED BUDGET AND HEAVIER TAXES--WAS NOT APPARENT.

RHEE HAD POSTPONED THE ELECTION UNTIL NOVEMBER BECAUSE HE SAID THE ASSEMBLYMEN COULD NOT FACE VOTERS SO SOON AFTER HIKING TAXES. BUT SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON URGED THE ELECTION BE HELD ON SCHEDULE, OR SOUTH KOREA WOULD LOSE U.S. AID. RHEE GAVE IN.

OBSERVERS ESTIMATED THAT MORE THAN 7,400,000 OF THE 8,300,000 ELIGIBLE VOTERS WENT TO THE POLLS, A TURNOUT OF 89.3 PER CENT.

ONE COMMENTED: "THIS ELECTION WAS NOT A DEFEAT OR VICTORY FOR ANY PARTY OR GROUP. THE PEOPLE JUDGED EACH CANDIDATE INDIVIDUALLY. PARTY LINES ARE NOT VERY SHARP NOR PLATFORMS MUCH DIFFERENT.

"THE SO-CALLED MIDDLE-OF-THE-ROADERS WHO BELIEVE NEGOTIATIONS WITH (COMMUNIST) NORTH KOREA MIGHT LEAD TO UNIFICATION HAVE THEIR FOLLOWING AND MANY WON."

SOCIALIST CHO SO ANG, WHO COMPLAINED THAT 80 OF HIS 150 ELECTION WORKERS WERE JAILED AND HIS CHAUFFEUR BEATEN, WAS ELECTED OVERWHELMINGLY.

AT FUSAN (PUSAN) IN SOUTHEAST KOREA, THREE OF THE CANDIDATES ELECTED WERE UNDER ARREST ON CHARGES RANGING FROM VIOLATION OF ELECTION LAWS TO SUSPICION OF COMMUNISM.

DR.PAK BYU--KNOWN AS BROWN 05 BECAUSE HE GRADUATED FROM BROWN UNIVERSITY IN 1905--WAS ELECTED AS AN INDEPENDENT.

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TOKYO,MAY 31-(AP)-AMERICAN MILITARY SOURCES SAID TODAY ABOUT 2,000 CHINESE NATIONALIST TROOPS LANDED TWO DAYS AGO ON AMAMI O SHIMA, NORTHERNMOST OF THE RYUKYU ISLANDS.

THE LANDING WAS FOR "PURPOSES OF RESTING," INFORMANTS SAID.

THEY SPECULATED THE CHINESE, IN THREE JUNKS, HAD BEEN BLOWN OFF COURSE IN EVACUATING CHUSHAN, ABOUT 360 MILES WEST.

FORMOSA, THE NATIONALIST BASE, IS ABOUT 600 MILES SOUTHWEST.

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WITH KOREAN BJT (280)

BY TOM LAMBERT

CHONJU,KOREA,MAY 31-(AP)-SOUTH KOREA'S VOTE-CONSCIOUS MILLIONS RETURNED TODAY TO THEIR FARMS, MOUNTAINS AND JOBS AFTER A SURPRISING DEMONSTRATION OF NEARLY UNANIMOUS BALLOTING IN THEIR FIRST HOME-GROWN ELECTION.

EARLY RETURNS INDICATED NINE OUT OF EVERY 10 OF THE 8,300,000 (M) ELIGIBLES VOTED.

THE KOREANS VOTED EARLY AND FINISHED EARLY. BY NOON YESTERDAY SOME ELECTION COMMITTEES ANNOUNCED THAT AS MANY AS 90 PER CENT OF THE REGISTERED VOTERS HAD BALLOTED. IN A FEW PLACES THE VOTES WERE NEARLY 100 PER CENT.

FARMERS EDGED GINGERLY DOWNHILL TO ROADS FROM FIELDS HANGING AT GROTESQUE ANGLES ON MOUNTAINSIDES.

LONG-BEARDED ELDERS IN FLOWING WHITE ROBES AND POINTED-TOE RUBBER SANDALS PICKED THEIR WAY ALONG ATROCIOUS ROADS SHADED BY STATELY NORMANDY POPLARS.

HUNDREDS OF WOMEN WITH SLEEPING BABIES STRAPPED TO THEIR BACKS QUEUED UP IN LINES AND PATIENTLY WAITED THEIR TURN.

THE ILLITERATE PRESSED THEIR THUMBPRINTS ON THE REGISTRY ROLL TO RECEIPT FOR BALLOTS.

A UNITED NATIONS TEAM OF OBSERVERS COMPOSED OF ARTHUR B.JAMIESON OF AUSTRALIA, JOHN P.GAYLLARD OF THE UNITED STATES AND MARIE VAN BEVER OF BELGIUM JOLTED OVER 90 MILES OF BACKWOODS ROADS.

JAMIESON SAID HE WAS IMPRESSED BY THE ABSENCE OF ANY EVIDENCE OF COERCION. THEY SAW FEW POLICE NEAR THE POLLS.

THIS DOES NOT MEAN THAT PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE'S ADMINISTRATION HAS NOT RESORTED TO COERCION. BEFORE THE ELECTION HE WARNED HIS COUNTRYMEN NOT TO VOTE FOR MIDDLE-ROADERS. POLICE DID NOT HESITATE TO ARREST ANY CANDIDATE OR ELECTION WORKER WHO SPOKE OUT AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT. NEWSPAPERS TREAT CONTROVERSIAL ISSUES GINGERLY.

RHEE, A 75-YEAR-OLD PATRIARCH OF STRONG OPINIONS, SEES ANY ATTEMPT TO TRIM HIS POWERS AS VIRTUAL REVOLT.

HE HAS HAD A TOUGH TIME SUBDUING COMMUNISTS WITHIN HIS COUNTRY. AND ALWAYS HE LOOKS WITH FEAR TO THE NORTH, WHERE ONE-THIRD OF THE KOREANS LIVE UNDER A COMMUNIST REGIME DOMINATED BY RUSSIA.

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TOKYO,MAY 29 (AP)-JAPAN DOUBLED HER TRADE LAST YEAR BUT STILL IS DOING ONLY ONE-THIRD OF PREWAR BUSINESS, THE INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND INDUSTRY COMMITTEE SAID TODAY.

EXPORTS JUMPED FROM $258,000,000 (M) IN 1948 TO $510,000,000 (M) IN 1949, THE REPORT SAID. JAPANESE IMPORTS ALSO INCREASED, BUT LESS SHARPLY.

JAPANESE PURCHASES TOTALED $887,000,000 (M). THE "UNFAVORABLE" BALANCE TILTED JAPAN'S POSTWAR TRADE DEFICIT TO $1,355,000,000 (B).

THE REPORT EMPHASIZED THE NEED FOR TRADE WITH SOUTHEAST ASIA AND RED CHINA. U.S. AID TO SOUTHEAST ASIA MIGHT SPURM JAPANESE SALES, THE MINISTRY SAID.

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IT VIEWED DARKLY: GROWING INDUSTRIALIZATION IN INDIA AND ARGENTINE INCREASED PRODUCTION IN EUROPE; POLITICAL UNREST IN SOUTHEAST ASIA; DIFFICULTIES IN TRADING WITH RED CHINA.

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AMS CHINESE

BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI,FORMOSA,MAY 31-(AP)-NATIONALIST FORMOSA SPECULATED TODAY THAT A COMMUNIST AMPHIBIOUS ASSAULT ACROSS THE 100-MILE-WIDE FORMOSA STRAIT MAY COME BY MID-JULY.

CHIANG KAI-SHEK, IN CONFERENCE WITH FOREIGN NEWSMEN TUESDAY, SAID AN INVASION BY THEN WAS POSSIBLE, BUT NOT PROBABLE. HE MAINTAINED THE NATIONALISTS ARE NOT AFRAID OF THE TEST.

(THE CHINESE COMMUNIST RADIO ANNOUNCED A CAMPAIGN TO "ORGANIZE ALL SEAMEN OF EAST CHINA TO SUPPORT THE PEOPLES LIBERATION (RED) ARMY IN CROSSING THE SEA AND LIBERATING TAIWAN," OR FORMOSA.

(A BROADCAST HEARD BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS AT SAN FRANCISCO SAID THE PLAN WAS ADOPTED MAY 26 AT A CONFERENCE OF THE "EAST CHINA COMMITTEE OF THE CHINA SEAMEN'S UNION." THE COMMUNISTS ARE ASSEMBLING HUNDREDS OF SMALL CRAFT ALONG THE BAYS AND INLETS THAT NOTCH CHINA'S EAST COAST.

THESE FREQUENTLY ARE ATTACKED BY NATIONALIST WARPLANES AND WARSHIPS.)

ONLY AN OPTIMIST COULD SEE ANY SILVER LINING IN THE GATHERING CLOUDS IT NEEDS ONLY A PESSIMIST--AND THERE ARE MANY--TO SEE POSSIBILITIES OF DISASTER.

ONE QUESTION CONSTANTLY IN THE MINDS OF THE PEOPLE IS:

WILL THE COMMUNISTS USE THE SOVIET-SUPPLIED AIR FORCE CREDITED TO THEM AND, IF SO, WHAT CAN PREVENT A NATIONALIST DEFEAT?

CHIANG TOUCHED UPON THIS SUBJECT IN HIS TALK WITH NEWSMEN. HE MADE CLEAR HE BELIEVED HIS FORCES ON FORMOSA CAN REPEL A COMMUNIST ASSAULT UNLESS THE REDS GET EXTENSIVE HELP FROM RUSSIA.

THERE WAS LITTLE CIVIL WAR NEWS. NAVAL HEADQUARTERS SAID ONE OF ITS WARSHIPS BOMBARDED ISLANDS IN THE WANSHAN GROUP SOUTHWEST OF HONG KONG MONDAY, CAUSING HEAVY CASUALTIES.

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HONG KONG,THURSDAY, JUNE 1-(AP)-AMERICAN PILOT JAMES MCGOVERN, HELD IN COMMUNIST CHINA FOR ALMOST FIVE MONTHS, WAS RETURNED TO HONG KONG YESTERDAY.

THE FLIER FROM ELIZABETH, N. J., WAS BROUGHT TO THE BORDER OF THIS BRITISH COLONY YESTERDAY BY ARMED CHINESE RED GUARDS. HE WAS BROUGHT IMMEDIATELY TO THIS CITY.

MCGOVERN HAD BEEN IN RED CUSTODY SINCE LAST DEC. 5 WHEN HIS TRANSPORT PLANE CRASH LANDED ON A FLIGHT FROM HONG KONG TO KUNMING, CHINA. HE WAS A PILOT FOR CIVIL AIR TRANSPORT, AN AIRLINE RUN IN NATIONALIST CHINA BY858PCS

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NATIONALIST CHINA BY RETIRED U. S. MAJ. GEN. CLAIRE CHENNAULT.

THE REDS HELD MCGOVERN AT NANNING IN KWANGSI PROVINCE NOT FAR FROM WHERE HE BROUGHT HIS PLANE DOWN WITH TWO CREWMEN, TWO PASSENGERS AND FOUR TONS OF GASOLINE CARGO.

THE TWO CREWMEN AND TWO PASSENGERS--A WHITE RUSSIAN WOMAN AND A CHILD---GOT BACK TO HONG KONG SOME TIME AGO. THE CHINESE CO-PILOT ARRIVED IN HONG KONG FEB. 20 WITH WORD THAT MCGOVERN WAS SAFE. THE CO-PILOT, M. L. LAY, SAID HE HAD ESCAPED FROM THE REDS.

CHENNAULTS AIR LINE FLEW SEARCH MISSIONS FOR MCGOVERN'S PLANE FOR DAYS AFTER IT DISAPPEARED, THEN OFFERED A REWARD FOR ANY TRACE OF THE CRAFT.

LATER IT SAID THE PLANE HAD GONE DOWN IN INDOCHINA AND MCGOVERN WAS BEING HELD BY COMMUNIST-LED VIETNAM GUERRILLAS FOR RANSOM. THEN IT REPORTED MCGOVERN AND HIS CREW WERE IN THE HANDS OF THE CHINESE REDS AND ATTEMPTS WERE BEING MADE FOR THEIR RELEASE.

ON JAN. 11, THE AIR LINE INFORMED THE U. S. CONSUL IN HONG KONG IT WAS ABANDONING PRIVATE EFFORTS TO HAVE MCGOVERN RETURNED. U. S. OFFICIALS WERE ASKED TO NEGOTIATE WITH RED AUTHORITIES.

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"I'VE BEEN HOPING AND PRAYING THIS WOULD HAPPEN," MC GOVERN'S MOTHER SAID TONIGHT AT HER ELIZABETH, N.J., HOME WHEN SHE LEARNED HER SON HAD BEEN RETURNED TO HONG KONG FROM COMMUNIST CHINA.
MRS.JAMES B. MC GOVERN SAID SHE HAD NOT HEARD ANYTHING LATELY FROM THE CIVIL AIR TRANSPORT, THE AIRLINE IN NATIONALIST CHINA WHICH EMPLOYED HER 27-YEAR-OLD SON.
"I HOPE HE'LL COME HOME NOW," MRS. MC GOVERN ADDED.
SOME OF THE MEN WHO WORKED WITH HER SON HAD BEEN WRITING ABOUT EFFORTS TO GET MC GOVERN OUT OF RED CHINA, MRS. MC GOVERN SAID.
SHE EXPLAINED THAT THEY HAD PROMISED TO TELEPHONE HER IF HE DID GET OUT, BUT SHE HAD NOT HEARD FROM THEM TONIGHT.
YOUNG MC GOVERN WAS A COMBAT ACE WITH THE 14TH AIR FORCE IN CHINA DURING WORLD WAR 2, SERVING WITH THE FLYING TIGERS UNDER GEN. CHENNAULT.
HE WAS CREDITED WITH SHOOTING DOWN FOUR JAP PLANES, DAMAGING FIVE AND PROBABLY DESTROYING ONE ON THE GROUND IN NINE MISSIONS. HE JOINED THE TRANSPORT LINE IN MARCH, 1947, AFTER HIS RELEASED FROM THE ARMY AS A FIRST LIEUTENANT.
A YEAR AFTER MC GOVERN BEGAN FLYING COMMERCIAL PLANES IN CHINA, HIS PLANE WAS SHOT AT BY TWO SOVIET FIGHTER PLANES, BUT WAS UNHIT, HIS FAMILY SAID. THE CHINESE NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT AT THAT TIME PROTESTED TO THE RUSSIAN GOVERNMENT.
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HONG KONG, THURSDAY, JUNE 1-(AP)-A CHINESE HONG KONG NEWSPAPER REPORTED TODAY A SQUADRON OF SOVIET-MADE JET PLANES ARRIVED YESTERDAY AT CANTON, METROPOLIS OF COMMUNIST SOUTH CHINA.
THE INDEPENDENT WAH KIU YAT PO CARRIED A CANTON DISPATCH SAYING THE JETS HAD COME FROM SHANGHAI. THE NUMBER OF PLANES IN THE "SQUADRON" WAS NOT GIVEN.
VARIOUS UNOFFICIAL AND SEMIOFFICIAL REPORTS IN THE PAST TWO WEEKS HAVE PLACED THE NUMBER OF RUSSIAN JETS AT CANTON AT NOT MORE THAN 25. THESE REPORTS ESTIMATE THE ENTIRE CHINESE RED AIR FORCE AT BETWEEN 25 AND 75 PLANES.
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AUCKLAND, N.Z., MAY 31-(AP)-GASOLINE RATIONING ENDS IN NEW ZEALAND TOMORROW, THE GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED TODAY AFTER A CABINET MEETING. GASOLINE HAS BEEN THE LAST COMMODITY RATIONED IN NEW ZEALAND.
THE DECISION FOLLOWS THE EXAMPLE OF BRITAIN AND AUSTRALIA. IN CANBERRA, AUSTRALIAN FUEL MINISTER GEORGE MCLEAY SAID GASOLINE CONSUMPTION ROSE ONLY ABOUT FIVE PER CENT SINCE RATIONING ENDED.
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MANILA, MAY 31-(AP)-PRESIDENT ELPIDIO QUIRINO, FOREIGN AFFAIRS SECRETARY CARLOS P. ROMULO AND ALL SEVEN DELEGATIONS TO THE BAGUIO CONFERENCE RETURNED TODAY TO MANILA.
THE DELEGATIONS FROM AUSTRALIA, INDIA, INDONESIA, CEYLON, PAKISTAN AND THAILAND (SIAM) WERE EXPECTED TO REMAIN HERE SEVERAL DAYS BEFORE LEAVING FOR HOME.
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NIGHT LEAD BURMESE (300)
RANGOON, BURMA, MAY 31-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER THAKIN NU PREDICTED EARLY PEACE TODAY WITH KAREN TRIBESMEN, THE GOVERNMENT'S MOST FORMIDABLE REBELS, AND DECLARED HE IS GOING TO BE A HERMIT PREMIER.
JUST RETURNED FROM A VISIT TO EUROPE AND LONDON, THE PRIME MINISTER TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE HE IS RENOUNCING THE WORLD AND HENCEFORTH WILL LIVE INSIDE A THATCHED ROOF BAMBOO HUT, SURROUNDED BY BARBED WIRE, ON HIS MINISTERIAL ESTATE NORTH OF RANGOON. HE SAID HE WOULD EMERGE FROM A REGIME OF PRAYER AND DEDICATION ONLY WHEN STATE AFFAIRS ARE THE MOST DEMANDING.
THAKIN NU SAID HE WAS PREPARING TO DIVEST HIMSELF COMPLETELY OF POLITICAL LEADERSHIP AND WORLDLY THINGS AND DEDICATED HIS LIFE TO FASTING AND SPIRITUAL WORK BECAUSE BUDDHISM TEACHES THAT NOTHING IN LIFE IS PERMANENT.
HE TOLD REPORTERS IN LONDON EARLIER THIS MONTH HE INTENDED TO BECOME A MONK WHEN PEACE RETURNS TO THE COUNTRY. HIS GOVERNMENT HAS SET JULY 19 AS A TARGET DATE FOR PEACE.
THE PRIME MINISTER SAID THERE WAS "EVERY POSSIBILITY" THE KARENS WILL AGREE TO END THEIR 17-MONTH REBELLION IN NEGOTIATIONS NOW GOING ON.
FOR THE FIRST TIME, HE DISCLOSED THE APPROXIMATE STRENGTH OF THE KAREN REBELS WHO HAVE BEEN FIGHTING SINCE JANUARY, 1949 FOR A SEPARATE KAREN STATE IN SOUTHEAST BURMA. HE ESTIMATED THAT ABOUT FIVE PER CENT OF THE KAREN POPULATION OF 1,250,000--OR 62,500--WERE ACTIVE IN THE REBEL CAUSE.
A WEEK AGO THE GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED A PRELIMINARY TRUCE HAD BEEN NEGOTIATED WITH ABOUT 10,000 WHITE BAND PVO'S (PEOPLES VOLUNTEER ORGANIZATION), WHO FOR A TIME COOPERATED WITH THE COMMUNISTS. THE TRUCE REMAINS TO BE APPROVED BY TOP PVO LEADERS.
THAKIN NU SAID THE KARENS WERE DEMORALIZED AND SOUGHT PEACE BUT WANTED ASSURANCE ON THREE POINTS: PARDON UNDER THE GOVERNMENT'S GENERAL AMNESTY, AN AUTONOMOUS STATE WITHIN THE KAREN UNION AND REINSTATEMENT OF KAREN MUTINEERS IN THE BURMESE ARMY. HE SAID HE HAD CATEGORICALLY CEDED THEM THE FIRST TWO POINTS BUT NO MUTINEERS WOULD BE REINSTATED IN THE ARMY "UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCE."
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RANGOON, MAY 31-(AP)-BURMA'S PRIME MINISTER THAKIN NU SAID TODAY THAT GOVERNMENT REPRESENTATIVES WERE IN CONTACT WITH REBEL KAREN TRIBESMEN AND THAT THERE IS "EVERY POSSIBILITY" THEY WILL NEGOTIATE A PEACE.
IF THE PEACE TALKS ARE SUCCESSFUL IT WILL BE THE SECOND OF BURMA'S THREE REBEL GROUPS TO AGREE TO LAY DOWN ITS ARMS. THE GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED LAST WEEK THAT THE WHITE BAND PVO (PEOPLE'S VOLUNTEER ORGANIZATION) HAD AGREED ON A CEASE FIRE PACT. NO SUCH AGREEMENT HAS YET BEEN MADE WITH THE COMMUNISTS WHO ARE STILL FIGHTING.
THAKIN NU SAID HIS GOVERNMENT HAD GIVEN THE KARENS, STRONGEST REBEL

GROUP IN BURMA, ASSURANCES THEY WOULD BE PARDONED UNDER A GENERAL AMNESTY AND WOULD BE GIVEN THE AUTONOMY THEY HAVE DEMANDED AS A CONDITION FOR PEACE.

THE PRIME MINISTER SAID, HOWEVER, THAT A THIRD REQUEST THAT KAREN MUTINEERS IN THE BURMA ARMY BE REINSTATED IMMEDIATELY WOULD NOT BE GRANTED "UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES."

HE SAID THAT ALTHOUGH THE KARENS ARE THOROUGHLY DEMORALIZED AND WANT PEACE, THE GOVERNMENT CONSIDERS THE REBEL GROUP STILL ACTIVE, WITH A STRENGTH TOTALLING FIVE PER CENT OF THE KAREN POPULATION OF 1,250,000.

THE TERMS FOR THE SURRENDER OF THE PVO'S 10,000 MEMBERS ARE STILL BEING WORKED OUT HERE. PVO VICE PRESIDENT BO LA YAUNG SAID LAST WEEK THE SUCCESS OF THE TALKS HINGED ON THE DECISION OF THE GOVERNMENT TO PERMIT HIS GROUP'S LEADERS TO REGROUP INTO A NEW POLITICAL PARTY.

THAKIN NU SAID TODAY THE COMMUNISTS ALSO WOULD BE ELIGIBLE FOR THE GOVERNMENT AMNESTY, PROVIDED THEY ACCEPT ITS CONDITIONS.

ACCORDING TO THE AMNESTY, ALL SURRENDERING REBELS WOULD BE REINSTATED POLITICALLY. BUT NONE WOULD BE ALLOWED TO RE-ENTER THE ARMY UNTIL THEY HAD SERVED TWO YEARS IN A GOVERNMENT-SUPERVISED REHABILITATION CORPS.

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san juan, puerto rico, may 31--(ap)--leaders of three major labor unions today rejected communist claims that puerto rican workers would NOT fight in a war against russia.

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statements by the union secretaries renounced the claim, which was made last week by communist party general secretary cesar andreu.

they declared the island's workers were ready to defend democracy and would fight any attempt against it.

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BUENOS AIRES,MAY 31-(AP)-THE NATIONAL COMMITTEE OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY ISSUED A STATEMENT TODAY CHARGING PRESIDENT JUAN D.PERON'S FOREIGN POLICY IS LEADING ARGENTINA INTO THE CAMP OF THE UNITED STATES AND "IMPERIALIST WARMONGERS."

IT WAS ONE OF THE BOLDEST STATEMENTS ISSUED BY ARGENTINA COMMUNISTS AGAINST THE ADMINISTRATION. THE COMMUNIST PARTY IS LEGALLY CONSTITUTED BUT HAS NO ELECTED REPRESENTATIVES IN CONGRESS. IT CLAIMS 35,000 MEMBERS IN ARGENTINA.

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(110) ARGENTINE

WASHINGTON, MAY 31-(AP)-STANTON GRIFFIS, U.S. AMBASSADOR TO ARGENTINA, SAID TODAY HE UNDERSTANDS A GROUP OF NEW YORK BANKS HAS AGREED TO EXTEND A $75,000,000 (M) COMMERCIAL CREDIT TO ARGENTINA.

THE CREDIT WOULD FINANCE ARGENTINE PURCHASES OF FARM MACHINERY AND SOME OTHER EQUIPMENT IN THE UNITED STATES.

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THE AMBASSADOR SAID IN AN INTERVIEW THAT FINAL APPROVAL OF THE ARRANGEMENT IS AWAITING THE ARRIVAL IN NEW YORK OF JOSE BRIGNOLI, HEAD OF THE EXCHANGE DEPARTMENT OF THE ARGENTINE CENTRAL BANK.

GRIFFIS SAID THERE ARE SEVERAL BANKS INVOLVED, INCLUDING THE NATIONAL CITY BANK. HE DID NOT NAME THE OTHERS.

THE LOAN WILL SUPPLEMENT A $125,000,000 (M) CREDIT FROM THE EXPORT-IMPORT BANK, GRANTED A FEW WEEKS AGO.

IN NEW YORK CITY, BANKING CIRCLES CONFIRMED THAT THE OUTLOOK FOR THE $75,000,000 CREDIT WAS FAVORABLE BUT ADDED THAT IT "STILL IS A LONG WAY FROM BEING FINISHED."

BANKING SOURCES SAID THE CREDIT WOULD BE IN THE FORM OF A FIVE-YEAR REVOLVING CREDIT, UNDERWRITTEN BY SOME 20 OR 30 BANKS ACROSS THE COUNTRY.

MOST OF THE BANKERS ARE WILLING TO GO ALONG ON THE CREDIT, THE SOURCE ADDED.

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LPA (MEXICO)

WASHINGTON, MAY 24-(AP)-THE WORLD BANK ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT MEXICO HAS AUTHORIZED ITS BANKS TO BUY WORLD BANK BONDS WITH PART OF THEIR FOREIGN EXCHANGE RESERVE DEPOSITS.

"THIS IS FURTHER TANGIBLE EVIDENCE OF MEXICO'S COOPERATION WITH THE INTERNATIONAL BANK IN BROADENING THE INTERNATIONAL CHARACTER OF II MARKETING OPERATIONS," EUGENE R.BLACK, PRESIDENT OF THE WORLD BANK, TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE.

HE SAID THIS NEW STEP BROADENS THE WORLD BANKS MARKET FOR ITS BONDS TO A "SIZEABLE DEGREE." THE NEW RULING APPLIES TO BOTH DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN BANKS IN MEXICO.

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MEXICAN BANKS IN THE PAST WERE REQUIRED TO MAINTAIN A 25 PERCENT RESERVE WITH THE CENTRAL BANK AGAINST ALL DOLLAR DEPOSITS AND OTHER FOREIGN EXCHANGE LIABILITIES.

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UNDER THE NEW RULING, ONE-FIFTH OF THIS RESERVE NOW MAY BE HELD IN THE FORM OF WORLD BANK SECURITIES, BLACK SAID. HE SAID HE DID NOT KNOW THE AMOUNT OF THE RESERVE, BUT SAID IT WAS "SIZEABLE."

THE CENTRAL BANK OF MEXICO HAS PURCHASED $1,500,000 (M) OF THE WORLD BANK'S TWO PERCENT SERIAL BONDS OF 1950 AND 25-YEAR 3'S DUE JULY 15, 1972, FOR RESALE TO BANKS IN MEXICO WISHING TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE NEW RULING.

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LPA (ARGENTINA)

WASHINGTON, MAY 24-(AP)-EUGENE R.BLACK, PRESIDENT OF THE WORLD BANK, SAID TODAY SAID HE HAD HEARD--BUT KNEW NOTHING OFFICIALLY--OF REPORTS THAT ARGENTINA MAY JOIN THE WORLD BANK.

ARGENTINA IS ONE OF THE FEW LATIN AMERICAN NATIONS NOT A MEMBER OF THE WORLD BANK, OFFICIALLY KNOWN AS THE INTERNATIONAL BANK FOR RECONSTRUCTION AND DEVELOPMENT.

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"I HAVE NEVER BEEN FORMALLY APPROACHED, HOWEVER," BLACK TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE FOLLOWING HIS RETURN FROM A EUROPEAN TOUR.

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(160) AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE

WASHINGTON, MAY 31-(AP)-REP.GROSS (R-IOWA) TODAY RENEWED HIS CRITICISM OF THIS COUNTRY'S $125,000,000 CREDIT TO ARGENTINA, CALLING IT A "HANDOUT" BY WHICH "THE TAXPAYERS OF THIS COUNTRY ARE HELPING PERPETUATE THE RUTHLESS MILITARY MACHINE OF DICTATOR PERON."

GROSS SAID HIS LATEST STATEMENT ON THE SUBJECT WAS PROMPTED BY EDITORIAL CRITICISM OF HIM BY LA EPOCA, BUENOS AIRES NEWSPAPER. HE SAID THE NEWSPAPER CALLED HIM "A LIAR AND A COMMUNIST OR FELLOW TRAVELER" WHO SHOULD BE INVESTIGATED.

HE SAID THE NEWSPAPER ATTACKED HIM BECAUSE OF A SPEECH HE DELIVERED IN THE HOUSE A WEEK AGO CRITICIZING THE STATE DEPARTMENT FOR APPROVING THE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TO THE ARGENTINE GOVERNMENT HEADED BY PERON.

GROSS SAID HE WELCOMED AT ANY TIME A CONGRESSIONAL INQUIRY AS TO "THE VERACITY OF MY STATEMENTS ON THIS SUBJECT AND WHETHER I AM 'A COMMUNIST OR FELLOW TRAVELER.'

"SUCH AN INVESTIGATION MIGHT WELL SERVE TO STIMULATE AND FOCUS PUBLIC ATTENTION ON THE SPINELESS POLICY OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT WHICH PRATES OF ITS SERVICE TO FREEDOM LOVING NATIONS ONE DAY AND SLYLY SUPPORTS A DICTATOR THE NEXT."

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WASHINGTON, MAY 24-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY CALLED UPON THE AMERICAN PEOPLE TO OBSERVE OCTOBER 24 (CQ) AS UNITED NATIONS DAY BY CEREMONIES AND PROGRAMS DEDICATED TO SECURING "ENDURING WORLD PEACE."

HE SIGNED A PROCLAMATION IN WHICH HE POINTED OUT THAT THE UNITED NATIONS WILL HAVE COMPLETED FIVE YEARS OF EXISTENCE ON OCTOBER 24.

THE NEED FOR AN INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION TO INSURE PEACE "HAS NEVER BEEN MORE URGENT," THE PRESIDENT SAID.

HE SAID THE PEOPLE SHOULD OBSERVE THE ANNIVERSARY "WITH SOLEMN AWARENESS OF THE RESPONSIBILITY OF EACH INDIVIDUAL FOR STRENGTHENING THE DEVOTION OF THE PEOPLES OF THE WORLD TO THE AIMS OF THE UNITED NATIONS."

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HE URGED THE COOPERATION OF GOVERNMENTAL, CIVIC, CHURCH AND AVENUES OF COMMUNICATIONS.

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OTTAWA, MAY 31-(AP)-PAKISTAN'S PRIME MINISTER LIAQUAT ALI KHAN TOLD A JOINT SESSION OF THE CANADIAN PARLIAMENT TODAY THAT THERE CAN BE NO PEACE IN ASIA WITHOUT PROGRESS AND THE REMOVAL OF ECONOMIC UNBALANCE "WHICH KEEPS MORE THAN HALF THE WORLD IN POVERTY AND THE FERMENT OF DISCONTENT."

HERE FOR A THREE-DAY VISIT, LIAQUAT ALI TOLD A JOINT SESSION OF THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF COMMONS PAKISTAN HAS NO AGGRESSIVE DESIGNS BUT IS RESOLVED TO SAFEGUARD ITS FREEDOM "AT ALL COSTS, WHATEVER THE THREAT AND WHATEVER THE QUARTER FROM WHICH AGGRESSION MAY FACE US."

HE SAID HIS COUNTRY CONSIDERS IT "OUR MORAL RESPONSIBILITY TO PURSUE THE PATH OF PEACE AND TO HELP IN THE MAINTENANCE OF PEACE AND STABILITY EVERYWHERE, AND PARTICULARLY IN THE UNEASY CONTINENT OF ASIA ON WHOSE FUTURE WORLD PEACE VERY LARGELY DEPENDS."

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(1,000) AMS BUDGET

NIGHT LEAD ACHESON-COLD WAR

BY JOHN M. HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON, MAY 31-(AP)-WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S FULL BACKING, SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON CALLED ON THE NATION TODAY TO SUPPORT THE DOVETAILING OF AMERICAN LAND, SEA AND AIR FORCES WITH THOSE OF WESTERN EUROPE. THAT, HE DECLARED, IS THE ONLY WAY TO MATCH RUSSIA'S GROWING MIGHT.

ACHESON BEGAN HIS HOME FRONT BATTLE FOR WHAT HE CALLED "BALANCED COLLECTIVE FORCES" UNDER THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY IN AN EXTRAORDINARY SPEECH BEFORE A JOINT GATHERING OF HOUSE AND SENATE MEMBERS IN THE LIBRARY OF CONGRESS.

ACHESON WENT BEFORE THE LEGISLATORS TO REPORT ON HIS COLD WAR STRATEGY TALKS IN LONDON EARLIER THIS MONTH. AFTER THE FORMAL TALK, HE SUBMITTED TO QUESTIONING, AND THIS MADE THE OCCASION UNIQUE. IT WAS THE FIRST TIME A SECRETARY OF STATE HAS ENGAGED IN SUCH GIVE-AND-TAKE WITH A JOINT SESSION OF CONGRESS.

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AT LAKE SUCCESS, LIE'S OFFICE SAID HE HAD NO COMMENT ON RANKIN'S REFERENCE. LIE'S ASSOCIATES HAVE DENIED PAST CHARGES THAT HE IS A COMMUNIST.

THE U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL NEVER REPLIES TO STATEMENTS OR ATTACKS BY INDIVIDUALS. HIS POLICY IS TO DEAL WITH GOVERNMENTS.

DURING THE QUESTIONING, SOME OF HIS CRITICS HAD THEIR INNINGS. REP. JUDD (R-MINN) WANTED TO KNOW WHY THE UNITED STATES WAS NOT EXERTING "TOTAL DIPLOMACY" TO PREVENT THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS FROM REPLACING THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS IN THE UNITED NATIONS.

ACHESON REPLIED THAT THIS SUBJECT HAD PROVIDED A LONG DEBATE BETWEEN HIM AND JUDD. HE SAID THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAS TAKEN THE POSITION THAT IT WILL VOTE TO KEEP THE NATIONALISTS IN THE U.N. BUT IF THE MAJORITY OF U.N. MEMBERS VOTE OTHERWISE THEN THE UNITED STATES WILL NOT EXERCISE THE VETO.

JUDD CONCLUDED THE EXCHANGE BY SHOUTING:

"WE SUSTAIN OUR SUPERIOR RECTITUDE BUT THE OTHER PEOPLE WIN THE BATTLE. WHEN ARE WE GOING TO START WINNING THE BATTLE?"

THE MISSION OF U.N. SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE TO MOSCOW CAME UP FOR DISCUSSION SEVERAL TIMES AND FINALLY REP.RANKIN (D-MISS) BOOMED AT ACHESON FROM THE BACK OF THE ROOM:

"ISN'T IT A FACT THAT TRYGVE LIE IS A KNOWN COMMUNIST AND THAT HE IS BEHIND A MOVEMENT TO SEAT THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS IN THE UNITED NATIONS?"

RANKIN ALSO ALLEGED THAT THE UNITED NATIONS IS INTERFERING IN THE INTERNAL AFFAIRS OF THE UNITED STATES.

ACHESON SAID THAT NO ONE IN THE GOVERNMENT HAD QUESTIONED LIE'S GOOD FAITH. THE REST OF HIS ANSWER TO RANKIN WAS LOST IN THE GENERAL HUBBUB, WITH BOTH MEN TALKING AT THE SAME TIME.

AFTER THE SESSION A NUMBER OF LEGISLATORS PRAISED THE SECRETARY'S SPEECH, WHILE SENATOR MC CARTHY (R-WIS), A CHIEF CRITIC OF ACHESON, TOLD REPORTERS: "THE RED DEAN OF WASHINGTON IS STILL IN FORM."

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THE LIBRARY OF CONGRESS AUDITORIUM, WHICH SEATS ABOUT 500, WAS FULL. ABOUT 150 SEATS WERE OCCUPIED BY PRESS AND RADIO REPORTERS, THERE WERE A NUMBER OF TOP OFFICIALS AND IT THUS SEEMS LIKELY THAT THE

NUMBER OF CONGRESS MEMBERS WHO ACTUALLY ATTENDED WAS ABOUT 300.

CONTRARY TO SOME EXPECTATIONS, THE MEAT OF ACHESON'S REPORT WAS IN HIS PREPARED ADDRESS NOT IN HIS ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS, WHICH WERE MAINL REPETITIONS OF WHAT HE HAD ALREADY SAID. IN THESE ANSWERS, WHICH WERE NOT PERMITTED TO BE QUOTED DIRECTLY, ACHESON DID COIN ONE PHRASE IN SUPPORT OF HIS GENERAL ARGUMENT FOR UNITY AND STRENGTH OF THE WESTERN NATIONS. WITH UNIFIED STRENGTH, HE SAID, THE WEST WILL NOT PROVOKE WAR BY WEAKNESS.

IN HIS SPEECH ACHESON WENT AT GREAT LENGTH INTO THE LONDON MEETINGS HE DREW APPLAUSE WHEN HE SAID THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC COUNTRIES HAD AGREED THAT THEY NEEDED "ADEQUATE FORCES" FOR DEFENSE AGAINST SOVIET COMMUNISM. HE WAS APPLAUDED AGAIN AS HIS AUDIENCE AROSE AT THE END OF THE ADDRESS.

THE WHOLE THEME OF THE ADDRESS WAS THAT THE WESTERN NATIONS HAVE TO GET A LOT CLOSER TOGETHER IN THEIR ECONOMIC, POLITICAL, AND MILITARY OPERATIONS THAN THEY NOW ARE.

HE EMPHASIZED THIS PARTICULARLY IN THE MILITARY FIELD. HE SAID THE UNITED STATES HAS TO PLAY "A LEADING ROLE IN BUILDING BALANCED COLLECTIVE FORCES."

HE SAID THAT "IF" THE UNITED STATES DOES THIS THE OTHER ATLANTIC TREATY MEMBERS WILL ALL COOPERATE. ACHESON INDICATED BY USING THE WORD "IF" THAT THE POLICY MUST HAVE POPULAR AND CONGRESSIONAL SUPPORT IN ORDER TO WORK. IN TERMS OF CONGRESSIONAL SUPPORT THE OBVIOUS TEST WILL COME OVER APPROPRIATIONS, SINCE THE UNITED STATES WOULD HAVE TO CONTRIBUTE LARGER NAVAL AND AIR FORCES THAN IT NOW IS BUILDING--WHILE WESTERN EUROPE EMPHASIZED LAND POWER.

"THE PRESIDENT HAS AUTHORIZED ME TO SAY," ACHESON DECLARED, "THAT HE SUPPORTS SECRETARY JOHNSON AND ME IN OUR VIEW THAT WE MUST MAKE THIS PRINCIPLE WORK, FOR WE SEE NO OTHER WAY TO ACCOMPLISH THE JOB OF DEFENSE AND AT THE SAME TIME TO GET AHEAD WITH THE CONSTRUCTIVE TASK OF BUILDING A SUCCESSFULLY FUNCTIONING ECONOMY IN THE FREE WORLD."

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ACHESON SPOKE WITH GREAT ENTHUSIASM OF THE LONDON MEETINGS WHERE HE MET THE BRITISH AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTERS AND ALSO ATTENDED SESSIONS OF THE 12-NATION NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY COUNCIL. HE SAID THE MEETINGS "MARK THE BEGINNING OF SOMETHING NEW," BUT DID NOT SAY WHAT HE MEANT BY THAT. EVIDENTLY WHAT HE HAD IN MIND IS THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC COMMUNITY AS A NEW FORCE IN WORLD AFFAIRS--A STRONG CENTER OF AMERICAN-EUROPEAN POWER AGAINST RUSSIA.

THE FACT IS, ACHESON SAID, THE "FREE NATIONS HAVE COME TO ANOTHER TIME OF DECISION" WHEN THEY MUST DETERMINE WHETHER THEY WILL GO FORWARD IN INCREASING UNITY OR FALL BACK INTO "TOTAL FAILURE."

FOR THE UNITED STATES, ACHESON SAID, GOING FORWARD MEANS ABANDONING THE IDEA THAT THIS COUNTRY CAN PULL APART FROM EUROPE WHEN THE MARSHALL PLAN ENDS IN 1952. ON THE CONTRARY, WHAT THE UNITED STATES MUST DO, ACHESON SAID, IS TO DEVELOP AND EXPAND "PARTNERSHIP IN THE NORTH AMERICAN AND WESTERN EUROPEAN COMMUNITY OF NATIONS."

ACHESON REVIEWED THEN THE WHOLE RANGE OF HIS TALKS WITH FOREIGN MINISTERS BEVIN OF BRITAIN AND SCHUMAN OF FRANCE BUT DID NOT DISCLOSE ANY NEW INFORMATION BEYOND THAT ALREADY ANNOUNCED. HE PRAISED THE FRENCH PROPOSAL FOR THE MERGING OF FRENCH AND GERMAN COAL AND STEEL INDUSTRIES AND HE FORECAST A NEW FUTURE FOR WESTERN GERMANY WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE "FREE WESTERN COMMUNITY."

HE EXPRESSED HOPE THAT GERMANY WOULD SOON BECOME A MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE AND SAID THAT THE FRENCH PROPOSAL ON INDUSTRY HAD CREATED A "NEW CLIMATE" FOR GERMANY'S RE-ENTRANCE INTO THE WESTERN WORLD.

HE ALSO REMARKED ABOUT GERMANY THAT THE EXPRESSED DETERMINATION OF THE WESTERN POWERS TO STICK TOGETHER IN THEIR PREPARATIONS FOR MEETING THE COMMUNIST YOUTH RALLY THREAT LAST WEEKEND "MAY HAVE HAD SOME INFLUENCE ON THE RELATIVE QUIET WHICH PREVAILED IN BERLIN ON SUNDAY."

THIS MATTER CAME UP AGAIN IN THE QUESTIONING. ACHESON WAS ASKED WHETHER HE THOUGHT THAT "THE RUSSIANS WOULD NOT RISK A SHOOTING WAR" IN BERLIN AND THEREFORE BACKED DOWN IN THE FACE OF A FIRM STAND BY THE WESTERN POWERS. THE QUESTION WAS PUT BY REP.HALE BOGGS (D-LA) WHO CALLED THE GERMAN YOUTH RALLY A "FIZZLE".

ACHESON SAID THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAD BELIEVED IT WOULD BE A FIZZLE AND IN FACT IT WAS. BUT THIS DID NOT MEAN THAT THE ADMINISTRATION IN GERMANY CAN RELAX IN ANY WAY. AS FOR RUSSIA RISKING A SHOOTING WAR, ACHESON TURNED THE QUESTION AROUND. HE SAID THAT IF THE WESTERN NATIONS MOVE FORWARD WITH UNITY AND STRENGTH THEN THE WEST WILL NOT PROVOKE WAR BY WEAKNESS.

SEN. CAIN (R-WASH) ASKED HOW IT WOULD BE POSSIBLE TO ACHIEVE "BALANCED COLLECTIVE FORCES WITHOUT INCLUDING TURKEY ON THE EASTERN FLANK OF EUROPE AND SPAIN ON THE WESTERN FLANK."

ACHESON SAID THAT WHETHER TO ADD ANOTHER COUNTRY TO THE LINEUP WAS A SEPARATE QUESTION. THE CENTRAL IDEA OF BALANCED COLLECTIVE FORCES, HE ADDED, IS THAT THERE WOULD BE NO DUPLICATION AMONG THE COUNTRIES--NO COUNTRY FOR EXAMPLE WOULD JUDGE ITS FORCES IN TERMS OF ITS OWN ISOLATED SECURITY NEEDS BUT WOULD DEPEND UPON THE POWER OF THE WHOLE GROUP FOR ITS DEFENSE.

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WASHINGTON, MAY 31(AP)-STATE DEPARTMENT RESEARCHERS WHO HAVE GONE BACK 160 YEARS BELIEVE THAT SECRETARY ACHESON'S QUESTION-AND-ANSWER PROGRAM WITH CONGRESSMEN TODAY IS A FIRST-TIME-EVER THING.

THE NEAREST APPROACH THEY CAN FIND IS THE OCCASION ON NOVEMBER 18,1943, WHEN SECRETARY OF STATE CORDELL HULL REPORTED TO CONGRESS IN PERSON ON FOUR-POWER DISCUSSIONS AT MOSCOW.

ON THAT OCCASION, HULL MADE A FORMAL SPEECH TO THE HOUSE AND SENATE IN THE HOUSE CHAMBER. THE MEMBERS JUST LISTENED AND APPLAUDED.

TODAY, SOMETHING NEW HAS BEEN ADDED. IN ADDITION TO A SPEECH IN THE LIBRARY OF CONGRESS REPORTING ON THE LONDON DIPLOMATIC MEETINGS OF THIS MONTH, ACHESON IS SUBMITTING HIMSELF TO PUBLIC QUESTIONING BY THE MEMBERS. RADIO AND TELEVISION BROADCASTS WILL EXPAND HIS AUDIENCE.

THE QUESTIONS WILL BE "ON THE RECORD," THE ONLY RESTRICTION BEING THAT THE PRESS HAS BEEN ASKED TO REPORT THE ANSWERS WITHOUT QUOTATION MARKS. THE SAME RULE APPLIES AT NEWS CONFERENCES HELD BY THE PRESIDENT AND SECRETARY OF STATE.

TODAY'S AMERICAN HISTORY-MAKER IS ESTABLISHED PRACTICE IN BRITAIN, CANADA AND SOME OTHER COUNTRIES WHERE CABINET OFFICERS ARE ALSO MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE BODY AND ARE QUESTIONED FROM THE FLOOR. SENATOR KEFAUVER (D-TENN) HAS ADVOCATED ADOPTION OF THE IDEA.

ALL MEMBERS OF CONGRESS WERE INVITED TO HEAR AND QUESTION ACHESON IN THE AUDITORIUM OF THE LIBRARY. IT WAS HERE THAT GENERAL GEORGE C. MARSHALL HELD CLOSED DOOR SESSIONS WITH MEMBERS OF CONGRESS DURING THE WAR.

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WASHINGTON,MAY 31-(AP)-SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON INTRODUCED SOMETHING NEW IN CONGRESSIONAL HISTORY TODAY BY SUBMITTING TO PUBLIC QUESTIONING BY THE LAWMAKERS AT A SPECIAL SENATE-HOUSE MEETING.
SENATE AND HOUSE MEMBERS, HOWEVER, WEREN'T EXACTLY BURSTING WITH QUESTIONS AFTER ACHESON'S FOREIGN POLICY REPORT.
ONLY THREE REPUBLICAN SENATORS--CAIN (WASH), KNOWLAND (CALIF) AND TOBEY (NH)--POSED ANY QUERIES WHILE ABOUT 14 QUESTIONS WERE POPPED BY HOUSE MEMBERS.
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(450) NIGHT LEAD COMMUNISTS
WASHINGTON,MAY 31-(AP)-ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL JAMES M. MCINERNEY TODAY DENIED REPORTS THAT GOVERNMENT PAPERS SEIZED IN THE AMERASIA CASE SHOWED THE WARTIME DISPOSITION OF U.S. WARSHIPS IN THE PACIFIC.
MCINERNEY SAID HE WAS "THOROUGHLY FAMILIAR" WITH THE 900 OR SO DOCUMENTS FEDERAL AGENTS RECOVERED FIVE YEARS AGO FROM AMERASIA MAGAZINE'S OFFICES, AND HE TOLD REPORTERS THAT NONE OF THEM DEALT WITH NAVY PLANS OR ANY "TOP SECRETS."
THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL ALSO DECLARED THAT ONLY ABOUT THREE PER CENT OF THE PAPERS "HAD ANY RELATIONSHIP TO NATIONAL DEFENSE."
MCINERNEY GAVE THAT REPORT IN COMMENTING ON A STATEMENT OF SENATOR HICKENLOOPER (R-IOWA) THAT THE 1945 RAIDS ON AMERASIA PRODUCED "DOCUMENTS OF GREAT IMPORTANCE BETWEEN OUR STATE DEPARTMENT AND ITS FOREIGN REPRESENTATIVES."
HICKENLOOPER ALSO SAID IN AN INTERVIEW IN MASON CITY,IOWA THAT THE FEDERAL MEN FOUND OFFICIAL PAPERS "GIVING THE GENERAL LOCATION OF FLEET UNITS SUCH AS SUBMARINES."
ASSERTING THAT ATTEMPTS HAVE BEEN MADE TO "COVER UP" THE AMERASIA CASE," HICKENLOOPER ADDED THAT IT IS AN "INTENSELY VITAL CASE" WHICH CAN'T BE "POOH-POOHED."
THE IOWAN IS A MEMBER OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE WHICH IS INVESTIGATING CHARGES BY SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT IS A COMMUNIST HAVEN AND THAT THE AMERASIA CASE IS THE "KEY TO THE FIFTH COLUMN" HE CONTENDS OPERATES IN THE DEPARTMENT.
MCINERNEY TALKED WITH NEWSMEN AFTER SITTING IN ON A CLOSED-DOOR SESSION OF THE COMMITTEE WHICH HEARD TESTIMONY OF FBI AGENTS WHO TOOK PART IN THE RAIDS ON THE AMERASIA OFFICES.
THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL, WHO IS CHIEF OF THE CRIMINAL PROSECUTION DIVISION, ALSO DENIED OTHER PUBLISHED REPORTS THAT THE AMERASIA FILE CONTAINED THESE DOCUMENTS:
1. A TOP SECRET MESSAGE FROM THE LATE PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT TO GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK.
2. U.S. NAVY INTELLIGENCE PLANS FOR COUNTER-ESPIONAGE--A SERIES OF DOCUMENTS REPORTEDLY DISTRIBUTED TO 14 NAVAL DISTRICT COMMANDERS.
3. A PAPER, PURPORTEDLY OVER THE SIGNATURE OF FORMER SECRETARY OF STATE CORDELL HULL, WHICH WAS DESCRIBED AS REGARDING AMERASIA MAGAZINE AS A VERITABLE BIBLE OF U.S. FAR EASTERN POLICY.
MCCARTHY, COMMENTING ON MCINERNEY'S REMARKS, DECLARED:
"I KNOW BEYOND THE SLIGHTEST SHADOW OF A DOUBT THAT NOT ONLY THOSE DOCUMENTS BUT OTHER DOCUMENTS EQUALLY IMPORTANT IN THE AMERASIA CASE ARE IN THE POSSESSION OF THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT."
SENATOR TYDINGS (D-MD), WHO HEADS THE COMMUNIST PROBE GROUP, REFUSED TO COMMENT DIRECTLY ON HICKENLOOPER'S STATEMENT, BUT HE SAID "IT'S TOO BAD SENATOR HICKENLOOPER HASN'T HEARD ALL THE TESTIMONY."
HICKENLOOPER DECLINED COMMENT ON EITHER MCINERNEY'S OR TYDINGS REMARKS BEYOND SAYING THAT HE HAD OBTAINED HIS INFORMATION "FROM COUNSEL."
ON THAT POINT NEWSMEN QUESTIONED TYDINGS AS TO WHETHER ROBERT MORRIS, REPUBLICAN-APPOINTED ASSISTANT COUNSEL OF THE COMMITTEE, HAD FURNISHED THE DATA TO HICKENLOOPER.
TYDINGS REPLIED THAT MORRIS "IS SUPPOSED TO BE WORKING FOR THE FULL COMMITTEE" BUT THAT APPARENTLY HE HAD NOT DONE SO IN THIS CASE. HE REFUSED TO SAY WHETHER THIS MATTER HAD BEEN TAKEN UP WITH MORRIS. MORRIS WAS NOT AVAILABLE FOR COMMENT.
TYDINGS ALSO SAID THE COMMITTEE HAD REACHED NO DECISION ON MCCARTHY'S DEMAND THAT THE SIX PERSONS ARRESTED IN THE AMERASIA CASE BE CALLED TO TESTIFY BEFORE THE PROBE GROUP.
BUT EDWARD MORGAN, THE COMMITTEE'S CHIEF COUNSEL, SAID LATER THE GROUP IS TRYING TO ARRANGE TO TAKE TESTIMONY BEHIND CLOSED DOORS NEXT MONDAY FROM EMMANUEL S.LARSEN, FORMER STATE DEPARTMENT EMPLOYE WHO WAS ONE OF THE SIX PERSONS ARRESTED. MORGAN SAID TESTIMONY FROM THE OTHER FIVE WOULD BE TAKEN AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.
LARSEN PLEADED NO DEFENSE AND WAS FINED $500. PHILIP JAFFE, EDITOR OF THE NOW DEFUNCT MAGAZINE ALSO WAS FINED $2,500.
THE OTHER PERSONS ARRESTED IN THE CASE WERE JOHN S.SERVICE, VETERAN CAREER OFFICER IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT WHOSE LOYALTY RECORD IS NOW UNDER REVIEW; ANDREW ROTH, A LIEUTENANT IN NAVAL INTELLIGENCE, MARK GAYN, A MAGAZINE WRITER, AND MISS KATE MITCHELL, CO-EDITOR OF AMERASIA.
A FEDERAL GRAND JURY REFUSED TO INDICT SERVICE, GAYN AND MISS MITCHELL, AND THE CHARGES AGAINST ROTH WERE DROPPED.
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(200) (NY RELAY)
WASHINGTON,MAY 31-(AP)-THE ARMY ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT TEN AUSTRIAN JOURNALISTS ARRIVING TOMORROW TO STUDY AMERICAN JOURNALISTIC METHODS AND OBSERVE A DEMOCRATIC PRESS IN ACTION WILL VISIT THE ASSOCIATED PRESS AND A NUMBER OF LARGE DAILY NEWSPAPERS DURING THEIR STAY.
ARRIVING IN NEW YORK AT 9 A.M. TOMORROW ABOARD THE GENERAL ROSE, THE GROUP WILL TOUR THE NEW YORK TIMES ON FRIDAY, JUNE 2, AND BE GUESTS OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS IN NEW YORK DURING THE AFTERNOON OF MONDAY JUNE 5.
WHILE IN NEW YORK, THE AUSTRIAN JOURNALISTS ALSO WILL VISIT RADIO CITY MUSIC HALL, THE UNITED NATIONS, THE OVERSEAS PRESS CLUB, ROCKEFELLER CENTER, AND BE GUESTS OF MEMBERS OF NEW YORK'S AUSTRIAN COLONY.
THEY WILL ARRIVE IN WASHINGTON TUESDAY JUNE 6, AND VISIT MOUNT VERNON, CONGRESS AND OTHER PLACES OF INTEREST. ON JUNE 9 THEY WILL DEPART FOR COLUMBIA,MO., TO RECEIVE INSTRUCTION AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI, SPONSOR OF THE VENTURE.
THE ARMY SAID THE GROUP PLANS TO VISIT THE FOLLOWING NEWSPAPERS DURING THE PERIODS INDICATED:
DES MOINES REGISTER AND TRIBUNE, JUNE 18 TO JULY 1.
KANSAS CITY STAR AND TIMES, JULY 2 TO 15.
ST.LOUIS STAR-TIMES. JULY 16 TO 29.

MEMPHIS COMMERCIAL APPEAL, JULY 30 TO AUGUST 12.
CLEVELAND NEWS AND CLEVELAND PLAIN DEALER, AUGUST 13 TO 26.
WASHINGTON POST, AUGUST 27 TO SEPTEMBER 9.
THEY WILL RETURN TO THE UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI ON SEPTEMBER 11 AND REMAIN THERE UNTIL THEY DEPART FOR AUSTRIA ON SEPTEMBER 24.

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WASHINGTON,MAY 31-(AP)-THE TOP UNITED STATES GROUP ON FOREIGN FINANCIAL MATTERS SAID TODAY THE WORLD MONETARY FUND SHOULD TIGHTEN UP ON DOLLAR AID TO ITS 47 MEMBER COUNTRIES.

THE FUND WAS URGED TO SET CONDITIONS SPECIFICALLY REQUIRING RETURN OF THE DOLLAR "WITHIN A FEW YEARS." PRESENT REPAYMENT ARRANGEMENTS WERE HELD TO BE TOO INDEFINITE.

THE CABINET-LEVEL NATIONAL ADVISORY COUNCIL DELIVERED A SPECIAL REPORT TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND CONGRESS WHICH ALSO:

1. HINTED--WITHOUT PREDICTING--THAT A FURTHER DEVALUATION OF FOREIGN CURRENCIES MAY BE REQUIRED AS U.S. CASH GRANTS DECLINE WITH THE MARSHALL PLAN MOVING TO ITS SCHEDULED END IN 1952.

2. DECLARED FUND MEMBERS IN EUROPE AND ELSEWHERE SHOULD MAKE GREATER EFFORTS TO GET RID OF THE RESTRICTIONS THEY NOW IMPOSE ON TRADE AND MONEY-EXCHANGE TRANSACTIONS.

COUNCIL MEMBERS SIGNING THE REPORT INCLUDED SECRETARY OF TREASURY SNYDER, THE CHAIRMAN; SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON AND FOREIGN AID ADMINISTRATOR PAUL G.HOFFMAN.

THE COUNCIL'S SHARP COMMENTS ON THE FUND'S PROGRESS TOWARD THE OBJECTIVES FOR WHICH IT WAS SET UP AT THE 1944 BRETTON WOODS (NEW HAMPSHIRE) CONFERENCE CONTRASTED WITH COUNCIL REMARKS ABOUT THE WORLD BANK.

THE BANK, WHICH DIFFERS FROM THE RELATED FUND IN THAT IT GETS CAPITAL FROM PRIVATE INVESTORS AS WELL AS FROM GOVERNMENT SUBSCRIPTIONS, WAS CREDITED WITH "CONSIDERABLE PROGRESS."

BUT THE FUND WAS ADVISED THAT IT MUST BE STRICTER ON APPLICANTS FOR DOLLAR-AID LEST AID-SEEKING COUNTRIES EXHAUST THE $2,760,000,000 IN GOLD AND DOLLARS LEFT IN THE FUND.

AND THE COUNCIL DECLARED THE "SLOW RATE OF PROGRESS" IN THE FUND'S EFFORTS TO REDUCE TRADE AND MONEY-EXCHANGE RESTRICTIONS "HAS BEEN A DISAPPOINTMENT," EVEN RECOGNIZING THE "SPECIAL DIFFICULTIES" BEYOND CONTROL OF THE FUND ORGANIZATION.

THE FUND IS HEADED BY BELGIUM'S CAMILLE GUTT, THE BANK BY EUGENE BLACK OF THE UNITED STATES.

THE COUNCIL SAID THAT WHILE THE FUND "WAS NOT INTENDED TO PROVIDE LONG-TERM LOANS," UNDER PRESENT CONDITIONS THE DOLLAR AID IT FURNISHES IS "PRACTICALLY EQUIVALENT TO AN UNSECURED LOAN WITH NO VERY PRECISE CONDITIONS FOR REPAYMENT."

THE FUND HAS ADVANCED OVER $750,000,000 TO 19 MEMBERS, WITH BRITAIN GETTING $300,000,000, FRANCE $125,000,000, AND INDIA $100,000,000.

TECHNICALLY, THE FUND "SELLS" THESE COUNTRIES U.S. DOLLARS IN EXCHANGE FOR A SUPPOSEDLY EQUIVALENT VALUE IN THEIR MONEY, WITH AN UNDERSTANDING THE COUNTRY WILL "BUY BACK" ITS MONEY WITH GOLD OR DOLLARS WHENEVER IT GETS ENOUGH OF THE LATTER.

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WASHINGTON,MAY 31-(AP)-THE NAVY SAID TODAY THAT THE PRIVATEER PATROL PLANE SHOT DOWN BY RUSSIAN FIGHTERS APRIL 8 MUST HAVE EXPLODED BEFORE HITTING THE BALTIC SEA MORE THAN 30 MILES FROM LIBAU,LATVIA.

LT.CMDR.M.W.CAGLE SAID NAVY EXPERTS DREW THIS CONCLUSION FROM AN EXAMINATION OF THE INFLATED NOSE WHEEL TIRE AND HYDRAULIC ASSEMBLY.

THE 380-POUND LANDING GEAR WAS FOUND BY A SWEDISH SALMON FISHERMAN ON APRIL 26, 48 MILES SOUTHWEST OF LIBAU. CAGLE SAID BALTIC CURRENTS IN APRIL WOULD HAVE CAUSED THE WRECKAGE TO DRIFT ABOUT ONE MILE A DAY.

THE LANDING GEAR AND TIRE SHOWN TO REPORTERS, SHOWED NO SIGNS OF BULLET MARKS. BUT CAGLE SAID THAT THE HYDRAULIC LOWERING AND RAISING MECHANISM WAS "DEFINITELY JAMMED IN A RETRACTED POSITION," WHERE IT WOULD HAVE BEEN DURING FLIGHT.

HE SAID AN EXPLOSION PROBABLY CAUSED THE BIG PLANE TO GO INTO A SHARP SPIN THAT COULD HAVE SHEARED OFF THE LANDING GEAR.

THE NOSE WHEEL IS THE THIRD PIECE OF WRECKAGE FOUND IN THE BALTIC AND IDENTIFIED WITH THE MISSING AMERICAN PLANE. ATTACHED TO THE LANDING GEAR IS A METAL PLATE INDICATING THAT IT BELONGED TO THE PRIVATEER AND SHOWING THAT IT WAS OVERHAULED AT CORPUS CHRISTI,TEX., ABOUT A YEAR AGO.

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(240) RUSSIA-CHILDREN

WASHINGTON,MAY 31-(AP)-BY ASKING A QUESTION, THE UNITED STATES TOOK NOTE TODAY THAT THE SOVIET WORLD WILL OBSERVE "INTERNATIONAL CHILDREN'S DAY" TOMORROW. THE QUESTION: WHAT ABOUT THOSE 19,000 GREEK CHILDREN?

THE GREEK YOUNGSTERS WERE TAKEN FROM THEIR HOMES DURING THE COMMUNIST GUERRILLA FIGHTING IN GREECE AND ARE NOW SCATTERED THROUGH THE BALKANS AND EASTERN EUROPE. GREECE, WITH THE HELP OF THE WESTERN POWERS, HAS BEEN TRYING THROUGH THE UNITED NATIONS TO GET THEM RETURNED TO THEIR HOMES.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCED THAT A NOTE DELIVERED TO THE UN BY AMBASSADOR WARREN R.AUSTIN EXPRESSED "CONCERN AND DISAPPOINTMENT" AT THE FAILURE OF THE COMMUNIST COUNTRIES TO RESPOND TO UN RESOLUTIONS URGING COOPERATION WITH THE INTERNATIONAL RED CROSS ON THE ISSUE.

AUSTIN DELIVERED THE NOTE YESTERDAY TO SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE. HE ASKED THAT THE NOTE BE FORWARDED TO ALL UN MEMBERS AND TO NON-MEMBERS BULGARIA, HUNGARY AND ROMANIA.

RECALLING THAT THURSDAY IS SOVIET-SPONSORED "INTERNATIONAL CHILDREN'S DAY," THE U.S. NOTE SAID:

"IT IS TO BE HOPED THAT THE COUNTRIES OF EASTERN EUROPE, IN PROCLAIMING THEIR CONCERN FOR THE RIGHTS OF CHILDREN, WILL BE REMINDED OF THE RIGHT OF THE GREEK CHILDREN INVOLUNTARILY IN THEIR MIDST TO RETURN TO THE JOY OF LIVING IN THEIR OWN COUNTRY AS WELL AS THE RIGHT OF GREEK MOTHERS TO EXERCISE THEIR RESPONSIBILITIES FOR THE WELFARE AND UPBRINGING OF THE CHILDREN THEY LABORED TO BRING INTO THE WORLD."

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WITH WASHINGTON-COMMUNISTS
MASON CITY,IA., MAY 31-(AP)-SENATOR HICKENLOOPER (R-IA) SAID TODAY THAT GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS SPECIFYING WARTIME LOCATIONS OF AMERICAN FLEET UNITS WERE AMONG ITEMS SEIZED IN 1945 RAIDS ON THE NEW YORK OFFICE OF THE MAGAZINE, AMERASIA.

HICKENLOOPER MADE THE ASSERTION IN A TELEPHONE INTERVIEW COVERING WHAT HE CALLED "THE VITAL IMPORTANCE OF THE CURRENT INVESTIGATION OF THE AMERASIA AFFAIR."

THE SENATOR IS A MEMBER OF A SENATE INVESTIGATING SUBCOMMITTEE WHICH IS PROBING CHARGES THAT COMMUNISTS ARE WORKING IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

AMERASIA'S OFFICES WERE RAIDED TWICE IN 1945--FIRST BY AGENTS OF THE OFFICE OF STRATEGIC SERVICES AND NEXT BY THE FBI.

"IN THESE RAIDS THEY FOUND DOCUMENTS OF GREAT IMPORTANCE BETWEEN OUR STATE DEPARTMENT AND ITS FOREIGN REPRESENTATIVES," HICKENLOOPER SAID. "THEY FOUND IMPORTANT WAR PLANS. THEY FOUND DOCUMENTS GIVING THE GENERAL LOCATION OF FLEET UNITS SUCH AS SUBMARINES."

THE SENATOR SAID THIS INFORMATION HAD COME TO HIM VERY RECENTLY IN CONNECTION WITH HIS WORK AS ONE OF THE MEMBERS OF THE SENATE INVESTIGATING GROUP. HE SAID INFORMATION IN THE DOCUMENTS PRIMARILY CONCERNED THE AMERICAN NAVY'S DEPLOYMENT IN THE PACIFIC IN 1944.

"IT WAS VITALLY IMPORTANT INFORMATION AT THE TIME," HICKENLOOPER SAID.

"SOMEBODY HAS REMARKED THAT ALL THIS TALK ABOUT AMERASIA IS TEACUP GOSSIP. IT DOESN'T SOUND LIKE TEACUP GOSSIP TO ME--IT'S TOO VITAL."

THE SENATOR SAID ATTEMPTS HAVE BEEN MADE TO "COVER UP THE AMERASIA CASE."

"IT IS AN INTENSELY VITAL CASE," HE SAID. "IT CAN'T BE POOH-POOHED."

THE SENATOR IS IN IOWA WHERE HE IS A CANDIDATE FOR RENOMINATION IN THE JUNE 5 STATE PRIMARY.

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A190WX (SHORT, HOLIDAY, BJT)
WASHINGTON, MAY 31-(AP)-MORE THAN 153,000 DISPLACED PERSONS HAVE ENTERED THE UNITED STATES THUS FAR UNDER THE LEGISLATION PERMITTING THIS IMMIGRATION OF WAR REFUGEES.

THE DP COMMISSION GAVE THIS ESTIMATE TODAY IN NOTING THAT 145,000 OF THESE MUST FILE INDIVIDUAL REPORTS ON THEIR RESIDENCE AND EMPLOYMENT BY JULY 1.
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WASHINGTON, MAY 31-(AP)-RUSSIA NOTIFIED THE UNITED STATES TODAY IT WILL HAVE TO WAIT AT LEAST FIVE MONTHS MORE BEFORE GETTING BACK TWO LEND-LEASE ICEBREAKERS.

THE TWO VESSELS ARE STUCK IN ARCTIC ICE, SOVIET CHARGE D'AFFAIRES VLADIMIR BAZYKIN, TOLD UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE JAMES E. WEBB.
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AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE
WASHINGTON, MAY 31-(AP)-CONGRESS GAVE ITS BLESSING TODAY ON THE COURTSHIP OF HAROLD THURSTON OF COLUMBIA, MO., AND MISS TAEKO SUZUKI OF YOKOHAMA, JAPAN.

THE SENATE APPROVED A HOUSE-PASSED BILL WHICH WOULD PERMIT 24-YEAR-OLD TAEKO TO ENTER THE UNITED STATES AS THURSTON'S WIFE.

THE LAST BARRIER TO THEIR MARRAIGE WOULD BE REMOVED BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S SIGNATURE ON THE BILL.

THURSTON MET MISS SUZUKI AFTER THE END OF THE WAR IN 1945. HE RETURNED HOME AND WAS HONORABLY DISCHARGED--BUT CONTINUED TO WRITE HER. AND THEN IN 1948 HE RETURNED TO JAPAN AS A CIVILIAN EMPLOYE OF THE ARMY AND RESUMED THE COURTSHIP.

THURSTON IS THE SON OF MR. AND MRS.HOMER THURSTON, 1413 HINKSON AVE., COLUMBIA, MO.
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SECOND NIGHT LEAD FINANCE CENTER
WASHINGTON,MAY 31-(AP)-HOUSE INVESTIGATORS HEARD TODAY THAT GOVERNMENT OFFICES WERE USED TO HANDLE ACTIVITIES OF AN ASSOCIATION OF ARMY OFFICERS ORGANIZED TO OBTAIN GROUP INSURANCE FOR SERVICE MEN.

MAJ.GEN.LOUIS A.CRAIG, ARMY INSPECTOR GENERAL, TESTIFIED THAT MAJ. GEN.WILLIAM H.KASTEN, FORMER ARMY FINANCE CHIEF, USED GOVERNMENT FACILITIES IN SETTING UP THE ASSOCIATION.

CRAIG AND COL.ROSSER HUNTER, DEPUTY INSPECTOR GENERAL, WERE QUESTIONED ABOUT THE "INSURANCE BUSINESS" BY A HOUSE ARMED SERVICES SUBCOMMITTEE TRYING TO LEARN WHAT USE, IF ANY, WAS MADE OF GOVERNMENT PROPERTY IN FORMING THE ASSOCIATION.

THE SUBCOMMITTEE BROADENED AN INVESTIGATION OF ALLEGED IRREGULARITIES AT THE ARMY FINANCE CENTER IN ST.LOUIS TO COVER THE ASSOCIATION.

CRAIG SAID HIS OFFICE HAD MADE A THROUGH INVESTIGATION OF THE ARMED FORCES MUTUAL BENEFIT ASSOCIATION OF THIS CITY AND HAD RECOMMENDED THAT MAJ.GEN.WILLIAM H.KASTEN, NOW RETIRED, BE CENSURED BECAUSE "AN ARMY OFFICER ON ACTIVE DUTY IS NOT EXPECTED TO DEVOTE TIME TO ANY ACTIVITY THAT INTERFERES WITH HIS ARMY DUTIES."

A HOUSE CIVIL SERVICE SUBCOMMITTEE, WHICH ALSO HAS BEEN INVESTIGATING THE ST.LOUIS FINANCE CENTER, SAID IN A RECENT REPORT THAT FOR MORE THAN TWO YEARS BEFORE HE RETIRED AS CHIEF OF FINANCE FOR THE ARMY, GEN.KASTEN MANAGED THE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION. AFTER HE RETIRED, HE BECAME ITS GENERAL MANAGER. THE ASSOCIATION OFFICES ARE NOW LOCATED IN A DOWNTOWN OFFICE BUILDING HERE.

CRAIG SAID TODAY THAT ARMY PERSONNEL WAS USED "TO A VERY LIMITED DEGREE" IN CONNECTION WITH THE ASSOCIATION'S ACTIVITY. FOR A SHORT TIME, HE ADDED, KASTEN GOT ADVANCE NOTICE OF OFFICERS BEING TRANSFERRED.

HE SAID THERE HAD BEEN AN ALLEGATION THAT A MAILING LIST WAS PREPARED FOR THE ASSOCIATION AT THE FINANCE OFFICE, BUT INVESTIGATION

FAILED TO LOCATE ANY SUCH LIST.

CRAIG SAID THE ADVANCE NOTICE OF OFFICER TRANSFERS INVOLVING "NO SERIOUS IRREGULARITY," BUT THAT THE PRACTICE WAS STOPPED.

CRAIG DESCRIBED THE ASSOCIATION AS A PRIVATELY-OPERATED ORGANIZATION "USEFUL TO THE ARMY." HE SAID ITS PURPOSE WAS TO PROVIDE GROUP INSURANCE TO OFFICERS AT FAVORABLE RATES.

COL.HUNTER SAID THE PRESENT CHIEF OF FINANCE, MAJ.GEN.E.M.FOSTER, IS VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE ASSOCIATION. THE PRESIDENT IS AN AIR FORCE OFFICER AND ALL DIRECTORS ARE OFFICERS ON ACTIVE DUTY. MEMBERSHIP IS OPEN TO OFFICERS IN ALL BRANCHES.

HUNTER SAID THE ASSOCIATION WAS NOT CHARTERED AS AN INSURANCE COMPANY. HE ADDED THE INSURANCE, STRAIGHT LIFE, IS ISSUED BY THE EQUITABLE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.

A STAFF REPRESENTATIVE OF THE COMMITTEE ASKED IF THE ASSOCIATION WAS NOT A WAY TO BRING TOGETHER OFFICERS, SCATTERED ALL OVER THE WORLD, SO THAT THEY MIGHT GET THE BENEFIT OF "GROUP RATE" INSURANCE.

"THAT IS CORRECT," HUNTER REPLIED.

HUNTER SAID HE DID NOT KNOW HOW THE ASSOCIATION GOT STARTED. BUT THAT IT WAS TALKED ABOUT FOR SOME TIME AS RESERVE OFFICERS ORDERED OVERSEAS WERE UNABLE TO GET STRAIGHT LIFE INSURANCE WITHOUT, HE BELIEVED, HAVING TO PAY EXTRA.

REP. ELSTON (R-OHIO) ASKED HUNTER TO GET EXACT INFORMATION AS TO WHAT USE WAS MADE OF GOVERNMENT PROPERTY DURING THE FORMULATIVE PERIOD OF THE ASSOCIATION.

EARLIER, THE SUBCOMMITTEE HEARD GEN. CRAIG TESTIFY THAT A WOMAN EMPLOYE OF THE ST. LOUIS FINANCE CENTER WAS SEARCHED AT LEAST TWICE WITHOUT FINDING ANYTHING TO IMPLICATE HER IN AN ALLEGED ATTEMPT TO TAKE 800 UNCLAIMED ALLOTMENT CHECKS OUT OF THE CENTER. THE WOMAN HAS BEEN IDENTIFIED PREVIOUSLY BY THE INVESTIGATORS AS MISS BURDELLA EADDY.

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MRS. SALLY DEWEY, A FORMER EMPLOYE AT THE CENTER, HAD ACCUSED MISS EADDY, WHO STILL WORKS THERE, OF TRYING TO TAKE A PACKAGE OF UNCASHED CHECKS OUT OF THE CENTER. MISS EADDY HAS DENIED THE CHARGE TO GOVERNMENT INVESTIGATORS. THE INCIDENT OCCURRED MORE THAN TWO YEARS AGO.

GEN. CRAIG ALSO READ TO THE COMMITTEE A STATEMENT BY BRIG. GEN. E.J. BEAN, COMMANDING OFFICER AT THE FINANCE CENTER, DENYING THAT HE FAILED TO COOPERATE WITH INVESTIGATORS FROM THE GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE (GAO).

GEORGE KETTERING, A GAO INVESTIGATOR, HAS TESTIFIED THAT BEAN FIRST WITHHELD A REPORT DEALING WITH THE ALLEGED CHECK INCIDENT. IN HIS STATEMENT TODAY BEAN DENIED HE HAD ANY INFORMATION IN HIS SAFE ABOUT THIS.

THE REST OF TODAY'S HEARING WAS DEVOTED TO QUESTIONING ABOUT AN ALLEGED MISSING, SECRET REPORT ON AN INVESTIGATION BY CAPT. CHARLES VICTOR, A CRIMINAL INTELLIGENCE DIVISION OFFICER. GEN. CRAIG TESTIFIED HIS INVESTIGATION HAD FAILED TO TURN UP ANY REPORT BY VICTOR ON THE ALLEGED CHECK INCIDENT, ALTHOUGH "CAPT. VICTOR BELIEVES THAT SUCH A REPORT WAS MADE."

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(260) WASHINGTON,MAY 31-(AP)-YUKIO OZAKI, 93-YEAR-OLD JAPANESE LAWMAKER AND DONOR OF WASHINGTON'S FAMOUS CHERRY TREES, ARRIVED TODAY FOR A NINE DAY VISIT.

ASKED IF HE WANTED TO SEE THE NOW FULL GROWN TREES THAT WERE SAPLINGS WHEN HE SENT THEM TO WASHINGTON IN 1912, OZAKI REPLIED:

"OF COURSE, BUT I AM TOO LATE TO SEE THE BLOSSOMS THIS YEAR. WHEN I AM 100 YEARS OLD I SHALL RETURN TO SEE THEM IN BLOSSOM."

OZAKI, OFTEN REFERRED TO AS THE DEAN OF THE WORLD'S POLITICIANS, IS ON A GOOD WILL VISIT TO THE U.S. UNDER THE SPONSORSHIP OF THE AMERICAN COUNCIL ON JAPAN, PRIVATE ORGANIZATION INTERESTED IN BETTER U.S. JAPAN RELATIONS.

REFERRING TO THE JAPANESE COMMUNIST ATTACKS ON FIVE U.S. SOLDIERS IN TOKYO YESTERDAY, OZAKI SAID, "I EXPECTED IT. I WARNED THE DIET (LEGISLATURE) THREE MONTHS AGO IT WAS COMING."

HE SAID THE U.S. OCCUPATION OF JAPAN "SHOULD CONTINUE INDEFINITELY, BUT ON THE REQUEST OF THE JAPANESE, NOT AS A RESULT OF AMERICAN POLICY."

"I SEE NOTHING IN JAPAN AT PRESENT TO INDICATE OUR GOVERNMENT WILL ASK THE U.S. FORCES TO REMAIN THERE, BUT THIS MAY COME LATER. IF THE AMERICANS WITHDRAW THERE WILL BE DISORDERS THROUGHOUT THE WHOLE OF JAPAN."

WHILE HERE, OZAKI SAID, "I HOPE TO SEE PRESIDENT TRUMAN," BUT INDICATED HE HAD NO WHITE HOUSE APPOINTMENT AS YET.

OZAKI IS ACCOMPANIED BY HIS DAUGHTER, MRS. YUKIKA SOMA; HIS SON, YUKITERU OZAKI, AND A SECRETARY AND NURSE. HE HAS BEEN IN NEW YORK SINCE MAY 18 AND WAS ALSO ACCOMPANIED HERE BY EUGENE DOOMAN, FORMER COUNSELLOR OF THE U.S. EMBASSY IN TOKYO AND NOW VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE AMERICAN COUNCIL ON JAPAN. MR.DOOMAN LIVES AT LITCHFIELD, CONN.

DESPITE HIS AGE, MR.OZAKI WALKED BRISKLY FROM THE TRAIN, AND HELD HIS IMPROMPTU PRESS CONFERENCE WHILE STANDING IN THE STATION LOBBY BEFORE CLIMBING INTO AN AUTOMOBILE TO GO TO HIS HOTEL.

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WASHINGTON,MAY 31-(AP)-MEMBERS OF THE ATLANTIC UNION COMMITTEE FROM 25 STATES BUTTONHOLED SENATORS TODAY IN SUPPORT OF A DRIVE FOR A SENATE VOTE ON THE ISSUE OF AMERICAN SPONSORSHIP OF AN ATLANTIC FEDERATION OF DEMOCRATIC COUNTRIES.

THE LOBBYING EXPEDITION WAS PRELIMINARY TO A TWO-DAY MEETING HERE OF THE VOLUNTARY COMMITTEE HEADED BY OWEN J.ROBERTS, FORMER ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT.

THE PENDING RESOLUTION WOULD INSTRUCT PRESIDENT TRUMAN TO INVITE OTHER MEMBERS OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC ALLIANCE TO SEND DELEGATES TO A MEETING TO EXPLORE THE POSSIBILITY OF FORMING A FEDERAL UNION OF NATIONS WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE UNITED NATIONS. INTRODUCED BY SENATOR KEFAUVER (D-TENN), IT HAS BEEN STALLED IN A SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE SINCE HEARINGS WERE HELD IN FEBRUARY.

KEFAUVER AND SENATOR GILLETTE (D-IOWA) WILL ADDRESS THE CONFERENCE TOMORROW.

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A105WX
(240) DISPLACED PERSONS
WASHINGTON,MAY 31-(AP)-SENATE-HOUSE CONFEREES WHO HAVE BEEN TUSSLING FOR WEEKS OVER DISPLACED PERSONS LEGISLATION REACHED FINAL AGREEMENT TODAY ON A COMPROMISE BILL BOOSTING THE QUOTA TOTAL TO 340,000.
SENATOR FERGUSON (R-MICH), A MEMBER OF THE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE, SAID THE MEASURE WILL BE REPORTED OUT TOMORROW FOR FURTHER ACTION BY THE SENATE AND HOUSE WHICH EARLIER HAD APPROVED VARYING BILLS.
UNDER THE COMPROMISE PROVISIONS THE DP ACT WOULD BE EXTENDED ANOTHER YEAR BEYOND THE JUNE 30 EXPIRATION DATE AND THE TOTAL OF THOSE RULED ELIGIBLE FOR ADMISSION TO THIS COUNTRY WOULD BE RAISED FROM 205,000 TO 340,000. THIS INCLUDES THE 150,000 HOMELESS EUROPEANS WHO ALREADY HAVE BEEN GRANTED HAVEN HERE.
THE ORIGINAL HOUSE BILL WHICH WAS APPROVED LAST YEAR CALLED FOR THE ADMISSION OF 339,000 REFUGEES, WHILE THE SENATE MEASURE ADOPTED IN APRIL PROVIDED FOR A TOTAL OF 359,000.
THE MAJOR CHANGE WORKED OUT BY THE CONFERENCE GROUP CONCERNED THE ADMISSION OF THE SO-CALLED GERMAN EXPELLEES--PEOPLE OF GERMAN ORIGIN WHO WERE ORDERED OUT OF SUCH COUNTRIES AS CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND ROMANIA UNDER THE POTSDAM AGREEMENT.
FERGUSON SAID THE COMPROMISE BILL PROVIDES FOR THE ENTRY OF 54,000 OF THE GERMAN EXPELLEES UNDER REGULAR IMMIGRATION RULES, WITH 10,000 OF THEM CHARGED AGAINST THE GERMAN-AUSTRIAN QUOTAS. THE REMAINDER ARE TO BE CHARGED AGAINST THE QUOTAS OF THE COUNTRIES OF ORIGIN.
THE CONFERENCE GROUP ALSO ALTERED THE PROVISIONS FOR ADMISSION OF 10,000 ORPHANS TO PERMIT THE ENTRY OF 5,000 UP TO THE AGE OF 12 AND 5,000 UP TO THE AGE OF 16. UNDER THE ORIGINAL DP ACT THE AGE LIMIT WAS SET AT 16 YEARS FOR THE FULL 10,000.
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AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE
WASHINGTON, MAY 31-(AP)-A RESOLUTION TO COMMEND THE AUTHORITIES AND THE PEOPLE OF THE WEST BERLIN, GERMANY, SECTOR FOR AVOIDING TROUBLE DURING THE WHITSUNDAY COMMUNIST DEMONSTRATIONS WAS INTRODUCED TODAY BY SENATOR ECTON (R-MONT).
THE RESOLUTION WOULD EXPRESS THE SENATE'S APPRECIATION TO MAJ.GEN. MAXWELL D.TAYLOR, MAYOR ERNST REUTHER AND THE PEOPLE OF WEST BERLIN FOR A "SERVICE RENDERED THIS COUNTRY AND THE FREE PEOPLES OF ALL NATIONS."
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A43PX
NIGHT LEAD GOLD
BY RUSSELL LANDSTROM
PHILADELPHIA,MAY 31-(AP)-HARRY GOLD, 39-YEAR-OLD BIOCHEMIST ACCUSED OF DIVULGING ATOM BOMB SECRETS TO RUSSIA, TOLD A FEDERAL JUDGE TODAY HE INTENDED TO PLEAD GUILTY--BUT "NOT TO THE CHARGE OF MEANING TO HURT THE UNITED STATES."
U.S.DISTRICT JUDGE JAMES E.MCGRANERY DISCLOSED TO NEWSMEN THAT GOLD TOLD HIM HE WOULD PLEAD GUILTY INSTEAD TO ACTING AS A COURIER FOR A RUSSIAN ATOM BOMB SPY RING."
"I SAID THAT BEFORE," THE JUDGE QUOTED HIM AS SAYING, "AND I'M STICKING TO IT. I HAD NO INTENTION OF HURTING MY COUNTRY."
JUDGE MCGRANERY SAID GOLD MADE THE STATEMENT TO HIM IN A BRIEF CONFERENCE DURING WHICH THE DEFENDANT ASKED THE COURT TO APPOINT COUNSEL FOR HIM.
"GOLD SAID HE WANTS THE RIGHT TO CONTINUE TO COOPERATE WITH THE FBI AND THAT HE WILL INSIST UPON THAT RIGHT," THE JUDGE SAID.
FLANKED BY UNITED STATES MARSHALS, GOLD WAS LED DOWN THE HOSPITAL-LIKE CORRIDORS OF THE FEDERAL BUILDING TO JUDGE MCGRANERY'S CHAMBERS. CLUSTERS OF THE CURIOUS, WHO HAD HEARD THAT SOMETHING UNUSUAL WAS AFOOT, WERE GATHERED IN THE PASSAGEWAYS FOR WHAT PROVED TO BE THE BAREST GLIMPOSE OF GOLD.
BEFORE THAT THE DEFENDANT, WHO HAD BEEN BROUGHT TO THE CITY FROM OUTLYING HOLMESBURG PRISON, WAITED FOR NEARLY TWO HOURS IN THE MARSHAL'S CELLROOM FOR THE INTERVIEW HE HIMSELF REQUESTED.
CLAD FAULTLESSLY IN A GREY PIN-STRIPE SUIT, HIS BLACK HAIR GLISTENING UNDER THE CORRIDOR LIGHTS, GOLD WALKED UNSHACKLED TO MEET THE JUDGE. HE KEPT HIS HANDS FOLDED STIFFLY IN FRONT OF HIM, AND BOWED HIS HEAD, AS ONE MIGHT IN PRAYER. HIS FACE BETRAYED NO FLUTTER OF EMOTION.
WHILE GOLD WAS BEING HUSTLED BACK TO PRISON, JUDGE MCGRANERY CALLED IN NEWSMEN AND TOLD THEM:
"HARRY GOLD CAME HERE THIS AFTERNOON TO ASK THE COURT TO APPOINT COUNSEL, WHICH HE INSISTS BE COUNSEL WHOSE PATRIOTISM IS UNIMPEACHABLE, WITH THE RESPECT OF THE COURT, THE PUBLIC AND THE BAR.
"HE ALSO WANTS THE RIGHT TO CONTINUE TO COOPERATE WITH THE FBI, AND INSISTS UPON THAT RIGHT.
"HE SAID HE IS DESTITUTE OF FUNDS EXCEPT FOR A SMALL ACCOUNT IN A PHILADELPHIA BANK, AND A VERY DUBIOUS CLAIM FOR BACK WAGES FROM AN UNNAMED COMPANY FOR WHICH HE WORKED IN NEW YORK.
"HE SAID HE APPRECIATES THE LOYAL SUPPORT OF HIS FATHER AND BROTHER AND DOES NOT WISH TO PLACE ANY ADDITIONAL BURDEN UPON THEM."

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"WHILE HE WILL NOT BE TRIED IN THIS DISTRICT," THE JUDGE SAID, "THE CHARGE THAT KEEPS HIM IN CUSTODY IS OF SO GRAVE A NATURE THAT I FEEL IT INCUMBENT UPON ME TO FURNISH HIM WITH COUNSEL MOST CAPABLE."
THE JUDGE SAID HE WOULD NOMINATE A MAN BY TOMORROW AFTERNOON, ARRANGE FOR HIM TO CONSULT WITH GOLD, AND IF AGREEABLE ALL AROUND, APPOINT THAT MAN GOLD'S COUNSEL.
IT WAS JUDGE MCGRANERY WHO ORDERED GOLD TO PRISON IN DEFAULT OF $100,000 BAIL AT A SWIFT-PACED HEARING, CALLED LATE AT NIGHT, FOLLOWING HIS ARREST EARLY LAST WEEK.
GOLD IS CHARGED WITH WORKING AS THE INTERMEDIARY THROUGH WHOM DR. KLAUS FUCHS, CONVICTED BRITISH ATOMY SPY, DELIVERED INFORMATION ABOUT THE ATOMIC BOMB TO THE SOVIET UNION.
FBI MEN, AFTER RUNNING DOWN LEADS GIVEN THEM BY FUCHS, ARRESTED GOLD ON A WARRANT ISSUED IN THE U.S. DISTRICT COURT OF EASTERN NEW YORK. IT IS THOUGHT HE LIKELY WILL BE TRIED IN NEW YORK.
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TUCSON,ARIZ.,MAY 31-(AP)-THE PRESENT WORLD CRISIS CONSTITUTES A THREAT OF THE MOST SERIOUS CHARACTER TO THE DEMOCRATIC WAY OF LIFE, THE ATTORNEY GENERAL OF THE UNITED STATES SAID HERE TONIGHT.

J.HOWARD MC GRATH, ADDRESSING THE GRADUATING CLASS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA, SAID "THIS IS AN IMPRESSIVE HOUR IN THE HISTORY OF MANKIND--IMPRESSIVE BECAUSE IT IS SO CRUCIAL."

"WITH GROWING ALARM WE WATCH THE SERIES OF EVENTS WHICH HAVE BROUGHT MUCH OF EUROPE AND ASIA UNDER THE DOMINATION OF A RUTHLESS MILITARY DICTATORSHIP," HE ASSERTED.

"WITH AMAZEMENT AND HORROR WE READ HEADLINES WHICH REVEAL THE UTTER RUTHLESSNESS OF THOSE WHO HAVE THREATENED TO WIPE OUT PEOPLE WHOSE IDEOLOGIES DIFFER FROM THEIR OWN."

HE DID NOT MENTION ANY COUNTRY IN CONNECTION WITH HIS STATEMENT.

MC GRATH TOLD THE GRADUATING STUDENTS THAT THE GOALS OF DEMOCRACY ARE BASED ON RESPECT FOR EACH PERSON AS AN INDIVIDUAL, BUT MANY PERSONS ARE TAKING THEIR DEMOCRATIC IDEALS FOR GRANTED.

"YET THESE ARE THE SAME IDEALS WHICH THE DICTATORS, SUPPORTED BY BLINDLY LOYAL PEOPLE, SET ABOUT TO STAMP OFF THE EARTH--OUR COUNTRY INCLUDED," HE MAINTAINED.

HE STATED THAT DEFENSE OF THE NATION DEPENDS ON AN UNDERSTANDING THAT DEMOCRACY IS A POSITIVE AND NOT A NEGATIVE THING AND THAT IT INCLUDES THE MAINTENANCE OF SOCIAL CONDITIONS REQUIRED TO FULFILL THE DEMOCRATIC IDEAL.

HE SAID EVERYONE MUST PLACE THE COMMON GOOD AHEAD OF PRIVATE ADVANTAGE.

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DENVER, MAY 31-(AP)-GEN. GEORGE C. MARSHALL SAID TODAY THAT THE UNITED STATES SHOULD BRING THE EUROPEAN RECOVERY PROGRAM TO A CONCLUSION IN THE SUMMER OF 1952, "FINISH IT AND STOP."

AS TO WHETHER THE UNITED STATES SHOULD CONTINUE ECONOMIC AID TO EUROPE IN ANOTHER FORM AFTER THAT, MARSHALL SAID, "I DON'T KNOW."

"WE CAN'T GO ON FOREVER BLEEDING AMERICAN ECONOMY," HE TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE.

MARSHALL, PRESIDENT OF THE AMERICAN RED CROSS, CAME HERE TO ADDRESS THE DENVER RED CROSS CHAPTER.

HE SAID THAT THE RECOVERY PLAN, WHICH HE PROPOSED, HAS EXCEEDED EXPECTATIONS, AND THE 16 PARTICIPATING EUROPEAN NATIONS HAVE PASSED MOST OF THEIR GOALS. THEY NOW ARE ENGAGED IN THE MOST DIFFICULT PHASE, DEALING WITH CURRENCIES AND TARIFFS, HE ADDED.

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NY (APW)

SAN ANTONIO,TEX.,MAY 31-(AP)-FORTY-FOUR CADETS OF THE NETHERLANDS ROYAL AIR FORCE TOOK PHYSICAL EXAMINATIONS FOR FLYING TODAY AT THE SCHOOL OF AVIATION MEDICINE, RANDOLPH AFB.

THEY WILL RECEIVE EIGHT MONTHS OF BASIC FLYING AT RANDOLPH AND FOUR MONTHS MORE TRAINING AT ADVANCED FLYING SCHOOLS.

THEY FLEW FROM HOLLAND BY ROYAL DUTCH AIRLINES, AND WERE ACCOMPANIED BY CAPT. RUDOLF DALENWETTERS, WHO WILL REMAIN WITH THEM DURING TRAINING.

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PENSACOLA,FLA.,MAY 31-(AP)-NAVY CAPT. JOHN G. CROMMELIN, CAUSTIC CRITIC OF PENTAGON POLICIES, RETIRED TO PRIVATE LIFE AT HIS OWN REQUEST TODAY.

PAPERS TERMINATING HIS NAVY CAREER WERE SIGNED AT THE PENSACOLA NAVAL AIR STATION BY CAPT. R.K.GAINES, COMMANDING OFFICER.

CROMMELIN WAS FURLOUGHED BY THE NAVY ON HALF PAY LAST APRIL 1, AND SINCE THEN HAS BEEN FILLING NUMEROUS SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS IN HIS HOME STATE OF ALABAMA, DISCUSSING SERVICE AFFAIRS.

HIS RETIREMENT, EFFECTIVE TOMORROW, RELEASES CROMMELIN TO PARTICIPATE IN ACTIVE POLITICS IF HE CHOOSES. HE ANNOUNCED RECENTLY HE PLANS TO OPPOSE SENATOR HILL (D-ALA) IN THE NOVEMBER GENERAL ELECTION AS AN INDEPENDENT.

HE RETIRED WITH THE RANK OF CAPTAIN.

DURING THE HEATED NAVY-AIR FORCE SQUABBLE LAST YEAR, CROMMELIN WAS AN OUTSPOKEN CRITIC OF NATIONAL DEFENSE POLICIES.

CROMMELIN'S RETIREMENT PAY WILL NOT BE ANNOUNCED UNTIL THE NAVY FINANCE DEPARTMENT COMPUTES IT. THE PRESIDENT AND THE SECRETARY OF NAVY HAVE THE OPTION OF RAISING HIS RETIREMENT RANK ON THE BASIS OF HIS WAR RECORD.

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(PRECEDE LONDON B37)

LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 31-(AP)-RED CHINA TODAY DEMANDED REPRESENTATION IN THE UNITED NATIONS TRUSTEESHIP COUNCIL WHICH OPENS ITS MID-YEAR SESSION HERE TOMORROW.

CHOU EN-LAI, FOREIGN MINISTER OF THE PEIPING REGIME, MADE HIS DEMAND IN A CABLE TO U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE.

U.N. OFFICIALS DID NOT MAKE PUBLIC THE CONTENTS OF THE CABLE, BUT A DISPATCH FROM THE YUGOSLAV NEWS AGENCY TANJUG SAID IT NAMED MENG YUNG-CHIEN AS THE CHINESE COMMUNIST DELEGATE TO THE COUNCIL.

TANJUG'S PEIPING DISPATCH SAID THE CABLE DEMANDED TO KNOW "WHEN THE LEGITIMATE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE CHINESE PEOPLE WHOM THE CENTRAL CHINESE (COMMUNIST) GOVERNMENT HAS NOMINATED WILL BE ABLE TO TAKE PART IN THE U.N."

U.N. OFFICIALS SAID THE CABLE ALSO CONTAINED CREDENTIALS FOR THE PROPOSED DELEGATION.

"TO THIS DAY," TANJUG QUOTED THE CABLE AS SAYING, "THE ILLEGAL DELEGATES OF REACTIONARY KUOMINTANG (NATIONALIST) REMNANTS HAVE BEEN TOLERATED IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL, SOCIAL COUNCIL, AND ALL OTHER BODIES AND AGENCIES OF THE U.N. EXCEPT THE INTERNATIONAL POSTAL UNION."

RUSSIA IS EXPECTED TO STAGE ANOTHER WALKOUT IF THE COUNCIL, AS EXPECTED, REFUSES TO OUST THE CHINESE NATIONALIST DELEGATE AND SEAT THE COMMUNIST REPRESENTATIVE.

NO RED CHINA REPRESENTATIVE IS KNOWN TO BE IN THE UNITED STATES AT PRESENT.

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LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 31-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS CONCILIATION COMMISSION FOR PALESTINE REPORTED TONIGHT IT IS STILL TRYING TO GET ISRAEL AND THE ARAB COUNTRIES TO SIT DOWN TOGETHER AND ARRANGE A PEACE.
THE REPORT SAID COMMISSION CHAIRMAN CLAUDE DE BOISANGER OF FRANCE HAS TOURED THE ARAB STATES AND ISRAEL CAPITAL STRESSING THAT THERE IS DANGER IN ALLOWING THE PRESENT SITUATION TO BE PROLONGED INDEFINITELY.
IT SAID THE ARABAS ARE UNWILLING TO DEAL WITH ISRAEL UNTIL THAT COUNTRY ACCEPTS A U.N. ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION DRAFTED IN 1948 CALLING ON ISRAEL TO ALLOW ARAB REFUGEES TO RETURN TO ISRAEL.
THE ISRAELIS, IN TURN, HAVE ANSWERED THAT THEY ARE WILLING TO NEGOTIATE PEACE-DIRECTLY, AT ANY TIME, WITH ANY ARAB COUNTRY.
THE COMMISSION REPORT SAID IT WAS STUDYING THE REPLIES BUT THAT THE ONLY WAY IT CAN SEE OUT OF THE DANGEROUS DEADLOCK IS FOR BOTH PARTIES TO DEAL WITH THE COMMISSION AT THE SAME TIME.
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LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 31-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS IS GOING TO GET ONLY $10,000,000 OF THE $35,000,000 APPROVED BY CONGRESS LAST WEEK FOR TECHNICAL AID TO BACKWARD AREAS, INFORMED QUARTERS SAID TONIGHT.
AT LEAST THAT IS THE INITIAL CONTRIBUTION THE U.S. WILL MAKE AT THE WORLD CONFERENCE ON TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE OPENING HERE JUNE 12, THESE QUARTERS SAID. THIS IS CONSIDERABLY LESS THAN THE U.N. ORIGINALLY EXPECTED FROM PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S POINT FOUR IN HIS INAUGURAL ADDRESS.
MR.TRUMAN ASKED CONGRESS FOR $45,000,000 FOR POINT FOUR USE, BOTH INSIDE AND OUTSIDE THE UNITED NATIONS, BUT IN THE FINAL BILL $10,000,000 WAS SLICED OFF. THE U.S. NOW EXPECTS TO USE $25,000,000 FOR DIRECT TECHNICAL HELP OUTSIDE THE UNITED NATIONS.
DIPLOMATIC SOURCES SAID THE U.N. NOW EXPECTS FROM ALL COUNTRIES ONLY $20,000,000 FOR THE FIRST YEAR OF ITS PROGRAM, INSTEAD OF $35,862,000 ESTIMATED A YEAR AGO AS THE AMOUNT NEEDED FOR THE 1950 OPERATIONS.
THE TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM IS A COMBINED PROJECT OF THE U.N. AND ITS SPECIALIZED AGENCIES, SUCH AS THE FOOD AND AGRICULTURAL ORGANIZATION AND THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION.
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LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 31-(AP)-HARRY A.BULLIS OF MINNEAPOLIS, CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD OF GENERAL MILLS, TODAY WAS APPOINTED NATIONAL CHAIRMAN OF UNITED NATIONS WEEK BY THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR THE UNITED NATIONS. U.N. WEEK WILL BE FROM OCT.16 TO OCT.24 AND WILL COINCIDE WITH THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE U.N.
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LAKE SUCCESS, MAY 31-(AP)-NATIONALIST CHINA'S CHIEF DELEGATE TODAY CALLED U.N. SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE A "WOULD-BE CHAMBERLAIN" AND SAID LIE'S POLICY VIRTUALLY CONDEMNED THE PEOPLE OF CHINA TO PERPETUAL SLAVERY.
THE DELEGATE, T.F.TSIANG, ISSUED A STATEMENT ON LIE'S "SAVE THE U.N. CAMPAIGN" AT A RECEPTION HE GAVE IN THE DELEGATES' LOUNGE TO HIS NEW PRESS OFFICER, K.W.YU, A FORMER SECRETARY OF GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK.
HOURS BEFORE HE GAVE OUT THE STATEMENT THE U.N. RELEASED A MESSAGE FROM CHOU EN-LAI, FOREIGN MINISTER OF THE RED CHINA REGIME, NAMING A DELEGATE TO THE TRUSTEESHIP COUNCIL MEETING TOMORROW AND DEMANDING ONCE MORE THE OUSTER OF THE NATIONALIST DELEGATES FROM THE UNITED NATIONS.
LIE CONTINUED HIS CAMPAIGN HERE, TALKING THIS AFTERNOON WITH ALES BEBLER, DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER OF YUGOSLAVIA WHO HAS VOTED TO OUST TSIANG FROM THE SECURITY COUNCIL. LIE PLANS TO CONFER WITH OTHER COUNCIL DELEGATES IN THE NEXT FEW DAYS.
"TO ADMIT THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS INTO THE UNITED NATIONS WOULD BE ADDING THE FINISHING TOUCH TO SOVIET AGGRESSION IN CHINA," TSIANG SAID IN HIS STATEMENT. "IT WOULD BE A GREAT BLOW TO THE CAUSE OF FREEDOM IN CHINA AND THROUGHOUT THE WORLD. AFTER SUCH AN ACT THE PEOPLES OF THE WORLD WILL FIND THE CHANCES OF PEACE MUCH LESS THAN NOW.
"THE UNITED NATIONS WOULD BE DOING THE CAUSE OF PEACE A GREAT DISSERVICE IF IT SHOULD LEAD THE WORLD ON THE PATH OF APPEASEMENT TO THE AGGRESSOR. ANY WOULD-BE CHAMBERLAIN TODAY MIGHT RECEIVE A MINOR MEASURE OF THE POPULARITY WHICH CHAMBERLAIN ENJOYED AFTER MUNICH, BUT FUTURE YEARS WILL SHOW HIM TO BE A SPOILER OF THE CHANCES OF PEACE.
"MR. LIE'S POLICY VIRTUALLY CONDEMNS THE PEOPLE OF CHINA TO PERPETUAL SLAVERY. THIS IS NOT WHAT THEY EXPECT OF THE SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS. HIS EFFORTS MAY HOLD THE UNITED NATIONS TOGETHER AS A PIECE OF GIGANTIC BUREAUCRATIC MACHINERY FOR THE TIME BEING BUT, I AM SURE, WILL NOT SERVE THE CAUSE OF PEACE."
TSIANG WAS REFERRING TO NEVILLE CHAMBERLAIN, FORMER PRIME MINISTER OF BRITAIN WHO RETURNED TO ENGLAND FROM A CONFERENCE WITH ADOLF HITLER AND EDOUARD DELADIER IN MUNICH PROCLAIMING THAT HE HAD OBTAINED AN AGREEMENT FOR "PEACE IN OUR TIME." THIS WAS IN 1938, A YEAR BEFORE THE SECOND WORLD WAR WAS BEGUN BY HITLER.
TSIANG WAS ASKED IF HE MEANT LIE BY HIS REFERENCE TO A "WOULD-BE CHAMBERLAIN." HE NODDED HIS HEAD AND REPLIED HE DID MEAN LIE. HE SAID LATER THAT IN ALL HIS DIFFERENCES WITH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL THERE WAS NOTHING PERSONAL BUT THAT HE QUESTIONED THE SOUNDNESS OF HIS STATESMANSHIP. HE SAID HE WAS DISAPPOINTED IN LIE'S ACTIVITY AND THAT LIE IS SACRIFICING THE PERMANENT INTERESTS OF THE U.N. FOR THE TRANSITORY.
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KX FOR FRISCO
NEW YORK, MAY 31-(AP)-THE TIMES SAID THE RECENT ATTACK ON AMERICAN SOLDIERS BY JAPANESE COMMUNISTS IS SERIOUS.
AN EDITORIAL SAID THE INCIDENT "GIVES POINT TO GENERAL MACARTHUR'S PROPOSAL, MADE YEARS AGO, FOR AN EARLY PEACE TREATY WITH JAPAN IN ORDER TO MEET THE INEVITABLE CRITICISM OF AN OVERLY PROLONGED OCCUPATION REGIME, WHICH HE ANTICIPATED AND WHICH IS NOW REVEALING ITSELF IN OTHER QUARTERS BESIDES THE COMMUNISTS."
THE PAPER SAID "THE STONING AND MAULING OF AMERICAN SOLDIERS DURING A COMMUNIST RALLY DEVOTED TO ATTEMPST TO INCITE THE JAPANESE PEOPLE TO 'EXPEL' THS OCCUPATION FORCES IS NOT TRIVIAL, EITHER IN IMMEDIATE SIGNIFICANCE OR AS A PORTENT OF THINGS TO COME.
"FOR THE ATTACK QUITE OBVIOUSLY SIGNIFIES THAT THE JAPANESE COMMUNIST PARTY, SPURRED BY COMINFORM CRITICISM THAT IT HAS BEEN PURSUING A TOO MODERATE AND 'PARLIAMENTARY' POLICY, HAS NOW DROPPED THIS PARTY LINE AND IS GOING OVER TO MORE VIOLENT TACTICS."
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KX FOR FRISCO
NEW YORK, MAY 31-(AP)-THE HERALD TRIBUNE SAID TODAY COOPERATIVE RECOMMENDATIONS ADVANCED BETWEEN SEVEN NATIONS AT THE BAGUIO CONFERENCE "SHOULD, IF IMPLEMENTED, STRENGTHEN THE COMMUNITY OF INTEREST BETWEEN ASIA'S NON-COMMUNIST LANDS."
"THIS IS A POSITIVE GAIN--THE MORE SO BECAUSE THE INITIATIVE COMES FROM THE ASIANS THEMSELVES," SAID AN EDITORIAL.
THE PAPER SAID: "THE RESOLUTION ADOPTED EMPHASIZES THE DESIRABILITY OF ECONOMIC, SOCIAL AND CULTURAL COOPERATION. AS EXPECTED, THE ANTI-COMMUNIST ISSUE WAS AVOIDED. INSTEAD, THE MEETING HAS REITERATED A PERSISTING FAITH IN THE PURPOSES AND MACHINERY OF THE UNITED NATIONS.
"IN EFFECT IT HAS SERVED NOTICE ON THE POWERS THAT THE VOICE OF A RESURGENT ASIA MUST BE GIVEN A FULL HEARING AT CONFERENCES DEALING WITH THE PROBLEMS OF THAT AREA.
"THE IDEA OF A TIGHTLY KNIT PACIFIC UNION, SO WIDELY MOOTED A YEAR AGO, IS STILL FAR FROM REALIZATION. OBVIOUSLY, THE INDEPENDENT COUNTRIES OF SOUTH ASIA ARE NOT YET READY FOR IT, AND WE MUST WAIT UNTIL THEY ARE. BUT THE PRACTICAL RECOMMENDATIONS ADVANCED FOR CLOSER WORKING RELATIONSHIPS, ESPECIALLY IN SUCH MATTERS AS TRADE AND ECONOMIC IMPROVEMENT, SHOULD, IF IMPLEMENTED, STRENGTHEN THE COMMUNITY OF INTEREST BETWEEN ASIA'S NON-COMMUNIST LANDS.
"THIS IS A POSITIVE GAIN--THE MORE SO BECAUSE THE INITIATIVE COMES FROM THE ASIANS THEMSELVES."
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B39
KX FOR FRISCO (220)
NEW YORK, MAY 31-(AP)-THE TIMES DOUBTS HAVING THE COMMUNISTS REPRESENT CHINA IN THE UNITED NATIONS WOULD DO MUCH TO EASE TENSION WITHIN THE ORGANIZATION.
IF THE COMMUNISTS REPRESENT CHINA, SAID A TIMES EDITORIAL TODAY, "RUSSIA WILL 'RETURN TO THE U.N.'
"BUT RUSSIA WILL NOT RETURN TO ANY OF THE U.N.'S IMPORTANT AND AMBITIOUS COLLATERAL AGENCIES--SUCH AS THE WORLD TRADE ORGANIZATION, THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION, THE WORLD BANK AND THE INTERNATIONAL MONETARY FUND--FOR RUSSIA IS NOT EVEN REPRESENTED IN THESE AGENCIES.
"AS FOR THE REST: LONG, VERY LONG BEFORE THE QUESTION OF COMMUNIST CHINA EVEN BECAME AN ISSUE, SOVIET RUSSIA'S UNILATERAL OPPOSITION HAD BLOCKED EVERY EFFORT IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL TO AGREE UPON SUCH MATTERS AS CONTROL OF ATOMIC ENERGY, REGULATION OF CONVENTIONAL ARMAMENTS AND THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A U.N. POLICE FORCE. X X X
"ON THE BASIS OF EVIDENCE NOW AVAILABLE, THERE IS NO GOOD REASON TO BELIEVE RUSSIA'S 'RETURN TO THE UNITED NATIONS' WOULD MAKE MORE EASY OF SOLUTION ANY OF THE MANY PROBLEMS WHICH SOVIET RUSSIA'S CONSISTENT INTRANSIGENCE HAS THUS FAR MADE IMPOSSIBLE OF SOLUTION."
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NEW YORK, MAY 31-(AP)-MRS.FRANKLIN D.ROOSEVELT WILL LEAVE BY PLANE SATURDAY FOR A ONE-MONTH EUROPEAN TOUR.
SHE WILL ATTEND THE UNVEILING OF A STATUE IN OSLO, NORWAY, ON JUNE 7 TO HER LATE HUSBAND.
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WASHINGTON, May 31 (AP)— Following is the text of a report by Secretary of State Dean Acheson on the European situation, made to members of the Senate and House of Representatives today in the Library of Congress:

I am greatly honored by this opportunity to report to you and to the people of the United States on the recent meetings in Paris and London. I should like to begin by telling you of the strength which was given me in this series of meetings I am about to describe by the reports which kept coming into Paris and London of the successive steps taken by the Congress in the enactment of the Foreign Economic Assistance Act of 1950.

The continuation by the Congress of the European Recovery Program for the third year, the inauguration of the Point Four Program and the approval of the other provisions of this great measure are fundamental to the program of action on which I wish to report.

I would not wish you to expect a report of events which could be described as sensational. The significance of the discussions with Mr. Bevin and M. Schuman and of the meeting of the North Atlantic Council, lies in the fact that they are working business meetings which are becoming a regular institution. In this aspect of the meetings we see the outward sign of a comprehension which ran through every discussion and every resolution—that the North Atlantic community is emerging as a political reality of the greatest importance.

This impression and one other should be underlined at the outset of this report. The other is a new vigor in European life and European leadership. M. Schuman's coal and steel proposals, and the reception accorded them, particularly in Germany, are one sign of this. The imminent solution of the problems surrounding the European payments union is another.

Full of Hope and Promise

These two developments—the growing acceptance of the North Atlantic community as a community having common interests and facing common dangers, and the renewed vitality and confidence in Europe—give warrant in saying that the meetings mark the beginning of something new, something which is full of hope and the promise of strength.

The realization of this hope and this promise will depend in each country upon those in executive authority, upon the legislative bodies and upon the peoples whom they serve.

The fundamental purpose of these meetings was the same as the constant purpose of our foreign policy. That purpose is the preservation of peace; not the fragile temporary peace which comes from appeasement; not the hopeless peace of submission; but the peace which free peoples, sure of the rightness of their purpose, win and maintain by developing their economic and military strength through the processes of voluntary and continuing cooperation. It is from this strength that our confidence derives, from this cooperation that peace becomes secure.

We have long hoped that all nations would cooperate for peace in the United Nations. The attitude of the Soviet Union has delayed the fulfillment of that hope, but it has not caused us, on our part, to slacken our efforts. It has made it necessary for us, in harmony with the Charter, to use means supplementary but not rival to the United Nations. The North Atlantic Treaty, like the Rio pact, is one of these means.

The meeting of the North Atlantic Council naturally dealt with only a part of the world problem. But that part is an important one. The North Atlantic community holds the world's greatest concentration of industrial and technical skills. It is the ancient home of freedom and the rights of man. These resources must be drawn on by the entire free world in order that it may continue to make steady progress in improving the welfare of its peoples.

The continued strengthening of the North Atlantic community is thus not a selfish end in itself. The effort we devote to it will benefit free peoples everywhere, and in our talks we explored ways in which we can help to advance the security and welfare of many areas outside the Atlantic community.

All of the meetings began with an analysis of the present world situation. In each case the analysis was the same. Since it profoundly affected all our conclusions, it should be reported first.

Another Time of Decision

As we saw it, in the years since the war, the eighteen Western European countries had made great economic progress. This had played an essential part in strengthening their social and political structures and preventing the subversion of their free institutions. While this had been going forward, the Soviet Union had been devoting so much of its resources to military purposes that a dangerous situation was developing.

If the free nations did not look to their defenses, and do so speedily, the maintenance of peace and security might not be possible. It was also plain that provision of the necessary defense would require a very large economic and financial effort. Therefore, the continued development of production and productivity was essential to underpin the defense effort and to maintain and extend the hard-won social and political gains.

In the face of these equal and equally compelling needs for increased defense and strengthened economies, the free nations have come, therefore, to another time of decision. The world does not stand still. It is up to us whether we go forward or fall back, and falling back, risk not only all the progress we have made but total failure.

Most of us had hoped that with the completion of the reconstruction phase, each nation would be free to work out its own problems within the framework of the security which would be assured by the United Nations. We now see that to go forward we must pursue the course of cooperative association—including partnership in the North American and Western European community of nations, for none of the complex and baffling problems which lie ahead will yield to purely national action.

We recognize that the task before the Atlantic community is to build a common defense, to create a successfully functioning economic system, and to achieve unity of action on the major problems of foreign relations. Our meetings in Paris and London demonstrated a new and basic understanding that success in this task will require close, cohesive and sustained efforts on a partnership basis in all these fields.

My talks with Mr. Bevin and M. Schuman ranged over a multitude of problems in all parts of the world and reflected throughout the deep appreciation of the need for common and mutually supporting policies.

In Europe, it has long been clear that no real progress will be possible until France and Germany work out their age-old differences. During the conferences M. Schuman announced the proposal of the French Government for joint utilization of the coal and steel resources of France and Germany, proposals which are open to all other European countries willing to participate on an equal basis.

This proposal is a momentous and courageous act, made on the initiative of the French Government. The plan is still to be perfected and its details must be developed with great care so that it will help to strengthen and expand the European economy. If it is developed for that purpose it will open the door to a new era in Europe.

Germany's re-entrance into the free Western community, which is the established policy of the three Governments in occupation of Western Germany, should be greatly helped by the new climate created by the French proposal and by other actions taken at the meetings.

Germany has been a member for some time of the Organization for European Economic Cooperation—commonly referred to as the O. E. E. C.—and we are hopeful that she will soon join the Council of Europe.

A declaration of our common policy was issued by the three ministers and promptly welcomed by Dr. Adenauer, the Chancellor of the German Federal Republic, as another long step forward on this road.

We agreed as well upon proposals under which the inhabitants of the Soviet zone of occupation could rejoin their fellow-countrymen in a democratic and united Germany and these have been forwarded by the three Western High Commissioners to the Soviet representatives in Germany with an offer to negotiate on the framing of an electoral law to allow free elections in all Germany.

Situation in Berlin

Our statement expressing our determination to maintain our rights in Berlin, together with our actions in that city in recent months, may have had some influence on the relative quiet which prevailed in Berlin on Sunday.

A declaration was also made on the repatriation from the Soviet Union of the many German prisoners of war still detained there.

All in all, the results of our discussions on Germany were most encouraging, and, we believe, laid the basis for successful work by the joint group established to consider ways of easing the difficulties for ourselves and the German people resulting from the continuance of the technical state of war.

With respect to Austria, the three Ministers announced that our Governments will soon appoint civilian High Commissioners. This is a further step in restoring Austria to a peacetime status and is one which can be taken now despite the continued and callous blocking of the Austrian peace treaty by the Soviet Union.

In the same appreciation of the need for common action, we found that the British Government was ready to move ahead with the European payments union in an attempt to reconcile the requirements of their own position with the need for substantial progress in the liberalization of trade and payments among the European countries.

During these meeting the continuing interest of the United States in European affairs was expressed to the other Governments, and also our genuine desire to work on the economic problems ahead in cooperation with Canada and the Western European countries. There has been some concern in Western Europe that despite the North Atlantic Treaty, the concern of this country with European affairs would slacken after 1952.

Various projects related to these problems have been going forward on both sides of the Atlantic. In this country, as you know, the President has appointed Mr. Gordon Gray to study what adjustments this country needs to make if it is to achieve a balance in its international accounts at high and stable levels of trade. The Canadian Government has been actively considering these problems from its point of view, and the O.E.E.C. countries have been steadily working on this same range of problems in their organization.

After discussions with Mr. Pearson of Canada and Mr. Stikker, the chairman of the O.E.E.C., it was thought that a new working relationship between Canada, the United States and the O.E.E.C. would be a desirable means for working out solutions of common economic problems. We are hopeful that the O.E.E.C. will issue an invitation to establish this relationship.

We can no longer afford the luxury of regarding these problems as purely national in character. The additional economic strength which will flow from a cooperative approach is required to meet the cost of defense, to maintain and improve standards of living, and to provide essential assistance to other free nations of the world in their development. A new attitude is required of each of us, for we must work out solutions to these problems which will strengthen the community as a whole and advance the welfare of us all.

Success in this venture will be of the greatest practical significance, both for the economic benefits it can bring to every one of us and because the security of free institutions is directly related to their economic health and vitality.

There were many other evidences of the necessity of avoiding purely unilateral treatment of problems which affect more than one state even though one may have a primary concern in their solution.

Assistance to Indo-China

In Paris, there was a most satisfactory discussion with M. Schuman on the situation in Indo-China. M. Schuman recognized that the problem of meeting the threat to the security of Viet Nam, Cambodia and Laos is primarily the responsibility of France and the Governments and peoples of Indo-China. On our part, I was able to inform M. Schuman of the assistance which the United States could provide toward the achievement of security and the development of a healthy nationalism in these associated states of Indo-China.

In London the initiative of the Commonwealth Conference at Sydney for a program of economic development in South and Southeast Asia was discussed and Mr. Bevin was informed that this Government will attempt to coordinate its efforts in that area with the efforts of the Commonwealth, in order that our actions will be mutually supporting.

By strengthening the economy and the defenses of the Atlantic community, we believe that we are making a direct contribution to the security and welfare of all free nations.

Mr. Bevin and I reaffirmed the concern of our Governments with the security and welfare of Greece, Turkey and Iran.

Together with M. Schuman we agreed on a firm policy toward the Arab states and Israel which should greatly assist in promoting peace and stability in that important area.

In South and Southeast Asia a great development has been taking place; never before in history have so many peoples acquired national independence in so short a period of time. The United States and other members of the Atlantic community were glad to see this happen; we

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worked for it, we assisted it, and in our meetings we recognized our large responsibility for helping it succeed.

The great need of these newly independent peoples is for a period of peace and quiet in which they can concentrate on the difficult problems of establishing their political and economic institutions. The success of our efforts in the Atlantic community will greatly assist in giving them this opportunity.

Time does not permit me to discuss in detail any of these matters or the other issues we considered. I do wish to emphasize the basic understanding on objectives, of the dangers and threats which confront us, and of the requirements for action, and the business-like atmosphere of the meetings. These may not at first glance appear dramatic but this is, in my opinion, the most dramatic fact that could be reported. It is news of a quiet, practical, and immense significance.

North Atlantic Council Talks

Finally, there is the problem of defending the North Atlantic area, which was the subject of the meeting of the North Atlantic Treaty Council. The twelve member countries had previously recognized the need for a common defense against a common threat. The North Atlantic Treaty had its origins in this realization.

First of all, it should be made plain that there was nothing which any of the twelve Foreign Ministers had to say which indicated that there is any immediate threat of war.

It was our unanimous view that this is not the problem. The problem is to meet a threat which, in view of the known program of the Kremlin, will exist unless we act now to prepare our defenses against aggression.

It was made unmistakably clear in all our discussions that our common purpose in preparing our common defenses is a peaceful one. We hope never to need them. But so long as any dictatorship builds powerful armed forces, so long must democracies, if they are to be left in peace, evidence their determination to defend themselves by maintaining adequate forces in being and an adequate state of preparedness. Mr. Lange, the Foreign Minister of Norway, summed up this thought when he said: "Peace will never be secure in a world where democracies are weak and dictatorships alone are strong."

The work of the North Atlantic Treaty organization in the first year of its existence has shown that the task of defense is so large, its cost in labor and material resources so high, and the problem of security so indivisible, that only a combined effort will be adequate.

The work of this meeting of the Council, which grew out of its review and full approval of the work of the defense ministers and the finance ministers and of their progress to date in planning a combined effort, was two-fold. It was necessary, first, to establish the principles which will guide our common defense effort. Secondly, the Council concluded that the requirements of the combined effort were such that additional control machinery was needed to enable the Council to do its job efficiently and effectively.

The job is a full-time one and requires on a full-time basis the services of the best men that the members can assign to it. The Council therefore decided that each Government should appoint a deputy to its representative on the Council in order that the Council can function continuously in giving direction to the work of the organization. The deputies are to select from among themselves an outstanding man as permanent chairman, who, in addition to presiding at meetings of the deputies, will be responsible for directing the Council's work.

5 Tasks for Deputies

The Council decided that the following five tasks should be undertaken by the deputies:

1. To coordinate the various planning activities related to defense;
2. To recommend the measures necessary to carry out these plans;
3. To consider common political problems related to the objectives of the treaty;
4. To promote and coordinate public information on treaty questions;
5. To consider the development of political and economic cooperation as contemplated in Article 2 of the treaty.

This list of tasks is worth citing in full in order to emphasize the importance of the work which is to be undertaken by the deputies and the need of securing from each country a man of the high est qualifications who will have the complete confidence of his own and other governments.

The ability of the organization to get on with its job will very largely depend on the caliber of the men who are appointed as deputies. It will equally depend on the support they receive from all branches of their governments and their peoples.

Perhaps the most important action of the Council was the recommendation of a principle to governments to guide the development of the common defense. This principle is the creation of balanced collective forces, rather than the duplication by each nation in a large or small way of what every other nation was doing.

After a careful review of the plans which have been prepared, it became evident to each of us that the principle of balanced collective forces was the only principle which could reconcile the resources available with the demands upon them. It is the only way in which forces can be developed to meet successfully any initial attack and to carry through to a successful conclusion any war that is forced upon us. For the task of providing an adequate common defense and adequate standards of living is so large that waste and unnecessary duplication will prevent its accomplishment.

Also this principle more than any other reconciled the security needs of each member country with the security needs of the community as a whole.

Balanced Collective Forces

This principle of balanced collective forces is of great and perhaps revolutionary significance. It has its legislative origin, so far as this Government is concerned, in the Mutual Defense Assistance Act of 1949 which stipulated that the assistance to be granted by the United States to other North Atlantic Treaty countries, should be used to promote "the integrated defense of the North Atlantic area."

It demonstrates that each country will rely on every other member of the community, and that the community will look to each country to contribute what it is best able to contribute to the common defense in accordance with a common plan. It demonstrates that each country recognizes that its own security is no better than the security of the community as a whole. It will give tangible proof to an aggressor that he must face the combined resources of the community, that there will not be opportunities to pick off one member at a time.

The United States, as the most populous member of the North Atlantic community and the one with the largest and most productive plant, has necessarily a leading role in building balanced collective forces. If we faithfully observe this principle and direct our energies to the creation of such forces, we will find a corresponding response from the other treaty members.

The President has authorized me to say that he supports Secretary Johnson and me in our view that we must make this principle work, for we can see no other way to accomplish the job of defence and at the same time get ahead with the constructive task of building a successfully functioning economy in the free world.

The job cannot be done unless we do our full part which includes the provision of mutual defense assistance. If we and our Atlantic community partners each take our respective share of the common burden, the goal can be attained. I am confining my present remarks on this vital point to this reference since within the week I shall appear before the appropriate Congressional committees in support of the mutual defense assistance program when I shall discuss this problem in full.

If we put this principle into practice, it follows that the members of the Atlantic community will have to intensify their practice of developing common policies on the major problems of common concern in the field of foreign affairs and that they must also develop even closer and more cohesive economic policies.

It is in these corollaries of the principle of balanced collective forces that its implications become clear. It is because of these implications, as well as for the progress on other matters, that this conference marks the beginning of greater unity of thought and action among the free countries of the Atlantic community.

At the conclusion of our Council meeting, we made a statement of our principles, our determination, and our faith. That statement has been published, but I wish in closing to cite a part of it because I believe it expresses well the purpose that guides us:

"We are determined that freedom, which is the common basis of our institutions, shall be defended against every threat of aggression or subversion, direct or indirect. Freedom means the independence of nations, the respect for spiritual values, and the dignity of man. Only a free society can guarantee to the individual the benefits of economic and social betterment . . . to the immense resources of the free world, and its industrial and scientific development, the peoples of the North Atlantic community bring the spiritual strength that comes from freedom."

These are the main outlines of what was accomplished in the meetings in Paris and London.

Most of what was done was a beginning of still further progress. Beginnings, of course, are very important. It is an inexperienced and naive traveler who does not make sure that he is on the right road at the beginning. The Atlantic community is on the right road, we have gone some distance down it, and we know where we are going. We have the machinery to carry us much farther. We have learned much regarding the cooperation necessary to make the machinery work.

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How far and how fast we go depends on each country, but perhaps especially on the United States. These meetings will be just as important as the Government and the people of America choose to make them. If we now support on a sustained basis the measures necessary to make this cooperative venture a success, we will not find wanting a similar response from our friends and allies. Together we shall make a major contribution to the United Nations whose Charter remains our basic guide.

This road is the road to peace. The concept of the free community is one which can bring peace and prosperity to the world. Individually, no one of these countries, including the United States, has the strength, even if it had the desire, to determine the course of the future. Together, this community has the human and material resources, the skills, the initiative, the tradition and the devotion of free men, and a dynamic idea which can give us confidence that the future belongs to freedom. In our unity there is strength. And in our strength is the foundation of peace.

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